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Three athletes suspended

MISD's '24-hour policy' violated

By JIMMY PATTERSON
Staff Writer

Two members of Midland High School's varsity baseball team and one MHS golfer have been suspended from sports participation at critical points in their seasons, Midland school superintendent Dr. Joe Baressi said Saturday.

The suspensions resulted from violations of the district's "24-hour policy," which prohibits students in extra-curricular courses from using alcohol, drugs or tobacco.

The policy — approved by school trustees in late 1986 — mandates student actions not only at school, but off-campus as well; they are on their honor 24-hour a day.

Baressi will present a report of an investigation into the infractions to school trustees meeting in executive session Tuesday night, he said.

The superintendent said the board has been aware of the infractions since March, and that members knew investigations were under way.

The suspensions are the first that have reached public knowledge. "Over a period of the last couple of years I am sure there have been others...but they don't come to mind," the superintendent said.

The three players were among about 50 students who took part in a Spring Break party March 17 or 18, Baressi said. Because the trio are underage, their names could not be released.

The party was held by a student left alone by his parents during the break, he said.

For several nights "students were coming and going," said the superintendent quoting from a report from MHS Principal Jimmie Kelly. "The one party (on the 17th or 18th) involved alcohol usage," Baressi said.

"There was no mention of adults being involved, but there were apparently some college students there ...I'm not saying they're all baseball players," he said.

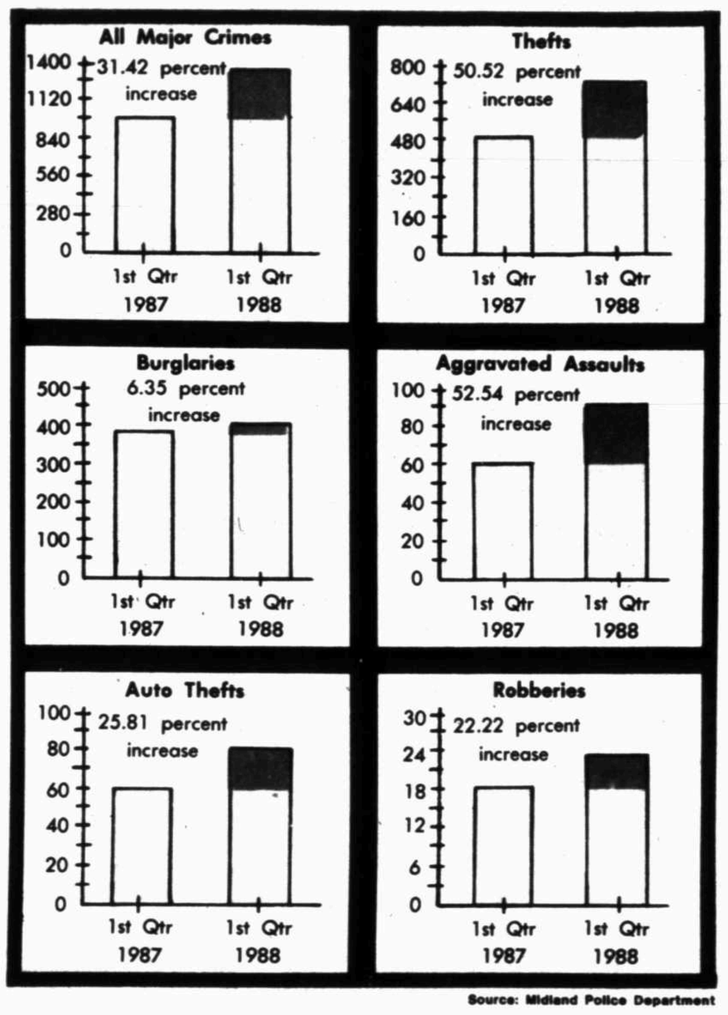
Alcohol use was the only policy violation that occurred, Baressi said.

However, a father of one student involved also has alleged a theft of jewelry took place during the party. Baressi said he had received no new information regarding the theft.

"I assume he (the father) has talked with police. There is a police report on the party itself. That report talks about loud music and that sort of thing," he said.

An administrative report is expected to arrive at Baressi's office early this week from Lee High School administrators, but the superintendent does not expect additional suspensions, he said.

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Source: Midland Police Department

Right of home ownership celebrated

By MELLA McEWEN
Business/Oil Writer

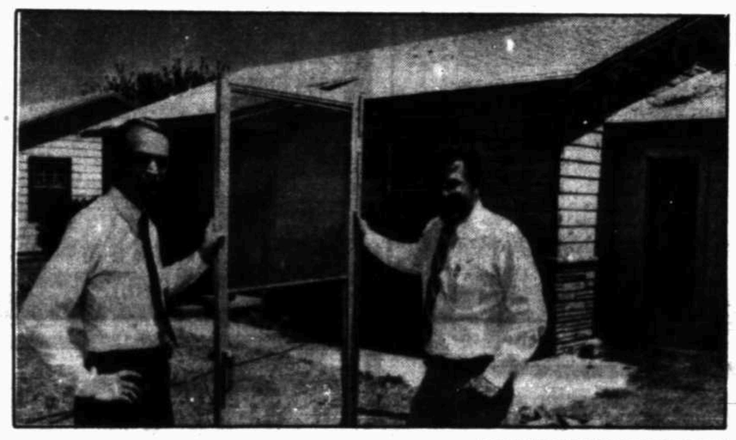
From the White House to the house on the corner, Americans agree that property ownership is among the most fundamental of freedoms.

In proclaiming April 24-30 American Home Week, President Ronald Reagan said the freedom to buy and sell homes and other real estate is an essential part of the American heritage.

The sentiment is echoed by Midland Mayor Carroll Thomas: "Home ownership is one of our most important freedoms. We're not forced to live in government housing, or have the size or location of our home dictated for us."

Darrell McDonald, president of the Midland Board of Realtors, noted "our founding fathers originally based voting privileges on property ownership. It's still our most important freedom."

The purpose of the American Home Week is to emphasize Americans' rights to own property. "The U.S. is one of the few countries where we do enjoy this privilege. It's something we have that so many others never dream of having."



Jerry Mennenga/Reporter-Telegram

Mayor Carroll Thomas and Christmas in April Inc. Chairman Bobby Trimble stand at a home to be renovated during next week's Christmas in April activities. Public figures from Thomas to President Ronald Reagan have observed that home ownership is one of America's most important freedoms.

The week kicked off Saturday with a garage sale and Crime Stoppers display at the Board of Realtors office, 1001 W. Wall, and an American Red Cross booth at Dellwood Mall, demonstrating first aid and CPR techniques.

Local Realtors, who are hosting open house tours today, will be on hand Monday when Mayor Thomas signs an "American Home Week in Midland" proclamation.

Following the ceremony, the Realtors will honor the city's longest-standing residence.

Tuesday, a tree will be planted at the new Midland Association for Retarded Citizens' park for the handicapped.

Persons interested in a real estate career can attend the Realtors Education Seminar Wednesday at the Holiday Inn Country Villa Convention Center from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Fee is $10.

Property is broadly defined to include anything people value — physical objects such as land, buildings or automobiles; financial assets such as bank balances, stocks and bonds, and people themselves.

The term also includes the right to use, enjoy and transfer property. The owner has the right to determine when, where and how to use property; can enjoy, or bear the consequences, of the selected use of that property; and transfer property rights to another person.

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Staffing questioned as crime rate rises

By PATRICK CRIMMINS
Staff Writer

The number of major crimes reported in Midland the first quarter swelled more than 30 percent compared to the same period in 1987 — a trend which may be caused by too few police officers, according to citizens' groups and the city's top cop.

"We are answering a lot more calls for service, and our officers seem to be busier," Midland Police Chief Richard Czech said when asked about the 31 percent jump in major crimes. "The officers are telling me that and the commanders are telling me that.

"We feel we need more field officers," he said. "We need more officers on the street."

The just-released report tallies the number of murders, sexual assaults, robberies, aggravated assaults, thefts, burglaries, and auto thefts.

As he studied the statistics, the chief glanced at a manpower chart he keeps in his office, and noted that the department has 148 authorized officers.

A city the size of Midland (pop. 100,000) needs two officers per 1,000 population according to national statistics, Czech said. Under that formula, the department is some 50 officers shy of the number he says would be ideal.

The department's budget is under review, and the chief said he is working with city officials to try and find funds to hire more officers.

"I don't know how many more officers we can get — I can't tell you," Czech said. "But we are going to try and get more."

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Were Hance's OPEC talks a waste of money?

By STEVE LEVINE
Reporter-Telegram Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — Texas Railroad Commissioner Kent Hance's two overseas trips to meet with OPEC officials cost the state $4,073, travel requests filed with the governor's office indicate.

Although Gov. Bill Clements said he supports Hance's well-publicized trips, the chairman of the Texas Democratic Party accused the Republican commissioner of wasting taxpayer's money.

Travel requests that Hance filed with Clements' office show the trip to Vienna, Austria, to meet with members of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries and with other non-OPEC nations will cost $1,900 in transportation, $700 for lodging and $315 for meals. Hance leaves today for Vienna and will return Saturday.

Hance's April 1 to April 4 trip to London to meet with OPEC President Rilwanu Lukman of Nigeria cost $1,073 for transportation, $300 for lodging and $100 for meals.

On both forms, Hance signed a statement stating, "I hereby certify to the Governor that the sole purpose of this trip is official business of the State, and is absolutely necessary for the proper performance of this state agency's statutory functions." Bob Davis, director of the governor's budget and planning office, approved both requests.

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Weather

Sunny today with a high in the mid-80s. Winds at 15 to 20 mph and gusty. Details on Page 4A.

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Basin residents gather, 'Just Say No to Drugs'

Students lead Midland cheers

By JANE MARLER DEES
Staff Writer

The only thing "high" Saturday at the "Just Say No to Drugs" rally were student emotions bent on sending an anti-drug message to their peers.

Colored balloons soared as the afternoon event wound down at ClayDesta Plaza, where students from Midland elementary, junior and senior high schools had particpated in dances, songs and cheers.

Mayor Carroll Thomas and Midland Independent School District Superintendent Joe Baressi participated in the event Saturday.

The mayor spoke on the children's need for pride in themselves and their community and Baressi recognized winners from the district's drug-awareness speech, poster and essay contests earlier in the month.

The keynote speaker was Bobby Heard, who at 19, is a member of the White House Conference for a Drug Free American. The young man from Austin is also the assistant youth coordinator for the Texans' War on Drugs.

"You young people here are making history today because you are a part of a new movement of kids banding together to just say no to drugs, Heard told the cheering young audience.

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George Wolf/Reporter-Telegram

Members of the Midland High School Golden Girls perform at the Just Say No to Drugs rally held at Midland's ClayDesta Plaza Saturday. A similar rally was held in Odessa.

Odessa youth launch balloons

By FRANK TROMBLEY
Staff Writer

ODESSA — A crowd of more than 3,500 people, including members of 33 clubs from all of the city's schools turned out Saturday morning for a Just Say No rally at Ratliff Stadium.

The event ended when Christian McCans, this year's Easter Seal Child, let loose a single balloon as a signal to release 10,000 green balloons that contained anti-drug messages students wrote last week.

County Judge Jan Fisher, serving as mistress of ceremonies, termed the Just Say No rally "one of the most important events ever to be held in Ector County." Noting she would be a senior citizen some day, Ms. Fisher said she was pleased to look upon the faces of the leaders of tomorrow, knowing the future would be safe in the hands of those committing themselves to a drug-free future.

Hugh Hayes, Ector County school superintendent, said there would be tough days ahead for those committing themselves to a drug-free future, that the decision to Just Say No will have to be confronted continuously.

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WORLD IN BRIEF

Iranians say U.S. copter recovered

NICOSIA, Cyprus (AP) — Iran's Revolutionary Guards Saturday retrieved remains of an American helicopter allegedly shot down by Iranian forces in a showdown with the U.S. Navy, Tehran Radio reported.

The state-run broadcast, monitored in Nicosia, said naval units of the Revolutionary Guards found the remains in the Persian Gulf and brought them ashore.

It said inspection proved the parts belonged "to the U.S. Cobra helicopter which was shot by the Iranian forces and crashed in the gulf" on Monday.

The U.S. Navy blasted two offshore Iranian oil platforms on Monday, touching off the most serious engagement with the Iranians since the American warships began escorting reflagged Kuwaiti tankers in the gulf last July.

The U.S. Navy sank or seriously damaged two Iranian naval frigates and four smaller frigates, and fired on Iranian jets in the a clash.

Pentagon officials said in Washington that a U.S. helicopter with a two-man crew was missing in that confrontation.

Iran said its forces shot it down. But that report has not been independently confirmed.

Hijackers in Lebanon?

ALGIERS, Algeria (AP) — The Arab hijackers who held a Kuwait Airways jet for 16 days and killed two of its passengers have been traced to the stronghold of pro-Iranian extremists in Lebanon, diplomatic sources said Saturday.

Arab and Western diplomats, speaking on condition of anonymity, said the hijackers were believed to have made their getaway in an Algerian air force plane via the Syrian capital of Damascus before dawn Wednesday.

The sources said the leader of the hijackers was believed to be Izzedine Hassan, a Shiite hardliner known to have been involved in the 1985 TWA hijacking in which an American was killed.

"Various diplomatic security and counter-terrorist agencies are trying to keep track of the gang," one diplomat said. "The men are believed to have gone underground with Hezbollah in a largely Shiite part of west Beirut where their trail is easily lost."

Hezbollah, or Party of God, is a pro-Iranian Shiite radical movement that holds Western hostages in Lebanon. Terry Anderson, the chief Middle East correspondent for The Associated Press, is among their captives.

Search for crew continues

ST. JOHN'S, Newfoundland (AP) — Ships and airplanes searched the North Atlantic for survivors Saturday near the blazing remains of a Greek tanker that broke in two, leaving one crewman known dead and 28 people missing.

But as darkness fell, the U.S. Coast Guard said it was suspending search operations and there was no plan to resume them Sunday.

Petty Officer Brad Terrill of the U.S. Coast Guard's Atlantic Operations said, "Search conditions were excellent all day with good to excellent visibility, low seas and mild winds. But nothing has been spotted since the one body was recovered Friday evening."

A Dutch cargo ship recovered the body of Polish seaman Andrej Szukalski, 41, from the oil-slicked sea near the 500-foot Athenian Venture around 6.p.m. Friday.

"He was in a lifejacket but not in a liferaft," said Terrill in a telephone interview from New York.

U.S. Coast Guard officials said there were 29 people aboard the tanker, including the wives of five crewmen, and it was believed that all of the victims were Polish nationals.

Taiwan greets 'Emperor'

TAIPEI, Taiwan (AP) — "The Last Emperor," the first movie shot in communist China to be shown on this Nationalist Chinese island, opened to large crowds Saturday.

People formed lines to buy tickets to the movie that won nine Academy Awards. It is about the life of China's last emperor and was filmed by an international production company.

"It is very touching," reporter Huang Wu-lan of the China Times Express said of the movie that opened in 20 theaters in Taipei and five other cities.

She said Italian director Bernardo Bertolucci presented a Chinese world "very real and persuasive to the young generation of Chinese growing up in Taiwan."

A vast majority of Taiwan's nearly 20 million people are ethnic Chinese. The Chinese Nationalist government fled to Taiwan in 1949 after losing a civil war to the communists and has since refused all official contacts with mainland China.

Unofficially the policy has been relaxed in recent months. Taiwanese Chinese can travel to China to visit family members and many mainland products are now legally sold in Taiwan.

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Bomb kills 54 people in Tripoli

WORLD

TRIPOLI, Lebanon (AP) — A pickup truck packed with TNT exploded in a crowded vegetable market in this northern port city Saturday, killing 54 and wounding 125 in Lebanon's bloodiest such bombing in nearly three years.

Tripoli's eight hospitals and clinics were filled to capacity with victims of the 8:45 a.m. (1:45 a.m. CDT) blast in the low-income Tabbaneh district. The explosion knocked down several buildings, gutted shops and set fire to dozens of cars.

Police said the black Mercedes pickup was loaded with vegetables and rigged with an estimated 330 pounds of TNT. It went off as the area filled with midmorning shoppers on the seventh day of Islam's holy month of Ramadan, when Moslems fast during daylight hours.

"Tongues of fire shot up into the air and I felt the earth shaking under me. I fainted," said Ibtissam Khodor, a Moslem housewife who was shopping when the truck exploded. She spoke from her bed at Nini Hospital.

Nine-year-old Ahmed Touni wept as medical attendants pulled a white sheet over the body of his 29-year-old mother at the Islamic hospital.

"My mother died. I have no mom," he cried.

No group claimed responsibility for the bombing in Lebanon's second-largest city, and police said they have no clues about who the bombers are or their motive.

Earlier car bombings have been blamed on the civil war between Syrian-backed Moslems and Israeli-backed Christians as well as other feuds involving Palestinians, Syrians and Israelis.

Tripoli is 50 miles north of Beirut and has a predominantly Sunni Moslem population of 850,000.

Saturday's explosion was the first major car bombing in Lebanon this year. Acting Prime Minister Salim Hoss, a Sunni, condemned it as a "barbaric atrocity."

"All hands must team up to stop these executioners from committing further such crimes," he said.

A police spokesman, who spoke on condition of anonymity according to regulations, said that "several pedestrians and vendors were torn to pieces."

He said Syrian troops in charge of Tripoli's security cordoned off the scene of the blast as ambulances with wailing sirens rushed victims to hospitals.

Radio stations broadcast hospital appeals for urgent blood donations. Police said hospital morgues were "packed with corpses, many of them burned or mutilated beyond identification."

The car bomb was parked near a wall of a cemetery at the entrance to Tabbaneh's vegetable market. Several shops were gutted and dozens of cars parked nearby were reduced to smoldering piles of twisted metal.

Many buildings collapsed and civil defense teams dug through the rubble in search of trapped victims. Firemen doused the scene with water to extinguish fires touched off by the blast. Glass shards littered a 150-yard radius.

Police said this was the worst car bombing since an explosive-laden vehicle exploded outside an ice cream parlor in Tripoli on June 29, 1985, killing 60 and wounding 100.

Five people have been killed and 15 wounded in four relatively small bomb attacks in Beirut and Tripoli in the past three months. But there have been no car bombings.

Last year 57 people were killed and 288 wounded in 16 car bomb explosions in various parts of Lebanon, according to Lebanese police reports.

French bid to free three held by extremists fails

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — French negotiators seeking to free three countrymen held by pro-Iranian extremists flew away empty-handed Saturday after last-minute hitches.

The deal to free the hostages fell through because the kidnappers made last-minute demands that the French negotiators could not meet, according to Syrian and Lebanese officials at Beirut Airport. Lebanese press reports said French officials had refused to pay ransom to the kidnappers.

The government of Prime Minister Jacques Chirac has been trying to free the three men before the first round of French presidential elections today. Such a release could boost the chances of Chirac, who is favored to oppose President Francois Mitterrand in the final round of voting May 8.

A chartered Swiss executive jet carrying the four French negotiators left Beirut Saturday for an unknown destination, according to Beirut airport officials, who spoke on condition of anonymity. Radio monitors in Cyprus reported they heard the pilot say he was heading for Paris.

The arrival of the 12-seat Falcon 50 in Beirut from Larnaca, Cyprus, two hours earlier prompted speculation the release of the three Frenchmen was imminent and that the jet had come to pick them up.

After a similar shuttle Friday, the plane's pilot, who would not give his name, told reporters at Larnaca Airport: "We went to get the hostages, but there were no hostages ready."

The three hostages are diplomats Marcel Fontaine and Marcel Carton and journalist Jean-Paul Kauffmann. Fontaine and Carton were kidnapped separately March 22, 1985, and Kauffmann was seized later that year on May 22.

A fourth Frenchman, Michel Seurat, a scientific researcher, was kidnapped with Kauffmann on May 22, 1985.

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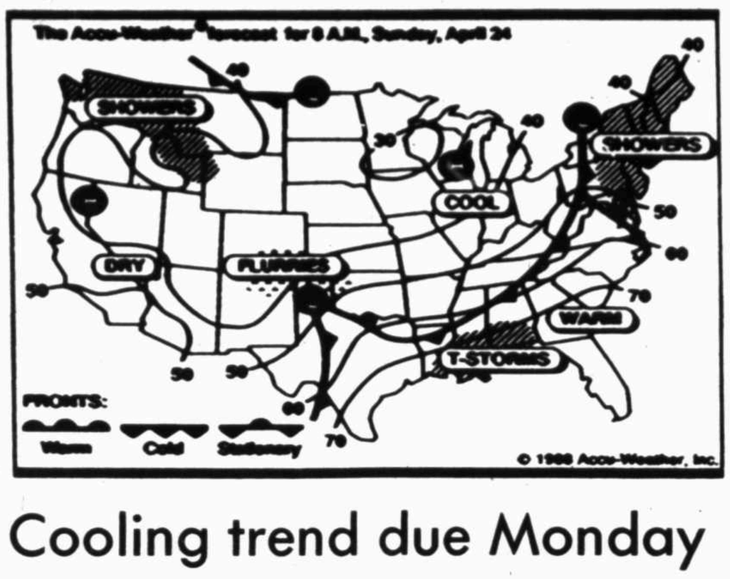
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WEATHER SUMMARY



Cooling trend due Monday

From Staff and Wire Reports

Permian Basin residents will have one more day to enjoy 80-degree temperatures before the weather turns cooler Monday, say forecasters with the National Weather Service at Midland International Airport.

The forecast today calls for sunny skies and a high in the mid-80s. Winds will be from the west to southwest at 15 to 20 mph and gusty.

Tonight will be fair and cooler with a low in the mid-40s. On Monday, skies will be sunny and the high should reach only into the upper 70s.

Saturday's high of 82 was 13 degrees cooler than the record of 95, set on that date in 1965. The low Saturday of 49 was 12 degrees warmer than the record of 37, set on that date in 1968.

STATE

Sweltering heat baked the Lower Rio Grande Valley Saturday afternoon while temperatures remained below seasonal normals in the Panhandle after a cold front passed through the area.

Cloudy skies prevailed on the coast, the National Weather Service reported.

Temperatures soared to near 100 degrees in the Rio Grande Valley, while on the other side of state readings never got higher than the 50s.

The wide range of temperatures was partly to a cold front that stretched from southeast Oklahoma to across the Texas Panhandle.

Extremes at 3 p.m. ranged from 101 degrees at McAllen to 54 degrees at Amarillo.

Cloudy skies along the coast continued in advance of a dry line, a boundary between moist air to the east and drier air to the west, which extended from near Texarkana to near Laredo.

A few showers were reported moving across the middle Coastal Plains.

Winds Saturday were mostly from the north and northwest at speeds of 10 mph to 15 mph, except along the immediate coast, where winds were from the south at speeds of 5 mph to 10 mph.

Showers and thunderstorms were expected in the eastern half of the state Sunday night, with highs ranging from the 70s to the 90s.

NATION

Strong thunderstorms developed Saturday over the South, with wet weather scattered over the rest of the eastern half of the nation, and lightning injured seven people during locally heavy rain in southern California.

Large hail fell in Mississippi, with ice chunks the size of nickels at Lauderdale, as big as quarters in western Kemper County and as big as golf balls at Bailey.

Jackson, Miss., got 2.03 inches of rain in the six hours up to 2 p.m. EDT.

Alabama also got hail as big as dimes at Selma, Marion and Demopolis, the size of nickels at York and the diameter of quarters at Cuba.

High wind during thunderstorms downed power lines at Prattville, Ala., the National Weather Service said.

Showers and thunderstorms also developed along a cold front pushing through the Ohio Valley and the lower Mississippi Valley, extending from southern Arkansas into southern Indiana and western Kentucky.

The cold front created a sharp contrast in temperatures across Michigan. Temperatures across much of the state were in the 30s but approached 80 degrees in the southeastern corner.

Showers and a few thunderstorms extended from Maryland to New York during the afternoon.

Showers also produced rain and snow over much of the upper Great Lakes, and Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., got 3 inches of snow during the six hours up to 2 p.m. EDT.

Locally heavy rain fell on southern California, with heavy snow at higher elevations.

Six children and one adult were injured by lightning when they huddled under a tree at a softball field to escape a sudden downpour near Tustin. They were taken to local hospitals where officials said their injuries ranged from minor to moderate.

Rain fell at a rate of a half-inch an hour in the lower mountains of Los Angeles County and water overflowed curbs on some downtown Los Angeles streets.

Elsewhere in southern California, heavy snow fell in the Frazier Mountain area of Ventura County and snow advisories were issued for elevations above 5,000 feet, the weather service said. Two inches of snow was reported on Mount Wilson in the San Gabriel Mountains and Pine Mountain in Kern County.

Farther north, showers extended across Washington state into western Montana

Temperatures at 3 p.m. EDT ranged from 32 degrees at Marquette, Mich., to 100 at McAllen, Texas. The low for the day was 11 degrees at Chadron, Neb.

Midland statistics

FORECAST

Today: Sunny with a high in the mid-80s. Winds will be from the west to southwest at 15 to 20 mph and gusty. Tonight: Fair and cooler, with a low in the mid-40s. Monday: Sunny and cooler, with a high in the upper 70s.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

Yesterday's High	82 degrees
Overnight Low	49 degrees
Sunset today	8:24 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:09 a.m.
Precipitation:	
Last 24 hours	none inches
This month to date	.06 inches
Year to date	1.27 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

6 p.m.	81	6 a.m.	50
7 p.m.	77	7 a.m.	50
8 p.m.	71	8 a.m.	60
9 p.m.	67	9 a.m.	64
10 p.m.	66	10 a.m.	68
11 p.m.	63	11 a.m.	73
midnight	63	noon	75
1 a.m.	62	1 p.m.	77
2 a.m.	60	2 p.m.	78
3 a.m.	61	3 p.m.	79
4 a.m.	56	4 p.m.	80
5 a.m.	52	5 p.m.	81
		6 p.m.	80

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Abilene	78	55	
Alice	97	74	
Alpine	80	40	
Amarillo	64	32	
Austin	97	71	
Beaumont/Port Arthur	86	72	
Beeville	96	74	
Brownsville	92	73	
Bryan/College Station	89	72	
Childress	69	42	
Corpus Christi	93	73	
Cotulla	97	73	
Dallas	78	65	.52
Del Rio	90	66	
El Paso	74	38	
Fort Worth	79	61	.04
Galveston	81	71	
Hondo	92	69	
Houston Hobby	86	71	
Junction	86	56	
Kingsville	96	74	.01
Lajitas	93	55	
Laredo	101	78	
Longview	86	68	
Lubbock	76	45	
Lufkin	88	68	
Marfa	76	36	
McAllen	101	74	
Midland/Odessa	82	49	
Mineral Wells	80	57	
Palacios	88	73	
San Angelo	84	56	
San Antonio	93	72	
Stephenville	83	59	.01
Texarkana	84	64	
Victoria	91	74	
Waco	87	63	.29
Wichita Falls	71	53	
Wink	82	46	

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albany,N.Y.	51	29	.10	cdy
Albuquerque	64	35		clr
Anchorage	45	32		rn
Atlanta	76	66	1.61	cdy
Atlantic City	54	42	.02	cdy
Baltimore	61	44		clr
Boise	62	33		cdy
Boston	51	39	.03	cdy
Buffalo	67	35	.19	cdy
Casper	54	22	.03	cdy
Charleston,S.C.	79	68	.44	cdy
Chicago	47	40	.13	clr
Cincinnati	61	55	.10	cdy
Dayton	79	51	.02	cdy
Denver	59	29		cdy
Detroit	77	41	.10	cdy
Flagstaff	44	29	.22	clr
Grand Rapids	60	36	.70	cdy
Great Falls	64	27		sn
Honolulu	87	70		clr
Indianapolis	70	52	.02	cdy
Jackson,Miss.	79	69	2.02	cdy
Kansas City	57	38		rn
Las Vegas	86	48		clr
Little Rock	82	62		rn
Los Angeles	58	50		clr
Louisville	81	66	.24	cdy
Memphis	85	68		cdy
Milwaukee	42	38	1.07	clr
Mpls-St Paul	54	34	.40	cdy
Nashville	83	67		cdy
New Orleans	85	72		cdy
New York City	56	43	.08	clr
Oklahoma City	63	44		cdy
Omaha	55	35	.02	cdy
Philadelphia	55	37	.01	cdy
Phoenix	77	55		clr
Pittsburgh	60	46	.05	cdy
Reno	61	33		clr
Richmond	70	46		clr
St Louis	62	50		rn
Salt Lake City	57	40		cdy
San Diego	63	57	.04	clr
San Francisco	63	48	.25	clr
Sioux Falls	53	33	.13	cdy
Spokane	51	42	.04	clr
Syracuse	51	30	.16	cdy
Topeka	59	37		cdy
Tucson	80	46		clr
Tulsa	66	46		cdy
Washington,D.C.	65	49		clr
Wichita	59	38		cdy

Texas area forecasts

West Texas: Fair through Monday. Windy north Sunday with some blowing dust South Plains. Highs Sunday 69 Panhandle to 94 Big Bend. Lows Sunday night 34 mountains to 38 Panhandle to near Concho Valley and Big Bend. Highs Monday 64 Panhandle to near 90 Big Bend.

North Texas: Fair and cool Sunday. Increasing cloudiness with widely scattered thunderstorms Sunday night. Partly cloudy and cool Monday. Highs Sunday and Monday mid 70s to low 80s. Lows Sunday night low 60s northwest to low 80s southeast.

South Texas: Mostly cloudy southeast and along the coast Sunday. Fair to partly cloudy elsewhere. A slight chance of thundershowers central and east Sunday night. Partly cloudy elsewhere. A chance of thundershowers southeast Monday. Fair to partly cloudy elsewhere. Lows Sunday night in the 60s except in the 50s northwest and in the 70s on the coast. Highs Sunday in the 80s and 90s. Highs Monday mostly in the 80s.

Latin American sector grew in '85

In 1985, the agricultural sector of Latin America expanded at a rate of 4.2 percent, compared with the 3.4 percent registered in the previous year, according to the Inter-American Development Bank.

A large share of the increase for 1985 was accounted for by Brazil, where the sector product grew by 8.8 percent.

SCHOOL MENUS

APRIL 25 — 29

GREENWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Monday — Breakfast: Pancakes, juice, milk. **Lunch:** Chicken fried steak (high school), steak fingers (elementary), green beans, potatoes, gravy, hot rolls, peanut butter, honey, milk.

Tuesday — Breakfast: Donuts, juice, milk. **Lunch:** (Elementary) Burrito, nachos with cheese sauce, combination salad, bakers' choice, milk; (High School) Pizza, ranch style beans, combination salad, applesauce, milk.

Wednesday — Breakfast: Cereal, juice, milk. **Lunch:** Barbeque on a bun, pinto beans, potato salad, corn bread, gelatin, fruit, milk.

Thursday — Breakfast: French toast sticks, juice, milk. **Lunch:** (Elementary) Baked turkey, rice, gravy, buttered broccoli, hot rolls, peanut butter surprise, milk; (High School) Turkey and dressing, sweet potatoes, fruit salad, hot rolls, carrot cake, milk.

Friday — Breakfast: Cereal, juice, milk. **Lunch:** Cheeseburgers, french fries, hamburger salad, pickles, Ranger cake, milk.

MIDLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Monday — Breakfast: Hot cereal, buttered toast, orange juice, milk. **Lunch:** Burrito with chili, corn, pear half, lettuce leaf, milk, sugar cookie.

Tuesday — Breakfast: Grilled peanut butter sandwich, chilled pear half, milk. **Lunch:** Italian spaghetti, green beans, fruited gelatin, french bread, milk.

Wednesday — Breakfast: Waffle, syrup, apple juice, milk. **Lunch:** Chicken fried steak, mashed, gravy, buttered broccoli, chilled peaches, wheat roll, butter, milk.

Thursday — Breakfast: Sausage pattie, hot roll, grape juice, milk. **Lunch:** Baked potato, toppings, tossed salad, hot roll, butter, milk, ice cream.

Friday — Breakfast: Cinnamon roll, applesauce.

MIDLAND CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

Monday — Lunch: Pizza pockets, green beans, pear halves, cookie, milk.

Tuesday — Lunch: Steak fingers, gravy, potato rounds, salad, chocolate mousse, milk.

Wednesday — Lunch: Hot dog, potato salad, carrot sticks, apple pie, milk.

Thursday — Lunch: Frito pie, corn, salad, gelatin, milk.

Friday — Lunch: Chicken sandwich, lettuce and pickles, potato chips, sliced peaches, cookie, milk. milk. **Lunch:** Toasted cheese sandwich, french fries, ketchup, vegetable soup, milk, fudge brownie.

COURT RECORDS

CRIMINAL CASES
TEXAS STATE DISTRICT COURTS
142nd District Judge Pat Beekin
238th District Judge Vann Culp
318th District Judge Dean Rucker
District Attorney Al Schorre

CRIMINAL FILINGS

Indictments

Thomas Blanton, theft.
John Mitchell Robb, burglary of a building.
Oscar Vasquez, burglary of a building, criminal mischief.
Vickie Harper, tampering with government records.
Carlos Vasquez, attempted murder.

CRIMINAL DISPOSITIONS

Sentences

Nancy Allison, guilty, theft, sentenced to four years in state prison.
Randall Lamar Smith, pleaded guilty to felony DWI, sentenced to 120 days in the county jail.
James William Patterson, pleaded guilty to burglary of a building, sentenced to five years in state prison.
Vanessa Haynes, pleaded guilty to criminal mischief, sentenced to four years in state prison.
Steven Clark Price, pleaded guilty to possession of methamphetamine, sentenced to eight years in state prison.
Danny Barrientez, pleaded guilty to burglary of a vehicle, sentenced to eight years in state prison.
Robert Scott Stucks, probation revoked, sentenced to seven years in state prison.

Probations

Nicholas Rodriguez III, pleaded guilty to theft, sentenced to 10 years deferred adjudication.
Nick Rodriguez Jr., pleaded guilty to theft, sentenced to 10 years deferred adjudication.
Doyle Ray Wells, pleaded guilty to delivery of amphetamine, sentenced to 10 years probation.
Toy Lynn Wells, pleaded guilty to delivery of amphetamine, sentenced to 10 years probation.
Cheryl Cheak, pleaded guilty to aggravated assault, sentenced to four years probation.
Ricky Lee Brown, pleaded guilty to theft of oilfield equipment, sentenced to 10 years deferred adjudication.
David Schlemeyer, pleaded guilty to possession of cocaine, sentenced to five years probation.
Felipe Nabarette, pleaded guilty to felony DWI, sentenced to five years probation.
Mark Anthony Anderson, pleaded guilty to burglary of a habitation, sentenced to five years probation.

COUNTY ATTORNEY MARK DETTMAN

DWI Misdemeanor Convictions

Kneeland Lee Giusti, reduced to reckless driving and fined $200.
Jose Antonio Brown, sentenced to 72 hours jail, two years probation, a 180-day drivers license suspension and fined $500.
Laurie Ann Wilson, sentenced to six months probation and fined $100.
Ramiro Alberto Aceves, sentenced to six months probation and fined $250.
Gary Delbert Shockley, sentenced to 30 days in jail, a year drivers license suspension and fined $100.
Gilbert Valdez Garcia, sentenced to 21 days in jail, a 180-day drivers license suspension and fined $500.
Martin Madrid Vargas, sentenced to 15 days in jail, a 180-day drivers license suspension and fined $300.
Thomas Lynn Moss, reduced to reckless driving and fined $200.
James Henry Bartlett, sentenced to 72 hours jail, two years probation, a 180-day drivers license suspension and fined $600.
Kenneth Turner, sentenced to a year probation and fined $500.

CRIME

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Midland City Manager Fred Poe said Friday "there is a feeling" past budgetary restraints have hurt the police department.

"I think the last two years we have cut and cut and cut," Poe said, noting the department has about 10 officers less than two years ago.

"I think there is probably some feeling among the administration and staff that we have cut a little too heavy in the police area."

Poe said he couldn't predict how many additional officers will be budgeted, but he said it will not be the 50 projected by statistics cited by the chief.

"The two officers per 1,000 is an average across the country," he said. "And I don't think Midland would need that many more. Some other cities might."

The city will likely add five officers at a cost of about $170,000 a year, Poe said.

While the most serious crimes — murder and rape — showed decreases or only small gains, the biggest percentage hike in first quarter stats came in the number of aggravated assaults reported.

The number of aggravated assaults jumped 52.5 percent in January, February and March compared to the same period last year. Fifty-nine assaults were recorded during the period last year, while 90 were recorded the first three months this year.

"Those kind of things, assaults — you can never explain those" increases, the chief said.

Thefts showed the second biggest increase — 50.5 percent — with 721 cataloged the first quarter of this year compared to 479 during the first quarter of last year.

Auto thefts were up 25.8 percent, with 78 vehicles reported stolen the first quarter of this year compared to the 62 reported the first quarter of 1987.

Robberies were up 22.2 percent, with 22 recorded the first quarter of this year compared to 18 for the same period last year.

Burglaries were up a bit over six percent — which the chief said was disappointing news.

"I didn't think the burglaries were up," observed the chief.

Response to the reported increase was swift from local citizens' groups.

"They really do surprise me," said Jackie Hamilton, president of the Midland Crime Prevention Commission, of the new figures.

The rise in burglaries and thefts may be attributed to a lack of manpower, Ms. Hamilton said.

"The special force team the chief had — we don't have enough people to do that anymore," Ms. Hamilton said, noting a burglary task force was put on the street last year until a shortage of officers assured its demise.

"They were stopping the burglars that were repeat" offenders, she said. "Stopping that (task force) could be a reason for the increased figures."

King Hughes, who heads Neighbors Against Burglars and Drugs (NABD) and serves on a state district court grand jury, also lashed out at the officer shortage.

"For a good while now, NABD (members) have felt they were understaffed," Hughes said. "I know that the grand jury has expressed to Czech that the department is just not staffed adequately.

"I know he is getting pressure now — he is getting the word."

A lack of officers is "an invitation to criminals," Hughes added.

Nine sexual assaults were reported the first quarter of 1988 compared to eight in 1987, according to the statistics.

One murder was reported during the period this year, compared to two the first quarter of last year, according to the figures.

Despite the 30 percent hike in major crimes, the city of Midland fares well when compared to other cities in the U.S. with a population of 100,000 or more, Czech said, citing a just-released FBI report.

Of 189 cities, two municipalities — Sunnyvale, Calif. and Amherst Town, N.Y. — recorded fewer major crimes in 1986 and 1987 than did Midland, according to the report released April 16.

The study said 9,635 major crimes were reported to Midland police during the two-year period.

Nearly 21,000 major crimes were reported to Odessa police during the two-year perod, while nearly 15,000 were reported to Abilene police, the study said.

PARTY

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"I did ask (Lee Principal Jack) Fryar to give me a summation," Baressi said. "You never know what will turn up, but it seems to be 99-percent complete."

The two baseball players already have begun serving their suspensions and will remain out of action, "at least through Tuesday," said the superintendent. "They've already missed three district games."

The golfer began his suspension last week and will remain out of action through this week.

Midland High golf coach John Ford, who's team will participate in the Region 1 tournament Friday and Saturday in Lubbock, said the suspended player was "not a member of the starting five."

The school's regional golf qualifiers will not be affected by the violation, the coach said.

The two baseball players will return to the team in time for playoff activity, if Midland High reaches post-season action.

However, baseball coach Tim Whalen noted that the district's investigation has caused his team to suffer, as evidenced by a 16-4 non-district loss Friday night to Hobbs, N.M.

"Naturally it's got to have an effect on us," Whalen said.

"It's difficult for the kids to cope with that kind of pressure. Their classmates at school keep asking, 'Do you know what's going to happen? Do you know what's going to happen?' The players lose sight of how important a baseball game is when you lose one of your kids.

"The kids are having a tough time dealing with the negative publicity," he said. "We're no longer a good baseball team. It seems like the district race is inconsequential. It seems like everyone is worried about who's going to get busted."

Whalen said his players continually ask him if he's heard anything new regarding a decision and, "I just have to tell them, 'Sorry kids, you'll just have to wait.'"

The MHS baseball team, currently 8-2 in district play, is tied for first with two games remaining in the season. Winning only one of the pair would clinch a playoff spot for the team.

HOME

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The right to private ownership does not come without limitations. Formal restrictions include zoning laws, building codes, licensing, price controls and environmental regulations.

Voluntary constraints such as deed restrictions on housing size, density and other land use are enforced as well.

Informal limits on pets, noise levels and lawn maintenance also can affect how the owner uses and enjoys his property.

While Mayor Thomas pointed out that home ownership represents most people's major financial, it also can bring hardship.

That's one reason American Home Week will end with Realtors participating in the Christmas in April project Saturday.

Bobby Trimble, instigator and chairman of Christmas in April, said the project has three goals: to help the elderly and disabled have better housing; to help them stay in their own homes as long as possible; and to beautify the city of Midland by keeping houses repaired.

McDonald observed of the project: "We're obviously proud as Realtors of Christmas in April, and we're proud that this city originated the concept. Bringing homes back up to standard and helping others goes hand in hand with the right to own property."

Agreed Thomas: "I think it's important that we help those in need make home improvements so they can continue to enjoy the pride, satisfaction and freedom of home ownership."

HANCE

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On separate sheets of paper attached to the forms, Hance said he wanted to go to Vienna "to meet with various oil producing countries to discuss energy issues of importance to Texas." He said he met with Lukman "to discuss energy issues of import to Texas."

"I think it's very constructive and I think it's served a good purpose and I encouraged him to do it," Republican Clements said Friday when asked about the state's paying for Hance's trips. "I'm happy that he's done it."

Clements appointed Hance to the post this past fall, and he is the GOP nominee in the November election to serve out the remaining two years of former Commissioner Mack Wallace's term. His Democratic opponent, state Rep. Clint Hackney of Houston, accused Hance Wednesday of "serving his own political interests by meeting with OPEC, not the interests of Texas consumers and producers."

Hance has also drawn flack from the U.S. Departments of Energy, Justice and State for his efforts to work with OPEC in stabilizing international oil prices. Texas Democratic Party Chairman Bob Slagle added to that chorus Friday.

"I don't really like Kent Hance spending anybody's tax money," Slagle said of the Democrat-turned-Republican politician. "He wasted $2,600 of taxpayer's money, and as far as I'm concerned for Hance it was just self-aggrandizement."

ODESSA

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Hayes also read congratulatory messages from Gov. Bill Clements and First Lady Nancy Reagan, who said she was happy to hear of the efforts of students to ban drug use.

Bobby Heard, a spokesman for the San Diego-based Just Say No Foudation and a member of the Texas Commission on Alcoholism, told those attending the rally they are "part of an incredible movement" that is sending a "clear message that we don't want drugs in our schools."

Heard said the Just Say No movement was started three years ago in Oakland by two 5th grade students following a visit by First Lady Nancy Reagan.

Mayor Don Carter read a proclamation proclaiming April 23 Just Say No Day. The Odessa mayor described the day as "Super Saturday," noting that while there were "a lot of things going on in Odessa today, but nothing is more important than what you're doing here."

As students assembled on the Ratliff Stadium track Saturday morning, bands from Permian and Odessa high schools played a recurring Just Say No theme.

Prior to the release of the balloons that signaled the end of the rally, the Black Magic and Deep Vibrations choral groups from Permian and Odessa high schools presented "Be Smart, Don't Start," the theme song of the anti-drug-alcohol campaign.

RALLY

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"Today it's easy but it's tough at school to say no to drugs. You are taking an important first step."

The youth are the answer to solving the drug problem in America, Heard said. The kids learn that they are the ones who can solve the nation's drug problem, Heard said.

"Through the use of positive peer pressure kids learn that cool kids are the ones who don't use drugs," Heard said.

There are three tools for teaching kids to avoid drugs, Heard explained.

"Question a friend's judgment who asks you to use drugs. If you know it's wrong then tell them and suggest a positive alternative activity," Heard said.

Kids take drugs likely to numb an emotional hurt or because of pressure from their friends," said Suzanne Young, Texans' War on Drugs youth coordinator.

Making the substances unaccepted and drying up a demand for drugs are attempts that group tries to succeed in during the quest against drug abuse, Ms. Young said.

Molly Kelly to address teen-agers

From Staff Reports

Molly Kelly, the founder of Teens for Life, will be speaking at Midland Center, Wall Avenue at Main Street, at 7 p.m. Wednesday.

Ms. Kelly gives talks to more than 20,000 teens a year.

"She uses a practical, humorous approach that captures her listeners' attention and challenges them to see the flaws in the pro-abortion mentality," says a news release from West Texans for Life.

The event will begin with a special concert by AXIS. Also speaking will be Tim Bagley, director of Teens for Life in Texas.

The rally is being sponsored by West Texans for Life. For more information call West Texans for Life in Midland, 686-7039.

Pollution includes sewage dust

MEXICO CITY (CNS) — Bad news for residents of Mexico City, the world's most polluted urban area.

As if 5 million tons of pollutants generated over the Mexican capital each year weren't enough, now the engineering school of the Mexican National Polytechnic Institute has identified what those pollutants are.

Mexico City's massive brown smog cloud consists of mercury, lead and carbon monoxide from auto emissions, ozone from the interaction of hydrocarbons and sunlight, sulfur from factories and — get this — dust from sewage by-products.

The airborne particles of sewage are being blown in from outlying garbage dumps.

Obviously, a different mind-set is necessary in a city where government officials claim the pollution is not any worse than in the past — it's just that more people are becoming conscious of it.

We prefer the warning that a Mexican company has placed on all the air purifiers it sells which says, "The next cadaver may be yours."

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Greek champion flies Daedalus 88 across sea

ATHENS, Greece (AP) — A Greek cycling champion pedaled a fragile plane 74 miles over the Aegean Sea Saturday and broke the world record for human-powered flight, but the aircraft was destroyed in a crash landing.

A gust of wind snapped the tail boom off the ultralight Daedalus 88, which crashed into the sea just 10 yards short of the landing area on the island of Santorini more than 3½ hours after leaving the island of Crete.

"It happened in the last moments of the flight and the job was done. I didn't worry about it," the athlete-pilot Kanellos Kanellopoulos told a news conference in the Greek capital. He was not injured in the crash.

"The situation in the landing area was too rough for this plane, which is built for calm conditions. I was under full control but the tail boom couldn't take the pressure," said Kanellopoulos, who also broke the records for endurance and straight-line human-powered flight.

Kanellopoulos, 31, Greek cycling champion for the past 14 years, was flown to Athens aboard an army helicopter shortly after the rough landing near the black sands of Perissa beach on the southeast face of the volcanic island also known as Thira.

The 72-pound graphite epoxy and mylar plane, designed by the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, fell after hitting a wind parallel to the beach, said MIT professor Mark Drela, who was in one of the boats following the flight.

But Drela, the senior engineer responsible for the plane's aerodynamic design, said the project was "definitely a success."

More than 500 islanders and foreign tourists gathered along the beach to watch the plane, resembling an oversized insect, glide toward the sand.

The snapped tail boom caused the plane's huge 112-foot long wings to break, dropping the pink-and-silver aircraft 10 feet into the water.

"I was underwater so I forced my way through the cockpit and dove under the plane. Then I swam to shore," the tanned, blond cyclist said.

Kanellopoulos pumped the pedals in the nose of the aircraft for 3 hours and 54 minutes to fly from Heraklion air base to Santorini.

He lifted off at 7:06 a.m. (11:06 p.m. CDT) and landed at 11:00 a.m. (3 a.m. CDT).

The flight was intended to emulate the 3,500-year-old myth of Daedalus, a Greek architect, sculptor and engineer who flapped his way across the Aegean from Crete on wings of feathers and wax. Daedalus' son, Icarus, flew too close to the sun, which melted the wax, causing him to to fall to his death.

The previous world record for human-powered flight was set by the Light Eagle, a Daedalus 88 prototype piloted by Glenn Tremml, who flew 37.2 miles around Edwards Air Base in California in January 1987.

Kanellopoulos also shattered the record for straight-line human-powered flight set in 1979 by Bryan Allen, who pedaled the Gossamer Albatross 22½ miles across the English Channel.

The third record broken was for flight duration. The previous mark was held by Allen, with a time of 2 hours, 49 minutes.



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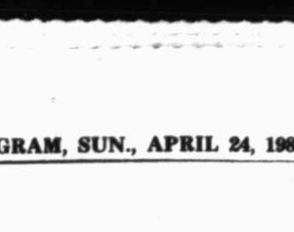
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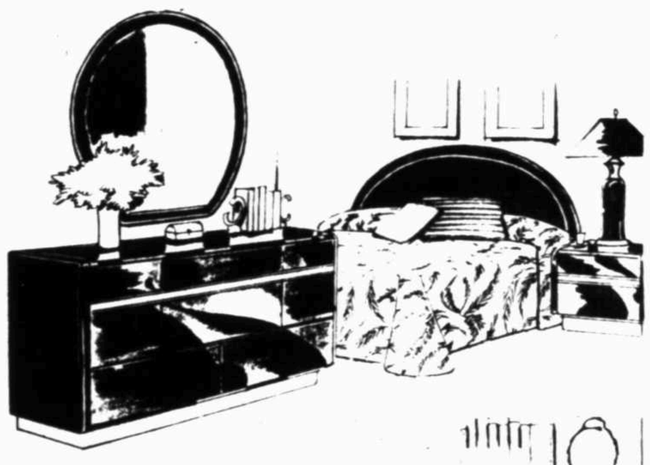
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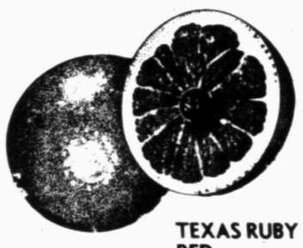
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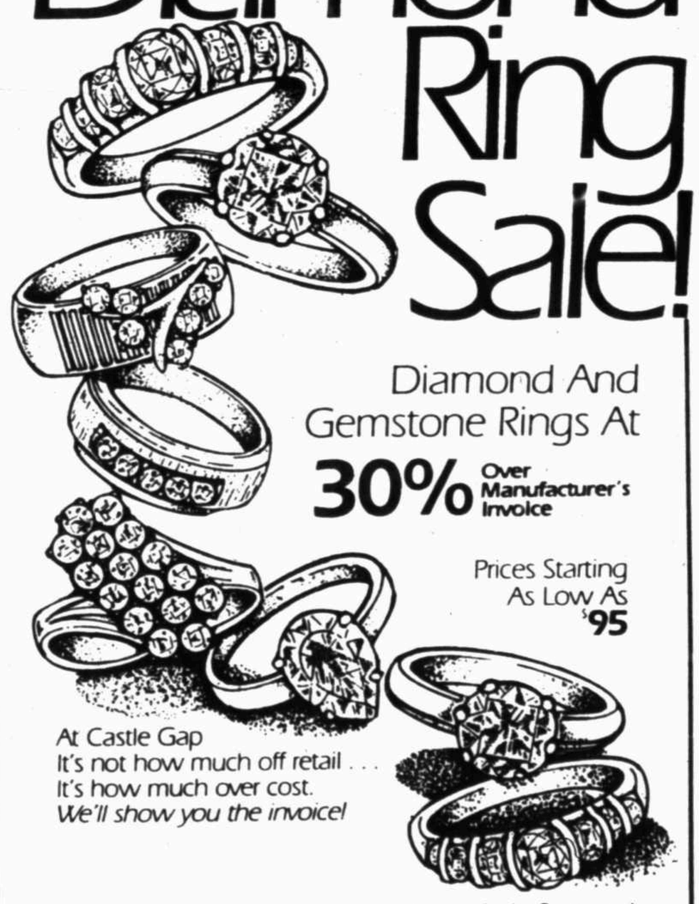


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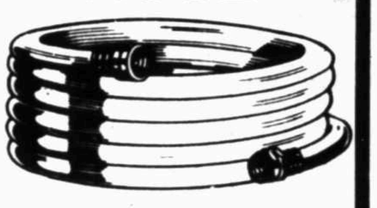
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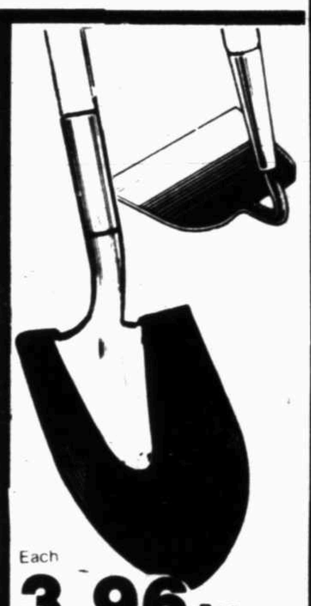
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One Palestinian killed in 'Day of Rage'

JERUSALEM (AP) — Israeli troops enforced a tight curfew Saturday on 400,000 Arabs during a "Day of Rage" ordered by Palestinian leaders. An Israeli policeman shot and killed a Palestinian man who attacked him with an ax.

The curfew, confining Palestinians in the occupied territories to their homes, was maintained for a sixth straight day following violent protests over the assassination of PLO military leader Khalil Wazir.

Two Palestinians were shot to death by Israeli troops during the protests Friday in the occupied Gaza Strip and the West Bank.

A paramilitary border policeman shot and killed a Palestinian man who attacked him with an ax during a protest in the West Bank village of Qabatiya, the army said without identifying the dead man.

Arab reports said the demonstration in the village 43 miles north of Jerusalem was to protest Wazir's slaying. The army said dozens of Palestinians participated.

In Bethlehem, some 200 youths, many masking their faces with their Arab headdresses, hurled rocks at troops in the Aida refugee camp.

An Associated Press reporter saw soldiers fire tear gas and rubber bullets at the protesters. Witnesses said a 7-year-old Arab boy was injured by rubber bullets and nine residents suffered from tear gas inhalation.

In the Gaza Strip's Maghazi refugee camp, troops arrested two Arabs after a firebomb was thrown at an army patrol, Israel radio said. No injuries were reported.

The death on Saturday brought to 172 the number of Arabs killed since the uprising began 19 weeks ago. An Israeli teen-ager and an army soldier also have perished.

Underground leaders of the Palestinian uprising had called for a "Day of Rage" in the occupied territories Saturday to mark a week since Wazir's death.

In Gaza City, burning tires filled the air with smoke. Most shops were closed in response to a call for a general strike. But vendors sold fruits, vegetables and other goods from carts on the streets.

The army curfew Saturday covered the Gaza Strip and the West Bank towns of Anabta and Nablus, population 100,000, along with 20 refugee camps in the former Jordanian territory.

The army said it would lift a four-day-old ban on travel to Israel by residents of the occupied lands on Sunday.

Israeli leaders had predicted that the uprising against Israel's 21-year occupation would falter both because of strong army action and economic strains on the Palestinians caused by repeated general strikes.

Rooftop parking lot collapses into store

BURNABY, British Columbia (AP) — A rooftop parking area collapsed Saturday during the grand opening of a grocery store, dropping automobiles and blocks of concrete onto store displays and injuring 21 people, police said.

It was not immediately known how many people were in the Save-on-Foods store when the parking area, holding about 22 autos, collapsed, but Constable Lloyd Wall of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police in Burnaby said estimates ran as high as 900. Many were elderly people being given a preview tour.

Three of the injured were admitted to hospitals, one in serious condition.

Police used cranes to remove huge blocks of concrete and cars that fell about 40 feet from the parking area to the floor of the store, in the Metrotown shopping center, Mounted Police Constable Dave Muir said.

It took several hours for searchers, who used police dogs, to get through the rubble. Officials believed everyone was accounted for, Wall said.

"We're being optimistic there won't be any deaths," said Mounted Police Sgt. Gary Schauer. "But we're still going through the rubble."

Some cars were piled on each other on the supermarket floor amid soda and produce displays, while above, other autos teetered on the edge of a hole about half the size of a football field.

"I heard a crack and I looked up and saw the center beam wobble and saw the floor from the parking garage come down so I immediately told people to get outside," said one witness, George Sanderson.

"As soon as the first crack came (in the beam), they started getting people out," Heppell said.

The collapse was preceded by the sound of a buckling beam and spray from a bursting water pipe, officials said. There were three warnings over the store's loudspeaker system to clear the area.

Clarence Heppell, president of Overwaitea Foods, which operates the store chain, said a structural failure caused the cave-in.

Eight people were taken to a hospital by ambulance, and others went to emergency wards on their own.

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Reagan warns Iran attacks will be costly

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan warned Iran's leaders Saturday that continued attacks on neutral countries and refusal to negotiate an end to the Persian Gulf war "will be very costly to Iran and its people."

The president, in his weekly radio address delivered from Camp David, Md., said, "We do not seek to confront Iran."

But, he said, Iran's "leaders must understand that continued military and terrorist attacks against non-belligerents and refusal to negotiate an end to the war will be very costly to Iran and its people."

Reagan's tough comments came a day after administration officials let it be known that under a new policy, the United States will allow American warships to assist neutral vessels under attack in the gulf.

The United States, while remaining officially neutral in the 7½-year-old Iran-Iraq war, has guarded American-flagged Kuwaiti tankers from attack since last summer.

But the escort policy was expanded to allow U.S. warships to aid neutral merchant ships under attack after the U.S. frigate Roberts struck a mine in the gulf on April 14. Under the old rules, which permitted retaliation only for attacks on American-flagged ships, U.S. forces retaliated last Monday, sinking or crippling six Iranian vessels that challenged them after the Americans destroyed two offshore platforms.

"The actions that our forces took in the gulf were a measured response to Iran's resumption of mine laying and continued aggression against non-belligerents," the president said.

"We have completed these self-defense actions and consider this incident closed.".

In a statement on the gulf Saturday, Rep. Les Aspin, D-Wis., chairman of the House Armed Services Committee, said the United States must face the issue of whether an intelligence failure was involved in the Iranian mine-laying incident.

"Iran's minelayers have clearly found a large hole in our procedures — a hole large enough to drive at least two minefields through," he said. "We have to assume, for planning purposes, that more minefields have already been laid, and we also have to assume that more minefields will now be laid."

Aspin had said earlier that he suspected the mines were not laid on orders from the Tehran government, but by revolutionary malcontents. "Regardless of who in Iran ordered the minelaying, we are back to a state of confrontation," he said Saturday.

Democrats hammer Reagan on trade bill

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Democratic presidential candidates Michael Dukakis and Jesse Jackson called on President Reagan Saturday to reconsider his threat to veto a trade bill that includes a provision requiring companies to give advance notice before closing plants.

Debating for the second night in a row, Dukakis and Jackson continued their kid-glove competition for their party's presidential nomination, steadfastly avoiding strong criticism of each other.

Even when pressed to cite differences, the two candidates lapsed into familiar campaign rhetoric that hardly qualified as political attacks.

Jackson cited his proposals for specific budget figures to deal with national problems, while Dukakis cited his experience as governor of Massachusetts.

"I have put the numbers together to pay for my dreams," said Jackson. "I take the heat, but I am consistent."

"I don't just talk about jobs," said Dukakis. "I've helped to create and save hundreds of thousands of jobs."

After the debate, Jackson said Dukakis "did not answer the question of the budget...I know it's good to project for a national health care plan, which I support. But it will cost."

Dukakis appeared in the debate press room after Jackson and responded to the former civil rights actvist's criticism by saying, "I've already made many commitments in dollars...I know what it's like to walk into a deficit...The president of the United States had better be somebody who knows how to mop up red ink."

The candidates were given some of the questions in advance of the forum, which concentrated on the problems of the steel industry.

"The point Jesse is making is a very sound one," Dukakis said during a discussion on education. It was typical of the interchange between the two candidates.



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Jesse Jackson, left, and Michael Dukakis share a light moment during their first one-on-one debate Friday in Philadelphia.

Asked what promises the candidates would make to the economically distressed residents of Western Pennsylvania, Dukakis said: "I hope the president will sign the new trade bill."

Jackson joined in that plea and also said, "We cannot allow slave or repressed labor to undercut organized labor...So long as there is slave labor among the coal miners and steelworkers in South Africa, slave labor will undercut organized labor."

Reagan has cited the plant-closing provision as one of his principal objections to the legislation.

Jackson also called for creation of an American investment bank to finance projects to repair the nation's infrastructure. "A bridge closes in America every other day," he said.

Earlier in the day, at a stop in Bethlehem, Pa., Dukakis said he was unsure of whether Jackson has any interest in a No. 2 spot on the Democratic ticket, a subject which came up at the Friday night debate.

"I asked him if he were interested but he didn't tell me," Dukakis said.

The two rivals began the day campaigning at opposite ends of the state — Dukakis in the east and Jackson in the west.

Campaigning on the Philadelphia waterfront, Dukakis said, "It's important that we run a strong and positive campaign. I don't think the American people are interested in what I think of Jesse Jackson or what he thinks of me.

"They want to know what kind of leadership we're going to provide for this country."

Jackson campaigned by boat, stopping for rallies along the Monongahela River which runs through Pittsburgh.

After his strong showing in the New York primary on April 19, Dukakis was heavily favored to take another jump toward the nomination when Pennsylvania Democrats vote on Tuesday. At stake in Pennsylvania were 178 Democratic delegates.

Pre-primary polls gave Dukakis a big lead among Pennsylvania Democrats, and he was favored to win the two key contests on Tuesday — the presidential preference beauty contest vote and the separate election of convention delegates.

The Philadelphia Inquirer and the Centre Daily Times in State College endorsed Dukakis in their Sunday editions. Friday, Dukakis got the endorsement of the Pittsburgh Post-Gazette, while Jackson received the support of The Philadelphia Daily News. Many other newspapers in the state do not plan to endorse a candidate before the primary.

Abu Jihad killed because of links to planned attacks, magazine says

WASHINGTON (AP) — Israel had the Palestine Liberation Organization's No. 2 leader assassinated last week because he planned new terrorist attacks on Israel and its allies, including the United States, a magazine reported Saturday.

U.S. News & World Report, quoting Jerusalem sources in its May 2 edition, says the decision to assassinate Khalil al-Wazir, also known as Abu Jihad, despite known risks, was based on more than his alleged involvement in a recent bus hijacking by the PLO that resulted in three Israeli deaths.

Quoting Israeli intelligence reports, the magazine says: "Abu Jihad was said to have struck deals with Libya's Moammar Gadhafi and various East European intelligence agencies to restore the sophisticated PLO terrorist and combat capability that Israel had destroyed in the invasion of Lebanon.

"The PLO would then launch a major new series of terrorist attacks against Israel itself and Israeli interests and supporters in other countries, including the United States," the magazine says.

U.S. News says some foreign security specialists doubt key aspects of the Israeli version of the story and Jerusalem's reasons for revealing it.

The magazine quotes one Western official as saying: "It has self-serving aspects, involves a strange bunch of bedfellows and doesn't make sense for the PLO at this time."

Workers find 3 more victims of explosion

JOLIET, Ill. (AP) — Rescue workers searching through the rubble of a grain elevator Saturday found the bodies of the last of five people killed in an explosion a day earlier, police said.

Three bodies were discovered within half an hour of each other late Saturday afternoon by rescue workers digging through debris, corn and soybeans in the basement of the elevator, said police detective Alan Horvath.

"There were five people unaccounted for and we have recovered all five," said Joliet Police Captain James Grace.

The three victims apparently had been in an office area of the elevator when it exploded and were found under "a whole roomful of grain," Grace said. He said police had no positive identifications on the three.

Authorities at first believed another person had been blown into the river from a barge by the force of the explosion, but Grace said they no longer believe that report.

He added, however, that rescue workers are continuing their search in the area "just as a precaution."

Two bodies were recovered Friday after the two explosions flattened four silos and an office building at the ADM Growmark granary, about 40 miles southwest of Chicago.

"This is just one of those tragic things that should never happen," said Dan Stewart, whose 20-year-old son, Mark, was killed in Friday's explosions.

"He was a good son, and I loved him," said Stewart, a farmer from Anchor, Ill., whose son had been a trainee at the site as part of a program at Joliet Junior College.

The tragedy was especially horrifying for the family of Dale Brent Slatton, 28, of Newark, Ill., whose younger brother was killed in a car accident 10 months ago.

"It's totally devastating to have three sons and to lose two," said the victim's mother, Carol. "To lose any is a tragedy...Now, this is something we have to go through again."

After toiling overnight, workers using bulldozers and cranes had cleared about 50 percent of the debris strewn over the site by the explosions, said an official at the Joliet Police command post at the site who would not identify himself.

Divers searched Friday for the man thrown into the river, but found only a gnarled life jacket.

Winds and choppy water postponed the divers' search Saturday, and several boats resumed dragging the river for the body instead, the police official said.

Authorities suspect grain dust may have caused the first explosion, which apparently ruptured a natural gas main about 11 a.m. and touched off a second blast moments later, said Joliet Fire Chief George Piese.

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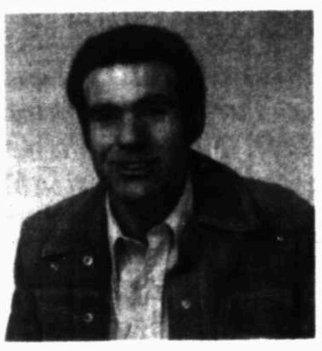
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Agency wallowed in excess, report says

WASHINGTON (AP) — Officials of a federal agency created to sell property from insolvent savings institutions traveled in high style and awarded no-bid contracts to former business associates — all while receiving six-figure salaries and bonuses, a congressional report charges.

The House Banking Committee found the Federal Asset Disposition Association, based in San Francisco, "to be an organization out of control" that had "mushroomed into a bloated bureaucracy."

Among the potential conflicts and abuses alleged in the report:

— The owners of an executive search firm that recommended former FADA president Roslyn Payne for her job later received $650,000 in contracts from FADA through another firm that they owned.

— Ms. Payne charged the agency for the personal travel of herself and her husband and double-billed for some travel expenses.

— Robert Axley, former chief legal counsel of the agency, ran up a hotel bill of $1,200 including laundry, at a hotel in San Francisco, even though he lived in the city.

Neither Ms. Payne nor Axley had a published home telephone listing in the San Francisco area, and calls to their former office went unanswered Saturday. However, The Washington Post quoted Ms. Payne as calling the report's allegations "outrageous."

House Banking Chairman Fernand J. St Germain, in a statement accompanying the report, published Friday in the Congressional Record, called for FADA to be abolished "as soon as possible" and its duties reabsorbed by the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corp.

"We haven't the time to wait...to rework the unworkable," St Germain said.

Gerald Carmen, who took over as FADA chief executive in February, said in an interview Friday that he is taking about six months to consider whether the agency should continue in its present structure. However, in the meantime, he promised, "problems that are real and exist, we're going to fix."

The purpose of FADA, created by the Federal Home Loan Bank Board, which regulates 3,147 federally insured S&Ls, is to bring in money for FSLIC, the financially-strapped fund that guarantees S&L deposits up to $100,000.

Instead, the report — the result of a seven-month investigation — said:

— "FADA...has not been, and in all likelihood could never be, a cost-effective solution."

— It has evolved into a bureaucracy "outside all prudent checks and balances."

— "Quality performance was nearly nonexistent."

— FADA employees awarded "sole-source contracts...to former business associates" and still "maintain active interest in real estate investment and development firms, and ties to the savings and loan industry that would not be appropriate for government employees."

— FSLIC "employees and contractors (who criticized the agency) often felt threatened and intimidated."

— "Meanwhile, FADA officials lived first class and received excessive salaries and bonuses — all at the expense of FSLIC."

FADA, according to the report, has more than $5 billion worth of assets — loans and real estate — in its care, yet had managed by the end of 1987 to sell only $124 million of the property.

The report said it was "difficult to determine" how much money FADA has wasted, but it said the agency has directly charged $20 million from receiverships of failed S&Ls and passed on $51 million more in charges from subcontractors. Despite that revenue, the agency has lost $15 million through the end of last year, the report said.

Since its creation in late 1985, FADA has spent $22 million on a staff that has grown to more than 380, $3 million of that for the 1987 salaries of its 32 top officials, the report said.

Ms. Payne, the former FADA chief executive officer, received $325,000 in salaries and bonuses in 1986, a third more than the salary of the president of the United States, the report noted.

FADA has spent $1.8 million on travel — over and above travel to manage assets in its care — including hotel rooms at more than $200 a night, the House committee said.

Included in that is an August 1987 bill from Axley for "$1,200 for charges at a luxurious San Francisco hotel, including laundry bills, although he lived in San Francisco," the report said.

It said that Ms. Payne used her FADA credit card to buy airplane tickets for herself and her husband and included the charge on her expense form, although FADA accountants refused to pay the bill.

Between January and May 1987, Ms. Payne received $800 through double-reporting expenses and did not repay the money until the overpayment was pointed out by congressional investigators, the report said.

Also cited as a "potential conflict of interest" were the $650,000 in payments to the San Diego-based ConAm Corp., an asset management firm owned by Lester Korn and Richard Ferry.

They also own Korn-Ferry International, an executive search firm that was paid $125,000 to come up with a list of candidates for FADA president. The list included Ms. Payne.

Bakker offers to help save PTL from debts

FORT MILL, S.C. (AP) — Jim Bakker renewed his call Saturday to be allowed to return to PTL to help erase its debts, but ministry officials blamed the former television evangelist for the revocation of its tax-exempt status and other financial problems.

The Internal Revenue Service revoked PTL's exemption Friday and said contributions to the organization were no longer tax deductible.

The IRS said Jim and Tammy Faye Bakker and their aides profited excessively from donations to the ministry. The agency also said much of PTL's Heritage USA theme park in Fort Mill was commercial rather than ministerial.

Bakker, in a telephone call to The Associated Press from his home in Palm Springs, Calif., acknowledged that he made mistakes, but he denied taking excessive profits and said contributions he convinced people to send built PTL's evangelical empire.

"It's typical of the IRS. They throw everything at you but the kitchen sink and then ask you to sort it out with documents and vouchers and receipts and defend yourself," Bakker said.

Bakker said PTL faces liquidation, so its current leadership should give him another chance.

"Now that it's reached the end of the line and will be broken up, what do they have to lose?" Bakker said.

Bakker resigned as leader of the ministry in March 1987 in the midst of a scandal over his sexual encounter with former church secretary Jessica Hahn in 1980.

PTL trustee David Clark has said he has no intention of letting Bakker return.

Ministry officials probably will announce on Monday's "PTL Club" television show their response to the IRS action, PTL attorney Bradford Leggett said.

If PTL appeals, contributions by individuals would be deductible up to $1,000 until the appeal is decided, the IRS said.

"This ruling could have an impact on contributions if people don't keep their focus on the fact that what we are dealing with here is a legacy that was left by the Bakkers," Leggett said.

Quakers who spoke out against slavery in 1688 honored

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — The memory of an anti-slavery protest by Quakers 300 years ago should stir consciences against modern-day injustices, a group that marked the event was told Saturday.

"I think the real question that we should be asking ourselves today, especially those of us who are white, is how in the name of God could it be that it has taken us 300 years to get rid of racism and we still haven't done it," Stephen Cary, chairman of the American Friends Service Committee, said.

"The only thing that I can think of that's encouraging is that for the past 35 years, we've been gaining on it."

Cary spoke to about 300 people at a vacant lot in the city's Germantown section, which was the site of a house where where Francis Daniel Pastorius and three other Dutch Quakers in 1688 drafted one of the earliest recorded protests against slavery, according to The Germantown Protest, the organization that sponsored the gathering.

The statement was forwarded to larger Quaker assemblies, which tabled it. It was not until 1776 that Quakers, who became leaders of the abolition movement, forbade slaveholding by their members. In 1780, Pennsylvania became the first state to pass a law phasing out slavery.

One speaker told the audience that the German and Dutch Quakers who authored the statement saw only the beginnings of a rigid form of slavery.

"We think of their protest as a protest against something that was in place. It was not,," said Stephanie Wolf, president of the Germantown Historical Society and a history professor at the University of Pennsylvania

"It was a brave and courageous thing in a new land with a new language for them to do."

The organizers of the commemoration drew up a petition called "1988 Germantown Protest," which said, "Our Germantown forbears would have us stand today with the homeless, the hungry, the unemployed and the neglected."

Robert Simpkins, a retired tax assessor, said the need for protests still existed.

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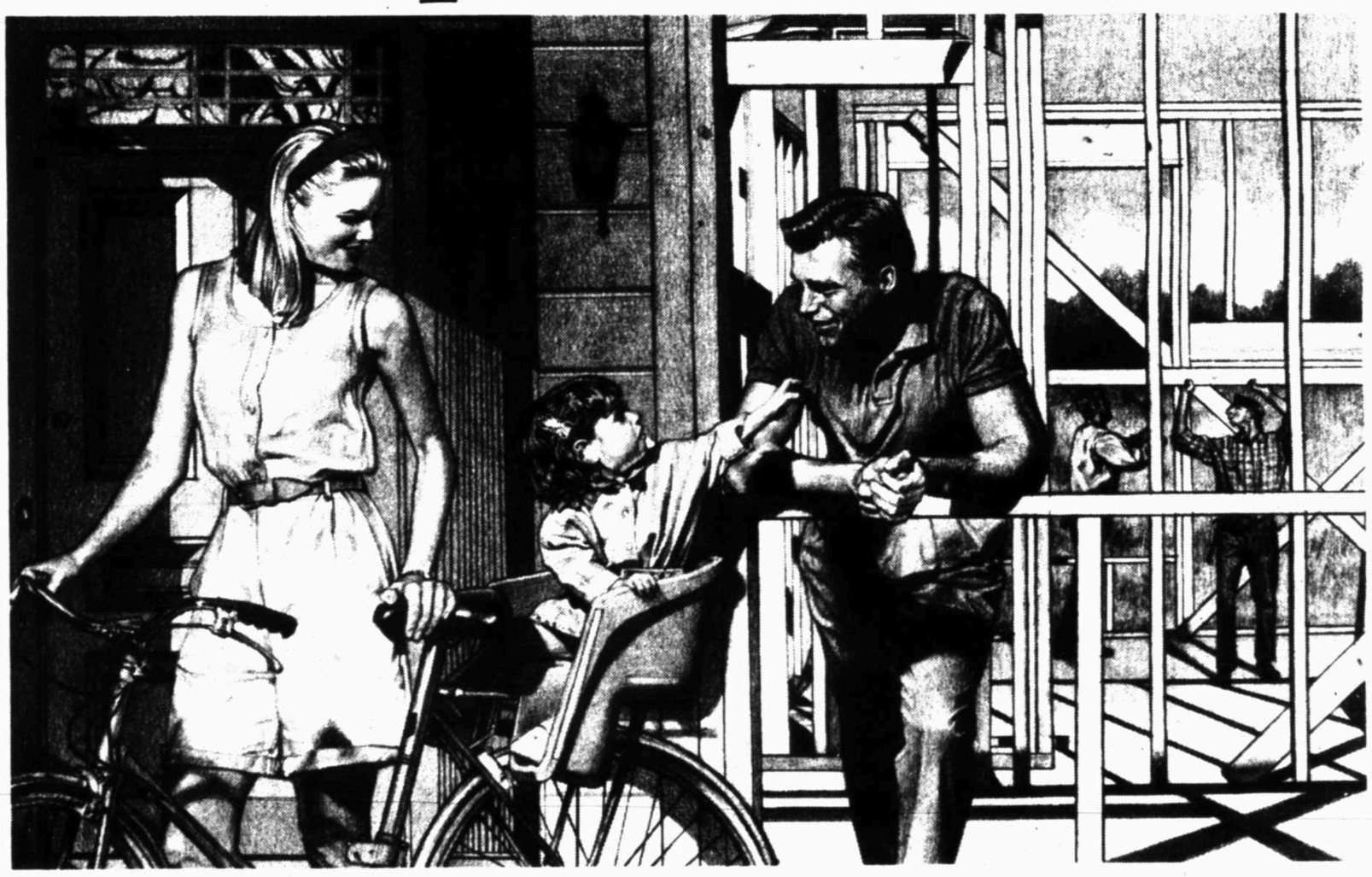
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Columbia radicals recall revolutionary 'days of rage'

By KILEY ARMSTRONG

NEW YORK (AP) — They are more subdued and thoughtful now, their hair shorter and their waists larger. But 20 years after they shut down Columbia University, these soulmates of the revolution remember those heady days with pride.

"The moment we had there — the power we felt, the experience of turning defeat into victory — has to be recovered," historian Mark Naison told his classmates, gathered once more at the Morningside Heights campus for a weekend reunion.

At panel discussions, a picnic and a party, these veterans of the campus uprising recalled how about 1,000 people, mostly students, barricaded themselves inside five campus buildings for the week of April 23, 1968.

The protest closed the college and drew international attention to their opposition to racism, the Vietnam War and the status quo in general.

Acting Columbia College Dean Henry Coleman was held hostage. Professor Orest Ranum lost a decade's research when a protester torched his files. Protesters Andrea and Richard Egan were married in occupied Fayerweather Hall by Episcopal chaplain William Starr, who crawled in through the window.

After a week, Columbia officials called in the police to clear the buildings. Nearly 700 people were arrested in brawls between police and protesters, and 103 people were injured, 85 of them students or teachers.

A student strike ensued, and a month later students again occupied a college building to protest the discipline of protest leaders; again the police moved in, this time with 68 arrests and 177 injuries.

"This reunion is an example of what the university has always provided — a forum for the open discussion of ideas," said Columbia spokesman Fred Knubel. "Reunions can be useful. Looking back almost always helps us look ahead."

Several hundred alumni milled around Earl Hall Saturday, wearing bright orange tags that listed the buildings they had occupied.

"This is not the 'me generation,'" said Tom Hurwitz of Manhattan, a free-lance cinematographer. "Everybody here and everyone I know is a trace of the good things."

Hurwitz recalled "the incredible unity, a kind of physical feeling. It was a triumph of morality in a way that morality has rarely triumphed since."

On Saturday, rain forced the picnic inside, after which more than 500 people listened to a panel of former campus activists discuss how their lives had been changed by the turbulent era.

Then everyone adjourned for Chinese food and a party, with dancing to rock 'n' roll, both old and new.

"There's an atmosphere of great camaraderie, people talking about what they're doing now. It's a general good feeling," said Eric Foner, one of the event's organizers and a graduate student in 1968.

Dave Crebs, who attended Columbia in the 1970s, said the informal conversations after the panel discussion were most interesting.

"It's sort of sweet, like people around the campfire," said Crebs, 33, who lives in Boston. "When I was deciding on college, people told me, 'Don't go to Columbia, they go on strike there.' And now it turns out all these are all well-meaning, kind folks who had the best interest of the rest of us at heart."

Friday night, the bluejeans were teamed with a few ties and sports jackets, a few paunches, and plenty of smiles and embraces as former soulmates greeted one another at a campus auditorium.

Buzzwords like "the perversion of capitalism" surfaced now and then. Someone in the balcony unfurled a banner that read, "Smash U.S. Imperialist Revolution!"

"Up against the wall!" hollered members of the audience, invoking the once-familiar phrase to request that a podium be moved away from the movie screen.



Three women embrace during a memorial service held in Bridgeport, Conn., Saturday near the site of a partially completed apartment building which collapsed April 23, 1987, killing 28 construction workers.

AP Laserphoto

Church bells toll 28 times to recall workers killed in building's collapse

BRIDGEPORT, Conn. (AP) — Church bells tolled 28 times as hundreds of people gathered Saturday for a service in memory of the construction workers killed a year ago in the collapse of an apartment building.

"Look over your shoulders and remember the frailty of our humanity and the eternalness of our spirit," Monsignor William Scheyd, pastor of St. Augustine Cathedral, said just before the ceremony broke up early during a sudden downpour.

Scheyd spoke in Wheeler Park, which houses a monument to the 28 men killed in the L'Ambiance Plaza apartment building. The accident site is visible from the park, which is adjacent to City Hall.

Clergymen prayed and read each victim's name, and black-attired survivors of the victims huddled with politicians in dark suits and construction workers in jeans as the skies darkened.

As the cold rain got heavier, the small group of politicians standing under a covered platform who were scheduled to talk chose to end the ceremony early, before a moment of silence planned for 1:36 p.m., the minute that the building collapsed on April 23, 1987.

"There was something very symbolic here...that we were covered and they (families and rescue volunteers) weren't," said U.S. Rep. Christopher Shays.

As the crowd quickly broke up, a lone construction worker in jeans and a green hard hat lingered in the heavy rain, then turned and walked slowly away, the last to leave.

Shortly after the ceremony, there were no mourners at the site. But two sprays of fresh red, white and pink carnations adorned the fence and a twisted blue sign with the name of the project still lay on the ground.

The memorial service began earlier at St. Augustine's, where clergymen encouraged survivors to reach out to each other and remember the outpouring of generosity from people around the world. They also noted that there had been two births and one adoption in victims' families in the past year.

Warhol's fame lasting longer than 15 minutes

NEW YORK (AP) — Enthusiastic bidders ran up prices Saturday at the opening of a 10-day auction of Andy Warhol's personal collection, paying more than $5 million for the art deco and art nouveau items that went on the block first.

"It's amazing the prices people are paying — some are going for 10 times the amount estimated," said Sotheby's spokesman Matthew Weigman.

More than 10,000 items, from paintings, rare art deco furniture, watches and clocks and photographs of Marilyn Monroe are being put on the auction block in one of the most extensive sales ever held by Sotheby's in New York.

Pieces auctioned Saturday included art nouveau and art deco furniture, jewelry, lamps and household items.

The two sessions fetched a total of $5,314,347, more than twice what Sotheby's expected, said Diana Levitt, a spokeswoman for Sotheby's auction house.

"It was a wonderful day," said Levitt, who said the sky-high prices were attributable "to some degree (to) the Warhol factor, but to a great degree the quality and rarity of the objects."

Proceeds will benefit the Andy Warhol Foundation for the Visual Arts, which will support and award grants to cultural institutions in the United States and abroad.

The highest bid was $275,000 by an anonymous private collector for a wood center table by Charles Rennie Mackintosh, made about 1902. Sotheby's expected the table to sell for $30,000 to $50,000.

The collection includes more than 60 works, including paintings by Jasper Johns, Roy Lichtenstein, James Rosenquist and Cy Twombly. Before Saturday's bidding, Sotheby's had expected the collection to sell for $10 to $15 million.

The crowd, estimated by Sotheby's at 2,200, seemed as eclectic as the collection. Some came to buy specific items and others came to buy something connected with Andy Warhol.

One man, Alan Dolleck, came to buy something for himself but was disappointed: "The prices are outrageous; they went out of sight. It's not worth it."

Most of the people actually buying were dealers looking for rare items.

"I came to buy some of the art deco vases because it is very difficult to get them in Europe, but they are too expensive here," said Vincenzo Geddes da Filicaia, an antique dealer from Italy.

"I could get them cheaper elsewhere, but it is because of the Andy Warhol name that I cannot afford them."

Warhol fans merely wanted something connected with the famed pop artist, who died last year.

NATION IN BRIEF

Woman charged in son's death sought fertility aid

NEW YORK (AP) — A woman charged with second-degree murder for drowning her colicky 2-month-old son had run up about $20,000 in medical bills to correct an infertility problem before she conceived the child, her attorney says.

Lucrezia Gentile was having trouble becoming pregnant and went to a doctor who gave her a federally unapproved fertility drug, said the attorney, John DePaola.

Mrs. Gentile, 36, later had an operation to correct the problem and became pregnant last year, he said Friday. He said her medical bills exceeded $20,000.

"She conceived, but it was a difficult pregnancy and a difficult delivery, by Caesarean section," he said.

Child abuse experts see Mrs. Gentile as a victim, too — a prisoner of post-birth depression who received no help in handling her problems.

"What's mind-boggling to me is the friends, family and neighbors of this woman didn't see what was happening to this mother," said Dr. Vincent J. Fontana, chairman of Mayor's Task Force on Child Abuse and Neglect.

Gander takes shine to cow

GREENEVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — George is a gander in love, but the object of his affection is indifferent to his attentions and might not even notice if she stepped on him.

George, a Canada goose, is hung up on a black cow named Gracie in an odd-couple courtship rivaling that of Jessica the cow and her moose.

Farmer Al Jones first noticed the peculiar relationship during the goose mating season last year.

"There at the first last spring, I just figured old George had been out in the spring sun too long. I couldn't help but notice how he would follow the cow everywhere she went," Jones said. "He even started sleeping with her."

George eventually came to his senses, but when he started up again earlier this spring Jones told his wife and daughter about the bird's bizarre love life.

Eight rescued from canoe

SAN DIEGO (AP) — Eight Kiribati islanders adrift in a canoe for 29 days were rescued by an American tuna boat in the western Pacific, but the survivors said a woman and child died during the ordeal, according to a fishing industry official.

Friday's rescue occurred some 1,100 miles from Kiribati, an island nation once known as the Gilbert Islands, said August Felando, president of the San Diego-based American Tuna Boat Association.

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DALLAS (AP) — The air on commercial flights in Texas turned sweet Saturday as passengers relied on candy for cigarettes because of a federal law that bans smoking on a flights of less than two hours.

Passengers applauded the new restriction at a Southwest Airlines gate in Dallas, while Continental Airlines passed out nicotine gum in Houston.

The federal ban on smoking on domestic flights of less than two hours went into effect at 11:01 a.m. CDT Saturday, affecting some 13,600 flights a day or about 80 percent of all domestic flights.

There were no early reports of violations, which could bring a fine of up to $1,000. Tampering with a lavatory smoke alarm in order to sneak a smoke could bring a $2,000 fine.

"They started applauding, just on the first flight this morning," said Stuart Logan, a Southwest Airlines boarding agent. "The other four flights I've worked have been very calm."

Continental Airlines spokesman Ned Walker said: "For us, it's been a very smooth transition. At our hubs in Denver, Newark and Houston, we passed out Ban Smoke gum. We have about 430,000 pieces to give away."

All of Southwest Airline's flights from Dallas' Love Field are less than two hours long, so the company's hub became smokeless Saturday.

"I don't like the closeness of the smoke on airplanes," said Hubert Schmidt, a Midland teacher who smoked as he waited for his flight home. "This won't affect me. I've really liked the cleaner air in the no-smoking area."

The restriction almost caught Southwest boarding agent Melinda Taylor off guard.

"I nearly forgot to warn passengers about it on my first flight today," Ms. Taylor said. "You get so used to what you have to say (on boarding announcements) and then it changed."

Southwest passenger Renee Hinson, in Dallas on a layover from Albuquerque to Oklahoma City, said she was surprised to hear she couldn't smoke on the plane.



AP Laserphoto

Sweden's King Carl XVI Gustaf and Queen Silvia arrive at the Mesquite Rodeo Arena in Mesquite Friday for a Texas-style rodeo and barbecue. Queen Silvia is wearing a hat presented to her earlier Friday.

Swedish royal couple continues tour of Texas

HOUSTON (AP) — Sweden's King Carl XVI Gustaf and Queen Silvia toured the Texas Medical Center Saturday as part of a day and evening of activities that included a grand opera ball.

In brief remarks to a conference on biotechnology of the brain, the king praised medical advances in the field and the benefits they will bring society.

"The new therapies that will emerge will not only benefit the disabled patient, but offer preventive methods for the future," the king said. "The achievement of these goals will require cooperation between the government and industry."

Earlier, during a presentation to the royal couple at the Baylor College of Medicine, noted heart surgeon Dr. Michael DeBakey praised the Swedish health care system.

"The health of the people is a number one priority in any country," DeBakey said. "That is something that should be emulated (elsewhere) as it has been standardized in Sweden."

Also during the visit, Dr. Buford Nichols, director of the Children's Nutrition Research Center at Baylor, gave a presentation about research in childhood nutrition.

Afterward, when asked if they had questions, the queen noted that many Americans appeared overweight.

"We share your concern, we have a number of people who have developed obesity," Dr. Nichols said. "It is a major problem on a medical basis."

Later Saturday, the couple attended a luncheon that included representatives of Swedish-American groups, and an afternoon reception at a Houston country club.

During the evening, the royal couple was to attend an operatic concert at the Wortham Lyric Center featuring Swedish soprano Birget Nilsson and four other Swedish opera stars, followed by dancing at the Houston Grand Opera Ball.

The monarchs began their national tour April 10 in Washington, and arrived in Houston after visiting Atlanta and Dallas.

Program aiding migrant students to be expanded

AUSTIN (AP) — A program by the University of Texas at Austin to keep migrant students in school is being refined so more than twice as many youths can be served next year, the university said.

The Dropout Prevention Program targeted about 300 high-risk students in 20 school districts in 1987-88, said Shirley Crook, special projects coordinator for the extension instruction and materials center in the university's division of continuing education.

Next school year, as many as 700 students in hundreds of districts could be served, Ms. Crook said Friday.

The program, which receives $152,000 from the Texas Education Agency, is designed to help Texas migrant students who cannot attend a single school on a regular basis because they must follow planting and harvest seasons.

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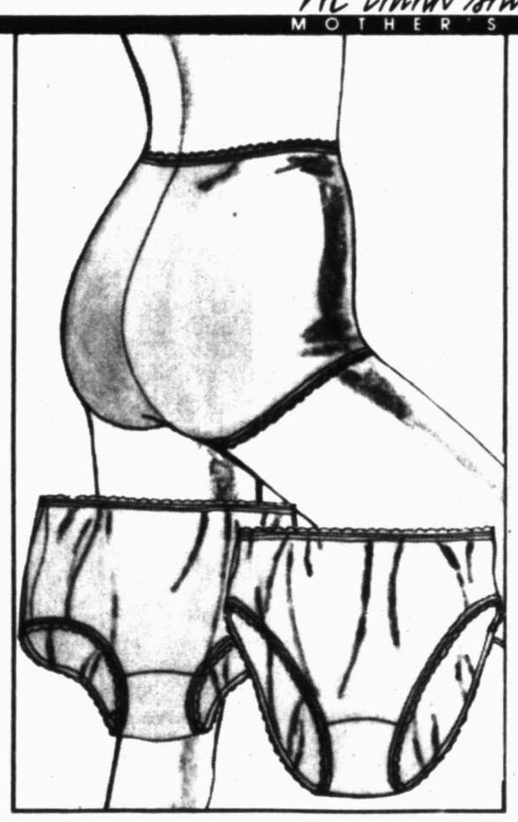
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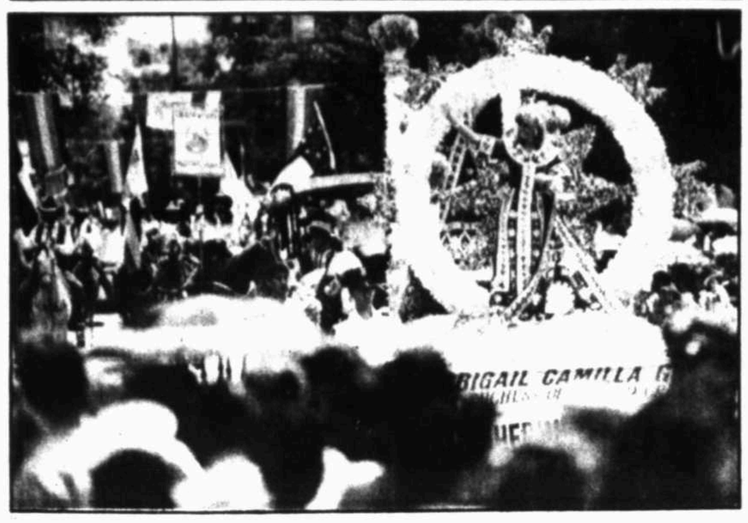


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Abigail Camilla Guenther, the Dutchess of Glazed Ornament, appears on one of the floats in the 98th Battle of Flowers parade Friday. The parade is one of the last events of San Antonio's annual Fiesta.

Lady Bird blooms as fiesta's grand marshal

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Lady Bird Johnson, seeing her first Battle of Flowers parade in 12 years, served as grand marshal of the annual fiesta.

She boarded the rumble seat of a 1933 Duesenberg for the first time in more than 50 years Friday.

"I guess the last time I was in a rumble seat would have been when I was at the University of Texas, from 1930 to 1934," she said before the car cruised down the parade route.

The annual parade, featuring hundreds of floats decorated with real and artificial flowers, is one of the final events of the more than week-long downtown celebration.

More than 200 entries in the Fiesta '88 parade kept a crowd of 350,000 entertained for two hours. Many businesses shut down and employees, as well as schoolchildren, were given the day off for the festivities.

Spectators rushed to greet the 75-year-old former first lady. She is the widow of President Lyndon B. Johnson.

Most of the flowers adorning the tan-and-brown Duesenberg she rode were silk.

Mrs. Johnson is known for her love of wild flowers and involvement in beautification and preservation programs.

Another celebrity to join the route was a costumed stand-in of Shamu the Killer Whale, the mascot of Sea World, which has opened a theme park in the city.

Shamu was featured with the U.S. Marine Corps band on a float decorated as a pirate ship.

Parade-goers stood in temperatures in the low 90s. Authorities reported at least 68 calls for aid from people suffering from heat exhaustion.

Prancing palominos, high school drill teams and Fiesta royalty, including queens shimmering in sequined gowns, were also involved in the parade.

The Fiesta Flambeau Rey Feo Parade followed Friday night, featuring His Highness El Rey Feo, or "ugly king".

The 10-day celebration ends today with a celebration at Hemisfair Plaza, site of the 1968 World's Fair, a day-long volleyball tournament and a fair at the historical Old King William District.

White DISD board member seeks desegregation vote

DALLAS (AP) — One of five white school board members wants the panel to vote on whether to seek an end to the district's 17-year-old desegregation lawsuit in a move that stunned minority board members.

Leonard Clegg said Thursday he will introduce a motion this week calling on U.S. District Judge Barefoot Sanders to end the court's supervision of the Dallas Independent School District.

Minority board members expressed outrage at Clegg's recommendation.

"It's inappropriate. It's in poor taste," said Kathlyn Gilliam, one of three blacks on the board. "It's not respecting the process we established."

Edward Cloutman, an attorney for parents and children who filed the lawsuit in 1970, said Clegg's motion could add to racial tensions in Dallas.

"My general feeling is this time in this community is not a good time for such a motion because the tensions are higher than they have been in a while between the black community and institutions — the city in particular, but the school district, too," Cloutman said.

Three of Clegg's white colleagues — Richard Curry, Howard Driggers and Betty Vondracek — said they would support his motion.

Jamail smashes opponent into concrete wall

HOUSTON (AP) — Attorney Joe Jamail, known for his tough legal battles, took his reputation into a courthouse hallway, smashing an opponent half his age out of an interview and into a cement wall.

Authorities said Jamail, 62, slammed defense attorney Michael Goldberg's head against a concrete backdrop with a jab to the jaw minutes Friday after a jury delivered a verdict in a case the two had been fighting.

Jamail called his adversary a "sleazebag" and struck him as the 31-year-old Goldberg answered reporters' questions about a $16.6 million judgment in a case. The suit involved a 1984 accident concerning a three-wheeled Honda all-terrain vehicle.

Jamail represented Sonya Renee Webster, 20, of Houston, who was rendered a paraplegic by the accident. Goldberg represented the family of William Lipsey, who was driving the ATV when it flipped, and who was found liable for 5 percent of the damages, or $830,000.

Honda and affiliated companies were found 95 percent liable, for $15.8 million, for designing and marketing a dangerous vehicle.

Because of a pretrial agreement between Honda and the injured woman, it's unclear how much Honda will have to pay. That pact, made public at the trial's end, called for Honda to pay Webster $7.5 million, regardless of any verdict against Honda. They would split any damages won from Lipsey or his mother.

Goldberg claimed Jamail was bitter because that agreement backfired. He said Jamail and Honda unsuccessfully worked together to place blame for the crash on the Lipseys.

"He could have gotten $16 million if he had waited for the verdict," Goldberg said. "Instead, he got $7 or $8 million, tops."

But Jamail said that Webster will be well cared for, and Honda was ruled to be in the wrong. Plus, he said, state District Judge Sharolyn Wood will not decide the final dollar awards until an April 29 hearing.

Jamail has built his reputation with a 35-year string of trial victories, including his $10.5 billion jury verdict for Pennzoil Co. against Texaco Inc., recently settled for $3 billion.

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Teachers star in classes beamed to rural school districts via satellite

By DAVID SEDEN

BEN BOLT (AP) — Joel Jimenez has learned a great deal from his Spanish II teacher Susan Altgelt, but the Ben Bolt-Palito Blanco High School student never has met her.

Mrs. Altgelt is part of the TI-IN Network, a San Antonio-based telecommunications network comprised of instructors whose lessons are beamed via satellite to mostly rural high schools in 22 states.

The one-way video, two-way audio network is a godsend for students in rural school districts, which would not be able to afford the specialized instruction available through TI-IN, teachers and students say.

"The idea of her being live on TV, talking to her, didn't seem right at first," Jimenez said. "You're used to a teacher standing right there in front of you. It's already like a regular class, but at first it was kind of weird."

Jimenez, 18, who has an A average in Spanish II, is one of Ben Bolt-Palito Blanco High School's 44 students enrolled in a variety of classes offered through TI-IN.

Ben Bolt, a community of about 500, is about 60 miles southwest of Corpus Christi and about 7 miles south of Alice.

In 1986, the school district, whose families are mostly Hispanic farmers and ranchers, voted to spend $34,000 for equipment and tuition for TI-IN.

Tuition is $240 per student per class each semester and $280 for each language class.

The equipment includes a satellite dish, two television monitors, a videocassette recorder and telephones to carry on conversations with teachers in San Antonio and students across the country.

Like other schools in the network, students in Ben Bolt also are able to take 55-minute classes in honors English, art history, computer science, trigonometry and Spanish I.

College preparatory classes also are offered and students and teachers are able to hook up with programs offered by the Texas Education Agency.

Each class has a facilitator, similar to a teacher's aide, who keeps grades for students and checks daily attendance and participation.

Ben Bolt-Palito Blanco High School Principal Roberto Garcia said the school district chose TI-IN for several reasons, including the difficulty in attracting qualified teachers.

"Most of the 15 we have now, including me, commute to our district from as far away as Kingsville and Alice," Garcia said. "The TI-IN system saves us money and of course it doesn't hurt for the students to talk to other students in other parts of the country."

With TI-IN, the school district will be able to offer three diplomas — regular, advanced and honors — to students by the next school year, enabling them to enter more prestigious universities, he added.

Mrs. Altgelt, the Spanish teacher, has been with TI-IN since it began beaming out instructions from its studios at the Region 20 Education Service Center in 1985.

The 35-year-old teacher said she got the job after answering a newspaper ad, but said she and other language teachers were skeptical about the method of instruction.

"At first, we were a little apprehensive about this. As language teachers we were concerned with 'How are we going to get oral comprehension and have them talk to us?' " Mrs. Altgelt said. "But we are surprised on how well it has worked and how flexible the system is."

Like other TI-IN teachers, Mrs. Altgelt requires students to send her pictures of themselves so she knows who she is talking to.

Frequently, whenever she is talking to a student, she puts his picture on her desk. A camera above her shoulder beams that picture on the network so other students also can see that person.

Mrs. Altgelt frequently wears sombreros and other times bring props to her class. Once, she brought a wrench and even smeared automobile grease over her face as the class discussed car problems.

"If you were in school and in a class, you'd have people looking at you and kids in there rolling their eyes," Mrs. Altgelt said. "But on camera, nobody is there in the studio. You can get into it and get a lot of interaction and feedback going on the air."

She said she is able to do more with her high-tech equipment than she ever imagined.

"I have all the video equipment and the slides shows are great for vocabulary lessons, instead of talking about it or showing pictures out of a book.

"Plus people in Ben Bolt can talk to students in Michigan or Colorado," she said.

At Colorado's LaVeta High School, with an enrollment of 72, Shannon Mayfield knows about talking to people in different parts of the country.

Her community of about 700 is about 60 miles south of Pueblo and each day she listens and talks to people from Iowa, West Virginia and Texas.

"I like it. It's different from our regular classes," Miss Mayfield said. "I have pen pals and I enjoy talking to other people.

"You don't get the same student-teacher relationship you have in a regular class, but it's OK because Mrs. Altgelt makes sure everybody understands before she goes on."

Mrs. Altgelt said she recently visited Chilton, Texas, a tiny town which last year had a graduating class of three.

"If I were one of those students there and had all this opened up to me and I was able to talk to people in Michigan, West Virginia, it would be incredible," she said. "It's incredible to me to bring that to them. It's something that they would not normally be able to do being in a small town."



With Mrs. Lupe Lloyd on the television screen, sophomore students at the Ben Bolt-Palito Blanco High School take a Spanish class. The lessons are beamed via satellite from a San Antonio telecommunications network to mostly rural school districts in 22 state.

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One-time paperweight may be star sapphire

PLANO (AP) — A gem cutter says a North Carolina rock he recently finished cutting may be a rare star sapphire.

John Robinson, who also cut the 1,154-carat Star of America sapphire, appraised by some at more than $2 million, completed cutting the North Carolina rock April 17 and said the stone's owners believe it is a valuable gem.

"When the owners got it back to Tennessee, they called me back and said it was a six-ray star," Robinson said Friday.

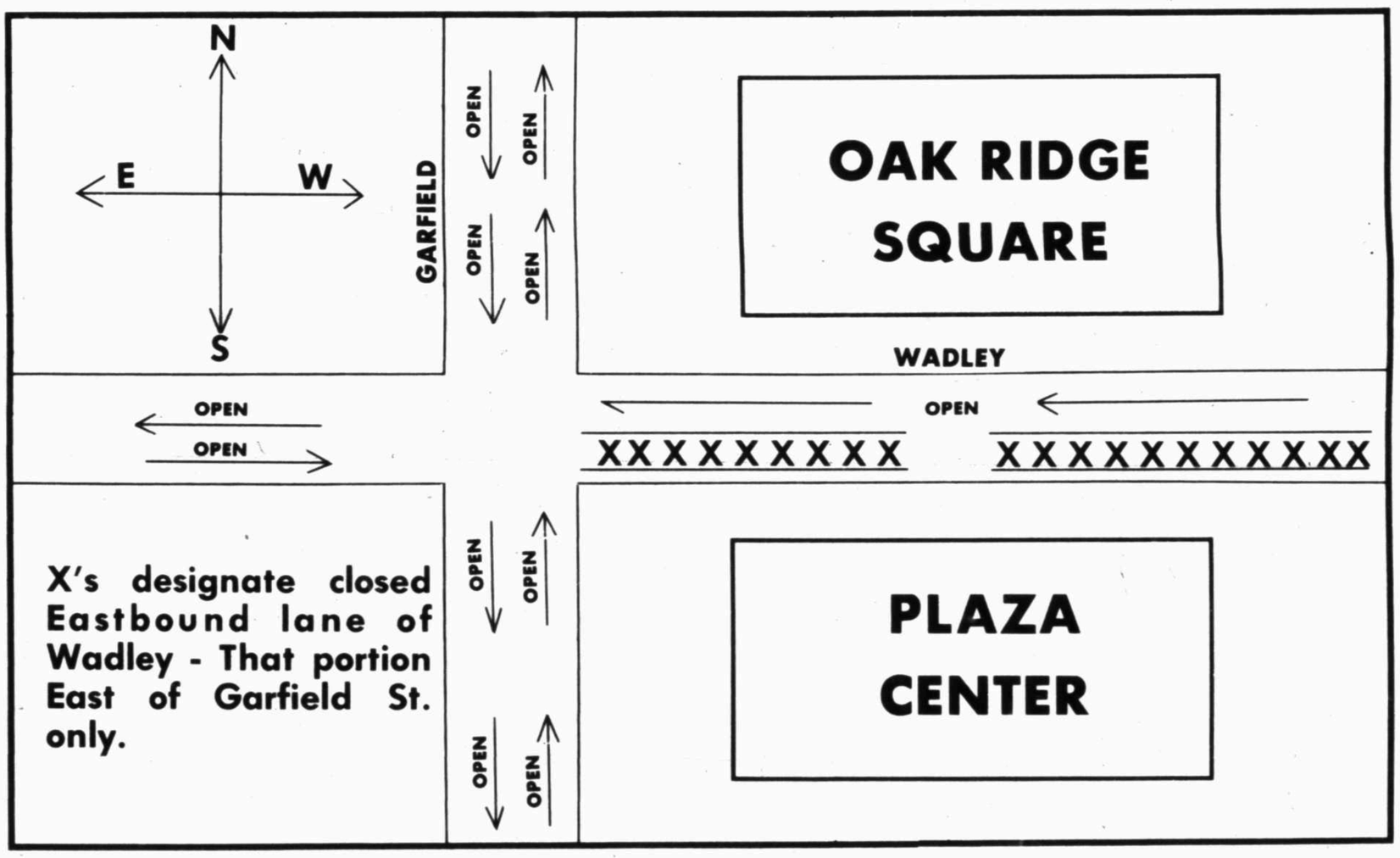
"I haven't seen the stone in direct beam light so it's hard for me to comment on that. If it's as strong as the owners tell me it is in sunlight, then I think it could be an important stone."

Steve Meyer of Blue Ridge, Ga., and Craig Peden of Chattanooga, Tenn., unearthed the chunk of corundum stone in the mountains around Canton, N.C., in December.

Meyer and Peden could not immediately be reached for comment, but Robinson said the owners planned to take the gem to Los Angeles where it could be documented after examination under a fiber optic light.

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Cisneros keynote speaker at conference on racism

NEW BRUNSWICK, N.J. (AP) — A prominent educator who has researched the effects of segregation on children lays part of the blame for campus racism on the ethics of students in the 1980s.

"There's been a reversal in students from the 1960s," Kenneth B. Clark said Friday. "They are more self-centered and less socially conscious. It's part of the Me Generation," said Clark, a psychologist and professor emeritus at the City University of New York.

He was a panelist at a conference at Rutgers University attended by more than 250 students, teachers and administrators from about 30 New Jersey colleges. San Antonio Mayor Henry Cisneros gave the keynote speech at the conference.

The conference, sponsored by the state Department of Higher Education and the National Conference of Christians and Jews, was to alert college leaders to the problems of intolerance and ignorance and suggest possible solutions.

Clark and other educators said colleges have failed to teach students about ethics and the Reagan administration has undermined gains in civil rights, contributing to a rise in racism, sexism and homophobia on campuses.

But they said protests by students in the wake of discriminatory acts were encouraging signs.

"In part it's a good thing in the sense that it reflects a determination by minority kids not to take this treatment," said Meyer Weinberg, professor of Education at the University of Massachusetts at Amherst, where students occupied an administration building in February to protest racism on campus.

Weinberg said the Reagan administration has eroded strides made in the 1960s by the civil rights movement.

"He's tried to make civil rights a special interest," Weinberg said of Reagan. "It's not a special interest. It's a fundamental right of all the people."

T. Edward Hollander, state chancellor of higher education, said New Jersey colleges have admitted more minority students but have done a poor job assimilating them into the general student population.

"Minority students don't feel welcome and aren't integrated fully and they don't feel a sense of participation like other students do," he said. "We haven't been paying enough attention to them once they are there."

Hollander said a statewide committee of educators has recommended institutions hire more minority faculty members, broaden curricula to include courses on women's and Third World studies, develop a campus code of "civility and responsibility" and conduct a human relations training program for students, faculty and administrators.

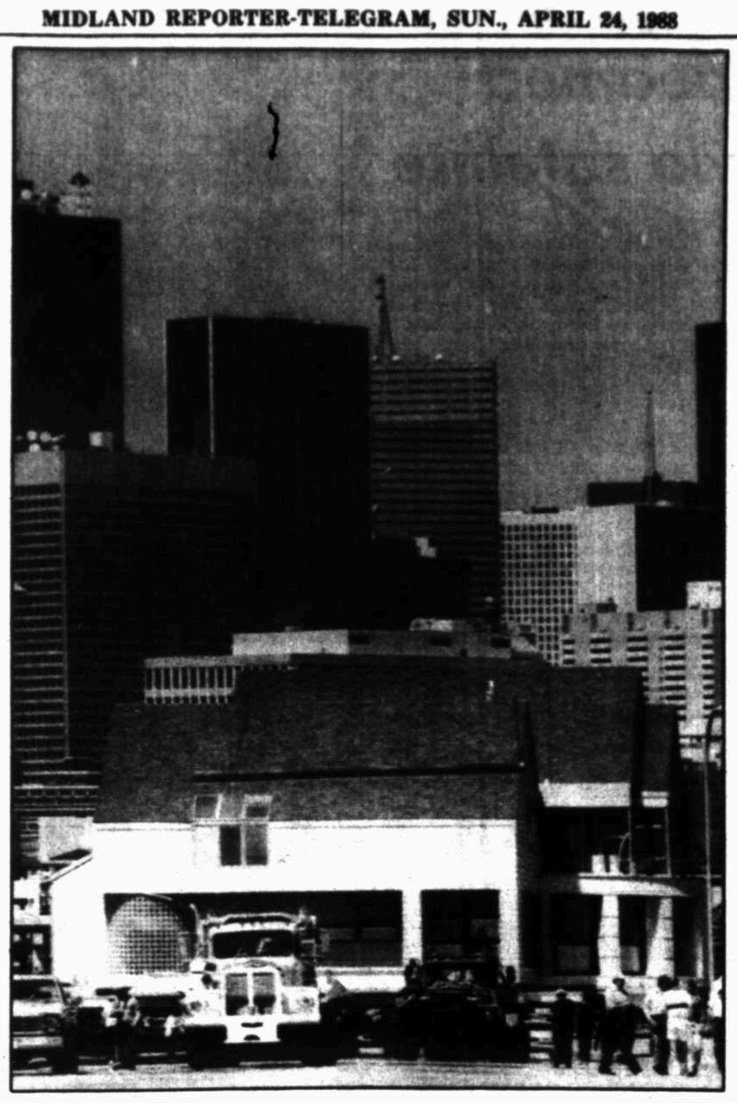
A group of student demonstrators who took the stage at the Nicholas Music Center after Cisneros' keynote speech and criticized the pace of reform.

"We feel this is just a PR (public relations) event to appease the community and falsely give the sense that the colleges are resolving racist relationships," said Salaam Ismail, coordinator of the Union of African Organizations of Students, which represents colleges across the state.

Ismail was joined by five students from Ramapo College, Kean College and Rutgers University.

The protesters had kind words for Cisneros, mayor since 1981, who urged administrators to preach against intolerance and ensure that graduates are able to contribute to a diverse society.

He said changing demographics, rising immigration from Central America, competition from Asian countries and a stagnant economy require that Americans work together in a spirit of cooperation.



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Moving right along

The new home of the Dallas Police Athletic League is moved across the Jefferson Boulevard Bridge to Founders Point Park in Dallas Saturday. The house was originally built for the National Homebuilders Association convention and donated to the league for its headquarters.

Fighter pilot laid to rest 20 years after death

GATESVILLE (AP) — Family and friends of William Elmo Powell finally got a chance to honor him in his U.S. flag-draped coffin Saturday, 20 years after the Air Force fighter pilot was killed when his plane was shot down over North Vietnam.

For 18 years, his parents had hoped he was alive — despite evidence that he didn't get a chance to bail out of his plane and despite a change in his status, five years later, from missing in action to killed in action.

There were many years to prepare for the worst. Then, two years ago, the Air Force reported it had tentatively identified a casket of remains as those of Powell.

It took that to shake loose his parents' grip on hope before they died last fall, within a month of each other.

"My parents found it real difficult to ever give up hope — some hope," his brother, Charlie Powell Jr. said Friday at his parents' house in Gatesville.

In December 1985, the Vietnamese government released Powell's remains to the United States. They were tentatively identified in February, 1986, but final word didn't come until less than two weeks ago, because complications required three experts to help identify the remains.

The family asked Art Hoffson — Powell's co-pilot in an F-14 fighter bomber on Aug. 17, 1968, Powell's 88th and last mission into North Vietnam — to accompany the remains Thursday in flight from Oakland, Calif., to Austin.

"I was extremely proud to be asked," said Hoffson, now a colonel who flies and trains fighter pilots at McDill Air Force Base near Tampa, Fla.

"I had gone to war with Elmo 20 years ago, and now I was getting to go home with him. It was like the last leg of the trip. It really gave me a sense of having him back," added Hoffson, who was Powell's training roommate and best friend.

Powell, who graduated from Texas Christian University's ROTC program, had looked forward to defending his country's interests in Vietnam.

He chose to do it at the controls of fighter planes.

"He was an outstanding pilot and officer," Hoffson said. "I think he was dedicated to the principles that we were over there for. He didn't have any doubt about why we were over there or whether it was right. He was very patriotic."

Their ill-fated flight started like many others that had earned Powell two Distinguished Flying Crosses and 13 air medals. However, as they attempted to bomb a heavily defended portable bridge spanning a North Vietnamese river, anti-aircraft fire jolted the plane.

"The control was gone," Hoffson recalled. "We were in a 90-degree dive at 500 knots when we tried to bail out. I got out, and Elmo didn't."

Hoffson was punished for his survival with 4½ years in a North Vietnamese prison camp. After Powell's family learned Hoffson was incarcerated, they had hope that Powell was alive, too.

There was even more evidence for hope: the Joint Chiefs of Staff told the family two beepers had signaled, indicating that there had been two ejections from the plane. Later it was determined that Hoffson's seat possibly had signaled twice.

A reported sighting of two parachutes in the area also proved to be erroneous.

When Hoffson was released from prison in 1973, he had Powell's status changed to killed in action.

Charlie Powell said a group of Waco leaders went to Paris in the early 1970s to ask Vietnamese officials about several area MIAs. They asked specifically about Powell, but it didn't get them any closer to him.

STATE IN BRIEF

Texas Conservation Corps under federal investigation

AUSTIN (AP) — The Texas Conservation Corps, a job-training program shut down in January because it was deeply in debt, is being investigated by the federal government for possible mismanagement of funds.

About 115 former staff members and job trainees of the state program have been waiting to receive back pay for at least three months, the Austin American-Statesman reported Saturday.

The program, patterned after the Depression-era Civilian Conservation Corps, is being investigated by the U.S. Department of Labor's inspector general's office. The jobs program is operated in Austin, Edinburg and South Padre Island with federal money administered by the state.

The Texas Conservation Corps was started in 1985 under the Texas Department of Community Affairs and moved last year to the new Texas Department of Commerce. It was supervised by a 22-member citizen advisory panel, which has dwindled to four members since the program was closed.

At the time of its closing, about 40 staff workers and 75 young people had not been paid for at least one month, said Doug Duke, executive director of the program. He said the program's debt is not due to mismanagement of funds.

The young people, ages 18-21, primarily came from low-income families. They were to obtain basic job skills in the program.

The Internal Revenue Service filed a $157,701 lien against the organization on July 30 for failure to pay income taxes. The debt has not been paid, so penalty and interest are accumulating monthly.

Volunteers 'trashed out'

AUSTIN (AP) — Nearly 23,000 volunteers spent Saturday picking up after the people who mess with Texas roadsides, officials said.

"We've been getting the bottles out of the bluebonnets," said Don Clark, spokesman for the Department of Highways and Public Transportation, of the third annual Great Texas Trash-Off.

The volunteers, who belong to Adopt-A-Highway groups, covered more than 2,500 miles of highway in 215 of the state's 254 counties, Clark said. It is estimated the volunteers picked up 1.7 million gallons of trash, measured in trashbags-full, he said.

More than 10,500 bags of trash were collected on Texas beaches in the same effort. Many cities also had their own clean-up days in conjunction with the trash-off.

Officials say unusual items are found on occasions like this. Two years ago, a group picking up trash near Pottsboro in Grayson County found a $100 bill, Clark said.

Man convicted in murder

FORT WORTH (AP) — A man accused of hijacking a city bus and raping and slaying a passenger was found guilty of capital murder by a state district court jury Saturday.

Emanuel Kemp Jr., 22, a Texas Department of Corrections parolee with a prior conviction for aggravated robbery, was convicted in the stabbing death of Johnnie Gray, 34, as she rode home from work May 27, 1987.

The punishment phase of Kemp's trial is scheduled to begin Monday. Kemp could receive the death sentence.

Judge rules against Railey in civil suit

DALLAS (AP) — A state district judge has ruled that Walker Railey, a former prominent Methodist minister, "maliciously and brutally tried to strangle his wife" in an attack that left her in a coma.

Judge John Whittington issued the judgment Friday in a civil lawsuit filed by Peggy Railey's mother, Billie Jo Nicolai. Whittington, quoting from the lawsuit, also ruled Railey established a "false alibi" to cover his actions.

The default judgment was announced a year and a day after Mrs. Railey, 39, was found lying unconscious on her garage floor. She has been comatose since the attack.

Although he was served twice with the suit, Railey, 40, never responded in court to the allegation that he attacked his wife, though he has denied it out of court.

"If you bring allegations against the defendant and you give the defendant notice of the allegations and an opportunity to come in and respond to those allegations, and he refuses to do that, the court can hold the defendant liable and hold those allegations as true," said Bill Arnold, Mrs. Nicolai's attorney.

Arnold said a jury trial should determine this summer the damages Railey will be ordered to pay. Arnold said he will seek actual damages for Mrs. Railey's past and future medical bills and punitive damages for the pain and suffering of Mrs. Railey and her family.

Railey, the former senior minister at Dallas' First United Methodist Church, has said he was doing research on the Southern Methodist University campus the night his wife was attacked.

After a suicide attempt following the attack, Railey refused to talk with police and refused to answer questions before a grand jury investigating the attack.

Railey surrendered his ministerial credentials and moved to San Francisco, where he rented an apartment with Lucy Papillon, a psychologist who told a grand jury she had been seeing Railey before the attack and that they had discussed marriage.

The Raileys' two children are living with family friends in Dallas.

In his "findings of fact," Whittington wrote "that on or about April 21, 1987, the defendant Walker L. Railey intentionally, knowingly, maliciously and brutally attempted to strangle his wife Peggy Railey to death.

"The Court further finds the defendant then left Mrs. Railey for dead, left his two young children — Ryan, age 5, and Megan, age 2 — alone in the house without supervision, and drove to the Fondren Library at Southern Methodist University in an attempt to conceal his actions."

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PEOPLE

Fans float on air through Boss' 'Tunnel of Love' tour

LOS ANGELES (AP) — To drawn-out chants of "Bruuuuce Bruuuuce," rock music idol **Bruce Springsteen** opened a five-night concert series at the Los Angeles Sports Arena, his first in the city in 2½ years.

Friday night's performance before a crowd of 15,000 was slightly more intimate than Springsteen's "Born in the USA Tour" performances at the nearby Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum in 1985. More than 80,000 people jammed the Coliseum for each of those shows.

The 22-city "Tunnel of Love" tour, featuring Springsteen, known as "the Boss" to his fans, and his E Street Band continues in Los Angeles through Thursday.

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LOS ANGELES (AP) — Twenty-five years of romance, turmoil, romance, treachery, romance, mystery and more romance were toasted by past and present stars of "General Hospital" at a black-tie gala befitting the top-rated daytime drama.

The ABC soap, which debuted April 1, 1963, placed No. 1 again in the most recent Nielsen ratings, but one of its original stars, speaking at Friday night's party at the Ambassador Hotel, recalled its humble beginnings.

"When we started, I didn't think we were going to last 25 minutes let alone 25 years. It was very iffy," said **Emily McLaughlin**, who as nurse Jessie Brewer is one of two original cast members still with the show. "We hit No. 1 in 1968, and then we went down so far we were almost canceled."

"We had a wonderful time," recalled actor **Jack Betts**, who was on "General Hospital" during its first three years. "(Actor) **Johnny Beradino** had been a ball player and had never done a soap before. Nor had I. We never thought it would last, and John kept saying he'd have to go back and play baseball again."

Betts' character was written out of the show when he was sent to South America to do medical research and never came back.

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NEW HAVEN, Conn. (AP) — A princess with a Ph.D. in organic chemistry came to Yale to lecture at the School of Forestry and Environmental Studies.

Princess Chulabhorn Mahidol, the youngest daughter of King Bhumibol and Queen Sirikit of Thailand, said successful development in poor countries occurs only after the quality of life improves and people have enough basics such as food, water and clothing.

"It is my firm belief that the most important resource a country has is the human resource," the princess said Friday. "It is necessary that we improve the standard of living and the quality of life of our own population in order to achieve other aspects of development."

The princess, who has been in the United States since April 19, said the Thai royal family is deeply involved in rural development projects such as mobile medical units and job training.

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Educational and confidential messages on such "hot" and timely subjects as drugs, alcohol, sex and emotional distress are available through telephone-messenger services sponsored by Luby's Cafeterias and Glenwood Hospital. The two systems ensure anonymity.

Confidential hotlines address heated issues

By ED TODD
Staff Writer

The telephone can be a lifeline to freedom from bondage.

At least, it can be a beginning and can offer assurance, counseling and researched information on problems arising from drugs to sex.

In Midland, at least two computerized messenger services offer free counseling and educational services via the touch-tone telephone. The services are confidential and require no utterances from the dialer, who merely punches a three-letter code for the message he or she requests and stands by to listen.

The systems are:

— The Midland Community Drug Education System, which is operated by Luby's Cafeterias and is accessible by dialing 682-3737, and

— The CounseLine service maintained by Glenwood Hospital, which may be reached by telephoning 563-2561.

"I think they provide an invaluable service to the community," said John Reed, executive director of the Midland Council on Alcoholism/Drug Abuse. "You can't place a price on somebody helping another and on human emotions. How do you place a price on life or well being? People are still priceless."

The services are free and are "so simple and so easily accessible," Reed said. "Sit down, dial that number and listen to the pre-recorded messages. I know it's got to be of tremendous value to the community."

The messages are "excellent, and they are all well documented," he said. "They deal in cold, hard facts, and statistics."

The Luby's system, which was installed here last October, offers 53 pre-recorded messages imparted right out of Luby's Midland Manager Jerry Krueger's kitchen office, from whence he can see what's cooking. Calls into the system are made anonymously, noted Krueger, and no record is made of the calling number and caller.

Messages, summoned by codes, offer "Just Say 'No' " themes to usages of drugs such as marijuana, alcohol, cocaine, crack, tobacco, stimulants, inhalants, and depressants. Messages are keyed to building self-esteem and learning from role models. After the caller has dialed Luby's drug-line number, he or she is asked to dial a three-digit code for specific information. Those codes, which Luby's is distributing on a menu format, include "Just Say 'No' " codes such as 330 to marijuana; 331 to alcohol; 332 to cocaine; 333, to hallucinogens; 334 to tobacco, 335 to stimulants; 336 to inhalants; 337 to depressants; 338 to PCP or "angel dust." Other codes include 108 for "I'm A Winner" message; 119 on crack; 128 on cigarettes; 305 for drug-abuse information for parents, and 310 on cocaine — "Your Money or Your Life."

Since last October, Luby's Midland system has received about 3,000 calls. Leading inquiries have been made into crack, a high-intensity, rapid let-down drug derived from cocaine; marijuana, drug abuse, tobacco, alcohol, and self-esteem building.

"Drug use covers such of a broad spectrum of economics, social status and age," Krueger said. "It's prevalent in all groups of society."

The messenger system is to "help people make a decision that won't mess up their lives," he said.

Glenwood Hospital's CounseLine monthly receives between 500 and 1,000 calls, said Lois Barry, director of community relations for Glenwood, a psychiatric hospital midway between Midland and Odessa.

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Overpasses will alter function of highway

By JANE MARLER DEES
Staff Writer

What today is State Highway 191 by summer 1989 will be a glorified feeder road giving way to three key overpasses now under construction between Midland and Odessa, a Texas Department of Highways engineer said last week.

The three asphalt-paved overpasses — costing about $3 million each — are needed to handle traffic increases predicted by Midland and Odessa city planners, explained Charles Webb, a TDH assistant engineer.

Although Webb allowed traffic flows at the three Highway 191 intersections — Loop 250 and FM 1788 in Midland County and Loop 338 in Ector County — have leveled off recently, "one must be optimistic about these things."

State and federal funding would not have been granted for the project unless the TDH Austin office had felt the highway worthy of the additions, he said.

Traffic counts and accident rates at the intersections were high, and the cost per vehicle of the total $12 million package passed state guidelines, Webb said.

TDH statistics indicate that on peak days — Monday through Thursday — about 15,000 to 18,000 cars travel east and westbound on 191, Webb said, with that figure dropping slightly on the weekends, Webb said.



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Workers should be finished by next fall on two of three overpasses currently being built at key intersections on State Highway 191 between Midland and Odessa.

About 65 percent of that traffic flow occurs at the intersections, Webb said.

The accident rate at the three intersections hovers around 18-20 per year, he added.

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Trimble award is presented

From Staff Reports

Ray Vaden has been awarded the Trimble Service Award for the month of April. He was nominated by Keep Midland Beautiful, Inc., formerly Clean Midland.

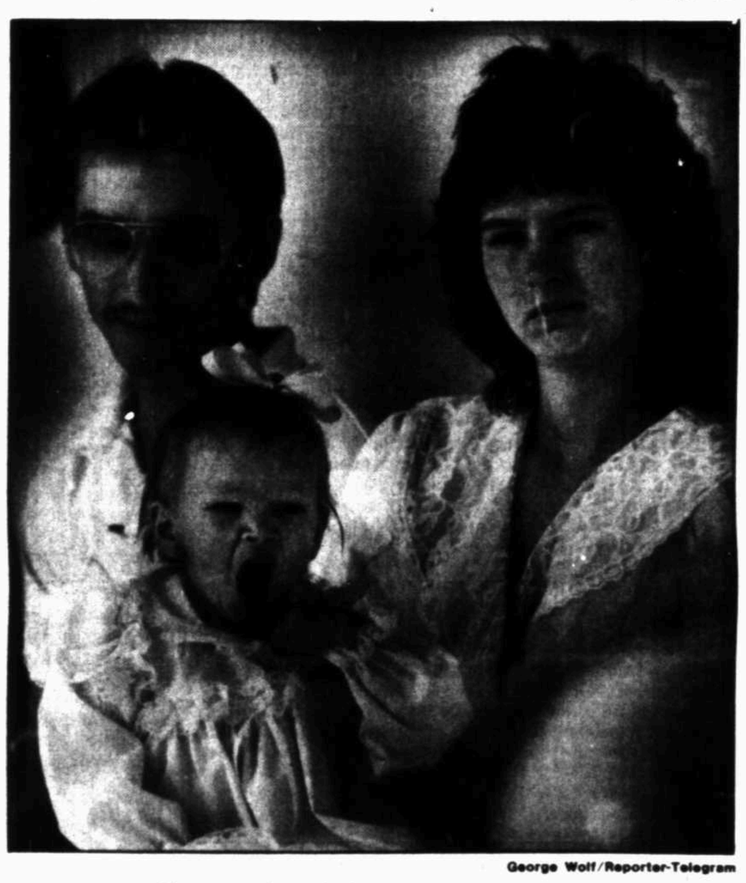
The award recognizes citizens for outstanding volunteer activity and is co-sponsored by the Reporter-Telegram, Leadership Midland Alumni Association and American Airlines.

Vaden, along with other monthly winners, will have the opportunity to be the winner of two roundtrip tickets to any destination in the continental United States, provided by American Airlines.

Vaden has served on the board of directors of Keep Midland Beautiful for six years.

"Ray has given tirelessly of his time and talent in bringing to fruition three new park areas in Midland," according to a press release announcing the award. "In order to see the parks through to completion, Ray is currently serving his third term as chairman of the Parks Committee. He essentially has acted as general contractor in terms of the time, effort and knowledge required to get these parks built."

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Jessica McClure — here held by her mother, Cissy, while her father, Chip, looks on — served as ribbon cutter Saturday for the dedication of Volunteer Park on Big Spring Street.

Odessa cable interviewer knows just about everyone

By FRANK TROMBLEY
Staff Writer

ODESSA — Savanah Caperton Belcher is an unusual woman. Though she is on a first-name basis with virtually everyone who is anyone in the Permian Basin, she is completely without pretension, without airs. She also proudly knows many, many people whom some might call nobodies.

Mrs. Belcher, currently, is public relations director for Post-Newsweek Cable Co. in Odessa. She produces an hour-long weekly television show that airs on Channel 10 in Odessa. The guests she interviews come from virtually anywhere she finds them. The topics discussed over a period of time will run the full-gamut of the socio-economic structure of the area. Usually, the topics concern things she hopes people will be interested in, or at least should be interested in.

There are those who might describe Savanah Belcher, that's Savanah Caperton Belcher, she says, because (despite the fact she and her husband, Jack, have been married since 1949) "some people still know me by my maiden name," as a gadabout or a gadfly.

She's a little of both. She may not be "a restless seeker after fun, excitement, etc.," but she enjoys herself wherever she goes because she is sincerely interested in and likes people. Mrs. Belcher is a gadfly of sorts too, in the sense that she probably annoys some people by trying to rouse them from their complacency with her ofttimes not-too-gentle chiding.



Savanah Caperton Belcher, an Odessa institution, conducts an interview on her cable television show.

George Wolf/Reporter-Telegram

As a raconteur, it seems Mrs. Belcher has never forgotten anything that's happened to her throughout her entire 66 years. She recounts her remembrances sometimes with a chuckle, sometimes with a tear, but always with impeccable detail. Over the years she has written a wealth of poetry, poetry that tugs at the memories and, very often, the heartstrings of those who have shared comparable experiences.

One of her poems is to her husband, who suffers from Alzheimer's disease and has been in the Veterans' Administration hospital in Big Spring the past two years. She met Jack Belcher in 1939 when both were students at San Angelo Junior College, but they didn't marry until 1949 "because I had promised myself I wouldn't get married until I was 25. I had some things I had to get done," she says. Jack grew up in McCamey, where his father was chief of police for 25 years. He later became a football coach and coached the McCamey team to Allstate when they played Midland in 1948. The late Dan Blocker, well-known for his portrayal of Hoss Cartwright on the Bonanza TV series, was on the team when they played in the Tangerine Bowl.

Mrs. Belcher was born and raised in Bronte (pronounced with a silent "e"), about 30 miles from San Angelo. She and her husband moved to Denver City in 1952 "when Denver City was only 12 years old." They spent three years in Uvalde, where Belcher was a coach.

Mrs. Belcher, who was trained as a medical librarian, spent seven years as a supervisor at Lackland AFB in San Antonio, which included the World War II years. One time she says her duties brought her to Midland's airbase and to the airfield at Pyote. "Why did they ever put these things out here," she pondered as she surveyed the desolate area. She says she later figured the facilities were located at Midland and Pyote because "they'd never find them out here."

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GARY OTT

With Cliffs Notes, we thought we were so smart



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There was an article in the Dallas Morning News recently announcing that Cliffs Notes, those little yellow and black booklets that all college students came to love, will turn 30 this year.

In case you don't remember, Cliffs Notes would summarize great pieces of literature, such as "Moby Dick" and "A Tale of Two Cities," in fewer than 100 pages. So, instead of having to read those laborious novels from cover to cover, the lazy college student (and weren't we all?) could dash to the bookstore the night before a crucial exam, purchase the booklet, memorize the highlights and then hopefully fool the professor the next morning.

We thought we were so smart, didn't we?

Of course, we did. After all, we were 19 and away from home for the first time. There was no one around to make us read "Hamlet," so we didn't. We relied on our beloved Cliffs Notes instead.

All college students — past, present and future — owe a great debt of gratitude to Clifton K. Hillegass, the father of Cliffs Notes. He made college life more enjoyable.

Suddenly, there was no need to spend hours trying to figure out what Milton's hidden message was in "Paradise Lost." All you had to do was turn to Page 68 of your booklet and let good old Clifton explain it to you.

And, with that tedious process out of the way, the typical college student could spend his time on more important endeavors, such as drinking beer and spying on the activities at the local sorority houses. A college man simply must have his priorities in order.

Actually, I first came in contact with Cliff Notes as a junior in high school.

(What can I say? I was ahead of my time.)

The teacher had instructed us to read "To Kill a Mockingbird." We were to be tested on its contents the following week.

Fair enough, I thought.

I'd seen the movie twice and, now, by scanning Cliffs Notes, I figured the exam was in the bag.

I was right. I made a B minus and never even read the actual book. With my little yellow booklet and Gregory Peck, who needs big, fat novels?

Not me, that's for sure. I was too busy being a basketball star.

This trend continued into my college years with varying degrees of success.

The exams became more difficult and, as a result, my grades declined slightly. Instead of Bs, I made Cs. Still, thanks to the notes, I managed to stay off scholastic probation.

My luck began to change, however, during an upper level English class at the University of Houston.

We were studying "Macbeth." On the following Tuesday, a test would be given. It was to be one of those exams where you have an hour-and-a-half to write everything you know about the book.

On Monday night I purchased my Cliffs Notes and began memorizing every fact my little brain could comprehend. Entering the classroom the next day, I felt reasonably confident.

An hour-and-a-half later, I walked out still feeling good.

The following week, grades were posted. I received an F, and the professor scribbled this note: "I think if you'll reread your Cliffs Notes, you'll find that you misunderstood what the summary said on Page 73. Actually, the author was saying just the opposite of what you wrote. Next semester, when you are forced to retake this course, I suggest you read the actual book. Have a nice day."

Sound advice, indeed.

Of course, I didn't follow it.

I switched majors, instead. Old habits are hard to change.

Gary Ott is city editor of the Reporter-Telegram.

CALLS

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"It's completely a community service," Ms. Barry said of CounseLine, which offers 46 messages in 11 major areas. CounseLine's codes for those categories are 149 for alcohol and drugs; 249, anxiety and stress; 349, coping with death; 051, depression; 251, divorce and separation; 351, marriage, family and parenting; 048, professional counseling; 148, relationships; 248 self-improvement; 348, sexuality, and 052, a general field which includes dealing with anger, handling fears, recognizing suicidal symptoms and potential in others, and understanding boredom and jealously.

The calls are anonymous.

"I can't find out where they called from or who they are," Ms. Barry said. Luby's drug-information system is similar in that regard.

Most calls to CounseLine have been for messages on depression, stress management, and sexual dysfunctions, she said. The computer, which plays the messages, keeps track of the number of in-coming calls and which messages are selected by callers.

Many callers dial CounseLine when they are "having a bad day" and seek solace and relief from tension. The system was activated here in April 1987 shortly after Glenwood opened its hospital here.

Installation of Luby's Drug Education System in Midland is part of the cafeteria chain's community-service projects in Texas, Arizona, Oklahoma, and New Mexico. Since Luby's started the service last year, more than 400,000 calls have been recorded in such towns as Houston, Dallas, Oklahoma City, San Antonio, and Phoenix.

In committing $500,000 to the drug-education project, the Luby's plans to install the drug-education system in all of the cities which the company serves. Luby's is a publicly-held company which operates more than 100 cafeterias in four states.

Copies of what Luby's calls the "menu" of its drug-education messages have been distributed to Midland school students and to the Midland Council on Alcoholism/Drug Abuse and are available at Luby's Cafeterias. The messages were written and produced by the Institute for Drug and Alcohol Prevention in San Diego, Calif.

Vernon Schrader, Luby's vice president for marketing in San Antonio, said that the system "has been utilized very, very well.

"We feel that it has been very effective," he said in citing the 400,000 calls received by the Luby's system in the Southwest.

Luby's invested in the system, since the cafeteria chain was "looking for a community-relations project" for the betterment of communities which Luby's serves, Schrader said.

"Drugs and alcohol are the most insidious problems the nation has today," he said. "Drugs is our nation's Second Civil War."

Despite the high-use figures, Schrader could not say what effect the educational system has had on each community.

"The community is what is going to make it work," he said.

The system's effectiveness is "difficult to gauge," Schrader said. "It's something like advertising. You'll never get a result report on it."

OVERPASS

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Three separate contractors — from San Angelo, San Antonio and El Paso — were awarded bids to completethe project.

Midland and Odessa construction company bids weren't low enough, but the main contractors are subcontracting locally about 75 percent of their work, he added.

Currently there are 12 lanes that will take a Midlander to Odessa or vice versa — the four-lane Interstate 20, the four-lane U.S. Highway 80 and the four-lane State Highway 191, Webb explained.

In addition, distant future plans more than 10 years away call for the expansion of Greentree Boulevard in Midland into a thoroughfare ultimately bonding with Odessa's 87th Street, Webb said.

Does Midland need that many routes within so few miles of each other just to get to Odessa, a town less than 20 miles away?

Webb said the two cities' continued growth will support three major routes betweet them.

In addition to the travel population increases forecasted, Interstate 20 and Highway 80 would not serve the two cities efficiently if that were all the routes there were, he said.

Interstate 20 serves truckers traveling long distances; Highway 80 serves persons traveling between the two cities and Highway 191 "links two communities," Webb said.

"What if someone had to travel down Interstate 20 to get to the airport," he gave as an example.

Highway 191 was once dubbed the "friendship" highway by officials of Midland and Odessa, he added.

With the implementation of Highway 191, traffic congestion on Highway 80 was eased from 25,000 cars a day to about 12,000 to 15,000 cars a day, the engineer said.

"We don't need the four ways acknowledged Richard Hennessy, Midland director of planning and development. "The city is planning ahead so that we can have the facilities when they are needed.

"Four links are not needed for this population...but if if you consider the length of time it took for the planning of Loop 250 and Highway 191 until now...well, we need to start (building) now," Hennessy explained last week.

Highway 191 and Loop 250 were planned as far back as the early 1970s, Webb said, adding that TDH officials often plan roads 20 years in the future.

According to a past Midland-Odessa Regional Transportation Study, main travel lanes with feeder roads on Highway 191 and "grade separated interchanges" (overpasses) will be constructed as traffic flows increase in the coming years, the city's master plan states.

The city of Midland was responsible in part for acquiring the land for parts of the Highway 191 expansion and the revamping of utility lines, Hennessey explained.

TDH experts are predicting the area off Highway 191 will grow with the help of groups such as Midland's Scharbauer family, whose SBC Corp. is developing stretches of the road near to Midland.

After the first three overpasses are completed, another will be built where Highway 158 — coming from Andrews — meets Highway 191, Webb said.

The next step will be to build two more overpasses at the intersections with Highway 191 of Colorado Street and Faudry Road, two thoroughfares nearer to Odessa, the engineer explained.

"But we're not even talking in the next 10 years on that one," Webb said.

Down the road a bit, Loop 250 will be in for its own overpass construction at intersections from Midland Drive east through to Highway 349, Webb said.

Young Democrats to meet

From Staff Reports

Midland County Young Democrats will hold its regular monthly meeting at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday at Petroplex Savings, 1004 N. Big Spring St.

Items to be discussed at the meeting include an upcoming membership drive and the city elections which will be held May 7.

For additional information on how to become involved in Young Democrats, contact David Mandell, president, at 684-5548 during the day or at 694-4152 in the evening. The public is invited.

CABLE

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She and Jack moved to Andrews in 1955 when he went to work for Humble Oil. She became acquainted with Odessa and Midland through shopping trips to both cities. "We put on our hats and gloves and came over from Andrews and the kids always wanted to eat at Woolworth's." In those days the Model Shop wwas one of "the places to shop" in downtown Odessa. In Midland it was Grammer-Murphy's until Midland's first mall opened in about 1965. She didn't get to attend the opening because she was sick, but Ector County Judge Jan Fisher's mother took Jan and her daughter to the mall opening. She recalls that people from Andrews, Kermit Crane and other Permian Basin area cities have been coming to Odessa and Midland to shop for years. "I think we omit what those towns have really contributed to our welfare," says Mrs. Belcher. "I'd hate for us to try to survive without our shopping friends we have in Fort Stockton, Monahans and all those places," she said.

"There are so many things that I've watched grow that we take for granted," she says, "like the symphony and chorale. I can still remember when they were trying to start that."

She and her husband moved to Odessa from Andrews in October 1969. But, listening to her talk, one would think Savanah has been in this area since before the Santa Rita blew in at Texsun. Part of the reason is that she spent eight years with the Arthritis Foundation traveling a 30 county area, accumulating friends wherever she went.

Today, whenever there's a function of any kind, be it social, political, charitable, or whatever, you'll likely find Mrs. Belcher there, hugging everyone's neck, "cause that's my way," and likely reminiscing about "old times" and, sometimes, recalling memories some people would rather forget.

Mrs. Belcher recalls the move she, her husband and the children made in 1952 "from beautiful Uvalde to a sand storm" in Denver City. "I had never seen men wearing hard hats. I had never seen people go into cafes in greasers. I was afraid for my kids to eat." As a result, she bought a hot plate and cooked "so my kids wouldn't have to get close to those greasy people in hard hats." That was a whole new experience for her, she recalls, noting that now you see people dressed like that in some of the city's finest restaurants and think nothing of it.

She likes the Odessa environment for raising kids and for them to grow up in, recalling that in the small town where she grew up who your parents and grandparents were kind of gave kids a leg up. But, in Odessa, she says, when her daughter made it as a cheerleader and her son made lead voice in the choir it was strictly because of their individual abilities, not who their parents were.

When she and her family first came to Odessa in October 1969 she "was not intrigued at all by the attitude of the women. If you asked them what they were going to do for Christmas they'd say 'we're going home,' and their furniture was here, so I thought they should say 'we're planning a big Christmas.' " By way of celebrating her first Christmas in Odessa, Mrs. Belcher says, she went door-to-door in "her neighborhood," left a Christmas card and invited everyone to visit during the holiday because she felt "this was our home and this was our block." At that time, she says, people were transient, "they didn't make plans to stay and if you talked to young people they'd say 'when I get out of Odessa.' " Over the years, however, she says she has seen Odessa and Midland stabilize, though Midland has always been more stable than Odessa, but Odessa is beginning to reach comparable stability. There was a time when "you didn't use to find a native Odessan," she stated.

Mrs. Belcher says she "lived through the ugly times" when the relationship between Midland and Odessa left much to be desired. But in recent years she has seen this relationship improve. She hears Odessa College President Phil Speegle saying nice things about Midland College and MC President Jess Parrish saying nice things about OC and both say nice things about UTPB.

She says she resents some people saying Odessa people aren't quite as smart as Midland people and Odessa people saying people in Midland are snobs. "It's simply not true," Savanah stated. "I think we're an aggregate of people who live in a unique part of the country and together we've built whatever we have here. So we can take pride in the fact that we didn't have to ask the government or have somebody else to do all the things that we do. We've done it ourselves and we've done it together," she said.

She loves the rivalry between Midland and Odessa and "teases a lot about it, but when it starts getting tacky, that no good," she says. "It's like tearing up a family."

The many plaques on the wall of her office in the Post-Newsweek Cable buildings on the corner of West 8th Street and Sam Houston in Odessa attest to her involvement in, or dedication to, the community over the years. She is proudest of the one from the Texas Association of Extension Home Economists, which named her State Woman of the Year, because it meant she was voted the honor by all the 4H kids in the area. "It's special when kids choose you," she said, "because they're very critical." In 1974, UTPB President B.H. Amstead presented her the institution's Silver Award for outstanding service to the university and Odessa. In 1984-86, she received the Odessa Volunteer Center Certificate of Appreciation in recognition of outstanding leadership and commitment. Many other awards show the depth of her community involvement, but she modestly, as well as honestly, says that while the various certificates and awards were presented to her there were many other people whose work made them possible.

Her community involvement, she says, is the result of advice her father once gave her. "My father always told me," she says, "that you had to earn your keep wherever you lived. And he also said there were two things you must always do: buy your groceries where you live because if you ever got to where you couldn't pay for them the only people who would care would be those where you lived and if you didn't have a whole lot of money to give, then you give a whole lot of time."

Mrs. Belcher's office walls also contain examples of her needlepoint, which she put up instead of pictures because she felt a "homey atmosphere" would be more likely to put people she talks to daily at ease. A sign on the door of her office attests to her unflagging sense of humor. It reads "MEMO: Lack of planning on your part does not constitute an emergency on my part." But she points out her favorite that hangs on a wall, which says, "Lord, reform thy world, beginning with me."

But, until the Lord decides to begin reforming his world and starts with Mrs. Belcher, she'll be the first to tell you, "What you see is what you get."

TRIMBLE

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Two of the parks are entrance beautification areas at Highway 80 and Orchard and S. Marienfeld and Big Spring. The third is Volunteer Park.

Volunteer Park grew from an idea to beautify an unsightly spot on city property at the north entrance to downtown Midland.

"It has become that, as well as a way to commemorate the volunteer spirit of the community," the press release said. "When planning for the park began in 1984, Keep Midland Beautiful first thought of it as a Sesquicentennial project and a natural follow up to the Centennial Plaza."

The Texas Highway Department became involved when a grant of $100,000 was awarded to Keep Midland Beautiful through the Governor's Community Achievement Award.

Volunteer Park has required particular expertise because it has involved dealing with a private sector design process, fund-raising and the Texas Highway Department.

Vaden "has worked directly with the general contractor, local subcontractors and the State Highway Department engineers to keep the project moving," the press release said. "He has made countless decisions and been on site daily to make sure that Volunteer Park in finally a reality. In the time prior to the start of the construction, Ray was also instrumental in raising additional money and goods and services as contributions to furnish the park with trees, the Volunteer Commemorative Wall and other amenities. Ray's efforts have benefited Midland by creating jobs, beautifying our environment and enhancing the image of our city."

Volunteer Park was officially dedicated on Saturday.



Jerry Mennenga/Reporter-Telegram

Ray Vaden, April Trimble Service Award winner, stands in Volunteer Park. Vaden was nominated by Keep Midland Beautiful Inc., formerly know as Clean Midland.

Vaden is a landman for Chevron U.S.A. He and his wife, Donna, have three children — Allison, Laura and Jay.

He also serves on the Boy Scouts Chaparral District Council camping committee, is a past chairman of the administrative board of St. Marks United Methodist Church and is a member of the Permian Basin Landman's Association.

District 16 Legionnaires gather

By JULIE HILLRICHS
Staff Writer

Helping veterans, their widows and dependent children is as patriotic for one group of former American servicemen as putting on a uniform and marching into battle.

For American Legion members — many of whom assembled Saturday in Midland for the first time in four years for a District 16 convention — carrying on that tradition comes easier today than in the past.

"The American Legion is the fastest growing veterans organization in the country, and about 900,000 of our members are Vietnam veterans," Department Commander Hank Nomar of Abilene said of the group that boasts a national membership of four million, counting its women's auxiliary.

Advocating a strong national defense, the American Legion is no stranger to speaking out on behalf of American servicemen.

Since its formation following World War I, the group has been instrumental in establishing hundreds of Veteran's Adminstration Hospitals across the country.

The organization also helped author the GI Bill, which has provided educational opportunities to thousands of enlistees over the years and contributed $1.3 million towards the cost of building the Vietnam War Memorial in Washington, D.C.

National Executive Committeeman Harvey Holcomb is confident that the American Legion and American Legion Auxiliary is ready to meet future challenges as World War II veterans reach an age where many will need federal health care benefits.

Of course, it will take a major lobbying effort on the part of the organization to convince Congress that money should be spent on those "who sacrificed themselves for this country," Holcomb said.

Elevating the Veterans Administration to a cabinet-level post — which recently won Senate approval and is expected to receive a presidential signature by Memorial Day — will go a long way toward showing veteran's that they aren't forgotten once they pack their uniforms in mothballs.

Holcomb said the gesture would be significant because "who else is more aware and conscientious of the neds of the country and more deserving of the right to speak for America than those who fought for this nation?"

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CITY SIDEWALKS

City departments soon will receive individual telephone numbers

By LYN MILLER

There's a change coming to City Hall. In the near future, all departments of the city of Midland will be assigned new telephone numbers as a result of a recent evaluation of the telephone system currently in use.

The City Council, at its regular meeting April 12, approved the release or a request for proposal for a new telephone system for the city. This new telephone system will provide Direct Inward Dial (DID) capabilities to all departments and remote locations, other than the airport. The main switchboard, located in City Hall, will be retained for the purpose of answering all information and/or unknown direct dial number inquiries.

The need for an evaluation of the present telephone system was determined by city officials. Upon completion of same, the determination was made that, with the installation of the DID system, daily traffic through the switchboard can be minimized and phone calls to city offices can be routed more expeditiously and efficiently. Another advantage resulting from the evaluation will be the elimination of several excess telephone circuits and lines.

All of the existing telephone features (example: speed dialing, call forwarding, automatic call-back) will be available in the proposed telephone system. Additional features to be installed include call waiting (to alert the person being called that they have another call), uniform call distribution wherein customer service calls will be placed in a hold queue with an announcement when the number of calls exceed the number of available service representatives, and the ability for city employees to make minor service or feature changes via a terminal.

The request for proposal requires an off-premise telephone switch and requests bids for the installation of the direct dial lines and additional telephone sets. The proposed date for installation of the new telephone system should fall on a 3-day weekend, which would be ideal for testing and converting to the new system. The anticipated date for conversion is to be the weekend of July 4.

The Southwestern Bell Telephone Books will be reissued commencing May 5, 1988. These new telephone books will contain the new telephone numbers for Building Inspections, Health Department, Fire Department, Municipal Court, Parks & Recreation, Police Department and Customer Service, as well as the City Hall switchboard. The ability will be provided for the new telephone numbers dialed to be automatically converted to 683-4281 until the new telephone system is connected. Information as to the effective date for use of the new telephone numbers will be made available to the public.

It is the desire of the city of Midland to provide and improved and up-to-date communications system for utilization by the public, as well as the employees of the city, and to continually strived to provide better and more efficient services to the residents of Midland.

Lyn Miller, an employee at City Hall, coordinates the information for this column.

Students to meet with Phil Gramm

From Staff Reports

Interacting with government leaders is a memorable and valuable experience for students.

However, such opportunities are few and far between.

Student leaders from Midland and Lee high schools will be afforded an opportunity to interact with Sen. Phil Gramm, R-Texas, on May 4. The selected participants, including student body presidents and other elected student leaders, will meet in an informal, small group setting at Midland College, 3600 N. Garfield, 1:30 p.m., to discuss citizenship responsibilities, particularly the responsibility to lead a drug-free lifestyle.

"The meeting will be non-partisan," noted Maridell Fryar, director of secondary education, "but will provide an excellent experience for student leaders."

She added, "We want to thank Mayor Thomas and his office for arranging this visit with our students to be included in the itinerary for the senator's statewide tour."



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Bullock's forecast leaves us hoping

Texas Comptroller Bob Bullock, renowned for the reliability of his economic forecasts, presented a pleasing view of the state's economic future on a stopover in Midland this week. But he hit the nail squarely on its head when he noted that Texans are skeptical when told the economy has turned around and better days are ahead.

That's particularly true in Midland, where the oil economy seemingly has been stuck on high center for months. Of course, the depth of the oil industry's and the state's despair can be traced all the way back to January 1986, when oil prices began tumbling.

So it's understandable that businessmen are "gun shy" when even someone of Bullock's economic expertise starts saying that optimism is in line and better days are just around the corner for Texas. It's too easy to grow false hopes, based on premature or sketchy statistics.

But Bullock's statistics are worth thinking about — a couple of times. Rig counts are expected to continue to run about 11 percent ahead of 1987 and, overall, the state economy is predicted to grow by almost 3 percent for the balance of 1988.

In fact, Bullock says there's nothing but good news in store economically for Texas in the remainder of 1988 and 1989 with job creation, unemployment, and drilling all showing improvement over 1987 levels.

Taken along with the facts that the Census Bureau is continuing to predict major population growth for Texas over the next several years, the state's reported leading position in the quest for the superconducting super collider, diversification into high-tech industries, and aggressive "sell Texas" advertising techniques being adopted by state officials and others, the state's economic future feasibly could be on the verge of, not another boom, but good, steady, increasing and diversifying growth.

Texas has been in the process of "getting ready" to take its leadership role for years. But, for a number of reasons, not the least of which was the oil price plunge, that role has been delayed. All the state is waiting on now is for Bullock's latest economic forecast to prove as reliable as his others in the past.

And now, the movie!

Announcement that a blue-ribbon panel named to mediate selection of a producer for a movie about the rescue last October of Jessica McClure has chosen Interscope Communications Inc. of Los Angeles should bring to an end the latest chapter of the little girl's story.

The rescuers who saved Jessica's life had divided into two groups and had differences of opinion about who should produce the movie and how it should be presented, and it became obvious that allowing continued disagreement would only create more opportunity for bad publicity regarding the situation.

So the blue-ribbon group headed by Wayne Merritt was named to choose the producer. The wisdom of that decision is underscored by the fact that it only took a few weeks for the panel to make its recommendation.

Of course, it will still take time for all the details to be resolved and the firm to begin actual production of the Jessica McClure story. But this puts the biggest hurdle behind us and allows the sensationalized coverage to end.

We congratulate the rescuers and the blue-ribbon panel for pulling together to end what appeared to be a stumbling block to a successful end to the movie about Jessica and her rescuers.

STEVE LEVINE

School finance talk to dominate '88

AUSTIN — School finance. School finance. School finance. School finance. School finance. School finance.

Get used to it. You're going to be hearing a lot about it from Austin over the next year or so.


Levine

Pay attention to it. Unlike a lot of the other sometimes esoteric news from the Capitol, this one's going to hit home. It's going to mean a lot to your children's education. It's going to mean a lot to your pocketbook.

Already, the various sides are posturing, playing the political PR game in advance of what's probably going to be a huge battle in the Legislature. That battle *should* take place in the 71st regular session that begins here in January. Gov. Bill Clements, who favors the status quo, won't rule out a special session sometime this year.

Some quick background: In May of 1987, Travis County District Judge Harley Clark ruled the current state school finance system unconstitutional. That system relies on a combination of property taxes that school districts raise locally and aid distributed from the state Treasury.

The vast property wealth disparity among the state's 1,063 school districts has created a vast disparity in education spending and property tax rates. Wealthy districts can raise and spend far more money, at lower tax rates, than poor ones. Now the formulas for dividing up the state aid give more money to property-poor districts than to property-rich districts, but they're not enough to overcome the difference.

Clark ruled that the Constitution guarantees education as a "fundamental right" for Texans. His interpretation of the Constitution requires that the state give each student "equal access" to educational funds. The state has appealed his ruling, but Clements and other state leaders expect it to stand. Clark's given the state until Sept. 1, 1989, to develop a constitutional plan and another year to put it in place.

There's no question that such a plan could bring about some very real changes in how the system works. It'd be difficult, if not impossible, to maintain our current so-so level of teaching our children and meet Clark's criteria without spending more money. That means higher taxes of some sort.

Like we said before, Clements seems bent on keeping the current system. He's trying to drum up support for changing the Constitution in such a way as to ratify that unequal system. We're back to scare stories here. Take this excerpt from a speech the governor made in Houston on Monday:

"Complying with the standard of his (Clark's) ruling would involve billions and billions of dollars. It could also mean consolidation of the 1,100 school districts into a handful to equalize the tax base and wealth. And that would destroy the control you have over your school districts and your children's education."

You're not going to like it, Clements is saying. It's going to cost you money and it's going to cost you even more of your dwindling control of local school operations. Expect him to start asking folks to tell their lawmakers that they won't stand for that. Build a public outcry.

Poor districts, on the other side of the coin, are downplaying the potential havoc Clark's ruling could bring about. They know *they* need support from voters and legislators if the state is going to come up with a plan that will correct the inequities.

Watch for the accusations, backtracks, innuendos and explanations to keep coming as both sides try to win public support. That means you, dear reader. Get used to it. Pay attention to it.

Steve Levine heads the Reporter-Telegram's Austin Bureau. Opinion contained in his column does not necessarily reflect that of the Reporter-Telegram.

JACK ANDERSON

Greenpeace battling scientists at pole

WASHINGTON — Tucked away in the fragile flora and fauna of Antarctica are two human species at odds. There are days when each would happily see the other on the extinct list.


Jack Anderson

A mere 19 miles apart on the frozen continent are the U.S. McMurdo Station and the Greenpeace World Park Base. One is the home of National Science Foundation researchers who are probing the secrets of the South Pole. The other is the home of environmentalists who will fling themselves in front of a harpoon to save a whale or lie down in front of a bulldozer to spare a penguin.

Scientists and environmentalists are not normally adversaries. But for the past three years in Antarctica, Greenpeace has been building a case against the NSF. It claims the scientists are spoiling the pristine wilderness by dumping raw sewage in the ocean, by burning trash and by piling up whatever won't burn as a legacy of America's throw-away society.

The NSF claims it cares as much about the environment as Greenpeace. But, in the words of the head of the NSF Antarctic staff Tony Inderbitzen, "You can do just so much based on the allocation of money. We're cleaning it up as quickly as we can."

That isn't quick enough for Greenpeace. "The value of the Antarctic as an area uncompromised by local contaminants can't be estimated," Greenpeace official Paul Bogart told our associate Daryl Gibson.

It is hard for Greenpeace to make a case for massive contamination. There are 37 countries with a legal interest in the no-man's land of Antarctica, and about a dozen of them have bases there. This adds up to only a few thousand very cold people scattered over a vast frozen wasteland that accounts for 10 percent of the Earth's land surface.

But Greenpeace sees Antarctica as one of the last places on Earth where man has yet to muck up everything and where there is still time to erase the footprint of civilization.

In February, the Greenpeace supply ship dropped off a crew of four people who will live at the Greenpeace base for nearly a year, replacing a crew that had already been there for a year. The new crew will do scientific research and keep an eye on the NSF and on the other foreign bases on the continent. The Greenpeace ship is now sailing toward the U.S. base called Palmer on the edge of Antarctica south of Argentina.



At the Greenpeace base near McMurdo, the ship had loaded up all the garbage, including human waste, generated at the Greenpeace base over the year, and carried it off to civilization. Bogart said Greenpeace has offered to take a shipload of trash out of McMurdo also, but the offer was declined. Instead, McMurdo, like other bases on the continent, dumps its sewage into the ocean and burns its trash in the open air. (In 1982, we reported after a trip to Antarctica, that the U.S. Amundsen-Scott base at the South Pole was literally sinking in its own warm sewage pumped under the ice.)

The first Greenpeace crew found what Bogart called, "a staggering situation" at McMurdo. NSF has since made some changes, including installing a grinder that chews up the sewage before it is dumped into McMurdo Sound. Bogart thinks the changes are "largely cosmetic."

Inderbitzen says that Greenpeace is not telling the whole story. He says that the NSF inherited McMurdo and much of the trash from the Navy. The NSF is trying to make a dent in the garbage and in the last year has recovered 600 barrels of contaminated fluids and 735 tons of garbage.

The limiting factor is money. NSF's budget for its Antarctic research last year was $124.8 million. "We live in the real world," Inderbitzen said. "We only get so much money per year, and that money has to be stretched in many ways." The NSF is drafting an environmental protection plan for the area and has an environmental awareness program for its workers.

Greenpeace has "assumed that (NSF) didn't have a regard for the environment, and that's definitely not true," Inderbitzen said. He says he shares the group's ideals, but doesn't admire its methods.

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

GEORGE F. WILL

For Speakes' book, Moynihan has antidote

WASHINGTON — Washington's attention span — longer than a television "sound bite," shorter than a senator's introduction at a Rotary luncheon — was momentarily filled by Larry Speakes' "Speaking Out," a book that is fresh evidence of the high ratio of dignitaries (Speakes once counted as one) to dignity in public life today. Fortunately, another book, Sen. Pat Moynihan's "Came the Revolution: Argument in the Reagan Era," is the antidote for the illness of which Speakes is a symptom.


George F. Will

The illness is emptiness. Speakes' book is badly motivated and execrably "written" — assembled, really — but neither defect is its most detestable aspect. What makes it reek like something to be picked up with long tongs is that it exemplifies as well as documents the plague of counterfeit rhetoric that flourishes when passions are synthetic. Moynihan's book records a mind at play — serious, yet exuberant — in the arena of large public purposes.

More offensive than Speakes' violation of the confidentiality owed to colleagues in governance, and more offensive than the fabrication of presidential quotations, is his utter lack of a public purpose. His inability to write his own book reflects an absence of anything to say about anything other than the intramural intrigues among White House image-tinkerers.

Moynihan always has much to say and has now published some of what he has said (in speeches, articles, newsletters to New Yorkers and other outpourings) from 1981 through 1986. His book is evidence for the existence of something that, like Atlantis, is rumored to have once existed but has not recently been seen: a Democratic mind.

Regarding Reaganites, Moynihan is amusing, but not amused. The 1980s have seen, he says, a hemorrhaging of reality from government, an inability to understand the consequences of things done or left undone. Moynihan's targets are Reaganite intellectuals (the model is David Stockman, described by someone as "flower child turned social Darwinist") who are — were? — radicals.

They are, says Moynihan, related to real conservatives the way anarchists are to liberals. Their defining sin, as Moynihan sees it, was the purposeful creation of deficits as a way of throwing gravel into the gears of government. Contempt for government led, he says, directly to the Iran debacle.

In a Washington where, Moynihan says, toughness and ignorance are often confused, there is an "amnesiac innocence" among conservative ideologues who, being impervious to experience, have matched the earlier intellectual hubris of liberals. Moynihan participated in the heady confidence of the mid-1960s, when the refinement of models of social change, combined with increasingly sophisticated statistical measurements, were supposed to make possible ample social solutions.

He recalls writing (in 1965 — on the rim of the volcano) that the professional administration of social change was becoming a vocation. This was supposedly so because economics was attaining the precision of an applied science and the enlarged predictive powers of the social sciences would expand government's powers to control change.

Two decades later it is, Moynihan says (with indignation tinged with relish), conservatives who have displaced liberals as expounders of professors' theories of economics, while Democrats grumble about the gap between theory and practice in the real world. The GOP's immune system has failed to repel the virus of ideology. That is what capitalism, understood as market worship, has become. Hence the conservative belief that problems arise from attempts to solve them, and that all problems will be dissolved by an expanding GNP.

That last is refuted by (among other things) the growing underclass. Its condition is unresponsive to economic growth. This class, defined by extraordinary self-destructive behavior, is the principal cause of the "combination of misery and madness in the modern city."

Moynihan, now seeking his third Senate term, served in the executive branch under four Presidents. In Gerald Ford's Cabinet, he was one of five former professors (with Kissinger, Schlesinger, Shultz and Butz). He has an intellectual's zest for argument. He also is a tad too certain that he is right when declaring that Reagan's economic theorists can not distinguish certitude from certainty.

However, much can be forgiven to someone so wonderfully terse ("The framers of the Constitution had more thoughts about power than merely its limitation") and epigrammatic, as concerning the (he says) deliberate deficits: "There is a tendency for any government to live beyond its income. The Reagan administration transformed this temptation from a vice into an opportunity."

Savor Moynihan's book not because it is always right but because it is always authentic — always deeply felt and strenuously argued. It is a rarity in a town too well supplied with the memoirs of people who never had a memorable thought.

George F. Will is a columnist for Washington Post Writers Group.

RUSSELL BAKER

Who was that publicity hound, Ed Koch?

NEW YORK — Americans seem amazed by the ease with which Mayor Edward I. Koch took over the New York primary.


Russell Baker

"For two weeks," writes an Ohio woman, "I was under the impression it was a two-way fight for the nomination between Koch and Jesse Jackson. I was heartbroken when somebody told me Koch wasn't running for president, as I had looked forward eagerly to a chance to vote against him."

And from a Maryland man:

"Who is this Koch that all the uproar is about ever since the political circus put down in New York? I thought a couple of people named Blore and Dukabore were running against Jackson. How did Koch suddenly get to be the front-runner?"

Mister C.K. of South Dakota asks, "Is this camera-hog Ed Koch you've got in New York any relation to the Ed Koch who once showed up out this way just before Custer made his last stand?"

Not just a relation, Mister C.K. It is the very same Ed Koch whose name appears as a footnote in Samuel Simmons's seminal history of Custer's setback at Little Big Horn. As long-lost documents tell the story, a large squeaky man with a North Jersey accent showed up at the fort one day with a photographer named Brady.

Custer, whose vanity was almost as great as Koch's, was incensed when the Easterner said, "I hear you're going after Sitting Bull on the Little Big Horn, and I'm going with you to get myself photographed showing you how to get him."

"Keep them both in chains in the dungeon," Custer told the military police, "until you see the newspaper headlines announcing Sitting Bull's last stand. I've heard of this Koch. He'll not muscle in on my publicity."

Custer's vanity turned out to be a blessing for Ed Koch, of course. But what did Custer mean when he said he had "heard of this Koch"?

He was referring to the little noted and all too briefly remembered events involving Edward Everett the day Abraham Lincoln delivered the Gettysburg Address.

As every schoolchild used to know, and a few octogenarians still do, Lincoln's speech was preceded by a two-hour stemwinder delivered, the newspapers said, by a former politician and diplomat named Edward Everett.

Actually, Everett did not deliver that speech, and wouldn't have delivered it if he could have, because he didn't have enough gall to make the president sit through a two-hour speech.

In fact, Everett was held incommunicado under the speaker's platform during the speech. Afterward, he told Gettysburg police that "two characters with a Bronx accent" promised him that if he didn't make a fuss he might one day end up in a job in which he could make money so fast he could get indicted.

But if it wasn't Everett who made the great stemwinder speech, who was it? Rumor went around that it was a large, sensitive man named Koch, who sincerely believed that both Lincoln and Everett would botch the public speaking, and wanted only to give the ceremony a little class.

These stories revived interest in a number of historical references to a man named Koch. After the Gettysburg incident, for instance, one Ed Koch appeared at Appomattox Courthouse and suggested that General Grant go back to bed and take a jug with him while he, Ed Koch, accepted General Lee's surrender. Was this the same Koch who delivered the Gettysburg stemwinder?

If so, was the Appomattox Ed Koch the same Ed Koch mentioned in the story about George Washington crossing the Delaware? While Washington was preparing to cross the river to Trenton, the story goes, he was approached by a portrait painter and a large man named Ed Koch who always had to have the last word.

"It's ridiculous to cross a river just to get to Trenton," said Ed Koch, pointing out that since the press didn't give a hoot about Trenton, the publicity potential of the crossing was zilch.

However, if Washington would go up and cross the Hudson into New York, Koch promised, media coverage would be intense, so intense, in fact, that he, Koch, was prepared to stand in the prow of the rowboat during the crossing and have his picture painted in oil.

Washington was astounded. "You travel with a painter, always ready to exploit oil-portrait opportunities?" he asked.

"Until somebody invents a camera, it's the only game in self-promotion," said Koch.

Washington put the painter in his boat and crossed at Trenton, producing the famous painting. Koch is the man rowing with his back to the painter. It's a first in the annals of Kochdom.

Russell Baker is a columnist for New York Times News Service.

TOM WICK

Vote

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By CAROL S

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By WILLIAM RAND
Editor in Chief, The Hearst

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TOM WICKER

Voters haven't flocked to 'inevitable' front runners


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NEW YORK — The impressive victory of Michael Dukakis in the New York primary has led some Democrats and observers to claim that his nomination for president now is "inevitable." It may be, but voters this year have had a way of reacting against front-runners — for example, Sen. Bob Dole and Rep. Richard Gephardt after the Iowa caucuses.

In Illinois and Michigan, they knocked down Dukakis himself, after Super Tuesday seemed to make him the perceived leader. After the Michigan caucuses made the Rev. Jesse Jackson appear to be a real threat, he was defeated in Wisconsin and New York.

That need not happen to Dukakis, now the clear front-runner in a two-man race. But the large blocs of Jews (77 percent), white Roman Catholics (70) and white Protestants (57) who supported him in New York suggest that he may have been aided by voters alarmed at Jackson's sudden emergence.

If Dukakis now is viewed as an inevitable winner, and Jackson is no longer feared as a likely alternative, Dukakis' strength paradoxically might be diminished in the remaining states. That could keep him from establishing a really commanding lead by the end of the primaries.

Even now, he leads Jackson in delegates by only 1,048 to 842, with 2,081 needed to nominate. Under the Democrats' proportional representation system, if the race is close in the primaries still to come, Dukakis would not be able to expand that lead significantly.

Jackson's astute national chairman, Willie Brown of California, has pointed out also that his candidate has spent relatively little but now is raising large amounts of campaign funds, while Dukakis is approaching the federal spending limit for primaries. Thus, Jackson might be able to match or exceed his rival's spending in some states; that could particularly affect California, where campaigning is expensive.

The Dukakis victory in New York was so complete, nevertheless, that the talk of "inevitability" is only natural; so, therefore, is speculation that his running mate might be Jackson, who can't finish worse than second in the delegate race. Brown and Gerald Austin, Jackson's campaign manager, already are claiming that Jackson has earned second place.

That's true enough, but for several good reasons Dukakis and Jackson himself might not agree to such a ticket. First, it would pair two northern liberals — not necessarily a good combination anywhere and particularly unsuited to the South, where Super Tuesday showed both candidates weak among white voters. Without 70 or more Southern electoral votes, no Democratic ticket is likely to be a national winner.

Besides, as both Dukakis and Jackson have pointed out, no one really "earns" the No. 2 spot. Traditionally, and for sound political reasons, it's the nominee's choice to make.

Jackson might not think it so attractive to be Dukakis' running mate, or even vice president. As the first black vice-presidential nominee, he could well be blamed, however unfairly, if the Dukakis-Jackson ticket lost; that could set back his own aspirations and those of blacks generally.

If, on the other hand, that ticket won, Jackson necessarily would be a subordinate figure — like George Bush and Walter Mondale before him. As Jackson himself has remarked, almost correctly, "The only job of the vice president is to break ties in the Senate."

The limitations of the office would preclude even so forceful a man as him from a large policy-making role (as even the forceful Lyndon Johnson learned). If the vice president did not support the president, even when he disagreed, he would forfeit party standing; if Jackson became vice president, moreover, it would be owing to the defeat of Bush — a reminder that being vice president is not necessarily the best position from which to run for president.

His second place finish surely could bring Jackson more power and influence than the vice presidency — as "a tree shaker not a jelly maker" in shaping the ticket and the platform, as an absolutely crucial supporter of Dukakis in the fall election, as a powerful influence on a Dukakis administration, as probably the leading Democratic candidate for 1992 or 1996.

All that, of course, has to be weighed against the value — for himself and his people — of being the first black on a national ticket and perhaps in national office, as well as against the possibility of the president's death.

William Safire is a syndicated columnist for the New York Times News Service.

LETTERS

School board still needs Betsy Robinson

For the "tired" and retired teachers of District 5, I am not so sure "our" Betsy Robinson needs three more years on the Midland Independent School District Board, but I do know our school board needs her.

Please join our ranks and help us return Betsy to the MISD School Board on May 7th. Vote absentee until May 3 at 709 Washington.

Jane W. Harmon
Midland

What if Nabisco was to boycott Midland?

I just read with interest and concern, the column written by John Paul Pitts on Sunday, April 10. I was most disappointed at Pitts' encouragement of a boycott of Nabisco products to protest our dismissal of an advertising agency.

Perhaps Pitts should consider the impact upon the Midland area economy before making such suggestions. In the Midland area alone, Nabisco's Biscuit Division employs nine sales representatives. In all of West Texas, Nabisco's Biscuit Division is represented by over 60 people. In addition, the RJR Nabisco family includes many other companies with many other people employed in this area.

Perhaps the Reporter-Telegram should consider the impact of Pitts' boycott of Nabisco. If the boycott were successful, then Nabisco would find it useless to purchase full pages on which to feature RJR brands, or the great volume of Nabisco coupons which find their way to Midland consumers.

I'm confident the Midland area consumers are smart enough to make their own purchase decisions without the input of a short-sighted business editor.

Marc L. Tindall
Divisional Sales Manager
Nabisco Brands, Inc.
Lubbock

Man discovers others walking in his shoes

I went to the boot repairers the other day to collect my boots that were ready in July of 1987. Needless to say, they had gone — either to the St. Vincent de Paul Society or to Mexico the lady told me.

Then she said something touching. "Your boots aren't lost. They're doing somebody some good."

I will remember those boots, and I will remember that lady.

Paul Taylor
Midland

Allegations about racism unfounded

My name is Oliver Garcia, and I am the salutatorian of the class of 1988 at Midland High School. This is a distinction of which I am extremely proud. I feel that this honor has been earned through perseverance, dedication, and desire.

I became very distressed upon reading the recent letter regarding Staci Glenn. To be frank, I am appalled at how Mrs. Glenn accuses the MISD and Lee High School of racism. Her allegations are completely unfounded. The new grading system was not designed to discriminate against Staci Glenn. The LHS guidance counselor was not "out to get" her, as the letter implies; the decision whether or not to take four or five honor courses is ultimately the student's and parents' decision, not the counselor's.

This brings me to the grade point system. Mrs. Glenn's statement "Averaging dilutes the value of additional honors courses" is a complete fallacy. If this were true, then why bother to average any grades at all? The purpose of averaging is to determine the overall performance of a student — taking into account both high grades as well as low. The salutatorian of LHS, Geoff Rich, obviously did a better overall job; thus he retains the distinction.

Finally, I am sorry that Mrs. Glenn chooses to put a stigma on minorities. At Midland High School, I do not believe I received my honor because of minority status. My close friend, Kelly Bedrich, who is third in class ranking, in no way feels he was cheated — his GPA averaged out to be a meager .0081 under mine! We have both earned our places in the class of 1988 and are both very proud. Staci Glenn should also be extremely proud of her rank. To be at the top of one's class is an honor in itself. One does not need to degrade that honor by squabbling over petty grade points. What matters is the knowledge one gains in high school. I venture to say that Staci Glenn will be of no less service to this world because she was third and not second in her class.

Rejoice Mrs. Glenn! You indeed have overcome!

Oliver Garcia
Midland

SPEAKING OUT

Personal involvement could save children

By CAROL STEELE


Carol Steele, a Midlander for 24 years, used her training and experience as an educator to do volunteer work where children are involved. Now she is executive director of Permian Basin CAPP.

"One evening around 10 p.m., a police detective in one of our Texas communities (a child abuse investigator) was at home when the phone rang. He was assigned a child-beating case at the local hospital.

"Upon arriving at the hospital, he entered the emergency room and observed the small form of a 2-year-old boy. The seasoned detective reached down and touched the little bruised and battered body; the child did not move and was cold to the touch.

"The care of the child had been entrusted to a boyfriend, while the mother worked the evening shift at a local business. The boyfriend and the child had gone to grandma's house — another relative was also there — when the boyfriend noticed the child had wet his pants.

"The boyfriend became so infuriated he began to kick and beat the child with his pointed shoes and a belt with a large, heavy buckle. After the beating, he threw the child in the back seat of his car and drove around the town. The child slowly and painfully died in the back seat of that car, two to three hours later.

"The beating was witnessed by the grandmother and the other relative; they did nothing to try and stop it. After the boyfriend had beaten the child and placed him in the car, they did not call the police, or child protective services, or other relatives, or friends — they did not phone anyone for help.

"Had the grandmother or the other relative phoned *somebody* — an individual they trusted, or child protective services, or law enforcement — that child might be alive today."

The above story from the newsletter of the Texas Coalition for the Prevention of Child Abuse is true. It happens every day across the United States, in Texas, even in Midland. Child abuse takes many forms. Sometimes, like the story above, it is physical abuse; sometimes — sexual abuse; and every form of abuse carries emotional scarring of the child.

Many children die, but others live to face repeated abuse daily for years until they have psychological, emotional and possibly physical problems to deal with all of their lives. Those of us who see abuse and act passively because we don't want to get involved, are as guilty of hurting the child as the abuser.

We ALL must be willing to get involved. The Texas Family Code requires citizens to report suspected cases of child abuse/neglect to Department of Human Services or law enforcement. We are not required to prove it — only to suspect it.

A group of concerned Midlanders and Odessans, who believe every child has the right to a safe and happy childhood, has taken a giant step of involvement. They have dedicated themselves to *preventing* child abuse. Permian Basin CAPP (Child Abuse Prevention Program) is the program they have developed:

- To make the public aware of child abuse.
- To educate adults who touch the lives of children.
- To teach anti-victimization skills to children.
- To develop a program using trained volunteers to teach parents new ways of nurturing their children before abuse begins.

Already many individuals from other Midland organizations and agencies concerned about the safety of children have joined Permian Basin CAPP in a united effort in developing prevention programs.

You, too, can be involved in child abuse prevention. Pick up your phone and call 1-800-252-5400 if you suspect abuse. If you have time and energy and/or resources to volunteer, call 685-3007. Your support is needed because it shouldn't hurt to be a child.

"Speaking Out" columnists are invited to submit articles on subjects of their choice. They should be limited to 700 words or less.

BIBLE VERSE

But if I by the Spirit of God cast out demons, then is the kingdom of God come upon you. Matt. 12:28

Readers' views on: Suicide articles

Citizens must respond to teen suicide issue

The teen suicides this school year caused me to do some thinking, like other concerned citizens, on what can be done to work with Midland's youth to stop the trend.

I recently met with a volunteer from the Dallas Teen Contact, a hotline for teens, to discuss this issue. Then after several phone calls to Dallas, I spoke with the executive director of Teen Contact.

Teen Contact is a 24-hour resource and is staffed by trained, certified adult volunteers. The hotline is readily available to respond to any youth with any concern, problem, rising stress or crisis — day or night — and offers support for youth to deal with emotions resulting from personal pressures and conflicts. It provides an alternative to being isolated and alone with a problem, to lashing out in desperation and to drowning with the problem.

Through a study conducted of Contact's telephone records for one month, the director identified some of the issues behind youth's suicidal feelings. During the month, suicidal issues were: Losing boyfriends, parent/relative relationships, fights with siblings, school pressures and overall depression.

Again, this is a volunteer effort supported by donations from benefits, businesses and individuals. To get this started in Midland will be a task, especially for one person. I need help from those interested.

Call 697-1044 if you want more information or would just like to express your support for such an undertaking.

Gloria Youngblood
Midland

Article on Satanism, suicide appalling

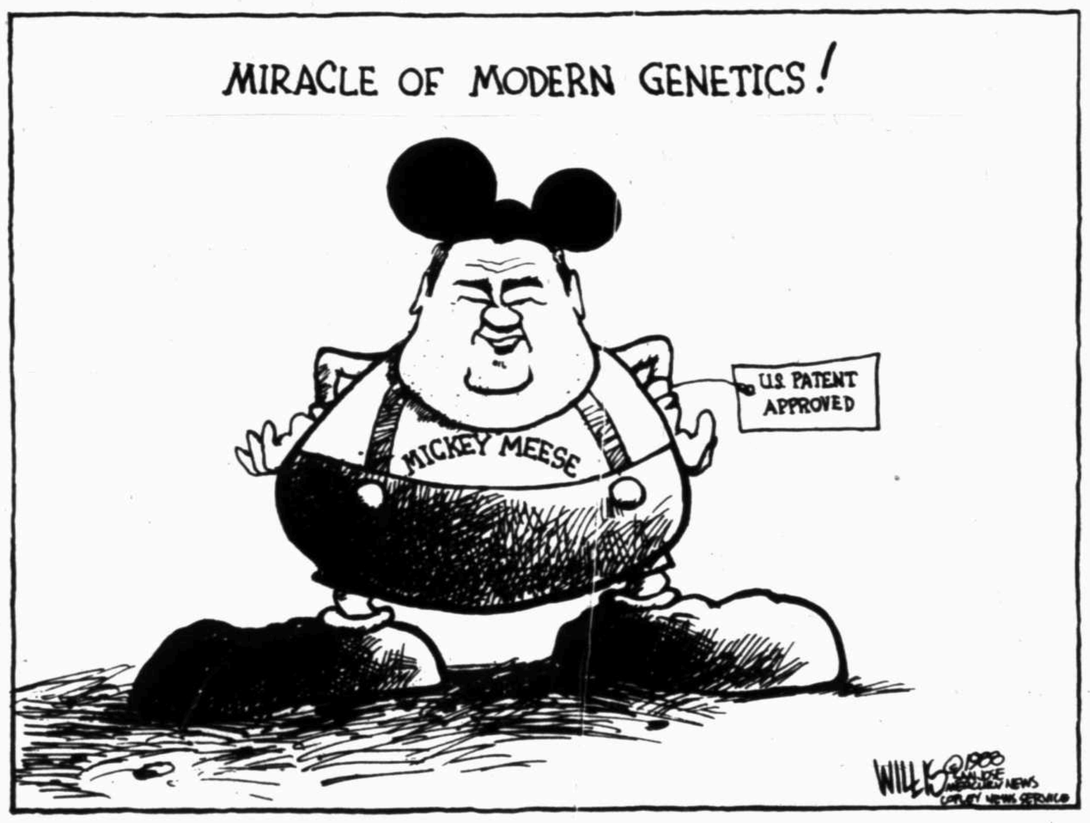
Michelle Stafford and I, sophomores at Lee High School, are appalled at your front page article on April 10 concerning Satanism and suicide. The mention of Brian Wells and Parrish Bryant in this article involving Satanism is offensive.

We as Brian's close friends understand the tragedy of suicide, but in Brian and Parrish's case Satanism was not an issue. It's the poorest of journalism to continue to exploit these boys' deaths. Let their families and friends go on and remember the good times without being constantly reminded of the circumstances of their deaths. Instead of letting this wound heal, these articles only serve to reopen this wound.

Whether this article was implying these boys' deaths and Satanism are connected is only known by the writer, but it came across to us, the readers, that the writer was insinuating Satanism and these deaths are connected.

Our love for Brian Lee Wells will never die. We want to remember Brian for what he was and what he did for us as a good friend, not the circumstances and rumors surrounding his tragic death.

Gaylynn Osburg
Midland



Nation should be proud of military response in the Gulf

By WILLIAM RANDOLPH HEARST JR.
Editor in Chief, The Hearst Newspapers


Hearst

NEW YORK — We can be proud of our president, our Congress and our Navy for the way they all performed in response to the Iran regime's recklessness in precipitating a fighting confrontation with our naval forces in the Persian Gulf last week.

There are many speculative reasons why the Mad Mullahs decided to lay a mine trap that severely damaged one of our ships and then reacted to our first retaliatory action by launching intensive sea and air attacks against our overwhelmingly more powerful warships. It was a challenge our government could not ignore, especially after one of our helicopter gunships had been shot down with two Marine pilots missing in action and our surface warships hit and damaged by missiles and shellfire.

Before ordering destruction of two Iranian oil platforms in retaliation for the mine attack that damaged the USS Samuel B. Roberts, President Reagan wisely called congressional leaders of both parties to the White House and informed them of what he intended to do and why. As a result, he obtained for the first time broad bipartisan support for his Persian Gulf policy which had been so harshly criticized by the Democrats when he originally ordered the Navy to protect freedom of navigation in the waterway that is the oil lifeline to Western Europe and Japan.

Seldom have congressional Democratic leaders joined in praising so highly President Reagan for anything he has done.

Senator Majority Leader Robert Byrd described the president's action as "a legitimate response." Senate Armed Services Committee Chairman Sam Nunn described it as a "justified and very effective move."

House Speaker Jim Wright said, "It behooves us to close ranks...partisanship ends at the water's edge." Rep. Lee Hamilton, a senior member of the House Foreign Affairs Committee, said, "There is very strong support for the measured steps the president took."

Even after the daylong sea and air attacks which Iran launched against our warships following destruction of the oil platforms and during which we sank or crippled six Iranian ships, with no losses or casualties to our forces except for the missing helicopter, the bipartisan support remained steadfast.

Despite all that has been said and written about lack of combat readiness in our military forces, incompetent commanders and poor discipline, it is clear the Navy was in good form in the first major engagement with Iranian sea and air forces.

On one of our ships under attack, the guided-missile cruiser Wainwright, the captain and crew performed brilliantly. When an Iranian missile patrol boat headed straight for the Wainwright, the captain warned it away. Instead of turning, the Iranian boat launched three missiles at the cruiser. The captain instantly ordered the firing of clouds of metallic chaff to disrupt the enemy missiles' guidance system; then ordered a missile fired at the Iranian boat and swung his own ship into evasive moves.

The three Iranian missiles straddled the Wainwright but none hit or damaged it. The Wainwright's missile scored a direct hit on the Iranian boat which was finished off by missiles from another U.S. warship and sank with an estimated loss of 31 Iranian sailors.

On our frigate the Samuel B. Roberts — which had a 22-ft hole blown in its steel hull by the Iranian mine, its engines destroyed, a fireball roar through it to 150 feet high, its stern lifted into the air and in danger of blowing up at any moment — the crew, instead of abandoning ship, stitched the ship together with steel wire to keep it from breaking apart. When other U.S. warships approached to help, the ship's captain ordered them away lest they hit mines.

The crew battled raging fires until they brought them under control and saved the ship. The courage, competence and swift action of the captain and crew will surely be recorded as one of the finest and most heroic actions in the history of our navy.

The concern in Washington now is that the Khomeini regime may want a mini-war with the U.S. to distract growing public discontent with the war against Iraq, which Iran is presently losing, which has cost an estimated 700,000 Iranian casualties, and which has brought terror to Teheran and other Iranian cities by Iraqi missile attacks.

There are also reports of an intensified struggle between the extreme fundamentalists and more moderate elements who fear the revolution is in danger. The latter are reported to favor UN efforts to bring about a cease-fire in the war with Iraq.

Gary Sick, a National Security Council member during the Carter administration, told the World Affairs Council in Washington this past week that Iranian representatives at the UN were getting close to a compromise on the cease-fire issue and the hardliners probably created the confrontation with the U.S. to block it.

We must continue our alert posture since the Iranian barbarians, having learned that attacking U.S. warships in the Persian Gulf is a costly venture, may order intensified terrorist attacks against Americans anywhere they can carry them out.

Here at home, the victories of Gov. Dukakis and Vice President Bush in the New York primaries were no surprise. Jesse Jackson did well, but he polarized the Democratic struggle by his record of racism and anti-Semitism. If he wields too much power at the Democratic convention in Atlanta this summer, it is likely to give the Massachusetts governor even less chance than I think he now has to defeat Bush in November.

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EDUCATION


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Olvera


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Saltzman


Jordan

Midland Freshman lists its newest 'Top Dawgs'

Midland Freshman High School has announced its newest "Top Dawgs."

They are selected by teachers based on academic achievement, behavioral expectations and school attendance. Moreover, these young people are excellent role models for their peers.

The following students were recognized for the 4th reporting period:

— Claudio Dominquez, English, Mr. and Mrs. Saragoza Dominquez;

— Brandt Jordan, Social Studies, Ms. Beverly Jordan;

— David McFadden, Science, Mr. and Mrs. John McFadden;

— Destiny Law, Math, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Law;

— Michael Eckerty, Band, Mr. and Mrs. Don Eckerty;

— Olivia Olvera, Physical Edcuation, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Olvera;

— Johnny Busbea, Art, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Cooper;

— John Coldwell, Orchestra, Mr. and Mrs. Jessup Coldwell;

— Angela Saltzman, Drama, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Saltzman;

— Bonnie MaCabe, Homemaking, Ms. Teena MaCabe;

— Michael Shannon, CVAE-GMR, Mr. and Mrs. John Steadmon;

— Kerry Hansen, German, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hansen.

Tools, tires taken from rural construction site

Assorted tools and tires were reported stolen Saturday from a rural construction site on FM 1788, the Midland County Sheriff's Department reported.

According to the offense report, the theft of property belonging to Strain Brothers Construction of San Angelo occurred between 12:30 and 4:45 a.m. Saturday. The property was valued totally at $3,900.

REPORT OF CONDITION
Consolidating domestic and foreign subsidiaries of the
First RepublicBank Midland, N.A.
of Midland. In the state of Texas, at the close of business on March 31, 1988 published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under title 12, United States Code, Section 161. Charter Number 00582 Comptroller of the Currency Southwestern District.

ASSETS

Statement of Resources and Liabilities	Thousands of dollars
Cash and balances due from depository institutions:	
Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	33,220
Interest-bearing balances	-0-
Securities	3,045
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs	
Federal funds sold	353,000
Securities purchased under agreements to resell	109,850
Loans and lease financing receivables:	
Loans and leases, net of unearned income	189,078
LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	8,596
LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	-0-
Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve	180,482
Assets held in trading accounts	-0-
Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	3,501
Other real estate owned	1,750
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	-0-
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	-0-
Intangible assets	14,568
Other assets	3,865
Total assets	703,281

LIABILITIES

Deposits:	
In domestic offices	611,168
Noninterest-bearing	53,281
Interest-bearing	557,887
In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs	-0-
Noninterest-bearing	-0-
Interest-bearing	-0-
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBF:	
Federal funds purchased	22,660
Securities sold under agreements to repurchase	-0-
Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury	945
Other borrowed money	19
Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases	-0-
Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding	-0-
Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits	-0-
Other liabilities	6,378
Total liabilities	641,170
Limited-life preferred stock	-0-

EQUITY CAPITAL

Perpetual preferred stock	-0-
Common stock	16,000
Surplus	77,340
Undivided profits and capital reserves	(31,229)
Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments	-0-
Total equity capital	62,111
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, and equity capital	703,281

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

Directors:
Matthew Murphy
Marvin Schiebout
Sam Baker

I, Pamela C. Cunningham, Vice President & Controller of the above named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Pamela C. Cunningham
April 20, 1988

Lee Freshmen recognizes period's top students

Lee Freshman High School has recognized 13 students as outstanding students for the most recent reporting period.

The students receive recognition for outstanding achievement, good efforts, exceptional work, and improvement.


Hancock


Froning


LoSoya


Wood


Hardell


Kroeger


Owen


Johns


Negri


Raney


Hopper


Glasscock


Low

The following students were recognized for the fourth reporting period:

— Elizabeth Hancock, English, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin C. Hancock;

— Denise Froning, Social Studies, Mr. and Mrs. Steven P. Froning;

— Yolanda LoSoya, Math, Mr. and Mrs. Juan Losoya;

— Allison Low, Science, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie J. Low;

— Jennifer Hardell, Physical Education, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Hardell;

— Greg Kroeger, Practical Arts, Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Kroeger;

— Mark Negri, Choir, Mr. and Mrs. Peter L. Negri;

— Kris Raney, Band, Mr. and Mrs. Richard C. Raney;

— Tiffiny Owen, Orchestra, Mr. and Mrs. Mike G. Owen;

— Ashley Wood, Foreign Languages, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Wood;

— Dwayne Johns, Vocational, Mr. and Mrs. Kent L. Johns;

— Mike Hopper, Art, Mr. and Mrs. Donald E. Hopper;

— Grant Glasscock, Speech-/Drama, Mr. and Mrs. Burley G. Glasscock.

MC musicians to present semester's 'final' concert

From Staff Reports

A concert at Chaparral Center Tuesday serves as a final exam for students in Midland College's Commercial Music Department.

The event begins at 7:30 p.m. and is free to the public.

"Since our students now are involved in all aspects of performance, including lighting, sound, and staging as well as the music, we felt this would be a good opportunity for them to put on a complete concert production," said Jerry Tubb, commercial music instructor.

Featured in the concert will be three different musical groups. "The 1:00 Rock Shop" plays rock music, "The 2:30 Pickers" presents country and bluegrass music, and "The 7:30 Jam Gang" plays contemporary styles.

Students also will be doing all the staging, sound, and lights. They will utilize equipment donated for the concert by FitzCo Sound, Inc., of Midland, a professional sound and lighting company in Midland.

"For the past two years, Midland College has had classes in Audio Technology, which includes stage lighting and sound for live performances, plus studio recording," Tubb pointed out. "This program was instituted to provide skilled graduates capable of working with all types of professional sound, recording, and lighting equipment used in the music industry."

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REPORT OF CONDITION
Consolidating domestic and foreign subsidiaries of the

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of Midland in the state of Texas, at the close of business on March 31, 1988 published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under title 12, United States Code, Section 161. Charter Number 17517 Comptroller of the Currency Southwestern District.

Statement of Resources and Liabilities

ASSETS	Thousands of dollars
Cash and balances due from depository institutions	
Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	8,263
Interest-bearing balances	4,518
Securities	23,906
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs	4,100
Loans and lease financing receivables:	
Loans and leases, net of unearned income	61,071
LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	512
LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	-0-
Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve	60,559
Assets held in trading accounts	-0-
Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	4,434
Other real estate owned	2,308
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	-0-
Customer's liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	-0-
Intangible assets	-0-
Other assets	1,632
Total assets	109,720
LIABILITIES	
Deposits:	
In domestic offices	102,784
Noninterest-bearing	23,766
Interest Bearing	79,018
In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs	-0-
Noninterest-bearing	-0-
Interest-bearing	-0-
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs	1,975
Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury	-0-
Other borrowed money	-0-
Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases	-0-
Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding	-0-
Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits	-0-
Other liabilities	465
Total liabilities	105,224
Limited-life preferred stock	-0-
EQUITY CAPITAL	
Perpetual preferred stock	-0-
Common stock	4,450
Surplus	4,875
Undivided profits and capital reserves	(4,829)
Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments	-0-
Total equity capital	4,496
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, and equity capital	109,720

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

David N. Jones
Ronnie D. Henry
Robert R. Smith
Directors

I, Pamela K. Baker
Assistant Vice President
of the above named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Conditions is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Pamela K. Baker
March 20, 1988

CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF CONDITION OF
(Including Domestic and Foreign Subsidaries)

Texas American Bank, National Association

Of Midland, Texas
at the close of business on
March 31, 1988
Federal Reserve Dist. No. 11

ASSETS	Thousands of Dollars
Cash and balances due from depository institutions	
a. Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	9,109
b. Interest-bearing balances	41,000
Securities	9,000
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBF's	26,030
Loans and lease financing receivables:	
a. Loans and leases, net of unearned income	35,265
b. LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	1,592
c. LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	None
d. Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve	33,673
Assets held in trading accounts	None
Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	3,816
Other real estate owned	2,382
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	None
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	None
Intangible assets	None
Other assets	1,543
Total assets	126,553
LIABILITIES	
Deposits:	
a. In domestic offices	121,005
(1) Noninterest-bearing	19,967
(2) Interest-bearing	101,038
b. In foreign offices, Edge and Ageement subsidiaries, and IBFs	None
(1) Noninterest-bearing	None
(2) Interest-bearing	None
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subidiaires, and in IBFs	275
Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury	None
Other borrowed money	None
Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases	None
Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding	None
Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits	None
Other liabilities	975
Total liabilities	122,237
Limited-life preferred stock	None
EQUITY CAPITAL	
Perpetual preferred stock ... No. of shares outstanding	None
Common stock ..... a. Authorized 400,000	
b. Outstanding 400,000	2,000
Surplus	2,000
Undivided profits and capital reserves	316
Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments	None
Total equity capital	4,316
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock and equity capital	126,553

I/We the undersigned officer(s), do hereby declare that this Report of Condition has been prepared in conformance with official instructions and is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. David W. Dunbar, Vice President/Cashier. April 21, 1988

We, the undersigned directors, attest the correctness of this Report of Condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

Charles G. Grimes
Thomas R. Craddick
Joseph O'Neill, III

REPORT OF CONDITION
Consolidating domestic and foreign subsidiaries of the

United Bank, National Association

of Midland. In the state of Texas, at the close of business on March 31, 1988 published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under title 12, United States Code, Section 161. Charter Number 17874 Comptroller of the Currency Southwestern District.

Statement of Resources and Liabilities

ASSETS	Thousands of dollars
Cash and balances due from depository institutions:	
Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	$ 6,867
Interest-bearing balances	2,598
Securities	21,685
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs:	
Federal funds sold	39,600
Loans and lease financing receivables:	
Loans and leases, net of unearned income	$113,837
LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	1,105
Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve	112,732
Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	1,404
Other real estate owned	945
Intangible assets	170
Other assets	1,764
Total assets	$187,765
LIABILITIES	
Deposits:	
In domestic offices	$163,415
Noninterest-bearing	$ 24,188
Interest-bearing	139,227
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs:	
Federal Funds Purchased	1,725
Other liabilities	1,112
Total liabilities	166,252
EQUITY CAPITAL	
Perpetual preferred stock	4,570
Common stock	3,291
Surplus	11,451
Undivided profits and capital reserves	2,201
Total equity capital	21,513
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, and equity capital	$187,765

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

Directors
Herbert E. Ware, Jr.
Jack D. Hightower
Arden Grover

I, K. Michael Conaway
Senior Vice President &
Chief Financial Officer
of the above named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

K. Michael Conaway
April 20, 1988

REPORT OF CONDITION
Consolidating domestic and foreign subsidiaries of the

Texas Commerce Bank-Midland N.A.

of Midland. In the state of Texas, at the close of business on March 31, 1988 published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under title 12, United States Code, Section 161 Charter Number 18304 Comptroller of the Currency Southwestern District.

ASSETS

Statement of Resources and Liabilites

	Thousands of dollars
Cash and balances due from depository institutions	
Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	10,304
Interest-bearing balances	-0-
Securities	159
Federal Funds Sold	80,000
Securities purchased under agreements to resell	-0-
Loans and lease financing receivables:	
Loans and leases, net of unearned income	29,708
LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	464
LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	-0-
Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve	29,244
Assets held in trading accounts	-0-
Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	571
Other real estate owned	159
Investments in unconosolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	-0-
Customer's liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	-0-
Intangible assets	-0-
Other assets	429
Total assets	120,866
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 18230(j)	-0-
Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	120,866
LIABILITIES	
Deposits:	
In domestic offices	112,202
Noninterest-bearing	27,941
Interest Bearing	84,261
Federal funds purchased	500
Securities sold under agreements to repurchase	-0-
Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury	629
Other borrowed money	-0-
Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases	-0-
Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding	-0-
Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits	-0-
Other liabilities	1,460
Total liabilities	114,791
Limited-life preferred stock	-0-
EQUITY CAPITAL	
Perpetual preferred stock	-0-
Common stock	2,900
Surplus	2,400
Undivided profits and capital reserves	775
Total equity capital	6,075
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	-0-
Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	6,075
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital, and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	120,866

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

Ed Jones
W. W. LaForce, Jr.
Wm. S. Marshall
Directors

I, Ann Abbey
Senior Vice President/Cashier
of the above named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Conditions is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Ann Abbey
April 20, 1988

REPORT OF CONDITION
Consolidating domestic and foreign subsidiaries of the

Community National Bank

of Midland. In the state of Texas, at the close of business on March 31, 1988,, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under title 12, United States Code, Section 161. Charter Number 18054 Comptroller of the Currency Southwestern District.

Statement of Resources and Liabilites

ASSETS	Thousands of dollars
Cash and balances due from depository institutions:	
Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	1,849
Interest-bearing balances	3,665
Securities	9,944
Federal Funds sold	4,055
Securities purchased under agreements to resell	-0-
Loans and lease financing receivables:	
Loans and leases, net of unearned income	11,568
LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	347
LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	-0-
Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve	11,221
Assets held in trading accounts	-0-
Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	950
Other real estate owned	446
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	-0-
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	-0-
Intangible assets	-0-
Other assets	503
Total assets	32,633
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(i)	-0-
Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (i)	-0-
LIABILITIES	
Deposits:	
In domestic offices	31,100
Noninterest-bearing	6,380
Interest-bearing	24,720
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	-0-
Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury	-0-
Other borrowed money	-0-
Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases	-0-
Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding	-0-
Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits	-0-
Other liabilities	178
Total liabilities	31,278
Limited-life preferred stock	-0-
EQUITY CAPITAL	
Perpetual preferred stock	-0-
Common stock	1,042
Surplus	1,059
Undivided profits and capital reserves	(746)
Total equity capital	1,355
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(i)	-0-
Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(i)	-0-
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, and equity capital	32,633

I, Elizabeth A. Harrell, Vice President and Cashier of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Elizabeth A. Harrell
Vice President/Cashier
April 12, 1988

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

Directors
C. Don Tergerson
Louie G. Koonce
J.D. Crawford

Consolidated Report Of Condition of

Midland American Bank

of Midland and Foreign and Domestic Subsidiaries, at the close of business March 31, 1988, a state banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this state and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authority and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

Statement of Resources and Liabilities

ASSETS	Thousands of dollars
Cash and balances due from depository institutions	
Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	1,493
Interest-bearing balances	2,962
Securities	1,641
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	1050
Loans and lease financing receivables:	
Loans and leases, net of unearned income	11,426
LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	298
LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	-0-
Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve	11,128
Assets held in trading accounts	-0-
Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	302
Other real estate owned	411
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	-0-
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	-0-
Intangible assets	-0-
Other assets	192
Total assets	19,179
LIABILITIES	
Deposits:	
In domestic offices	18,545
Noninterest-bearing	3,180
Interest bearing	15,365
In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs	-0-
Noninterest-bearing	-0-
Interest-bearing	-0-
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs	-0-
Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury	-0-
Other borrowed money	-0-
Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases	-0-
Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding	-0-
Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits	-0-
Other liabilities	158
Total liabilities	18,703
Limited-life preferred stock	-0-
EQUITY CAPITAL	
Perpetual preferred stock (No. of shares outstanding	-0-
Common stock (No. of shares a. Authorized	160,000
b. Outstanding	160,000
	800
Surplus	1000
Undivided profits and capital reserves	(1,324)
Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments	-0-
Total equity capital	476
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, and equity capital	19,179

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

Monty E. Gist
John E. Grist
J. William Milner

I, Melanie Bennett Cashier of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Melanie Bennett
April 21, 1988

State of Texas County of Midland. Sworn to and subscribed before me this 21st day of April, 1988 and I herby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank. My commission expires 3-19, 1991.

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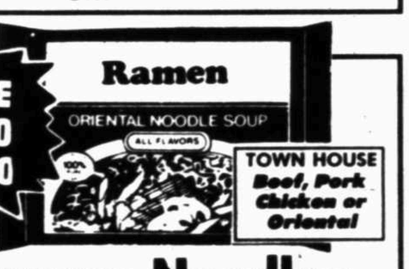
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LETTER FROM COLLEGE

Student talent to be played, displayed

By H.A. TUCK



Tuck

A concert is coming to Chaparral Center at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday. But this concert is somewhat different than most of those that play Chap Center.

This one is being staged by the college's Commercial Music Department...and it's free.

Instructor Jerry Tubb is using the concert as a practical final exam for both the commercial music ensembles as well as the stage, lighting, and sound class. It gives them the opportunity to participate in a professional-style concert.

There will be rock, bluegrass, contemporary, and country-western groups performing in the event. The college recently began teaching classes in Audio Technology, providing students a chance to work with recording, lighting, and staging. This is a new area for commercial music, since most of those folks doing such chores simply picked it up along the way. With the changes in technology, more formal training was needed — hence the Audio Technology program.

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The annual Spring Student Art Show opens Tuesday in the McCormick Gallery for a two-week run. This show includes drawings, oil paintings, watercolors, and ceramics, plus photography and architectural projects.

This show lasts through May 8, but the reception for the artists won't be held until May 9.

McCormick Gallery is located in the Allison Fine Arts Building.

Admission is free. Gallery hours are 8 a.m.-10 p.m. Monday through Thursday, 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Friday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday and 1-5 p.m. Sunday.

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Midland College is hosting the Region V men's and women's tennis tournaments Friday and Saturday on the MC courts. Top two teams in both tournaments advance to the National Junior College Athletic Association's national tournaments.

Midland College and Odessa College will try to uphold the honor of the Western Conference, while such powers as Cooke County from Gainesville and McLennan College from Waco will be the powers from the Northern Conference.

MC coach Joe Williams is hoping to qualify both his teams for the national championships. In fact, if they can advance through this region, he thinks they have excellent chances of winning national titles.

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Academic achievement will be recognized Thursday at 3 p.m. when the Student Activities Office hosts a reception for students named to the President's and Dean's Lists this year. Those on the President's List have perfect 4.0 grade point averages, while those on the Dean's List have at least a 3.5 GPA.

The reception is being held in the Student Center.

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Dr. Eileen Piwetz, chairman of the Midland College Health Sciences Division, has been named to a Special Subcommittee on Nursing by the state nursing association's Special Committee on Post-Secondary Medical, Dental, and Allied Health Education. The committee is to address nursing education issues, including the shortage of nurses.

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Art instructor John Harmon came by to tell me about a Pottery Workshop that's scheduled for May 7-8. It will be conducted by Christopher Staley, head of the Ceramics Department at Wichita State University, Kansas. He'll lead the workshop Saturday from 8 a.m.-5 p.m. and Sunday from 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

If you'd like to attend, contact the Continuing Education Department at 685-4518. Fee is $35. The workshop is approved for 12 hours of Advanced Academic Training credit for public school personnel.

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College President Dr. Jess Parrish has written an article that's published in the current issue of "Leadership Abstracts," published by the League for Innovation in the Community College and the Community College Leadership Program. His topic was "Individual and Group Responsibility for Leadership Development."

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Ballet Midland's Spring Season production is being presented in the Allison Fine Arts Building auditorium Friday through Sunday. Performances are at 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday and at 2 p.m. Sunday.

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Coming very soon is the annual Midland College Athletic Banquet. This year, it's being held at the Holiday Inn Country Villa on Wednesday, May 4, at 7 p.m. Tickets are $7 and may be purchased at the MC Athletic Office or reserved by calling 685-4575.

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Continuing Education classes starting this week are few. Two, in fact. Hunter Safety meets from 7-10 p.m. Monday through Thursday for this week only. Fee is $10 and the class satisfies hunting license requirements for those states which requires completion of a hunter safety course in order to obtain the license.

Also scheduled is a Real Estate Examination Review. It will be held Friday from 6-10 p.m. and Saturday from 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

To register, just come by the Continuing Education Office in the Administration Building. Other information is available by calling 685-4518.

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At last Tuesday's Board of Trustees' meeting, the retirement of Dee Windsor was accepted. Now the Associate Dean of Students and Registrar, Windsor has spent his career in education as a coach, teacher, and counselor. He joined Midland College in 1972 when it was becoming a separate institution and has become a most familiar face. He'll be leaving us late this summer...probably to polish his golf game.

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Three sophomores from the Chaparral basketball team already have signed with Division I NCAA schools: Stewart Barnett with Wyoming, Clifton Jones with Idaho, and Herman "Skeeter" Henry with Oklahoma. Coaches from throughout the country now are looking to Midland College for good, well-coached players who are accustomed to winning. Still unsigned is Billy Ray Smith, who's being courted by schools from coast to coast. Don't bet he won't end up at a Big Eight program.

H.A. Tuck is public relations director at Midland College.

Video on suicide may be viewed

From Staff Reports

Freshman and high school parents and students are invited to veiw a video titled "Suicide Is Not Painless."

The video will be shown during the regular meeting of the Lee High School PTA Monday in the choir room at Lee High School at 7 p.m.

Dr. Stephen W. Russell, counselor for MISD, Patricia J. Cobb, counselor for MISD, and Dr. Thomas A. Turnage, director of education and adjunctive therapies, Glenwood Psychiatric Hospital, will conduct a question and answer session following the showing of the video.

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Restore public confidence in the school board
Review teacher evaluation process
Review long term planning and fiscal policy
Maintain and improve quality education for all
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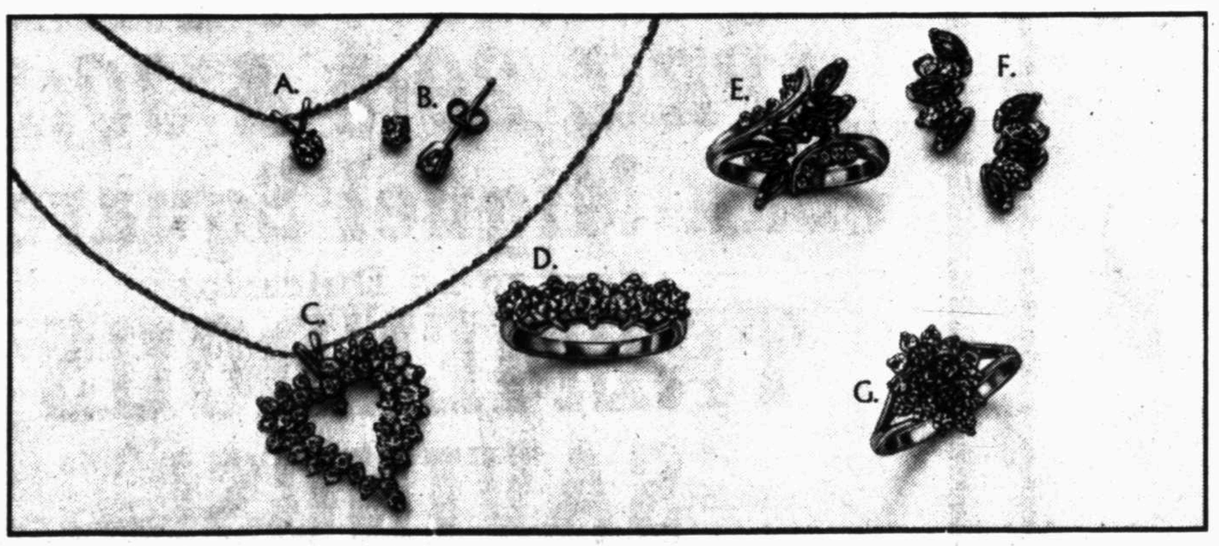
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EDUCATION IN BRIEF

Performance planned

Rusk Elementary will have their fifth grade strings performance at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Lee High School auditorium. There will also be a general Parent-Teachers Association meeting at 7:45 p.m. that will entail elections of the 1988-89 PTA officers. Following the elections at 8 p.m. the fifth graders will present their music program.

Teachers to be honored

During Teacher Appreciation Week, May 1-7, 6.1 million members of the National Parent-Teachers Association will be honoring teachers for their contributions to our society. Students need to understand the importance and significance of what teachers do for them and teachers need to know that they are valued.

Thousands of PTAs throughout the country will be working with community members, business leaders and others to recognize teachers.

If you have any questions about Teacher Appreciation Week, please call (312) 787-0977 or contact your local PTA to learn how they are participating in this annual observance.

Films may be reviewed

A one-day review session on films and other audio-visual materials will be available to public schools through Region 18 Service Center. The session is scheduled from 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Thursday at the center which is located at 2811 LaForce Blvd., Midland International Airport.

Parents and other citizens interested in requesting preview of particular films from the collection maintained at the Service Center should notify the Center at least five days in advance so the staff will have time to check on the availability of the films and set up preview rooms. In the event a film is not available on the date requested, the person making the request will be given a date on which it may be seen.

To request preview of the films, call Pam Winn, Media Supervisor, at 563-2380. The name of the films desired, and the approximate time the person will arrive at the Center should be given to Mrs. Winn.

Travis PTA will meet

Travis Elementary has scheduled their Parent-Teachers Association meeting at 7:00 p.m., Monday at 900 E. Gist. Linda Patterson will present "Parent Awareness or What a Parent Can Do to Protect Their Child."

Students honored in fair

Several Midland Independent School District students recently received first, second or third place awards in the "Just Say No" Media Fair sponsored by the Region 18 Education Service Center in cooperation with the Texans' War on Drugs and the Texas Association for Educational Technology. The purpose of the fair was to encourage research and production of media which discourages the use of illegal drugs and alcohol by youth and/or drug abuse by adults.

Local students receiving awards in the following categories include: Video Category, grades 4-6 — first place, The Drugbusters — Carver Center GEM, teacher sponsor Jean Alvey. Graphics Category, grades 10-12 — first place, Isidro Sanchez, Lee High School, teacher sponsor Shari Laidley; second place, Pady Hoh, Lee High School, teacher sponsor Merle Z. Burleson; third place, Rito Frausto, Lee High School, teacher sponsor Shari Laidley. Graphics Category, grades 7-9 — second place, Ginger Brininstool, Goddard Jr. High, teacher sponsor Shari Laidley; third place, Albert Campos, Goddard Jr. High, teacher sponsor Melissa Brown. Graphics Category, grades 4-6 — second place, Hugs, Not Drugs, Carver Center, GEM, teacher sponsor Jean Alvey.

Other winners included students from Odessa, Stanton, Pecos, Fort Stockton, and Van Horn. First place winning entries will be sent to Austin to be judged in the State "Just Say No" Media Fair. Judges for the local contest held at Regional 18 Education Service Center were Beverly Barron, Texans' War on Drugs; Dr. J.D. Bilbro, U.S.D.A.; and Sharon Welch, Region 18 Education Service Center.

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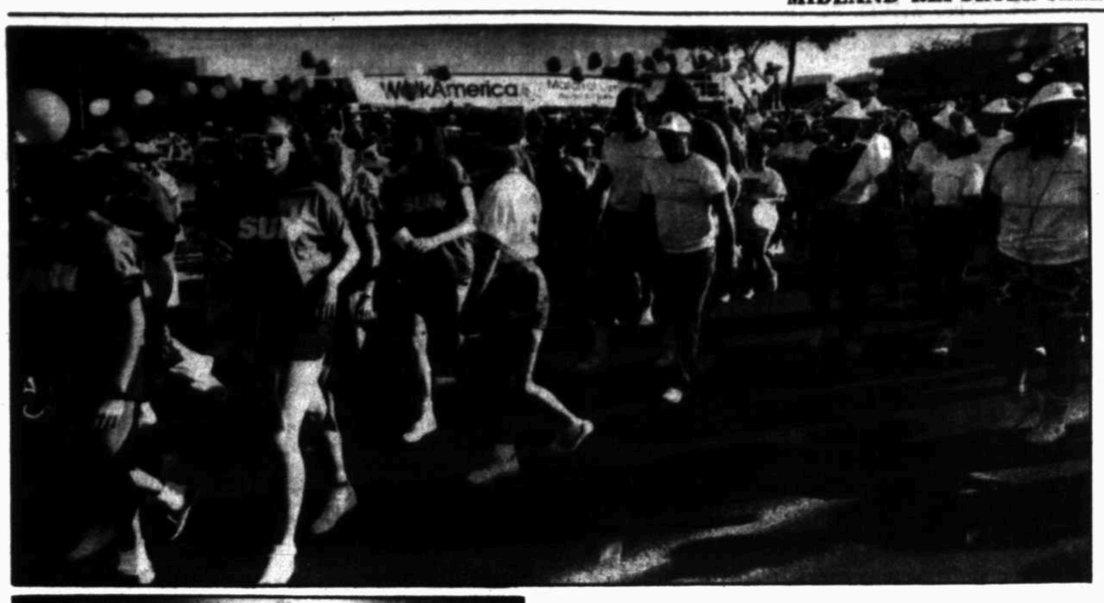
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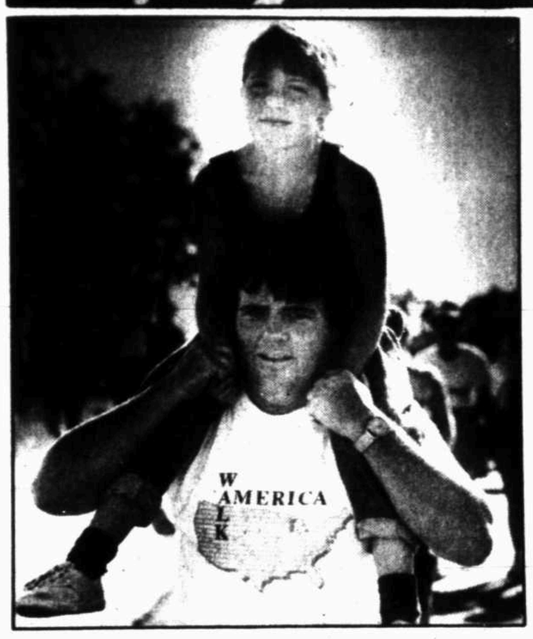
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The special series is entitled "To Midland With Love," and features Doug Parsons, pulpit preacher for the church, speaking nightly.

Special singing will be provided by the Sonrise Quartet, the MeisterSingers, the Embers and the Singing Singles Quartet. Parsons' topics include "The Greatest Need of This Church," 9 a.m. April 24; "Worth of the Soul," 6:20 p.m. April 24; "What is Man?" Monday; "Five Minutes After You Die," Tuesday; and "Five Facts About the Second Coming," Wednesday.

Activities Monday through Wednesday begin with dinner at 6:15 p.m.

The public is invited to attend all events. For more information call the church office, 694-8836.

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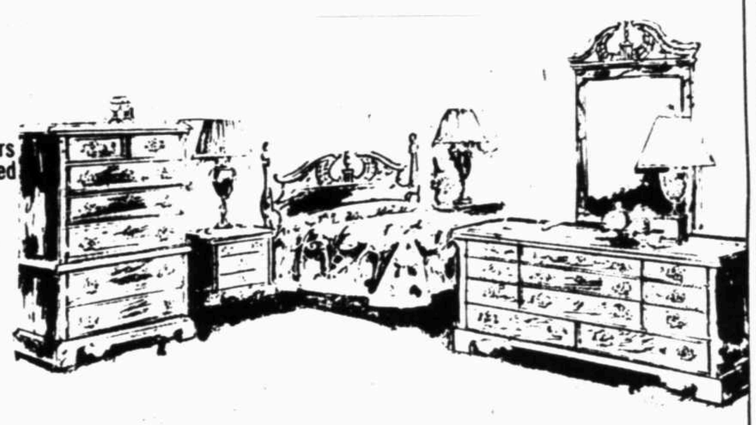
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DEATHS

Henry H. Ray Jr.


Ray

Henry Herbert Ray Jr., 65, of Midland died Friday following a sudden illness. Funeral services are scheduled for 3 p.m. at New Hope Baptist Church with the Rev. Joseph Williams, pastor, officiating.

Burial will follow in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Thomas Funeral Home.

He was born June 3, 1922, in San Angelo. He married Bernice Hall in San Angleo in 1947. They moved to Midland in 1948. He was a veteran of World War II. He was employed at the Museum of the Southwest of 17 years before his retirement in 1985. He was a deacon of the New Hope Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife of Midland; three daughters, Joyce B. Igbinosa, Jacqueline H. Tate and Denettia Green, all of Houston; three sons, Glenn Robert Ray of Reno, Nev., Henry Herbert Ray II of Midland and Kenneth Lynn Ray of Houston; two sisters, Jessie M. Clay of Midland and Jyona F. Patterson of San Angelo; three brothers, Robert Ray of Midland, Milton C. Ray of San Angelo and Lewis D. Ray of South Carolina; 20 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be deacons of the New Hope Baptist Church.

Honorary pallbearers will be Saint James Lawrence, Randy Norris, Radell Niblett, Willie Wilson and James Roseberry.

Margaret N. Dunn

Rosary for Margaret Nellis Dunn of Midland will be recited 8 p.m. today in the Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with Father Fred Nawarskas officiating. Funeral mass is scheduled for 9:30 a.m. Monday at St. Ann's Catholic Church.

Graveside services are scheduled for 3:30 p.m. Mountain Daylight Time at Southpark Cemetery in Roswell, N.M., under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

She died Wednesday evening in Fort Worth.

She was born Jan. 24, 1915, in Bath, N.Y., and moved to Oklahoma as a child. While she still was school-aged her family moved to Artesia, N.M. She married the late David A. Dunn in Roswell in 1942. The couple made their home there before moving to Nevada. In 1945, they returned to Roswell and then moved to Midland in 1961. Dunn was employed with Union Oil Co. He died in 1984.

She was a member of St. Ann's Catholic Church, the Alter Society of St. Anne's and the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Survivors include two sons, David A. Dunn Jr. and Christopher I. Dunn, both of Midland; two daughters, Mary Evans of Littleton, Colo., and Patti Beck of Weatherford; 14 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers are to include David A. Dunn Jr., Christopher I. Dunn, Nelson T. Evans, David A. Dunn III, John David Beck and J.D. Beck.

Joseph V. Moore

Services for Joseph Victor Moore are scheduled for 11 a.m. Monday in the Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with Dick Braun of the First Presbyterian Church officiating. Burial will follow in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

He died Friday at a local hospital.

He was born Nov. 13, 1921, in Comanche and was raised in Victoria, where his family had moved when he was young. While attending school he met Ferne Orr. The couple married June 7, 1946, in Kingsville after he served three years in the South Pacific with the U.S. Navy. He joined the Humble Oil Co in Kingsville in 1946. He was a bottom hole pressure operator. He was transferred to Midland in 1950, and he worked in oil fields near Midkiff and Andrews. He retired in 1983.

He was a member of Trinity Presbyterian Church.

He is survived by his wife, of Midland; a son, Joseph V. Moore II of Richardson; a daughter, Virginia L. Moore of Midland, his father, Robert Moore of Victoria; a brother, Robert Moore Jr. of Victoria; three grandchildren, a niece and a nephew.

The family requests memorials be directed to the American Heart Association.

Homer M. Trout

ROBERT LEE — Homer McClure Trout, 76, of Midland, died Thursday in Robert Lee.

Services will be Monday at 2 p.m. in the First Presbyterian Church of Locus Grove, Okla., with Grant Turpin officiating.

Burial will be in the Hogan Cemetery under the direction of the James, Wilson and Cunningham Funeral Home.

He was born in Kellysville, Okla., Nov. 11, 1911. He attended Northern State College in Talequah, Okla., and served in the U.S. Air Force during World War II. He was employed by the Warren Petroleum Corp. of the Elcor Chemical Co. of Midland. He retired in 1969.

He was an active leader in the Boy Scouts of America and had served as post commander of the American Legion of Midland.

Survivors include his wife, Anne Trout, of Midland; one son, Homer Trout Jr., of Midland; two daughters, Regina Langwell of Dallas and Debbie Leison of Edmond, Okla.; and four grandchildren.

William A. McGinnis

CARLSBAD, N.M. — Funeral services for William Arthur McGinnis, 85, of Loving, N.M., will at 2 p.m. Monday at the West Funeral Home Chapel, with the Revs. Gerald Harden and Mark Devine officiating. Burial will follow at Sunset Gardens Memorial Park.

McGinnis died Friday at a local hospital following a brief illness.

He was born August 25, 1902, in Montgomery, Ala. He moved to Loving in 1948 and worked for U.S. Potash Mine from 1949-67. He was a member of the Loving Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Eva Melba McGinnis of Loving, N.M.; a son, Arthur McGinnis of Midland; a daughter, Verna Joy Evans of Hobbs, N.M.; a brother, Fred McGinnis of Clovis, N.M.; and three grandchildren.

Billy S. Harper

Graveside services for Billy S. Harper are scheduled for 2:15 p.m. Sunday at Fairview Cemetery with Dr. Ray Riddle of the First Presbyterian Church officiating. Services are under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

He died Friday in Abilene.

He was born June 10, 1932, in Fort Worth and was reared in Midland. He graduated from the Brown School in San Marcus and resided in Abilene until he died. He was a member of the Presbyterian Church.

He is survived by his mother, Verna S. Harper of Midland; and a sister, Bettie Krause of Las Vegas, Nev.

The family requests memorials be directed to the American Heart Association.

Ruth Michaelson

Graveside services for Ruth Michaelson are scheduled for 1 p.m. Monday at Resthaven Memorial Park with the Rev. Ray Riddle officiating. Services are under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

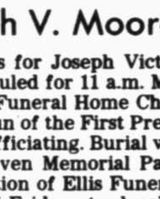
She died Saturday at a local hospital.

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Thelma, Jerry, Randall, Rikki, Christopher and Benjamin Upton

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Who Earns What?

The gender gap is closing: working women earned 70 percent as much as working men last year, according to figures released by the Labor Department, up from the 62.5 percent of men's earnings they earned in 1979, when this data was first collected.

Young women did particularly well. Those in their 20s earned more than 80 percent of their male colleagues' salaries, and they're expected to have fewer work interruptions than their mothers did, keeping earnings high. Highest-paid women were the professionals and those employed as mechanics.

Black workers also closed a pay gap, moving up to 78 percent of the earnings of whites. Black women got the biggest increases in dollars in 1987.

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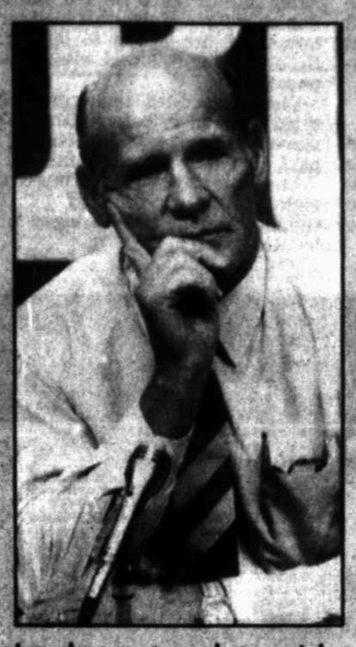
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The Draft— Is it really that thin?

By DAVE GOLDBERG
AP Football Writer

It's the thinnest draft in years, moan the scouts, the general managers, the coaches.

Or is it?

Some people, like general manager Jim Finks of New Orleans, thinks scouts have deliberately graded players lower than usual because there are fewer openings this year. Others, like Dallas' Gil Brandt, think it's the kind of draft where all players are created equal — meaning there's little difference between 15th and 50th, leaving teams to fill needs rather than overstock.

That means it probably favors the teams that do the best job of sorting out the talent. If there are few blue-chippers at the top, the good teams will find the talent later.

So just assume that better drafts will be had by the Redskins, Giants, Bears, 49ers (the last four Super Bowl winners) plus the Saints, Broncos and Patriots. And look for the Redskins and 49ers to deal up and down, as they always do, even though Washington has no pick until the 55th in the draft.

One first-rounder we know about is Brian Bosworth, whom Seattle took in a supplemental draft last season, forfeiting its first this year. Another is Aundray Bruce, the Auburn linebacker already signed by Atlanta.

After that? Half-a-dozen teams, led by the Raiders, are looking to trade up or down. The person who wins the yearly contest by naming the most first-rounders will have earned his prize.

1, ATLANTA — Everyone wants a Lawrence Taylor or Cornelius Bennett. This year's version is AUNDRAY BRUCE, lb, Auburn, whom the Falcons have already signed. In this year's soft draft, he'll have to do.

2, KANSAS CITY — NEIL SMITH, de, Nebraska, could be the next Reggie White. Or he could be the next Kenneth Sims. The Chiefs obviously think he'll be White, since they gave away their second-round choice in a trade with Detroit to ensure that the Raiders couldn't deal up to grab him.

3, DETROIT — The Lions' new general manager, Jerry Vainisi, has already proved his worth by grabbing that extra second-rounder from the Chiefs for essentially nothing — Detroit didn't want Smith anyway and takes BENNY BLADES, s, Miami.

4, TAMPA BAY — Ray Perkins wants someone who will make Vinny Testaverde's arm a threat. Heisman Trophy winner Tim Brown? When they open the envelope it says: STERLING SHARPE, wr, South Carolina.

5, CINCINNATI — The Bengals always manage to avoid picking top defensive players. TIM BROWN, wr, Notre Dame, is the best available athlete, so he becomes the third receiver in the past four years to become the Bengals' top pick.

6, L.A. RAIDERS — They wanted Smith, they would have grabbed Brown, but PAUL GRUBER, ot, Wisconsin fits their needs unless they grab Ironhead Heyward and deal him to Washington for Jay Schroeder. Now they have to find a quarterback for Gruber to protect.

7, GREEN BAY — Do you correct last year's mistake, Brent Fullwood, with a running back.

Please see NFL, Page 5C.

Padres blank Astros

SAN DIEGO (AP) — Randy Ready scored on a disputed call in the fourth inning and added a two-run single in the eighth Saturday night to lead the San Diego Padres past the Houston Astros 4-0.

Ed Whitson, 2-0, combined with Lance McCullers and Mark Davis on a four-hitter, the Padres' ninth straight victory over the Astros in San Diego.

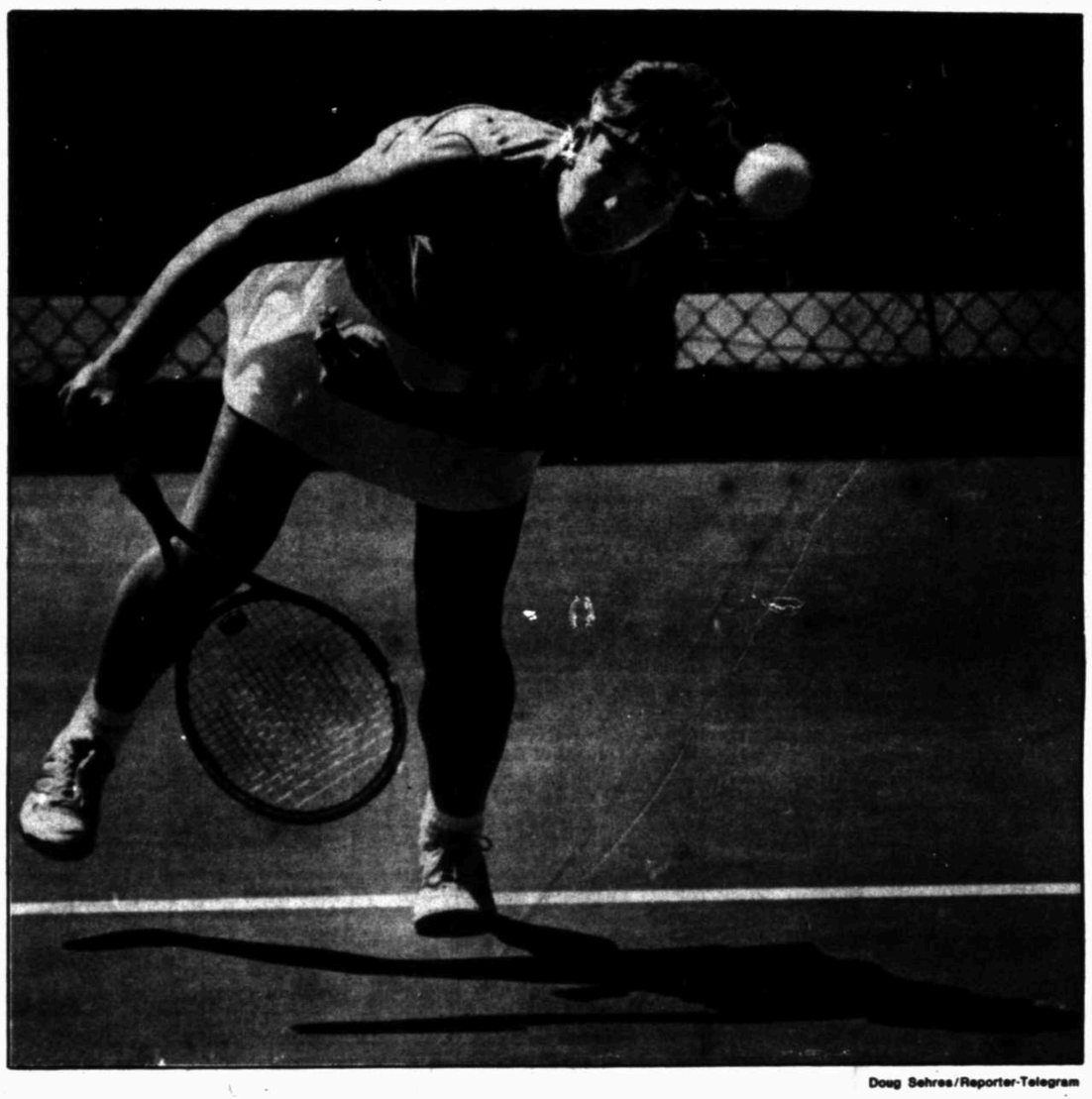
Ready doubled to left in the fourth and scored on a one-out single by Benito Santiago when he evaded the tag of Houston catcher Alan Ashby, who had the throw from left fielder Billy Hatcher ahead of Ready's slide. Houston Manager Hal Lanier argued the call to no avail.

Ready had avoided a tag on his double when he slid past second baseman Bill Doran after he had taken the throw from Hatcher.

The Astros had the lead batter reach base in five of seven innings against Whitson, but could get no runner past second base.

In the seventh, Whitson issued a leadoff walk to Ashby and Denny Walling then grounded to shortstop, forcing Ashby at second. On the attempted double play, however, second baseman Roberto Alomar threw wildly, allowing Walling to reach second. McCullers came on and shut down the Astros, allowing only a walk to pinch-hitter Terry Puhl.

The Padres struck for three runs in the eighth off reliever Larry Andersen as Ready delivered a single with the bases loaded to drive in two and Shawn Abner followed with a run-scoring single.



Doug Sehres/Reporter-Telegram

Midland College's Sarah Hancock blasts a serve in WJCAC net action at MC courts Saturday.

MC men sweep WJCAC tennis

By BILL GRIMES
Sports Writer

ODESSA — Johan Dysholm is back.

It's not the sort of announcement that will be plastered on billboards, but it could have an impact on the Region V tennis tournament next weekend.

Dysholm, the third-ranked junior college player in the nation, spearheaded a 9-0 Midland College sweep in the Western Junior College Athletic Conference tennis tournament at the Odessa College Tennis Center with a hard-fought 6-2, 7-6 (7-1) win over Odessa's Ricardo Herrera. The Swede had returned to action against New Mexico Military Institute Friday after sitting out two weeks with a foot injury.

BUT IT WAS Herrera who looked like the injured party in the tiebreaker, as Dysholm simply overpowered the smaller Wrangler star. MC went on to win the other eight matches en route to clinching its fifth straight conference men's championship.

In WJCAC women's play Saturday, Odessa won its first championship since 1979 by sweeping the doubles competition in a 5-4 squeaker over perennially-strong Midland.

The MC men were so overpowering Saturday that only No. 4 singles player Eric Addington was able to win a set against the Chaps. But it was Dysholm's win that was especially meaningful, despite the Swede's self-professed lack of timing as a result of the two-week layoff.

"My foot is 100 percent, but my forehand did not feel good," Dysholm said.

The University of Arkansas-bound Dysholm is undefeated in 19 junior college competition this season, having lost only to the top-ranked player in NCAA Division II and the top singles player at Texas Tech. He has high hopes for the regional competition in Midland Saturday, despite the scheduled presence of such toughies as Herrera, Jorge Rendon of New Mexico Military, and countryman Martin Tinlin of McLennan.

"I'll be disappointed if we don't win regionals," Dysholm said. "And, I think we have a shot at the national championship if we get a bit lucky."

THE CHAPS are undefeated against junior college competition save a loss to top-ranked Anderson (S.C.) last weekend, in which they played without Dysholm.

MC coach Joe Williams said the Chaps should be on top of their game for regional play.

"There isn't any doubt that the guys will play well," he said. "The girls may have to do some soul-searching, though."

Indeed, the Lady Chaps lost two singles matches and all three doubles tilts in their upset loss. Williams said the MC women may have to step into high gear for a national tournament berth despite a string of 13 straight appearances at nationals.

"I've seen this loss coming for two months," Williams said. "I told the girls they have to wake up.

"When they get opportunities, they have to take advantage."

They didn't Saturday. No. 6 singles player Julie Vallandingham looked like an easy winner after breezing through the first set. But Odessa's Sharon Westfall roared back for a 1-6, 6-3, 6-2 win to keep the Lady Wranglers in contention for the championship.

The No. 1 doubles team of Caroline Bhaguandas and Sara Hancock gave the nation's top-ranked doubles team a run for the money, but Melissa Nelson and Julie Cass eked out a three-set win and the other two OC doubles pairs won in straight sets to clinch the team victory.

Men

Singles

Johan Dysholm def. Ricardo Herrera 6-2, 7-6(6-1); Gilles Ameline def. Dennis Fulgenzi, 6-0, 6-1; Amine Boustani def. Scott Peebles, 6-4, 6-3; Tommy Helting def. Eric Addington, 3-6, 7-5, 6-4; Scott Randolph def. Mike Hinson, 6-1, 6-0; Luke O'Loughlin def. Tony Gottlieb, 6-1, 6-4.

Doubles

Dysholm-O'Loughlin def. Herrera-Hinson, 6-4, 6-2; Boustani-Randolph def. Peebles-Addington, 6-1, 6-4; Ameline-Robert Antoun def. Fulgenzi-Gottlieb, 6-0, 6-4.

Women

Singles

Raquel Colvin def. Melissa Nelson, 7-5, 6-0; Rebeca Nevarez-Ayon lost to Julie Cass, 7-5, 6-4; Caroline Bhaguandas def. C.role Martin, 7-5, 6-1; Sara Hancock def. Muffin Lupien, 7-5, 6-4; Julie Vallandingham lost to Sharon Westfall, 1-6, 6-3, 6-2.

Doubles

Bhaguandas-Hancock lost to Nelson-Cass, 4-6, 6-1, 6-2; Colvin-Nevarez-Ayon lost to Martin-Lupien, 6-4, 6-3; Csorba-Vallandingham lost to Hohn-Westfall, 6-4, 6-2.

Midland Lee defeats Permian, 6-2

By JIMMY PATTERSON
Sports Writer

This was one of those games where both teams were winners, despite the outcome.

Midland Lee defeated Odessa Permian 6-2, but as the old saying goes, it was closer than the score would indicate.

Save for four runs scored by Lee in the fifth inning, the two teams were virtually even throughout the contest.

Rebel second-baseman Dudley Jordan went 2-for-2, scored a run and drove another in, finishing as the team's hitting leader. Cal Jenkins was 1-for-2 with a triple, RBI and run scored.

With the game knotted at 2-2 in the fifth, Robin Pyle led off with a pop-out to first. With one out, Kemp Laidley drove a double to deep left-center and Jenkins walked to put runners on first and second. Paul Bacon and Cregg McGaha then hit back-to-back singles to drive in Laidley and Jenkins. Catcher Greg Garrett grounded out, but drove in Bacon, and Dudley Jordan collected one of his two hits, an RBI single knocking in McGaha for the 6-2 lead.

"It's nice to be able to relax and win, especially at home," Lee head coach Ernie Johnson said. "It was a good, well played high school game. We just had that one good inning on them, but other than that it was just about a toss-up."

Both teams shined defensively with Bacon, Jordan and Laidley turning in sparkling assist work. Permian had two double plays, Lee finished with one.

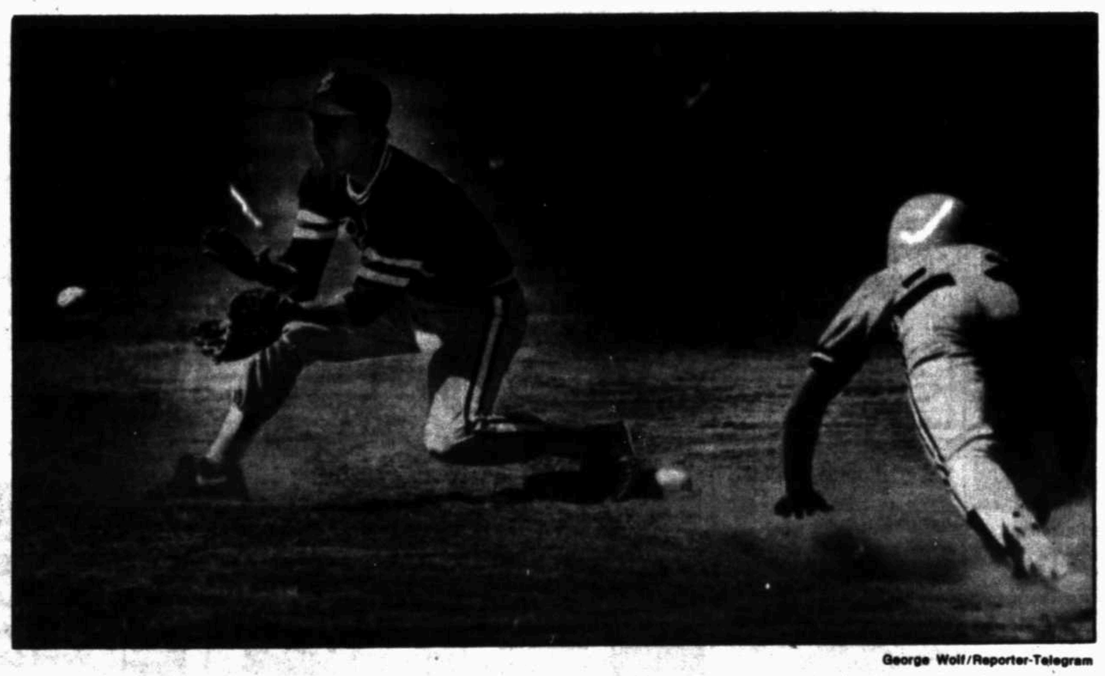
Cal Jenkins, now 4-2 on the year, went the distance, allowing five hits and only one earned run. Jenkins struck out three, walked no one, but did hit two Permian batters.

With the win, Lee breaks its three game losing streak and runs its district mark to 5-5, good for sole possession of fourth place. The Rebels, though, have been eliminated from any possibility of post-season action; Permian falls to 1-10, 7½ games out of first.

Lee travels to San Angelo Tuesday for a 4 p.m. game. The Rebs conclude the season next Saturday when they host Abilene High.

AROUND THE DISTRICT: Abilene Cooper pulled into a first place tie with Midland High after shutting out San Angelo 8-0 Saturday. Cooper pitcher Lance Grider pitched a one-hitter ... Abilene High roasted Odessa High 23-3 in a game called after five innings due to the ten-run rule ...

The only teams that have not been mathematically eliminated from the playoffs in 4-5A action are Midland High, Abilene Cooper and Abilene High.



George Wolf/Reporter-Telegram

Dudley Jordan, Lee second baseman, is about to put tag on Permian's Terry Beasley.

Midland Lee	ab	r	h	bi	Permian	ab	r	h	bi
Pyle lf	4	0	0	0	Hubert 2b	3	0	0	0
Laidley ss	3	2	1	0	Winchell lf	3	1	1	0
Jenkins p	2	1	1	1	Almond 1b	3	0	0	0
Bacon 3b	2	1	1	1	Ontiveros ss	3	0	1	1
McGaha 1b	3	1	1	1	Morgan p	2	0	0	0
Garrett c	3	0	0	1	Prince p	1	0	0	0
Jordan 2b	2	1	2	1	Hostenbach rf	0	1	0	0
McAnally cf	1	0	0	0	McCowan ph	1	0	1	0
Brooks rf	3	0	0	0	Beasley ph	1	0	1	0
					Murry 3b	3	0	1	1
					Smith c	2	0	0	0
					Wilkins pr	0	0	0	0
					Grover cf	2	0	0	0
Totals	23	6	6	5	Totals	23	2	5	2

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Game Winning RBI: Bacon.
E-Jenkins, Almond, Laidley. DP-Permian 2, Midland Lee 1. LOB-Permian 3, Lee 6. 2B-Laidley. 3B-Jenkins. SB-Jordan, Pyle, Jenkins 2.

Midland Lee	ip	hi	r-er	bb	so
Jenkins W 4-2	7.0	5	2- 1	0	3
Odessa Permian	ip	hi	r-er	bb	so
Morgan L 0-2	4.2	6	6- 5	7	3
Prince	1.1	0	0- 0	0	2

WP-Jenkins. PB-Garrett. HBP-Hostenbach (by Jenkins), Smith (by Jenkins).

Prospect arrested prior to NFL draft

CHAMPAIGN, Ill. (AP) — Illinois defensive end Scott Davis, considered a leading prospect in Sunday's National Football League draft, was charged with misdemeanor battery after an altercation with a young woman, police said Saturday.

Davis, 22, of Plainfield, Ill., was released after posting a $50 bond, said Sgt. Joe Smith of the Champaign police.

Evert faces Navratilova

HOUSTON (AP) — Chris Evert defeated hometown favorite Zina Garrison 7-5, 6-2 Saturday night to set up a showdown in the finals of the Virginia Slims of Houston tennis tournament with top-seeded Martina Navratilova for the second straight year.

Earlier Saturday, Navratilova fought off the second set service breaking tactics of Elly Hakami for a 6-1, 6-3 victory.

Evert, who defeated Navratilova 3-6, 6-1, 7-6 (7-4) in last year's finals, will be trying to end a string of five consecutive tournament victories for Navratilova.

"I'm happy I reached the finals because I was supposed to beat all those players," Evert said.

SportScan

TV Sports....

(Subject to Change)
NFL Draft, 11 a.m., ESN
MARATHON- Olympic trials, noon, NBC.
GOLF- Seniors, 12:30 p.m., CBS.
USF&G 3 p.m., NBC.
BASEBALL- Cubs-Pirates, 12:30 p.m., WGN.
Reds-Braves, 1:05 p.m., TBS.
NBA- Celtics-Bulls, 2:30 p.m., CBS.
HOCKEY- Stanley Cup, 6:30 p.m., ESN

Trivia Teaser...

Sunday's Question- Who was the first man to break the four-minute barrier for the mile...in the U.S.?

Saturday's Answer- Lenny Moore scored touchdowns in 18 consecutive games for the Baltimore Colts.

Quotebook....

Andy Rooney:
"Elephants and grandchildren never forget."

Did You Know?....

American golfers average 109 holes-in-one a day.

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Orioles suffer 17th straight loss, falling to Royals, 4-3

From Wire Reports

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — Baltimore lost its 17th straight game to start the season Saturday, showing renewed signs of life but falling in the ninth inning to the Kansas City Royals 4-3 on Kurt Stillwell's RBI single.

The Orioles, who three times held one-run leads, extended the major league record for season-opening defeats and their team mark for consecutive losses.

Baltimore manager Frank Robinson, ejected in the fourth inning for arguing a balk call, shuffled his lineup and inserted four new starters plus pitcher Mark Williamson, who made his first start of the season.

But the effort failed in the ninth inning. Bo Jackson hit a one-out triple off the right-field fence against Doug Sisk, pinch-hitter Thad Bosley was intentionally walked and Stillwell singled up the middle on the first pitch.

The Orioles moved closer to the major league record of 23 straight losses by Philadelphia in 1961. The American League record is 20, done three times.

Athletics 3, White Sox 2

CHICAGO — Right fielder Ivan Calderon's two-base error on Mike Gallego's fly ball enabled the Oakland Athletics to score the tie-breaking run in the 10th inning.

Tony Phillips walked to open the 10th and went to second on Carney Lansford's sacrifice bunt. Jose Canseco was walked intentionally before Gallego hit a fly ball to right which eluded Calderon as Phillips scored the winning run.

Dave Stewart, 5-0, went the distance to become the major leagues' first five-game winner this season. John Davis, 1-1, was the loser, pitching just the one inning.

Calderon and teammate Harold Baines extended their hitting streaks. Baines singled in the first to make it 13 straight games and Calderon singled in the fourth to make his 12 in a row.

Blue Jays 3, Yankees 2

NEW YORK — John Cerutti and four relievers combined on a seven-hitter and Toronto had three two-out, run-scoring hits in the second inning as the Blue Jays beat New York.

Cerutti, 1-0 had a three-hit shutout until Dave Winfield lined his sixth home run over the center-field fence with one out in the seventh.

The Blue Jays have won five consecutive games and their 9-7 mark equals the best previous 16-game record in their 12-year history, accomplished four other times.

Loser John Candelaria, 1-2, scattered nine hits in eight innings. He retired the first two batters in the second inning before Juan Beniquez and Kelly Gruber doubled on consecutive pitches for the first run.

Manny Lee singled Gruber home and continued to third when the ball skipped past right fielder Winfield for an error. He scored on Tony Fernandez's single.

Indians 10, Twins 2

MINNEAPOLIS — Joe Carter had two three-run homers and a double as the Twins lost their sixth straight.

Carter, who hit a grand slam in Friday night's game, homered in the first and sixth innings.

John Farrell improved his record to 3-0 as he allowed eight hits and gave the Indians the best record in the major leagues at 14-3, their best start since 1966.

The Indians jumped on Minnesota starter Steve Carlton, 0-1, for four runs before he could record an out. After Julio Franco singled and Pat Tabler walked, Carter hit his fourth homer of the season to left field. Brook Jacoby followed with his second homer.

Cleveland added single runs in the third and fifth before Carter homered off reliever Joe Niekro as part of a four-run sixth inning.

The Twins scored their runs in the eighth on a sacrifice fly by Dan Gladden and a run-scoring double by Kirby Puckett.

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Mets rally in eighth to rip Cards

ST. LOUIS (AP) — Dave Magadan's eighth-inning single snapped a tie and winning pitcher Roger McDowell followed with a two-run double as the New York Mets defeated the St. Louis Cardinals 12-9 Saturday night.

The Mets have won all five meetings with the defending National League champions this season and the Cardinals have lost seven of eight games.

The see-saw contest featured a steal of home by Vince Coleman, a bench-clearing situation and six errors, including one each by Gold Glove winners Keith Hernandez of the Mets and Ozzie Smith of the Cardinals.

McDowell, 2-0, allowed just one hit and an unearned run in 2 2-3 innings. Randy Myers pitched the final 1 1-3 innings for his fourth save.

Steve Peters, 0-2, was the victim of the Mets' eighth-inning uprising and took the loss.

St. Louis tied the score 7-7 in the sixth. Luis Alicea, appearing in his first major league game, went all the way to third when his hard smash went off the glove of first baseman Hernandez. Pinch-hitter Curt Ford followed with a sacrifice fly.

Each team scored two runs in the ninth.

The Mets scored one run on a balk and another on a single by Gary Carter. The Cardinals ended the scoring on Tom Brunansky's RBI-single, the first NL hit for the outfielder acquired Friday night from the Minnesota Twins, and another by Pena.

Pirates 5, Cubs 4

PITTSBURGH — Mike LaValliere's two-run single in the eighth inning gave the Pirates 10th win in their last 12 games.

The Pirates trailed 4-3 when they loaded the bases against reliever Rich "Goose" Gossage on a single by Andy Van Slyke and walks to Bobby Bonilla and R.J. Reynolds. LaValliere then drove in two runs with a single, his seventh hit in his last eight at-bats.

Jim Gott, 1-0, pitched the final two innings for the victory. Gossage, 1-1, took the loss.

Dodgers 10, Giants 3

SAN FRANCISCO — Steve Sax broke a tie with a two-out squeeze in the seventh inning and Mike Marshall hit a grand-slam in the ninth for Los Angeles. Orel Hershiser, 4-0, allowed four hits in six innings for the Dodgers, who played their first game following four consecutive rainouts.

Phillies 3, Expos 3, tie

PHILADELPHIA — The Philadelphia Phillies and Montreal Expos battled to a 3-3 tie Saturday night before the game was called after a rain delay of 1 hour, 29 minutes. The game will be made up as part of a twi-night doubleheader on Monday, June 13.

Steve Jeltz had struck out to open the bottom of the seventh before pinch-hitter Keith Miller walked. The rain then became too heavy to continue play.

'84 Olympians among list of '88 finalists

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. (AP) — Three members of the 1984 U.S. Olympic gold medal women's basketball team — Teresa Edwards, Cheryl Miller and Anne Donovan — head the list of 21 finalists for the 1988 team which was announced Saturday night.

The finalists were selected after four days of competition among 50 athletes at the U.S. Olympic Training Center and they will attend a minicamp in Raleigh, N.C. June 3-9.

Among the others selected with the 1984 veterans, were 1988 Wade Trophy winner Teresa Weatherspoon of NCAA champion Louisiana Tech and fellow All-American and Naismith Award winner Sue Wicks of Rutgers.

The 1988 Olympic team will be coached by Kay Yow of North Carolina State. She directed U.S. teams to gold medals and victories over the Soviet Union at the 1986 Goodwill Games and FIBA World Championships. The 21 finalists include 12 members of the 1986 world championship team.

Players were evaluated and selected by coaches and administrators on the Games Committee for Women of the Amateur Basketball Association of the United States of America.

Miller, a four-time All-America at Southern California from 1982-86, is among five finalists whose actual participation in the Trials was waived due to injury. Fifty-eight players were invited to compete.

A second training session is scheduled in Colorado Springs from Aug. 1-10, followed by a series of exhibition games in North Carolina.

Yow said the final U.S. roster must be determined by Sept. 2.

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	W	L	Pct.	GB
Cleveland	14	9	.824	—
New York	12	8	.706	2
Boston	10	8	.667	3
Detroit	8	8	.571	4½
Toronto	9	7	.563	4½
Milwaukee	7	7	.500	5½
Baltimore	0	17	.000	14

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Oakland	11	7	.611	—
Chicago	9	8	.529	1½
Kansas City	8	8	.500	2
California	7	9	.438	3
Seattle	7	10	.412	3½
Texas	6	9	.400	3½
Minnesota	4	11	.267	5½

Saturday's Games
Boston at Milwaukee, ppd., rain
Kansas City 4, Baltimore 3
Oakland 3, Chicago 2, 10 innings
Toronto 3, New York 2
Cleveland 10, Minnesota 2
Detroit at Texas, (n)
Seattle at California, (n)

BALTIMORE	ab	r	h	bi	KANSAS CITY	ab	r	h	bi
BRipkn 2b	4	1	1	0	WWilsn cf	4	0	0	0
Gonzals 3b	4	0	1	1	Seitzer 3b	3	0	1	1
CRipkn ss	2	1	1	0	Brett 1b	3	1	1	0
Murray 1b	4	0	1	1	Trtabll rf	4	0	1	0
Gerhart cf	4	1	1	1	Elsarch dh	4	1	1	0
Sheets dh	4	0	0	0	Macfarln c	4	0	2	1
Landrm rf	2	0	0	0	BJacksn lf	3	1	1	1
Stone lf	1	0	0	0	Wellmn 2b	3	0	0	0
Nichols c	4	0	1	0	Sosley ph	0	0	0	0
Rowdon lf	2	0	0	0	Stllwll ss	4	1	3	1
Lynn rf	2	0	1	0					
Totals	33	3	7	3	Totals	32	4	10	4

Baltimore	100	110	000—3
Kansas City	001	101	001—4

GWRBI — Stillwell (1). E—Brett. DP—Baltimore 2, Kansas City 1. LOB—Baltimore 6, Kansas City 7. 2B— Murray, Seitzer, BRipkn, CRipkn. 3B— Stillwell, BJackson. HR—Gerhart (1). SF—BJackson.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Baltimore						
Williamson	7	8	3	3	2	3
Sisk L,0-1	1 1-3	2	1	1	1	0
Kansas City						
Bannister	5	6	3	3	1	2
Power W,1-0	4	1	0	0	2	2

WP—Williamson. BK—Williamson 2. T—2:37. A—23,564.

OAKLAND	ab	r	h	bi	CHICAGO	ab	r	h	bi
Phillips cf	4	1	1	0	LJohnsn cf	5	0	1	0
Lansfrd 3b	4	0	1	0	Guillen ss	5	0	0	0
Canseco rf	4	1	1	0	Baines dh	4	0	1	0
McGwir 1b	3	0	1	0	Caldern rf	4	0	1	0
Gallego 2b	1	1	0	0	GWalkr 1b	4	0	0	0
Parker lf	3	0	1	0	Salas c	4	0	0	0
Steinbch c	4	0	0	0	Boston lf	4	1	2	0
Baylor dh	2	0	1	1	KWilms 3b	3	1	1	0
Hubbrd 2b	3	0	0	0	Lyons 3b	0	0	0	0
Hassey c	0	0	0	1	Hill 2b	3	0	1	2
Weiss ss	2	0	0	0	Manrig 2b	1	0	0	0
Javier cf	2	0	0	0					
Totals	32	3	6	2	Totals	37	2	7	2

Oakland	000	000	101	1—3
Chicago	000	020	000	0—2

E—Parker, Calderon. DP—Oakland 1, Chicago 1. LOB—Oakland 9, Chicago 7. 2B—Boston. 3B—LJohnson (3). S—Steinbach, Lansford. SF—Hassey.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Oakland						
Stewart W,5-0	10	7	2	1	2	4
Chicago						
LaPoint	7	3	1	1	3	6
Thigpen	2	3	1	1	1	1
JnDavis L,1-1	1	0	1	0	3	0

BK—Stewart. PB—Steinbach. T—2:38. A—12,224.

TORONTO	ab	r	h	bi	NEW YORK	ab	r	h	bi
Fernndz ss	5	0	3	1	RHndsn lf	3	1	1	0
Moseby cf	4	0	0	0	Rndlph 2b	3	0	1	0
Borders c	5	0	0	0	Mtngly 1b	4	0	1	0
GBell lf	4	0	2	0	JClark dh	3	0	0	1
Campsn cf	0	0	0	0	Winfield rf	4	1	2	1
Bell'rd rf	3	0	0	0	Kelly cf	4	0	0	0
Fielder 1b	3	0	1	0	Pgirdo 3b	4	0	1	0
Beniqz dh	4	1	1	0	Slaught c	2	0	0	0
Gruber 3b	4	1	1	1	Wshgtn ph	1	0	0	0
Lee 2b	4	1	2	1	Skinner c	1	0	1	0
					Santana ss	2	0	0	0
					Cruz ph	1	0	0	0
					Mechnn ss	0	0	0	0
					GWard ph	1	0	0	0
Totals	36	3	10	3	Totals	33	2	7	2

Toronto	030	000	000—3
New York	000	000	110—2

GWRBI — Gruber (1). E—Winfield, Fernandez. DP—Toronto 1. LOB—Toronto 9, New York 7. 2B—Beniquez, Gruber, GBell, Skinner. 3B—Pagliarulo. HR—Winfield (6). SB—Fernandez (1). SF—JClark.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Toronto						
Cerutti W,1-0	6 1-3	4	1	1	1	3
DWard	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wells	1-3	0	0	0	0	1
Eichhorn	2-3	1	1	1	0	2
Henke S,5	1 2-3	2	0	0	0	3
New York						
Candiotti L,1-2	8	9	3	2	2	6
Guante	1	1	0	0	1	2

HBP—Randolph by Eichhorn. BK— Eichhorn, Guante. T—3:14. A—24,046.

CLEVELAND	ab	r	h	bi	MINNESOTA	ab	r	h	bi
Franco 2b	5	1	2	0	Gladden lf	3	0	1	1
Tabler 1b	3	1	0	0	Herr 2b	4	0	0	0
Carter cf	5	3	3	6	Puckett cf	4	0	2	1
Jacoby 3b	5	1	1	1	Hrbek 1b	4	0	0	0
Snyder rf	4	1	1	0	Gaetti 3b	4	0	0	0
CCastll dh	5	0	1	1	Larkin dh	4	0	1	0
Hall lf	5	1	1	0	Bush rf	3	0	0	0
RWshng ss	3	1	1	0	Gagne ss	4	1	2	0
Allanson c	4	1	2	1	Laudner c	3	1	2	0
					Lowry c	0	0	0	0
Totals	39	10	12	9	Totals	33	2	8	2

Cleveland	401	104	000—10
Minnesota	000	000	020—2

GWRBI — Carter (2). E—Bush. DP—Cleveland 1. LOB—Cleveland 6, Minnesota 8. 2B—CCastillo, Gladden, Carter, Allanson, Puckett. HR—Carter 2 (5), Jacoby (2). SF—Gladden.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Cleveland						
Farrell W,3-0	9	8	2	2	1	2
Minnesota						
Carlton L,0-1	5	9	9	8	3	4
Niekro	4	3	1	1	1	2

Carlton pitched to 3 batters in the 6th.
PB—Laudner.
T—2:46. A—41,297.

DETROIT	ab	r	h	bi	TEXAS	ab	r	h	bi
Pettis cf	3	3	1	0	Browne 2b	4	0	1	0
Whitakr 2b	4	1	0	0	Kemp ph	1	0	0	0
DaEvns 1b	4	1	2	4	Fletchr ss	4	0	1	0
Tramml ss	5	0	0	0	Sierra rf	4	2	2	0
Nokes c	3	0	1	0	Incvglia lf	4	2	3	3
Morran dh	4	0	0	0	OBrien 1b	3	1	3	2
Sheridan lf	3	0	0	0	Parrish dh	3	0	0	0
Lemon rf	3	1	0	0	See ph	0	0	0	0
Brokns 3b	3	1	1	0	McDwl ph	1	0	0	0
Salazar 3b	0	0	0	0	Petrelli c	2	0	0	0
					MStanly c	2	0	0	0
					Buechle 2b	4	1	1	1
					Espy cf	4	0	1	0
Totals	32	7	5	4	Totals	36	6	12	6

Detroit	100	001	000—7
Texas	001	200	030—6

Game Winning RBI — None.
LOB—Detroit 8, Texas 4. 2B—Sierra. 3B—Espy. HR—Buechele (3), Incaviglia (2), DaEvans (1), OBrien (5). SB—Pettis 2 (7).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Detroit						
Tanana W,4-0	7 1-3	12	6	6	1	5
Heinkel	2-3	0	0	0	0	0
Hennemn S,7	1	0	0	0	0	2
Texas						
Swift L,0-3	6 1-3	9	5	5	6	5
Cecena	0	1	2	2	1	0
Russell	2 2-3	1	0	0	0	1

HBP—Brookens by Russell. WP—Swift 2, Cecena. PB—Petrelli.
T—3:06. A—34,860.

NBA

HOUSTON (107)										
	min	fg	ft	reb	a	pf	pts			
Carroll	9-16	6-7	24	McCray	2-7	2-2	6			
Olajuwon	10-17	2-10	22	Floyd	2-6	1-1	5			
Reid	5-8	0-1	11	Short	2-5	0-0	4			
Peterson	6-11	0-0	12	Maxwell	1-1	0-0	2			
Leavell	2-10	6-7	10	Johnson	3-8	1-2	7			
Free	1-7	2-2	4	Conner	0-1	0-0	0	Totals	43-97	20-32
107. UTAH (128)										
Malone	10-29	11-14	31	Iavaroni	4-5	2-2	10			
Eaton	1-2	0-0	2	Stockton	9-11	8-8	27			
Hansen	12-19	0-2	26	Bailey	9-16	2-3	20			
Green	1-1	0-0	2	Kotsed	1-2	0-0	2			
Turpin	2-5	1-2	5	Roth	0-0	0-0	0			
Hughes	0-0	0-0	0	Totals	49-89	24-31	125.			

Houston	28	25	29	25—107
Utah	36	34	27	28—125

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Wyoming 83, Albany 80
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NO Golf Scores

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Lanny Wadkins	67-65-69—201	Buddy Gardner	68-69-70—207
Gregory Ladehoff	68-68-68—204	Scott Verplank	71-64-72—207
Jodie Mudd	67-72-68—206	Ron Streck	71-69-66—206
Lennie Clements	69-68-68—206	Brian Tennyson	69-70-69—208
Brad Fabel	70-67-68—206	Tom Pernice	69-70-69—208
Dave Rummells	70-68-68—206	Phil Blackmar	70-69-69—208
Russ Cochran	71-69-66—206	Brett Upper	69-70-69—208
Calvin Peete	69-70-67—206	Tom Watson	68-69-71—208
Hal Sutton	65-73-68—206	Mark Lye	71-70-68—209
Billy Ray Brown	70-67-69—206	Donnie Hammond	68-71-70—209
Dan Forsman	68-68-70—206	Bob Lohr	68-70-71—209
Larry Mize	68-68-70—206	David Graham	68-70-71—209
Tom Byrum	68-68-72—208	Mike Donald	70-69-73—209
John Cook	70-70-67—207	Steve Lowery	74-67-69—210
Bobby Clampett	71-69-67—207	John Mahaffey	72-69-69—210
Dick Mast	72-67-68—207	Tony Sills	70-71-69—210
John Inman	67-72-68—207	Jim Gallagher	70-70-70—210
Robert Wrenn	68-71-68—207	Bill Sander	70-70-70—210
Jim Carter	72-67-68—207	Mike Sullivan	69-71-70—210
Doug Tewell	71-67-69—207	Clarence Rose	72-69-70—210
		Jack Renner	70-67-73—210
		Dan Halldorson	67-70-73—210

LPGA Scores

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla — LPGA USX Golf Classic (a-denotes amateur):

Rosie Jones	67-69-69—205	JoAnne Carner	73-69-71—213
Kathy Postlewait	68-69-69—206	Nancy Taylor	73-69-71—213
Donna White	68-68-71—207	Karin Mundinger	71-71-71—213
Sherrin Smyers	69-70-69—208	Donna Caponi	72-69-72—213
Trish Johnson	71-69-68—208	Terry-Jo Myers	72-74-67—213
Barb Bunkowsky	71-70-67—208	Jan Stephenson	73-71-69—213
Tina Purtzer	67-71-71—209	Sue Ertl	72-70-72—214
Jane Crafter	71-70-68—209	Becky Pearson	74-72-68—214
Carolyn Hill	71-68-70—209	Dottie Mochrie	71-72-71—214
Susan Sanders	70-70-70—210	Allison Finney	74-71-69—214
Kathy Guadagnino	70-70-70—210	Robin Walton	73-71-70—214
Heather Drew	68-72-73—211	Anne Kelly	70-71-74—215
Connie Chillemi	70-70-71—211	Myra Blackwelder	71-72-72—215
Vicki Fergon	68-70-74—212	Lynn Connelly	70-75-70—215
Gina Hull	71-73-68—212	Jackie Bertsch	70-76-70—216
Cindy Hill	71-72-69—212	Patty Jordan	70-72-74—216
Martha Nause	67-74-71—212	Nina Foust	71-73-72—216
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		Susan Tonkin	69-71-76—216
		Laura Hurlbut	72-71-73—216

Senior Golf

SARASOTA, Fla. — Results Saturday between the United States and International teams in the $600,000 Chrysler Cup at the 6,763-yard, par-72 Tournament Players Club at Prestancia:

Gary Player and Bob Charles, Intl., def. Billy Casper and Dale Douglass, U.S., 66-67.

Bruce Crampton and Harold Henning, Intl., def. Miller Barber and Arnold Palmer, U.S., 64-65.

Al Geiberger and Gene Littler, U.S., def. Robert de Vicenzo and Christy O'Connor, Intl., 65-66.

Orville Moody and Chi Chi Rodriguez, U.S., def. Peter Thomson and Bruce Devlin, Intl., 61-66.

SWC Baseball

Game 1

Texas A&M	000	000	0—0	2	2
Texas	000	000	1—1	3	2

Riscon, Felix (6), and Carcione; Dressendorfer and Johnson. W—Dressendorfer (11-2). L—Felix (7-5). HRs—none.

Game 2

Texas A&M	100	031	001—6	6	1
Texas	000	000	00x—7	9	0

Pryor, Felix (3), Centala (8) and Carcione; Watson, Bradley (5), Cantu (7), Harden (7), Stone (9) and Johnson. W—Stone (3-2). L—Felix (7-6). HRs—Texas A&M, Knoblauch (3). Texas, none. A—7,311.

game 1

Arkansas	104	000	0—5	7	0
Baylor	012	004	x—7	7	2

Oquist, Edwards (3), Harris (6) and Kremers; Aguilar and Patterson. W—Aguilar (5-2). L—Edwards (8-5). HRs—none.

game 2

Arkansas	000	011	072—11	13	3
Baylor	331	010	110—10	12	4

Cebuhar, Swope (2), Reese (8) and Reese; Levens, Kilgore (8) and Rigney. W—Reese (1-0). L—Kilgore (2-4). HRs—Arkansas, Zane. A—305.

Game 1

Texas Tech	200	100	1—	4	5	2
TCU	105	113	x—11	12	0	

Beiras, Kirk (3), Duewel (5), Black (8) and Roper; Briscoe and Stevens. W— Briscoe (3-4). L—Beiras (5-6). HRs—Texas Tech, Helms (13), Arredondo (14). Texas Christian, none.

Game 2

Texas Tech	301	001	010—	6	10	1
TCU	002	000	000—2	5	1	

Steph and Roper; Bane, Knox (3) and Stone. W—Steph (6-3). L—Bane (3-7). HRs—Texas Tech, Hernandez 2 (9). Texas Christian, none.

Sunland

SUNLAND PARK, N.M. — Saturday's Results

First — 400 yards; Wolfe Revenge 5.60, 3.00, 2.60; Harry Mito 4.60, 3.20; Bright Nova 2.60. T — 20.00.

Second — 870 yards; Travel Wide 6.00, 3.20, 2.60; Tandy Mandy 4.80, 2.40; Draconic Bell 3.40. T — 47.56. Daily Double — $18.00. Quiniela — $18.00. Exacta — $21.40.

Third — 6 furlongs; Trisca Decca 5.40, 3.80, 3.20; Nice Going 5.80, 3.80; I'dluvtoo 4.40. T — 1:12.4. First Half Twin Trifecta — $84.00.

Fourth — 4½ furlongs; Bold Warpath 6.60, 4.80, 3.40; Early Dash 12.40, 7.80; Reckless Mema 4.80. T — 53.2. Quiniela — $48.20.

Fifth — 1⅛ mile; Private Terms 8.20, 4.40, 3.60; Seeking The Gold 4.20, 3.40; Cherokee Colony 3.20. T — 1:47.1.

Sixth — 6½ furlongs; J.G.'s Avenger 6.40, 4.40, 3.40; Oar's Pride 4.60, 3.40; Tonkawa Chief 3.00. T — 1:19.

Seventh — 4½ furlongs; D.B.'s Leader 6.40, 3.80, 3.00; Ivan's Touch 12.00, 7.60; Miss Yea 4.00. T — 54.3.

Eighth — 5½ furlongs; Happy Draconic 23.80, 6.80, 4.20; Ego Bender 4.00, 3.00; Canutillo 3.00. T — 1:07. Trifecta — $377.80.

Tenth — 1⅛ mile; Proper Reality 13.20, 5.80, 3.80; Primal 14.20, 4.60; Sea Trek 2.80. T — 1:46.2.

Eleventh — 1 mile; Farmer Brown 10.00, 4.80, 3.20; Prince Ego 3.20, 2.80; Heroshima 3.80. T — 1:39.

Twelfth — 870 yards; Mr Black Tie 10.80, 10.80, 5.80; But Not My Heart 7.80, 4.80; Sparkling Jedi 4.00. T — 46.90.

Thirteenth — 1 mile; Centurian K. 15.80, 5.40, 3.80; Ribot Pass 2.80, 2.40; She's Priceless 2.80. T — 1:42.

Fourteenth — 1 mile; Lot's Curiosity 7.40, 3.80, 3.20; Fogartys Ridge 4.00, 3.40; Top Layer 3.20. T — 1:36.2.

NBA

EASTERN CONFERENCE
Atlantic Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
y-Boston	57	24	.704	—
x-Washington	38	44	.463	19½
New York	37	44	.457	20
Philadelphia	36	46	.444	21
New Jersey	19	63	.232	38½

Central Division

y-Detroit	53	28	.654	—
x-Atlanta	50	32	.610	3½
x-Chicago	49	32	.605	4
x-Milwaukee	42	40	.512	11½
x-Cleveland	42	40	.512	11½
Indiana	38	43	.469	15

WESTERN CONFERENCE
Midwest Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
x-Denver	53	28	.654	—
x-Dallas	52	29	.642	1
x-Utah	46	36	.568	7
x-Houston	45	35	.563	7½
x-San Antonio	31	50	.383	22
Sacramento	24	57	.296	29

Pacific Division

y-L.A. Lakers	61	20	.753	—
x-Portland	52	29	.642	9
x-Seattle	43	38	.531	18
Phoenix	28	53	.346	33
Golden State	20	61	.247	41
L.A. Clippers	17	63	.213	43½

x-clinched playoff berth
y-clinched division title

Saturday's Games
New Jersey 118, Milwaukee 105
Washington 108, Atlanta 96
Cleveland 104, Philadelphia 99

College Baseball

Saturday's Scores
EAST
Boston College 5-6, Connecticut 2-5
Bridgewater, Mass. 4-2, Salem St. 1-1
Columbia 5-2, Yale 1-10
Delaware 4-7, Lehigh 3-10
E. Connecticut 5, Rhode Island Coll. 3
Fairleigh Dickinson 6-4, Monmouth, N.J. 4-3
John Jay 11-7, Manhattanville 4-0
LaMoyne 1, Utica 0
Maine 3-2, New Hampshire 0-1
Merrimack 2-7, Assumption 1-9
N.Y. Tech 9-12, Pace 6-7
Providence 3-7, St. John's 2-3
Salisbury St. 10-5, Frostburg St. 7-3
Seton Hall 8-16, Pittsburgh 7-6
S. Maine 11-9, Brandeis 8-3
St. Joseph's, Maine 3-6, W. New England 2-5
St. Peter's 9, Iona 3
Stony Brook 8, Lehman 2
W. Connecticut 13-13, N.Y. Poly 6-2
Williams 5-11, Wesleyan 2-1
SOUTH
Catawba 15, Mars Hill 0
Centenary 11-6, Ark.-Little Rock 1-6
Cent. Michigan 10-10, Miami, Ohio 3-4
Francis Marion 5, Limestone 3
Jacksonville St. 4-7, West Georgia 3-4
James Madison 1-10, William & Mary 0-2
Lambuth Coll. 9-2, David Lipscomb 4-20
Lenoir-Rhyne 17, Guilford 5
LSU 12, Georgia 6
Louisiana Tech 20, Arkansas St. 8
Maryland 8-3, Duke 4-7
Mercer 5, Georgia Southern 0
Methodist 11-11, Va. Wesleyan 0-5
Michigan St. 13-6, Notre Dame 1-5, 8 innings, 2nd
Milligan 10-4, Tusculum 5-8
Mount Olive 9, Elon 8, 11 innings
New Orleans 9-27, Pan American 2-2
Norfolk St. 9, St. Augustine's 7, 8 innings
North Alabama 8-12, Tenn.-Martin 4-2
North Carolina 4, N.C.-Wilmington 3
NW Louisiana 9-5, McNeese St. 1-4
Pembroke St. 6, Pfeiffer 2
Presbyterian 16, Voorhees 15
St. Thomas, Fla. 11, Florida Atlantic 10
Shaw 15, Virginia St. 2
S.C.-Aiken 4, N.C.-Wilmington 0
SW Louisiana 10-6, Lamar 5-8
Stephen F. Austin 10-10, NE Louisiana 5-9
Tennessee Tech 9-5, Austin Peay 0-6
Wake Forest 15-2, Virginia 12-6
W. Carolina 9-8, Davidson 2-3
W. Kentucky 9-10, Ala.-Birmingham 6-2
MIDWEST
Adrian 4-5, Kalamazoo 3-7
Anderson 11-8, Indiana-Southeast 1-11
Bowling Green 11-9, E. Michigan 9-13
Defiance 9-13, Bluffton 3-14
Detroit 8-8, Xavier, Ohio 8-15
Marietta 10-20, Ohio Northern 8-1
Ohio Dominican 15-8, Cedarville 9-5
Toledo 4-8, Ball St. 3-4
Virginia Tech 6, Cincinnati 4
W. Michigan 6-3, Ohio 5-14
Wilmington 13-8, Cent. St. Ohio 7-10
Wooster 14-3, Ohio Wesleyan 6-1
SOUTHWEST
Baylor 7-10, Arkansas 5-11
Lubbock Christian 11-12, W. New Mexico 2-4
NE Oklahoma 8-7, SE Oklahoma 0-6
Oklahoma 13-10, Iowa St. 8-11
Sam Houston St. 11-2, Texas-Arlington 4-15
Southwestern, Texas 9, Incarnate Word 8
Tarleton St. 10-11, Howard Payne 0-2
Texas 1-7, Texas A&M 0-6
Texas Christian 11-2, Texas Tech 4-6
FAR WEST
California at Southern Cal, ppd., rain
Denver 12-9, Metro St. 9-3
Gonzaga 11-3, Portland 10-13
Portland St. at E. Washington, 2, ppd., rain
Stanford 5, Arizona St. 3
Westmont 3-8, Point Loma 0-2
TOURNAMENTS
Big South Tournament Championship
Campbell 17, Baptist 0

Bowling

WINDSOR LOCKS, Conn. — Final round results Saturday in the Professional Bowlers Tour's $140,000 Greater Hartford Open with names, hometowns, match-play records, pinfall totals and prize money:

1, Tony Westlake, Edmond, Okla., 990 (4 games), $23,000. 2, Mats Karlsson, Sweden, 218 (1 game), $12,000. 3, Pete McCordic, Houston, 248 (1 game), $8,000. 4, Mark Williams, Beaumont, Texas, 237 (1 game), $6,000. 5, Harry Sutton, Sterling Heights, Mich., 200 (1 game), $5,000.

PLAYOFF RESULTS: Westlake def. Sutton, 216-200; Westlake tied Williams, 237-237 (won roll-off, 60-50); Westlake def. McCordic, 258-246.

TITLE GAME: Westlake def. Karlsson, 279-218.

National

NATIONAL LEAGUE
East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Pittsburgh	12	4	.750	—
New York	10	5	.667	1½
Montreal	7	8	.467	4½
Chicago	7	9	.438	5
Philadelphia	6	9	.400	5½
St. Louis	4	11	.267	7½

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Los Angeles	10	4	.714	—
Houston	10	5	.667	½
Cincinnati	10	7	.588	1½
San Francisco	9	8	.529	2½
San Diego	5	9	.357	5
Atlanta	2	13	.133	8½

Saturday's Games
Cincinnati at Atlanta, ppd., rain
Pittsburgh 5, Chicago 4
Los Angeles 10, San Francisco 3
Montreal 3, Philadelphia 3, tie, 7½ innings, rain
New York at St. Louis, (n)
Houston at San Diego, (n)

CHICAGO	ab	r	h	bi	PITTSBURGH	ab	r	h	bi
DMartnz cf	4	1	3	1	Bonds lf	4	0	0	0
Sndbrg 2b	4	1	0	0	Lind 2b	4	0	0	0
Dawson rf	4	0	2	1	VanSlyk cf	3	1	1	0
Palmeir lf	4	0	2	1	Bonilla 3b	3	2	1	1
Durhm 1b	4	0	0	0	Bream 1b	3	1	1	0
JDavis c	2	0	2	0	RReynds rf	3	1	1	2
Roomes pr	0	1	0	0	LVlire c	4	0	3	2
Sandbrg c	1	0	0	0	Bellard ss	4	0	0	0
Law 3b	4	0	1	0	Fisher p	0	0	0	0
Dunston ss	4	1	1	1	Kipper p	0	0	0	0
Nipper p	2	0	0	0	JRobsn p	0	0	0	0
Moyer p	0	0	0	0	Cangelo ph	1	0	1	0
Mulphy ph	1	0	0	0	Gott p	0	0	0	0
Gossage p	0	0	0	0					
Totals	34	4	11	4	Totals	29	5	8	5

Chicago	101	000	200—4
Pittsburgh	000	003	02x—5

GWRBI — Lavalliere (2). DP—Chicago 2, Pittsburgh 2. LOB—Chicago 4, Pittsburgh 6. 2B—Dawson, Palmeiro, Bream, DMartinez, Cangelosi. HR— Bonilla (6), RReynolds (2). SB—Sandberg (2), Palmeiro (3), VanSlyke (2). S— Bream.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Chicago						
Nipper	5 2-3	4	2	2	3	1
Moyer	1-3	1	1	1	0	0
Gossage L,1-1	2	3	2	2	2	2
Pittsburgh						
Fisher	5 2-3	9	2	2	0	3
Kipper	1-3	0	0	0	0	1
JRobinson	1	2	2	2	1	0
Gott W,1-0	2	0	0	0	0	2

T—2:48. A—20,214.

LOSANGELS	ab	r	h	bi	SAN FRAN	ab	r	h	bi
Sax 2b	3	1	1	2	Butler cf	4	0	1	0
Belcher p	0	0	0	0	Mitchll 3b	3	2	2	0
MHtchr ph	1	1	1	1	Clark 1b	3	1	1	2
JHowell p	0	0	0	0	Leonard lf	4	0	0	0
Griffin ss	4	0	2	3	DRobisn p	0	0	0	0
Gibson lf	5

It's time for NFL scouting Oscars

By BARRY WILNER

NEW YORK (AP) — In 28 darkened rooms, the scouting staffs for each NFL team spent the last week going bleary-eyed observing film of this year's draft prospects. At the same time, a dozen other scouts were combing the practice fields and spring workouts at colleges throughout the nation, searching for the talent that will entice NFL teams next year.

In the high-tech world of professional football, you never can have enough information.

Which is why National Football Scouting Inc., and BLESTO, a pair of scouting combines, are so important to the various clubs.

"THE SCOUTS are the backbone of the industry," says San Francisco 49ers coach Bill Walsh. "Without a good scouting staff, you can't possibly find the talent to be competitive."

Walsh's 49ers employ seven regional scouts, about normal for an NFL team, as well as a director of scouting and a personnel director. These scouts, all former players or coaches, are responsible for all colleges in their area that play football.

Despite spending virtually every day on the job during college football season and when spring practices are held, having your own scouting staff usually is not enough. Only the 49ers, Raiders and Broncos do not belong to either combine.

National Scouting works for 18 teams, while BLESTO has seven — Chicago, Detroit, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Miami, Minnesota and Dallas.

"We have 10 scouts who serve every area of the country," says Harry Buffington, director of National Scouting. "They're fulltime and they work right through, from spring practices to games. They go from the 15th of August until the 15th of December concentrating just on college games. Then they go to the all-star games and to our invitation camp. After that, it's back on the road, to schools to meet with coaches and players. It's a continuous process."

BUFFINGTON, A former scout, has developed what he terms "an excellent relationship" with college coaches. Because those coaches are anxious to promote their players and enhance the chances of having them drafted, Buffington says they are anxious to cooperate.

"Even if one or two get mad, it doesn't last long," Buffington says. "They're not going to hurt their players' chances."

Thanks to the combines, the chances of being drafted have increased substantially for players at smaller schools. That's where talented collegians could fall through the cracks in the system when only team-employed scouts were around. There were just too many schools, games and players.

But when the combines came onto the scouting scene — BLESTO began in 1963, National Scouting reached its present enrollment 12 years ago — a Mark Gastineau of East Central Oklahoma or Tom Newberry of Wisconsin-LaCrosse stopped going unnoticed. In fact, they got drafted on the second round, Gastineau by the Jets in 1979, Newberry by the Rams two years ago.

"Our scouts generally have around 50 schools in their areas that they have to report on," Buffington says. "If a school plays football, the scouts are responsible for them."

The socialistic approach of a combine might not suit a maverick owner such as Al Davis, but sharing the information doesn't seem to bother 25 other owners.

THE COMBINES basically are used to supplement the work of team scouts.

"We deal in general reports," Buffington says. "Our scouts send all of the data here and we file the reports into a computer and send them out to our members. They seldom ask us to do anything specific — that's why they have their own scouts. We guide them and they take it from there."

National Scouting also runs an invitation camp in Indianapolis right after the Super Bowl. More than 300 players are invited and NFL teams send contingents that often include general managers, coaches, scouts, team doctors and, now and then, owners.

"We invited 320 last year," Buffington says. "All got drafted."

National Scouting has its main office in Tulsa, Okla., where it moved in 1976 "because it's centrally located and because it's my home," Buffington says. BLESTO, which stands for Bears, Liones, Eagles and Steelers Talent Organization — those four teams originated the combine — is located in Pittsburgh.

Most of the combine scouts are former players and coaches. A few leave the combines to work for specific teams — BLESTO kept only two full-time scouts this year while seven area scouts were employed directly by the member teams.

Similar operations exist in baseball and hockey, but both are run by the sports themselves. Neither of those drafts get the attention the NFL grab bag draws, however.

"The scouts know how accurate they have to be," Buffington says. "Our scouts might be the only ones to see a certain player. A lot of teams are relying on them. I don't think we'd still have so many teams with us if we didn't get out good information."

Texas wins two from Texas Ags

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — A two-run triple in the eighth inning by pinch-hitter Nick DeVincentis lifted fourth-ranked Texas to a 7-6 victory over fifth-ranked Texas A&M after UT won the opener 10-2.

The Longhorns' third sweep of the Aggies over the past four years improved Texas' record to 47-7 overall and 14-1 in conference play. The Aggies fell to 42-11 and 11-4.

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The second game was tied 5-5 going into the bottom of the eighth.

After Mike Patrick singled and Brian Johnson drew a walk, DeVincentis, who had not had a hit since March 12, lined a pitch to the right-field wall to score the two runners.

Texas A&M closed the gap to a run in the top of the ninth on a ground-rule double by Tom Carcione, but Texas pitcher Eric Stone, the winner in the first game, struck out Andy Duke to end the game.

Nick Felix, who was the loser in both games, dropped to 7-6.

In the first game, Newkirk brought home Steve Bethea with a sacrifice fly to shallow centerfield in the bottom of the seventh for the game's only run.

Kirk Dressendorfer went the distance for the Longhorns and improved to 11-2 on the year.

Fred Riscen, who pitched a no-hitter last weekend against Rice and has not given up a run in conference play, went five innings and allowed one hit.

"Texas would have to stumble a bunch for us to sneak in the door," said Aggie Coach Mark Johnson. "You make your own breaks, and we did not swing the bats well. I don't think our confidence barrier was up."

TCU 11-2, Texas Tech 4-6

FORT WORTH — Texas Christian freshman Paul Gonzalez drove in three runs to pace a 12-hit as the Horned Frogs defeated Texas Tech 11-4 in the first game.

Frog catcher Steve Stoone added three hits and scored three runs as John Briscoe earned his third consecutive win after an 0-4 start. Briscoe went the distance, striking out seven and allowing five hits.

Tech gained a split in the second game, scoring three runs in the first inning and holding on for a 6-2 victory behind two solo home runs and an RBI double by shortstop Tommy Hernandez.

Mike Humphreys and Gilbert Arredondo added a pair of hits each in Tech's 10-hit attack.

The split left TCU in fourth place in the league with a 7-8 record, 25-26 overall. Tech is 6-12 and 31-23.

Baylor 7-10, Arkansas 5-11

WACO — The Arkansas Razorbacks scored seven runs in the eighth inning and two more in the ninth to overcome a 7-0 deficit and defeat the Baylor Bears 11-10 in the second game after losing 7-5 in the opener.

With the split, Arkansas now is 31-15 for the season and 8-7 in league play, while Baylor is 20-27 and 5-10.

Bruce Aguilar, 5-2, went the distance in the opener for the Bears.

Joe Guidry had a double for Baylor in the win, and Steve Dliafas had two hits and three runs batted in. For Arkansas, Troy Eklund had two hits and two RBIs.

Jimmy Kremers, who had two hits for Arkansas in the opener, added three more hits, including a pair of doubles, in the Razorbacks' second-game comeback. Jay Carpenter was 3-for-3 in the nightcap with two RBIs.

Kelly Zane, who had a solo homer in the middle innings, drove in the winning run in Arkansas' ninth-inning 2-run rally.

UH 14-17, Rice 3-2

HOUSTON — The Houston Cougars crushed the Rice Owls 14-3 and 17-2. The sweep improved Houston's record to 32-17-2 overall and 6-9 in SWC play, while Rice fell to 31-24 and 6-12.

Woody Williams' 3-run homer highlighted the Cougars' 6-run second inning of the first game, and Williams followed with a 2-run double in a three-run fifth inning that raised the lead to 9-2. Ross Gooolsby added a 3-run homer for Houston in the sixth.

In the second game, Houston banged out 20 hits and 17 runs against five Rice pitchers. Two Cougars, Mark Cerny and Ricky Torres, had three hits apiece, while five other Houston players had two hits apiece. Henry DeLeon knocked in five runs with his two hits.

Dee Lance wins

CHICAGO (AP) — Dee Lance held a big lead throughout to win the $53,300 Bold Favorite Handicapp by eight lengths Saturday at Sportsman's Park.

A crowd of 9,946 saw Twice Around take second and Homebuyer finish third in the field of seven 3-year-olds.

Ridden by Keith Allen, Dee Lance paid $3.20, $2.80 and $2.20, and earned $31,980 for owner Robert S. Eynon of Columbus, Ind. Winning time for the mile was 1:38 4-5.



George Wolf/Reporter-Telegram

Low Bridge

Midland Lee's Chad Brooks avoids an inside pitch as Rebels faced Permian at Lee Field Saturday.

Goebel stars in Baylor drill

WACO, Texas (AP) — Brad Goebel completed 8 of 18 passes for 105 yards, including a 22-yard touchdown pass to Bobby Jack Goforth, as Baylor wrapped up its spring football drills Saturday with its annual spring game.

Goebel, a starter last year as a freshman, finished the spring as the No. 1 quarterback again, head coach Grant Teaff said.

"I thought Brad did a super job this spring for us," Teaff said. "He made some key adjustments and worked on a lot of the things he did so well for us last year."

"Overall, we were very pleased with the progress of all three quarterbacks. Ed Lovell has recovered from last year's injury and is playing excellent, while our promising freshman Ricky Vestal has also made great strides."

Arkansas, SMU netters advance in Southwest tourney

AUSTIN (AP) — Arkansas' top-seeded men and Southern Methodist's top-seeded women advanced into Sunday's championship finals in the Southwest Conference tennis tournament Saturday after convincing victories in the semifinals.

In men's action, the Razorbacks swept Texas A&M 5-0 and will meet Texas Christian, a 5-3 winner over Texas, in Sunday's championship match.

In women's play, SMU completed a 5-0 sweep against Texas Christian for a spot in the finals opposite second-seeded Texas, which won every set in a 5-0 semifinal victory over Texas A&M.

TCU's men endured the only close competition of the day, outlasting Texas 5-3 by winning four of six singles matches and one of two doubles matches.

Play is suspended as soon as one team wins five matches.

Texas' Anne Grousbeck, ranked No. 2 in the nation, faces Southern Methodist's Jennifer Santrock, ranked No. 8, in the No. 1 singles match Sunday.

Grousbeck lost to Santrock 6-0, 6-1 in the teams' dual match April 6, then suffered a back injury that sidelined her until Saturday.

"This is my first match in two weeks," Grousbeck said. "I'm still a little slow and my footwork's a little sloppy."

Against Santrock, "I didn't play the big points well," Grousbeck said. "She's a great player, and you can't do that and beat her."

Grousbeck easily handled the Aggies' Gaye Lynn Gensler, 6-1, 6-2, in the semifinal.

Santrock settled a score with a 7-6 (8-6), 6-2 semifinal victory against TCU's Rene Simpson, the tournament's top seed at No. 1 singles.

"I was more motivated today because I lost to Simpson two weeks ago in our dual meet," Santrock said. "This time, I made a lot less unforced errors, and strategically I played a lot more aggressively."

Clint Banducci and Earl Zinn, the No. 4 doubles team in the country, came from behind in a tense match against Texas' Paul Koscielski and Mitch Michulka to clinch TCU's victory.

After winning four matches in singles, the Horned Frogs needed only one victory in doubles to advance to the finals, but the Longhorns took command by winning the first sets in all three doubles matches.

Banducci and Zinn, trailing 6-2 after the first set, lost only five more games to take the match 2-6, 6-3, 6-2.

Banducci also defeated Koscielski in No. 1 singles.

AUSTIN (AP) — Here are the results of Saturday's semi-final round of the Southwest Conference Championships being held at the University of Texas:

Women's

Southern Methodist 5, Texas Christian 0

Jennifer Santrock, SMU, def. Renee Simpson, TCU, 7-6 (8-6), 6-2.

Jean Marie Sterling, SMU, def. Tory Plunkett, TCU, 6-3, 6-4.

Debbie Ceccato, SMU, def. Aubrey Abbott, TCU, 4-6, 6-4, 6-3.

Tammy Christensen, SMU, def. Melanie Breed, TCU, 6-3, 6-2.

Kim Gaido, SMU, def. Kris Clevenger, TCU, 6-1, 7-5.

Texas 5, Texas A&M 0

Anne Grousbeck, Texas, def. Gaye Lynn Gensler, A&M, 6-1, 6-2.

Diana Merrett, Texas, def. Lisa Keller, A&M, 6-1, 6-1.

Michelle Carrier, Texas, def. Cindy Churchwell, A&M, 6-3, 6-2.

Joanna Plautz, Texas, def. Cindy Crawford, A&M, 6-2, 6-2.

Lanay Renschler, Texas, def. Susan Williams, A&M, 6-1, 6-4.

Men's

Arkansas 5, Texas A&M 0

Donie Wood, Arkansas, def. Shaun O'Donovan, A&M, 6-4, 6-0.

Augusto Solano, Arkansas, def. Steve Kennedy, A&M, 6-4, 6-2.

Derek Brooks, Arkansas, def. Craig Whitteker, A&M, 6-2, 1-6, 7-5.

Please see SWC, Page 5C.

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NFL draft stresses talent...character

By THOMAS GEORGE
N.Y. Times News Service

NEW YORK — National Football League teams still want to know how fast a player runs a 40-yard sprint, but their 53d draft of college players, starting at 11 a.m. today at the Marriott Marquis in New York, will reflect an increase in research of athletes' character.

Teams have chatted with more university secretaries and professors and have scrutinized more intelligence, psychological and drug tests. They are giving that information more priority than in past years, viewing the process of the draft in a more businesslike way.

"It's just a fact that this year there is a push in the league to make your draft a more thorough hiring, screening process," said Whitey Dovell, the Kansas City Chiefs' director of player personnel. "In this way the NFL is becoming more like IBM."

"I think clubs are more and more concerned about the type of person they are about to hire," said John Beake, the Denver Broncos' general manager. "We were way behind in this area. You go to major firms and look at the intense way they hire people for jobs. In the past, teams just took players, simply who we thought was the best player. And in the end, we inherited an assortment of problems that go way back to junior high, that everybody around him had seen for 20 years and we would have, too, if we'd done more homework."

Bill Tobin, the Chicago Bears' director of player personnel, said: "Now you not only have to read the local sports pages, but you also have to read the local police blotter. You have to read it all."

Most NFL teams have learned this lesson the hard way. The Philadelphia Eagles' 1985 first-round pick, Kevin Allen, an offensive tackle, is in prison after pleading guilty last year to aggravated sexual assault. The Eagles' 1986 second-round pick, Alonzo Johnson, a linebacker, left the team after seven games for drug rehabilitation, finishing without a tackle.

The Detroit Lions found that Reggie Rogers, a former Washington defensive end, was not what they had envisioned when they made him their No.1 pick last year. Rogers had a difficult time adjusting to the pro game off the field as well as on, playing less than half the season due to an assortment of woes that included having to defend himself against rumors of drug abuse.

"The higher you pick, the tougher the screening must be," said Coach Don Shula of the Miami Dolphins. "With the higher picks, there is more money, more everything involved. You can't separate performance from personality in football any more."

Shula said the Dolphins rely on a 12-minute math-and-verbal test of athletes. Dovell said the Chiefs use psychological tests in most cases.

And Bill Davis, the Eagles' director of player personnel, said: "Some teams even hire private detectives to do background work on players, but what we do first here is our own drug test of a prospect. If a player fails, that's it."

The San Francisco 49ers say they restrict scouts to scouting, and let Coach Bill Walsh make final judgment on an athlete's character.

"We feel it's a challenge," said Tony Razzano, the 49ers' director of college scouting, "to take a marginal kid and build, to put him around people in our system that can positively influence his ways. In those cases it works, that's a good feeling."

NFL scouts say the 1988 group of college athletes has bad apples and ripe ones, as in any other draft. Now that they have characterized the players more accurately, the scouts also realize, in Tobin's words, "that kids change."

This year's draft is short on quarterbacks but rich in receivers, dry in prize defensive linemen but overflowing with prime defensive backs. It is invariably a helter-skelter day: In the last two drafts, a record number of 18 draft-day trades were made, and this year's draft might follow suit.

Several glamour teams have shopping to do.

The Los Angeles Raiders, rebounding from a 5-10 season, have their highest first-round draft picks — sixth and ninth — in recent years. The Bears need cornerbacks and linebackers, but there is no linebacker in the draft like the one Chicago let get away — Wilbur Marshall, who signed as a free agent with Washington. The closest Marshall clone is Aundray Bruce, and he is already the Atlanta Falcons' and draft's number one overall selection, who has signed a Falcons' contract.

Heisman Trophy winners are usually gobbled quickly, and the 1988 winner, Tim Brown of Notre Dame, is coveted by the Raiders. If they get him it means Brown was passed by five other teams. Possibly the biggest star-sleeper of the draft is the UCLA running back Gaston Green. His Bruins career was marvelous, but scouts cooled interest saying he was injury prone. Those that have followed Green closely, however, know he is a nifty back destined for stardom, the real thing.

And so are John Stephens of Northwestern Louisiana State and Craig Heyward of Pittsburgh, certain first-round selections at running back and fullback; Neil Smith of Nebraska, an imposing defensive end who will likely be the Chiefs No. 1 pick and the draft's overall No. 2 selection; and Bennie Blades of Miami, a safety who Miami coach Jimmy Johnson regards as the best he has ever coached.

NFL

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Give Fullwood another chance and take RICKY DIXON, an Oklahoma safety who's convertible to cornerback.

8, NEW YORK JETS — They need help help up front. But nobody's there on defense, so ... DAVE CADIGAN, ot-g, Southern California.

9, HOUSTON (from L.A. Rams) — The Oilers need defense, but they've got another pick to use on that. Here they go for GASTON GREEN, rb, UCLA, who might have better luck than Mike Rozier holding on to laterals in his own end zone.

10, NEW YORK GIANTS — General Manager George Young says the Giants are confused. They're not the only ones. They'd love Gruber but won't get him, so they'll trade down or reincarnate Rob Carpenter with BRAD MUSTER, rb, Stanford.

11, DALLAS — The team that's Herschel Walker and 49 other guys needs a quarterback, wide receivers, linebackers and offensive linemen. MICHAEL IRVIN, wr, Miami, wouldn't have been necessary if Mike Sherrard hadn't re-broken his leg.

12, PHOENIX — What will George Boone do for an encore after Clyde Duncan, Freddie Joe Nunn, Anthony Bell and Kelly Stouffer? CRAIG (IRONHEAD) HEYWARD, rb, Pitt, makes sense. But watch out for that nickname.

13, PHILADELPHIA — John Spagnola is a capable tight end. But Buddy Ryan doesn't like him. So KEITH JACKSON, te, Oklahoma, gets a chance to enter Buddy's doghouse.

14, LOS ANGELES RAMS (from Buffalo) — Given recent history (Mike Schad and Donald Evans) who knows what will happen with their plethora of high picks. They need a heavy-duty running back and a heavy-duty receiver so they take the best of the kind available, LORENZO WHITE, rb, Michigan State.

15, SAN DIEGO — If any team goes for the best available athlete it's the Chargers, who have too many tight ends and not enough of anything else. They're willing to trade this pick to the Raiders for qb Mark Wilson (why?) but if they don't, they go for ANTHONY MILLER, wr. Tennesse.

16, MIAMI — They need defense, particularly the pass-rushing kind. They take the chance that Don Shula can put up-and-down SCOTT DAVIS, de, Illinois, on the up-and-up.

17, NEW ENGLAND — Don Blackmon's neck injury may force his retirement and Steve Nelson is already gone, so linebacker is the prime position and KEN HARVEY, olb, California is there.

18, PITTSBURGH — The Steelers can use a flyer at wide receiver or running back. Assume Louis Lipps regains his health and take that flyer on JOHN STEPHENS, rb, Northwest Louisiana.

19, MINNESOTA — A good young team, they can start working on depth. ERIC MOORE, ot Indiana, may need a year to build up his strength, but he fits nicely.

20, RAMS (from Indianapolis) — With Ron Brown gone, they could use deep speed. WENDELL DAVIS, wr, LSU, isn't that fast, but he's always open.

21, HOUSTON — The answer to Ladd Herzeg's dreams is CLIFFORD CHARLTON, olb, Florida. The only problem is that the Oilers' dreams and their selections sometimes aren't the same.

22, CLEVELAND — Can they find someone to get them through the last minute of the AFC title game? They could trade up or they could take the Icebox, MICHAEL DEAN PERRY, dl, Clemson, who's 50-60 pounds lighter and 50-60 pounds more mobile than his brother.

23, CHICAGO — What would fit is a family fued between William and Michael Dean Perry. But the Bears desperately need a cornerback who can cover, so they take TERENCE McDANIEL, cb, Tennessee.

24, NEW ORLEANS — Finks and Jim Mora operate by the theory that it's what's up front that counts, but they need speed. Last year's Lonzell Hill becomes this year's AARON COX, wr, Arizona State.

25, SAN FRANCISCO — Bill Walsh sometimes trades up, sometimes trades down, but almost always trades. In any case, he might opt for VINCENT BROWN, a talented, but raw linebacker from Jerry Rice's alma mater, Mississippi Valley State.

26, DENVER — The Broncos love TED GREGORY, nt, Syracuse, who could stop the defensive leakage that has led to two straight Super Bowl routs. The problem is, the knee surgeons love Gregory, too.

27, CHICAGO (from WASHINGTON) — This is what they get for Wilber Marshall. JOHN ELLIOTT, ot, Michigan, isn't Wilber. But he's a 300-pounder who can be insurance on the banged-up offensive line.

All Thee Power easy California winner

ALBANY, Calif. (AP) — All Thee Power raced to an eight-length victory Saturday in the 74th running of the $250,000 California Derby at Golden Gate Fields and then broke down just past the finish line.

Jockey Lafitt Pincay Jr., pulled the son of Lines Of Power on the clubhouse turn after he appeared to go lame following the victory.

TENNIS

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Cha Hoon Im, Arkansas, def. Mike Chambers, A&M, 6-1, 7-6.
J. P. Mieny, Arkansas, def. Wayne Green, A&M, 6-3, 7-5.
Texas Christian 5, Texas 3
Clint Bandueci, TCU, def. Paul Kosciolski, Texas, 6-4, 6-4.
Earl Zinn, TCU, def. Hubert Karrash, Texas, 1-6, 7-6 (7-4), 6-4.
Patrick Flynn, Texas, def. Patrick Smith, TCU, 7-5, 6-1.
Eric Lingg, TCU, def. Aaron Gross, Texas, 6-3, 7-6.
Mitch Michulka, Texas, def. Gary Betts, 6-2, 7-5.
Gerard Ronan, TCU, def. Jerry Martinez, Texas, 6-4, 7-6 (13-11).
Banducci and Zinn, TCU, def. Kosciolski and Michulka, Texas, 2-6, 6-3, 6-2.
Flynn and Karrash, Texas, def. Doug Gleason and Paul Hart, TCU, 6-2, 6-1.

Liverpool defeats Tottenham

LIVERPOOL, England (AP) — Liverpool clinched the English League soccer title Saturday, beating Tottenham Hotspur 1-0.

Peter Beardsley scored the only goal of the First Division match in the 31st minute.

The victory enabled Liverpool, which had led the standings since mid-November, to gain its 17th title and its ninth in the last 13 years.

Needing only one point in its last five games, Liverpool recovered from a jittery start to clinch the championship before a crowd of 44,000 at Anfield Stadium.

Liverpool has 84 points in 36 games, while runner-up Manchester United, which was idle Saturday, has 69 in 36.

Ireland wins

DUBLIN, Ireland (AP) — England won the Millenium Rugby Union Challenge, defeating Ireland 21-10 Saturday. The victory was the Britons' second straight over the Irish.

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Running

1988 Midland YMCA Hoffman Memorial Tall City Triathlon is June 4 at 7:30 a.m. for individuals and team competition. Entry forms available at YMCAs and sporting goods stores. Race consists of 1000-meter swim, 30 kilometer bicycle course and 10 kilometer run. Call 682-2551...

Big Country Run, Van Horn, 6:30-7:30 a.m. June 18 at Culberson County courthouse, 5K, 10K, half marathon. Registration 7-10 p.m. June 17 at Van Horn Convention Center. Entry fee $7.50, $10 late. Contact 283 2043 or Mike Hensley 283 2283.....

Permian Basin Road Runners Club received funding from Nike and RRCA to conduct a children's running program 2 p.m. May 1, 8, 15 and 22 at Windland's Par Course at Wadley and A streets. Entry forms YMCAs, 683 1690. No charge for the program ...**5K Run for the Arts** May 14 and the **Tall Town 10,000** May 21 are Midland's next major races. Contact 689-0646...

Softball

The 1988 Women's Spring Classic April 30-May 1. Entry fee $95. Deadline April 28. Call 943-7624...

The Iraan's Men's Slow Pitch double elimination tournament April 30-May 1. $100 entry fee. Deadline 6 p.m. April 28. Contact Wanda Hood, 639-2088 or Monica Copeland at 639-2737...

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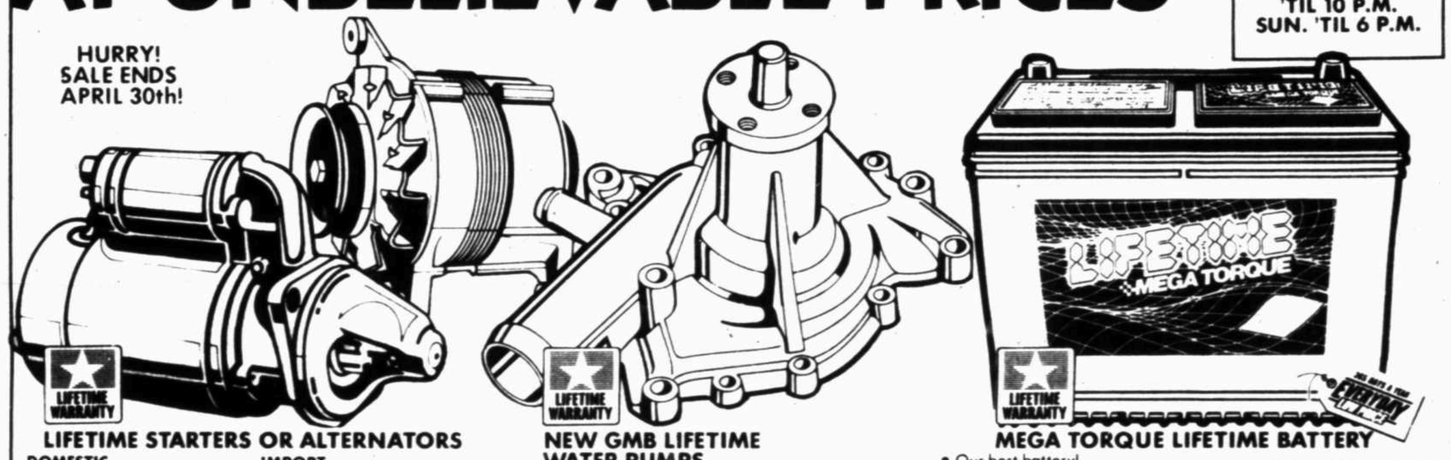
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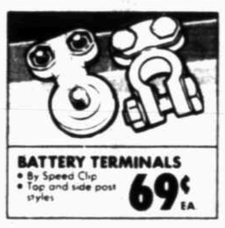


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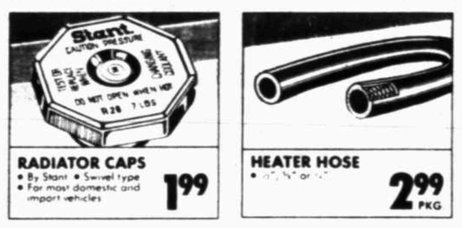
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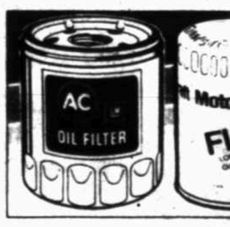
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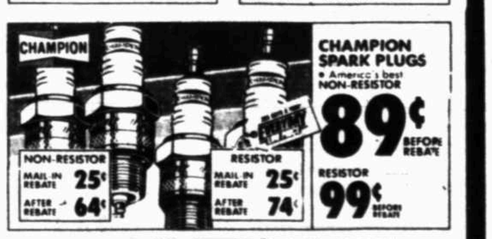
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JIM MURRAY

He could win anything but Hall


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He was probably as good a football player as ever came out of Notre Dame. But he never got a nickname or even a headline. He wasn't the Fifth Horseman, or the Springfield Rifle or the Golden Boy or Six-Yard Sitko or One-Play O'Brien or even Jumpin' Joe. Opposition tackles and ends had plenty of names for him but you couldn't put them on bubble-gum cards.

Look at it this way: The Notre Dame teams of the late 1940s were probably the greatest college football teams ever assembled. They could have gone intact into the pros. Third-stringers on those teams would have started — maybe starred — on almost any other college team in the land.

They won three of the first four postwar national championships and finished second the other year. They went four years without a defeat. They had five members of the 1947 team on the All-American team and four on the 1946, '48 and '49 squads. They didn't beat people, they buried them. They were so good, the school got embarrassed.

The Detroit Lions of the early 1950s were probably the best pro team of their era. They were the only team that could handle the mighty Cleveland Browns of the day. The Browns were a powerhouse team of stars that had come over from the old All-America Football Conference and would have humiliated the old established teams of the National Football League, had it not been for the Lions.

WHAT HAD these two juggernauts, one college, one pro, the Fighting Irish of Notre Dame and the Lions of Detroit, in common? Well, not much. Or, just enough, depending on your point of view.

First of all, each team had Leon Hart, the mastodonic end who was just easier to tackle than the Washington Monument, which he somewhat resembled. And then, each team had Jim Martin.

You probably never heard of Jim Martin. He's not even the answer to a trivia question. But, a peculiarity of Jim Martin's career seems to be that, wherever he went, a national championship went with him.

He was on those great Frank Leahy-coached teams that swept the boards for Notre Dame from '46 to '49. Before that, he had been on another championship team, the U.S. Marines in the South Pacific in World War II.

He was drafted in the second round by the Cleveland Browns in 1950, with predictable results. The Browns won the championship that pre-Jim Brown year.

When a back can perform multiple functions in a football game, they call him a triple-threat man. When a lineman can do it, they call him "Hey, you!"

JIM MARTIN could do anything you needed or wanted on a football field, provided it didn't require him to touch the football with his hands. He could kick, block, tackle, run. He could play offense or defense with the same degree of skill and enthusiasm.

He played both ways at Notre Dame. On a team that went 38 straight games without a defeat — they were tied twice.

It was as easy as it sounds. There were times when Martin yearned for night landings. The coach at the time at the school of Our Lady was a drillmaster from an old school.

"Coach Leahy wouldn't let anybody run out of bounds with the football," Martin remembers. "If anybody fell on the football the way they do today, they'd never play another down of football for him."

A team that was returning to Notre Dame from service was supposed to be too mature to fall for the religio-emotionalism of college football or accept the hard-nosed discipline that went with it. Leahy soon dispelled that notion. His practice fields were just an extension of boot camp.

"We never called him Frank," confides Martin. "He was Coach or Mister to you, and you better not forget it. Many years later, I met him at a banquet and I always hankered to call him Frank. He was out of coaching and all but I couldn't do it. I leaned forward to say 'Say, Frank,' but it stuck in my throat."

THE DETROIT Lions of that era would have called the Pope by his first name — or worse. A free-wheeling, hard-drinking, hard-playing cast of brigands, they would have been a pirate crew in another life.

Martin didn't go direct to this frolicking crew of freebooters. He passed through the crucible of Paul Brown first. Brown was the same kind of cold, contemptuous taskmaster Leahy had been. No players ever called him Paul, either.

"In the (1950) championship game (against the Rams), I was playing defensive end. Lenny Ford had his jaw broken by Pat Harder in an earlier game and I switched from offensive tackle to defensive end. On this play, I was supposed to hold up Glenn Davis, the running back. But, when I got past my man, I saw (Quarterback Bob) Waterfield just standing there. I thought, 'Uh-oh, I can kill Waterfield!'

"I went for him. He just lobbed this pass to Davis for a touchdown. I had played a great game. Other guys had made mistakes. Marion Motley fumbled on the goal line. Hal Herring, the defensive back, fell down on that play. But Brown traded me to Detroit. For about six or eight players."

WHATEVER Brown got wasn't enough. At Detroit, Jim Martin was six or eight players. "I played guard, tackle, center, linebacker, defensive end. I played on all the special teams — kickoff, kickoff return, punt, field goal."

Eventually, he even became the team's kicker. He is the team's fifth-leading scorer with 259 points, and he kicked two field goals of more than 50 yards in a game against Baltimore in 1960.

A legend in a locker room, if lesser known out of it, Jim Martin today has one regret: "I can understand the Heisman," he admits. "I can relate to the fact I never made the pro Hall of Fame. But I can never imagine why I was never considered for the college Hall of Fame."

Neither can anyone who ever watched him play. Maybe he didn't win enough.

(Jim Murray is a syndicated columnist of the LA Times)

Iraan's Con Hartman scores double ace

IRAAN, Texas (AP) — Con Hartman shot a hole-in-one Saturday morning on the sixth hole at Iraan Country Club not once but twice.

Hartman used his 9-iron to ace the 145-yard hole during back-to-back rounds on the 9-hole course.

It is the third hole-in-one for Hartman, all on the same hole. His first ace came four years ago.

"I've been playing golf for 32 years and didn't have any hole-in-ones the first 28," Hartman said.

The 38-year old golfer also won money for his morning feat, since Iraan State Bank awards $100 for a hole-in-one.

"I don't know if they'll pay for two of them," he told the San Angelo Standard-Times.

Hartman is a former San Angelo Central High School and Angelo State University golfer.

Iraan, a community of about 1,850, is 60 miles south of Midland.

Edmonton takes lead over Flames

EDMONTON, Alberta (AP) — Charlie Huddy and Glenn Anderson scored second-period goals, leading the Edmonton Oilers to a 4-2 victory over the Calgary Flames Saturday night and a commanding 3-0 lead in their Stanley Cup playoff series.

The Oilers can wrap up the best-of-7 Smythe Division final with a victory in Game 4 at the Northlands Coliseum Monday night.

An ugly, spearing incident that cost Calgary the services of forward Mike Bullard led to the key go-ahead goal in the second period by Huddy.

Hakan Loob had given Calgary the early lead with a short-handed goal three minutes into the game.

But Steve Smith's power-play goal tied the score before the period ended and Edmonton grabbed a 3-1 lead with the second-period goals by Huddy and Anderson.

Huddy scored while Bullard lay on the ice after being speared as he stepped on the ice. He left the game but didn't require hospitalization.

The Flames tried to make a game of it in the third but continued to be plagued by an anemic power play.

Joe Nieuwendyk scored his second playoff goal at 6:46 and Smith drew a boarding penalty for taking the Calgary scorer into the end boards.

But Calgary's power play, which went 0-for-8, came up empty when the Flames needed it most. They failed to get a single shot on goal and seconds after regaining full strength, the Oilers also regained their two-goal lead.

Calgary	1	0	1—2
Edmonton	1	2	1—4

First Period—1, Calgary, Loob 8, 3:11 (sh). 2, Edmonton, Smith 1 (Gretzky, Messier), 9:23 (pp). Penalties—Hunter, Cal (elbowing) 1:50; McCrimmon, Cal, double minor (high-sticking), 6:07; Simpson, Edm (tripping), 7:15; Ramage, Cal (slashing), 8:49; Otto, Cal (cross-checking), 10:20; Edmonton bench, served by Tikkanen (too many men on ice), 14:21; Anderson, Edm (cross-checking), 17:01; Hunter, Cal (high-sticking), 19:15.

Second Period—2, Edmonton, Huddy 5 (Kurri, McSorley), 8:54. 3, Edmonton, Anderson 4 (Messier, Simpson), 17:10 (pp). Penalties—MacTavish, Edm (holding), 5:42; McSorley, Edm, major-game misconduct (spearing), 8:54; McCrimmon, Cal (holding), 14:16; Patterson, Cal (cross-checking), 16:37; Tikkanen, Edm (interference), 17:53.

Third Period—5, Calgary, Nieuwendyk 2 (Peplinski, Nattress), 6:46. 6, Edmonton, Kurri 8 (Gretzky, Messier), 9:04. Penalties—Courtnall, Edm (hooking), :50; Smith, Edm (boarding), 6:46; Otto, Cal (hooking), 10:14; Murzyn, Cal (roughing), 12:57; MacTavish, Edm (holding), 12:57; Hunter, Cal, major (charging), 14:14; Courtnall, Edm (roughing), 18:09.

Shots on goal—Calgary 11-8-4—23. Edmonton 10-8-4—22.

Power-play Opportunities—Calgary 0 of 8; Edmonton 2 of 10.

Goalies—Calgary, Vernon (22 shots-18 saves). Edmonton, Fuhr (23-21). A— 17,502.

Jari Kurri, who scored the winning goal in Game 1 and the tying goal that created overtime in Game 2, scored his eighth playoff goal at 9:04.

The Flames, who managed only four shots on goal in the final period, didn't really threaten after that. Any hopes they had ended with a charging major penalty to Tim Hunter for running goaltender Grant Fuhr at 14:14.

Calgary also lost forward Perry Berezan, early in the third period, when he was hit hard by Mark Messier, Berezan was taken to hospital for examination.

Blues 6, Red Wings 3

ST. LOUIS (AP) — Tony McKegney and Gino Cavallini each had two goals and an assist to lead the St. Louis Blues to a 6-3 victory over the Detroit Red Wings Saturday night in Game 3 of their Stanley Cup playoff series.

The victory was the first for the Blues in the best-of-7 Norris Division series which continues with Game 4 in St. Louis Monday night.

McKegney, who scored a team-leading 40 goals during the regular season but had not scored in seven playoff games, sparked a three-goal St. Louis outburst in the second period as the Blues came back from a 2-1 deficit to open a 4-2 lead.

McKegney took a pass from Doug Gilmour and fired the puck into the open left side of the net to cap a two-on-one break and tie the score 2-2 at 1:03 of the second period.

St. Louis goaltender Greg Millen made 25 saves during the game in which the Blues outshot the Red Wings 35-28.

St. Louis took a 3-2 lead when Tony Hrkac, who was behind the net, banked the puck in off Detroit defenseman Jim Pavese during a power play at 12:19 of the same period. McKegney earned an assist on the goal.

McKegney made it 4-2 when he tapped in the rebound of a shot by Paul Cavallini that had hit the backboard and bounced into the slot.

Baerga's homer beats Halos, 4-3

From Staff Reports

WICHITA, Kan.— Midland's Angels looked great in the box score. They did everything right....except win.

The Angels outhit Wichita, 6-5, and made only one error compared to four for the Pilots, but Wichita wound up a 4-3 winner in the opener of this five-game Texas League series here Saturday night.

The big blow was a three-run homer by Carlos Baerga in the fourth inning, wiping out a 2-1 Midland lead and sending Mike McGuire to his second defeat without a victory this season.

Terry Gilmour went 7 2/3 innings to notch the win and got 1 1/3 innings of relief help from Terry Mills, who earned his first save of the year.

Lee Stevens opened the second with a triple and scored on Jesus Alfaro's sac fly to give Midland a 1-0 lead.

Wichita tied it in the home second when Chris Cooper homered to right, his second of the season.

In the fourth Midland took its 2-1 lead on Tom Alfredson's home run, No. 3, and things looked good for the Angels.

However, an error, Chris Knabenshue's single and Baerga provided the game-winning wallop in the home fourth.

The teams resume action today at 2 p.m.

Midland	ab	r	h	bi	Wichita	ab	r	h	bi
Thomas 2b	4	0	0	0	DeButch lf	3	0	0	0
Grunard rf	4	0	0	0	Wrona ss	4	0	0	0
McCollum 1b	4	0	1	0	Yurtin rf	3	1	0	0
Alfredson cf	4	1	2	1	Cooper 1b	4	1	2	1
Stevens of	3	1	2	0	Knabenshue cf	4	1	1	0
Alfaro 3b	2	0	0	1	Baerga 2b	3	1	1	3
Manto dh	4	1	0	0	Stevenson dh	3	0	1	0
Napp c	4	0	0	0	Tatum 3b	2	0	0	0
Geivett ss	3	0	1	1	Basso c	2	0	0	0
Totals	32	3	6	3	Totals	28	4	5	4

Midland	010	100	100—3
Wichita	010	300	00x—4

GWRBI: Baerga. E— Cooper, Yurtin, Baerga, Wrona, Geivett. Left— Midland 6, Wichita 4. DP— Midland 1, Wichita 1. 2b— Stevenson, Cooper, HR— Baerga (2), Cooper (2), Alfredson (3), Sac- Geivett. SF—Alfaro. SB—Stevenson.

Midland	ip	hi	r-er	bb	so
McGuire L 0-2	6.1	5	4- 3	2	6
Ward	1.2	0	0- 0	2	2
Wichita	**ip**	**hi**	**r-er**	**bb**	**so**
Gilmore W 2-0	7.2	6	3- 1	2	5
Mills Save 1	1.1	0	0- 0	0	1

Balk— Gilmoour, Ward. T—2:42. Att—655.

Juco transfer stars in TCU drill

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — Cedric Jackson, a 220-pound transfer from Tyler Junior College, rushed for 113 yards and scoored three times Saturday to highlight Texas Christian University's annual Purple-White spring football game.

Jackson scored on runs of 1, 11 and 59 yards as the Purple squad, comprised largely of first- and second-teamers, dominated the action.

Head coach Jim Wacker also was pleased with Scott Ankrom, a quarterback who has seen action also at flanker and running back this spring in an attempt to cut down the injuries he has suffered.

Ankrom lined up at all three positions on Saturday, but was most damaging at quarterback, where he completed 6 of 11 passes for 102 yards, including a 21-yard touchdown pass to flanker Jarrod Delaney.

Bullets clinch berth

From Wire Reports

LANDOVER, Md. — Washington clinched an NBA playoff berth in its final game Saturday night as John Williams scored 15 of his 19 points in the first half and the Bullets coasted to a 106-96 victory over the Atlanta Hawks.

Atlanta could have clinched third place in the Eastern Conference with a victory, but the Hawks' defeat means Chicago could tie them with a victory over the Boston Celtics Sunday. The Bulls won the season series from Atlanta, and will get the third playoff spot if they beat the Celtics.

Washington, which clinched the playoff berth when Philadelphia lost at Cleveland, jumped to an early lead against Atlanta and was never seriously threatened. The Bullets led 15-3 with 7:36 left in the first period, with Williams scoring seven of those points.

Washington scored the first basket of the second half and led by 20 at the end of three quarters.

The Hawks were led by Dominique Wilkins, who scored 19 points while making only six of 20 shots. Moses Malone and Jeff Malone each scored 24 points for the Bullets.

Cavaliers 104, 76ers 99

RICHFIELD, Ohio — Mark Price scored 20 of his 25 points in the second half, rallying the Cleveland Cavaliers from a nine-point halftime deficit, ending the 76ers' string of 12 straight playoff appearances.

The loss, coupled with Washington's victory over Atlanta, dropped Philadelphia out of the race for the Eastern Conference playoffs. The 76ers close the regular season Sunday at Detroit.

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High Backhand

Jill Vallandingham of Midland College goes high for a two-handed backhand shot in WJCAC action at MC courts Saturday.

Darrell Evans' belt subdues Rangers, 7-6

ARLINGTON, Texas (AP) — Darrell Evans' three-run homer keyed a five-run seventh inning Saturday night and the Detroit Tigers held on for a 7-6 victory over the Texas Rangers.

The Tigers trailed 3-2 in the seventh when Chet Lemon drew a one-out walk, went to third on a single by Tom Brookens and scored on a wild pitch by Bobby Witt, 0-3. Witt then walked Gary Pettis and threw another wild pitch that moved the runners to second and third.

Jose Cecena came on for Witt and balked home Brookens. Lou Whitaker walked on the balk, then Evans followed with the three-run homer, his first of the season.

Frank Tanana, 4-0, was the winner, allowing 12 hits and all six runs in 7 1-3 innings. Tom Henneman pitched the final inning for his seventh save.

The Rangers scored three runs in the eighth as Ruben Sierra doubled with one out and Pete Incaviglia singled to drive him in. Pete O'Brien then hit his fifth homer. Don Heinkel relieved Tanana to get the final two outs.

Witt allowed only three hits but he walked six and threw two wild pitches in 6 1-3 innings.

The Tigers took a 1-0 lead in the first when Pettis drew a leadoff walk, stole second, advanced on a groundout and scored on Evans' single off the right-field wall.

The Rangers tied it in the third on Steve Buechele's leadoff homer, his third.

The Rangers took a 3-1 lead in the fourth when Sierra led off with a single and Incaviglia followed with his second homer.

Detroit made it 3-2 in the sixth when Pettis led off with a single, stole second, advanced to third on a groundout and scored on a passed ball.

National Notes

Atlanta

The Braves have not won a home game this season.

Chicago

Angel Salazar is the only National League player on an opening day roster not to appear in a game thus far. ... The Cubs' 12-game road trip is their longest of the season ... For the first time since 1977, the Cubs have nine players on their roster they originally signed or drafted: Shawon Dunston, Darrin Jackson, Dave Martinez, Rafael Palmeiro, Rolando Roomes, Drew Hall, Les Lancaster, Greg Maddux and Jamie Moyer.

Cincinnati

The Reds have four complete games this season. In 1987, they had seven.

Los Angeles

The Dodgers' 10-3 victory Saturday was their first game since Monday.

Montreal

Tim Burke has won his last nine decisions since Sept. 5, 1986, when he lost to the Giants.

New York Mets

Darryl Strawberry is nearing the Mets' club home run record. He had 152 going into Saturday's game, two short of Dave Kingman's 154 as a Met.

Philadelphia

Phil Bradley is 0-for-11 in day games. ... When Greg Harris singled in his first Phillies' at-bat on April 18, it was his first hit since Sept. 24, 1984, when he was with San Diego.

Pittsburgh

R.J. Reynolds' home run against Chicago Saturday was his first as a right-handed batter since June 22, 1984 against the Atlanta Braves when he was with the Dodgers. He has 25 career homers. ... Brian Fisher had thrown 16 2-3 consecutive scoreless innings before the Cubs scored in the first inning Saturday. ... Bob Walk has a 6-1 lifetime record against the Cubs ... Saturday's game was the Pirates first on national television since they lost to the Mets 3-1 on Sept. 28, 1985. Only three Pirates remain from that team: Bob Walk, Junior Ortiz and Rafael Belliard.

St. Louis

Wince Coleman has been successful in his last 31 stolen-base attempts against the Mets.

San Francisco

Mike Krukow, who lost to the Dodgers 10-3 Saturday, had not lost since June 5, 1987.

3 deadlocked in NBA chase

NEW YORK (AP) — The Washington Bullets, New York Knicks and Indiana Pacers finished in a three-way tie Saturday night for the last two playoff spots in the NBA's Eastern Conference, and the Pacers were eliminated because of a poor record against the other two teams.

Under NBA tiebreaking procedures for multiple-team ties, the first tiebreaker is winning percentage among all teams tied. The Knicks and Bullets split their six games, Washington beat Indiana 4-2 and New York defeated Indiana 3-2, so the Bullets were placed seventh, the Knicks eighth and Indiana ninth and out of the playoffs.

Because the NBA has 23 teams, an odd number for scheduling purposes, not all clubs play each other the same number of times.

NCAA probes Kentucky

LEXINGTON, Ky. (AP) — The NCAA is investigating whether the mother of a University of Kentucky basketball recruit had her transportation or expenses paid by the school during a campus visit, according to a published report.

The investigation, reported in Saturday's editions of The Courier-Journal, involves signee Shawn Kemp of Elkhart, Ind., and a visit his mother, Barbara Brown, made to campus Oct. 31-Nov. 1.

The NCAA also has been investigating allegations that Kentucky assistant coach Dwane Casey sent the father of recruit Chris Mills $1,000.

Cash inducements to recruits or their families are among the most serious violations of NCAA rules and can result in severe sanctions, including suspension from postseason tournament play, reduction of scholarships and prohibition of television appearances. Kentucky also could lose Kemp's services.

According to correspondence between UK and the NCAA obtained by The Courier-Journal under an open-records request, Brown paid cash for her airline ticket and for a night at the Radisson Plaza Hotel.

Kentucky interviewed Brown, who said she "generally prefers to pay cash." Kentucky's internal investigation concluded that she provided her own transporation and expenses.

Charles Smrt, assistant director for enforcement for the NCAA, raised questions about Brown's trip in a letter dated Feb. 19 to UK athletic director Cliff Hagan.

"Information recently received was reported to this office questioning whether NCAA legislation was violated" during Brown's visit, the letter said. It said that the NCAA had interviewed Brown and it directed Hagan to "review the facts surrounding this visit and submit the results" by March 11.

In a letter dated March 8, Hagan told Smrt that Joe Burch, UK's deputy general counsel, and law school Dean Robert G. Lawson, the UK faculty representative to the NCAA, had conducted an inquiry.

Hagan reported that Brown had decided during the recruiting process to visit the school her son selected to give it her own stamp of approval. Hagan said Brown was especially interested in tutoring programs available for athletes.

Hagan said Casey told Brown before her visit that the school could not provide transportation or expenses.

She arrived by air on Oct. 31, took a shuttle to the hotel, met with the coaching staff and the "academic support staff" and took a walking tour of the campus with Casey, Hagan wrote.

"Coach Casey states that they then called a cab to take her back to the hotel. Mrs. Brown seems to remember Coach Casey taking her back to the hotel, although she states she is not quite certain," Hagan's letter said. "She then took a hotel shuttle to the airport."

Concerning how Brown paid for the trip, Hagan's letter said she paid in cash and told investigators she prefers to pay cash. Her hotel bill was $123.12, according to a receipt she sent the university. Her airfare could not be learned, but her son's flight to Lexington two months earlier had cost $491.

"Mrs. Brown was asked specifically whether anyone assisted her in paying for the trip to Lexington. She responded in the negative."

Brown could not be reached for comment Friday.

Smrt on Friday would not comment on the status of any specific investigation but said:

"We don't leave situations hanging. Any situation that a university is aware of that we're looking at, it's going to be rectified in some way, usually with another letter."

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April 17 through

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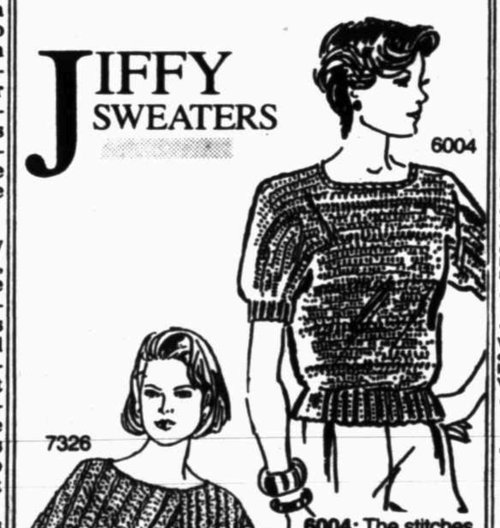
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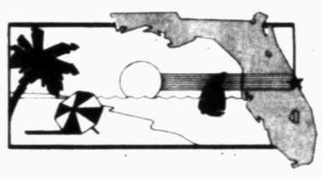
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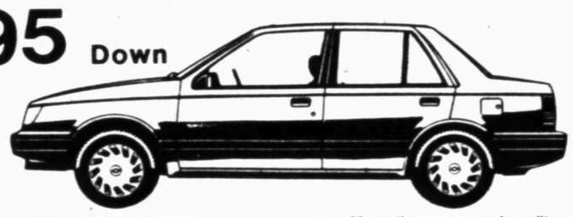
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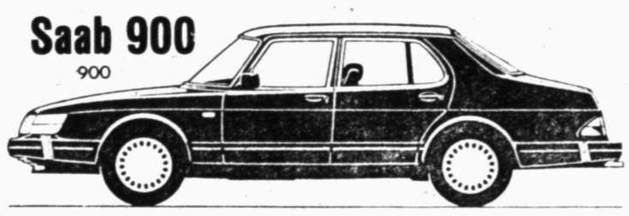
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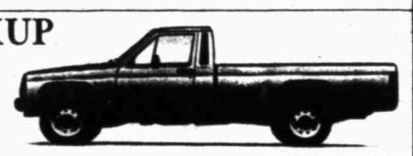
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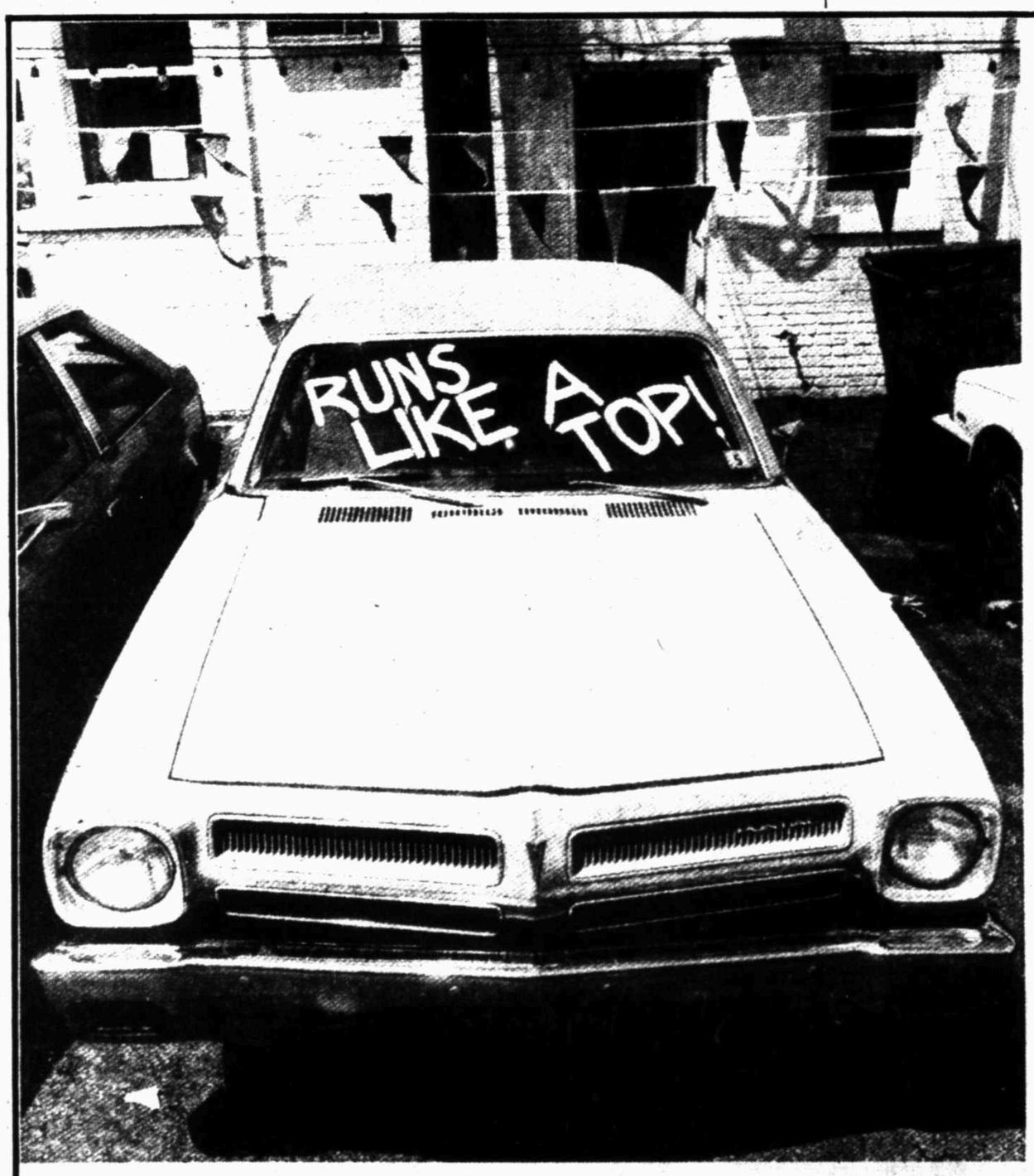
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1976 16 FT. Saber, 115 Mercury, excellent condition. $3250 or best offer. 3801 Anetta. 694-9432

FOR Sale: 1981 Galaxie 16' walk-through, canopy, ski equipment and cover, 115hp Evinrude, San Angelo trailer, extras. 694-6945. $4,250.

TROLLING motor, Eagle 1250 XP, 48" foot control, new in box, cost $650, sell $300. 682-6341 or 685-1986

300 Automobiles-Domestic

360 Boats and Motors

LARSEN 15' boat with 85hp Evinrude, canopy and ski equipment. Immaculate. $1600. 694-8932.

LIKE new, 18 ft skeeter, combination fish and ski, 175 Yamaha, Ram trolling motor, skis and life jacket included. Extra nice boat, $9,000. 682-0818

TAYLOR Jet Boat: 455 Oldsmobile engine, new. $4,500. Call 694-2047.

BANK repossession!! 4hp Yamaha boat motor. $500 or make offer. Call Harold Douglas 684-3975.

IN board-out board six cylinder V-Hull: Walk-through, low hours. $5,850. 682-5378.

YACHT FOR SALE
1960 Chris Craft - A real classic - located Diablo East Marina, Lake Amistad. David Pierce, Box 788, Marfa, Texas 79843. 915-729-4336.

300 Automobiles-Domestic

370 Airplanes

NEED two partners for IFR Cessna 150 based at Skywest, Midland. Call 689-8793.

CESSNA 172 Skyhawk, 1961, 694-2370

390 Auto Parts and Accessories

BUILD your thing! V.W., Olds, and Chevy chassis. Olds engines, transmissions etc...686-0053, 683-7616.

400 Auctions

AUCTION
ACTION MIDLAND II
Consignments now being accepted for May 6th auction.
687-4923 or 699-4317.
TXS-118-006250
310 S. Weatherford

SUPER Antique/ Estate Auction, Sunday, April 24. See ad under Antiques and Art classification.

405 Garage/Yard Sales

FOUR Family Sale: Ceramics, greenware, ceramic paints, furniture. Lots of miscellaneous. 604 West Cuthbert. Park in alley. Friday - Sunday.

COUCH, kitchen table, television, roll-top desk, designer wedding gown, toys, clothes and more. 9-5. Friday-Sunday. 3507 Gulf.

MOVING Sale: 4501 Lennox Drive. Friday-Sunday. 9-1 pm. Toys, sofa, bedding set, clothes, Marcy IV exercize set, miscellaneous.

322 THORNRIDGE: Dishes, pots, pans, knives, forks, spoons, thread, cloth, lots of odds and ends. Friday-Sunday after 12pm.

SUPER RUMMAGE SALE!
Lee High School
Youth Center
3500 Neely
Saturday 9-5
Sunday 1-5

400 Auctions

405 Garage/Yard Sales

3115 ROOSEVELT, backyard sale, 10:00 AM- Tuesday - Wednesday: Clothes, shoes, records, books, miscellaneous.

☆VILLAGE Shopping Center☆ Now open K-DEE Clothes Resale. #8 Moto. Taking Spring Consignments. 683-8154.

3605 MEADOWRIDGE
(in Trinity Meadows)
Saturday 8am - 5pm
Sunday 9am - 3pm
Maple dinette, miscellaneous furniture, electric bass, RCA console, girl's size 10-12, mens medium/ large, juniors 7-9, toys and craft books, typewriter, much more. No early sales. Cash only please.

MOVING SALE
Furniture, clothes, appliances, three wheeler, custom made pool table, everything we can't take with us.
Saturday and Sunday
9am - 6pm
2615 Spartan

400 Auctions

405 Garage/Yard Sales

MIDLAND Flea Market. Used and new merchandise. Four blocks west of Rankin Highway on County Road 114. Friday-Sunday.

TRADE Village Flea Market, 2905 Rankin Highway. Friday - Sunday, 9am-6pm. Antiques, glassware, toys, crafts, jewelry.

2300 STANOLIND in alley. Saturday and Sunday. 8-? Baby girl clothes, boy's and adult clothes, bike, baby table-chair, rabbit and cage, many other items.

1955 CHEVY pickup, 1984 moped, auto parts, baby goods, appliances, 12hp Evinrude, home entertainment center, furniture, much more. 4610 Seminole (in alley), Saturday and Sunday

BOY'S, girl's clothes newborn to 4 toddler, furniture, yard toys. Other miscellaneous items. 910 Princeton. Saturday 8 AM to 3 PM, Sunday 9 AM to 2 PM

1210 E. OAK, Sunday only 9:00 - 1:00. Selling 400 cubic inch 78' year GMC engine.

ESTATE & GARAGE SALE
...BY JOSEPH...
1017 N. LORAINE
SATURDAY 9:00 AM
Furniture; Dishes; Linens; Glassware; Clothes; Tools and MUCH! MUCH! MISCELLANEOUS.

SATURDAY-SUNDAY 1pm-6pm
112 COUNTY ROAD WEST
Turn west at Cottonflat Grocery, go north on 1202 South, follow signs, second brick house on right. Sofa, game tables/ four chairs, antique bed, office metal desk. Much more! All in good-excellent condition.

2210 W. CUTHBERT: Furniture, baby items, tools, beautiful plants. Saturday, Sunday; 8 am to ?

1980 FORD Fiesta, 14000 BTU window unit bar set, El Camino Gemtop camper, ¾ bed, 19" remote color television, 12" black and white, Baldwin fun machine, trailer hitch, miscellaneous.

403 DELTA.
Airline Mobile Home Park
Saturday and Sunday
All day. 697-0990.

2600 CALDERA
Baby playpen, stroller, car seats, Singer sewing machine, antique wardrobe cabinet, queen size water bed, bucket seats, miscellaneous kitchen items, and more. Saturday 9 AM to 6 PM, Sunday 1 PM to 6 PM. North on Midkiff past Loop 250, turn right on Bluebird, right on Melville. Corner of Melville and Caldera.
687-1530.
Cash only please!

MOVING SALE
1204 W. SCHARBAUER
WED-THURS, 8am-8pm
Queen size water bed, baffled heater & vibrator, furniture, lamps, shelves, toys, tools, dishes, silverware, dryer, television, linens, books, typewriter, Edison phonograph and other antiques, men & women's clothing and numerous items. Everything must go!

400 Auctions

405 Garage/Yard Sales

GARAGE Sale a little of everything. Garden City Highway, four miles from I-20, left side of the road. 682-6212

410 Miscellaneous Sales

1000 SHARES of Claydesta Bank stocks for sale or trade. Please call 689-6512

TILE-Grout Sale: Ceramic, clay, quarry, Iron rock, terrazzo, Mexican tile. 684-0981, weekends and nights 697-4696

CASH register, stove, tables, shelves, free-standing heater, miscellaneous equipment. 682-8559 leave message with answering service.

AUTHENTIC factory reconditioned 1950 Wurlitzer Jukebox for sale. Call (915) 586-3876 Saturday's through Tuesdays only.

FIBERGLASS spa: 11x6, 42" deep, in-ground with equipment, valued $3800, sales price $2000 cash. 697-4712

FORD Garden Tractor, 10hp electric start with tool lift and 42" mower. $795. 683-2018.

TWO wooden desks: one small, excellent shape; one large, needs works. Please call 684-6070.

CASH for color TV's /VCR's dead or alive!! $10-20 dead sets. Expert VCR /TV repair. Sell reconditioned TV's /VCR's. 683-7925.

RUIDOSO Jockey Club, full/ half membership for sale. Excellent seats. 684-5096

1.00 CARAT diamond: VS2-E color with GIA papers. Call 685-1957, after 5pm.

NINTENDO Entertainment System, brand new, two games, $150. Call 697-0551

10 HP riding lawn mower, $350. Three push lawn mowers; also, two wheel trailer. 684-5519

ANTIQUE hall table and mirror, $100. Two French Provincial chairs, $400 each. Two coffee tables, $295 and $500. Dishwasher, $75. 697-1078.

FORMALS, worn once, excellent condition, size 5, $60 each, 689-0773

(4) USED Firestone white wall tires P215/75R/15. $60 firm all four. Call 684-8590.

SOFA in excellent condition) $150. Hide-A-Bed (practically new) $100. Other good items also. Call 689-0926.

KENMORE combination stove/ microwave, electric, gold, $150. Coffee table, $50. Dishwasher, $10. 694-8308

NEED more space? Moving, must sell 8'x10' storage shed with floor and asphalt shingles. Well built. 684-7473.

STRAWBERRY Shortcake doll house, with furniture. Perfect! Selling at cost, $150. Limited edition. 694-7209

FOR sale: 8 hp Sears riding mower. $300. 683-0047.

TUFTED sofa, game table/ four chairs (coastered wheels), two grey metal desks, antique bed. 687-2311.

PLAYHOUSE with porch for sale, 563-8832

T-SHIRT dresses: Custom design, $25. Distinctively different, adult and children. 697-9749, 694-8039 after 7pm.

TWO beautiful prom dresses (sizes 6-7) $30 each, nice trash compactor $100, evening dress (size 20) $20. 694-0790.

415 Miscellaneous Wanted

NEEDING a Motorola Pulsar #2 mobile phone. Call 699-2566.

INTERESTED in purchasing used World Book Encyclopedia Set 1986 Edition preferred. May be interested in 1985 edition. Call 689-7245 after 6pm

420 Good Things To Eat

ORDER early, mother's day bouquet of edible long stemmed candy roses. The Sugar Shack 685-1231

LARGE fresh Gulf shrimp, $4.50 a pound, 50 pounds or more, $3.95. Gone to Louisiana to visit Mom. If you want some call me, 687-6011

430 Household Goods

TWO burner gas grill $40, two girl's bicycles $35 each, stereo receiver with tape deck/ speakers $40. 697-4065.

MATCHING sofa /chair, $165. Wooden executive desk, $60. Antique radio in cabinet, $50. Electric clothes dryer, $50. 697-5009.

VERY pretty oak china cabinet, $300, one twin size bed, $60, rocking chair, $50, Kenmore washer, $50, dryer, $100, king size brass plated headboard, $100. Stanton, 756-3829

400 Auctions

ESTATE AUCTION
At the Midland Center, 105 North Main, Midland, TX, Thursday, April 28th, 6:30 P.M. Preview 5:30. Estates of Mr. and Mrs. D.L. Wilson, Mrs. Letty Lou Mc Allister, plus other owners.

GUNS, GUNS, GUNS: Winchester Model 12 Skeet Grade Vent Rib 12 Guage; Winchester Model 42 Triple AAA Wood, .410 Guage Cased; Winchester Model 42 Triple AAA Wood .410 Guage Vent Rib Case; Winchester Model 101 O-U Barrel Trap Set; 1920 .30 Luger; M-1 Carbine; Ithaca Model 500 12 Guage O/U; 38 Lots.

FURNITURE: Chesterfield Arm Chair; Art Deco Chest; T-Back Chairs; Recliner With Swans Heads; Wicker Chairs & Table; Chippendale Side Chair; Bookcase; Art Deco Breakfast Set; 4 Poster Bed; Tea Cart; 63 Lots.

GLASSWARE: Cut Glass; Fostoria; Champleve Standing Bronze Urn; Sterling Silver; Cloisonne; Bristol Vases; Cranberry; Limoges; Mary Gregory; Peach Blow; Royal Austria; Rose Medallion; Benedict Bronze Mantel Pieces; Art Glass; Bristol Vases; Black Amethyst; Ivory; 2 Stueben Paperweights; Occupied Japan; Royal Denmark; 123 Lots.

ITEMS OF INTEREST: Log Cabin Iron Still Bank; Linens & Lace; Stamp Collection; Much More.

JEWELRY: 4CT Diamond Ballerina Ring; 2 CT Ruby Ring; 2 CT Sapphire Ring; Tennis Bracelet; a fine selection of jewelry.

There will be many fine coins, including gold coins, in this sale.

CONSIGNMENTS ACCEPTED
AUCTIONEER: JOE SKEEN
TXESA 126-5218
(915) 687-6228

SKEEN'S AUCTION EXCHANGE of Midland

AUCTION
16 MOBILE HOMES, APPLIANCES & PERMIAN MOBILE HOME PARK
N. E. 5th, 6th & 7th Sts.
Between J & K STREETS
ANDREWS, TEXAS
SATURDAY - MAY 7
11:00 a.m.

13 MOBILE HOMES:
1975 Centurions, 12'x55', 2 Bdrms./1 Bath -
3 MOBILE HOMES: 1975 Centurions, 12'x65', 3 Bdrms./1 Bath - G. E. & Kelvinator Refrigerators - Gas Ranges - COMPLETE MOBILE HOME PARK:
2½ City Blocks - 30 Developed spaces, incl. concrete drives, carport/patio, storage bldg., underground utilities. 8 undeveloped spaces, utilities need only be tapped. 1 Commercial lot corner of N.E. 6th @ J. This park is in a residential area w/city streets and curbs. Near shopping and elementary school. This park has produced $5,000.00 to $5,500.00 per mo with aggressive management. To be offered in bulk and piece meal. Financing available, for total package, w/prior approval.

Inspect: Friday, May 6, 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
TxE-019-006620
For Brochure Contact:
Ernest St. Clair
AUCTIONEERS
2336 LAKEVIEW DRIVE
AMARILLO, TEXAS 806/358-4523

AUCTION
WELL SERVICE & WORKOVER RIGS–MUD PUMPS–
SWABBING & BAILING UNITS–RELATED EQUIPMENT
MAY 5 — 10:00 A.M. — HOUSTON, TX
OILFIELD TOOLS, INC.
A COMPLETE LIQUIDATION OF
THEIR WELL SERVICING EQUIPMENT
LOCATIONS: A color slide auction to be held at the Holiday Inn East Belt, 15157 I-10 East, Houston (Channelview), Exit 782 Dell Dale. Equipment located at Oilfield Tools, Inc. yard, 13710 I-10 East, Baytown, Texas, Exit 800 FM 3180.
(7) WELL SERVICE & WORKOVER RIGS: (2) 1980 CCC 300's; (1) 1979 FRANKS 300; (1) COOPER LTO-350; (1) 1975 CARDWELL KB-200C; (1) 1965 FRANKS "Rocket"865-80DTD-HT; (1) WILSON "Mogul" 4200.
(12) MUD PUMPS: (2) G-D PAH; (4) G-D TEE; (2) G-D PE-5; (3) G-D FCFCCA; (1) G-D FXO-FXO.
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4 DRILLING RIGS
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THURSDAY • APRIL 28 • 10 AM
GIDDINGS, TEXAS
Auction at the American Legion Hall on Hwy 77 1.2 miles South of Hwy 290. Terms require full payment in cash or equivalent on sale day. Everything sells 'as is, where is' without warranty.

RIGS
Include . . . -1980 CABOT 750 Series 2042 S/D Back-In Drilling Unit on 6-Axle Carrier . . . CABOT 900 Series 2346 S/D Back-In Drilling Unit on 6-Axle Carrier . . . 1980 IDECO Rambler Hydrair H-1000 S/D Back-In Drilling Unit on 6-Axle Carrier . . . WILSON 75 S/D w/(2) CAT 3408 Engines . . . each with appropriate auxiliary equipment for working rigs.

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AUCTION
COMPLETE LIQUIDATION
MIDLAND OILFIELD SPECIALTIES INC.
WEDNESDAY, MAY 4, 10:00 A.M.
1600 GARDEN CITY HIGHWAY
MIDLAND, TEXAS
SELLING
PRODUCTION EQUIPMENT
&
COMMERCIAL REAL ESTATE
★ PARTIAL LISTING ONLY ★
7,000 ft. 7 in Casing ★ 12,000 ft. 2⅜ in. Tubing ★ Pumping Units ★ Gas Engines ★ Electric Welders ★ 1000's New Bolt, Studs & Nuts ★ Bits ★ Well Head Equipment ★ Packers ★ Valves ★ Regulators ★ Separators ★ Absorber Units ★ Line Heaters ★ Stack Packs ★ Chokes ★ Trash & Transfer Pumps ★ Couplings ★ Pipe Racks ★ Chemical Pumps ★ H.P. LT X Unit ★ New EGI Porta Check ★ Sand Pump Bottoms ★ Happy Starting Unit ★ New Fork Lift Parts & All Types of Production Equipment. Equipment is still coming in to Sale Site.

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(2) 3 Lots With 3 Near New Bldgs. 1700 Blk. Carol St.

WELLS
(1) (2) 160 Acre - Leases in Upton Cty.
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1977 F 9,000 Ford Diesel Truck
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AUCTION
MIDLAND
REAL ESTATE
WEDNESDAY, MAY 4, 10:00 A.M.
1600 Garden City Hwy.
Midland, Texas
Real Estate Located in the 1600 Block of Garden City Highway
TRACT I: Lots 7 & 8, being 2 Lots measuring 62 ft. X 200 ft. each & having 1950 sq. ft. Shop & Office Building & 1500 sq. ft. Shop Building
TRACT II: Lots 9, 10 & 11, being 2 Lots measuring 62 ft X 200 ft. each.
TRACT III: Lots 34 & 36 directly behind Lots 7 & 8, measuring 62 ft. X 140 ft. each.
★ ★
TRACT IV: Lot & Metal Building located 1705 Carol, Lot size 62 ft. X 140 ft., building size 3200 sq. ft.
TRACT V: Lot & Metal Building located 1707 Carol, Lot size 62 ft. X 140 ft., building size 4250 sq. ft.
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Auction
Farm Equipment
Sale Time 10 A.M. — Saturday, April 30, 1988
W.S. (Dub) Gunter
County Rd. 137 W. — Midland, Texas
Location: From IH 20 take Rankin Hwy (Hwy 349) S. 2.8 miles then W. on County Rd. 137 W. .4 mile to Auction Site. Watch for Auction Sign.
!!Partial Listing Only!!
Ford 901 Powermaster (L.P.) Hi Clearance
3-2 Bottom Moldboards 3 pt. (2 New)
4-5½ ft. Tandem Disc. (New)
7-6 ft. Blades - 2w/sliding Blades (5 New)
5-6 ft. Bax Blades (4 New, 1 like New)
1-8 ft. Tandem Disc (New)
3-6½ ft. Tandem Disc (New)
2-Frisno's (1 New, 1 like New)
1-Posthole Digger (New)
1-Lot Augers (6", 9", & 12" New)
1-6½ ft. Rhino Tandem Disc. (New)
3-4 ft. Bax Blades (New)
1-Front End Loader for Ford 641
4-Single Bottom Moldboards (2 New)
1-5 ft. MM Chisel Plow
1-2 Disc Turning Plow
1-Lot Dimaond Core Bigs (Some New approx. 30)
Surveyors Rod & Case, Drafting Table, Blueprint Table, Map Copying Inst., Traffic Control Meters, Concrete Tile Blocks, Seismograph Cable w/Reels,
New Worksaver Cement Mixer (PTO Dr., 1 yard) Cultivators, Shredders, 3 Blade Mower (5 ft.) Planters drag type Road Grader, Shanks w/Busters, Sweeps, Toal Bars, Planter Boxers 1-Lot Tires plus much much more. Call for a more detailed list. Loader & Froad Available. For more info call 915-728-8292.
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SUPER ESTATE AUCTION
ANTIQUES, JEWELRY, GLASSWARE
SUNDAY, APRIL 24, 3PM
MIDLAND CENTER
105 N. Main, Midland, TX.
This estate is from Midland, in storage nearly 6 years.
PREVIEW TIMES - FRI. & SAT. 9-5 at 2910 W. WALL ONLY
SUNDAY FROM 1PM AT MIDLAND CTR - REFRESHMENTS

FURNITURE TO INCLUDE 70+ LOTS:
C. 1890 Golden oak round table, set of 4 chairs; fantastic French L.XV bedroom suite-tall headboard, Bombay armoire, Bombay triple dresser w/ornate mirror (2 ceramic plaques inset), 2 Bombay nite stands; Hepplewhite-style camel back sofa, leather wing chair, & balloon seat side chair; Q. Anne-style SUPER flat-top; highboy, drop-leaf coffee table, pair of nite stands; walnut tilt-top tea table; small maple secretary; total of 4 dining room suites, one w/hutch; total of 4 bedroom suites, one a bunk bed; coffee & end tables, floor and table lamps, drafting table & much more.

DECORATOR/ ORIENTAL STYLE RUGS (13 Lots):
Handmade rugs 2'x3' to room size 8'x11' (4), including two long runners 2'x15', more.

JEWELRY TO INCLUDE 20+ LOTS:
Gold and Diamond items appraised locally - fabulous Pearl necklace, w/ 18K Gold heart-shaped pendant, containing 0.8 ct heart-shaped diamond and MORE than 2 full carats of side diamonds, all of vvs quality; cocktail rings such as 4.75 ct Topaz in 14K Gold with ½ ct Diamonds, Emerald & Diamond in 18K gold, vvs quality stones; pairs of Diamond ear studs from 12pt starters to 1 full ct., All in solid gold; several men's gold/diamond rings, more.

COINS TO INCLUDE 20+ LOTS:
Silver dollars, Morgan & Peace; mint & proof sets; Indianhead pennies; Buffalo Nickels, & more.

SMALL & LARGE APPLIANCES TO INCLUDE 15+ LOTS:
Irons (4), 4-slice toaster, hairdryer, electric ice cream freezer, like-new Kenmore refrigerator, heavy duty washer & dryer, more.

INDIAN/PRIMITIVE ARTICLES TO INCLUDE 20+ LOTS:
5 pots including an Apache water jug, old ice tongs, old shovel, one writing table, one small desk w/drawer, old crock churn, much more.

SMALL CONSIGNMENT USED OFFICE FURNITURE/EQUIPMENT TO INCLUDE:
20 lots desks, chairs, tables, love-seat, Apple 2E computer, CRT, printer, coffeemaker, Savin 750 copier, more.

GLASS, CERAMICS, SMALLS TO INCLUDE 100+ LOTS:
4 signed Capo Di Monte pieces, silverplate flatware & serving pieces, ladies' hats, OPEN SALTS, vases, planters, cookie jars, teapots, stoneware, 3 sets candlesticks, Carnival & Depression glass, Satin Glass candy dish, pots & pans (Routine kitchenware), much, much more.

RELIGIOUS ARTIFACTS TO INCLUDE:
C-1914 Holy Bible, hundreds of books, cassette recordings of Gospel, mostly Catholicism.

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#817-TNF, like new Come See
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#419-SXL, tan, local, nice car.
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$3995

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#729-RPN, fully loaded
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Chrome wheels.
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Section D

Sunday, April 24, 1988
Midland Reporter-Telegram

OPEN HOUSES

In honor of American Home Week, these homes are open at the times and locations listed. For more of today's open houses see classification 710.



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April 24-30, 1988



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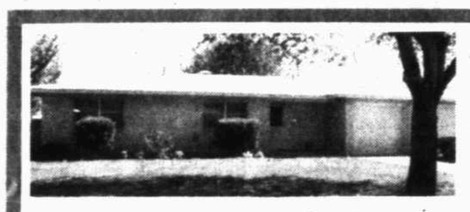
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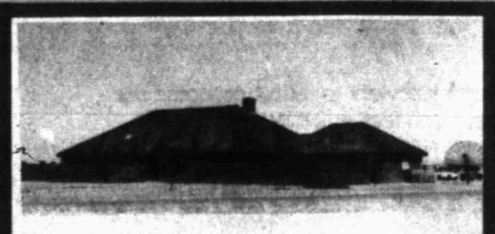
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Chaparral Construction will build homes with quality workmanship



Tommy Smith, Alan Tindle and Randall Smith of Chaparral Construction and Development, Inc. are standing in front of one of their quality constructed homes that is being built at 1319 Terra Court in Saddle Club South.

By JILL HANCOCK
Advertising Feature Writer

David Pine, president of Chaparral, Realtors recently announced the development of Chaparral Construction and Development, Inc. "After vacationing in Colorado eight years ago, I was astounded at the quality of workmanship on an addition to a home," explained Pine. "I really thought that Midland could benefit from this type of quality construction."

Pine has built many homes around Midland in the past few years, but couldn't achieve "total quality" because of sub-contractor's productivity levels. After building 11 homes in 1986, Pine quit building until he could assure the excellence that he demanded and could get away from sub-contracting.

It took one year for Pine to find the associates he needed to establish Chaparral Construction and Development, Inc. Tommy Smith, Alan Tindle and Randall Smith all share Pine's belief in building quality homes. "These three men are part owners in Chaparral Construction because I feel that they will be as dedicated about building quality homes as I am," said Pine. "All the workmanship on the homes, except the plumbing and electrical, are done by these men. In the future I hope to add a plumber and a electrician to our staff."

Pine explained that they discuss all the parameters involved in construction and marketing of each home. Pine is responsible for the floor plan of each home and decides on the location site. During the construction of each home, the person who has the greatest expertise in a certain area will assume leadership with the other two men fully cooperating. "So far this system has been very successful for us and the four of us meet daily about any new ideas or problems that we may be having," added Pine.

Chaparral is currently building a four bedroom home at 1319 Terra Court in Saddle Club South. The quality of workmanship can be seen in many areas of the home that has approximately 2,300 square feet and is listed for $121,000. The "quality" areas include a monolithic slab where the slab and footing are poured together, rebar steel is designed in the slab so the footings are tied together with the slab, collar ties on all rafters in the roof, fire breaks in the walls which will keep fire from climbing up a wall and a clean job site. "About 40 percent of the studs were culled because they were bowed, thereby we are able to maintain straight walls," said Pine. "We also have metal braces in all the corners of the house and have soundproofed the walls which back up onto Loop 250."

Chaparral Construction plans to build about four homes a year and will take approximately 110 days to complete each home. "It may take us more days to complete homes than other builders who sub-contract their work, but we feel that we can build the best home for the money around," Pine explained. "Another advantage we offer on a custom built home is the client will be able to discuss their ideas and concerns with the people who are actually constructing their house."

Pine and the associates at Chaparral Construction and Development, Inc. are dedicating to quality construction and the professionalism that they provide can be seen throughout each home they build.

Realtor feels time is right for couples to make commitment with a new home

Even before Gina Hodges and Alan Cotton have exchanged their vows, they have bought a home. And while they are completing all the details necessary for their wedding, they are equally busy getting their new home ready for the move-in. Gina and Alan said, "We have four couples as friends that are also getting married and three of those plan to buy a house also, just as we have."

Alan added, "The time is really right for young couples to go ahead and make the committment. There are still many good buys available and interest rates are likely to go higher in the near future." "Why pay rent," asked Gina, "when a mortgage payment would not be much higher than your rent and you get to own the home and receive the tax advantages."

Gina is originally from Ft. Stockton and has been in Midland for 2 years and currently teaches second grade at Ben Milam Elementary. Alan is from Snyder and has been in the Midland/Odessa area for 10 years. Alan is an accountant with H.L. Brown, a local independent oil producer.

Alan is a graduate of Texas A&M with a degree in management and Gina is a graduate of Abilene Christian University with a degree in elementary education. They met at the Church of Christ in Midland. For their honeymoon, they've planned a week in St. Thomas.

"I really enjoy teaching and love the school I'm with," Gina said. "I work with a great bunch of people and truly love the kids at Ben Milam."

"When we first started planning our marriage, we began talking about buying a house," said Alan. "We started out by just driving around and looking at areas."

Gina's father, Delmon Hodges, is a long time friend of the Moring family so he decided to call Dorothy Moring, a sales associate with Don Harvey, Realtors to ask her to assist Gina and Alan. Mr. Hodges told Dorothy what Gina and Alan's objectives were and asked her to call them.

"When Dorothy called," said Gina, "I was very pleased and excited. Buying your first home can be a little scarry and it was so great to find out that I knew someone here that was really experienced and could help us with our real estate needs."

Ms. Moring said, "We made an appointment to meet at the office. I told them to first establish what dollar figures they felt comfortable with, especially a monthly payment, and we could start from there. We were able to go with an FHA Mortgage and by using the acquisition cost method we were able to greatly reduce the amount of cash needed for downpayment and closing. We were even able to keep the monthly payment lower than we originally anticipated."

"We really were pleased that we were able to find this house so quickly and so easily since we've known some people that seemed to look forever before finding the right house," said Gina. "After we visited with Dorothy and clearly decided what we wanted, we actually only had to look for less than three hours and only looked at four to five houses before we found this one."



Gina Hodges and Alan Cotton bought a new home before they exchanged their wedding vows. Dorothy Moring of Don Harvey, Realtors help the couple with the purchase of the home.

Gina and Alan are presently in the process of redecorating, with the help of friends and family. "Some of my close friends at school have a lot of experience with painting and wallpapering and they're going to help us add the papers we want," said Gina.

"I've never gardened before," added Gina, "and I'm really looking forward to it. This yard should be easy and inexpensive to care for since we have our own well and a built-in sprinkler and bubbler system. Alan is in charge of watering, edging and mowing and he's happy about that because there's not a lot to mow."

Changing a window treatment makes room look new and stylish

Remodeling needn't be expensive nor elaborate to be a genuine home improvement. Sometimes all it takes is a change in the way you treat your windows.

Window treatments, says the American Window Covering Manufacturers Association, can be as simple as installing a single wood, micro or mini-blind, or as elaborate as patterned, pleated shades coordinated with the upholstery in a room.

To change the appearance of a small room with low ceilings, consider wood blinds with a simple top treatment to achieve the elegance of draperies. The result is a look of stylish sophistication that complements the furnishings whether traditional or contemporary.

To add stature to a room with a low ceiling, think about vertical blinds stretching from the floor to the ceiling. Available in a range of styles from contemporary to traditional and in aluminum or fabric, vertical blinds come in more than 100 colors, including wood tones.

When properly installed, window coverings should last many years.

Langston Realtors talk about real estate...

Advantages of working with a Realtor



Sherman

Q. Do you advise working with one or several Realtors in buying a house? Why?

A. One! I'm on my soapbox about this! Most of the Realtors I've talked with agree that one of the most frustrating experiences they've had is to learn that the customer they've been showing for so long has just bought a house from another Realtor. There's no reason to look with more than one Realtor. We all cooperate with one another in showing everyone's listings - we pay some pretty heavy dues to Multiple Listing Service (MLS) for the privilege of showing the other offices' listings.

I realize that many of the calls we receive on ads and signs are from people who are not ready to make a commitment; they are contemplating buying at the time of the call but hesitate to take much of the Realtor's time. We welcome these calls, are happy to share information and enthusiasm about a particular listing, and certainly do not want to make the inquirers fell pressure or obligation. Our hope is that they will continue to contact us for information about all properties, and when they feel they are ready to buy, they will feel comfortable with us, select one of us as their Realtor, and remain loyal to him while he works with them in trying to find the perfect home.

It is terribly frustrating and disheartening to an agent to search the market for a prospect, spend hours previewing properties on their behalf, show them homes, show them homes for several days, and then learn that on an an impulse - or because they could not immediately contact him - they've called another office to show and possibly sell them a home that he had been trying to get them out to see.

If you are considering buying a home, I advise you to find a Realtor you feel comfortable with - one who knows they market and will give you the time and service it takes to find your house - then be loyal to that Realtor! Read the ads, go to Open Houses, but when you find a property you are interested in, call "your" Realtor - the one who has invested much of his time on your behalf - and ask him to show the house and write the offer. As Realtors, we'll go athe distance for you; we'll treat you fairly, but we would like the same courtesy from you.

I think you'll find the Realtors in Midland are most cooperative and professional; we respect and even encourage the loyalty you feel for "your" Realtor. Tell us you're working with Jane Doe. I always appreciate a prospect's honesty and commitment to his Realtor, even though I would always like to be that Realtor.

Q. How about selling? Why not list with several Realtors?

A. This won't take long. Incentive is the word. Only one Realtor is going to get the listing commission when the property sells. With an Exclusive Right To Sell Listing (one Realtor), the Realtor will spend considerable time, money and expertise in marketing a property because he will be paid a listing commission when the property sells, no matter who sells it. He is working for you, the Seller, and he will do his best to get a "sold" sign on your property. With an Open Listing (several Realtors), the incentive to spend time, money and efforts on marketing a home is diminished because there is no control over who will be compensated if the property is sold.

You as the Seller "hire" one agent to represent you when you sign an Exclusive Right To Sell Listing Agreement. You should expect to receive the agent's total loyalty and marketing efforts plus expert advise given frankly and freely without the pressures incurred by competition. Through MLS, your agent solicits the assistance of 400 others Realtors in selling your house, but he is always your agent, fairly and expertly representing your interests.

Q. What can I expect a Realtor to do that I cannot do on my own and you're in no hurry to buy, don't mind making numerous phone calls and spending lot of time driving around looking for signs in front yards, then you probably don't need the services of a Realtor at this time.

The difficult part comes when you find the house you want - negotiating a sale, drawing up the papers, setting the closing, ordering the inspection, finding the best mortgages, etc. Purchasing is accomplished easier and more efficiently if you have already developed a business relationship with a Realtor you respect and feel comfortable with.

Also, without a Realtor, you may miss the home that would be perfect for you, simply because some homeowners prefer not to have a sign in their yard and you might never know the home for you was on the market.

A. Realtors have three things to sell: time, knowledge and service. He doesn't sell houses. Houses, if properly marketed, sell themselves when the Realtor
(a) spends the time with you to accurately determine your needs and desires,
(b) has enough knowledge of the market to select the home for you consideration and
(c) provides the services of contract negotiations, mortgage and closing assistance.

If you are selling, remember that a Realtor can give more exposure to a property on the market than a homeowner, enlisting the aid of all 400 MLS members in Midland who could be showing your home to their prospects. A Realtor is better able to screen prospects for showing, thus eliminating many unusual qualified buyers and curious lookers from walking through your home. A Realtor will receive, therefore can deflect, objections to your property that a prospect might feel hesitant to voice for you. He has access to the out-of-town buyer, the majority of whom will not purchase without a Realtor's assistance. He can help you price your home competitively because he is familiar with the current market and recent sales; and, finally, when an offer is presented, he will provide you with informed, experienced assistance in negotiating and closing the contract.

Statistics show that 96 percent of "For Sale By Owners" eventually end up listing with a Realtor or taking it off the market. The other four percent will sell their houses by themselves. Of that four percent, one-half will not go through escrow the first time; the other one-half will get less for their property than if they had listed it with a Realtor.

Billie Sherman is a sales associate of Langston Realtors.

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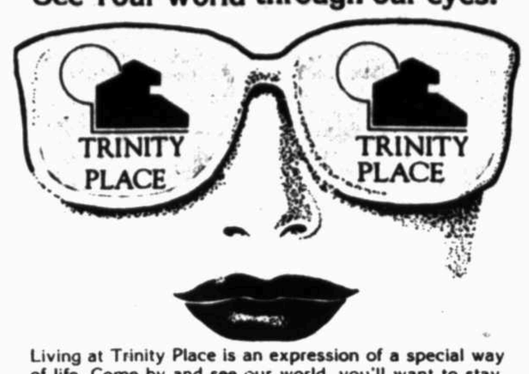
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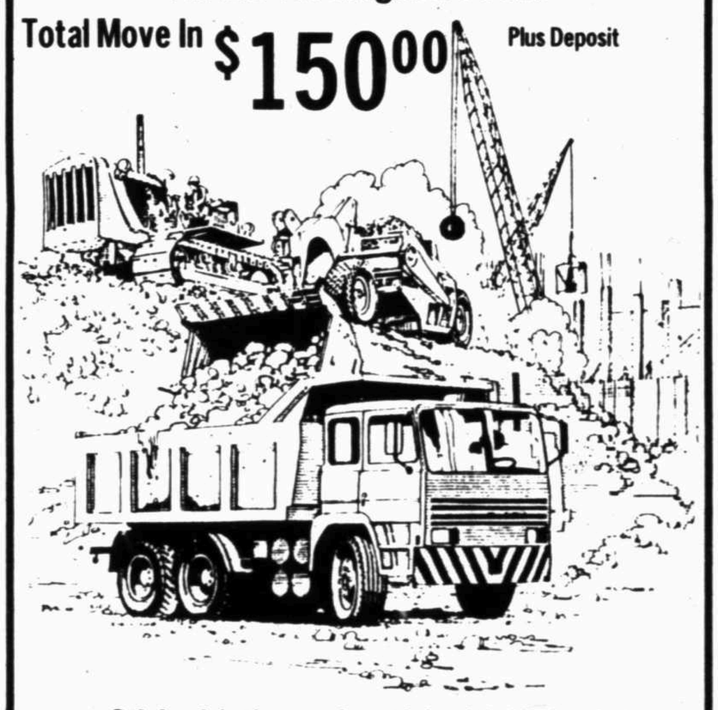
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1 - 4
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2-5
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$119,000
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809 NEELY
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4305 READING
$119,000
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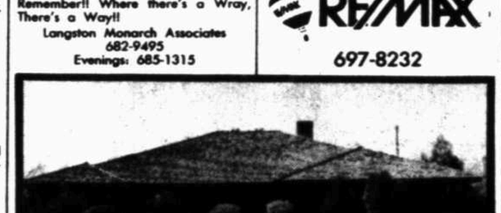
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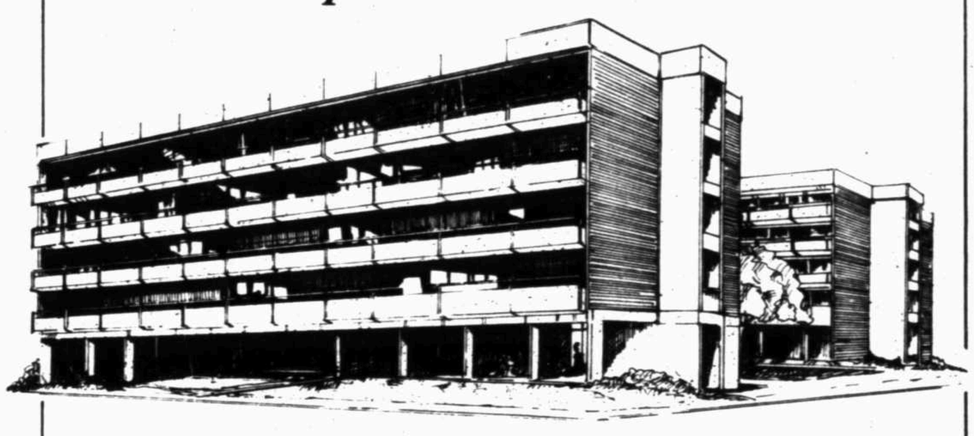
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ESTES-Very neat, needs little to qualify for FHA! 15,200
DALLAS-"As Is," Brick, Rear apt w/potential 11,900

LOTS, LAND, INVESTMENTS

RESIDENTIAL LOTS in prime areas. Saddle Club Lakes, Greentree, Crestgate, Quail Point, etc. Some owner finance. Let us help with whatever you need 300-65,000
CO. RD. 1127-Nice level lot, 1.5 acres w/good water! 6,500
JEFFERSON-Nice lot & super investment on Lamesa! 2,500
FM 1788-52 price acres, 2 houses and 2 barns! 595,000
CO. RD. 1140N-22 AC, Nice home, 30x60 metal bldg 98,500
MOCKINGBIRD-4 acres in choice, residential location! 80,000
CO. RD. 58-Exceptional acreage w/barn & tack room! 37,900
CO. RD. 112-Owner will finance, 4 acres near I-20 34,900
CO. RD. 1200-Good acreage for new home w/30 pecan trees 30,000
CO. RD. 1063-5.76 acs. Owner finance at 10%, 10% down 17,000
STOREY A&B-Close to Alamo Jr. High; new carpet! 95,000
CO. RD. 54W-Wonderful country living, gorgeous decor 94,900
CO. RD. 116W-Non qualifying VA! Beautiful 4BR, 4BA 69,000
N. GLENWOOD-Wonderful duplex, smart for investors 54,900
CO. RD. 56W-Country home eligible for FNMA financing! 52,500

Midland's FIRST Home Buyers' Fair Was So Successful
We Are Already Planning The SECOND One!

Thanks to the 400 people who attended...to ClayDesta Mortgage Bankers for their support and assistance...to our property owners who entrusted us with the marketing and sale of their homes and who gave us generous cooperation...to Susie Wilmeth of Tom's Tree House and to the designers of The Design Guild for their wonderful seminars...to Coca-Cola for thei generous participation...to Bob LaRue, Operations Manager of ClayDesta Corporation, who was so patient, delightful and dependable...and finally, to the 45 sales associates and memebers of our staff who worked so many hours to insure an informative and successful undertaking!

WINFIELD-5/4 in heart of Warwick, lovely grounds w/pool 5,000
CUTHBERT-Beautiful Ingram custom 4/5 w/2 living areas, hi[illegible]ilings, covered patio, sprinklers and pool! 8,000
SADDLE CLUB-Lrg 6/6 family home! Seller will trade! 295,000
TEAKWOOD-4/4 in Greentree on the course. Lake view, exceptional style! Much wallpaper - imported tiles! 262,000
COUNTRY CLUB-High ceilings, much glass, 5 bedrooms, pool, cabana, sunroom & den plus formals! 259,000
WEDGEWOOD-Stunning 4/5 custom built in Trinity! 255,900
LOCKHEED-So much new! 3/4, inviting decor, den, sunroom, formals, cabana, storage everywhere! 235,000
MISSOURI-Fabulous 3/4 in excellent condition! Super location w/seq master, sprinkler, guest room & more! 235,000
SEQUOIA-Stunning custom on golf course. Many extras! 224,600
TEAKWOOD-Spacious 4/3 w/intercom throughout! Wet bar, double FP, tile floors, seq. master & sprinkler system! 219,000
LAFAYETTE-Beautiful townhome completely refurbished! 210,000
PINE-Rare 4BR or 3BR plus study, nice townhome w/pool! 200,000
SOLOMAN LN-Designed for the good life, 5 acres, enclosed pool, workshop and horse stalls! 198,500
MISSOURI-Spacious well cared for 5/4, guest house & lots of charm! Pool, wet bar & storage, too! 195,000
WALLACE TH-Elegant, large bedrooms. Wonderful sunroom! 195,000
LOCKHEED-Custom built 4/6 in older Midland! Spacious, plan indoor pool w/cabanas & water fall! A must see! 175,000
PRINCETON-Quality home in Old Midland w/beautiful hardwood floors! 168,700
CASTLEFORD-Unique 4/3 w/super elevated living area! 159,900
HACKBERRY-Lovely custom 4/3 on course at Greentree! Ceiling fans, sprinkler system with much, much more! 157,500
TEAKWOOD-Spacious 3/3 Greentree! Elegant decor 154,900
HAYNES-Gorgeous 3/3 back on mkt at unbelievable price! 149,700
ASHDOWN-Spacious w/lrg living, den, & super decor! 149,900
COMMUNITY-4/3, tons of new w/neat guest house 144,900
IRWIN-Lovely 3/4 with pool area & lrg den w/skylights 141,250
PINE MEADOW-OWNER CARRY! Custom, designer built 3/3! 139,900
NORMANDY-Super new 4/3 construciton, buyer pick colors! 136,500
LOVELY TOWNHOME-Contemp. w/expansion possibilities! 135,000
GOLF COURSE-Gorgeous, lrg 3/3 TH, decorated in neutrals 134,500
ORIOLE-Greentree custom! Two liv. areas plus hot tub! 129,500
COUNTRY CLUB-Flexible plan w/3 LAs or 2 plus FD room! 129,000
MOSS-Gilbert Bate's townhome, lrg rooms, lovely pool 125,000
LOCKHEED-Super 4/3 w/pool, cabana, & new kitchen! 125,000
SPARKS-Gorgeous TH, high ceilings, wet bar, sprinkler 124,950
BOYD-Nice yard, cook's kitch, lrg 4/3, lovely MBR 119,900
IMPERIAL-Super 4/3 family home w/garden room & more! 119,000
MELVILLE-New 4/3 construciton by Reynolds in Plantation! 116,000
CRESTGATE-Spacious 3/3 w/sun room, wet bar & sprnklr! 115,900
SEABOARD-Unique tri-level 4/3 in Mamar. 3 car garage! 114,900
ASHDOWN-Saddle Club! Hugh LA, frm. din., super mstr! 110,500
MISSOURI-Charming 3Br/2B, energy efficient in old Midl 108,500

SALES PENDING

MABERRY-Stately Georgian 2 story, 4/4, 3 FPs, seq. mstr. 300,000
HIGH SKY-2 extra lrg LAs form/din., gourmet kitch! 126,000
DENTCREST-Lovely duplex w/lrg living areas & atriums! 120,000
BERMUDA-Newer home w/his n' her MBA. Super closets! 116,000
MARCHELLE-Plantation shutters, wood floors, 1st class! 112,000
LEHIGH-Lovely 4/3 family home! Intercom, wet bar & more! 99,500
DURANT-Nice 4BR, 2BA in lovely neighborhood w/wet bar! 85,000
PRINCETON-Large living, updated kitchen/brkfst. area 85,000
METZ-Well maintained, good location, 2 liv areas! 84,500
ISLAND RD-Wonderful 2 story country home! FNMA Financing 83,900
GARFIELD-Spacious & light w/pool! Huge closets! 81,500
RUSSELL CT-Walk to school! Seq. mstr., neutral colors! 79,900
HUMBLE-Gorgeous pool & spa, low maintenance yard! 79,000
TERRACE-Darling home w/2 LAs, formal din., & sprinklers! 74,500
DOUGLAS-2 lg LAs, big country kitchen, 3 bedrooms 69,950
STANOLIND-Close to Lee, neutral tones, great condition! 69,900
CULVER-Super family home w/seq. mstr. & lrg living! 69,900
WADLEY-Darling TH near Lee High! Neutral shades! 69,500
FANNIN-Lovely 3BR, 2BA close to schools & shopping! 67,500
NORWOOD-Lovely TH w/new

720 Homes For Sale

3513 SEABORD: Pamper your family, with five spacious bedrooms, large shed/ playhouse, double garage, lots of storage, walk to Lee/ Rusk. Owner anxious to sell. $85,400. 699-6451

RE/MAX

PRIDE OF OWNERSHIP

Spacious 3 bedroom, 2 bath home located in the "Greenwood School District." Featuring a cathedral ceiling in the den and a unique fireplace. Home is in display condition. Please call:

carolyn nickell
697-8232 697-5911

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JUST LISTED!!

Mr. Clean lives in this immaculately cared for 3 bedroom, 1¾ bath with 2 living areas. Lovely yard. This one will not last long at $59,500. Call:

DOROTHY EDGE
689-7700 697-3669

LIGHT & BRIGHT CHARM

Privacy and close-in location on Humble. Tennis courts, pretty pool. Offers Please. $85,000

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MAX HOME! MINI PRICE!
In Greenwood

It pays to move quickly on a rare value such as this "like-new" 3 br, 2 ba home on 1.5 acres. Ceiling fans. Super clean and spacious. Good water well. Owner wants quick sale. Only $57,500. For more details, please call

Patti Rigtrup
687-0595 eves. 694-3303

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CLOSE YOUR EYES!

Imagine the most beautiful home, then add some. What you're seeing is this wonderful colonial country home w/beautiful landscaping, massive master bedroom, huge living area w/fantastic fireplace, beautiful country kitchen. Want to hear more? Call

June Martin
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LOCATION & SPACE

Are just a few of the pluses to owning this nice large 4 bedroom w/extra room for sewing or study. Much new, parquet in entry & hall, low maintenance front yard & much more. Priced in the low $90's. For more information, call

Harvey Fischer
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WHERE ELSE CAN YOU FIND????

Four bedrooms for less than $60,000? Newer house in an older area-...ceiling fans throughout some appliances stay...makes the transition from apartment living even easier-...close to downtown. Sharon Seay

694-9548

LOVELY HOME IN OLD MIDLAND

This 3br, 2½ ba home has it all. Over 3,600 sq. ft. with 2 living areas, fireplace, huge gourmet kitchen with built in BBQ and exhaust hood with fans. Heated and air conditioned spa room for year round use, diving pool with slide. Big shop and storage area with pool dressing room, ½ ba and storm celler. Oversize 2 car garage and 2 car circle drive- through carport. Has had extensive updating including thermal windows throughout roof, paint, wallpaper, carpet, vinyl, D'hanis tile, additional insulation and automatic sprinklers. All it needs is someone to live in it and love it.

1508 Bedford 682-7440
Dick & Flo Vivion
Owner/Agent

RE/MAX

BILLIE PERRY, BROKER

Reduced, first time home buyers can MCC loan for tax shelter. 3 BR, storm windows, new paint inside. No maintenance trim on BV. $38,000.

3 BR, 2 BA, new gas and sewer lines, near Dellwood and Lamar Elementary. $27,500.

New listing, perfect condition, convenient location, furnished with good furniture. 2 BR, beautiful landscaping. $32,000.

FHA appraised and ready to sell. Historical ranch, moved to 5+ AC. Redone, 4 BR, 2 BA, storm shelter, barn, corral, LG steel shop building. $65,000.

Country dream, two story, 4 BR, 4 BA, 3 fireplaces, 2 LA, 2 sun rooms, pool, 4 C GAR. Many pecan and fruit trees on 5.5 AC, more available. $267,500.

Suburban special, 3 BR, 1 LA, seq. master, skylights, fireplace, 2 C GAR, 2 C carport. Barn w/ auto watering system, 4 AC, sprinklered. $89,000.

Yen For The Hill Country? Scenic Kerrville Estate in prestigious area on the Guadalupe. Ledgestone home has every amenity: 4 BR, 4 BA, party house, maid's quarters, pool, river patio for fishing and boating. Almost $100,000 below APP value. Priced at $225,000.

Owner financing, vintage midland executive area. 4 BR, 5 BA, 4 fireplaces, pool, sauna, spa, bar-b-q, security system. $235,000.

Humongous, over 3400 SQ FT. Sump BV on corner. 4+ BR, 3+ ½ BA, gorgeous pool and spa. Owner losing $75,000. Bargain $175,000.

Half the size, but twice as attractive for small family who wants something special. 3 BR, 2 BA, beautiful carpet. Water well, huge closet and outside storage. $55,000.

Owner financing on non-qualifying loan. Low MO payments, small down PMT, 3 BR, 2 LA, Jenn-Aire kitchen, satellite. $47,500.

Residential lot in Wydewood. Pro ratas paid. Ready to build. $12,500.

2 townhouse lots in good location. $10,000.

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FOR sale small home: 2 bedroom, 1 bath. Suitable for retiring or beginning families. In the $20's. 697-3030.

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OWNER WILL PAY ALL CLOSING COSTS

...on this darling 3BR. 2BA. home approx. 7 years old, refrigerated air. Priced at $42,500, but make us an offer! Call Mary Pagett at 697-8232 or 697-6848.

RE/MAX

SPOILED & PAMPERED

Waiting for you, sequestered master 3-2 with gameroom. Lots of cabinets in kitchen, extra storage outside. Priced at $76,800. Call Mary Pagett at 697-8232 or 697-6848.

Century 21

104 Sheryl Lane (County Rd. 127)

Three bedroom, two bath, two living areas and three car garage. Priced to sell.

4701 Harvard

Newer three bedroom, two bath home. Westwood Addition. Priced in low 40's.

4705 Bedford

Newer two bedroom home in Wedgewood Addition

Repo
2308 Roosevelt

New carpet, new vinyl, fresh paint inside and outside. Two car detached garage. Priced to sell low 20's

Call Billie Calhoun
694-6428
Centruy 21 Midtex
689-0021

Century 21

JUST IN TIME FOR SPRING

Gorgeous 3 bedroom, 2 bath, one living area with fireplace, large fenced yard, all on ½ acre. Priced at $44,000. Plant a super garden and enjoy #32 Greenview Lane. Call to see.

Edie Edwards
Century 21 Midtex
689-0021 689-6880

Century 21

COUNTRY WITH CLASS

Large 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 living areas, formal dining, master bedroom has whirlpool, good water, 3 water wells, 1.7 acres. Priced low at $97,500. Call to see.

Edie Edwards
Century 21 Midtex
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MEET ME IN THE GAZEBO

Relive the good old days, enjoy the lovely yards, pool & gazebo. Lovely spacious home in "old" Midland priced to sell. Please call Pat.

MR. & MRS.
NICE NEIGHBORHOOD

Quiet streets and well-kept homes including this spacious 3 br, 2 living areas w/lots of new. Enjoy this lovely yard, this sunroom, don't wait. Call

Pat Kolb
687-0595 eves. 697-5416

LARGE SPACIOUS ROOMS

VA assumption and veteran says "Get offers, must sell!" Nice two bedroom, two bath, two living areas, garage. Central heat and air, extra large covered patio.

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WON'T LAST LONG!

Lovely 3 bedrooms, 2 bath, in mint condition in Lee/Rusk area with many extras. A must to see!!!
For appt to see call
Jim Craig Hess
HOME REALTY 697-6795
Evenings 699-6093

OWNER ANXIOUS

3 bedroom, 2 bath home in Goddard/ Emerson area. Refrigerated air/ heat, 2 living areas, much house for the money! For appt to see call
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HOME-SPUN COTTAGE

Three bedroom doll house in west Midland has new carpet, central heat and air, storm windows, beautiful kitchen with lots of cabinets and pretty landscaping.

★★★ ★★ ★★★

LOW ON CREDIT?

Assume the non-qualifying loan on this extra cute 3 bedroom two full bath in west Midland. Monthly payment under $400. Call:

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GET YOUR HIGH WITH THESE THREE LOWS

Low payment + low equity + low interest = one great non-qualifying buy for a lucky owner...three bedrooms...$32,000. 4307 Harlowe, Sharon Seay.

694-9548

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PERFECT TO A TEE

Tee off to relaxed living in this 4 bedroom, 3 bath home in "Greentree Country Club Estates." Featuring 2 living areas, 2 fireplaces, gourmet kitchen, soaring ceilings and hardwood floors. Please call:

carolyn nickell
697-8232 697-5911

LEASE Purchase - Three bedroom, one bath, approximately 1200 sq ft, cute house with storm cellar and large yard. Good starter home in established west Midland neighborhood. Owner financing. Payments approximately $377. Payments will lower with owner refinancing. Call 699-0330.

With a bit of acreage...4415 Princeton, unique five bedroom with 2.5 acres, inground pool, and 4519 Wood Drive, three bedroom with 3.22 acres, barn & corral. Both are lovely homes!
Call HOME REALTY 697-6795
Liz Ohliger 699-2570.



FOR ALL THE RIGHT REASONS, IT'S

BONNIE COX
697-7747

NEW THIS WEEK
WHEN ONLY THE BEST WILL DO

If you are among the select who recognize the finest in quality and aspire to possess it, then this 6 mo. new, Trinity Meadows, Gilbert Bates resale is for you. 4 bedroom, 2 LA gourmet island kitchen, gracious formal dining and all stunningly decorated. Plantation shutters throughout. Professionally landscaped with mature trees and shrubs. Of course, a 3 car garage. Yours for $185,000.

NON QUALIFYING 9½% FHA

Extremely low equity on this cute and clean 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 living area, home with formal dining. End-of-cul-de-sac location. With wondertully landscaped yard. This will not last at $80,000.

WHERE'S MY HOME? If your home were listed with ACTION REALTY it would be here! We advertise the homes We Market...

SATISFY THAT DRIVE FOR DISTINCTION

Tired of street after street of "look alikes?" This 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 story contemporary with formal dining and kitchen with breakfast room may be just perfect. Reduced this week from $85,000 to $80,000.

BAN THE BLAHS!

Marvel at the beauty of the Aspen wood ceiling in the den, the fireplace flanked by built-in bookcases, and a kitchen overlooking own privacy yard with lattice covered patio. This quality 3 bedroom home wth formal dining is a value worth seeing...$85,000.

ONE TO GROW ON

...grand home, midget price. 3 bdroom, 2 full baths with 3 living areas, 2 car garage. Beautifully cared for $57,000.

ZONED O-1

Lots of possibilities on this 3 BR home with detached 400+ sq. ft. finished out rear building. Excellent for doctors, architects, attorneys or small oil company. Good parking. Intimate tea room perhaps? High traffic on one-way street. $185,000.

BEHIND THE GUARDED GATES

of Saddle Club North, you'll feel safe and secure in this quality built J.B. Whittle 4 bedroom home situated on over one acre lot. Plenty of room for pool and tennis court and this low $265,000 price will leave you with enough to put them in. LISTED EXCLUSIVELY WITH ACTION REALTY.

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TRADITIONAL ELEGANCE!!

Very special, gunite pool, lush landscaping. 4BR. 3BA. Large closets, formal living PLUS family room. Priced at $100,000, but bring us an offer! Call Mary Pagett at 697-8232 or 697-6848.

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W O W

Waste of words to try and describe all the features of this 3 br, family room with fireplace, formal dining plus eating space in kitchen, storm windows, lots of imporvements - beautiful landscaped yard. Let me show you this one today. 2617 Boeing.

Colene Cowan
687-0595 eves. 699-1288

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BEAUTIFUL, INVITING AND ASSUMABLE

You must see this lovely 3 bedroom, home, designed for comfort and easy living, formal dining, breakfast area, two full baths, workshop, heat pump for energy efficiency, sprinkler system and much more. You will love the quiet cul-de-sac location. Assumable at 10% interest. Call me, Gloria Lott, for appointment.

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MOVE IN NOW

2 bedroom, 1 bath, 1 living area. Make that move now and you won't have to buy any major appliances! The range, refrigerator, washer and dryer all stay with this immaculate home on Michigan. The trim has been freshly painted, new mini-blinds installed, and the carpet is in great shape. A 16x18 patio, with ceiling fan, overlooks the park-like yard, watered by an automatic sprinkler system. There's refrigerated air and central heat and you'll be close to downtown and day care centers. A real bargain at only $34,500. Call and ask for Frank X Downs at Langston REALTORS 694-8606 or 682-9495.

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PRICE REDUCTION

3 bedrooms, 2 baths, garage plus carport. Exceptionally well cared for home. Neat-as-a-pin. ALL APPLIANCES STAY! The extra large well maintained yard has it's own water well. In addition to the carport at the back door, the extra large garage has shelves and bins from the floor to ceiling. The apartment in back rents for $185/month. Close to downtown. Even at the reduced price of $39,500. The owner will pay closing costs. Call and ask for Frank X Downs at Langston REALTORS 694-8606 or 682-9495.

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LIFE IS TOO SHORT

Not to have a pool! Enjoy in this 3 bedroom, 2 bath AFFORDABLE home. Close to shopping, schools, churches and recreation. All this for only $69,500. To see please call

Shirley Rogers
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SOONER OR LATER

Someone is going to make an offer on this FORECLOSED home in the Wydewood Addition. If you need 3 large bedrooms, 2 baths, lots of closet space and a cul-de-sac location, make that someone you.

STARTER HOME?!

A starter home must be well-priced, neat as a pin, good location and for your needs. If a completely remodeled 3 bedroom, 2 bath, large kitchen and big back yard home at $31,900 fits your needs call:

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POLO PARK
For sale by owner
1711 CASTLEFORD

Bright and cheery townhouse with lots of extras. Mirrored walls and reverse osmosis, redwood deck, lots more! Two bedrooms, two baths, two car garage, loft with built-in bookcases. Community clubhouse, tennis court and swimming pool across the street.

$79,500
697-0450 or 686-9507

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HEAR ME NOW BELIEVE ME LATER

If you need a non-qualifying assumption, call me. I have a list of them. Like this cute 2 br, 2½ ba home with 2 living areas & detached garage. The friendly west established neighborhood makes this an appealing property, as well as the $45,000 price. So call me now, OK?

John Fields
687-0595 eves. 684-7324

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FARMING, RANCHING &/OR HUNTING

Properties available in the following counties: Coleman (Colorado River &/or Hords Creek Frontage). Claines, Glasscock, Haskell, Hamilton, Houston, Hunt, Kinney, Lamar, Mason, Red River, Sutton, Val Verde & Zavala. For further details call:

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Unique three bedroom with courtyard view from every angle located in prestigious Saddle Club South...2 living areas, formal dining and more!...PMI Approval $95,000
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FEDERAL TAX AUCTION

INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION APRIL 28, 1988, CERTAIN REAL PROPERTY IN MIDLAND COUNTY FOR NON-PAYMENT OF FEDERAL TAXES. PROPERTY IS LISTED BELOW BY TYPE, LOCATION, ADDRESS AND MINIMUM BID.

TYPE	LOCATION	MINIMUM BID*	CONTACT
3 br, 2 bath house	4506 Dengar Midland, TX	$13,733.69	BILL EMMONS Revenue Officer
3 br brick house	101 E. Shandon Midland TX	$659.70	LAHN CASEBIER Revenue Office
Unimproved lot	1901 Pine Ave. Midland, TX	$539.70	MARK DENNIS Revenue Officer
Unimproved lot	Lot 16, Block 1 Eastwood Subdivision Greenwood area	$720.00	LAHN CASEBIER Revenue Officer

Terms of Payment: cash or certified funds by 3:00 PM on date of sale

Date of Sale: April 28, 1988

Time of Sale: Bidding Starts at 10 AM

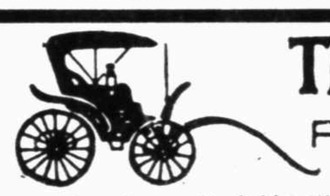
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For Further Information Contact The Revenue Officers listed above at:

George Mahon Federal Bldg.
200 E. Wall Ave. Room 108
Midland, TX 79701
Telephone (915) 682-3225

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NEW ON MARKET

BRIGHTON-(08A) Saddle Club offers its finest! 4 bed, Bill Brown Construction, fp in master 139,900
THOMAS-(86) Lovely, clean 3 bed home! Water the yard from your own water well. All for 32,500
SINCLAIR-(78A) Spacious home in lovely area. Hobby room, large screened porch, 3 bed 89,000

CORPORATE & LENDER OWNED

AMHURST-(01) Beautiful home w/Kimberlea tennis & pool available 104,900
ANETTA-(03A) 4 Bed Westside home w/2 liv areas, sunken den, fireplace, on a large corner lot 41,900
ASHDOWN-(03) FDIC Listing, Contemporary 3 bd in Saddle Club, w/fireplace in master suite 85,000
BELLECHASE-(06) Lovely home in Plantation Hills w/decorator colors & touches ..... UC
GLENEAGLES-(32)-This house has it all...wetbar, water well, circle driveway, lovely home ..... UC
SKYRANCH-(80) 2 story home w/airplane hanger, horse shelter, water well & sprinkler system 110,000
PLEASANT-(69) Nice drive-up appeal. Interior being painted. ..... UC
SANDHILL-(76A) Vista West offers this lovely home w/huge liv/din with bay window, cath ceil in den 81,000
PRINCETON-(70A) Coveted old Midland! Excellent condition in home & yard. Super Buy! 87,500

FOUR BEDROOMS

DURANT-(26) Large family home in Kimberlea; 4 Bed, 3½ Baths, solar hot water system, new roof 99,500
COLEMAN-(15A)-New 4 bed, in prestigious location, loaded w/extras. Under construction by Jim Leonard 156,900
CRESTRIDGE-(11) For your most discriminating buyer. Gorgeous 4 bed in Crestridge ..... UC
EMERSON-(28A)-Spacious 4 bd, 2 liv custom w/beautiful pool & lovely patio 125,000
DRIFTWOOD-(25) Greentree Executive home w/open liv areas. Jacuzzi plus many other extras 179,000
GODFREY-(33A) Reduced! 4 bdrms in Skyline beautiful kitchen, bay window ..... UC
HUNTINGTON-(41) Huge footage! Excellent location, wonderful for large family 90,000
NORTH I-(42)-Desirable area + completely updated home w/tile floors, skylites, new heating & ac 119,500
LOS ALAMITOS-(47A) Spacious '5' bedroom home for large family in Saddle Club South 175,000
MAXWELL-(50) 4Bd. w/Pool, fresh paint, will trade down 129,500
NEELY-(59) Spacious family living w/glassed in sun rm 88,000
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494-132838-229	4316 Crenshaw Dr.	Midland	$41,000	$35,639
494-129020-8	4709 Shady Lane	Midland	$37,500	$32,563

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WESTSIDE HOME/UPDATING GALORE-4514 Wilshire - 3BR, 2BA, kitchen completely remodeled, refrig. air - $49,900.
LIKE BRAND NEW INSIDE-With beautiful wood working & cabinets, marble baths, light, bright open den w/fireplace, spacious & lovely priced in the 50's.
SELECT YOUR OWN COLORS-On this new construction home, built by Chaparral Construction, Saddle Club South addition, 4BR, 2BA, formal dining, 2 car rear entry garage, large bedrooms, quality throughout.
OFFERS WANTED-For this 3BR, 1BA home on Anetta, 1 car garage w/door opener, great starter home, owner will consider all offers.
ASSUMABLE-Non-qualifying loan - 718 Beckly - 3BR, 2BA, hobby room, 2 living areas, low equity, Listed at $55,000.
EUROPEAN STYLE-Unbelievable, master bedroom w/study, fireplace, wetbar, Mstr. bath has steamroom, 3 additional bedrooms, wetbar in living area w/seethrough fireplace, 4 stall barn & corral, much more.
LEE HIGH AREA-New paint in this large 4BR, 3BA home, living area w/fireplace, gameroom, hardwood floors, carpet, 2 car garage w/openers - $87,500.
THIS IS THE ONE YOUR LOOKING FOR-3BR, 1¾BA, 2 car garage w/openers, 2 living areas, 30 Yr. life roof, fireplace, ceiling fans, this one is a dream at $87,000.
4602 BROOKDALE-Owner willing to work with you on this 3BR, 2BA, home, living area has fireplace, 1 car garage, Listed at $48,000.
415 EASTWOOD-Assumable loan, low equity, 4BR, 2BA, auto sprinklers in front/new wallpaper, enclosed garage - $48,500.
MAKE OFFERS ON GOOD INVESTMENT PROPERTY-Cunningham - 2BR, 1BA, 19,000. Cunningham-2BR, 1BA, 19,000. Anetta-3BR, 1BA, 22,000.
2111 COLLEGE-2BR, 3 living areas, large RV storage w/hookups, see to appreciate, owner anxious.
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TRULY UNIQUE-Townhouse w/large master bedroom and spacious bath, one living area w/formal dining, additional dining w/kitchen, includes 2 more bedrooms, full bath, sprinkler system, & deck w/landscaping.
CENTRAL LOCATION-Ward street listed at $59,500, this 3BR, 2BA, home w/2 living areas, beamed ceilings, fireplace, 2 car garage, refrig. air, lg. covered patio and a storage building is a plus.
PRICE REDUCED/NEEDS QUICK SALE-4604 Kiowa-Cute 3BR, 1BA, paneling, ceiling fans, refrig. air - Will go VA priced $29,900.
INVESTMENT PROPERTY-3BR, 1BA enclosed garage makes 2nd living area or large dining area, new roof, HUD lease in effect - $18,750.
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2-4 PM
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4BR, 2BA, 2LA
$85,000
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3-6 PM
2617 SPARTAN
3BR, 2LA
Approx 2000'
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CO. RD. 1163-Updated home, roof is 1 yr. old, located on 1 acre, 3BR, 2BA, workshop satellite - above ground pool fenced, riding mower - Offers wanted listed at $49,000.
711 PINE-3BR, 2BA, sunken living area, fireplace, fenced in pool, satellite - Listed at $78,000.
1207 KANSAS-4BR, 4BA, 3 living areas includes den + sunroom, formal dining, country kitchen, swimming pool, non-qualifying assumable loan - $85,000.
130 BARBARA LANE-Immaculate condition, sunken living area w/fireplace, large kitchen, pool w/beautiful surroundings Reduced to - $89,500.
2615 MAXWELL-This home could belong to you this summer. 3BR, 2BA, 2LA + formal dining + + sunroom overlooking pool, corner lot, excellent condition/excellent price.
1609 KANSAS-Huge covered deck overlooking heated pool, close-in location, 2 fireplaces, 2BR, 3BA, 2 living areas Listed at $110,000 - Owner wants offers.
4004 NORWOOD-4BR, 2BA, living area w/fireplace, large entry w/skylights and planter box, gunite pool w/decking Listed at $117,000.
217 CAROL LANE-4BR, 3BA, fireplace in living area, heated pool w/jacuzzi, all on .5 acre - Owner will sell furniture with house for an additional price - $130,000.
4508 ROBIN LANE-Sequestered 2nd living area off gameroom, small office, large workshop, solar hot water system, heated pool, 4BR, 3BA, formal dining - $143,000.
3300 MAMAR-4BR, 4BA, 2 living areas, formal dining, heated pool, exceptional floor plan, security patrol, excellent buy for the area, Listed at $144,000.
3703 OAKRIDGE-Large 4BR, 3BA, 3 living area, formal dining, cathedral den, wetbar, 2 car rear entry garage - $147,500.
4311 VALLEY-Back on the market, 4BR, 3BA, 2 living areas, formal dining, high ceilings, wetbar, built-ins, pool & spa Listed at $165,000.
4201 CO. RD. 1244N-Quality construction, pool, gazebo, bath house, 3BR, 3BA, 2 living areas, central vac system, kitchen island, Listed at $180,000.
5426 BASSWOOD-3BR, 3BA, 3 living areas, including a sunroom, high ceilings throughout house, view of golf course, pool, hot tub, Mexican tile on patio, wood decks - $295,000.
905 COUNTRY CLUB-Beautiful old Midland, 6BR, 3BA, 3 living areas, 2 fireplaces, sparkling pool w/decking, too many features to list - $299,000.

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402 EDGEWOOD-3BR, 1BA, central air, security system, appliances negotiable, assumable loan payments - $394 - Submit offers - $42,500.
CO. RD. 1040 & 110-3BR, 2BA, Dbl. fireplace between master bedroom & living area, vaulted ceilings, his & hers master bath, 100% financing - $46,500.
4509 CIMMARON-3BR, 2BA, 2 living areas, fireplace, new paint & carpet are scheduled, quiet neighborhood, Listed at $56,000.
4418 GULF-3BR, 2BA, 2 living areas, new carpet vinyl & formica, hot tub, workshop in back, sprinkler system - $59,950.
409 CRENSHAW-Darling, larger home, 3BR, 2BA, living area w/fireplace, 2 car garage - $63,000.
5017 BELLE GROVE-Townhome, 2BR, 2BA, living area w/fireplace, formal dining, 2 car garage, located on a cul-de-sac - $83,000.
2303 NEELY-4BR, 2BA, 2 living areas, storage, covered RV parking in rear, Extra insulation - $85,000.

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4400 B THOMASON DR	494-114974-503	3/2/1	$27,250	DUPLEX
4402 A THOMASON DR	494-113903-503	3/2/1	$27,350	DUPLEX
4406 A THOMASON DR	494-111882-203	3/2/1	$24,850	DUPLEX
4406 B THOMASON DR	494-109870-203	3/2/1	$33,250	DUPLEX
4408 A THOMASON DR	494-109641-203	3/2/1	$25,550	DUPLEX
3214 TRAVIS	494-101336-203	2/1/0	$13,050	
201 WAVERLY	494-130317-703	2/1/0	$19,850	
605 WAVERLY	494-109298-235	3/1-1/2/1	$39,100	
905 WAVERLY	494-113858-503	3/1-1/2/1	$25,750	
4807 BEDFORD A&B	494-113985-203	3/2/2 CP	$37,800	CSH/*DUPLEX
2409 COLLEGE	494-131097-703	3/1/1	$15,450	CASH/*LBP
611 N "D" ST	494-127742-203	3/1/0	$32,850	CASH/*LBP
2703 DELANO	494-079433-203	2/1/1	$13,700	CASH/*LBP
1614 ENGLISH	494-118236-203	3/1/0	$6,300	CASH
1510 S JEFFERSON	494-104169-221	3/1/1 CP	$9,600	CASH
702 & 702/2 W KANSAS	494-125131-203	2/2/2	$15,450	CASH/*LBP
1907 W KENTUCKY	494-119881-203	3/1/0	$22,950	CASH/*LBP
1101 N LAMESA RD	494-115765-203	1/1/1	$8,600	CASH/*LBP
2308 N MAIN	494-105114-203	2/1/1	$16,150	CASH/*LBP
1719 E OAK	494-082577-203	3/1-1/2/1	$9,500	CASH
402 W PARKER	494-113329-203	2/1/1	$8,100	CASH
421 E PINE	494-108011-203	3/1/1	$9,000	CASH/*LBP
3104 ROOSEVELT	494-113317-203	2/1/1	$11,800	CASH
508 SPRAYBERRY	494-120565-521	2/1/1 CP	$11,350	CASH
618 W STOREY AVE	494-125219-203	3/2/2	$26,000	CASH/*LBP
1401 S WEATHERFORD	494-113721-203	2/1/0	$7,700	CASH

ATTENTION

4726 CROCKETT	494-115-033-296	2/1/0	$$$$$	CASH
3402 CUNNINGHAM	494-100857-203	2/1/1 CP	$$$$$	CASH
411 MAPLE	494-113730-221	3/1/1	$$$$$	CASH
4408 B THOMASON	494-108694-203	3/1/1	$$$$$	CASH/DUPLEX

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SOUTH ROAD-6br, 6ba $700,000
CO. RD.-4br, 3ba, cmpctr, dshwshr, bltin range $391,000
SADDLE CLUB-4br, 4ba $299,999
BLUEBIRD-Custom hm, country kitchen, 4br, 3ba, 2LA $280,000
RT. 1 BOX 158-3br, 3ba, opn pat, hgh clngs, skylights . $255,000
SHADY OAK-On course, vacuum system, 4br, 4ba . . . $237,000
EDINBURGH-2 story custom, 2.5 ac, 4br, 3ba, 3LA . . $219,500
CO RD 1244-Country hm, lrg playroom, 4br, 4ba, 2LA $195,000
LANHAM-Patio home w/lots of extras, 3br, 3ba, 1LA . . $182,500
SHADY OAK-3 heat/AC units, 6 clng fans, 4br, 4ba . . . $180,000
EMERSON-4br, 2ba, 2LA, 18.25acs, metal bldg/bus. . . $180,000
KNIFFEN-1.5 ac, 5 car garage, 3br, 3ba, 2LA, frpl $175,000
TERRA COURT-Like new condtn, 4br, 4½ba, 2LA . . . $169,900
METZ PLACE-Much new, 4br, 3ba, 3LA, frpl, cust pool $169,000
QUAIL POINT-Open patio, many extras, 3br, 3ba, 1LA $169,000
SEABOARD-48' pool, 3 car garage, 4br, 4ba, 2LA, frpl . $165,000
HUMBLE-Spcus fmly hm, 4br, 2ba, 3LA, frpl, nc bkyrd . $159,000
LOS ALAMITOS-Cstm blt, lrg 4br, 3ba, 2LA, frpl . . . $159,000
CASTLEFORD-Solar wtr htr, walkin pantry, 4br, 3ba . . $157,500
MEADOWPARK-4br, 3ba, 2LA, frpl, frml din, pool . . $154,900
DRIFTWOOD-New crpt, vinyl & paint, 3br, 2½ba, 2LA $152,000
HUMBLE-Lots of strge, seq. gameroom, 3br, 3ba, 2LA . $149,900
CRESTRIDGE-Nice 1 owner lrge home, 4br, 3ba $146,900
CO RD 1788-3br, 2ba $144,900
SEQUOIA-Fresh paint inside & out, wet bar, 3br, 3ba . . $139,900
HACKBERRY-Hot tub, on tee box, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, extras $139,900
CO RD 1242-3.86 ac, 4br, 3ba, sauna, barn, crossfenced $139,900
CASADY-Custom, prof designed, 3br, 3ba, 1LA, frpl . . $139,500
AUBURN-Rooms lrge, tile wrkshp, 3br, 4½ba, 1LA, frpl $139,500
BLUEBIRD-Well and city water, spa rm, 4br, 3ba, 1 acre $139,500
DRIFTWOOD-2 story stone hm on course, 3br,2ba . . $135,000
CROCKETT-Triplex $135,000
CO RD 1150-3br, 2ba, 20 acres $135,000
MEADOWPARK-Lg yd, 3cr gr, pool, 3br, 3ba, 2LA, frpl $134,900
LANCASHIRE-4br, 3ba, 1LA, frpl, energy efficient . . . $134,000
STANOLIND-Huge 2 story w/gmrm, 4br, 4ba, 3LA, frpl $129,500
CUTHBERT-2br, 2ba, free stndng range, wndw cvrngs . $127,500
NORWOOD-Lrge bckyrd, garden area, 4br, 2ba, 1LA . . $125,000
CARDINAL-Vintage charm, 3br, 3ba, 2LA, frpl $125,000
SENTINEL-3br, 3ba $125,000
CLOVERDALE-4br, 3ba $124,500
RIDGMAR-4br, 3ba, bltin range, mcrwv ovn, dshwshr . $121,500
VENTURA-Light, open, patio hm, lg 3br, 3ba, 1LA, frpl . $120,000
CASTLEFORD-4br, 3ba, hgh clngs, wt br, intrcm, dspsl $119,900
QUAIL POINT-Wallace garden home, 3br, 3ba, 1LA . . $119,500
TIMBERLANE-Prcd to sll quick, 4br, 3ba, 1LA, frpl . . $117,000
FAIRFAX-Spacious, well lctd, 4br, 3ba, 3LA, frpl $115,000
SEABOARD-5br, 3ba $115,000
NORTHTOWN-4br, 2ba $115,000
AUBURN-3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, frml din, updated decor . . $112,500
NORTE-Frpl in mstr br, sewing rm, 3br, 2ba, 1LA $110,000
SIESTA-Duplex $109,500
SHELL-4br, 3ba $109,000
NEELY-Lrg patio hm, spacious rms, 3br, 3ba, 1LA, frpl . $108,700
DALTON-Open spacious, cathedral ceiling, 4br, 3ba . . $108,000
STUTZ-TLC evident, 4br, 3ba, 2LA, frpl, many new items $107,200
OAKMONT-3br, 2ba $105,000
GREEN TREE-3br, 3ba $105,000
QUAIL POINT-2br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, crtyrd, btfl twn hse . $100,000
GULF-Gameroom cld be 4thbr, 3br, 2ba, 3LA, frpl $100,000
ST. ANDREWS-3br, 2ba, frml din, frpl in mstr, loft, wt br $99,900
ST. ANDREWS-Lrg rms, except kitch, 3br, 2ba, 1LA . . . $99,800
CLAREMONT-Joe Long hm, 4br, 2ba, hot tub on patio . $99,500
AUBURN-4br, 3ba $94,900
GREENTREE-3br, 2ba,wt br, frpl scrn, crcl, drv, opn pat . $89,900
EDGEMONT-Int recent decorated, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl . . $89,900
CESSNA-Lrg wrkshop, energy eff., 3br, 2ba, 1LA $89,900
COMPTON-3br, 2ba, strg, sqstrd mstr br, bltin ovn, dspsl $89,500
NORTE-Nice well cared for hm, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl $89,500
APPERSON-Great home in Kimberlea, 3br, 2ba, 2LA, frpl $89,500
REGAL-3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, built-in vacuum, pool size yrd . $88,500
CAMARIE-Fresh pnt/crpt, 4br, 3ba, 2LA, frpl, lts nw . . . $88,000
CINDY-FHA assump, quiet cul-de-sac, 3br, 2ba, 1 lrg LA . $87,500
ELMA-3br, 3½ba, 1LA, frpl, fenced, 2 car garage $86,900
IMPERIAL-3br, 2ba, btfl lndscpg, cln & bttr thn new . . . $85,900
HYDE PARK-Spacious, lots of strge, 3br, 2ba, 2LA, frpl . $85,900
ASHDOWN-Lrg patio hm w/Mexican tile, 3br, 3ba, 1LA . $85,000
REGAL-pool, tile fence, wet bar, tile floors, skylights $85,000
HAYNES-3br, 2ba, wt br, skylights, cvrd pat grg dr opnr . . $85,000
HUGHES-3br, 3ba, 2 storey comtemporary $85,000
N D-Lg 3br w/walkin clsts, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, many wndws . . . $85,000
WILLINGHAM-Above grnd pool, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl . . . $85,000
CINDY PLACE-Special FNMA financing, 3br, 2ba, 1LA . $84,900
DORA PLACE-Loft, light decor, cul-de-sac, 3br, 2ba . . . $84,500
IDLEWILDE-Non qualifying loan, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl . . . $84,000
NEELY-4br frmly hm, updtd bthrms, 2LA, frpl, nw roof . $83,500
CO. RD. 1125-3br, 2ba $82,900
ST. ANDREWS-Can select colors, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl . . . $82,900
FANNIN-New crpt, wtr htr, '87 swmmng pool, 3br, 2ba . . $82,500
CONCHO-Vaulted ceilings, seq. MBR, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl . $82,000
RIO GRANDE-3br, 2ba $81,000
CO. RD. 143W-3br, 2ba $79,900
WILLINGHAM-Lrg light & bright, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl . . $79,900
GODDARD-Light/bright, lrg closets, 3br, 3ba, 2LA, frpl . $79,900
DURANT-Motivated seller, 3br, 2ba, 2LA, frpl, 1 car grge . $79,900
STANOLIND-Much new in 88, light & bright, 3br, 2ba . . $79,900
WHITTLE WAY-Lovly wallpaper touches, 4br, 2ba, 2LA . $79,900
BELTON-Lrg custom blt hm, 3br, 2ba, 2LA, frpl, fans stay $79,900
INDIANA-Prest museum area, 3br, 2ba, 2LA, frpl $79,900
TERRACE-Detached qtrs w/¾ba & big 1br, 4br, 3ba, 2LA $79,900
BOEING-Lrg home cld be 2LA & frml din, 4br, 2ba, 3LA . $79,500
N-Lot of house for the money, 4br, 2ba, 2LA, frpl $79,000
TEALWOOD-Charming dollhouse, 2br, 3ba, 1LA, frpl . . $78,900
HUGHES-4br, 3ba $78,500
WEDGEWOOD-3br, 3ba $78,000
McDONALD-3br, 3ba $77,900
WYDEWOOD-Seller needs quick sale, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl $76,500
CALDERA-3br, 2ba $75,900
BEDFORD-6 hole putting green, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl . . . $75,000
CIMMARON-Fruit & nut trees, 3br, 2ba, 2LA, nice crpt . $74,900
DENGAR-3br, 2ba $74,500
WYDEWOOD-3br, 2ba, 2LA, frpl, large utility, quick sale $73,500
FRONTIER-3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, lrg opn LA, bonus room . $73,500
AMISTAD-FHA assump., 3br, 2ba, 2LA, sprinkler $73,500
SEABOARD-3br, 2ba, 2LA, frpl, new exterior paint . . . $73,000
BROKEN HILL-3br, 2ba $72,500

NEW OFFERINGS

LOOK WHAT $33,000 CAN BUY! Repo needs some work but has 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, garage and refrigerated air. Really good floorplan in a nice neighborhood on the westside. TALK TO J. FRANK NALL, Associate, evenings, 697-3915.

ENJOY MAY FLOWERS in bloom around this country home. Grow your own vegetables in the garden! Approx. 1.45 acres with outside storage and workshop. Three bedrooms, large master, large kitchen. CALL RUTH YOUNG, Associate, evenings, 697-1217.

LARGE 3 bedroom home with formal dining room overlooking the park in older established area. Large den with pool table! $75,000. CALL KAY SUTTON, Associate, evenings, 694-3640.

HANDYMAN NEEDED for this rental property. Three bedroom house plus one bedroom apartment. TALK TO CONNIE POWELL, Associate, evenings, 694-8447.

EAST PINE priced under $20,000 for this 3 bedroom in good neighborhood. A repo priced to sell! CALL J. FRANK NALL, Associate, evenings, 697-3915

STOP CIRCLING ADS! Here's the one you've been waiting for! Location plus 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, 2 living areas, 2-car garage, fresh paint, carpet and much more! $88,000. CALL CHARLIE MOSLEY, Associate, evenings, 697-9926.

APPRECIATE QUALITY in this delightful 3 bedroom, 2 bath home with all the extras including refrigerated air, fireplace and in a beautiful older neighborhood. Priced in the low $60s! CALL KAY PEDERSON, Associate, evenings, 682-4922.

ROOM TO ROAM in this beautiful one owner home in Saddle Club South. Two living areas, 4 large bedrooms, 3 full baths, formal dining, large backyard. Pool & tennis available! CALL FRAN HENDERSON, Associate, evenings, 682-6576.

HISTORIC AREA close to the museum. Large two-story home with potential to be a "show place". Call quickly! $75,000. TALK TO CONNIE POWELL, Associate, evenings, 694-8447.

EASY TO LIVE IN with 3 bedrooms, 1¾ baths with fireplace and 2-car garage. Squeaky clean with fresh paint. TALK TO BILL WILSON, Associate, evenings, 697-1153.

PINE-Btfl cstm woodworking done recently, 3br, 2ba . . . $72,500
LOUISIANA-Well kept hm, 4br, 3ba, frpl, priced to sell . $72,500
McDONALD-3br, 2ba, bltin range, frpl scrn, cvrd pat . . . $72,000
FANNIN-Lrg LA/den combo, excel condition, 3br, 2ba . . $70,000
N-3br, 2ba $69,999
WHITNEY-3br, 2ba $69,900
WYDEWOOD-3br, 2ba $69,900
PINE-Nw pnt inside, vltd clngs, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl $69,900
PRESTON-Assump only, 3br, 3ba, 1LA well cared for hm $69,567
SENTINEL-3br, 2ba $69,500
ANETTA-FHA non-qual assumption, low equity, 3br, 2ba . $69,500
BEDFORD-Duplex $69,500
RIDGLEA-4br, 3ba, strg, frpl scrn, dshwshr, prkng pad . . $69,500
SENTINEL-3br, 2ba, frpl scrn, pool in grnd, dshwshr . . . $69,500
WADLEY-3br, 2ba $69,500
CO. RD. 162W-Light/bright, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, sprinkler $69,500
DENGAR-Lrg Mbr W/strg, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, pnld den . $68,500
PRINCETON-Huge mstr bedroom, VA loan, 3br, 2ba . . $68,400
WEDGEWOOD-Lrg gameroom or study, 2br, 3ba, frpl . . $68,000
SUNSHINE PKWY-Joe Long hm, gd condition, 3br, 2ba $67,500
WEDGEWOOD-Spacious, 4br, 3ba, 1LA, frpl, good cndtn $67,000
SINCLAIR-3br, 2ba, 2LA, frpl, clng fan, lrg rooms . . . $66,500
CRENSHAW-Quiet neighborhood, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl . . $66,500
HILL-Opn, vrstle flrpln, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frt trees $65,839
MARCIE CT-Quiet cul-de-sac, 3br, 3ba, 1LA, frpl, frml din $65,500
CO RD 150-11 horse stalls/tack rm, 3br, 1 ba, 1LA, frpl . $65,000
BEDFORD-3br, 2ba $65,000
BEDFORD-Country kitchen, lots of updating, 3br, 2ba . . $65,000
SHANDON-Lots of recent improvmts, 3br, 2ba, 2LA, frpl $65,000
ASPEN DR-Foreclosure, 3br, 2ba, sqstrd mstr br, opn pat $64,900
PRINCETON-Lots of TLC, 3br, 2ba, frpl, priced to sell . . $64,900
CO RD 1140S-3br, 2ba, 1LA, 1.5acs, sprinkler $64,900
NEELY-Nice for the money! 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, 2 car grge $64,900
STOREY-3br, 2ba, bltin range, ice mkr cnnctn, opn pat . . $64,500
LOUISIANA-3br, 2ba $63,900
LOUISIANA-2br, 1ba, hrdwd flrs, brick patio, deck $63,500
AMISTAD-Yard on water well, 2LA w/2 frpls, 3br, 2ba, strg $63,500
PYLANT-Neat clean hm, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, vinyl otside trim . $63,000
CIMMARON-3br, 2ba $62,900
LOUISIANA-Assum FHA loan, 3br, 2ba, $500 bonus . . $62,500
BOYD-Wonderful older home w/pool, 3br, 2ba, 2LA $62,500
NEELY-3br, 2ba $61,500
HUMBLE-Grt local, snkn dn, 3br, 2ba, 2LA, frpl, nc yrd . . $61,200
SHANDON-Versatile flr plan, near Lee, 3br, 2ba, pool . . . $60,000
FRANCIS-Big house, clean/spacious, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl . $60,000
GOLF COURSE-3br, 2ba, 2LA, frpl, extras $60,000
SHADY LANE-Duplex $59,900
CIMMARON-Frml LA or dining, sunken den, 3br, 2ba . . $59,900
MICHIGAN-FHA Assump., sprinklered front, 3br, 2ba . . $59,500
MICHIGAN-3br, 2ba $59,500
LOCKHEED-3br, 2ba $59,500
COUNTRY CLUB-Neat & cln hm, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, nc crpt $58,000
CO RD 1140-4br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, 1.16acrs, big mstr bdrm $58,000
NORTHRUP-3br, 2ba $58,000
EMERSON-Cul-de-sac, near schls, shpng, 3br, 2ba, frpl . . $58,000
BENTWOOD-Recent repainted, strm wndws, 3br, 2ba, frpl $56,500
WEST ROAD-3br, 2ba $55,900
STANOLIND-3br, 2ba $55,500
PRINCETON-RV pkg behind fence, 3br, 2ba, 2LA, frpl . . $55,000
RAYMOND-Non-qualifying FHA, no dwn, 3br, 2ba, 2LA . $55,000
SUNNYSIDE-Bring offers, good assump, 3br, 2ba, 1LA . $55,000
HUMBLE-Pleasant 3 br hm, 2ba, 2LA, fenced grdn area . $55,000
OHIO-3br, 2ba, 2LA, 8ft. msnry prvcy fnce, cvrd pat . . . $54,900
SUNDIAL-Low pymts, grt plan, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, dbl grge . $54,500
SHELL-3br, 2ba, 2LA, nice beginner home, strg $52,500
BENTWOOD-3br, 2ba $52,500
CO RD 60E-2br, 2ba $52,500
MICHIGAN-Lg bkyd, wtrwl, 2br, 1ba, 1LA, cnvnt to dntn . $52,500
SO CO RD 1105-Privat country living, 3br, 2ba, 1LA . . $52,500
SYCAMORE-Vnyl sdng, strg, 4br, 2ba, 2LA, frpl, lts sqft . $49,900
BENTWOOD-3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, clng fan, lvng/den . . . $49,900
GULF-3br, 2ba $49,900
BAUMANN-3br, 2ba $49,900
THOMASON-Cute for young couple, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl . $49,900
PERRY-Well maintained, 4br, 2ba, 2LA, workshop $49,900
ANDREWS HWY-Special FNMA financing, 2br, 2ba . . . $49,900
KANSAS-Great older hm, apt in back, 2br, 1ba, 1LA, frpl . $49,500
WILSHIRE-3br, 2ba, 2LA, clng fan, FHA assumption . . $48,600
WHITTLE-Townhome, pretty atrium, 2br, 3ba, 1LA, frpl . $47,500
COUNTRY CLUB-Walkin closets, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl . . $47,500
ERIE-Roomy hm in nice condtn, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, 1 car grge $46,500
CO RD-Neat & clean, 4 acres, fenced, 3br, 2ba, 1LA $46,500
CO RD-Neat & clean, 4 acres, fenced, 3br, 2ba, 1LA $46,500
RIDGE-2br, 1ba, 1LA, frpl, 1 acre $46,000
ERIE-Neat & cln, 3br, 2ba, 2LA, ttl elec hm $45,000
DA-3br, 2ba $45,000
RT 9, BOX 9541-2br, 1ba, 2LA, 2.61acrs, 2 car garage . $45,000
TRAVIS-4br, 2ba, 2LA, frpls, frml din, bond assump . . . $44,900
COUNTRY CLUB-3br, 2ba $44,900
VERSAILLES-Ref. A/C, 3br, 2ba, 2LA, frpl, frml din . . . $44,900
AMIGO-3br, 3ba, 2LA, lots of space & storage $44,500
CO. RD-3br, 2ba, bltin range, kit vnt fan, dshwshr, strg . . $44,250
CUTHBERT-Motivated seller, 2br, 2ba, 1LA, 1 car garage $44,100
ANETTA-3br, 2ba $43,500
SIESTA-2br, 2ba, free stndng range, kit vnt fan, dshwshr . $43,500
GREENVIEW-FNMA financing, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl $43,500
ILLINOIS-3br, 2ba, 1LA $42,900
WILSHIRE-3br, 2ba $42,500
CUTHBERT-Non-qualifying assump, updating, 3br, 2ba . $42,500
DEWBERRY-3br, 2ba, 2LA $42,500
FT WORTH- $41,900
FT WORTH- $41,900
MAPLE-5br, 3ba $41,900
MICHIGAN-Lrg LA w/frpl, 3br, 2ba, 1 car garage, fenced $40,000

CUTHBERT-Lrg, light, roomy older hme, 3br, 2ba, 2LA . $39,900
CUTHBERT-2br, 2ba $39,900
GLENWOOD-3br, 2ba $39,900
PARKDALE-3br, 2ba, bltin range, kit vnt fan, dshwshr . . $39,900
HARLOWE-1 ownr hm, gd flr plan, 3br, 1ba, 1LA, strg . . $39,900
STOREY-Special financing, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, begnrs hme . . $39,900
WILSHIRE-3br, 2ba $39,900
TANNER-2 story, 3br, 2ba, frpl, lrg master $39,900
VERSAILLES-3br, 2ba, kit vnt fan $39,500
RANKIN-2br, 1ba $39,500
ILLINOIS-Parquet flrs throughout, 3br, 2ba, 1LA $39,500
ILLINOIS-Ref. air, 3br, 2ba, lg. lot $39,500
N D-3br, 1ba, 1LA, frpl, hrdwd flrs, under carpet $39,000
OHIO-Heat/air approx 2 yrs old, 3br, 2ba, 2LA $38,000
WEATHERFORD-Rcntly repainted & carpeted, 3br, 2ba $38,000
KENTUCKY-Lrg den, grg apt, 3br, 2ba, 2LA $37,500
DELANO-Grt for newly married, retired, 3br, 2ba, 1LA . . $37,500
CLOUD-Good Assump, ownr may carry, 3br, 2ba, 1LA . . $37,500
PARKDALE-Very clean w/big kitchn & lrg LA, 3br, 2ba . $37,500
CO. RD. 145E-Don't hesitate on any equity offer $37,000
COMANCHE-Non-qual assump, brick home, 2br, 2ba . . $36,500
MARIANA-Double carport, wrkrm, 3br, 2ba, 2LA $36,000
KESSLER-3br, 2ba, 1LA, attractive, nonqualifying loan . . $35,500
LIDDON-1br, 1ba, bltin range, refrig, pool in grnd $35,000
PUEBLO-3br, 2ba $35,000
SHAWNEE-3br, 2ba $35,000
PUEBLO-3br, 2ba $35,000
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PUEBLO-3br, 2ba $35,000
SHAWNEE-3br, 2ba $35,000
NAVAJO-3br, 2ba $35,000
NAVAJO-3br, 2ba $35,000
HOLLOWAY-Good starter hme, 2br, 1ba, 2LA, 2 car grg . $35,000
CLOVERDALE-2br, 2ba $35,000
BURCHILL-FHA non-qual assmptn, nt 3br, 1ba, 1LA . . $35,000
MONTY-Xtra spcl w/lts of new, 2br, 1ba, 2LA, 2cr grg . $34,900
GLENWOOD-Spcl FNMA fng, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, 1 cr grg . . $34,900
AMIGO-3br, 2ba, 1LA, trees, lrg wrkshop, water well . . . $34,900
ERIE-Starter home, enclsd grge cld be gmrm, 3br, 2ba . . $33,000
FRANKLIN-2br, 2ba $32,900
ANETTA-Decorators dream, 3br, 1ba, 2LA, wndrfl ktchn . $32,500
CANYON-Water well, 3br, 1ba, 2LA, lrg frpl, fridge stays . $32,500
LIDDON-2br, 2ba $32,000
MICHIGAN-Special FNMA financing, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, fncd $31,900
ROOSEVELT-2br, 2ba, 1LA, any offer $30,000
PRINCETON-3br, 2ba, 2LA, double frpl, water well $29,975
ILLINOIS-3br, 2ba, 1LA, dishwasher, vent fan $29,950
PLEASANT-Frpl, 2LAs, nc snckbr, lrg wrkshp, 3br, 1ba . $29,900
FRANKLIN-VA assump., super house, like new, fenced . $29,900
GOLF COURSE-Xtra insultn, custom kitchn, 3br, 2ba . . $29,900
RT. #1-3br, 2ba $29,900
BRUNSON-2br, 1ba $29,900
STOREY-New paint in & out, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, updated baths $29,500
SPRABERRY-New siding, awnings, 2ba, 1ba, lndscpng . $28,500
KENTUCKY-2br, 1ba $28,500
CANYON-Neat as a pin, 3br, 2ba, 1LA, grt price for area . $28,500
SPRABERRY-2br, 1ba, free stndng range, paneling . . . $28,000
KENTUCKY-3br, 2ba, kit vnt fan, opn pat, clng fan, strg . $27,500
CANYON-3br, 1ba, ice mkr cnnctn, prkng pad, paneling . $27,500
ANETTA-3br, 2ba $26,500
MAPLE-VA assump, beginners home, 2br, 2ba, 1LA . . . $26,000
MONTY-3br, 2ba, wndw cvrngs, cvrd pat, strg, clng fan . . $25,900
RITA ROAD-3br, 2ba $25,500
ROOSEVELT-2br, 1ba, 1LA $25,000
ROOSEVELT-2br, 2ba, 1LA, free standing oven $25,000
WEATHERFORD-Owner consider financing, 3br, 2ba . $25,000
KENTUCKY-2br, 1ba $25,000
RANKIN HWY-Neat cottage, 3br, 1ba, ownr may carry . $25,000
WASHINGTON-2br, 1ba, free stndng range, dshwshr . . $24,900
MARIENFELD-2br, 1ba $23,000
SEMINOLE-2br, 2ba $22,900
BAIRD-Fresh paint inside/out, new crpt, 3br, 2ba, 2LA . . $22,500
GREENWOOD-Greenwood schools, out of town, 3br, 2ba $22,500
CO RD 121-Cute bgnnrs hme, 1br, 1ba, owner finance . . $22,000
KENTUCKY-Cute beginner hm, nice & clean, 2br, 1ba . . $22,000
JAX-New siding/strm windows, lrg wrk shop, 2br, 1ba, 2LA $22,000
KENTUCKY-2br, 1ba $21,000
DORMARD-2br, 1ba $19,900
APACHE-Spacious hm w/hrdwd flrs, 2br, 1ba, 1LA $19,900
WASHINGTON-2br, 1ba $19,900
ANETTA-Owner will finance, 3br, 1ba, 1LA, fenced $19,500
ANETTA-2br, 1ba, opn pat, clng fan $18,900
KANSAS-2r, 1ba $18,500
ILLINOIS-Special FNMA financing, 2br, 1ba, 1LA $16,900
ILLINOIS-2br, 1ba $15,750
STOKES-"As Is" condition, 3br, 2ba, 1LA $15,000
TERRELL-Cute as can be, 2br, 1ba, 1LA $13,500
COLLEGE-2br, 1ba, 1LA, kitchen redone, will carpet . . . $13,000
ROOSEVELT-Handyman's dream, 3br, 1ba, 1LA $12,000

SALES PENDING

WADLEY-3br, 3ba ..... Helen Mason
CO. RD. 1243-3br, 2ba ..... Vicky McWilliams
CRUMP ..... Cliff McCluney
BEDFORD-3br, 2ba ..... Corporate
STONELEIGH ..... Karen Foster
NORMANDY ..... Patsy Brice
STONELEIGH- ..... Helen Mason
SHANDON-4br, 2ba ..... Fran Henderson
CUTHBERT-3br, 2ba ..... Patsy Brice
STONELEIGH ..... Karen Foster
ST. PETER-3br, 1ba ..... Karen Foster
MARIANA-2br, 1ba ..... Corporate
THAMES ..... Pat Carl
FANNIN-3br, 2ba ..... Anita Noles
PECAN ..... Corporate
DEWBERRY ..... Corporate
HYDE PARK-3br, 2ba ..... Karen Foster
HYDE PARK-3br, 3ba ..... Corporate
BEDFORD-3br, 2ba ..... Ruth Young
FM 715-3br, 1ba ..... Karen Foster
MARIANA-3br, 2ba ..... Enid Ellis
THOMASON-2br, 1ba ..... Helen Mason
ESTES-2br, 1ba ..... J. Frank Nall
OXFORD ..... Corporate
CO RD 1244-3br, 2ba ..... Beverly Dwyer
CASCADE-3br, 2ba ..... Enid Ellis
GLENWOOD-3br, 2ba ..... Elizabeth Knight
ANETTA-3br, 2ba ..... Helen Mason
FRONTIER-3br, 2ba ..... Kay Pederson
WILLOWOOD-3br, 2ba ..... Elizabeth Knight
SUNSET ..... Enid Ellis
GLENEAGLES ..... J. Frank Nall
NORTHTOWN ..... Karen Foster
AMISTAD ..... J. Frank Nall
GREENVIEW ..... J. Frank Nall
LAVACA ..... Ruth Young
NORTHTOWN-4br, 3ba ..... Karen Foster
DURANT-4br, 4ba ..... Karen Foster
GREEN TREE-2br, 2ba ..... Coporate
RT. #4-3br, 3ba ..... Suellen Nall
WEDGEWOOD-2br, 3ba ..... Connie Powell
AMISTAD-3br, 2ba ..... Ruth Young
SHANDON-3br, 2ba ..... Patsy Brice
HOLLOWAY-3br, 2ba ..... Sindy Parsons
HOPI-3br, 2ba ..... Kay Sutton
DELMAR-3br, 2ba ..... Corporate
OAK-3br, 2ba ..... J. Frank Nall
CEDAR SPRINGS- ..... Corporate
LOUISIANA-2br, 1ba ..... Corporate
PUEBLO-3br, 2ba ..... Kay Sutton
SINCLAIR-2br, 2ba ..... Connie Powell
CAMARIE-3br, 2ba ..... Karen Foster
BOULDER-4br, 3ba ..... Corporate

LOTS AND ACREAGE

LOOP 250 ..... $1,300,000
CO. RD. 143 ..... $350,000
CO. RD. 180 ..... $160,000
W. HIGHWAY 80 ..... $120,000
MOCKINGBIRD $108,450
CO. RD. 1243-8.28A $88,000
CO. RD. 1208-84 acres $83,520
CO. RD. $71,250
CRESTGATE $55,000
INWOOD $54,500
SADDLE CLUB $50,000
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SADDLE CLUB $46,000
SADDLE CLUB $46,000
SADDLE CLUB $46,000
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RUSTIC $44,000
SADDLE CLUB $42,000
SADDLE CLUB $42,000
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1241 CO RD $37,650
ISLAND DR-Owner will finance $35,000
DRIFTWOOD $34,000
MAGNOLIA $30,000
BUFFALO $30,000
PRAISE $27,000
RIDGE $22,000
FM 307 ..... $20,000
MARBLE FALLS $18,000
CO. RD. $15,000
BARBARA $13,000
GULF-Reduced to ½ price, corner lot, Scottsdale $9,500
RANGER TRAIL $6,700
RANGER TRAIL $6,500
WOODCREST $6,000
WOODCREST $5,000

COMMERCIAL

LOOP 250-Land, excellent access/location, 1.339 acres $498,900
BASIN-4 office/warehouse units, 1.73 acres $265,000
CO. RD. 1298S-Office/warehouse, presently leased . . $275,000
BIG SPRINGS-Great location across from ClayDesta . $215,000
WALL-LR3-10,000 sq. ft. $187,500
META DRIVE-Income producing, good prkng, wll lease $175,200
GARFIELD-Warehouse/office, leased for one year . . . $170,000
NORTH C-Hm converted to office, approx. 3,168 sq. ft. . $150,000
CO. RD. 128W-Owner finance, office/warehouse $145,000
FM 1788 ..... $144,900
BIG SPRING-Excell condtn, .29 ac, approx. 2,395 sq. ft. $125,000
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Hand in hand:

Adopt-A-Grandparent program pairs children with seniors

Grandparents and grandchildren go together, like springtime and kite-flying, or stories and bedtime, or hugs and kisses.

But now, in the late 20th century, our society is very mobile. Often, too many miles separate children from the daily attention of their grandparents, and too many senior citizens live far away from their loved ones.

To help bridge the gap between the generations, a new program is being offered in Midland by the YMCA. Called Adopt-A-Grandparent, the program is designed to bring children and older people together for an afternoon of mutual benefit.

Genie McCartney, marketing director of Midland Metropolitan YMCA, said the program was initiated by a former director of the child-care program at Alamo YMCA, "because lots of kids in the child care program didn't have grandparents, or their grandparents lived far away."

THE PROGRAM, as originally planned, enabled several children from the child-care program to visit elderly residents of nursing homes or retirement communities in Midland, Ms. McCartney said. But it has become so popular, both with the children and with the seniors, that plans are in the works for interested seniors who do not live in nursing or retirement centers to take part.

"Selected children from the YMCA child care program are allowed to participate," she said. "These are school-aged children."

Once a week or so, the children and the director visit nursing homes and retirement homes visiting the residents. Activities include singing, presenting plays and skits, making videotapes and "lots of hugs, sitting on laps and story telling," Ms. McCartney said.

Activities are not all indoors. Outside play also is part of the program. "We try to schedule it around the weather, because it's no fun when it's cold or bad," Ms. McCartney said.

But the newly-formed relationships between young and old don't stop when the afternoon of visiting is over, Ms. McCartney said. "Some of the people in nursing homes can't get out, but the ones who can — the parents (of the children) can take them out with the children for church, or dinner, or just to enjoy an afternoon together." The children's entire families — parents and siblings — are involved in these relationships, she added.

The program, which is only about a year old, has grown steadily since its beginning. Currently about 30 children take part in the program.

"We first took two or three (children)," Ms. McCartney said. "Then more and more wanted to go. It's special to be allowed to participate in the program.

"It's a connection — it involves the children, their parents and the 'grandparents.' It (the program) teaches responsibility and leadership — the children selected have to be examples, responsible and mature. It's a reward for them."

IT'S ALSO rewarding for the seniors who are the adopted grandparents. On a recent spring afternoon, several children, child care attendants and new "grandparents" spent an afternoon together, starting out at the Wadley-Barron duck pond and park.

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Caroline Fitzpatrick walks with her adopted grandfather, Buster Johnson.

Text by LINDA ANDERSON

Photo by CURT WILCOTT



Have you heard...?

By MARILYN McKNIGHT HARRISON

Seventy-five years ago, **H.L. Beckmann** made his appearance in this world. To mark the milestone occasion, his wife, **Treva**, arranged a clever surprise party for him Tuesday at Ida Jo Moore Park, corner of A Street and Nobles Avenue.

The park, which is located near the Beckmanns' Club Drive home and which was the hangout for youngsters living in the Club Drive-Ridglea Street area when the three Beckmann children were growing up, provided a fun setting for the event. Colorful balloons marked the spot.

The partygoers enjoyed a delicious picnic lunch of barbecue and birthday cake, while paying tribute to the "Birthday Boy" and his diamond jubilee status. They were asked to put their favorite memories of the honoree in writing, and the letters will be compiled into a keepsake album.

Flying in from schools and jobs for the occasion were Mr. Beckmann's children and grandchildren. The children are **Barbara "Becky" Bratton** of Houston, **Vicki Beckmann Sanders** and her husband, **Bill** also of Houston, and **Paul David "Pancho" Beckmann** and his wife, the former **Leslie King**, of Dallas. The grandsons present were **Gib Black**, a student at Texas Tech, and **David Black**, who attends UT-Arlington, along with a friend, **Shelly Dugas**.

After completing his studies at the University of Oklahoma, Mr. Beckmann, a geologist, was hired by Humble Oil Company to come to West Texas, first to Andrews and then to Midland. He left the company when it became Exxon and went on to a second career as a teacher of earth science at Goddard Junior High School.

Just to set the record straight, we want to report that whether you know Mr. Beckmann as Beck, Roy or Harry, we are speaking of one and the same person. Treva tells us that the "awl bidness" folks call her husband Beck; family members and family friends call him Roy and his teacher friends call him Harry.

FORMER MIDLANDER Mark Blake and his fiancee, **Paige Kreager**, both of Dallas, were honored here last weekend with a Mexican Fiesta.

The party was held at the home of **Margaret and Courtney Cowden**. Co-hosting were **Phyllis and John Grimland, Lorraine and Rufe Bynum, Sudy and H.G. Bedford, Janet and Bob Pollard** and **Pat and Tom Schneider**.

The couple also were guests of honor at a recent cocktail buffet in the home of **Trinka and Nick Taylor. Penny and Ernest Angelo, Betty and Don Ewan, Nancy and H.L. "Cherokee" Sloan** and **Flo and Sam White** were the other host couples.

Paige's and Mark's engagement was announced in Midland at a party at the home of Mark's parents, **Jody and Jack Blake**, on Feb. 25. It was a double celebration, also marking the host couple's 38th wedding anniversary.

The prospective newlyweds also will be feted at parties in Dallas and Paige's hometown of Beaumont. Their wedding is planned for June 25 at St. Michael and All Angels Church in Dallas.

Paige will graduate from Southern Methodist University in May. Mark is a self-employed oil operator.

APRIL FOOL'S DAY turned into a very exciting day for Midland High senior **Laura Weyman** and two friends, who were whisked off to Dallas by private jet. They enjoyed shopping, with a break for lunch at Bloomingdale's, followed by more shopping.

The pre-graduation trip was given by **Kerry and Clarence Scharbauer III** and their daughters, **Charlotte** and **Kelly**. Laura has been a longtime baby sitter for the children.

Accompanying the girls to Dallas were Kerry, Charlotte and Laura's mother, **Diana Weyman**.

Laura also was honored recently with a dinner party at La Bodega Restaurant. The host couple were her cousins, **DeEtte and John Zant**.

Special guests were Laura's parents, **Diana and Ed Weyman**, and her aunt and uncle, **Candy and Herb Rehders**.

The tables were deocrated with pastel Easter baskets. The honoree was presented with a clever and useful gift, a college dorm room tool chest holding 50 items, while the guests received smaller sets of tools as favors.

A patio luncheon at the home of **Lynda Kay (Nrs. Carty) Beal** also was given for Laura. The cohostesses were **Sue (Mrs. Ed) Harris, Linnie (Mrs. Art) Donnelly, Ann (Mrs. Bobby) Page, Linda (Mrs. Rodney) Satterwhite, Jeanie (Mrs. Tom) Johnson** and **Louise (Mrs. Clint) Kuzmich**.

The 40 guests enjoyed a Mexican buffet at tables decorated with colorful cloths and spring flowers.

WE WERE INTERESTED to learn that the cover story of Life magazine's March issue was authored by a former Midlander, **Pat Dougherty**. She writes about actress **Gilda Radner** and her battle with cancer.

Pat, a gradaute of Lee High School and the University of Texas-Austin, now lives in Los Angeles, where she is pursuing her writing career.

Prior to her West Coast move, Pat was senior editor of Houston City magazine. She also wrote for Houston's Comedy Workshop, and her mother tells us she eventually would like to write for TV sitcoms. Among other publications her work has appeared in are the Lost Angeles City magazine, Los Angeles Times and Ultra.

Pat's mother, **Retha Dougherty**, and sister, **Diane (Mrs. Mike) Rhoden**, reside in Midland.

NUMEROUS FESTIVITIES surrounded the wedding of former Midlander **Mark Nini**, and **Shannon Coon**, in Los Angeles recently.

The groom's parents, **Barbara and Jack Nini**, hosted the rehearsal dinner at the Westwood Marquis Hotel. A bridesmaids luncheon was held at the Bel Air Country Club, and the wedding reception was at the Riviera Country Club.

The couple also were honored in Midland earlier this year. A cocktail buffet was given at the home of **Peggy and Carl Lawrence**. Co-hosts were **Bettye and Don Jones, Nancy and Richard Gibson, Betty and Bill Sumner** and **Myna and Jack Young. Marcia (Mrs. L.R., Jr.) French** entertained for Shannon with a luncheon in her home.

Midland friends attending the wedding were **Marcia and Bob French** and sons, **Fuller and Powie**, and **Barbara (Mrs. Roger) Allen**, who was joined by her daughter, **Angie Allen** of Huntington Beach, Calif.

CYD SLAYDON, daughter of **Jody and Bob Slaydon** was honored with a pre-graduation luncheon last Sunday at Green Tree Country Club. The hostesses were Cyd's sister, **Susan (Mrs. Mike) Higgins** of Dallas, and her mother.

The guests included **Becky Geron, Alyssa Treadway, Shelly Slyker, Melissa Simpson, Jane Marker, Carla Ezell, Nisa Sharma** and **Jamie Winborn**.

A senior at Lee High School, Cyd plans to attend Texas Wesleyan College in Fort Worth and major in pre-med.

Marilyn McKnight Harrison is social columnist for the Reporter-Telegram.

Single-parent children have extra stress

By Dr. LAWRENCE KUTNER
New York Times News Service

For many children, the traditional two-parent family is no more a part of everyday life than the castles and magic of fairy tales.

One of every 4 children in the United States lives with only one parent, according to the Census Bureau; that is far more than in 1960, when the proportion was 1 in 10.

The numbers are even larger among minorities. Fifty-three percent of black children live with only one parent, as do 30 percent of Hispanic children. For these children especially, the "Leave It to Beaver" and "Father Knows Best" reruns on television are no more realistic than science fiction.

The effects of living with only one parent are not the same for all children. How successfully children handle the stress of growing up with a single parent, researchers say, has to do with many factors, only some of which can be controlled by parents. Many of the problems children suffer appear to be set off more by changes in economics than by the turmoil that attends divorce.

Two out of three children living with only one parent are in that situation because of divorce or separation.

"About 60 or 70 percent of the children of divorce handle it well," said Dr. Neil M. Kalter, a professor of psychology and the director of the Center for the Child and the Family at the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor. "Only about a third of those children have serious difficulties."

UNTIL RECENTLY, psychologists assumed that children whose parents shared custody of them had an emotional advantage over children in the custody of only one parent. A California study released recently found that for the first two years following a divorce, children whose parents maintained an amicable relationship did equally well whether one or both parents had custody.

Children involved in bitter divorces, however, had more psychological problems if they were placed in joint custody than in the custody of one parent. Shuttling between two hostile parents caused signficantly more stress than living full time with only one of them.

Other differences in how well children cope with divorce depend on the child's age and sex. The reasons for the sex differences are unclear, although studies have shown that young boys from divorced homes tend to get less emotional support from parents and teachers than young girls.

This lower level of support for boys comes at a time when girls are generally more socially competent and emotionally mature.

Among pre-adolescent children, boys are more likely to have major problems than girls. Preschool boys often show a pronounced sadness or withdrawal. They may cling to their mothers — mothers have sole or primary custody of their children in 89 percent of divorces — and refuse to go to day care or kindergarten.

They may begin to wet their beds or show other behavior usually seen in younger children. Preschool girls show the same problems, although not as frequently.

AS THE children enter elementary school their behavior problems change, researchers say. "Boys from divorced families have more problems with concentration and schoolwork," said Dr. Gary B. Melton, past president of the division of child, youth and family services of the American Psychological Association.

Girls of that age from divorced families are for the most part likely to respond to their stress by becoming quiet and depressed.

In adolescence, the balance of problems shifts toward the girls. Kalter has found that teen-age girls from divorced families are more likely than girls from two-parent homes to use illegal drugs. They also become sexually active at an earlier age.

"These kinds of difficulties can occur years after the divorce," Kalter said. "In the past, if they didn't occur right away we didn't see them as divorce-related. We now know that girls often look like they're handling things very well until they reach early adolescence."

One of the best ways to help your children is to take good care of yourself. "Much of how well the child does depends on how many resources the parent can muster," Melton said. "The less stress the parent is under, the less stress the child will be under."

The mother who tries to sacrifice her life outside the family as a way to make up for the absent parent may, in fact, be able to give her children less than the mother who is more involved with people and activities outside the home.

TRY TO provide a male role model for both boys and girls. This need not be the father, psychologists say, especially if relations between parents are strained. If both parents are amicable and emotionally healthy, according to Kalter, the children will do better if the father sees them at least once a week.

Finally, try to limit the number of times the family changes places to live. Moving to a new house or apartment can be especially upsetting to children whose family structure has just changed.

GRANDPARENT

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Mona Ruth Dickson, an adopted grandmother, said she and adopted grandpa Buster Johnson were picked up by Ms. McCartney and taken to the "duck park," where they were joined by "several girls from the Y, another elderly couple and about eight lovely children from the Y with Y shirts on. The girls put tags on us as honorary grandparents and gave each of us a bottle of bubbles — it was a very windy day."

After spending time blowing bubbles, trying to feed the ducks and in general enjoying the outdoors, the group was taken to a Midland residence "with a porch swing," said Johnson, "an old-timey porch like I used to have, with a swing. The children played around the house."

"Somebody said, 'Let's go to the ice cream parlor,' and everybody left," he laughed. "We sat in there and really enjoyed that — each kid tried to out-eat the other ones."

The afternoon was a hit with all who participated.

The Adopt-A-Grandparent program also has been a big hit. It has been chosen as one of 120 programs selected from across the country to be showcased at the 1988 General Assembly in Boston June 17-24, according to Ms. McCartney.

"The programs are selected for uniqueness, innovation, etc. Ours is under community involvement," she said.

Nursing homes, retirement communities or individuals who would like to know more about the Adopt-A-Grandparent program can call Sheri Magness at the Alamo YMCA, Ms. McCartney said.

As for the two adopted grandparents who went to the "duck park" one windy afternoon, they are ready to participate in the program again, they said.

"We had a good time. I enjoy the little children," Johnson said. "The way they behaved was amazing. It was really a good group."

Ms. Dickson said, "I like to think I'm a typical grandmother. I love a lot ... but that's what it's all about."

Program brings elderly, suitable pets together

Associated Press

Furred, finned and feathered companions can help the elderly live longer, happier lives.

In fact, according to Better Homes and Gardens, researchers now know that owning a pet will lower people's blood pressure, even make them recover faster from heart attacks and other serious illnesses.

A new program makes it especially easy for folks over 60 to adopt a dog or cat through local Humane Society animal shelters. Launched by pet-products manufacturer Ralston Purina, the Pets for People program lets the elderly adopt a dog or cat at no cost. Adoption fees, inoculations and the veterinary costs of spaying or neutering are paid for through the company. When senior citizens take home a new furry companion, the company provides a leash and collar, food and water bowls and a starter supply of dog or cat food.

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Copley News Service

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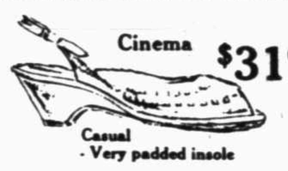


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1. Billie Jean Lively, Johnnie McCarrol
2. Jean Cook, Jerry Baugh
3. Flo Curry, Ricki Perry
4. Mary Hammond, Beulah Prichard
5. B.J. Filley, Betty Jane Norwood
6. Francis Levin, Jerry Chapman

Tuesday Novice:

1. Belvin Redus, Debbie Wilson
2. Charlie Grimes, Wayne Rector
3. Ann Smith, Fay Carey
4. Debbie Sciscoe, Jim Sciscoe

WEDNESDAY

North-South:
1. Becky Kinsey, Lyle Kinsey
2. Mott Ellis, Jerry Crooker
3. Wayne Rector, Jim Bell

East-West:
1. Alan Lotiland, Sara Curry
2. Tip Branch, Jerry Chapman
3. Leanora Slusher, Sue Gardiner

THURSDAY

1. Aleene Storie, Joy Grief
2 and 3. tie: Mary Ann Ochs, Leanora Slusher, Mary Spiers, Jo Blackwood
4. Millowfe Mills, Barbra Nichols, Louiana Smith, Dixie Gifford

FRIDAY

1. Jean Cook, Mary Hammond
2 and 3 tie: Bob Myers, Midge Taylor, Ellie Kerr, Betty Jane Norwood
4. Flo Curry, Marsha Swanson
5. Jerry Williamson, Ginna Potts

SATURDAY

1. Bob Myers, Lyle Kinsey
2. Sue Gardiner, Leanora Slusher
3. Betty Crooker, Jerry Crooker
4. Dixie Gifford, Linda Warden
5. Joe Britton, Al Gifford

SUNDAY

1. Linda Warden, Dixie Gifford
2. Midge Taylor, Jane Myers
3,4 and 5 tie: Bob Myers, Cliff Miller, Jerry Crooker, Charlie Grimes, Al Gifford, Fred Kester
6. Sue Gardiner, Jimmie Penn

'Clowning around' beneficial

Circus performers visit hospital's tiny patients

By J.R. MOEHRINGER
New York Times News Service



NEW YORK — Shane understood where he was going. A 2-year-old boy with downy blond hair and long eyelashes, he had endured months of hospitalization for a brain tumor.

Seated in a stroller, his arm connected to an intravenous pump four times his size, he stared from under his baseball cap down the hospital corridor toward the room where he was about to undergo ultrasound treatment.

"He knows," his father said.

But for a few moments Shane forgot the difficult morning that lay ahead, thanks to Kim Wilson, a clown in striped leggings and a doctor's smock who appeared on roller skates, blew a halo of bubbles around Shane's head and made him smile.

That Friday morning five clowns were darting from room to room in Babies Hospital of the Columbia-Presbyterian Medical Center in Manhattan, leaving behind a trail of bubbles and a chorus of laughter.

It is thus three days a week, when the Clown Care Unit of the Big Apple Circus makes its rounds, visiting as many as 150 children, from the outpatient clinic to intensive care. There, the clowns said, the vital signs monitors serve as highly sensitive applause meters.

"WE'VE HAD one person in all this time tell us clowns don't belong in the ICU," said Michael Christensen, who started the Clown Care Unit two years ago with Jeff Gordon. "We looked at them and said, 'Neither do children.' "

Christensen, who is Dr. Stubs under the big top, was inspired to entertain in hospitals by the loss of his older brother to cancer and a performance he gave at a hospital function after his brother's death.

He said it was "the most fulfilling 20 minutes I've done in my career."

In 1986 he and Gordon, known as Disorderly Gordoon, designed a pilot program for Babies Hospital, to see if humor could serve as a splint for a child's broken spirits.

"The clowns respond to the humorous, fun-loving part of the child that's still intact," said Penelope Buschman, who counsels children and their families at the hospital.

The program at Babies Hospital was funded with a grant from the Altman Foundation and the sponsorship of the Big Apple Circus.

The two men gamboled through pediatric wards in their oversize shoes, giving rubber-nose transplants and chocolate milk transfusions.

Since then the program has expanded to include 12 clowns and three more city hospitals.

Recently the clowns were invited to join monthly case-review meetings in which doctors, psychiatrists and the clowns discuss the emotional well being of children awaiting kidney transplants.

"The clowns are healers, too," said Annette Choolfaiam, executive vice president of St. Luke's Hospital.

The clowns can be disarmingly serious about their hospital work, for which they are paid $110 a day from a pool of corporate and private donations.

SOME WEAR beepers under their costumes to alert them when a child needs cheering up. Several have learned Spanish or sign language.

Their performances have sometimes produced surprising results. A child with a neurological disease who could not lift her head looked up when a clown juggled colored balls above her head.

A boy named Hector, who has spent all his 15 years at Babies Hospital since being born there with kidney disease, had confided in hardly anyone until he met Mark Mitton, Dr. Doctor, a year ago.

Since then he has often talked with the clowns about his anger and sadness, and joins in their performances wearing white-face and a wig.

It is not hard to tell when the clowns have descended upon a ward. Children's faces are decorated with gold stars. Nurses are wearing red rubber noses. Tired parents are suddenly laughing, often with tears in their eyes.

As the clowns stepped off an elevator, a nurse bounded toward them. The clowns had been teaching her to juggle, and she was ready for another lesson.

"There go my fun clowns," said a boy with bone cancer, his left arm wrapped in bandages. He ran after them, eager to show Laine Barton, Dr. Eebedebe, that he had learned to juggle colored scarves with his free hand since her last visit.

"I need some clowns," said Latoya Lawson, 5, opening her arms wide as a clown on roller skates zoomed past her door.

IN INTENSIVE care, a boy in an oxygen mask was distracted for 15 minutes by two clowns and a simple card trick. His father, crouched on a stool at the foot of the bed, was reluctant to take part until, seeing his son smile, he picked a card and asked, "Are you watching, pal?"

Janice Krako credits the clowns with helping her son, David, who had a brain tumor, get out of bed, something doctors and nurses could not persuade him to do.

The clowns have learned to avoid knowing too much about the children, or becoming too fond of any one child. After five children died in one month, a delegation of clowns visited Buschman, the counselor, to talk about the strain they felt. "They all came in their clown costumes, but we had a pretty serious discussion," she said.

Christensen said the more difficult it is to be funny, the more important it is to try. "It's not an obligation," he said. "It's a celebration and a joy. To imagine that you had the honor of being one of the last people on earth that someone sees, and you had the ability to make those moments joyful and fun and wonderful, that's one of the greatest honors someone could have."

Avoiding sun damage should start in childhood

SKILLMAN, N.J. (AP) — A half million Americans will get skin cancer this year, according to The American Academy of Dermatology, and one in seven Americans will get skin cancer in his or her lifetime.

Most people receive 80 percent of their sun exposure by age 20. Because youngsters spend so much time out-of-doors and because sun exposure and resultant skin damage are cumulative, pediatricians and dermatologists are pointing to childhood as the best time to prevent skin damage, including severe sunburn, skin cancer and premature skin aging that begins to appear decades later.

Experts urge that protective efforts should start while a child is young. In newborns, the protective mechanism of the body's natural sun-screening pigment is only partially formed.

Regular use of a sunblock with a Sun Protection Factor (SPF) of 15 during childhood and adolescence can reduce a lifetime risk of developing skin cancer by up to 80 percent, according to Dr. Carl W. Ehmann. Ehmann, a dermatologist, is Research and Development vice president for Johnson & Johnson Baby Products Co.

"Parents often think their children only need sun protection in the summer while at the beach," Ehmann said, "but they should recognize the year-round risk from sun exposure. Children spend more time in the sun walking to and from school than adults spend outside all week. Then they go out to play for several hours each day."

Laughter permitted in comedy school

By STEVE FEICA

NEW HAVEN, Conn. (AP) — At Elliot Frank's school, the three R's might be rib-tickling, regaling and revelry.

Frank runs The Comedy School, whose classes have been held in a yoga studio and school gymnasiums for people who want to "explore their sense of humor."

"What I run is a very creative workshop that includes improvisation comedy, some comedy writing skills, and it gets silly and crazy and yet it is very serious," Frank said in an interview.

The workshops conducted over the past six or seven years have attracted those who might like to give standup comedy a shot and those who might like to tap into the zaniness hidden within them.

"I guess a few people want to be comedians now ... to explore their sense of humor, or they have a fantasy. They want to do it once but they really don't want to be standup comedians," Frank said in describing those who have been through his eight-week course.

"What I do, in fact, is emphasize that in this workshop you don't have to be funny," at least not immediately, Frank said. He says there is a progression toward unleashing whatever sense of comedy his students have.

"One person goes up in front of the other members of the workshop. We're sitting down as an audience and we just take turns throwing topics at them and they have to talk to us about the topic until they get a laugh.

"One of my favorite things to do, which is very hard for the new participants, is to just have them stand there in front of us and they go through all kinds of machinations, body study and visual stuff, trying to be comfortable. This is to get them used to the idea that you don't have to analyze it."

Developing one's own sense of comedy and sweating it out in front of other would-be comics is one thing, but the idea is to get ready to cajole strangers into laughing.

"What I'm really trying to teach is all you have to do is be liked up there (on stage). You don't make a lot of laughs, especially at the beginning."

Although his personal favorites among the top comics in the industry include the likes of Robin Williams and Richard Pryor, Frank says that does not color his approach to helping each student discover his or her own style of comedy.

"People go through a change in the workshop," he said. "People who don't think that they're funny ... they think they have a sense of humor and they laugh and think something is funny, wind up being funny.

"They find that like any other art, that with a little bit of practice and persistence they can get better."

He says that comedy is an art and is live theater with a cast of one where "you're probably doing your own writing, your editing, your own choreography and you still have to get laughs.

"It's only for masochists, I think."

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Engagements

HART-BOYD

Mr. and Mrs. Harold R. Hart of Midland announce the engagement of their daughter Sandra Kay to Alan D. Boyd of Midland, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Boyd of Bloomfield, Mich. The wedding is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. June 4 at Golf Course Road Church of Christ in Midland.

Miss Hart is a graduate of Abilene Christian University and a first grade teacher with Midland Independent School District. Her fiance attended schools in England, Michigan and Texas. He is a self-employed certified public accountant.



Sandra Kay Hart

JANSEN-DANIEL

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Jansen of Midland announce the engagement of their daughter, Airman 1st Class Lorrie Lee Jansen, to Sr. Airman Ricky Lee Daniel of Fort Worth. The future bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert R. Daniel of Azle. The wedding is planned for 1 p.m. May 7 at Carswell Air Force Base Chapel in Fort Worth.

Miss Jansen is a 1986 National Honor graduate of Lee High School. She attended Midland College, and now is in the U.S. Air Force stationed at Carswell AFB, where she is a mechanical engineer on B-52 airplanes. Her fiance, a 1982 graduate of Azle High School, attended Tarleton State University. He serves in the U.S. Air Force, and is stationed at Carswell AFB where he is an electrician on B-52s.



Lorrie Lee Jansen

KELLY-WHITE

Pamela Mary Kelly and Dee Jay White, both of Midland, are planning to be married 3 p.m. May 29 at Cypress Creek Christian Church in Spring. Parents of the bride-elect are Patrick and Patricia Kelly of Houston. The future bridegroom is the son of Gene and Georgia White of Sheridan, Mont.

Miss Kelly, a graduate of Ridgefield High School in Ridgefield, Conn., earned a bachelor of business administration degree from Texas Tech University and a master of business administration degree from Texas A&M University. She is employed with First City National Bank of Midland. Her fiance graduated from Sheridan High School, and Montana Tech College, where he earned a bachelor of science degree in geological engineering. He is employed with Dowell Schlumberger.

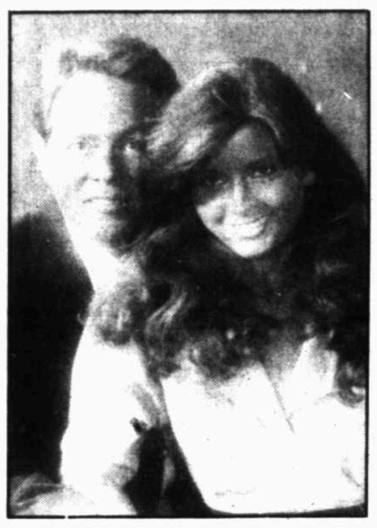


Pamela Mary Kelly

TAYLOR-DAVIDSON

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Taylor of Midland announce the engagement of their daughter Tammy Lee to Don R. Davidson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don D. Davidson of Midland. The wedding is planned for 7 p.m. June 18 at the Midland Hilton.

Miss Taylor is employed with Tantalizing. Her fiance is employed with Dawson Geophysical.

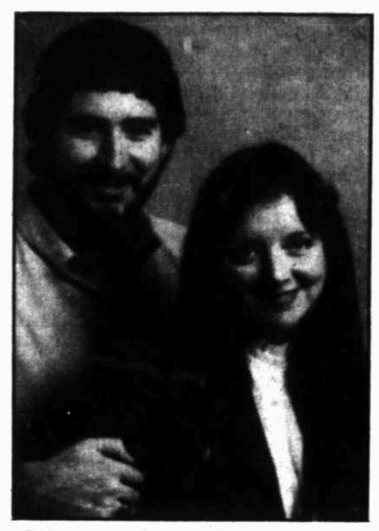


Tammy Lee Taylor and Don R. Davidson

WHITEWAY-RHOADS

Roberta Kathryn Whiteway and Russell L. Rhoads, both of Fort Worth, are planning to be married 2 p.m. June 25 at Smithfield Church of Christ in Fort Worth. Parents of the bride-elect are James V. Whiteway of Jacksonville, N.C., and Pauline Whiteway of Fort Worth. The future bridegroom is the son of Jimmie and Dee Rhoads of Midland.

Miss Whiteway is a graduate of Mansfield High School. Her fiance graduated from Lee High School and Abilene Christian University. Both are employed with Tandy Data Processing.

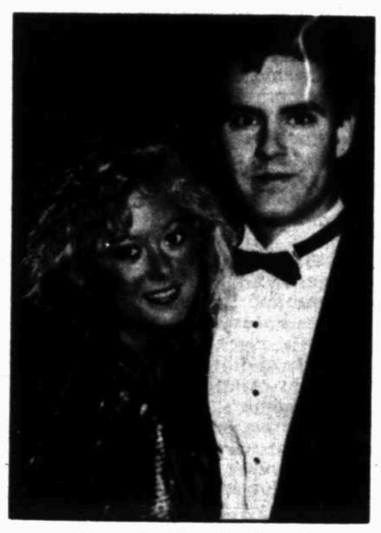


Roberta Kathryn Whiteway and Russell L. Rhoads

STAFFORD-JEFFUS

Dr. and Mrs. Robert Stafford of Midland announce the engagement of their daughter Susan L. Stafford to John R. Jeffus, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jeffus of Dallas. An August wedding is planned.

Miss Stafford graduated as valedictorian from Hamlin High School, and is scheduled to graduate with honors from Baylor University in May. She has been a member of Mortarboard, Omicron Delta Kappa, Russian Honor Club and Pi Beta Phi. Her fiance is a graduate of Lubbock Christian High School and the University of Texas. He is associated with Micrografx of Dallas.

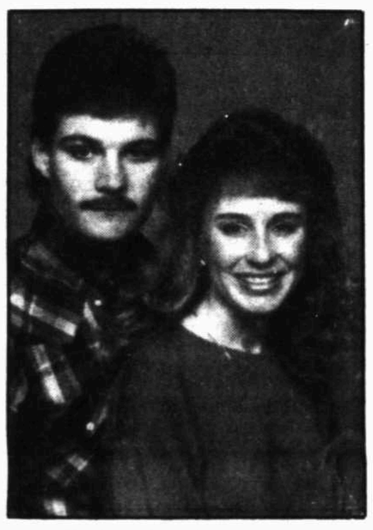


Susan L. Stafford and John R. Jeffus

JONES-CARTER

Kelley Kay Jones of Midland will become the bride of Royce E. Carter Jr. of Plano 7 p.m. June 4 at First Christian Church in Midland. The bride-elect is the daughter of Gene and Glenda Howard, and Loyd and Jan Jones, all of Midland. Parents of the future bridegroom are Royce and Vera Carter of Plano.

Miss Jones is a 1983 graduate of Midland High School and a 1987 graduate of Southwest Texas State University. She also attended Tarleton State University. She was previously employed with Texaco Inc. Her fiance graduated from Plano High School in 1982 and attended SWTSU and Tarleton State. He is employed with Carter Glassblowing in Plano.



Kelley Kay Jones and Royce E. Carter Jr.

LANDY-HICKS

Pamela Dawn Landy of Lubbock will become the bride of Jeffrey Steven Hicks of Carrollton 2:30 p.m. May 28 at First Presbyterian Church in Midland. The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Stephen Landy of Midland. Parents of the future bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Gus Hicks of Midland.

Miss Landy graduated from Texas Tech University. She was named an Outstanding Young Woman in America and was a member of Phi Theta Kappa honor fraternity. She is employed with TTU. Her fiance is a graduate of Lee High School and Texas Tech. He is employed with Philip Morris USA.



Pamela Dawn Landy and Jeffrey Steven Hicks

LANGE-OCHSNER

Leslie Elizabeth Lange and John Dorr Ochsner II, both of Midland, are planning to be married 6 p.m. May 21 at Trinity Presbyterian Church in Midland. The bride-to-be is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W.T. Lange Jr. of Sherman and Mrs. William Reardon of Trinidad. Parents of the future bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. John Dorr Ochsner of Midland.

Miss Lange graduated from Sherman High School and attended Grayson County College and Midland College. She is employed with Texas Instruments. Her fiance is a graduate of Lee High School and Texas Tech University. He is employed with Valero Natural Gas Company.



Leslie Elizabeth Lange and John Dorr Ochsner II

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All articles must be submitted in writing. Forms for weddings, engagements and anniversaries, only published Sundays, are available in the Lifestyle office. All materials must include the signature and telephone number of the person submitting them.

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Photographs may be submitted with wedding and engagement announcements, and anniversary announcements of 50 years or more, but are not required. A portrait of the bride-elect or of the future bride and bridegroom together may be submitted with engagement announcements. Portraits of the bride only or of the wedding couple may be submitted with wedding announcements. A different photo must be submitted for the engagement and wedding announcements.

Photos should be vertical, black and white, glossy finish, studio portraits. Studio color pictures may be submitted, but quality reproduction cannot be assured. Snapshots generally are not acceptable and Polaroid shots are not accepted. The MRT reserves the right to deny publication of any photo due to quality or content.

There is no charge for publication of photographs and stories.

BARTEE-CARR

Jamie Ruth Bartee of Frisco and Matt Cullen Carr of Midland are planning to be married 11 a.m. June 18 at First Baptist Church of Frisco. The bride-elect is the daughter of Jerry and Marilyn Biggerstaff of Chico and Jim Bartee of Springtown, and granddaughter of Edd and Sylvia Green of Madill, Okla., and the late Vernon and Nada Bartee. Parents of the future bridegroom are Leo and Judy Carr of Midland. His grandparents are O'de Warren of Groves and the late E.S. Warren Sr., and the late Anges and V.C. Carr.

Miss Bartee attended North Texas State University in Denton. She is a communications specialist with Southland Life Insurance Company in Plano. Her fiance graduated from Midland High School in 1981 and earned a bachelor of science degree in civil engineering from Texas A&M University. He is an engineering assistant with Texas State Department of Highways and Public Transportation in Denton.



Jamie Ruth Bartee and Matt Cullen Carr

WILLIAMS-ROBINSON

Tiffany Dawn Williams of Katy and Kirk Duane Robinson of Lubbock are planning a 7 p.m. June 24 wedding at First Baptist Church in Katy. The bride-to-be is the daughter of Terry and Connie Williams of Katy. Parents of the future bridegroom are Duane and Jeanette Robinson of Midland.

Miss Williams is a 1986 graduate of Katy High School who now is attending Texas Tech University in Lubbock. She is a member of Zeta Tau Alpha sorority and Collegiate FFA. Her fiance graduated from Crosbyton High School in 1980 and Texas Tech in 1986, where he earned a bachelor's degree in animal science and agriculture education. He is an agriculture education teacher.



Tiffany Dawn Williams and Kirk Duane Robinson

Symbol on coins

Copley News Service

The female figure Britannia, the symbol of the nation, has appeared on Britain's coins for more than 300 years.

Author describes impossible men

By MIKE DALE and CHUCK EDWARDS
Copley News Service

Is the man in your life a Mogul in His Own Time?

Or could he possibly be Mr. No Shame, No Gain?

This is not a game show. Those are the tongue-in-cheek terms author Linda Stasi uses to describe guys in her book "A Field Guide to Impossible Men."

She says an example of a famous personality who is a Mogul in His Own Time would be Mick Jagger. Another would be Billy Joel.

Those high-profile types falling into the Mr. No Shame, No Gain category would be John Davidson, John Denver and Robert Goulet.

Stasi says William F. Buckley is a Born to Bank kinda guy.

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Weddings

RICHARDSON-BAILEY

BOERNE — Caroline Ruth Richardson of San Antonio and Richard Todd Bailey of Killeen were married 7 p.m. April 2 in St. Mark's Presbyterian Church in Boerne. The Rev. David Meriwether officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Tiene Richardson of San Antonio and formerly of Midland, and the late Wayne Richardson. Parents of the bridegroom are Mrs. Douglas Riff of San Antonio and Dick Bailey of Attica, Kan.

Melinda Standefer of Dallas was matron of honor for her sister. Bridesmatrons were Elizabeth Ball, sister of the bride, and Melonye Richardson, both of Dallas. The bride was also attended by Stephanie Bailey of Jourdanton, niece of the bridegroom.

David Knight of Pleasanton served as best man. Groomsmen were Trey dela Moriniere and Bobby Kinsel, both of Pleasanton. Ushers were David Bailey of Jourdanton, Jeff Bailey of San Angelo and Phillip Bailey of San Antonio, all brothers of the bridegroom.



Mrs. Richard Todd Bailey

After a wedding trip to the Ozarks, the couple will live at Fort Hood in Killeen.

KERNAGHAN-RILEY

Kathleen Ann Kernaghan of Midland became the bride of Duncan Weeks Riley Jr. of Lincoln, N.H., Saturday at St. Ann's Catholic Church. The Rev. Clifford Blackburn of San Antonio officiated.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Gustaf Kernaghan of Midland. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Weeks Riley of Lincoln.

Mary Kernaghan of Denton and Patricia Kernaghan of Midland, sisters of the bride, were maid and maiden of honor. The bride also was attended by Mrs. Daniel Kernaghan of Gainesville, Robyn Riley of Allenstown, N.H., sister of the bridegroom, and Mrs. Richard Andrews of Lubbock.

Michael Morgan of Anchorage, Alaska, was best man. Groomsmen were Daniel Kernaghan of Gainesville, brother of the bride, Matthew Childs of Annapolis, Md., and Gregory Wolfe of Longview. Ushers were Peter Dillingham of Enid, Okla., and John Kernaghan of Midland, brother of the bride. Kevin Kernaghan, nephew of the bride, was ring bearer.



Mrs. Duncan Weeks Riley Jr.

After a honeymoon in Hawaii, the couple will live in Houston.

RUDD-HENDON

WICHITA FALLS — Michel Linette Rudd of Wichita Falls became the bride of George Dennis Hendon of Tulsa, Okla., 7:30 p.m. Saturday at Highland Heights Christian Church. The Rev. Clark Ford of Memorial Christian Church of Midland officiated.

Parents of the bride are Dr. and Mrs. James Rudd of Wichita Falls. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Hendon Jr. of Midland.

Mrs. David McReynolds of Midland was matron of honor. Beth Brown of Fort Worth was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Linda Domer of Wichita Falls and Ginny Owen of Fort Worth. Mrs. Kevin Mooney of Fort Worth was bridesmatron.

Scott McCurdy of Tulsa served as best man. Groomsmen were David Crawford of Irving, Mike McKinnon of Bethany, Okla., Wayne McPherson of Cortez, Colo., and Terry Rudd of Wichita Falls, brother of the bride. Ushers were Blaine Milstead of Wichita Falls, Kenneth Ford of Midland and Tom Wesling of Tulsa.



Mrs. George Dennis Hendon

Midland.

Following a wedding trip to Cancun, Mexico, the couple will live in Tulsa.

COLLINS-GAGE

DALLAS — Audelia Road Baptist Church in Dallas was the setting for the 2 p.m. Saturday wedding of Tamara Lyn Collins and Michael Thomas Gage, both of Dallas. The Rev. David Allan of Dallas and the Rev. Jimmie Pyles of Pineville, La., officiated.

Parents of the bride are Beverly Holmes of Midland and William C. Collins of Pueblo, Colo. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Gage of Katy.

Kim Salome of Waco was matron of honor for her sister. Bridesmatrons were Wendy O'Roarke of Carlisle, Mass., Charliss Rodgers of Midland and Lisa Chambers of Amarillo.

Thomas L. Gage of Katy served his son as best man. Groomsmen were Lyndel Hawkins of Woodlands, uncle of the bridegroom, and Allan Jacobs and Kent Go, both of Dallas. Ushers were Cameron Collins of Lubbock, brother of the bride, and Michael Hampshire of Dallas.

The couple will live in Garland.



Mrs. Michael Thomas Gage

KIRKPATRICK-LANE

Glenda Jeanette Kirkpatrick of Midland became the bride of Gary Shannon Lane, also of Midland, 7 p.m. Friday at Crestview Baptist Church. The Rev. P.J. Tyler officiated.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Roy S. Kirkpatrick of Midland. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gary O. Lane of Midland.

Vickie Kirkpatrick of Midland was maid of honor for her sister. Sandy Kirkpatrick of Midland served her sister as bridesmaid. Flower girl was Sarah Hicks of Lovington, N.M.

Gary O. Lane was best man for his son. Tracy Scott Sherman of Lubbock was groomsman. Ushers were Max Beasley of Odessa, uncle of the bridegroom, and Jim Rehders of Carrollton, uncle of the bride. Ring bearer was Keith Allen Hatfeild of Big Spring. The couple also was attended by James Rehders of Carrollton.

After honeymooning in Durango, Colo., the couple will live in Midland.



Mrs. Gary Shannon Lane

MADRY-WILLMON

Vonda Kay Madry of Midland became the bride of Will Willmon, also of Midland, 7:30 p.m. April 9 at Church of God. The Rev. M.R. Thomason officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. William R. Moffitt of Midland. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Eddy T. Willmon of Midland.

Tristy Cloe of Midland was maid of honor. Flower girl was Crystal Woolfolk of Midland, niece of the bridegroom.

Zeke Baker of Midland served as best man. Ushers were Steven Holt, John Ellis and Vance Thurman, all of Midland.

The couple lives in Midland.



Mrs. Will Willmon

BOSTICK-FRASIER-YARBOUGH

Tall City Baptist Church was the setting for the 4 p.m. March 26 wedding of Jimmie Lee Bostick-Frasier of Midland and Larry Yarbough. The Rev. Bill Simpson officiated.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Allen Z. Frazier of Midland. The bridegroom is the son of Betty Stevens of Longview.

Yvonne Johnston of Midland, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Bonnie Beckett and Brooke Bradford, both of Midland. K.C. Yarbough, daughter of the bridegroom, was flower girl.

Tim Yarbough of The Colony served his father as best man. Groomsmen were Israel Carrillo and Ronnie Wood, both of Midland. Ushers were Joey Frasier and Allen Frasier Jr., both of Austin and both brothers of the bride, and Shane Johnston of Midland.

The couple honeymooned in San Antonio.

Doug Page claims men get short end of stick in most divorce cases

By MIKE DALE
and CHUCK EDWARDS
Copley News Service

His motto is, "Divorce for Men Only." And he means it.

Northern California attorney Doug Page says he represents only men when it comes to divorce cases — not because he is a chauvinist pig, but because Page claims men end up with the short end of the stick in most divorce cases.

Divorced three times himself, Page says he is amazed at how often men get the shaft in the divorce court .

He cites one case in which a prominent doctor paid alimony and drug treatment money to his alcoholic ex-wife for 10 years.

Page says instead of taking the treatment money out of each month's alimony bill, the judge increased the alimony payment.

The former labor lawyer, who has been handling men-only since 1982, insists that he is not being discriminatory or that he is breaking any laws.

Since then, he says he has represented only two women. One of them was his daughter.

Few people know how to jump-start a heart

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Seventy percent of Americans know how to jump-start a car, but only 51 percent know cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR).

After almost ten years it's time to make it official... Elizabeth K. Mashburn, Will you marry me?



I Love You, Preston

Advising '80s women proves difficult

By KARLA PETERSON
Copley News Service

In her neat pin-striped suit and classic pearls, radio psychologist Dr. Toni Grant was the perfect picture of professional propriety. Except for the rose.

It was big and red. It emerged from the darkness of her right lapel like a silk firecracker. And it was starting to shake.

"I'm worried that I'm coming across with too much intensity," Grant said, leaning forward to better establish eye contact. "But it's a terribly important subject."

The dilemma that caused Grant to trade decorum for desire has to do with men. And women. And why, in the ever-enlightened '80s, the twain still can't manage to meet.

Grant thinks she knows why, and her theories rest between the rose-red covers of her new book, "Being a Woman: Fulfilling Your Femininity and Finding Love."

"My first reason for writing this book was personal," Grant said. "It's an intensely personal and passionate book. I have lived it."



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FAME AND fortune aside, Grant's life has had its share of Everywoman highs and lows. She attended Vassar College and received her master's and doctoral degrees in clinical psychology from Syracuse University. While in college, she married Dr. Neil Hollander, and she had two daughters. In 1975, at the height of the "Me Decade," she created the "Dr. Toni Grant Program," a syndicated radio phone-in show that allowed listeners to consult with the doctor in the comfort of their own homes.

Then, after 14 years of marriage, Grant and Hollander were divorced. And Grant and her listeners began to share a new set of problems.

"When I suddenly entered the singles world, I found the climate had changed. On a personal level, I became interested in what being a woman in the '80s really means."

On a professional level, she couldn't avoid it.

"In the late '70s, most of the questions I got from women had to do with work and how to make it in the man's workplace," Grant said. "But as we moved into the '80s, it seemed the temper of the times had changed. I rarely got questions on work matters. Women had made considerable impact in the workplace, and now the emphasis was on love."

OR THE lack of it. The anti-heroine of Grant's book is the amazon woman, a muscled creature who arose from the sexual turmoil of the '60s and '70s with a career and financial independence but without a satisfying relationship or the emotional savvy to get one. She can close a business deal with panache, but she can't open her heart.

There is hope, however, and for that we can thank Carl Jung. According to Grant, just as her problems began to mesh with those of the world at large, a colleague introduced her to the works of the Swiss psychologist. She was particularly struck by Jung's idea that, in order to be complete human beings, we must integrate both the male and female within.

Inspired by the theories of Jung and his associates, Grant postulated that the amazon woman's quest for power in the workplace and the world caused her to lose touch with her feminine side. As a result, she is an incomplete being who is not happy with herself or with the men she sees.

"Many women I talked to had devoted themselves to their careers. They had made their careers their first priority," Grant said. "Yes, they had affairs. The sexual revolution gave them permission to have affairs. But as I listened to one sad story after another, I wondered if the sexual revolution had really done us any good.

"They were having sex," she said with a sigh. "But they didn't appear to have love."

BUILDING A good relationship with a fellow human being is not a new idea, but in her battle for equal opportunity and extra orgasms, the amazon woman seems to have forgotten. It's a memory slip that works fine for men. Women, Grant said, are not so lucky.

"There is a plethora of books on why men won't commit. I think it's hilarious. Absolutely hilarious," Grant said. "Men won't commit because they are men. They don't have to. It's just that simple.

"Men are not on a biological clock. They don't feel the pressure to bond because they can bond and have children any time they want. Women feel a strong pressure to bond because they have to get their biological clocks going before 40."

The nagging tick of the biological clock is not the only difference between the sexes. In the first chapters of "Being a Woman," Grant divides the female psyche into four parts: Amazon, Mother, Madonna and Courtesan. Each represents a different facet of a woman's personality, and each needs to be recognized if a woman is to be truly whole.

Men, Grant said, aren't so multidimensional.

"They truly are unevolved," Grant said. "This book is a great revelation of how truly superior we are. I am stunned when people say this book patronizes women. I am totally prowoman. Women don't even grasp how highly evolved we are.

"What is a man's value?," Grant asked, a smile glinting in her brown eyes. "What good is he? He can't propagate the species.... Men have to prove their manhood every day. We don't have to prove anything."

THE BURDEN of proof may not rest with women, but the burden of change seems to rest on their shoulders. The task of integrating the nurturing Mother with the flirty Courtesan may seem like just another item on this year's To Do List, but Grant insists it can be managed.

"In 'Being a Woman,' I discuss how multifaceted women are. It is truly much harder to bring the male consciousness from the workplace into the home than it is to shift from the amazon mode into a more feminine mode. We have these drives within us, and when we fail to express these we cheat ourselves.

"I'm saying women should, for their own benefit, express all aspects of their personality. Femininity carries power."

To prove her point, Grant used what we'll call the "Dinner Theory." It involves a dinner at home, for which the man is quite late. The woman can respond in a number of ways, and in explaining her preference, Grant explained her position on life, love and the joy of "Being a Woman."

"A woman has a right to express her feelings. She may vent her spleen, but she scores no points in the world of love.... The powerful woman operating in a more loving modality takes care of her needs by eating without him. When he finally arrives, she greets him at the door with a smile.

"It's modeling. She shows him a positive pattern and gives him something to admire. When she gives him this loving attention, he is likely to respond with an apology instead of engaging in combat."

With that, Dr. Toni Grant settled back in her chair and rested her carefully manicured hands on the table in front of her.

"There," she said. "Isn't that better?"

Anniversaries

Couple celebrates 50 years together



Cecil and Syble Mackey

Cecil and Syble Mackey of Marble Falls were guests of honor at a family dinner party Saturday at Zentner's in Midland, in celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary.

Hosts were the couple's sons and their wives, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Mackey of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Mackey of Smyre and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mackey of Levelland

Mackey and the former Syble Grigg were married April 23, 1938, in Colorado City.

In addition to their three sons, they have five grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

The couple has lived in Colorado City, Eldorado and Levelland. Mackey retired from Amoco Pipeline in 1979, and the couple moved to Marble Falls-Highland Lakes area.

Reception honors couple's anniversary

Ernie and Camille Komyathy of Midland celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary with a reception Saturday at 3500 Douglas. Hostesses were Latrice Griffin of Odessa and Donna Tunell of Roswell, N.M.

Komyathy and the former Camille Higdon were married April 22, 1963, in Mexico. They have two children, Arlis Komyathy and Kristinia Komyathy.

Komyathy is employed with Midland Independent School District. His wife is employed with Shannon Animal Hospital.



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Only smiles ride rails of 'The Love Train'

Conductor Zeb Love has charge of piece of Texas track

By JIM BRADY

ABOARD THE LOVE TRAIN, Texas (AP) — Misery will have to find another way to get from Fort Worth to Texarkana, for only smiles ride these rails.

On this train, Zeb Love — the Love Conductor — has taken charge.

He has stopped the train to embrace an old lady and a little boy. When Christmas comes, Love disappears into a train compartment somewhere and Santa Claus takes his place, stopping the train at country crossings to give out goodies.

Ah, but the trip is in the riding.

"That train is like one big party once he gets on there," said Dan Sisson, a Fort Worth railroad regular. "If ever I go on a trip, you know how I'm going to go. I'm going on the Love Train."

Love makes kids giggle and grown-ups laugh, and he stretches a grin out of even the most sullen face. He takes away the blank-face mask every traveler wears, and reveals kindred spirits among people who might otherwise have been strangers.

"For the next 250 miles," Love tells his passengers the first chance he gets each run, "I want to make this just as special as we possibly can."

ON EVERY trip, six times a week, Love is a stand-up, walk-around comic with a five and a half-hour routine, a rolling P.T. Barnum with a Texas twang.

"Hi, Y'allll!" he trumpets as he charges into the back of each car. "I didn't hear somebody. I said, 'HI, Y'ALLLLL!' "

The chorus: "HIIIII!"

Love works his way up the aisles on the eastbound Amtrak No. 22 and westbound No. 21, greeting every passenger, young and old. From the moment he shakes hands and presents his calling card — a heart replaces the O in his name — they are aware this will be no ordinary train ride.

"Where're you goin'? Wisconsin! Got any cheese left up there?" he teases one rider. To a quiet, elderly woman, he says with a wink, "You're smilin' awful pretty."

Love puts on his own game show with prizes. He doles out pens and candy and trinkets that he stocks in his red goody bag. He stoops down to little girls and sorts through their pigtails.

"Let me find one that whistles," he says, then gives a tug and issues his trademark "Wooo-oo Wooooooo!"

He can look at the head of a kid or a grandma and fold his cardboard train hats to fit. "I always get it right," he says with a nod.

HE BLOWS up and bats balloons that bump unsuspecting children's heads with a pleasant surprise. He leads the cheer when the train passes his hometown, Mineola.

Love's 40th anniversary with railroading came and went April 7. At 64, he's eligible for retirement, but is not inclined to quit just yet.

When he began conducting passenger trains 14 years ago, it occurred to Love that a train ride needn't be uneventful. He decided there wasn't enough laughter in the world.

He began addressing his passengers with a big "Hi, Y'all!" at the beginning of each run and telling them he hoped the next 250 miles "will be the love train of your journey."

"If they're in a bad mood, nine chances out of 10 it'll change them," he says. "You'll see them light up. It's unreal, unbelievable how you can capture people with kindness.

"I think if I spread just a little love to someone each day, I've had a good day."

THE LOVE Train is only a segment on Amtrak's Chicago-to-San Antonio run, but the love has spread far beyond ends of the line. People hear the story or take the train by chance. Once they've encountered Zeb Love, there's no forgetting.

"When we booked this train three weeks ago, we were already thinking about him," said Jack Gehrke. He and his wife, Sharon, discovered the Love Conductor on the way from their home in Michigan to visit his daughter and grandchildren at Fort Hood.

"He's the friendliest guy we've ever seen on any transit system," Gehrke said.

"He's got a lot of love, and he shares it with everybody," Sharon Gehrke added. "I think people need a lot more of that today."

Love's spell takes effect even on the platform, when he hollers "Boooo-oooard!" and waves goodbye to the crowd.

"It's like he knew me all my life, and I just met him," said Evelyn Conboy, watching Love lead her friend Dolores Leisgang onto the train, arm-in-arm, at the station in Longview.

That stretch of the run through East Texas provides Love with material for the part of his show he savors: being the Texas tour guide. Love regularly addresses "my Yankee friends from Chicago" and sprinkles on the spice.

He picks up the intercom and talks about the oil days of Marshall and Longview — "You couldn't walk down the street without getting that black gold up to y' ankles!" Then he tells them the brewery now puts out 4.5 million gallons of brew — "psssssht! They send that up to my Yankee friends in Chicago."

Love makes them memorize the produce of Mineola and leads the cheer as the train passes it: "Watermelons, 'maters and 'taters!"

About 14 years ago, Love noticed an elderly woman who stood waving at the passing passenger train from her back yard in East Dallas. She always wore pink. She always came out to wave.

ONE DAY he threw open the door and, waving back to her with one hand and grabbing the public address in the other, announced Pinky and urged the whole trainload to "Give her a big Texas wave!"

Over the years he has thrown her goody bags filled with candy and trinkets. One time Pinky left a note at the station telling him she had two apple pies for him. Not only did he stop the train at her house on the next run, but he announced with relish why he stopped the train against all regulations.

"I love apple pie," he said, and the lounge car cheered.

This week he is telling passengers to wave goodbye to Pinky. He found out earlier that she is having trouble with Alzheimer's disease, and she's not able to make it far from her door. Next week, Love said, he will no longer direct attention to Pinky's little white house.

The Love Train and the conductor's routine have developed over time.

"These last few years, I've really poured my heart out to people," Love says. "Maybe it's my age. Close friends of mine have come up and died, and I've had dreams about them that were sad. Things have changed, you know. I haven't been a Christian too long."

By next year, Love figures he will be thinking seriously about giving up the rails and spending more time in Mineola. He still will be keeping in touch with people who have written to him and turned up at his home, people who enjoyed their ride on the Love Train.

'Love Tactics' offers loving how to tips for sweethearts

By MIKE DALE
and CHUCK EDWARDS
Copley News Service

If you expect to get the one you love to love you back, you had better stop wearing your heart on on your sleeve.

That's the word from human relations expert Tom McKnight, whose new book "Love Tactics" shows 46 ways to keep your sweetheart in love with you.

Some of them you already know: talk with confidence; relax; smile a lot; speak with enthusiasm; listen reflectively; say "I love you."

But some are most unusual, and that's where holding back comes in.

McKnight actually recommends that you understay your welcome, be unpredictable, use silence, break a date and show you care, but don't say it.

He says it's not manipulative to practice these techniques. Instead, McKnight claims emotions in relationships are complex, so it takes a range of behaviors to keep another person in tune with you.

McKnight says a good relationship is made of three parts: friendship, respect and passion.

Friends can hurt a happy marriage

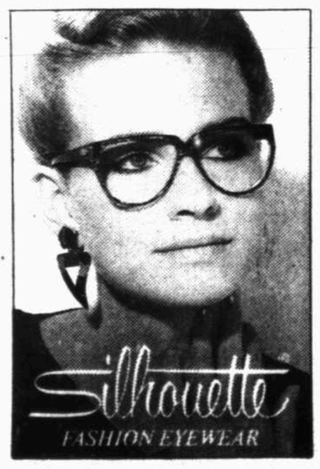
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It's good to have friends. Unless you're happily married. Then it can be a real drag, says Dr. Fran Dickson-Markman of the University of Colorado.

Her study of 25 married couples shows that close friends can threaten a marriage if one spouse feels excluded. That could lead to jealousy and distrust. On the other side of the coin, if the marriage is having problems, it's to your advantage to have a good friend by your side.

Dickson-Markman says close friends can help relieve some of the isolation that couples in troubled marriages feel. She says it's similar to discussing your life's woes with your hairdresser.

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Children's phobias usually fade away with maturity, time

FEARS and PHOBIAS

EDIOTR'S NOTE: This is the sixth in a nine part series.

By DENISE FORTINO

Between the ages of 3 and 6, a child's world is often filled with more than just ordinary people. Monsters, ghosts, ferocious animals and giant-sized insects may also make up his cast of characters, hiding under the bed or around dark corners in his room at night, and playing starring roles in his scariest dreams. Or he may develop an overwhelming dread of things that previously caused him no trouble — thunderstorms, water, dogs, the dark — or become terrified of going to school.

Whether they focus on imaginary creatures or real-life situations, fears at this vulnerable, tender age are every bit as intense and compelling as any adult's. While such feelings are normal and usually fade as a child matures and learns to reason, they occasionally linger on to become full-blown phobias.

IF A 10-year-old can't fall asleep unless all the lights are on, or still thinks a monster will gobble him up if he doesn't lock his bedroom door, he has a problem that warrants attention and possibly professional help. By contrast, a 5-year-old with the very same fears may just be going through a natural phase in his development.

"Children, particularly during their pre- and early-grade school years, are very concrete thinkers," explains Dr. Rita Underberg, a child psychologist and clinical associate professor of psychiatry at The University of Rochester, (N.Y.) Medical Center. When they are feeling uneasy, anxious, angry or aggressive, they have trouble articulating these feelings, of channeling them in an acceptable way.

So they may end up "pinning" them on something specific and plainly scary, such as a darkened room, an oversized animal or a phantom. Reasoning, scolding, making light of a child's fears, trying to coax him out of them or forcing him to face whatever he dreads can make matters worse since none of them gets to the bottom of his nameless, more general anxiety.

Before adolescence, phobias are more common in boys. One reason is that they may be less neurologically mature and emotionally adaptable than girls of the same age.

While childhood phobias almost always signal some unvoiced, underlying conflict, the exceptions are real traumatic experiences. For example, a child who was burned in a fire or bitten by a monstrous dog may be susceptible to a phobia. The same is true if he or a parent was seriously ill or hospitalized for any length of time. Such events may cause an already sensitive child to feel helpless, abandoned and inadequate — emotional states that are conducive to fear.

SCHOOL PHOBIA, extremely common in children from 5 to 8 years old, may stem from any one of myriad causes, says Dr. Debora Phillips, a behavior therapist in New York and Princeton, N.J. and assistant professor of clinical psychiatry at Temple University Medical School in Philadelphia. According to classical Freudian thinking, it is primarily a form of separation anxiety: a child fears leaving home because he thinks something will happen to his parents while he's away. However, as Dr. Phillips points out, he may also be afraid of authority figures at school, the "big staircase," unfamiliar surroundings, ridicule by other children or not measuring up academically, among other possible situations.

Sometimes, parents can unwittingly reinforce a fear by overindulging an anxious child's behavior — especially the rituals he adopts to feel more secure, says Dr. Underberg. Say a child insists that he cannot go to sleep unless lights are on and the parent stands right outside the door. If a parent agrees to everything the child demands, he or she will not do anything to dispel the underlying anxiety. Even worse, the parent's actions will suggest that the child does have a reason to be fearful, or that "dark is scary."

Instead, Dr. Underberg advises parents to try the following two-part response. First, empathize with your phobic child: acknowledge that he is afraid, tell him that you understand how he feels and encourage him to talk about what's troubling him. Assure him that you are around — in the next room or down the hall — if he needs you. But then tell him gently that in this house, the rule is all the lights are out when people sleep. Some compromise is okay, but set limits. Permit him to have one night light on in his room so that he won't stumble in the dark if he goes to the bathroom at night.

DR. UNDERBERG treated one boy who was afraid to let two vegetables, such as peas and carrots, touch each other in his dish, and insisted that they be kept separate. In fact, the boy feared losing control of events and people around him, and his seemingly silly mealtime ritual was his way of keeping things orderly and predictable.

At first, the parents did everything they could to comply with his wishes, and even gave him separate utensils, Dr. Underberg recalls. But no matter how much they did to accommodate him, his anxiety didn't subside. Also, by agreeing to his every whim, they told him in effect that he was right to feel so insecure.

The two-part approach proved far more effective. "Yes, we know how you feel and that you wish the peas and carrots wouldn't touch, but in this house we eat them together in the same dish," they said. By remaining reassuring but firm and matter-of-fact, they soon showed their son that nothing terrible would happen if he stopped his nightly practice. Dr. Underberg adds that, unlike adult phobias, those of childhood often clear up very quickly.

For school phobia, Dr. Phillips has found that "desensitization," or reducing a child's anxiety in easy stages, is highly successful. For example, a parent might sit in the classroom for most or part of the school day, or stay in a car outside a school window where he or she can be seen. This can taper off gradually as the child adjusts.

NEXT: Claustrophobia

Child's extreme fears can lead to anxiety

By DANIEL GOLEMAN
New York Times News Service

Most fears in a child's world are only natural for those who are small and helpless in a large and sometimes dangerous place.

But for some children, the fears are so pronounced that they may presage a lifelong vulnerability to chronic anxiety, according to new research reported in the current issue of Psychiatric Annals. And because these extreme fears can be debilitating, other experts say, more children should be treated for anxiety problems than currently receive such care, not only to provide immediate relief for the child but also because the problem can sometimes persist into adulthood if untreated.

Most children pass through periods of intense fearfulness at different ages, but these episodes typically end in a few weeks or months. The children in whom the fearfulness becomes a perpetual part of their lives, preventing them from normal play or school attendance, are in need of treatment.

Such therapy frequently involves counseling to reinforce the proper behavior or to help a child learn to deal with the fear. Drug therapies commonly used with adults have been used experimentally but are rarely prescribed.

"The first question to ask is if the fears a child has are normal for his age," said Kathy Sheehan, a psychologist at the University of South Florida College of Medicine, and one of the authors of the article in Psychiatric Annals. "Most children between 9 and 12 may have fears about school exams, getting hurt or how they look, for instance. But if the fears are so intense they keep the child from doing the things others his age do, then it is a serious emotional problem."

A recent random survey in Ontario, Canada, found that among children living in cities, about 6 percent of those from 4 to 11 years old were so fearful or anxious that they might need treatment. Among those 12 to 16, the figure was 2.5 percent. The survey involved 2,621 children. Of the troubled children, however, only 1 in 5 had ever received professional help, said Paul Links, a psychiatrist at McMasters University in Hamilton, Ontario, who did the survey.

In a study at the Harvard Medical School, 25 percent of adults with the pervasive fear agoraphobia reported that the problem began by age 20, most often with a fear of going to school or of being separated from their families. In addition, 4 percent of those with this fear of being in public places recalled having the problem before age 10 and some said they had it to some extent all their lives. The study was published in Comprehensive Psychiatry.

Citing this and other studies, Sheehan proposed that severe anxiety problems in children be seen as the early stirrings of the same disorders in adults, rather than as unique problems of childhood. Sheehan wrote the article in Psychiatric Annals with David Sheehan, her husband, and Kailie Shaw of the department of Psychiatry at the South Florida medical school.

The current psychiatric manual for diagnosis lists several varieties of anxiety problems in children, including anxiety about being apart from parents, fearfulness of strangers and being overly worried about potential calamities. But Sheehan argues that the many varieties are actually all part of a single syndrome.

The important distinction, she argues, is between levels of severity. In the more severe form, the child falls victim to several fears so intense they are disabling. The symptoms a child experiences are akin to aspects of panic attacks in adults, including a racing heart, dizzy spells, nausea or diarrhea attacks and trembling. These symptoms can occur suddenly, with little or no apparent reason.

In the less severe form, the child has a specific phobia, such as a dread of going to nursery school or to camp for the first time. The fear is related to a specific situation, rather than being pervasive, and it generally fades as time goes on.

"There's no need for a parent to worry if the fears last for just a few weeks," Sheehan said. "But if they persist for more than a month, and they keep the child from leading a normal life, then the child may benefit from therapy."

One of the most common forms of treatment for extreme fearfulness in children is cognitive-behavioral treatment, therapy that involves relaxation and changing self-defeating thoughts, which helps the child learn to master the feelings of fear.

"For children older than 9 or so, relaxation training with self-coaching works well," said Thomas Ollendick, a psychologist at the Virginia Polytechnic Institute in Blacksburg, Va., who has been studying the treatment of anxiety in children. "For those between 6 and 9, direct reward for doing what they're afraid of is the better approach."

He added, "Both approaches give the child a better sense of control over the situation."

In the self-coaching treatment used by Ollendick, children learn to talk themselves through anxiety-provoking situations by thinking about what they can do to make it less threatening. They might, for instance, take a deep breath or tell themselves that they will perform properly.

In the reward treatment, younger children are encouraged to be brave, and they are rewarded for staying in the situation they dread. If a child is afraid of staying in bed at night, for instance, he might track his nights of braveness on a calendar and earn a reward, like a model car, after attaining a certain number.

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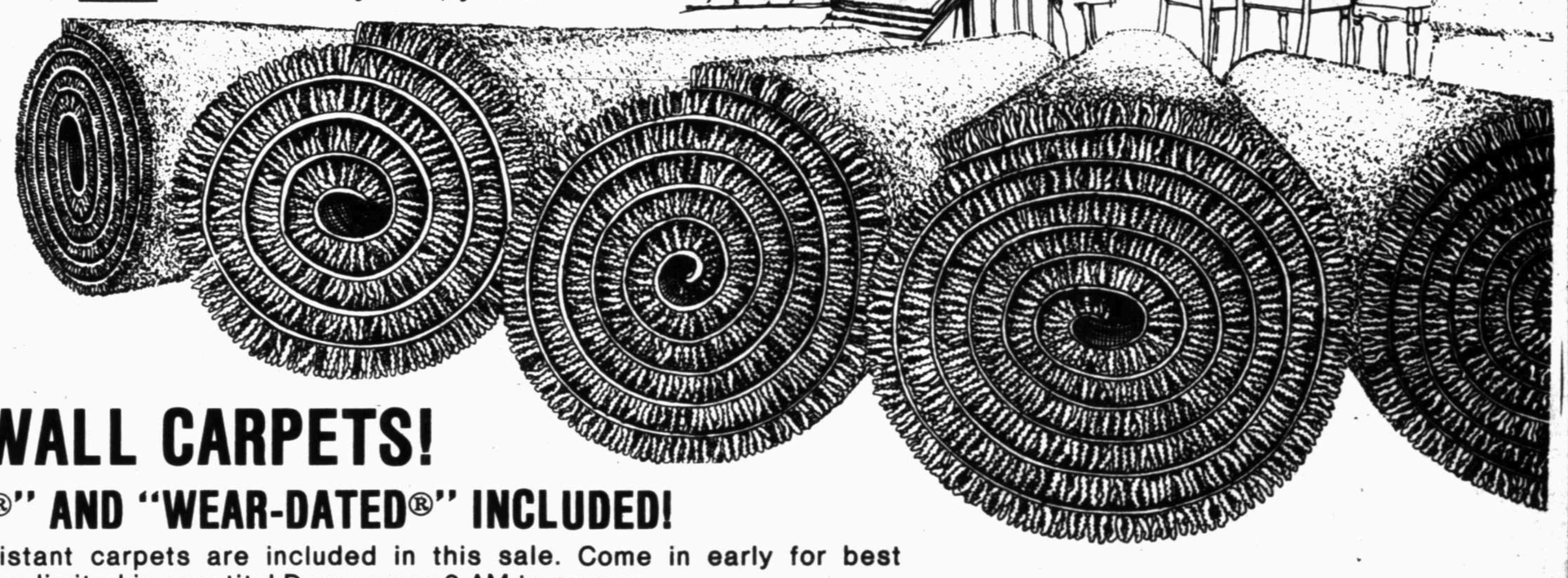
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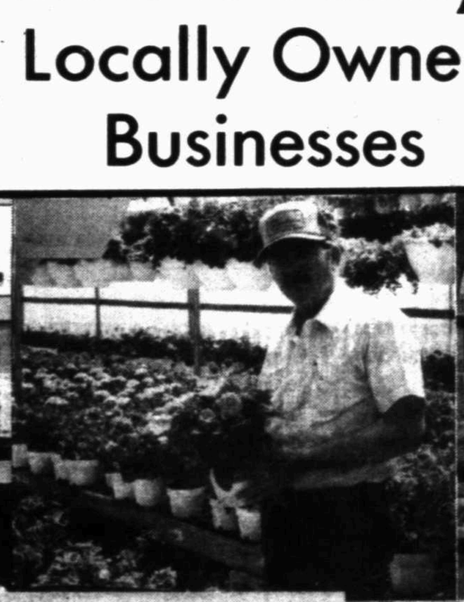






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Bob's Designs

105 N. Ft. Worth **687-2101**

Bob and Kathy Bradshaw, along with daughters Mandy and Tabitha, opened Bob's Designs on October 1, 1987. The business offers flowers, plants, silk flowers, balloon bouquets, wedding and party decorations, sympathy flowers, and both national and international wire service.

Bob Bradshaw decided to open his own business because, after having worked for other area florists in Midland since 1979, he wanted to bring his own design ideas and style to the public. With the help and encouragement of his friends and customers he opened Bob's Designs and has been enjoying rapid growth ever since.

He states that he is "eagerly anticipating becoming a solid business in the community that I love so much. Having grown up in the military I have lived all over the world and I've never seen a better city than Midland. I want my family and I to be a vital part of our community."

Bob feels that a family business allows the entrepreneur the opportunity to control his own destiny for his or her family by providing them with financial security as well as being able to give back to the community via additional jobs, merchandise and service. He also feels that being a stable part of a community helps ensure quality government and education by being a member of such groups as the Chamber of Commerce.



Kittiwake Furniture

3209 N. Midkiff **694-9588**

Charles and Earnestine Gillespie open Kittiwake Furniture in 1979 and their daughter, Debbie Hastings has been manager of the store since 1981. "Anyone can sell furniture, but at Kittiwake we sell customer satisfaction," stated Debbie Hastings. "We make every attempt to satisfy our customer's needs and desires. They are of utmost concern to us, especially during this economic time when business is difficult."

"Our goal at Kittiwake has always been to give our customer's the best value for their money. We strive to always keep out store filled with high style furniture, but doesn't mean they will have to pay high prices," explained Hastings. "We always stay updated with the furniture trends in both our upholstered goods and in wood furniture. Everyone wants their home to be stylish and Kittiwake tries to do that with price being utmost importance."

Hastings feels that a family owned business, more passion is involved. "Being able to voice opinions to your superiors is very important to me. As manager of the store, it has been necessary for me to say that things need to be done or changes need to be made."



Fancy Fans & Gifts

129 San Miguel Square **694-8203**

Matt Dennan and her daughter Nancy DRennan bought Fancy FAns in December, 1983. At the time it was mainly just a ceiling fan store with a little bit of brass, silk flowers and candles. The mother and daughter team greatly expanded the merchandise to include a wide selection of silk flower stems, bushes, plants and trees, and changed the name of the business to Fancy Fans and Gifts.

The Drennan's think of Fancy Fans and Gifts as a small specialty store-small enough to give personal attention when needed, yet large enough to carry a wide selection of different decorative accessories.

Matt and Jane keep up-to-date on the needs of their customers. They try hard to remember names and faces. Communication is important, and all of their employees are kept informed of what's happening.

The Drennan's work well together and have developed a pattern of work where they complement each other.



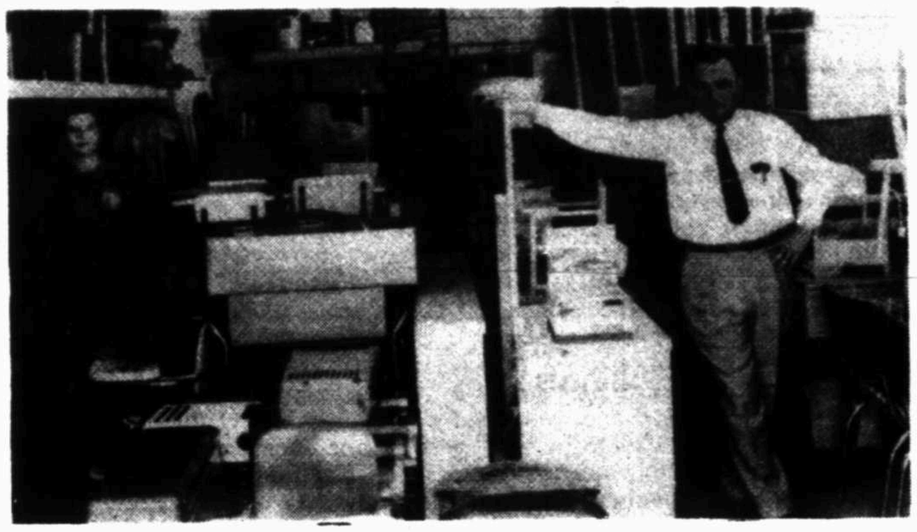
Miss Cayce's Store

La Villita Shopping Center **689-7192**

Miss Cayce's Store is a seasonal gift shop whose success is due to the involvement of the owner's, Becky Thompson and Kathy Harrison, family. "The success of our store is because we are sisters who are able to contribute our own talents and abilities to the operation of this business," said Kathy. "Our entire family has helps us out with the store. Our Mother has done a lot of babysitting and our Dad builds many of our display pieces. Our younger sister even works when she is home from college."

"We are a complete party store and carry a great selection of invitations, paper goods, balloons, favors and centerpieces for all types of parties," explained Becky. "We do all the buying for the store and work directly with the customers. Personal service is one of the biggest parts of our type of business."

The interior of Miss Cayce's looks different each time a customer comes in to shop because of new seasonal items. "We were originally a Christmas store until January of this year and definitely plan to continue doing Christmas as big as ever. We have expanded and are now carrying party goods, specialized children's gifts, stationary, specialty furniture, candles, silk flowers and greenery - all at great prices," said Kathy.





Matlock Furniture

805 S. Big Spring 683-4744

Matlock Furniture, Inc.has served Midland for 47 years. It's a family business involving Mr. and Mrs. T.M. Matlock, their daughter, Ann Matlock Hopkins, and her son, John Bob Hopkins. Donny Rains is also associated with the business.

Matlock Furniture offers a complete line of home furnishings. The staff strives to have kinds of furniture in stock--from large sectionals to small full-size sleepers--to accomodate all sizes of homes.

Making Matlock Furniture unique is the fact that some of the customers have been buying from the store for more than 40 years, and some buyers are even third generation customers. It's very satisfying for the Matlocks and their staff to sell merchandise to grandchildren of the original customers.

Matlock Furniture began as a used furniture store at 200 S. Main, and moved to its present location in 1956. Since then, the store has gone through five expansions, the largest in 1986. At that time, approximately 10,000 square feet of showroom and warehouse space was added.

Regarding the importance of family involvement in their business, the Matlocks said, "Many times you have to rely on each other heavily, and that gives you a special sense of pride."



Photography By Ronnie

4101 Pleasent Drive 689-8586

Originally started as a hobby for friends and family, Photography by Ronnie offers a variety of quality professional services and discount pricing. Owner Ronnie Hodges, his wife Linda, and son Jimmy Bledsoe specialize in portraits, weddings, commercial and industrial jobs. They are also experts on photographing pets, sports, school groups and events, family groups, portfolios, aerial activities and copy work. Post cards and greeting cards are also a specialty.

This family business was certified in July 1987 by the American Image Freelance Photographers Association. After studying to be a modeling consultant, Photography by Ronnie was certified in August 1987 by the International Freelance Models Association.

Family involvement has brought Ronnie, Linda and Jimmy closer together, affording them more quality time. They enjoy working with each other and this gives them the opportunity to learn more about themselves and their family.



Career Girl Sportwear

329 Dodson 682-1678

"We're a 'mom and pop' store and proud of it," said Career Girl of Midland's owners William C. "Bill" and Dorothy Rountree.

Career Girl has served the women of Midland for more than 35 years from the same location. The store offers fine quality fashions in a friendly and caring manner. This complete women's apparel specialty store includes dresses, coordinated sportswear, and separates in slacks, skirts, blouses, sweaters and jackets. Also, coats and furs, foundations, sleepwear and loungewear, handbags and accessories--all at reasonable prices.

Career Girl was founded in 1952 by Henry and Thelma Donohoo, and was bought by the Rountrees in 1975. The Rountrees came from a family women's clothing store operation in Waco, Temple and Austin, after twenty years of experience in the business.

"As a husband and wife team, we feel the experience and education each brings to the management of Career Girl creates an atmosphere of friendliness and helpfulness in truly serving the women of Midland that cannot be found in the impersonal ambience of a large mall store," said the Rountrees.

Carter's Furniture



501 E. Illinois 682-2843



On September 1, 1951, James and Elouise Carter opened their first store, Carter's Furniture. "Since that time, the business has moved twice, expanded six times and has added seven separate warehouses," explained Tim Carter, store owner. "My wife, Laura, and I became the store owners in 1986, and we are the third generation of Carter's in the furniture business. My father and mother still remain very active in our business."

Carter's Furniture is a full-service furniture store that offers name brand furniture for every room of the home. They have an excellent selection of furniture for your living room, dining room, and bedroom. Carter's also has a nice selection of patio furniture and bedding accessories.

Their current store has approximately 27,00 square feet of display space with 31,00 square feet of warehouse storage. "We have been located at our current building since 1960 and it has been remodeled several times and now includes over half of a city block," said Tim. "Carter's has been offering its customers name brand furniture at everyday low prices for 37 years. We also provide free delivery."

The Carter family "grew up in the furniture business." The family began their association in the furniture business when James father, J.W. Carter, opened Carter's Furniture in Big Spring many years ago.

La Casa Verde Garden Center

2615 Midland Drive N. 694-2563



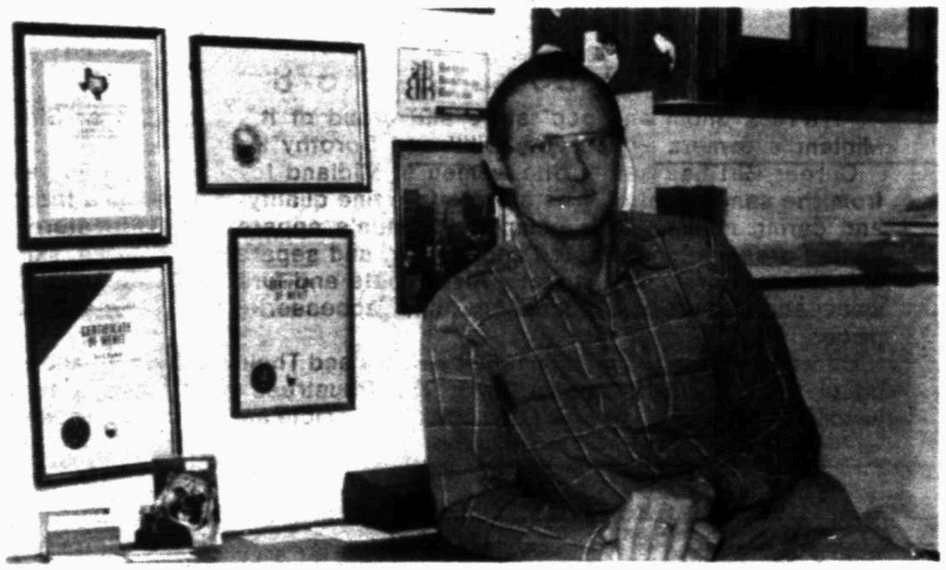
La Casa Verde Garden Center was founded in 1975 on two acres of land owned by Franklin Farrow. La Casa Verde is a complete retail nursery and garden center, featuring bedding plants, trees, shrubs, houseplants, hanging baskets, fertilizers, pesticides, pottery, soil conditioners, garden hardware (grass sod, seed and plugs), vegetable and flower seeds, and bulbs.

Russell Johnson, the present store manager and horticulturist, joined the staff in 1981. The business has undergone yearly expansion and major improvements each of the last six years, with the latest being the addition of a 6,000 square foot greenhouse and new paved parking lot with 30 additional parking places. Future plans are for another 3,000 square foot greenhouse at the present location and additional greenhouses at another location for growing bedding plants.

Franklin Farrow, who is President of La Casa Verde Garden Center, is joined by family members Virginia Farrow, Vice-President, and Coby Farrow, horticultural consultant.

Max's Studio of Photography

Rankin Hwy. 683-2143



Max and Joann Hutchins opened Max's Studio of Photography in 1976. The business specializes in wedding and portrait photography, the copying and restoration of old photos, portraits taken indoors or outdoors, in the home or in the studio...ladies portraits with the glamor-fashion flair-...children and pets.

Max's Studio of Photography, which is located 11/2 miles south of I-20 on Rankin Highway, has an acre of outdoor area offering the uniquenessd of outdoor environmental photos --however they will gladly come to your location.

Max and JoAnn Hutchins consider themselves to be a "Ma" and "Pa" operation. They work closely together and have served their customers continuously for 12 years. They are currently undergoing a remodeling and redecoration project to even better serve the needs of their customers.

Buddy's Flowers

1505 W. Wall Street 684-7418

Thomas Russell, Jr., and Ernestine Russell bought Buddy's Flowers in 1974, and four of their five children have been involved in the business at one time or another. Their youngest daughter, Paula Eberle, has been working at Buddy's for the past five years, and she is currently managing the business for her parents.

Since 1980 they have been a member of FTD's top 1000 Elite Group every year. Buddy's Flowers has been a strong business in Midland since the 1940's, and the Russell's are continually trying to serve Midland with new and innovative floral designs. They also provide Midlanders with a large selection of merchandise that will suit anyone's budget.

The Russell family feels that Buddy's Flowers is unique because of the family atmosphere that they share with all of their employees. That caring is projected through each of their employees and to all of their customers. They pride themselves in treating each order with a "special touch." The Russells feel that this love and caring is very important for a successful business to grow and to be a good contribution to Midland.

Buddy's Flowers is located at 1505 W. Wall Street.



Bob's Rental Center

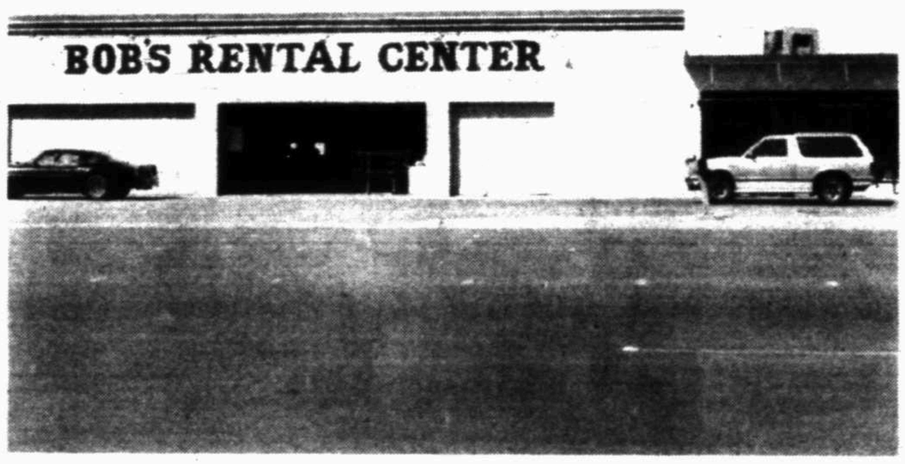
2700 Rankin Hwy. 685-1271
2909 N. Big Spring 684-8294

Bob Howle opened Bob's Rental Center Inc., in 1963 at 2909 N. Big Spring. The business, which offers a wide variety of items to rent or purchase, grew, and in 1979 a second location was opened at 2700 Rankin Highway.

Bob Howle, along with office manager Peggy Howle, north store manager Don Howle and assistant manager Barbara Ely continue to service the community to make available top quality products for both rental and sales. In 1973 they began carrying John Deere Consumer Products. Honda Power Products were added to the lineup in 1977, and recently the Troy-Bilt line was added.

Bob's Rental Center offers a complete line of John Deere Consumer Products, Honda and Troy-Bilt power equipment, portable chemical toilets, U-Cart Concret, and U-Haul Trucks and Trailers for the homeowner and light construction.

Family involvement in the business is considered important because everyone is aware of the importance of personal service and of product knowledge to better their service to the community.



Snowhite Cleaners & Laundry

303 S. Terrell 682-8617

Open in Midland since 1950, Snowhite Laundry and Cleaners and Linen Supply is the only family owned linen, dust control and uniform rental business left in West Texas. Owner Carriel E. Nipp and his son-in-law, Tom Segulia, oversee four Snowhite locations: 303 S. Terrell, 3306 N. Midkiff, 2410 W. Illinois and 2300 W. Wadley.

After its beginning as a laundry and dry cleaners, Snowhite expanded into the linen and uniform business. Currently, five linen routes serve West Texas, and one residential route serves Midland. Snowhite Laundry and Cleaners and Linen Supply provides approximately 80 jobs in the local economy, keeping West Texas money circulating here, and not in other parts of the country.

At Snowhite Laundry and Cleaners and Linen Supply, customers receive better quality and service because a family member is closely involved with every phase of the business.



Optics Unique

3001 W. Loop 250 N. 699-0030

Optics Unique emphasizes high quality optical care and friendly service by Dr. Bobby G. Ray, his wife Susan, and their professional staff. Located on Loop 250 North at Midland Plaza, next to Service Merchandise, Optics Unique has a very modern, high-tech office with one of the largest and most fashionable selections of frames in the area.

Optics Unique opened in the fall of 1981 at Plaza Center, and moved to its present location in November 1987. In addition to Dr. Ray and Susan, who is the office manager, other employees are optician Bobby Gandy and paraoptometric Fran Gandy.

Optometric Services include adult and children's exams and complete contact lens care. Optical goods include eyewear for the entire family, all prescriptions filled, sport and sunglasses and UV lenses and tints. Optics Unique specializes in Varilux no-line bifocals.





Doug's Baby Store

San Miguel Square **697-9890**

Doug's Baby Store, a f ily owned and operated business, is the largest of its kind in West Te s. With locations in San Miquel Square and Lubbock's Winchester ! uare (Doug's Small World), Doug's Baby Store offers baby furniture a accessories, juvenile furniture and toys.

Both stores are opera d by the Messer Brothers Corporation, including president Doug Messer, brother J.T. Messer, vice president, wife Vicki Messer, treasurer and sister-in-law Yvonne Messer, secretary. The Midland store opened in April 1984 with 2000 square feet and has been expanded to 8500 square feet. The Lubbock store opened in April 1987 with 6000 square feet and the Messer Brothers Corporation is always looking to expand to other markets.

Doug said a family business is not the easiest run business one can try. "There are some tense moments every once in awhile, but for the rest of the time, it's the only way to go. They care just as much as you do and for the most part just as long and as hard as you do."

Both stores employ family members, including Doug's mother, daughter and son, in addition to his sisters, nephews and nieces.



Castle Gap Jewelry

4410 N. Midkiff **697-8809**

Family members involved in Castle Gap Jewelry Company are: Founder and Chairman of the Board, Maxine Bennett; her son and his wife, Scotty and Charlotte Bennett; her daughter, Beverly Bennett Johnson; Beverly's son, Stephen; and Beverly's daughter, Paula. They currently own three stores -- one store in the Courtyard at Midland park, and two stores in Dallas, in Preston Center and in Northlake Shopping Center.

The original store opened in Dallas, December 13, 1974. For nine months prior to that Maxine and her son, Scotty, participated in shows in the Midland/Odessa area and in the Dallas area. The Midland store opened July 13, 1982, and the Northlake store in November, 1984.

The merchandise offered at Castle Gap Jewelry Company include 14K gold jewelry including a complete line of chains and bracelets; 14K rings with or without precious and semiprecious stones. West Texas' most complete selection of Sterling Silver including American Indian Handmade and Italian. Genuine stone beadware. Repair on 14K and Sterling Silver. Bead stringing and custom design and pearl knotting.



The Mole Hole

27 Plaza Center **683-7535**

Proud to be working as a mother-daughter team are Joy Porterfield and Julie Stewawrt of The Mole Hole. The Mole Hole is a gift shop filled with lots of "just right" items for any special occasion.

It's a family business at The Mole Hole, and Joy's husband John is also involved. The Mole Hole opened June 13, 1980. This shop is unique because of the special services offered to its customers--delivery, phone-in orders, free gift wrap and mailing. Joy and Julie feel like all of their customers are their friends.

Family involvement is important at The Mole Hole because of the Porterfield family's total commitment toward their goals. It means long, hard hours of work and a great deal of understanding between one another. They support each other totally in all aspects of their lives, creating strong family bonds. Joy said, "The enjoyment we have working together reflects to our customers, and we hope they enjoy coming to our shop because of it."



Malone Business

511 S. Main St. **682-8822**

Malone Business Systems, Inc., is a family owned and operated business, with John E. Malone, President, Robert W. Malone, Vice-President, and Ruby A. Malone, Secretary-Treasurer.

Malone Business Systems, Inc. sells and services office systems, small computers, copiers, calculators, facsimile machines, typewriters, word processors and dictation equipment.

The business was founded in 1967, which means that this is their twenty-third year of service to the people of Midland. They started with Sharp Electronic Calculators with the idea of expanding into a full line of office machines. They have reached this level and will continue to work toward handling larger computer systems.

The Malone family considers their business to be unique in that the rapid evolution of business machines because of the electronic chip continues to present a challenge to keep pace both in sales and service. They consider their business to be a people business. Mr. Malone, his wife and his two sons realize that they must treat their customers as they would like to be treated. This is their creed and all of the Malone family realizes this.

Mail Boxes Etc.

4706 N. Midkiff 699-6245

Mail Boxes Etc., USA, owned by Linda B. Green, is a complete "one stop" mailing business. Conveniently located at 4706 N. Midkiff #30, Mail Boxes Etc., USA handles mailing services, Western Union orders, facsimile transmission, telex services, stamps, box rentals, packaging and shipping.

Mail Boxes Etc., USA is a California-based franchise which started seven years ago, and it now has 700 stores located across the nation. It will be expanding into Canada and Japan soon. The Midland store opened November 1, 1986.

Linda says family involvement with Mail Boxes Etc., USA means pride in ownership and better service. Her aim is to please her customers and see to it that they are aware of her store's many services.



Sam Hollis Photography

102 South G 684-4343

Sam Hollis Photography was originally founded in 1959 in Andrews and was opened in Midland in October of 1968. Sam and his wife Billie, offer professional portraits of families, children, weddings, high school seniors, commercial, passports and special events.

"We cater to all income and social level patrons because of our high school senior portraits," explained Hollis. "Many of our family portraits are done in the customer's home and we have four outdoor portrait areas at the studio which make outdoor photography more convenient."

"Family members have an interest in and a dedication to the business which cannot be achieved through employees regardless of the salaries they receive or the time they spend. Since the success of the business directly affects the welfare of the family owners, the two become inseparable - one depends completely upon the other," Hollis added.

In the future, Sam Hollis Photography plans include a more active wedding program with additional photographers and will expand into Odessa for home sittings of families and childrens.



Modern Appliance

1107 N. Midkiff 697-7363

L&M Appliance Company, Inc. operates two stores in the Permian Basin that specialize in top quality major appliances. Modern Appliance, in Midland, and Good Housekeeping Shop, in Odessa, are both owned and operated by the Fred Leggett family.

"The operation of the two stores is handled solely by family members," explained Doug Leggett, manager of Modern Appliance. "Without our family, there would be no business."

"My father, Fred is president of the corporation and operates the Odessa store. My mother, Eileen is the corporate secretary/treasurer," explained Doug Leggett, manager of the Midland store. "My brother, Glenn helps out at both stores."

The Leggett family has been selling major appliances since 1976. These major appliances include built-in appliances, and Modern Appliance is currently Midland's only Kitchen Aid dealer. "We purchased the Good Housekeeping Shop in Midland in 1976 and sold it in 1980. The Odessa store was opened in 1977," said Doug. "We reopened a Midland store, Modern Appliance, in June of 1987."



Lanham's Nursery & Garden Center

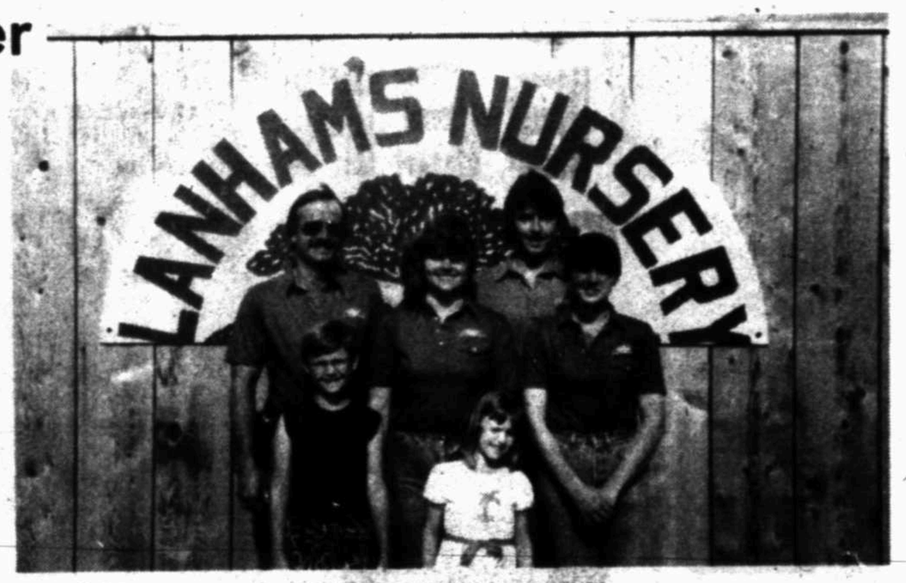
1402 Loop 250 W. 697-3345

Bob Lanham, whose parents, F.H. Lanham, Jr. and Doris Damron Lanham are Midland residents, was born and raised in Midland. He graduated from Lee High School in 1973 and from Texas Tech in 1978. Bob holds a B.S. Degree in Landscape Architecture and is a registered Landscape Architect by the State of Texas.

He opened Lanham Landscape Design and Construction in 1978, and the business grew into what is now Lanham's Nursery and Landscape Supply in November, 1985.

Bob's wife, Nancy Lanham is a native Odessan. She is a 1973 graduate of Permian High School, and is a major force in the family business by taking care of the bookkeeping and accounting, and also in helping out as a salesperson.

Lanham Nursery is operated by owners who care and by educated employees that can help solve all of your landscape problems. quality is the most important part of their business, and they say that at Lanham's "Quality always exceeds price!"





G. Bradford

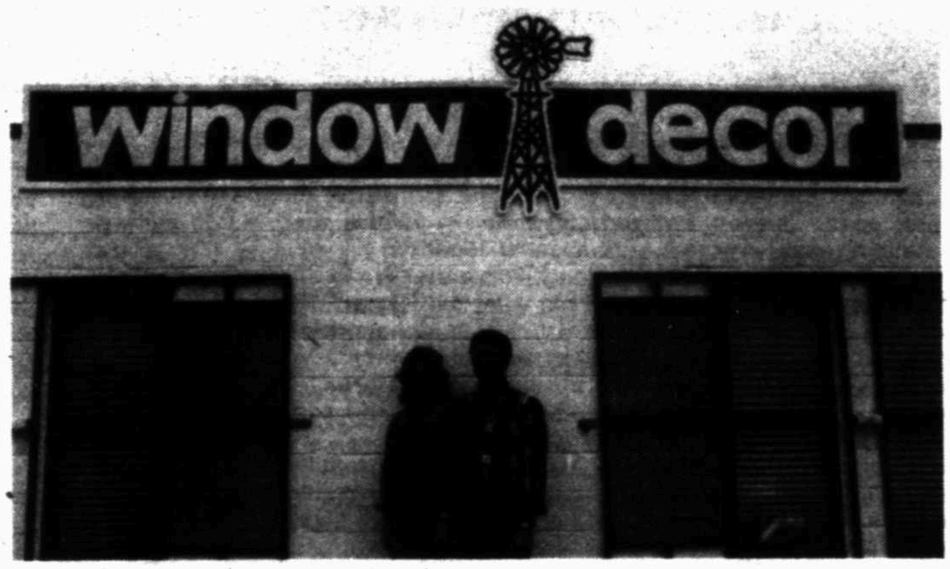
Claydesta Bank Bldg. Suite 1550 **683-4557**

During her senior year at Texas Tech University in Lubbock, Sharon Crouch, who was President of Texas Tech Fashion Board, and who had two previous years as their style show coordinator, decided to venture into her first retail endeavor. In 1982 she founded, in Lubbock, G. Bradford, a ladies specialty store, in a 1,000 square foot location. Upon graduation, she expanded the store to almost twice its original size. With a recent move to Midland she joined forces with her personal friend and business partner, Susie Burnett, long noted in the Midland area. This venturel, which includes a store in excess of I5,000 square feet in the ClayDesta Atrium, has offered both of these women the ability to pursue the goal of creating a first-rate, full-service ladies specialty store.

At G. Bradford's, a complete wardrobe is offered from casual daywear to your most elegant eveningwear, including an exclusive shoe department opening in September.

With the experience level of their management and staff that surpasses most medium-size retail stores, the staff of G. Bradford's has an acute awareness of the rapidly changing women's fashion industry. Also, they have an eye for the best quality and detail for their customers' dollars.

With both Susie and Sharon's families being involved in the Midland community for over 20 years, they felt in only proper for them to continue to invest their time, money and talent with the people of Midland, and the surrounding areas.



Window Decor

30-M W. Industrial Loop **685-0875**

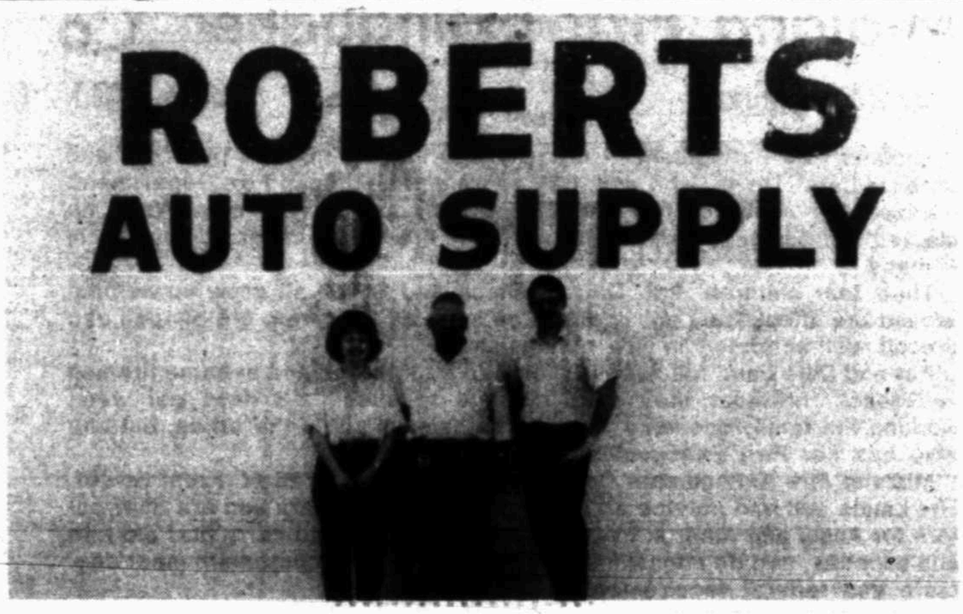
Ray and Austella Berry opened Window Decor on August 1, 1980, specializing in custom window coverings; mini blinds, vertical blinds, draperies, shutters and awnings.

The Berry's are proud of the fact that their business was started and is still operated by a husband and wife team that is dedicated to quality and service.

In the years since it has opened, Window Decor has grown to service most of West Texas and eastern New Mexico. They are currently expanding their area throughout Texas for custom shutters.

The Berry's feel that their daily involvement in all levels of the operation is an absolute necessity if quality is to be maintained.

Ray and Austella Berry invite everyone to visit their store at 30-M West Industrial Loop for the finest selection in shutters and the best local service.



Roberts Auto Supply

1003 E. Florida **683-4301**

In 1947 V.F. "Pat" Roberts began selling parts and service station supplies from a truck, while liing in Coahoma, Texas. The business, Roberts Auto Supply, moved to its present location of 1003 E. Florida Avenue in Midland in 1952. On January 1, 1961, Mr. Roberts passed the business on to his son, Troy Roberts. Troy added a full service machine shop to the operation in 1969. In 1976 the inventory space was doubled by the addition of a new retail storefront adjacent to the original location. Since October, 1987, Troy Roberts has reduced his involvement in the business to half-time.

With his eye on retirement, Troy has turned over operation of the business to his daughter, Ginger Roberts Hart and son-in-law, Bruce Hart. They believe that family management provides quick response and flexibility. The third generation management plans to continue providing Midland with the personal service that only a family-owned, locally headquartered business can provide.

Roberts Auto Supply and Machine Shop is the only parts store with a full service machine shop that offers a complete line of auto and pickup parts, and one stop service.



Houck's Jewelry

216 N. Main **684-4851**

The Shock family and their dedicated employees are pleased to carry on Houck's Jewelry's 40 year tradition of value and good service. Vernon and Annie Rose Shock, along with sons Danny and Jimmy, are a "we care family", offering standard jewelry store stock as well as custom work and repair.

Houck's Jewelry has operated in the downtown area for more than 40 years, and the Shock family intends to continue that long-standing tradition. Customers can feel confident that the values and traditions they have come to expect will be carried on in the future.



Dellwood/Fairmont Lanes

Dellwood Mall **697-7871**

5320 N. Loop 250 **689-9725**

Dellwood Lanes was founded April 15, 1976 when it was known as Air Park Lane Inc., and was located at 413 Air Park Road. In September, 1980 it became known as Dellwood Lanes.

Owned and operated by Emory, Peggy, Randy and Ilene Isenberg, Dellwood Lanes is a full service operation. They take care of all of the needs of league bowlers, providing league organization service, league record keeping, and league prize fund management. They also provide recreational services to adults, senior citizens, kids, day care centers, youth organizations, civic and charitable organizations. They have an excellent birthday program package, and free learn to bowl classes. Banquet and meeting space is also available.

New pinsetters and automatic scoring was added to Dellwood Lanes in February, 1982. In October, 1983 Fairmont Lanes was opened, and in April, 1987 Dellwood Lanes was remodeled.



Sundown Market

703 E. Front St. **683-6666**

In 1937 Viola and Herbert Powell opened a small retail grocery at 703 E. Front Street, named Powell's Cash Grocery. It was expanded in 1953 and was renamed Sundown Market. In 1972 the store was purchased by the Powell's sons, Charles, Pat and Lloyd, and in 1985 a new, 15,000 square foot building was erected at the same location.

Today, the Powell brothers, along with sister Nancy Reichert, nephey Chris Jackson and Robert Powell run what has become the largest home owned and operated independent grocery in Midland. Sundown Market is associated with Affiliated Foods of Amarillo, which is a retailer-owned grocery warehouse serving 570 stores in four states. This association allows the Powell family to give their customers the same products and services as the larger "chain stores."

Keeping the family involved in the business has resulted in the Powell family being able to pay more attention to the wants and needs of their customers. The family prides itself on their ability to give their customers more personal service.



Midland Fire Extinguisher Co

2726 W. Front **683-3781**

Midland Fire Extinguisher Company was started in 1965 by Doyle and Barbara Land. Doyle, who spent 30 years in the Midland Fire Department, realized the need for fire extinguishers throughout the city. When he started the business there were no other fire extinguisher companies in Midland.

Their four children, Pat, Dale, Melissa and Steve all grew up helping around the shop. They got licensed as soon as they were old enough and are all well-schooled in fire extinguishers.

Pat and Dale Land followed in their dad's footsteps and became firemen in Odessa, however they stildl manage to spend 2-3 days per week working the family business. Melissa helps mom out in the office, but she also has her Fire Extinguisher Service License.

Midland Fire Extinguisher Company is located at 2726 W. Front Street. The Lands sell and service all types of fire extinguishers and are distributors for Ansul and Amerex fire extinguishers. They also carry first aid kits and supplies, and do annual inspections to help their customers meet city, state and federal requirements.

Ryan Tax & Bookkeeping

3325 W. Wadley Suite 106 **699-2517**



Margaret P. Ryan opened the office of Ryan Tax and Bookkeeping Service on January 1, 1988. The business is located at La Villita Executive Suites, 3325 W. Wadley, Suite 106.

Ryan Tax and Bookkeeping specializes in tax return preparation -- individual, corporate, p/s, trust, estate -- as well as bookkeeping, financial planning, small business counseling and quarterly reports (payroll, sales, franchise).

On the importance of family involvement with one's business, Ms. Ryan stated that "Although my children are not directly involved in my business at this time, having my own business has helped to make them more aware of the business world: dealing with people, decisions to be made, sacrifices to be made, satisfaction with goals attained."

Ryan Tax and Bookkeeping Service prides itself on personal attention, reasonable rates, and free pick up and delivery for bookkeeping clients. The phone number is 699.2517.

Mid-Tex Auto Sales

1607 W. Florida **683-6664**



The Cockerell family does its best to serve the public with good quality cars and trucks.

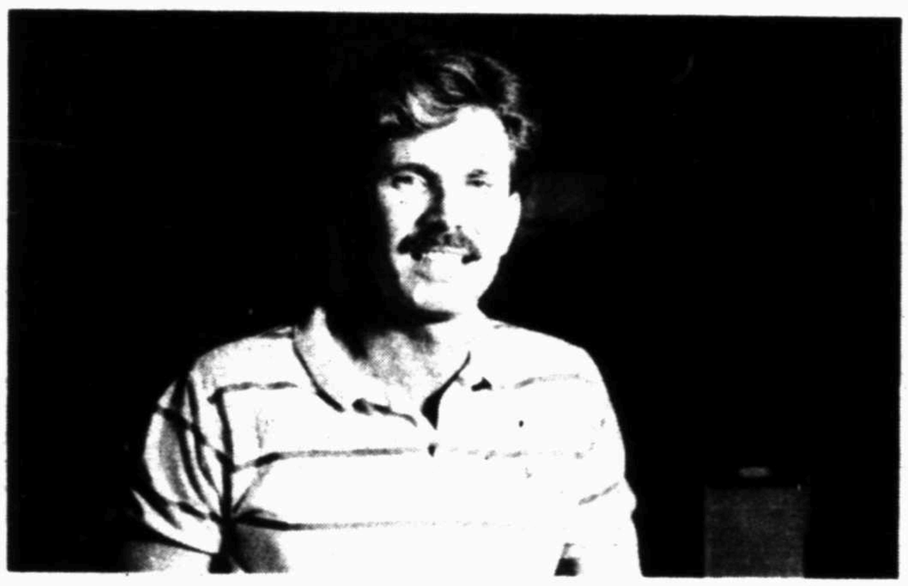
Founded in 1979, Mid-Tex Auto Sales, 1607 West Florida, is truly a family-owned and operated business. Father Jerry, mother Janette, daughter Janet and grand-daughter Misti Dawn Cockerell believe that their customers come first. Besides cars and trucks, Mid-Tex Auto Sales also offers good quality trailers and campers. They finance some of their cars and pickups, and bank financing is also available.

The Cockerell family loves their work. They have a lot of fun working together, and along with business they work, they barbecue, and they play.

The Cockerell's claim that the importance in family members working together in a business not only grows mutual trust and respect for each other, bit it also is reflected in the total approach to their customers.

Collections of R. Jackson Morgan

6 Desta Drive **684-8507**



Collections of R. Jackson Morgan specializes in new and antique furnishings and unique home accessories. Owned by Ron Morgan, this shop stocks such well-known names as Nambe, Austin Productions, Fitz and Floyd, Towle, Orrefors, Val St. Lambert, Sabino and Royal Doulton.

Designer art is also a specialty of R. Jackson Morgan with works by well-known Taos artist Allen Polt, and by the late Charles Berninghaus. There is also an in-house custom frame shop and interior design consultation. This service offers a wide variety of fabaic samples and carries Nettle Creek designer fabrics.

R. Jackson Morgan customers can start with a design consultation and can finish out a room or house down to the last detail in a comfortable and un-stuffy fashion. Offered is an extensive collection of items not available anywhere else in this area. Items from Europe and the Soviet Union, in addition to one of a kind antique pieces are available.

R. Jackson Morgan was founded as a partnership three years ago in the Colondade Shopping Center.

Cristiani's Jewelers

203 W. Wall **683-4411**



Offering personalized service and complete watch and jewelry repair, Cristiani's Jewelers is a downtown family business. Cristiani's specializes in fine jewelry, diamonds, wedding rings, Rolex, Concord, Omega and Piaget watches. Also in stock is a complete selection of gold and diamond necklaces, bracelets, rings, pins and pearls, in addition to custom jewelry manufacturing.

Involved in the business are Michael Cristiani, David Cristiani and Sheldon Millsap. Michael moved to Midland in 1942 and worked for Vosatko's Jewelers for more than 20 years. He opened his own store in Wall Towers West in 1970. Son David returned to Midland in 1979 and became involved in the business. Sheldon began working parttime while a high school student in 1972. He has worked for Cristiani's since then, except for the time he spent attending college.

Family involvement is important at Crisitani's Jewelers. Jewelry is purchased usually for meaningful occasions and the buyer can feel confident he or she is receivng a good value from a reliable jeweler in the community.

Southwestern Bell Mobile Systems

P.O. Box 6247 563-4611

Southwestern Bell Mobile Systems heralded a new age in telecommunications for the Midland/Odessa and surrounding Permian Basin areas on December 3, 1987 with the official grand opening of its offices located between Midland and Odessa.

The Midland/Odessa expansion continues Southwestern Bell Mobile Systems commitment to West Texas. In 1987, Southwestern Bell Mobile systems also turned on Cellular networks in Amarillo, Lubbock and Abilene.

Midland/Odessa represents important markets for Cellular mobile phone service. There has been a very strong acceptance of their service in the Permian Basin. Cellular technology provides phone service of far greater capacity and better transmission quality than traditional mobile phone service. Customers can dial local or long distance calls directly -- and receive calls from any point as well -- without operator assistance. A car phone is a revolutionary business tool that lets people accomplish more, save time and stay in touch with customers, suppliers and other key contacts. Southwestern Bell Mobvile Systems is proud to offer such a great productivity advantage to the Permian Basin.

In addition to the Midland/Odessa network, Southwestern Bell Mobile Systems built and operates Cellular Systems in Dallas, Fort Worth, Sherman-Dennison, San Antonio, Brownsville, McAllen, Corpus Christi, Oklahoma City, Kansas City, St. Joseph, Wichita, and St. Louis. With the 1987 acquisition of Metromedia Cellular properties, Southwestern Bell Mobile Systems now operates Cellular Systems in Chicago, Baltimore, Washington, D.C., Gary, Indiana, Boston and Worcester, Massachusetts.

Future plans will include applying for Rural Service licenses to expand existing coverage, eventually linking all cellular cities.

Southwestern Bell Mobile Systems is the largest provider of cellular service in Texas and the United States. Southwestern Bell Mobile Systems is the technological leader in the cellular industry. Our office is locally operated and offers complete one-stop shopping with sales, installation, service center and customer service.

Cellular is the new dimension in telephone communications. Southwestern Bell Mobile Systems is dedicated to our customers in the Permian Basin and has a long term commitment to providing service in West Texas.

Southwestern Bell Mobile Systems offers an entire line of in-car phones, transportable phones and hand held portable phones. We invite you to come by and visit our showroom and make a cellular phone call and get the Southwestern Bell Mobile Systems Cellular Advantage!



Fast Photo Service, Inc.

3102 W. Cuthbert 699-5041

James and Adeline Otterness have owned Fast Photo Service, Inc., since it was founded in December, 1980. The business was originally located in Town & Country Shopping Center, but it moved to 3102 W. Cuthbert in February, 1987.

Fast Photo Service, Inc., is the original one hour photo lab in Midland, with all related photo finishing services. They have the only one day internegative service to make prints from slides, and they also have the only "front projection" portrait studio in West Texas. Some of the other services offered at FAst Photo Service is one hour photo finishing, enlargements, slides, slides to prints, photo business cards, passport photos, portraits, and cameras, films and accessories. The Portrait Studio will open on April 25, 1988, and will offer 300 backgrounds with proofs in one hour, and finished packages in one day. Fast Photo will be one of the few in the United States able to provide this service.

Gary Gibson has been the store manager since 1987. The employees are all local, and profits from the business remain in the Midland community. The business enables Rev. Otterness to be the pastor of Our Savior's Lutheran Church in Midland without a salary.



JMA Commercial Services

20 Barry Road 694-3146

JMA Commercial Services, Inc. was established three years ago for the purpose of serving customers in the Midland/Odessa area with services that were needed even though the overall economy was in a downturn.

James Milton Allen, James Myers Allen and Adela L. Allen specialize in commercial mowing and shredding, residential land maintenance, providing top soil and calichem welding, hauling and minot auto repairs. They also offer bookkeeping and tax services, secretarial and notary public services.

They consider their business to be unique in that they have the ability to diversify to meet certain demands dictated by the changing times in the economy of the Permian Basin.

Future plans are to continue serving their customers as they have done in the past and to add additional services to meet their customers' demands as they feel the need arises.

Family involvement in the business is instrumental in keeping a closer knit famly and having the flexibility to change the business aspect readily as needed.

JMA Commercial Services, Inc., is located at 20 Barry Road.







Kent Distributors

Loop 250 & Midkiff 563-1620

Kent Oil, Inc. operates 17 KENT KWIK convenience stores and several car washes in Midland, Odessa, nadrews, Monahans, and Big Lake. Kent Lubrication Centers operates 10 quick oil change service centers in Midland, Odessa, Big Spring and San Angelo. Bill Kent, President, noted that his organization is continuing to look at upgrading and remodeling some of the properties, and also plans to expand outside the West Texas area.

This family owned enterprise began in october 1957 when E. L. "Buck" Kent, through Wickett Refining Company, bought the former Reed Oil Company & Reed Distributing Co. of Big Spring. Reed operated roughly twenty seven service stations in West Texas.

Buck had worked for Wickett Refining Company, just outside of Monahans, since the mid-1930's and worked his way up from traffic clerk to salesman and finally to President and a major stockholder of the company. Wickett Refining Company was later sold and Buck concentrated his efforts solely on the Reed acquisition while changing the names to Kent Oil, Inc. and Kent Distributors, Inc.

Over a 20 year period Kent Oil grew in the service station business, and in the early 1970's operated about 75 locations throughout West Texas. In 1975, under the management of Jim Kent, Buck's oldest son, Kent Oil branched out into the convenience store business and closed many of its outdated service stations. Meanwhile, Kent Distributors, Inc. operated a successful wholesale petroleum marketing company which continues today.

In 1977 the Kent family organized Kent Lubrication Centers and began operating the area's first quick oil change centers. In recent years Kent Lube moved into the San Angelo market, where it operates three locations.

Bill Kent joined the family business on a full-time basis following graduation from Arizona State University in 1978. He served as Executive Vice President until Buck's retirement in late 1984. Bill bought 100 percent ownership in Kent Oil, Inc. and Kent Distributors, Inc. on Nov. 1, 1984.

Bill Kent attributes the company's success to his good management team. These include Arthur Sparks, Vice President of Operations; Art Burk, Merchandising Manager; Rodney Sargent, Director of Operations, convenience stores; Andy Salcedo, Director of Education; Jerry Larned, President of Kent Lubrication Centers; Bill Burge, Director of car washes; Bennett Robb, Contyroller & Treasurer; Ted Bevers, Sales Manager, Wholesale Accounts; and Bobby Barrett, Director of Maintenance.

To better serve its customers, Kent Oil, Inc. offers its own credit card, and has recently started accepting Phillips 66 credit cards at three branded locations and Diamond Shamrock cards at seven other locations. This locally owned family business continues to explore ways to improve and expand while striving to offer excellent customer service.



Shoe Corner

3001 W. Loop 250 N. 694-8625

Dick and Shirley Clutter of Shoe Corner believe in extending personal service to their customers. Owners of Shoe Corner since May 1987, they opened the store on August 15 of that year. Shoe Corner specializes in ladies shoes, boots, cosmetics, purses, belts, hose, sneaker bows and laces. Name brand shoes available at Shoe Corner are Connie, Soft Spots and Avia aerobics.

Shoe Corner offers a 10% senior citizen discount, a new cosmetic line, and will gladly special order any of their merchandise. The Clutters feel that family involvement means more concern and care for their customers. At Shoe Corner, the emphasis is put on service to the customer, unlike other stores who are owned by non-residents. Personal service is the one common item that most people appreciate sincerely.



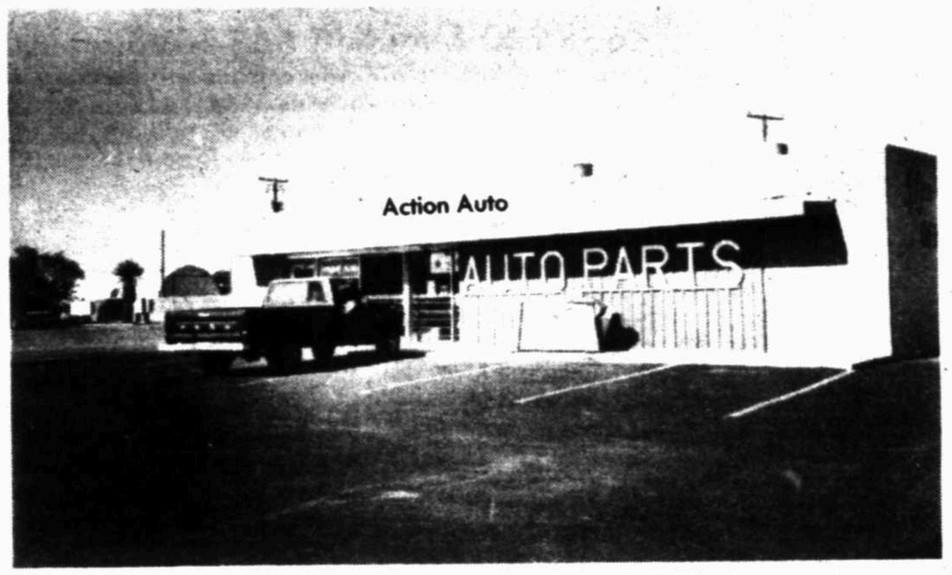
Lee Reese Discount TV & Appliances

900 S. Garfield 683-4741

Lee Reese Discount TV and Appliances is family owned and operated by Lee and Nita Reese. They purchased the business in 1958 from the Cox family. In stock are appliances and electronics by Maytag, Kitchen Aid, Amana, Zenith, Gibson In Sinkerator and Admiral.

The Reeses feel their business is unique because of their demand to sell the most dependable merchandise on the market. They stock parts most commonly used for all brands of appliances and they try to help do-it-yourselfers over the counter and over the phone. The Reeses have a checklist of important factors they use when selecting a brand name product to sell. This consists of the manufacturers' dedication to their product, the dealers and the consumers. "If it is not good enough for all three involved, it is not good enough for us," said Lee and Nita.

"We both try to run the business by 'The Golden Rule' plus a few more miles. Please come to see us with a smile. We love Midlanders," they emphasized.



1000 S. Big Spring



2714 W. Wall

Hargrove Automotive

801 Johnston — 683-1672

Hargrove Automotive Supply was founded in 1943 by Doss Hargrove. His son, Don Hargrove, acquired the business from his father in 1962. Don later formed Action Auto Supply, Inc., as the jobber retail division of Hargrove Auto Supply, Inc. Action Auto Supply now has three stores in Midland. It has the largest auto parts inventory in Midland and it is open 7 days a week to serve you.

Action Rebuilders, the starter and alternator remanufacturing division, remanufactures foreign, domestic and industrial units that are sold throughout West Texas and New Mexico. These starters and alternators are totally disassembled and each part is reconditioned and tested or else replaced with new parts. They do custom work and usually have it back to you the next day, or they can exchange most units from their large inventory on the spot.

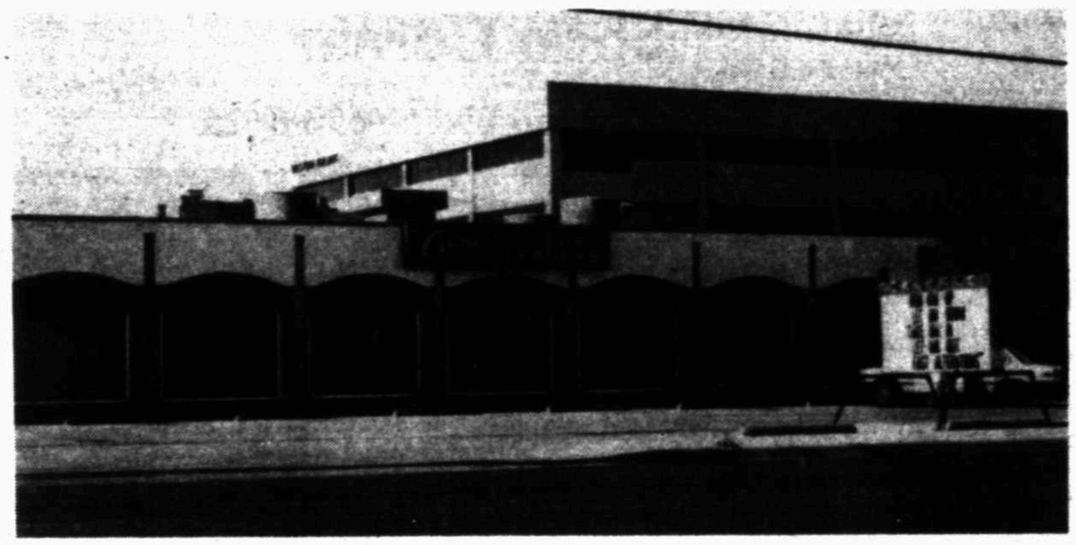
Action Auto carries the most complete coverage of leading brands of auto parts: AC Delco, Remy, Fram, Gates, Monroe, Raybestos, Standard Ing., and the budget priced "Roadpro" brand, which meets or exceeds the original equipment manufacturer's specifications at a lower cost to you.

At Action Auto, their pledge is to serve you with the best quality at reasonable prices from their very experienced personnel and their large inventory.

And remember -- when you trade with Action Auto Supply, all of the money stays here, in the Midland economy. None of it goes to a chain store headquarters.



1600 W. Front



Comet Cleaners

2606 N. Midland Drive — 699-6053
3108 W. Cuthbert — 689-9723
W. Scharbauer & North A — 682-6094

Comet Cleaners, owned and operated by Billie Jo Corbell and her family, are located on North Midland Drive, West Cuthbert and North "A" Street in Midland. Dry cleaning and laundry service is the primary interest of their business, as well as Sack's Boutique, whcih is a consignment resale shop for the whole family.

In addition, the North A street location features packaging and shipping of any type of gift or package and gift wrapping. In the business of dry cleaning and laundry, the most important thing thay have to offer their clients is service. When the bottom line is a clean pair of socks or a pressed blouse, it is difficult to measure success by quality alone,so they must rely on customer satisfacttion as well as the quality of the product.

One of the more unusual elements of the business is the fact that Billie Jo Corbell owns and operates the local chain with the help of her brother, Jim "Tuffy" Wilson, and her mother, Lou, who runs Sack's Boutique.



Graham's Rexall Pharmacy

319 Dodson — 684-0569

Graham's RExall Pharmacy is unique in that if offers old-fashioned, friendly service from two pharmacists and their wives. Now owned and oeprated by Paul and Ellen Keele and Wes and Doris Graham, it originally opened as Fowler Rexall Drug in 1953. Purchased by Price and Gladys Crawley in 1954, the business operated as Price Crawley Rexall Drug until 1977. The pharmacy portion was sold to Paul Keele in 1979. It was known as Price Crawley Drug and Graham's Pharmacy until 1982 when Paul Keele and Wesley Graham purchased the drug store portion from the Crawleys, becoming owners of both the pharmacy and the drugstore.

With the help of a part-time pharmacist, Teresa Hartman, and a host of helpful, friendly employees, the Keele's and the Graham's operate the store, which features one of the very few soda fountains left in the state.

The two families feel that the retail business, when operated correctly, is very time consuming, and a pharmacy puts the owner on 24-hour call. With the two families involved, each cooperating unselfishly and courteously to each other, as well as customers, the business has thrived and has been blessed through good times and hard times equally.

General Service and Supply

309 S. Terrell 682-6621



General Service and Supply Company is owned by C.E. Nipp and P.J. Martinez. "We're like a big family here," said P.J., "and we extend that feeling to our customers." Specializing in heating, air conditioning and boiler service, General Service and Supply Company is an authorized Carrier dealer. Sales, service, parts and supplies for heating and cooling needs are all in stock. One day service is available.

General Service and Supply has been serving Midland since 1958, and the owners have been involved with it for the past 20 years. Many of the employees have been on staff for 20 years.

"We treat everything we sell and service as if it was our own," P.J. explained, adding, "we try to treat all of our custoemrs like family members." Staff members include P.J., Ralph Flores, Reuben Rodriquez, Salvador Bela, JoAnn Perez and Juan Garcia.

Eliot's Interiors

2305 W. Michigan 682-0588



Eliot's was founded in 1948 by George Eliot. John L. Cottier began woirking as a designer with the company in 1956. In 1962 Eliot's moved from its location on Andrews Highway to its present location at 2305 W. Michigan.

Donald "Doc" Cottier and Jon L. Cottier purchased the business from George and Anna May Eliot in january, 1971. Mr. Cottier died in December of that year, and John L. Cottier operated the business from then until her death in March, 1987, when the business passed to their son, Montgomery Cottier, a long-time designer.

Currently, Eliot's employs two designers, Joan R. Dalton and pam Clifton, and has expanded showroom space, furniture stock and business hours, with the shop now opening on Saturday's from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Eliot's Interiors offers a complete residential and commercial interior design -- floor and wall coverings, furniture, lamps, accessories and window treatments.

Eliot's strives to tailor each job to the customer's taste and budget. No job is too large or too small. The design staff at Eliot's lives up to their motto, "Good taste need cost no more." All of their work is guaranteed.

Lewellen Construction

Cty. Rd. 130 563-4520



Bill Lewellen started in the siding business as an installer in 1976 in Portland, Oregon, and continued to pursue the trade upon moving to Midland in 1982. Bill, and his wife Joan work as a team managing the business they hope will succeed them and perpetuate their efforts into the future.

Lewellen Construction Co., located on County Road 130 off Rankin Highway provides maintenance-free siding and trim, storm and re;acement windows and doors, patios and carports.

Since locating in Midland in 1982, their business has increased each year in spite of a depressed economy. Bill has wroked in every aspect of the business, from installation to sales to management. He knows good workmanship and he requires excellence and integrity in every area.

Bill and John Lewellen work the business full-time. Their children, Traacie and Christine help out whenever possible. Son David worked for the business previously, but he's presently in the Army.

The Lewellen's feel that involvement of other famoy members in the busines s helps to maintain family goals and to achieve standards for the company through pride of ownership.

Nix Trading Post

601 E. Illinois 682-4092



Tom Nix founded Nix Trading Post in 1941, and at the time it was located on Main Street. Thomas D. Nix bought the store from his father in 1949. During the early years it truly was a "trading post" dealing in army surplus, used furniture and miscellaneous items. Mr. NBix turned the store from used merchandise to new items in the early 1970's. Even though the merchandise changed, the name of the store was left the same as everybody knew the store as "Nix".

Current owners Scott and Deborah Vaughan believe that customer service is the top order of business to compliment their stock of everything from new army goods, housewares, furniture, hardware, commercial cook wares, camping equipment, and many other items. They consider their business unique because not only is it one of the older businesses in Midland, but they still consult with Thomas D. and Joyce Nix, the previous owners. The Vaughan's prefer the 'one-on-one' relationship with their customers -- they try to answer their customers' questions, and they also give their customers as much information as they can on the product that they are buying.



Goode's Plumbing

37 Lavera Drive 682-8071

Goode Plumbing was founded by Frank Goode in 1944. There has been contyinuous service by the Goode's since that time. Kenneth Goode began working for his Dad in 1952, then went into business in 1970 after his Dad retired. Kenneth was born in Midland and plans to stay here. He will be serving the plumbing needs of his customers until his retirement, at which time his son, Mike, will probably assume the business. Mike has been working for Kenneth since 1971. Another employee, Joe, has been working for him for the past 10 years.

Kenneth, Betty and Mike Goode operate Kenneth Goode Plumbing Co., and they offer all types of plumbing fixtures, water heaters, gas, water and sewer line installation, drain service, heating and evaporative air conditioning service.

The importance of family involvement it the fact that they will strive harder to do a good job, so the customer will be satisfied and will call again for their services when needed.

Stop in and see the Goode's at 37 LaVera Drive (Route 4) or give them a call at 682-8071. Of course, their work is guaranteed.



Ornamental Shop

4003 W. Wall 694-8331

Jack Boyce and his family began The Ornamental Shop in 1951 during a slump in the construction business. It was the first shop in West Texas for wrought iron products, and is still a main source for homeowners and builders alike. Prior to the shop's founding, Ft. Worth was the closest outlet for wrought iron items.

Truly a family enterprise, sons Don, David and Dan grew up in the business. Dan still works with his father. The Ornamental Shop was a good place for the Boyce family to work together and train the children in a skill. The Boyce children were active in sports, but always found time to help out.

The Ornamental Shop manufactures all types of wrought iron, awnings, carports, pation covers and a variety of other covers. Also for sale are storm windows, a variety of ornamental security guards, bars, doors, rails, gates and fences.



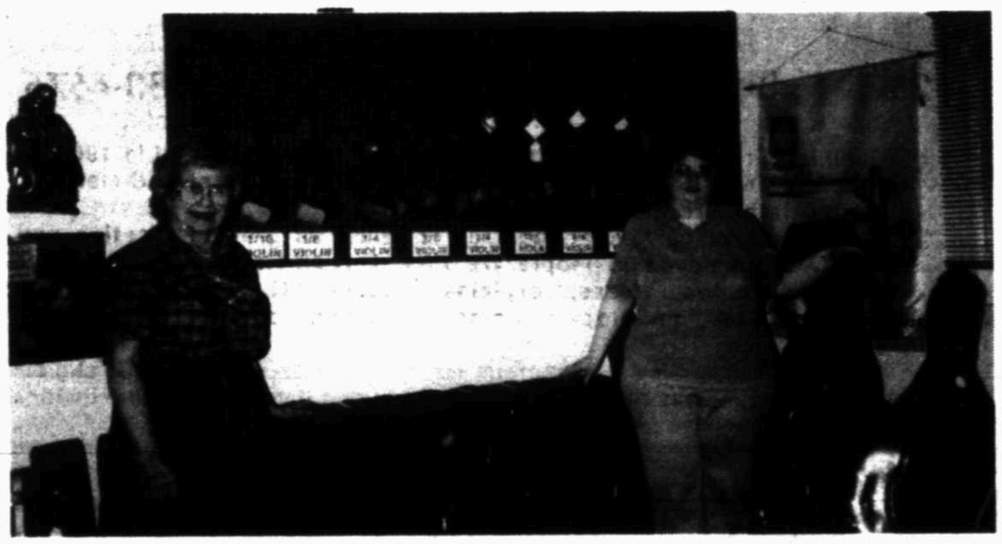
Twin Oaks Grocery

Rt. 3, 480 Cotton Flat Rd. 687-6337

Steven A. Walker, owner of Twin Oaks Grocery, said his motto is to provide fast, friendly service and guarantees this type of service everyday. Family business is important to Walker because the money spent stays in Midland, therefore supporting the local tax base.

Founded on January 7, 1985, Twin Oaks Grocery is located on Cotton Flat Road, south of Interstate 20. Twin Oaks specializes in groceries and general merchandise.

Walker has been involved in the retail business for 18 years and said, "I plan to continue to provide quality customer service and a friendly attitude to all of the good people who shop at Twin Oaks Grocery."



Waltrip Music Center

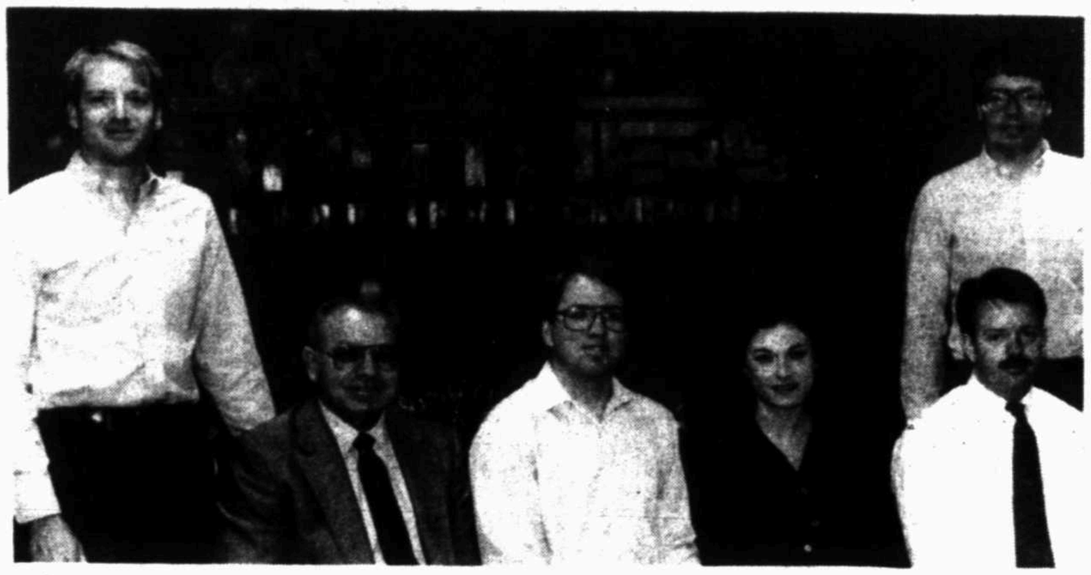
807 N. Midkiff 694-7524

Waltrip Music Center started in business in 1965 at 2314 W. Ohio, selling popular sheet music, piano methods, other books, etc., as well as Yamaha pianos and organs.

During 1970-73 the Waltrip's operated the Yamaha Music School for children aged 4 to 6. Their oldest grandson, Charlie Harris, developed his love of music there.

In 1975 the Waltrip's moved their business to its present locationat 807b N. Midkiff, and moved themselves into an apartment there. They no longer carried pianos and organs, but Earl Waltrip kept busy with sales, rental and service of the string instruments. He also gave a limited number of piano lessons to adults using the chord approach. Ophelia Waltrip helped her husband out, but her own department of sheet music and method books kept her busy.

In February 1978, after 58 years as a music merchant, Earl retired from active participation, due to health reasons. Their daughter, C.J. has become more active in the business, taking over the many tasks her father di of restoring old and rent violins, fitting bridges, installing new strings, etc.



Brothers Production Company

682-2516

Brothers Production Company is a family owned and operated independent oil and gas producer. It consists of the partnership Jack McGraw, a petroleum engineer, and Dale Brown, a Certified Public Accountant. Other McGraws involved in the business are Kyle and Scott, petroleum engineers, Travis, a geologist, Tom, an accountant, and Scott's wife Connie, secretary/receptionist.

Brothers Production Company was founded in 1981, and since then, all of the McGraw family has become associated with the firm. The goal is to look for all opportunitites to continue to grow through drilling and purchasing production. Brothers is unique because so many family members run the business, and they all have a good relationship with one another.

In this business, the family is very involved. Because each person performs a specific job, the company would not be able to function without them. There is much more of a feeling of teamwork and comradery.



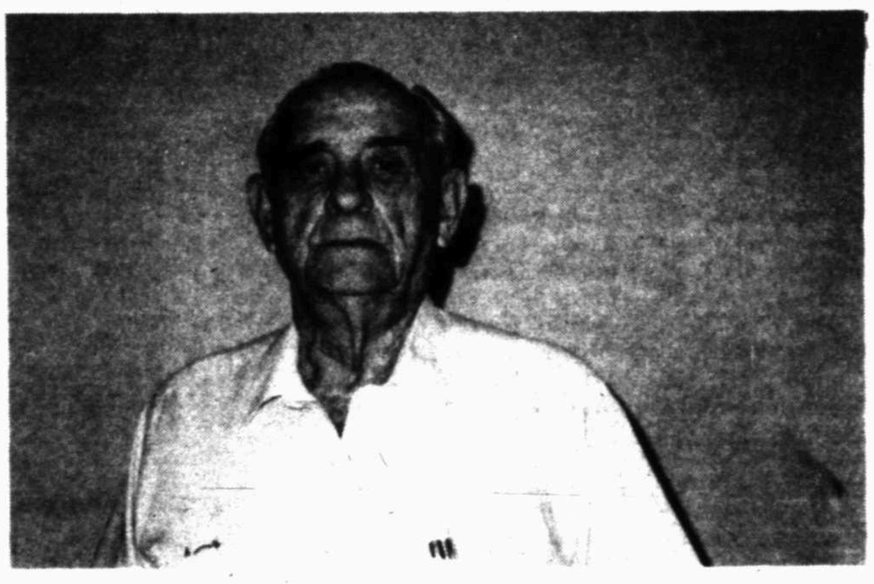
Miz B's Books

402 Kent 682-5618

Miz B's Books is owned and operated by Terry and Sherry Dummer and their daughter, Dana Madsen. Having purchased the business in July 1983, the Dummer family offers more than 100,000 used paperback and hardback books, along with attention to individual and personal service.

Making Miz B's Books unique is the fact that this type of business has hard-to-find merchandise, such as out of print books. The Dummers plan to increase their stock of books and to continue to cater to individuals and their needs. Miz B's Books specializes in friendly service, and say that their store is a fun place to come and visit.

Because Miz B's Books is a family business in which the Dummers invest much of their time and energy, they feel it is the type of place which other families will want to come and visit.



Doc Miller Pest Control

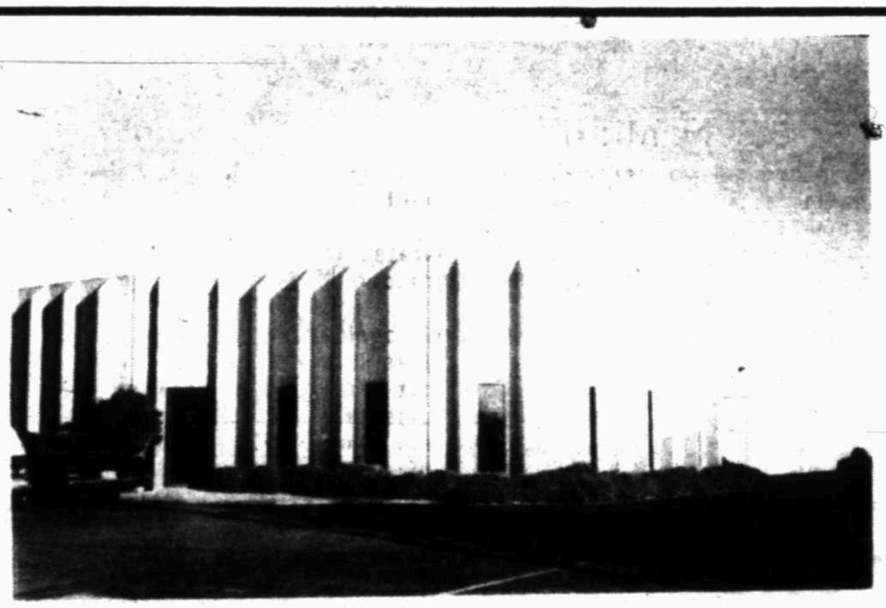
3914 Roosevelt 694-2888

Doc Miller Pest Control has served Midland since 1979. Doc has been a Midland resident since 1933, and has been involved in the pest control business for 31 years. As an employee of another company in Midland, Doc gained invaluable experience which he now utilizes in his own family business.

Involved are Doc, as consultant, his wife, who answers the phone and makes appointments, and his son John, as control technician. Doc Miller Pest Control specializes in service to homes, industrial and commercial businesses. A member of the Texas Pest Control Association and the Midland Board of Realtors, Doc Miller has the experience to fight roaches, weevils, fleas, ticks, scorpions and many other crawling insects. He specializes in odorless extermination.

Doc Miller sees a lot of repeat business because of the personal service he gives to his customers and friends, who in turn tell their friends to call him.

Doc Miller Pest Control can come out for one application, or can be scheduled for monthly or quarterly visits.



Qualified Printers

2803 N. Big Spring 683-4676

Qualified Printers, a complete printing service, was opened in 1964 by Johnny and Doris Rhoden. Mike Rhoden became the owner and manager when his father retired in 1986.

"The business has expanded four times at its present location and currently we employee 25 people. We offer many services, from quick print work to four color process," explained Rhoden. "Qualified also carries business cards, envelopes, computer forms, checks, books and brochures."

Qualified Printers has the latest equipment and experienced, skilled personnel. "Our staff insures that each job is one time and with the quality that our customers expect from us," said Rhoden.

The Rhodens, and now their son Mike, have always taken a personal, hands on approach to all aspects of their business. For 24 years, the Rhodens have taken pride in the service and professionalism they offer their customers.



Permian Court Reporters

309 N. Grant 561-5300 9806 La Force Blvd. 563-5740

Jerry and Loretta Lancaster have been in the court reporting business in the Midland-Odessa area since 1969, with Jerry being the official reporter for the 142nd District Court for 13 years.

In 1974, they created the firm of Permian Court Reporters, employing one reporter and renting a small office across from the Courthouse. Jerry and Loretta allowed the firm to grow as rapidly as possible, never turning down work, and covering courts and depositions all over the Permian Basin from Pecos to Sonora.

Today the firm has 16 reporters, with offices in Midland and Odessa. All of the reporters are actually self-employed, independent contractors, working on a commission basis with the firm. The work is assigned to the reporters according to who has the least backlog.

In addition to taking court depositions and written interrogatories, we issue and serve subpoenas, take depositions by videotape, duplicate videotapes and do demonstrative evidence by videotape such as a day-in-the-life of an injured person.

The Lancasters enjoy the togetherness of working in a family business. They also feel that as a family owned business, they can provide an extra measure of personal service and attention to their customers.



Wells Boot City

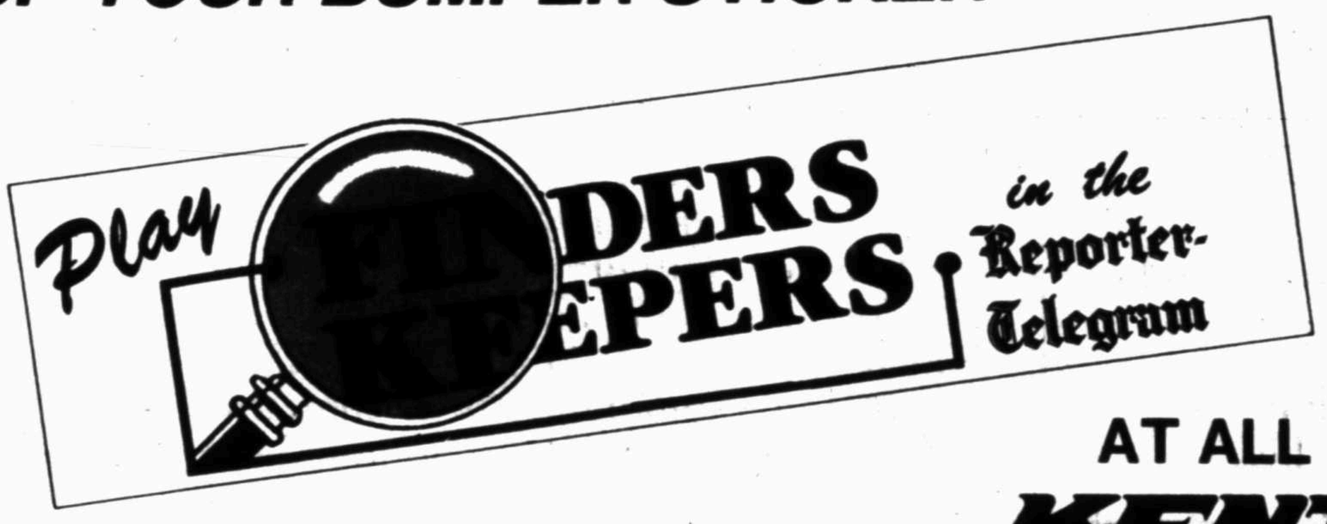
805 S. Midkiff 694-5522

Wells Boot City is a family western wear store owned by Jakie and Sandra Wells. Originally owned by Jakie's parents, Roy and Ruby, Wells Boot City was founded in November 1976. All of the store's employees have been associated with the Wells' from three and a half to seven years.

Wells Boot City is a one stop shop for western wear needs, stocking items for everyone from little ones' sizes to extra large. The selection includes boots, jeans, blouses, shirts, belt buckles, ties, suits, dresses, hats, western greeting cards and gifts. Alterations are done five days a week.

Family involvement is important to the owners of Wells Boot City. "Being a family business, you have a personal contact with your customers," said Jakie. "You are doing business with local people who support your city and state as you do by paying taxes and by being active in community affairs. Family businesses must give good service to keep old customers coming back and new ones coming in."

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Knorr Furniture

15 Plaza Center **682-1683**



Knorr furniture was established in Midland in 1951, by Charles Knorr, Sr. Mr. Knorr brought his son Charles Knorr, Jr. into the family business in 1971. The Knorr's beli3ved that by carrying the finest home furnishings available, they could serve their Midland clients in many areas from commercial to residential projects. In 1983, Mr. Knorr retired and the decision was made to sell the business. Mr. Knorr sought the McKelvy family as aprospectivbe buyer for his business, based on their successful family business in Lubbock. On September 1, 1983, Knorr Furniture became a wholly owned subsidiary of McKelvy's Furniture, Inc.

Robert H. McKelvy, Sr. assumed control of the Knorr operation until his son Robert H. McKelvy, Jr. was appointed President in 1984. The McKelvy family has been involved in the retail furniture business for 75 years. J.M. McKelvy founded the first family store in Memphis, Texas (Hall County) in 1919. Rob McKelvy is carrying on the family tradition by being involved in the furniture industry and the community. He has 22 years experience, from warehouse, to office, to administration.

Mr. McKelvy, Jr. is past district Director of the Southwest Homefurnishings Association, and has served on numerous committees from conventions to communications. He has been active in the Midland Chamber of Commerce, serving as chairman of the Retail Committee for '87 and chairman of the M-Squad for 1986-87. McKelvy's Furniture, Inc. has expanded to its own trucking line, headed up by Kevin McKelvey, and most recently, the addition of a distribution warehouse in Lubbock that will serve other furniture retailers and designer in the West Texas area.

Knorr has the largest selection of fine homefurnishings in West Texas. They are geared for large commercial design projects as well as residential projects. They also have a homefurnishings source library, which features over 1,500 manufacturers.

"I think that we share many ideas as a family about our business. There is such a wealth of knowledge with two generations still active in our business, and my grandfather who still has input even though he is retired," says McKelvy.

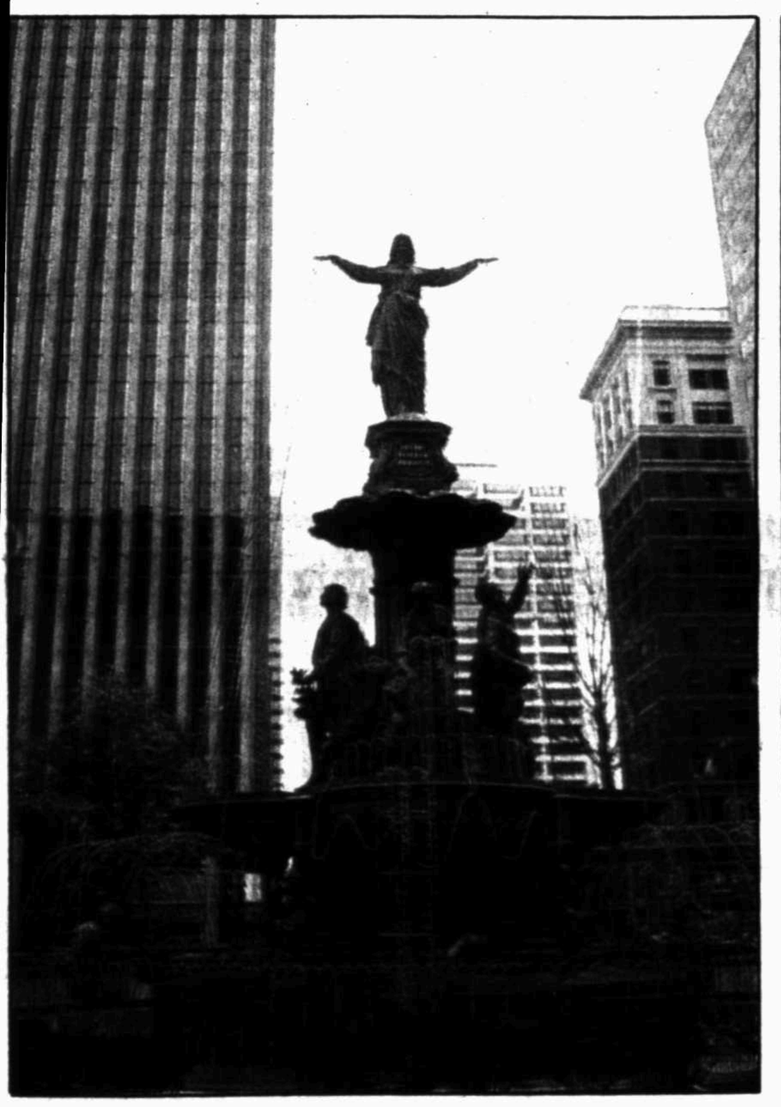
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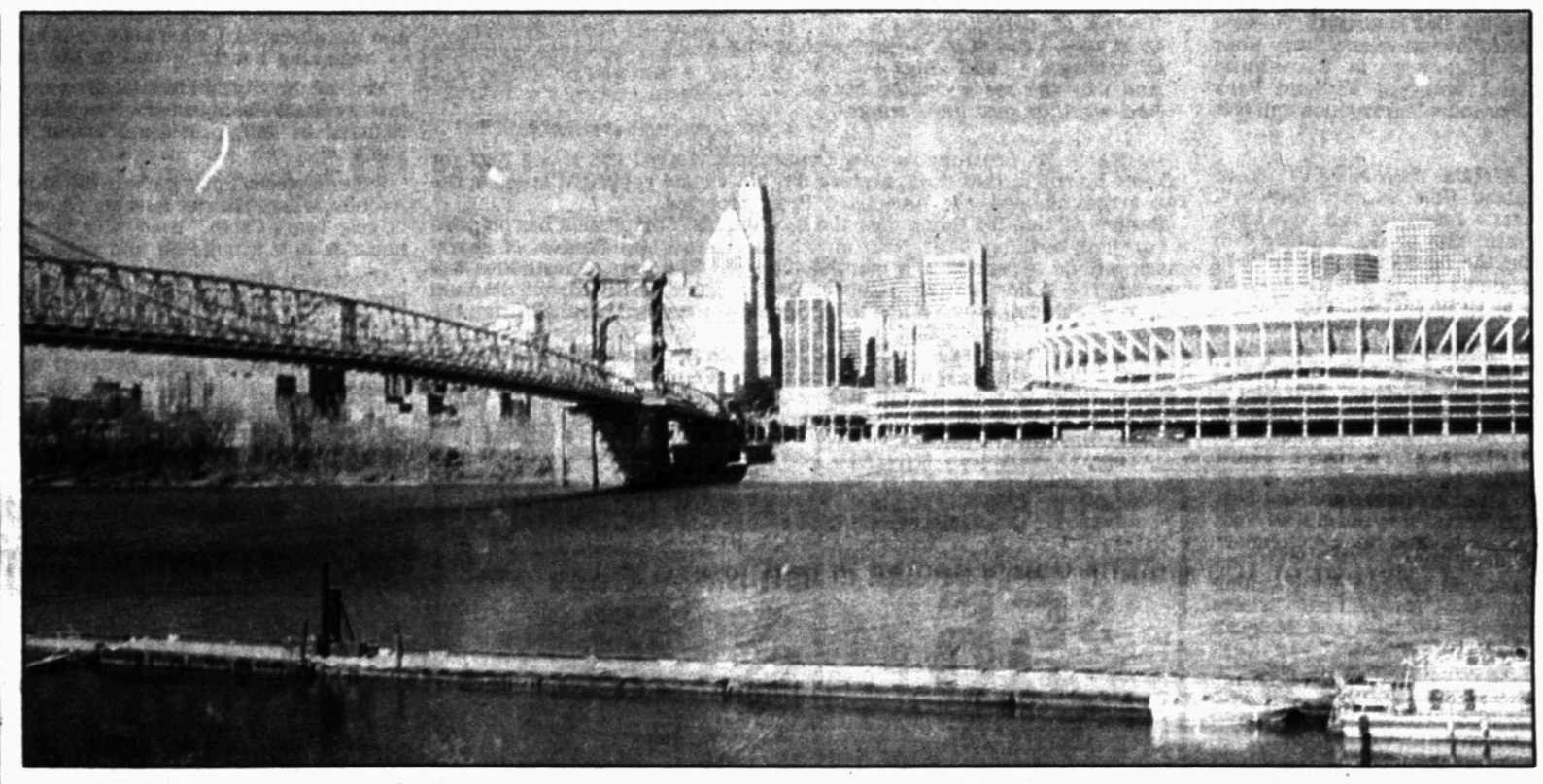
Queen of the West



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Cincinnati's skyline, top right photo, made famous in "WKRP in Cincinnati," can be seen behind Riverfront Stadium, located at the edge of the Ohio River. Above, the Tyler Davidson Fountain in downtown Fountain Square celebrates the uses of water. Below, German brewer John Hauck built this mansion on Dayton Street in 1880. The seven railroads serving the city began constructing Union Terminal, below right, in 1929. It was completed four years later.



CINCINNATI, Ohio — In an age attuned to television, most Americans probably associate this city with "WKRP in Cincinnati," a television series featuring a legendary — and fictitious — radio station.

With disc jockeys Dr. Johnny Fever and Venus Flytrap, Silver Sow Award-winning journalist Les Nessman and Herb Tarlek, the ad salesman whose loud voice matched his clothes, the characters mirrored the slightly offbeat nature of the city.

Although "WKRP" no longer lives "on the air in Cincinnati" only in syndicated reruns, the city on the banks of the Ohio River hasn't lost its whimsical charm.

As the Queen City celebrates its bicentennial this year, one example of this whimsy has gained national notoriety: The Flying Pig controversy.

In December, City Councilman Steve Chabot saw red over a planned $300,000 sculpture sporting pink flying pigs to be erected as part of a larger bicentennial structure depicting the city's history at Sawyer Point Park on the riverfront.

According to a Dec. 29 story in the Cincinnati Enquirer, "Pigasus" — as the sculpture quickly was dubbed — commemorates the booming meat-packing industry of the mid-1800s, when much of the town literally rode "high on the hog."

But some Cincinnatians prefer not to wallow in the past, and didn't think the pig sculpture should fly. Since the Bicentennial Commission (which approved the project) receives substantial city funding, the City Council held a public hearing about the sculpture in January.

As reported Jan. 13 in the Enquirer, "about 15 students from the University of Cincinnati School of Fine Arts carried cardboard pigs on wooden sticks, with the message 'Pro-Art,' and 'Let the Pigs Fly.' "

Most of the crowd was hamming it up in favor of the 200-pound pigs, but a few citizens claimed the city couldn't make a silk purse out of a sow's ear.

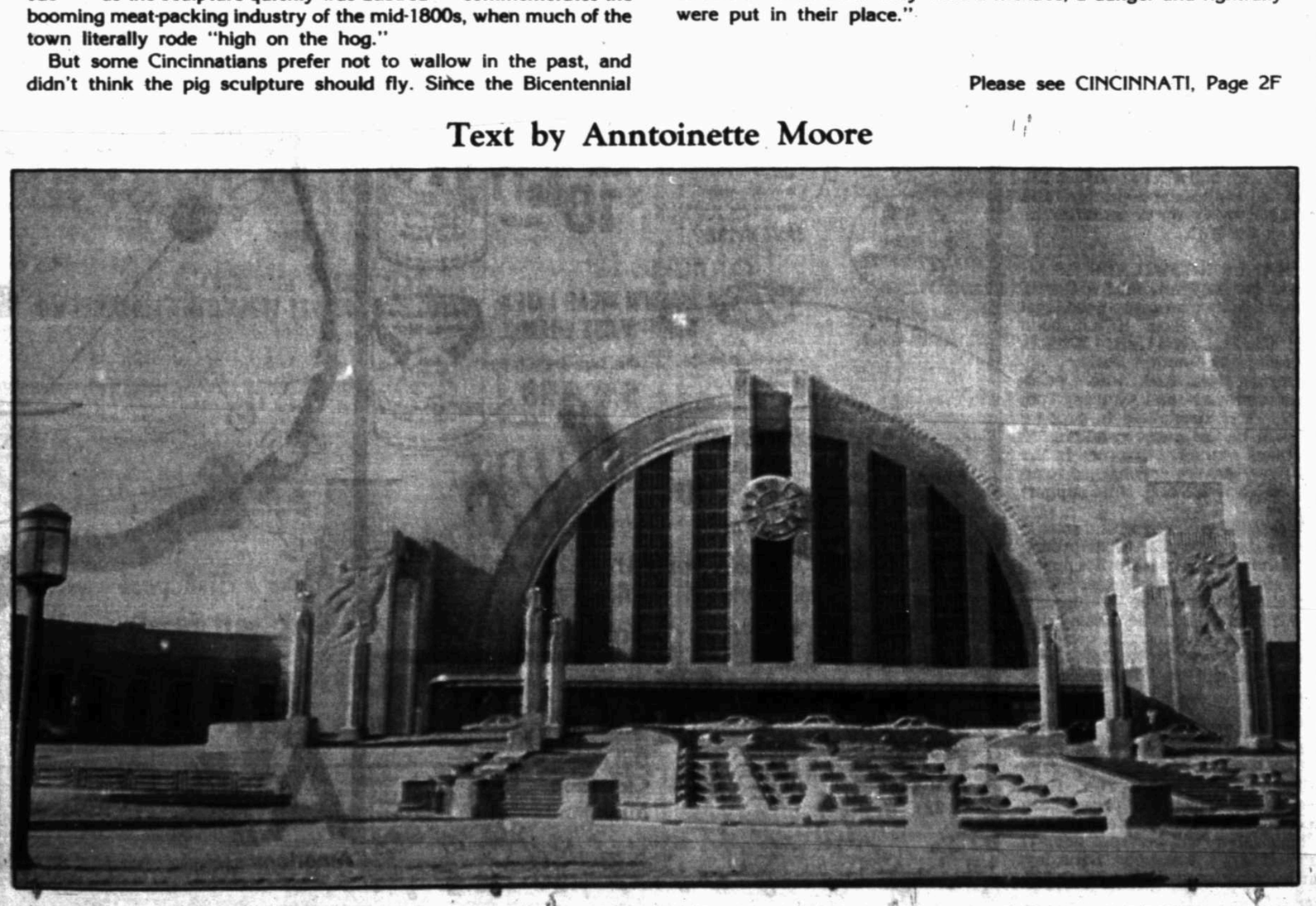
"We could have Picassos and fine art statues all over that artwork and the focus would still be on those three-foot pigs," said Milton Bortz in the Jan. 13 article.

Miriam Bernstein conceded that pigs were cute, but then described "Porkopolis" — Cincinnati's nickname in the mid-19th century.

"We have fantasized the pigs. We think of a child's soft stuffed toy," she said in the same article. "But the children of the 1800s didn't see it that way. There were 500,000 pigs running through the streets of Cincinnati. They were a menace, a danger and rightfully were put in their place."

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around town

Juvenile Diabetes Foundation's "Spring Fling" will be May 6 at Green Tree Country Club. Cocktail hour will begin 7 p.m. with steak dinner to follow at 8 p.m. Dancing to the music of Chek Point will begin at 9 p.m. Cash bar will be available.

The public is invited to attend. Cost will be $25 per person. Funds raised will benefit research efforts toward a cure for diabetes.

Spring Fling will be presented in conjunction with the foundation's first Golf Tournament, a four-person scramble, during the day.

For information call 684-0902 or 694-1900...

...**FIESTA DEL ARTE**, sponsored by the Fiesta del Arte Guild, supporters of the Art Institute of the Permian Basin, will be May 21-22 on the grounds of the AIPB. It will feature 50 artists and craftsman, a cantina, food and drink booths, a raffle, a silent auction, face painting and children's games.

The event will be open 10 a.m.-7 p.m. Saturday and noon-6 p.m. Sunday. Entrance fee will be $2. A preview party, featuring strolling mariachis and a Mexican buffet will be 7 p.m. May 20.

Cost for the preview party is $15 per person. All proceeds will benefit the Institute...

...**STORY HOUR** this week will feature "Mother Goose and Disney Characters." Story Hour, sponsored by Midland Junior Woman's Club, will be presented 10-11 a.m. at Midland County Public Library. Children 3-5 are invited to participate.

Free tickets may be picked up beginning the first and third Tuesday for the following week's Story Hour at the library or at Centennial Branch Library at Midland Park Mall. For more information call 683-2708...

...**LADIES ASSOCIATION** of Ranchland Hills Country Club will meet for a luncheon and style show 11:30 a.m. May 4. G. Bradford will present the fashions. Members may bring guests. Reservations may be made by calling 682-3729 by May 3...

...**FREDERICKSBURG** Chamber of Commerce will sponsor "A Night in Old Fredericksburg" July 15-16.

Entertainment will be provided by 16 different groups, including Oma and the Oompahs, Fire On-the-Mountain Cloggers, Guadelupe River Jazz Band, Johhny Gimble and the Last Road to Texas, New Braunfels Folk Dancers, and the Ben Beckendorf Band.

Events will include a pig calling contest and horseshoes/washers tournament. German and Mexican food will be featured.

For information contact Night in Fredericksburg, P.O. Box 506, Fredericksburg, Texas, 78624, or call (512) 997-6523...

...**AUDITIONS FOR** Summer Mummers 40th season will be 7:30 p.m. May 8-9, and Olio audition will be 3 p.m. May 8 and 7:30 p.m. May 10, all at the Yucca Theatre, 208 N. Colorado.

Production this year will be William B. Davis' "Banditry on the Border" or "They Came to Acuna." All interested persons are invited to audition.

Midland Community Threatre, in conjunction with Midland College, will present the British comedy "Educating Rita" through April 30. The show contains strong language and is recommended for an adult audience.

All evening performances will begin at 8 p.m. For information or reservations call 682-4111...

...**PARENT AWARENESS** seminar, presented by Linda Patterson, clinical supervisor at Family Services of Midland, will be 7 p.m. Monday at Travis Elementary School.

Information will include ways parents can protect their children. Seminar will be presented as part of Child Abuse Prevention Month...

...**BALLET MIDLAND** will present "La Fille Mal Gardee" 8 p.m. April 29-30 and 2 p.m. May 1 at Allison Fine Arts Auditorium, Midland College. This ballet is the earliest ballet in the traditional repertoire and the only comedy. for ticket information call 686-0731...

..."**HANDS OF FRIENDSHIP** Seminar," for single parents, widowed, and divorced persons who need legal advice, will be from 10 a.m.-noon April 30 in St. Luke's United Methodist Church, Fellowship Hall.

Attorney Carol Kirk, who specializes in family law, and Attorney Tom Bruner, who specializes in probate law, will be the guest speakers.

Persons who have divorced in the past five years are encouraged to attend to learn the new child support laws.

To register send name, and state if widowed or divorced, or divorcing, to "Hands of Friendship Seminar," 2829 Metz, Midland, Texas, 79705, with $2 registration fee by Tuesday. Registration will also be taken at the door.

A nursery will be available. For information call 686-7674, 697-4350, or 682-8542...

...**TALL CITY ROAD RIDERS** 11th Annual Heart of Texas Rally will be May 6-8 in Brady. The rally will include a poker run, field events, bike show, door prizes, bean feed and chicken fried steak dinner.

Registration will be from noon-11 p.m. friday, 7 a.m.-noon Saturday. For information call 682-9669 or 687-5313...

CINCINNATI

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Ms. Bernstein had a 19th century ally, one Frances Trollope, an Englishwoman who had come to the city to make her fortune. In "Cincinnati: The Queen City," published by the Cincinnati Historical Society, Ms. Trollope, wrote of the 1830s city:

I am sure I should have liked Cincinnati much better if the people had not dealt so very largely in hogs. The immense quantity of business done in this line would hardly be believed by those who had not witnessed it. I never saw a newspaper without remarking such advertisements as the following:

"Wanted, immediately, 4,000 fat hogs."

"For sale, 2,000 barrels of prime pork."

...If I determined upon a walk up Main-street, the chances were five hundred to one against my reaching the shady side without brushing by a snout fresh dripping from the kennel; when we had screwed our courage to the enterprise of mounting a certain noble-looking sugar-loaf hill, that promised pure air and a fine view, we found the brook we had to cross, at its foot, red with the stream from a pig slaughter-house; while our noses...were greeted by odours that I will not describe, and which I heartily hope my readers cannot imagine; our feet, that on leaving the city had expected to press the flowery sod, literally got entangled in pigs'-tails and jaw bones..."

Fortunately, the meat-packing industry could go hog wild for just five months a year — November to mid-March — because refrigeration was lacking, according to "Cincinnati."

But more than pork fed the booming frontier town's economy. Cincinnati earned the name "Queen of the West," or "Queen City" of the Ohio River, because of its importance as a regional distribution center, the book continued. The city's location at the southern end of the Miami-Erie canal locked it into a major rôle in the rapidly growing river traffic.

Despite unsavory reminders of the past, porker partisans squealed with delight when the City Council's attorney ruled it didn't have the power to change the sculpture. Three councilmen showed their grasp of pork-barrel politics by wearing pig-snout hats, the Enquirer reported.

The pink-bodied, red-winged pigs faced one final threat in March when two artists — one from the Lone Star State — claimed the idea of flying pigs had been purloined.

According to a March Enquirer article, Houston artist Andy Feehan claimed Minnesota's Andrew Leicester — designer of Cincinnati's pigs — stole the idea of flying pigs from him.

Feehan had tatooed wings on a live pig in 1974. When "Little Minnesota, the Texas Tattooed Pig" went to hog heaven, his earthly remains ended up in Amarillo oilman Stanley Marsh's office. Feehan said Leicester saw the stuffed pig and appropriated the idea.

The wife of Delaware artist Andre Harvey also claimed the idea had been stolen from a work by her husband called "Pigasus."

Leicester called both assertions hogwash.

"I never said I invented flying pigs — but neither did he," Leicester said in the March article.

Apparently neither rival artist was familiar with Lewis Carroll's poem "The Walrus and the Carpenter," which has the following verse:

'The time has come,' the Walrus said,
'To talk of many things:
Of shoes — and ships — and sealing-wax —
Of cabbages — and kings —
And why the sea is boiling hot —
And whether pigs have wings.'

On March 28, Cincinnati's Law Department cleared the flying pigs for takeoff by ruling that the sculpture did not violate copyright laws, as the two artists claimed, the Associated Press reported.

Besides rooting for flying pigs, the Bicentennial Commission has planned a year-long birthday bash. Next month, the annual May Festival of choral music will be expanded to a month-long event. Ten days of festivities will precede the Major League Baseball All-Star Game in Riverfront Stadium July 12. Cincinnati is also home to the oldest professional baseball team, the Cincinnati Reds, established in 1869.

The party will reach full steam Oct. 14-16, with the parade of "Tall Stacks," honoring the steamboats which played an important role in the city's development. Twelve riverboats will ply the Ohio, with cannons firing and bands playing "all aboard" for visitors. A Riverfront Festival and 1880s fair will run at the same time.

Soon-to-be soaring swine are but one of many public sculptures in Cincinnati.

The theme of water flows throughout the city's history. On Oct. 6, 1871, the downtown Tyler Davidson Fountain was dedicated to the memory of Henry Probasco's brother-in-law, who died in 1865. Probasco had forged a fortune from the hardware business during the Civil War.

The 43-foot bronze fountain consists of a pedestal topped with a 9-foot-tall woman whose outstretched hands pour streams of water into a basin below. The cardinal directions are marked by four tableaus celebrating vital uses of water.

Impressive examples of public art also used to be stationed at Union Terminal, the city's former railroad depot built in Art Deco style during the early 1930s. A German immigrant artist developed 14 mosaic and frescoed murals from a series of photographs taken in the city's factories, according to "Cincinnati: The Queen City." These murals were moved to the Greater Cincinnati Airport in 1973, when the railroad terminal's concourse was razed.

The site of Cincinnati's airport flies in the face of logic, since it's in a different town and state — Covington, Ky. When it opened in 1947, it was only supposed to be a temporary replacement for the outmoded Lunken Airport. When several proposals to relocate Lunken failed to take off in the 1950s, planners shifted efforts to expanding the Kentucky airport, "Cincinnati" said.

Spanning the gap between the two states is the Cincinnati and Covington Suspension Bridge, designed by John A. Roebling, architect of the Brooklyn Bridge. When Cincinnati's bridge was dedicated in December 1866, it contained the world's longest suspension span.

In 1920, Cincinnati began excavating a subway system, a modern transportation project which rapidly went down the tubes. The subway was to follow a 16-mile loop from downtown through the suburbs, using part of the old Miami-Erie Canal bed, according to "Cincinnati." However, costs soared and the project reached the end of the line in 1927. Only two miles of the tunnel and seven miles of the above-ground route, without track, had been finished.

But taxpayers, who approved the original bond issue in 1916, didn't see the light at the end of the financial tunnel until 1966, when the $13 million debt finally was paid off.

A well-established Cincinnati tradition which could make visiting Southwesterners hot under the collar is "Cincinnati chili." Chili purists would say Cincinnatians don't know beans about a steaming bowl of red. The tomato-base chili is spiced with cinnamon and vinegar as well as more common condiments such as cumin, chili powder, garlic and red pepper.

Fanning the flames of controversy are the various ways the chili is served. Basic chili — 2-way — is chili over spaghetti; 3-way is chili, spaghetti and grated cheese; 4-way is chili, spaghetti, cheese and onions; and the infamous 5-way, which has all of the above plus kidney beans.

Visitors can cool their fiery palates at either the Hudepohl Brewing Co., 505 Gest St., or Meier's Wine Cellars, 6955 Plainfield Pike.

The 103-year-old Hudepohl's — one of the last small breweries in the nation — offers visits to the bottling department and draft room, as well as free samples at the end of its 45-minute tour.

Meier's, Cincinnati's only winery, is Ohio's oldest and largest. Visitors see the fermentation yard, cellars with 120-year-old barrels, the bottling rooms and the solera yard, where sherry is aged outside in small oak barrels. Tours — beginning hourly — end in the tasting room.

Part of the city's industrial diversity is on display at Procter & Gamble's International Headquarters, Ivorydale Plant, 5201 Spring Grove Ave. P&G, founded in 1837, provides 1½-hour tours of the historic manufacturing plant.

Other historical sites include the Stowe House, in the 3000 block of Lincoln Avenue, where Harriet Beecher Stowe, author of the abolitionist manifesto "Uncle Tom's Cabin," lived with her father, the Rev. Lyman Beecher. The house is now a museum and open to the public.

Cincinnati also was the birthplace of the nation's largest president, William Howard Taft, who tipped the scales at more than 300 pounds. Taft, born on Sept. 15, 1857, was the only president to serve as chief justice of the Supreme Court. His birthplace is now a historic site and the house, which dates from 1840, is being restored by the National Park Service.

For more information and a schedule of bicentennial events, contact Greater Cincinnati Bicentennial Commission Inc., 801 Plum St., Room 138, Cincinnati, Ohio, 45202; 513-352-2358.

CINCINNATI CHILI

- 1 quart water
- 2 pounds lean hamburger
- 1 tsp. cinnamon
- 1 tsp. cumin seed or ground cumin
- 2 large chopped onions
- 1 tsp. Worcherstershire sauce
- 1 clove garlic
- 2 tbsp. chili powder
- 1 tsp. black pepper
- ½ tsp. red pepper or chili pepper
- 1 tbsp. salt
- 1½ tsp. ground allspice
- 1 6-oz. can tomato paste
- 1½ tbsp. cider vinegar
- 3 large whole bay leaves

DIRECTIONS

Crumble raw hamburger (do not brown) into water, add all ingredients. Bring to boil, then simmer for 3 hours. Remove garlic clove and bay leaves. Add whole red pepper (if desired) for spicier taste.

SERVINGS: 10-12

Spring skiers urged to ship their equipment

NEW YORK (NYT) — A thought for spring skiers and other travelers: Let someone else haul your gear.

This winter in Aspen, Colo., Federal Express shipped and received as many as 20 pairs of skis a day. "Skis are an awkward thing to carry," explained Sharon Rather, a Federal Express agent in Aspen. "And luggage shipped with the airlines doesn't always get there when the people do."

Although Federal Express officials said private shipments of skis constitute only a small part of their business, Lisa M. Hall, another agent in Aspen, said the shipments have become popular with the Aspen set.

Last December, Don Johnson of "Miami Vice" sent his snowboard — which is like a small surfboard but is used on ski slopes — with the courier rather than taking it with him on his flight to the resort.

Federal Express offers door-to-door overnight delivery of a wrapped package containing skis and boots with a combined length and girth of 130 inches or less; skis can be no longer than 76 inches. This approach can also work for luggage, other sports equipment and musical instruments.

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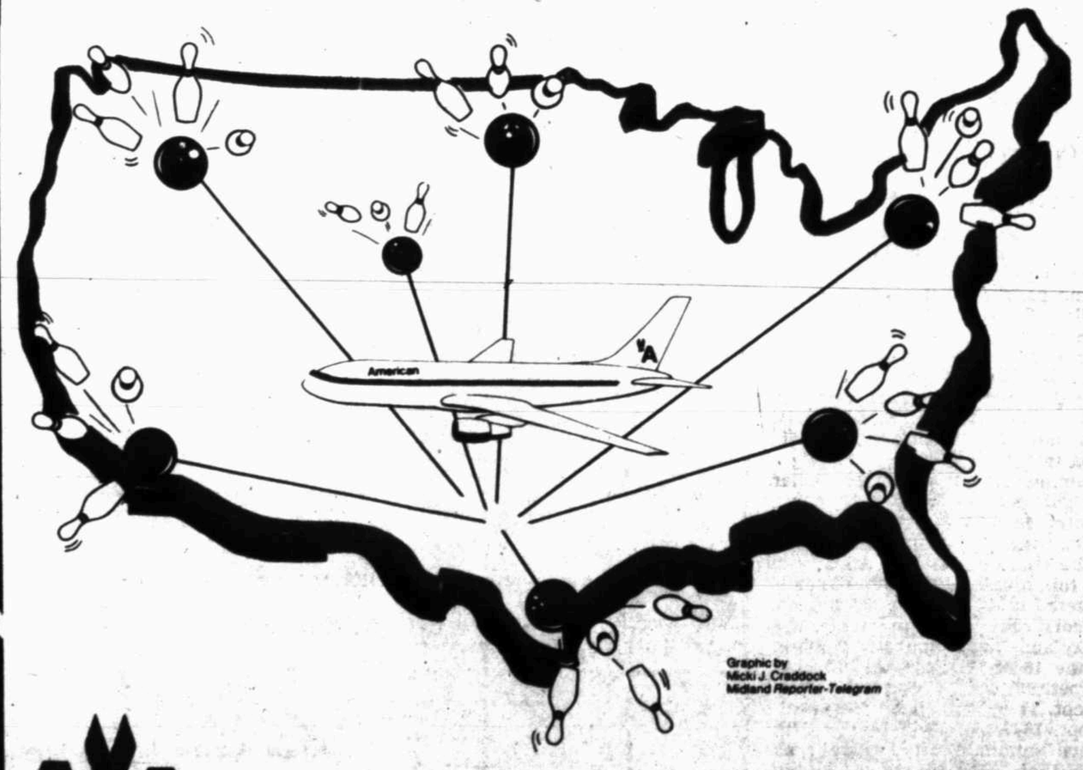
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Historic Harmonists villages restored

By JACK BIESTERFELD
Copley News Service

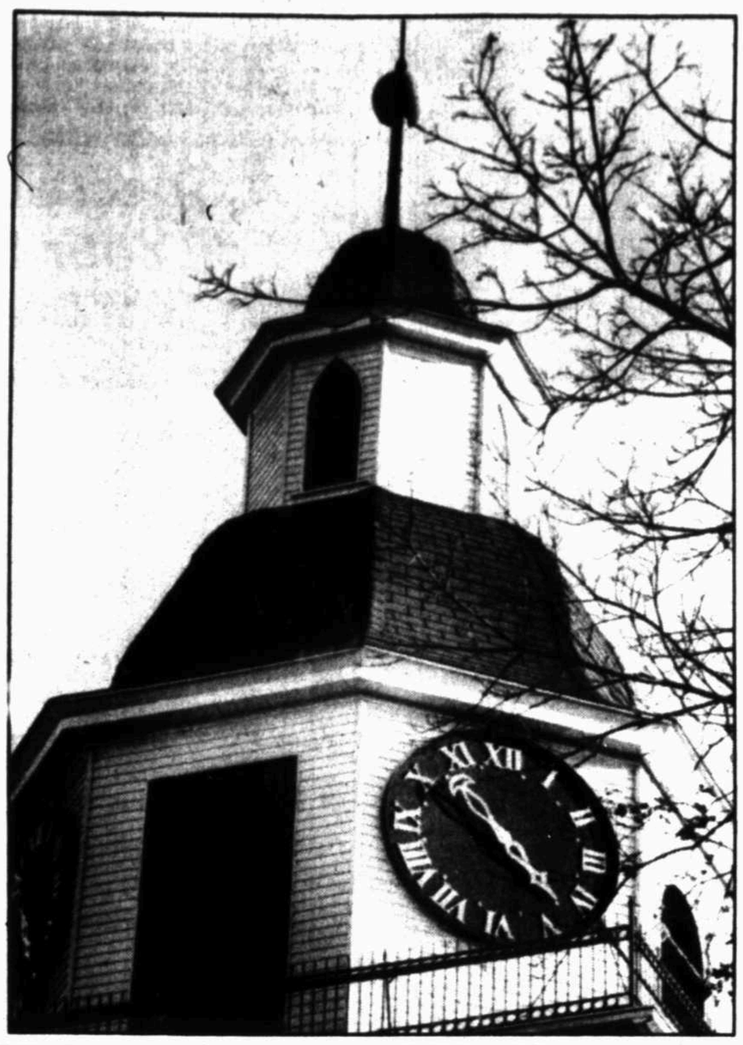
Utopia: An imaginary and ideal country; a place of ideal perfection, especially in laws, government and social conditions; an impractical scheme for social improvement.

Ever since Sir Thomas More dreamed up the idea of perfect place in 1516, social reformers have been trying to achieve perfection in the world. So far, they have failed, but out of the ruins of their failed social experiments have come some fascinating historical monuments.

Among the most successful groups were the Harmonists, a religious faction that broke away from the Lutheran mainstream in Germany. Under the leadership of George Rapp, a weaver and self-described charismatic prophet, 700 Harmonists left Wurtemberg, Germany, for America.

They settled in Pennsylvania in 1805. Their first town of Harmony flourished. In 1814, they moved to Indiana and started New Harmony, and in 1824 returned to Pennsylvania to fund their third and last village, Old Economy.

New Harmony and Old Economy have both been restored as historic monuments to these unique utopian experiments.



CNS Photo

The clock tower in Old Economy, Pa., is one of the structures still surviving from an 1800s utopian experiment.

RAPP REFINED his religion and communal ideas while at Harmony, between 1805 and 1814. In 1806, it was decided that all members of the group had to deed all of their property to the community. And in 1807 it was decided that since Christ was going to return shortly, there was no need to father more children. Thus celibacy became the rule.

Harmony was abandoned, and in 1815 a flotilla of boats headed down the Ohio River and up the Wabash to the recently purchased site of a new town, New Harmony, on the Indiana frontier. The Harmonists built a second complete community here.

The industrious colonists, spurred by the religious zeal of Rapp, built more than 150 structures and quickly became an industrial and commercial power. They had vineyards and a distillery, lumber, grain, woolen and cotton mills and acre upon acre of farmland under cultivation.

While some families still lived in houses — although men and women were separated — many others lived in giant dormitories. As many as 16 families lived in each of the giant brick structures.

At least two dozen structures from the New Harmony utopian period still survive, and many have been restored and opened to the public. Tours begin at the Atheneum, a futuristic white-enameled steel and glass structure on the banks of the Wabash, totally out of character with the rest of the restored community.

From here, the tour leads to some of the earliest structures in town, including a 1775 double log cabin. Three other log cabins date from the Harmonist era, from 1814 to 1819. The Eigler House contains furnishings and artifacts typical of the Harmonist residential life, while the Weber House shows Harmonist building techniques.

THE HARMONISTS soon graduated to frame and brick houses, as seen in the David Lenz House of 1820 and the Scholle House from 1822. In these and other restored homes, exhibits explain the domestic and social life of the sect.

The most impressive reminder of the utopian ideal is the Community House No. 2, one of the large brick boardinghouses for single men and women. The dormitory, now operated by the state, houses an exhibit on printing and other facets of village life.

Although the community was prospering, Rapp realized that most of the community's markets were back East, so in 1824 he packed up the entire population of the village, headed back to Pennsylvania and founded Old Economy at what is today Ambridge, northwest of Pittsburgh.

In an ironic twist, Rapp sold New Harmony to another utopian dreamer, Robert Owen, a rich Scottish textile magnate and philanthropist. Owen's utopian scheme was based on education and science, not religion.

Scholars and artists from all over the world came to the Indiana frontier and for a few brief years, the village flourished as a center for culture in the wilderness.

The experiment all but ended when Owen ran out of money to finance his folly in 1827, although a partner, William Maclure carried on the spirit of the community for few more years. Most of the buildings in town reverted to private ownership, but during this century many have been returned to public ownership, where they are open for tours.

BACK IN Old Economy, Rapp and his followers set out to re-establish his utopia. With their usual religious zeal, the Harmonists built communal housing units, textile mills, a winery, stores and other industries. For a time, Old Economy was the leading manufacturing center in the West.

But then another prophet arose to challenge Rapp. Count Leon caused a severe rift in the Harmonists in 1832. Other forces were at work to divide the colony, as well. The industrial revolution hit the manufacturers hard. Because of the celibacy rule, there were no new little Harmonists to follow in the footsteps of their fathers, and the religious tenets were not very appealing to those outside the group.

After Rapp's death, there were no charismatic leaders to take his place. The communal spirit of the community dissolved and its members drifted into private business. The Harmonist society dissolved in 1905.

The Harmonist legacy lives on today, though, thanks to efforts of preservationists. The central core of Old Economy has been preserved as a state landmark. Its 6.7 acres contain the heart of the village.

The large Feast Hall serves as the visitors' center, where visitors can view a film about this unusual religious sect. The first floor also houses museum exhibits. Tours lead from here to the rest of the village.

The Feast Hall was the cultural center of the village. On the second floor, a giant dining room was the scene of Love Feasts, a celebration common in many such religious groups. The food was prepared in a nearby communal kitchen building, in which could be prepared enough food for 800 people at a time.

MANY SMALLER buildings nearby housed many of the community's services. Shops that can be seen on the tour include the tailor, barber, cobbler, doctor's office, apothecary and cabinetmaker. The wine cellar is especially impressive, but given the vintner's background of the founder, it's understandable.

The Spartan, but functional, brick house of a family is also included on the tour. Although families could live together if they wanted, the men and women had to sleep apart.

In sharp contrast to the workers' homes, Rapp's house was large and luxurious. It included large dining rooms and parlors for entertaining, as well as community offices. It overlooked spacious gardens and shaded lawns.

Although the utopian ideals have long since faded into history, and modern civilization has invaded both communities, both New Harmony and Old Economy remain as reminders of the ideals of a past era now long forgotten.

Jet lag can be overcome

Hearst News Service

Jet lag is one of the most common and significant health problems travelers face, and new or infrequent travelers are more likely to suffer from it than veterans, said Dr. Michael H.K. Irwin, medical director of the United Nations.

Irwin cited a survey in which the Upjohn Co. queried nearly 800 experienced travelers regarding jet lag. Of the sample, 94 percent suffered some effects from jet lag. And, for nearly half of that 94 percent, the problems were severe.

Symptoms of jet lag, in descending order, include daytime sleepiness and fatigue, nighttime insomnia, impaired concentration, slowed physical reflexes, increased irritability, upset digestion, and hunger at odd hours. Another symptom, reported by more than 200 of the nearly 800 persons surveyed — depression.

Traveling long distances west to east — as from the United States to Europe — usually causes more people more severe symptoms, the survey concludes. In such instances, jet lag combines difficulty in falling asleep at earlier than-normal sleep time with impairment of functions during hours the body is normally sleeping.

The measures most frequently and successfully employed in reducing or eliminating jet lag are, in descending order: Avoiding alcohol consumption during the flight and on arrival, resting a few days after arrival, exercising daily, adjusting sleeping patterns to the destination schedule before departure, following a special diet, using short-term prescription sleep medication to adjust to time differences, and, perhaps most difficult of all, sticking to home time.

Irwin believes that making yourself stay awake when it is daytime and making yourself sleep when it is night will help hasten adjustment to a different time zones. He also advocates getting as much exercise and drinking as much water or fruit juice as possible during a trans-Atlantic flight.

Doll hospit l has emergency room

PONTIAC, Ill. (AP) — When Mary Gates and Betty Curl started patching up broken dolls in the back room at the Nook and Cranny, in downtown Pontiac, they had no idea they would draw worldwide attention.

But within three years, their business had captured a spot on television's PM Magazine show. And it hit a soft spot in the hearts of women all over who began searching through attics for old dolls in need of repair.

Mrs. Gates, of Pontiac, opened Nook and Cranny as a gift shop six years ago, and after a few months Mrs. Curl, who lives in Fairbury, joined her in the enterprise.

Part of their merchandise included a selection of old and new dolls. When there was time, they found pleasure in mending the broken dolls brought in by customers and considered it a challenging hobby.

It wasn't long before they noticed that most of their business centered on the dolls — old and new. So they decided to specialize in that area and began running national ads that have brought in hundreds of customers from all over the country.

Today, they run one of the country's few doll hospitals and are known for fixing broken limbs, stitching worn and torn bodies and making the faces of old baby dolls bright again.

Perhaps their most unusual feature is the emergency room that is typically used by local children.

"A child's doll always takes priority," said Mrs. Gates. Their dolls come in with limbs broken or pulled from sockets, poked-out eyes, or hair that's been loved off. "They just think those babies can breathe," she said.

Then there's the regular hospital setting where the partners repair dolls, about 20 a week, with the help of three other women.

It's not unusual for a doll to have a three-month wait before a hospital bed is available. But once admitted, they get the best attention. If a doll is missing a limb, a new arm or leg is reproduced with a mold. If the limb is damaged or broken, it is repaired.

"We never know what we'll find inside the cloth bodies when mending them," Mrs. Gates said. The list includes toy spoons, lollipop sticks and BBs. And in some of the older dolls, darned socks and old garments have been used for stuffing, she said.

Many of the dolls admitted to the hospital are composition dolls from the post-World War II era. They were made at a time when manufacturers were trying to come up with a synthetic rubber called "magic skin." But Mrs. Gates said the magic deterioriated after a while.

Mrs. Gates says the youngsters who come into the shop are fun because they arrive sad-eyed with a tattered baby in their arms and leave happy again.

But she said nothing could compare to the childlike sparkle in the eyes of a woman who saw her old doll repaired: "She can't believe it. It's like finding an old friend."

Summer events schedule listed

Copley News Service

Silver Dollar City in Missouri's Ozark Mountains preserves the nation's pioneer crafts in an unusual theme park open through Oct. 30.

Silver Dollar City is 60 miles south of Springfield, Mo., and is located near what was the old mining town of Marble City. One area attraction is Marvel Cave, the largest cave entrance room in the nation, registered as a natural landmark by the U.S. Department of Interior.

Summer events at Silver Dollar City get under way May 6-22 with a country folk festival featuring the crafts, song, dance, music and food of the Ozark Mountain region.

A folk music festival June 11-19 is expected to draw about 200 singers, dancers and musicians from the Rocky and Ozark mountain regions.

June 16-19 the national clogging competition will be conducted. Aug. 26-Sept. 11 quilts will be featured.

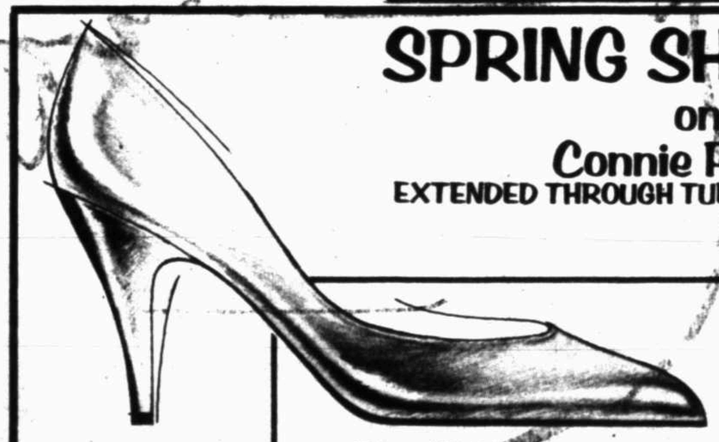
Sept. 16-Oct. 30, will be the 27th annual National Crafts Festival with more than 100 artisans displaying woodcarving, cooperage, blacksmithing, metal spinning, dulcimer and fiddle making, seed sculpting and stone carving. For more information write Silver Dollar City, Marvel Cave Park, Mo. 65616; (417) 338-8188.

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DEAR ABBY

Don't 'prove' your love with sex

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN



Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: At last! I've found it! I've been searching through boxes of papers — I knew I had it somewhere. Several years ago, I clipped the enclosed letter from your column and copied it for a "handout" to a class of teen-agers.

Tell me, Dear Abby, would you dare print such a letter today, or have your moral values changed as have those of the popular majority? Today, more than ever, this is the kind of counsel that should be preached from the housetops — and everywhere else.

Do you still consider illicit sex an immoral act? I pray you do. Think of the problems it causes, to name a few: unwanted pregnancies, unwed mothers, uncared-for children, poorly trained parents, aborted careers, welfare stigma — and now we have the horrible threat of AIDS.

Our young people need to be taught that abstinence until marriage, regardless of the message from movies, TV and society, is the only way to "prove your love." — MRS. LIONEL J. CHAMBERS, NORTH OGDEN, UTAH

Here's your letter:

WHAT IS REAL LOVE?

Girls need to "prove their love" through illicit sex relations like a moose needs a hatrack. Why not "prove your love" by sticking your head in the oven and turning on the gas? And how about playing leapfrog in the traffic? It's about as safe.

Clear the cobwebs out of your head. Any fellow who asks you to "prove your love" is trying to take you for the biggest, most gullible fool who ever walked. That "proving" bit is one of the rottenest lines ever invented.

Does he love you? It doesn't sound like it. Someone who loves you wants whatever is best for you. But now figure it out. He wants you to: Commit an immoral act ... surrender your virtue ... throw away your self-respect ... risk the loss of your precious reputation ... and risk getting into trouble. Does that sound as though he wants what's best for you? That is the biggest laugh of the century. He wants what's best for him; he wants a thrill he can brag about at your expense. Love? Who's kidding whom?

A guy who loves a girl would sooner cut off his right arm than hurt her. In my opinion, this self-serving so-and-so has proved that he doesn't love you. The predictable aftermath of "proof" of this kind always finds Don Juan tiring of his sport. That's when he drops you, picks up his line and goes casting elsewhere for bigger and equally foolish fish. If he loves you, let him prove HIS love — at the altar.

DEAR MRS. CHAMBERS: Nothing has changed. The above advice to teen-agers stands, unrevised.

DEAR ABBY: Six years ago, "Gina," my wife (then girlfriend), became pregnant. I was 19 and she was 20. When I told my parents, they took it rather well. We talked about my options — abortion or adoption. I loved the girl, but when I mentioned our keeping the baby, they said it was out of the question, then moved to another subject.

Two months later, I told them at breakfast that Gina and I had decided to keep the baby. They let that pass without saying a word. When I came home from work that night, I found all my belongings on the lawn and the lock on the door had been changed. They left a note on the door saying, "You are no longer our son. You will receive no aid from us, and you are no longer welcome in our home."

Abby, I had never asked for money; all I wanted was their emotional support.

Today I received a letter from my dad saying his company had gone bankrupt, and could I send them $500 a month — "for a while"!

I love them both, but they deserted me in my time of need, and now they need me (rather, my money). Do I send it to them? Or should I tell them to go jump in the lake? — MY TURN IN MINNESOTA

DEAR MY TURN: Since Minnesota is the land of 10,000 lakes, to tell them to go jump in one may be tempting. But meet with them instead to discuss how you can help them. Forgiveness is the fragrance of the violet on the heel of the shoe that crushed it.

DEAR ABBY: My husband and I have been married a year. We both work, and I have a child by a previous marriage. My problem is that my mother-in-law lives a few blocks away, and she drops in, unannounced, during week nights. She visits anywhere from 15 minutes to two hours.

Abby, I may be tired, busy or both. My husband and I may be in the middle of a quarrel — or making love. Whatever it is, I feel it's an invasion of my privacy when she comes over without phoning first. Lately I find myself hiding in the laundry room "doing laundry" so I won't have to visit with her.

My husband doesn't mind her unannounced visits, but he knows that I do, and he gets angry when I ask him to speak to her about it. He doesn't want to hurt her feelings. I don't either — but calling first is not asking too much. Or is it?

I just learned that I am going to have a baby — my husband's first. We are thrilled, but when the baby comes, I'm afraid his mother will be dropping in even more often. Please help me. — HIDING OUT IN EL CAJON

DEAR HIDING: I think your mother-in-law should be asked to please phone to find out if it's convenient for her to drop in. Ideally you and your husband should ask her together. If he refuses, then it's up to you to handle it kindly, respectfully, diplomatically and promptly.

DEAR ABBY: Believe it or not, I cannot find this information anywhere, so I am turning to you. What are the seven deadly sins? — DUMB DORA IN ALBANY, N.Y.

DEAR DORA: Anger, avarice, envy, gluttony, pride, lust and sloth.

Problems? Write to Abby. For a personal, unpublished reply, send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to Abby, P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, Calif. 90069. All correspondence is confidential.

Abigail Van Buren is columnist for Universal Press Syndicate.

IT'S YOUR LIFE

Seriously ill parents need outside help

By STEVE EDWARDS



Edwards

When an elderly parent is seriously ill, adult children become both supporters and decision makers. During these crises, which may be lengthy and emotionally draining, families need a support system among themselves and from outside sources, such as American Cancer Society, American Heart Association, Visiting Nurse Service and Hospice. Decisions to be made include whether or not to keep the parent at home; how to provide for home nursing care if necessary; length of hospitalization if necessary; and should the parent be placed in a nursing home and how will this care be paid for?

Good counsel and support can help a family weather the storm of serious illness. Although the course of the disease, which may be painful and prolonged, may not be changeable, an individual can find avenues and agencies to help provide emotional release.

An attitude of caring makes a difference when working with the terminally ill. Unfortunately, many dying patients are emotionally abandoned at critical points in their illness, even though they still have feelings.

Sometimes the most helpful act may be holding the hand of a seriously ill patient, letting him cry or just listening. Patients invaribly will ask the same questions to doctors, nurses, friends and family members, and often loved ones must contend the most with the patient's progression through the stages of grief.

Because of the emotional stress they are under, family members need more time off, and should, if possible, rotate the shifts and responsibility. Friends and the clergy should be utilized as a support system, spending time with the patient and serving as an outlet for family members.

Grieving is not easy, for the family or for the patient; yet family members caring for chronically or terminally ill loved ones should learn about the grief process and be open in discussing feelings, whether guilt, anger, loss, depression or acceptance.

When away from the patient, family members should try to live as normally as possible, understanding the amount of emotional stress they live under and not feeling guilty about enjoying themselves. Taking of themselves is important if family members must also take care of a seriously ill loved one.

Steve Edwards is executive director of Community and Senior Services and the Visiting Nurse Service of Midland.



Candy Daniels

Professional secretaries plan luncheon

From Staff Reports

Permian Chapter of Professional Secretaries International will have a luncheon for all secretaries in honor of the 36th Annual Professional Secretaries Week, today through Saturday.

Secretaries and their executives are invited to attend the luncheon 11:45 a.m.-1:15 p.m. Wednesday at the Holiday Inn Country Villa.

The theme of the event, "Worlds of Opportunity," will focus on the secretarie's role in business. Candy Daniels of Ruton, La., Texas-Louisiana Division of PSI will discuss the certified professional secretary rating.

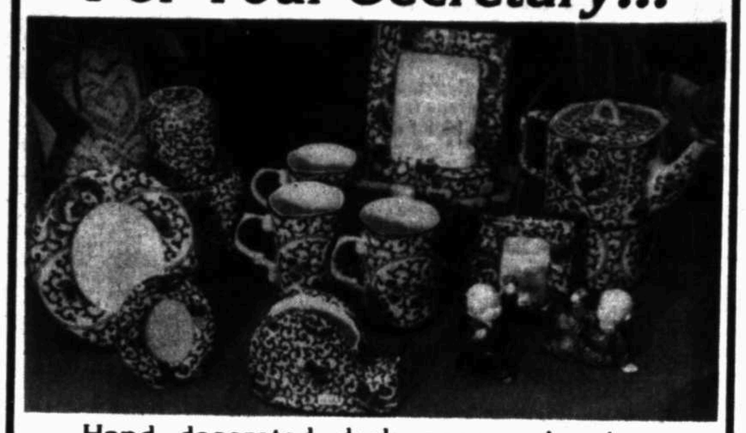
Ms. Daniels is a charter member of the American Business Womens Association and the Dixie Gem Chapter, PSI, Ruston. For information or luncheon reservations call 688-1800.

People relocating get advice from friends

WILTON, Conn. (AP) — A survey of people preparing to relocate shows most of them prefer to get information about their new hometown from family, relatives and friends rather than sources such as chambers of commerce, real estate brokers and libraries.

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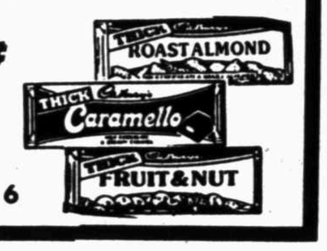
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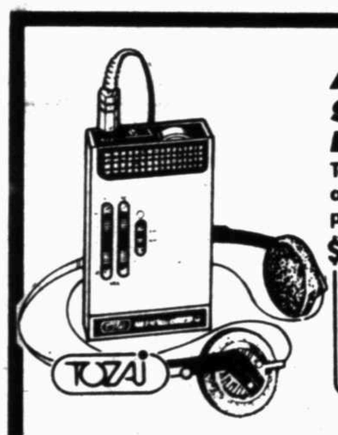




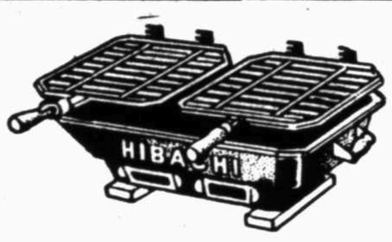
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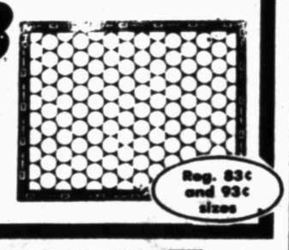


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Club news

PRECEPTOR EPSILON DELTA CHAPTER, BSP

Preceptor Epsilon De ta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi was given a salad supper by Beta Delta chapter in the home of Cathy Sherman.

After dinner chapter met in the home of Joann Gardner. New officers are Ms. Gardner, president; Charline Shepherd, vice president; Marline Byrd, secretary; Johnnie Moritz, treasurer; Pat Phillips, city council representative; and Ms. Byrd, alternate.

Girl of the Year was elected and will be announced April 30.

CHAPTER DD P.E.O. SISTERHOOD

Chapter DD of the P.E.O. Sisterhood met in the home of Celia Bowden with Ramon Billheimer and Kay Smith as co-hostesses. Program on Hospice of Midland was given by Carol Armstrong. Wyvonne Spradlin was guest.

MIDLAND COUNTY REPUBLICAN WOMEN'S CLUB

Midland County Republican Women's Club met at Ranchland Hills Country Club with Margaret Rhea presiding. Mayor Carroll Thomas led the invocation.

Ella Barnett introduced candidates running for local offices.

PERMIAN BASIN GEOLOGICAL AND GEOPHYSICAL AUXILIARY

Permian Basin Geological and Geophysical Auxiliary met in the home of Mrs. Mark Wilson for membership coffee. Co-chairmen were Mrs. Pat Newbrough and Mrs. William Jordon. Hostesses were Mrs. Wylie Basham, Mrs. Bill Siruta, Mrs. William Deso, Mrs. William Isom, Mrs. Kenneth Green and Mrs. John Waid.

KAPPA KAPPA IOTA, UPSILON CONCLAVE

Upsilon Conclave of Kappa Kappa Iota met at the Teachers' Credit Union. Sande Powledge presided. New officers are Kandis Enox, president; Corine Martinez, vice president; Vickie Chester, secretary; and Connie Nichols, treasusrer.

Karan Thompson of Midland YMCA gave a program on yoga. Jennye Ready and Ms. Enox will represent the conclave at the state convention in Lubbock.

SURBUBAN LIONESS CLUB

Suburban Lioness Club met in the Community National Bank Room with Debbie Hanson presiding. Shirley Hanson led the Pledge of Allegiance, and Margie McCain gave the invocation.

Linda Brown gave a program on the Heimlich maneuver. Committee reports followed. Officers were elected. Attending were 17 members and guest Sachie Canales.

MIDLAND RETIRED TEACHERS

Midland Retired Teachers met at Fellowship Hall of First Baptist Church. Mrs. Frances McCasland led the prayer, and the group sang "God Bless America."

Printus Burkhart presided, and introduced Dr. Joseph Baressi, superintendent of Midland Independent School District, who spoke on the upcoming bond election. Burkhart reported on the Texas Retired Teachers meeting in Corpus Christi.

Ann Andrews introduced

MU PSI CHAPTER, BSP

Mu Psi chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met in the home of Denise Tolbert with Karen McNealy as co-hostess. New officers are Barbara Garlington, president; Ms. Tolbert, first vice president; Vicky McWilliams, second vice president and city council alternate; Pam Fuchs, recording secretary; Charli Daniel, treasurer; and Carol Gilliam, corresponding secretary.

Lanita Cruz received a friendship plate. Also attending were Danna Pohler, Teresa Stang, Tina Butler, and guests Lindy Decker and Wendy Svenstrup. Ms. Garlington won the friendship gift.

Chapter met in the home of Donna White. Attending were Ms. Fuchs, Ms. Tolbert, Ms. Daniel, Ms. Stang, Ms. Garlington, Kim Gillette, and guest Kim Volz.

Chapter was entertained by Xi Phi Zeta chapter with hayride and progressive dinner. Attending were Ms. Fuchs, Ms. Tolbert, Ms. White, Ms. Daniel, Ms. Garlington, Ms. Gillette and guests Ms. Swenstrup and Ms. Volz.

XI ALPHA MU CHAPTER, BSP

Xi Alpha Mu chapter of Beta Sigma Phi entertained members of Alpha Phi Mu chapter with a buffet at Kenny's Restaurant. Attending were Judy Henson, Terri Morris, Sonna Smith, Sara Summrall, Pam Vannoy, Beverly Acker, Jan Acker, Sue Adams, Suzy Arnold, Janice Hastings, Judy Jehring, Bev Rothwell and Nancy White.

PRAIRIE LEE CLUB

Priaire Lee Club met, and Vada Hail presided. Attending were 12 members and guest Vangia Garibay. Mari Jo Collins gave the program.

MUSICIANS CLUB, TFMC

Musicians Club, TFMC, met at First Methodist Church with Mrs. Brad Kisner, Mrs. Joel Smith and Mrs. Robert Ward as hostesses. Mrs. Harold Heckathrone presided.

Mrs. Henry Page introduced the program of duets and trios. Performing were Claudia Traxel, Jane Kisner, Kathleen Janssen, Dorothy Matthews, Monta Jo Johnson and Marian Reeder, and Carol Hall, accompanist.

Guests were Mrs. I.L. Edwards, Mrs. Robert O. Burkett, Mrs. Ellis Mills, Mrs. Billy Don Green, Mrs. Elmo Weyel, Mary McNeal, Inez Julian, Mrs. Wayne Gibson, Radenne Jensen, Mrs. William D. Lamm. Mrs. Gary Hall, Mrs. Ted Johnson, Mrs. Charles Reeder, Brad Kisner, Dr. Henry Page and Hans Roweck.

PERMIAN CHAPTER, PSI

Permian chapter, Professional Secretaries International, met at Midland Room, First City Bank. New officers are Janice Wheeler, president; Shannon Barrentine, president-elect; Glenna Tate, vice president; Rita Miller, secretary; and Shanna Pitts, treasurer.

Professional Secretaries Week and Professional Secretaries Day luncheon were discussed.

JUNIOR WOMAN'S ASSOCIATION

Junior Woman's Association of Midland met in the home of Candy McPherren. Janet Walton presided. Erin Wall introduced guest speaker Jim Davis, lab director of Midland Health Department, who spoke on "AIDS."

Co-hostesses were Shawn Henderson, Ms. Walton and Teresa Wilson.

PROGRESSIVE STUDY CLUB

Progressive Study Club met in the Midland Woman's Club. Anna Marie Vogler presided. Guest speaker Margaret Kennedy gave the program on "Texas Native Flowers."

Hostesses were Jo Cristiani, Anna Beth Farr and Dorris Stillwagon.

PRECEPTOR ALPHA OMEGA CHAPTER, BSP

Preceptor Alpha Omega chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met at Shogun's Restaurant. Jean Wilson gave city council report. Founder's Day luncheon and end-of-year party were discussed.

Chapter donated two high chairs to Permian Basin Center for Battered Women and Their Children. Dot King received the friendship basket. Kathleen Wurtz gave the program.

Also attending were Myrtle Russell, Eunice Dersch, Lois Heath, Elaine Conrad, Nancie Nunan, Maimee Miller, Karren Ogg, and guest Jana Ward.

PSI PHI CHAPTER, BSP

Psi Phi chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met in the home of Joey Johnson. Sara Stumbaugh presided. Also attending were Dian Bentley, Sherrilyn Blase, Linda Fisher, Donna Goodrum, Michelle Gragg, Gayle Miller, Pam Pace, and guests Diane Davidson, Alisa Habenicht, Norah Hudson and Susan Morgan.

Sherri Raughton, skin care consultant, gave the program. New officers are Ms. Miller, president; Ms. Gragg, vice president; Ms. Goodrum, treasurer; Ms. Blase, corresponding secaretary; and Ms. Fisher, parlimentarian.

LAWYERS' WIVES CLUB

Lawyers' Wives Club met in the home of Sandra Woerndle for President's Luncheon. Martha Pope presided. Nancy Patterson presented Ms. Pope with a gift for her services as president.

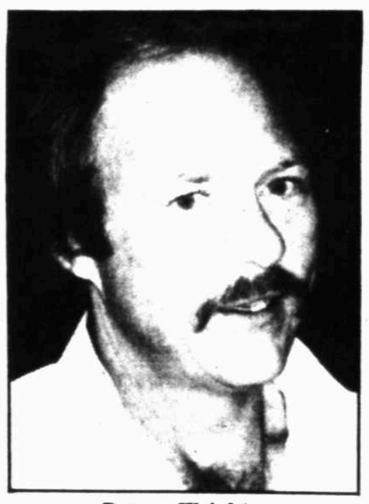
New officers are Gloria DuBose, president; Janet Walton, first vice president; Barbara Sponberg, second vice president; Ms. Woerndle, recording secretary; Debbie Turner, corresponding secretary; Mary Elizabeth Owens, treasurer; and Ms. Pope, parliamentarian.

PHI SIGMA ALPHA, TEXAS ZETA MU CHAPTER

Texas Zeta Mu chapter of Phi Sigma Alpha met at Culver Youth Home with Lorraine Miles as hostess. Gertrude Polzien presided. New officers are Ms. Polzien, president; Betty Schindler, vice president; Jackie Duncan, secrearay; Christine Broxson, treasurer; Betty Goode, program moderator; and Frances Luccous, extension officer.

Ms. Broxson and Ms. Goode will represent the chapter at a state-wide meeting May 14.

Ms. Miles, Midland County chief juvenile probation officer, gave the program. Guests were members of Texas Gamma Sigma chapter: Pat Houck, Louise Horton, Marie McDaniel, Doris Corley, Bess Baker, Gladys Womack, Berylene House, Helen Jenkins and Amy Webb.



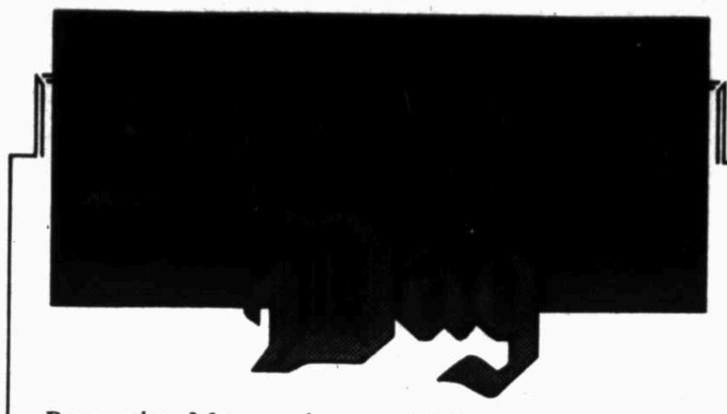
Donny Wright

Luncheon set

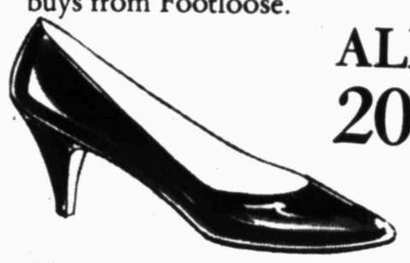
Midland Christian Women's Club will meet for a luncheon 11:30 a.m. May 3 at Green Tree Country Club. Donny Wright, who recently performed as Emile in Midland Community Theatre's "South Pacific, will provide the entertainment. Wright, an Odessan for nine years, is a field technologist with Amoco Production Co.

Dr. James Carpenter, optometrist, and Mark Greene, optician, will discuss and display eye wear. Audrey McClung of Kingsville, former model, will be guest speaker.

Cost of the luncheon is $10. A free nursery for pre-school children will be provided at Northwestern Baptist Church. For luncheon and nursery information call 694-0578, 684-4444 or 682-5851. MCWC is non-denominational and has no dues or formal membership. All interested women are invited to attend.



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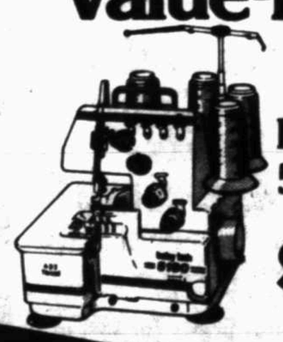
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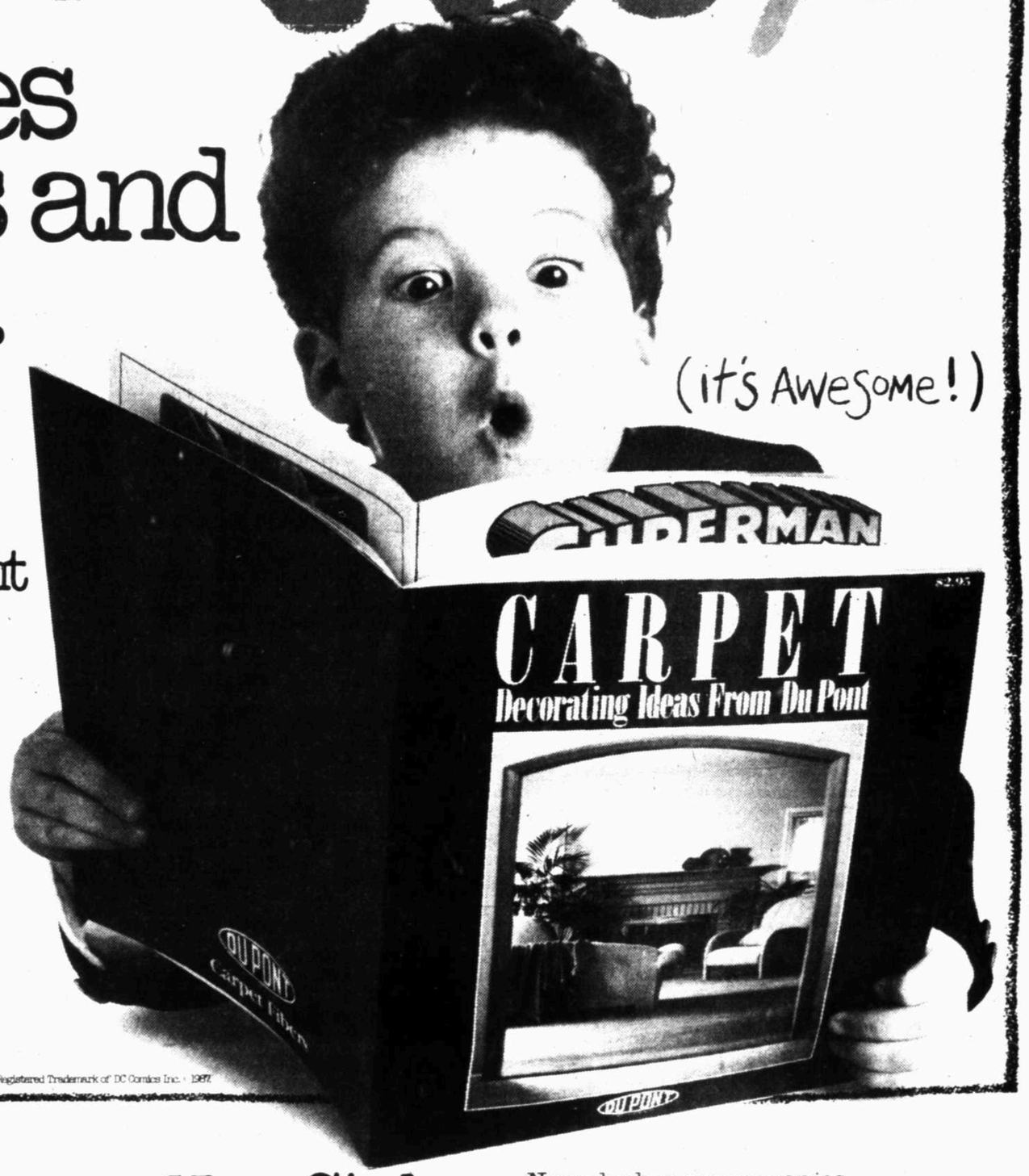


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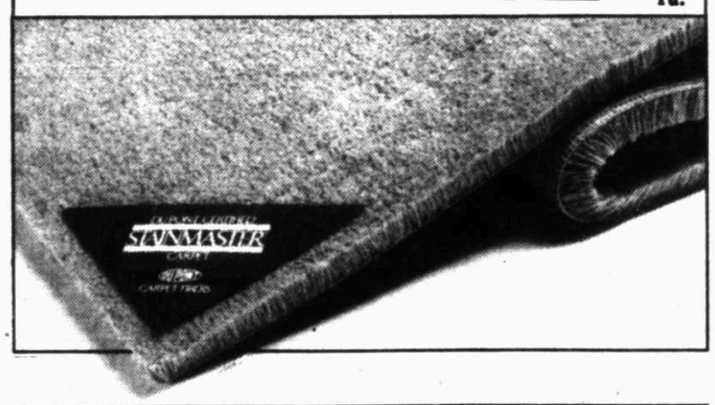
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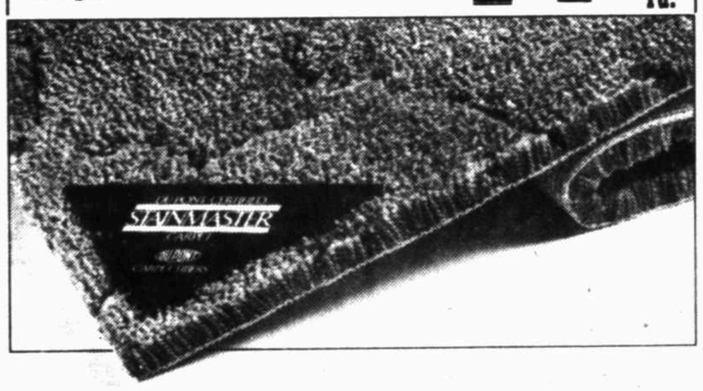
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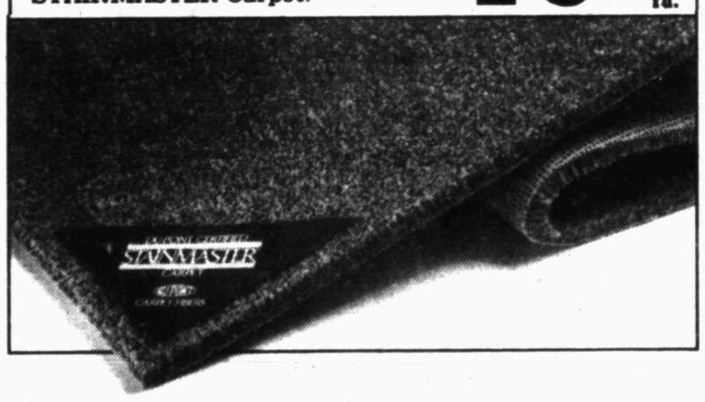
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North Carolina boasts Vanderbilt mansion

By KEN ALEXANDER
Copley News Service

I guess practically everybody has seen at least one of the BBC "Masterpiece Theatre" productions, such as "Brideshead Revisited" or "Upstairs, Downstairs," where the houses are so big you wonder how they can find their way around.

The good news is you needn't let the high cost of European travel stand in the way of a tour through one of these incredible edifices.

If you can afford a trip to the Blue Ridge Mountains of North Carolina you can wander through an establishment at least as mind-boggling as those faraway monuments to unlimited wealth.

Two absolute musts for the first-time visitor to Asheville are: the Blue Ridge Parkway and the Biltmore Estate.

The Biltmore Estate is the largest single-family residence in the United States, dwarfing San Simeon and the enormous Long Island estates. Only a legendary name synonymous with incomprehensible wealth could be attached to such a place: Vanderbilt.

George Vanderbilt, grandson of Cornelius, the railroad baron (New York Central, Hudson River, Harlem, Lakeshore & Michigan Southwestern, Canadian Southern), was somewhat of a refreshing maverick.

Unlike his grandfather, father and brother, he shied away from railroad empire building, instead investing his energies (and apparently unlimited capital) in more bucolic things.



CNS Photo

This 250-room French Renaissance-style chateau, built by the Vanderbilts, is located in the mountains of Asheville, N.C.

ON A VISIT to Asheville in 1886, 26-year-old George chanced on a spot with a magnificent view of the surrounding countryside and decided to buy the whole works, 125,000 acres, almost 200 square miles.

Having studied architecture and having traveled the grander parts of Europe, as all youngsters of means did in those days, he decided to re-create the Loire Valley on the banks of the French Broad River.

For the landscaping he called in Frederick Law Olmstead, designer of New York's Central Park. For the house he chose Richard Morris Hunt, one of the founders of the American Institute of Architects.

Starting in 1890, a thousand workers spent the next five years on young George's dream house and gardens.

Craftsmen of all varieties and from all parts of the country and Europe were brought in: masons, stone carvers, wood carvers, ironworkers, painters, decorators, as well as platoons of landscape gardeners.

A 3-mile railroad spur was built to haul in materials; brick and tile kilns and a woodworking shop arose on the site to turn out specialty items for the grand plan. An entire village was built to house the crew; it later evolved into the present-day affluent suburban town of Biltmore Village.

The house was formally opened on Christmas Eve 1895, and was George's favorite home (he had others, of course) for 19 years until his death in 1914.

In 1935 it and the gardens were opened to the public.

In keeping with the grandeur of the estate is the entrance fee: $17.50 per person.

Not that the Vanderbilt descendants need the money personally; it's just that the upkeep of the house and grounds, including the 4-acre walled garden named the finest English garden in America, is astronomical.

THE APPROACH ROAD winds 3 miles through ravines and forests, past pools and streams, over hand-cut stone bridges until it passes through massive wrought-iron gates and voila! at the far end of a lawn larger than a football field stands the mansion with its towers, spires, cast and carved masonry, its filigreed detailing softening the impact of its overwhelming mass.

Inside, is the Banquet Hall. Its ceiling arches 70 feet above a room as large as most houses, the walls hung with 17th century tapestries, armor, banners and mounted elk and moose heads. The massive banquet table and the sides of the room are lined with carved, red-upholstered chairs, 70 in all. The white marble triple fireplace is surmounted by a 20-foot carved frieze of a hunting scene.

THE TAPESTRY GALLERY. Seventy-five feet long, each of its closely spaced beams painted in an intricate design, it features three 16th century Brussels tapestries set apart by carved marble fireplaces. The linenfold paneled walls are adorned with portraits of various Vanderbilts: George, by Sargent; Mrs. George by Whistler, and George's mother, again by Sargent.

THE LIBRARY. Young George was a scholar, spoke eight languages and amassed 20,000 leather-bound volumes that line the walls of this bewilderingly carved and paneled room. The ceiling, painted in the 18th century by one Giovanni Pellegrini, was brought in toto from the Pisani Palace in Venice.

There are 32 bedrooms and guest suites among the mansion's 255 rooms. Quarters for the 80-odd servants are divided between the basement (called "the downstairs") and the fourth floor.

The downstairs also contains the kitchens, pantries, walk-in refrigerators and storage rooms, all on a scale of those in a large hotel.

THE REST OF THE downstairs is given over to the recreation area. This includes a bowling alley, the indoor swimming pool, 17 guest dressing rooms and a gymnasium with the requisite exercise gear.

Surrounding this incredible structure are the gardens, which rank high on the list of the great gardens of the world. The native azalea garden is the most complete collection anywhere.

The rose garden holds some 5,000 bushes of every variety known. The arboretum, the size of a dirigible hangar, houses thousands of specimens, with separate climate conditions for tropical, subtropical and even desert plants.

Still within the grounds but 5 miles away by a winding road through reforested hills lies the winery. A product of George's aim to establish a European-style working estate, it looks much like the venerable wineries along the Route du Vin in Alsace.

Starting in an auditorium with an impressive filmed history of wine making, you can tour the complete, up-to-date production process, ending up in an opulent tasting room for sampling any or all of the Chateau Biltmore wines, available in the adjacent wine shop.

So far the wines are no threat to those of France or California but, as our host said, "They're improving; couple of years ago we couldn't drink 'em."

William A.V. Cecil, George Vanderbilt's grandson, still owns and operates the remaining estate without federal or state support or private endowment.

Entrance fees, wine sales, restaurant revenues (there are two within the grounds), proceeds from the two gift shops, truck gardening and dairying supply the funds to maintain this relic of a time when Cecil's great-grandfather's inheritance of $100 million (several billion in today's economy) allowed young George to materialize a dream seldom, if ever, equaled in the New World.

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AT WIT'S END

Stop me if you've heard this before

By ERMA BOMBECK



Bombeck

The writers' strike against the movie and television industry has been on for 49 days now, and I hardly feel its effect at all.

Actually, I love seeing the marriage of Tiny Tim on Carson reruns again. I love lip-syncing the dialogue between Maddie and David on "Moonlighting" for the fifth time. And it is fun seeing "thirtysomething" and realizing they will never reach fortywhatever.

As I told my husband, we must not look upon these times as the ultimate leftovers, but should try to find something positive.

"That speech sounds familiar," he said. "Didn't you say that in '84 when we hung wallpaper together and the grapes were upside down?"

"Will you stop thinking repetition! Have you ever considered that the strike is a second chance from God to catch up on all the things we've taped on the VCR that we never had time to watch before? By my calculations, we are five years behind in watching them."

"You're right," he said, jumping out of his chair and grabbing a cassette. "You're going to love this one."

I sat riveted in my chair as Dorothy spun in her bed from the winds of the tornado. "Suck up the dog while you're at it!" I yelled.

"You don't have to be unkind," he said. "'The Wizard of Oz' is a classic."

"Which I have already viewed 182 times, I might add. There's something wrong with a girl with a bustline like that wearing pigtails and Mary Janes."

"You've made your point. How about a series PBS did on World War II?"

"Could you fast-forward it?" I yawned. "I already know how it ends."

"Do you want to see Ollie North in his uniform at the Iran-contra hearings?"

"No."

"How about Merv Griffin when he had dark hair?"

"I don't think so."

"I've got all the installments of 'Amerika' on tape."

"I don't have that long to live," I said flatly.

"How long has this strike been on?" he asked.

"The writers' strike against the movie and television industry has been on for 49 days now, and I hardly feel its effects at all."

He patted me on the head and said, "What's to eat?"

"The meat loaf is in reruns," I said.

"I think I knew that," he said quietly.

Erma Bombeck is columnist for Universal Press Syndicate.

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BUSINESS/OIL

Repeat price crash seems unlikely

Despite OPEC parallels, rerun not expected

By ROBERT BURNS
Associated Press Writer

AP NEWS ANALYSIS

BRUSSELS, Belgium — In the chaotic kitchen of global oil politics, OPEC is cooking with some of the same ingredients it used in 1985-86 to serve up history's most spectacular oil price flop.

This time, however, the recipe includes some less explosive elements, and experts say this means a remake of the price crash is unlikely.

For consumers, that means the retail price of gasoline and other products refined from crude oil may be fairly steady this summer.

New clues to the future direction of oil prices are expected to emerge from two meetings of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries this week. On Tuesday, a five-man OPEC panel will meet with representatives of several non-OPEC oil producing nations, and on Thursday, all 13 cartel members are to open private talks.

In some significant ways, OPEC's current struggle to stop free-market forces from pushing down oil prices is unfolding much as it did three years ago.

The most obvious similarity is that OPEC once again is losing the battle; the world price of oil has been below the cartel's target level of $18 per 42-gallon barrel for much of this year.

Beyond that, there are these parallels:

■ Saudi Arabia, the cartel's biggest producer, is going it alone.

In mid-1985, Saudi King Fahd declared he no longer would let Saudi production decline while other OPEC members were cheating on price and output rules. This was the beginning of the end of OPEC's attempts to regulate the world price. Last month, Fahd publicly reasserted this policy, meaning, if effect, that the cartel had again lost hope of single-handedly defending a fixed oil price.

■ Key OPEC members, including Saudi Arabia, Kuwait and Indonesia, appear to have decided the cartel should stop fighting the price decline by cutting production. When this feeling became widespread in OPEC in late 1985, the result was a kind of anarchy. OPEC hoped to win back part of its market share from non-OPEC producers, but it did not expect the stunning price collapse that followed.

This time, however, the memory of what happened in 1986 — when prices tumbled below $10 a barrel — is likely to persuade the cartel leadership to at

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TEXAS OIL

Transformed Maxus builds new image

By MARIA HALKIAS

DALLAS (AP) — A year ago, the exploration and production staff of the now-defunct Diamond Shamrock Corp. was assembled before a new chief executive officer.

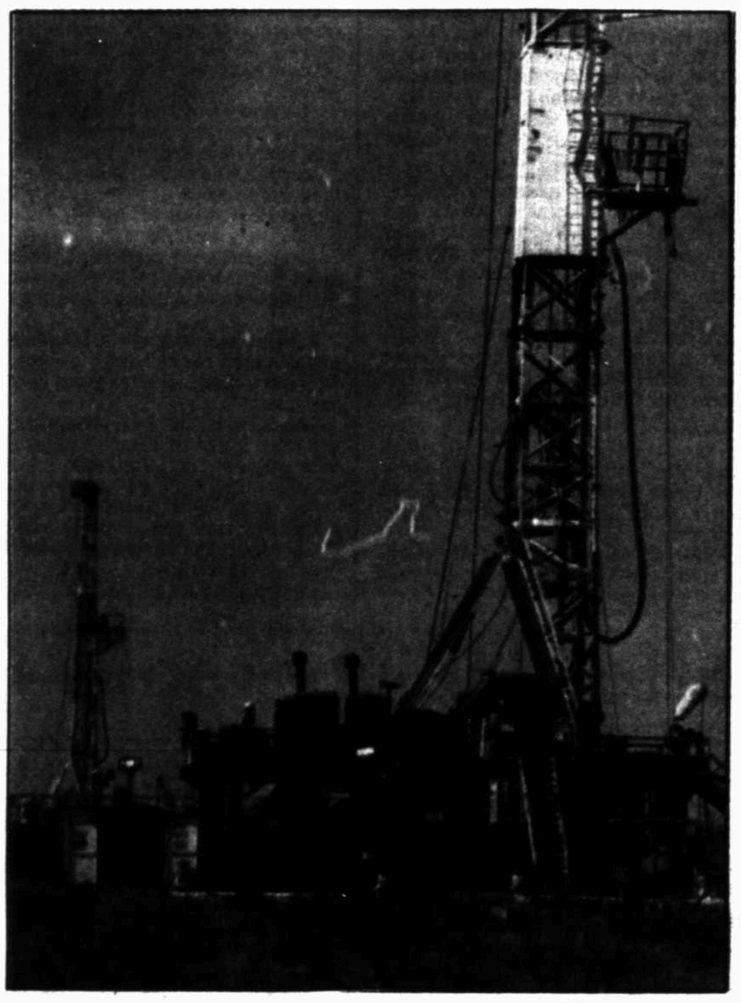
Charles L. Blackburn stood before a group that had been through a bumpy decade and in recent months had been the target of corporate raider T. Boone Pickens Jr. The result was the breakup of one of the nation's 20 largest integrated oil companies.

It was time to hear the new Dallas-based company's name.

Equipped with Velcro down the front of his shirt and a clip-on tie, Blackburn ripped his shirt open to unveil Maxus Energy Corp. on a T-shirt.

Since his initial jovial performance, employees say Blackburn has been demystifying the CEO's office and the direction of the company ever since. After one year, stability and consistency is what veteran employees of Maxus say they have grown to appreciate under Blackburn.

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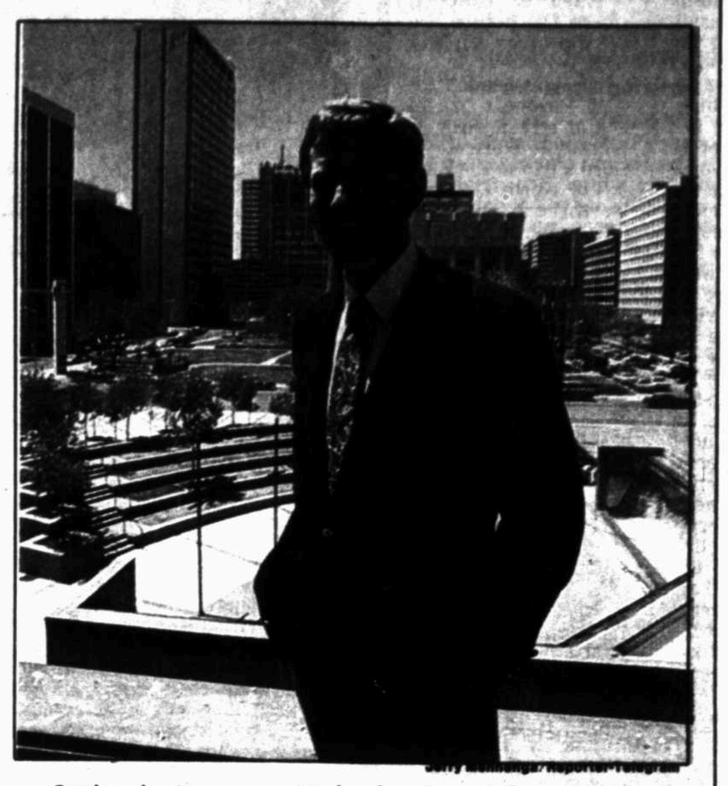


Still drilling

Amoco Production Co.'s infill drilling program in the Cedar Lake Unit in northeastern Gaines County continues with four rigs operating. These two rigs, about 1,320 feet apart, are three miles west of the Dawson County line and seven miles south of the Terry County line. Since Aug. 29, Amoco has drilled 96 wells in area with another 30 wells scheduled by early June.

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UP & COMING



Banker, businessman, civic leader, County Commisioner Guy McCrary with Centennial Plaza and Midland skyline is typical of the unusual number of succsssful up and coming young Midland entrepreneurs.

Guy McCrary thrives on problem-solving

EDITORS NOTE: This is the first in a series of profiles recognizing Midland's many successful up and coming young entrepreneurs and business professionals. Subsequent Up & Coming articles will appear each Monday in the Business/Oil section of the Reporter-Telegram.

By JOHN PAUL PITTS
Business/Oil Editor

When lines formed to withdraw savings and checking accounts, the national media descended on Midland like a swarm of locusts and it appeared the failure of First National Bank was imminent; the difficult task of handling public relations for the bank fell on the shoulders of a young executive, just getting ready to turn 30.

"It was one of the most stressful times of my life. It was hard on the nerves, hard on the family, but I am glad I stayed with it. I couldn't have lived with myself if I had walked away from the bank in those last days," says Guy McCrary, now a Midland County Commissioner.

One of the big problems, he says, was changing his role overnight from maximizing bank exposure and promoting growth to minimizing exposure and trying to halt decline.

But two years after leaving the bank he found himself again promoting growth and development. As head the Midland Centennial Plaza Association, an agency of the Midland Jayees, the problem was: raise $1.4 million dollars for a downtown park and integrate the park with Midland Center and Midland Chamber of Commerce offices.

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ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Texas to elevate grade above 'C' level

By ALLEN E. HOWLAND
Assistant Business/Oil Editor

Texas' "average" performance on one recent economic report card is more an indication of where the state has been than where it is headed, says the city's top economic development official.

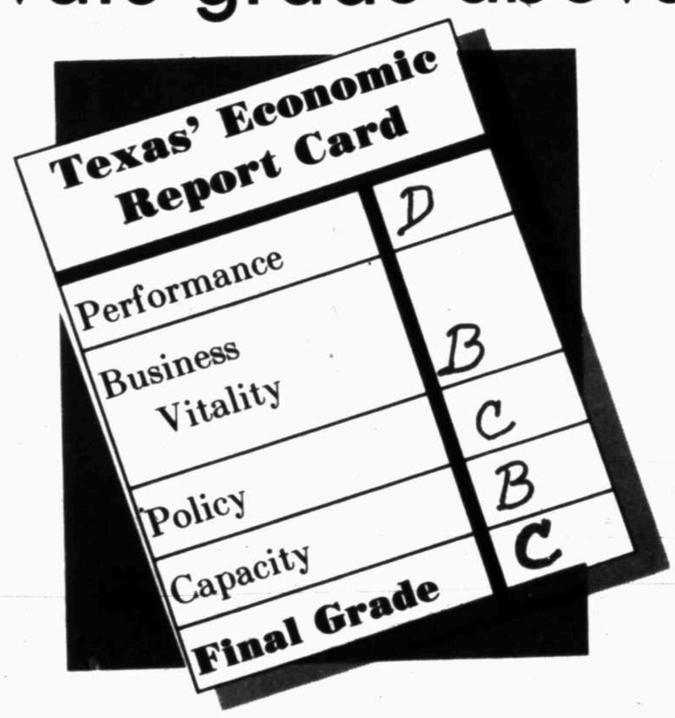
The Corporation for Enterprise Development in Washington, D.C., handed the state an overall C in its 1988 Development Report Card for the States earlier this month.

By compiling statistical indices, the CED scores states in four general areas: economic performance; business vitality; state policies; and capacity for growth.

Of the four areas, Texas fared best in both business vitality and growth capacity with Bs, but was pulled down by a D for poor overall economic performance. The state earned a C for its policy position.

But Jim Crider, Midland Chamber of Commerce's manager of economic development, said the policy grade does not reflect the state's new Department of Commerce, which he feels will bolster economic development.

Bringing various economic and tourist programs under a single agency with more ambitious goals will "make Texas the standard by which other state's will measure themselves," Crider said.



He found greater fault with the whole idea of competitive grading than with the state's low policy grade.

"We (Texans) are not competing against other states so much as we are competing in the global market," he said.

"It should not be a question of grade comparisons. We're in a pass/-fail situation and anything less than A+ is failing."

The CED's methodology is to rank the 50 states, awarding As to the top 10; Bs to the next 10, Cs to numbers 21 through 35; Ds to the next 10 and Fs to the bottom 5.

State Comptroller of Public Accounts Bob Bullock, in town this week to address Leadership Midland, said the state tax system's role in its policy grade is probably fair.

Because the structure of the tax burden is not linked to the current economy, it is not as equitably distributed as it could be, he explained.

However, if a grade was given for administration and collection of taxes, Bullock said he was confident Texas would pull down an A+.

Within the four primary subject areas, each grade represents a combination of several sub-index ratings.

For instance, the policy grade comprises seven categories, including policies affecting tax and fiscal issues, governance and regulation, mobilization of capital and infrastructure and amenity investments.

The last category yielded Texas' worst policy grade — a D — hurt by poor performance in assuring affordable housing, public health assistance and arts appropriations, according to the CED report.

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PROFILE SUMMARY

BACKGROUND

■ Born June 1953 at Norfolk, Va., father a police administrator, mother a housewife, raised at Garland, Texas
■ Graduated 1975 from Texas A&M University with BA in Recreation & Parks Administration, served as a member of the Corps of Cadets, commissioned second lieutenant U.S. Army, received MS in management from American Technological University at Fort Hood.
■ Served in U.S. Army from 1975 to 1979, promoted to first lieutenant
■ Divorced, father of two, Mary Beth 7, and Jeffery 5.
■ Hobbies include golf, dogs and photography

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

■ 1968 — Receives Eagle Scout award
■ 1982-83 — Stays aboard sinking First National Bank, as vice president of marketing to handle public relations in its darkest hours
■ 1983 — Forms successful marketing/public relations firm
■ 1984 — Heads Jaycee agency responsible for developing Centennial Plaza
■ 1986 — Elected Midland County Commissioner

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JOHN PAUL PITTS

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When a gang of Persian Gulf thugs left the U.S. oil industry beaten and bleeding beside the road, no "Samaritan" came forward to bind the wounds.

The once-great industry lay there hemorrhaging dollars and jobs at a deadly rate but no help came. In a six-month period, from January to May 1986, the oil industry lost nearly 100,000 jobs. Bank closings in Texas became routine. The rig count hit its lowest point since 1942 and Texas production fell below 1944 levels. But no one offered help.

Many paused to view and study the helpless, beaten giant and went on their way. Friend Ronald Reagan sent his sympathy. The media came and took pictures and when America saw the pictures some were sad — some were not. Nobody offered to help — nobody cared.

A few came forward with plans to help, but nothing ever came of any of them. Most were shot down by the administration. "We were assured," says Permian Basin Petroleum Association president Charles Perry, "that there was nothing that could be done." Import fees, quotas, depletion allowances and tax incentives were ruled out as politically inexpedient.

It was strange — even to the Persian Gulf thugs doing the beating — that no countrymen stepped forward to help the U.S. oil industry during or after the worse beating ever inflicted on an industry in modern times.

In the first month of 1986, $9 trillion in energy wealth, the equivalent value of all the real estate on Manhattan Island, disappeared. Everyone thought something would be done. Nothing was done.

Texans, however, speculated that had the industry been timber, shoes, motorcycles or automobiles someone would have done something. But it was oil and nobody cared.

Then steps forward Kent Hance, newly appointed Texas Railroad Commissioner. One of the first things he declares upon taking office: "I have a plan. I can help. I will help. Something can be done."

His plan was to attend an OPEC meeting, to sit down face-to-face with OPEC leaders and offer his input on how oil prices could be stabilized. After all, who better than the Texas Railroad Commission to advise on stabilizing oil prices. From 1933 to 1973 the Texas Railroad Commission regulated Texas oil production to control world oil prices.

Nobody paid much attention until Hance announced that he had his plane ticket and was on his way to meet with OPEC producers and non-producers.

That announcement, that a world oil cartel of OPEC and non-OPEC producers might be in the making was enough to send oil prices up nearly $2, before Persian Gulf hostilities bumped it to almost $19.

Some say it wasn't the announcement, but market conditions that made oil prices soar. But the same market conditions were there the day before the announcement.

At any rate it was enough to get the attention of Washington, and bring an outburst of indignation from bureaucrats.

An unnamed State Department spokesman said Hance's mission to OPEC was a mistake, because OPEC was "a cartel that did not operate in the best interest of the U.S."

Doug Elmets, press aide to Energy Secretary John Herrington, said it was the department's belief that helping OPEC manipulate oil prices was not in the best correct.

Some questioned the legality of Hance's participation at the OPEC meetings next week, and New Mexico Congressman Joe Skeen, said he didn't think Hance should be running around, "acting like a shiek." Sister producing states Oklahoma and Louisiana were strangely silent on the matter, as was the White House.

Thursday, Independent Petroleum Association of America President Danny Conklin refused to give Hance's mission an official endorsement, and American Petroleum Institute chief operating officer William O'Keefe, Friday, told the Reporter-Telegram that Hance's approach was a novel and unique approach to solving Texas' energy problems, but API believes in free markets and believes

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No-Vault Insurance

While First RepublicBank's woes have increased deposits at independent Texas banks, those bankers claim the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. is discriminating against them.

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Insured home equity proposal draws fire

Official: Racial motives driving economic policy

By WILLIAM C. HIDLAY
Associated Press Writer

CHICAGO — Joyce Zick saw it happen in her old neighborhood. As Hispanics and blacks moved in, middle-class whites fled, frightened by real estate agents fanning fears of declining property values.

"When the panic peddlers came through, my parents made a conscious decision to stay and live with the families who moved in," Mrs. Zick recalled. "They stayed and the property values declined. Then the neighborhood changed again and the property values declined again."

Today, Mrs. Zick is working with a homeowners coalition lobbying the City Council to pass a plan designed to prevent drops in property values and halt middle-class flight from racially changing neighborhoods.

But the plan, known as "home equity," has drawn fire from black leaders who contend it's intended to maintain segregated black and white neighborhoods.

"It's saying that as a direct result of blacks moving in, the economic stability and vitality of a neighborhood is undermined," said Alderwoman Marlene Carter, who is black.

"I'm insulted by it," she said. "I think it's motivated by racism under the guise of economics."

Supporters of the plan contend home-equity would benefit minority middle-class homeowners as much as whites.

Under the proposal, participating homeowners would pay a special property tax — $10 to $25 a year — and the money would be used to create an insurance fund. The fund would guarantee the resale price of a person's home at its appraised value.

If the home sold for less than its appraised value, the plan would allow the homeowner to collect the difference from the home equity fund. To be protected by the fund, a homeowner would have to maintain the house in good condition and not sell for at least five years.



AP LaserPhoto

Joyce Zick, whose parents consciously stayed through the ethnic changes in their neighborhood, now works with a homeowners' coalition to protect property values.

Supporters of the plan say home equity would take away the fear some white homeowners have that their property's value will decline if the racial makeup changes in their neighborhood.

Once that fear is removed, home-equity supporters argue, whites will be more likely to stay in a neighborhood when blacks or other minorities move in, thus promoting natural integration and keeping the white middle-class in the city.

"It doesn't matter what race you are — this will protect the value of everyone's home," said Alderman William Banks, who is white and who co-sponsored the proposal. "Everybody's money is the same color — green."

The City Council is weighing a proposal to establish home-equity pilot programs in two predominantly white neighborhoods. If the City Council doesn't act by May 1, Illinois House Speaker Michael Madigan says he will push for a statewide program.

"The program is a psychological tool — it makes people feel confident they won't lose their property value," said Philip Nyden, who studied the issue with fellow Loyola University sociologist Kathleen McCourt.

"We saw this program as a way to intervene in this process and build stable, middle-income neighborhoods that are integrated," Ms. McCourt said.

Nyden added that "the biggest winners of the home-equity program would be the black middle-income homeowners who have a tough time finding homes and have the most to lose if their neighborhoods deteriorate."

Oak Park, an integrated suburb on the western edge of Chicago, was the first community in the nation to enact a home-equity program, Ms. McCourt said.

Although Oak Park has never had to pay a claim from its home-equity fund, she said, it instituted the plan in the late 1970s to prevent white flight when adjacent Chicago neighborhoods became predominantly black.

The 1960s and 1970s saw real estate agents engaging in a kind of "block-by-block resegregation," she said.

"Their policy was to show blacks homes on a block-by-block basis after several blacks had already moved in," she added. "There was a lot of panic peddling at that time — white people being told they better sell their home quickly or they wouldn't get a good price for it."

Mrs. Zick, for instance, says her parents were pressured to sell when Hispanics began moving into the West Side neighborhood where she was raised.

She says her mother, now 78, resisted the tide of middle-class white flight and stayed until last summer, but finally sold the family home and moved to the suburbs because crime grew so bad.

"She lived under siege," Mrs. Zick said. "There were gunshots in the night, and she'd look out and see a dead body on the street."

From 1960 to 1980, Chicago lost 263,278 middle- and upper-income families, according to a report by the Save Our Cities-Save Our Neighborhoods coalition, a homeowners' group pushing the issue.

Last April, voters in predominantly white northwest and southwest Chicago overwhelmingly approved advisory referendums calling for testing home equity in their neighborhoods.

Jane Sobczyk, a homeowner on the city's northwest side, says the program is widely supported in her middle-class neighborhood of ethnic Polish, Filipinos, Italians, Mexicans and Puerto Ricans.

"This is really talking about middle-class communities wanting to keep their middle-class socio-economic base," she said. "It's a socio-economic issue — it's not a color issue."

But Ms. Carter contends that by requiring homeowners not to sell their houses for five years in order to qualify for home equity, the program is "designed to hold the line on integration."

"It's in some people's interests to polarize the community and pit different neighborhood groups against each other," said Erik Wogstad, the Save Our Cities coalition's project director for home equity.

Ms. Carter and other black aldermen are painting the issue in white vs. black terms to win political support from their constituents, he asserted.

The Chicago Board of Realtors, which has 3,000 members, also opposes the program.

Housing 'IRA' may help build down payment

By JOHN CUNNIFF
AP Business Analyst

BUSINESS MIRROR

NEW YORK — You can defer taxes while saving money for your retirement sometime in the future, but you cannot defer taxes while saving for the down payment on a home for the present.

To some housing people, this constitutes a monumental incongruity, and they would like to see a housing equivalent of Individual Retirement Accounts, which allow many people to accumulate funds without immediate taxes.

Among other things, they contend that living well during the pre-retirement decades is equally as important as living well in the fewer years to follow.

They concede that low-income retirement years can be difficult without a supply of funds. But they counter by saying that low incomes and big expenses of young couples can make them as distressed as any retiree.

Among others, the National Association of Home Builders is now pushing a housing agenda for the 1990s that would allow interest on savings to be tax-deferred if earmarked for the purchase of a house.

You'll be hearing a lot about that agenda because hearings are now being held around the country to assist Congress in gathering data on the subject, and that data is liking to serve as a blueprint for later action.

While it can be argued that home builders will support almost any legislation that makes their lives more comfortable, they do have some telling evidence in support of a "housing IRA."

First, there is the high price of housing. High is a relative term, of course, but how can you argue that a fivefold increase in housing prices over the last 20 years or so hasn't exceeded that of most increases in incomes?

Price, no doubt, has a lot to do with the falling homeownership rate, especially for younger people. Since 1980, ownership for those aged 25 years to 29 years dropped to 35.9 percent from 43.2 percent; for households aged 30 years to 34 years, the rate dropped to 53.2 percent from 61.1 percent.

The down payment is the big obstacle; once a house is owned it may cost no more to finance and operate than a rented apartment. By deferring taxes, it is argued, young couples can at least get a foot in the door.

Anyone who came through the Great Depression of the 1930s might be inclined to have little sympathy for this predicament, since a house of any kind was out of the question for most of them. But why use that period as a criterion?

A more cogent argument is that a home is both shelter AND retirement fund. It can be lived in during working years, and in retirement the house can become an annuity to support the owners as their incomes fall.

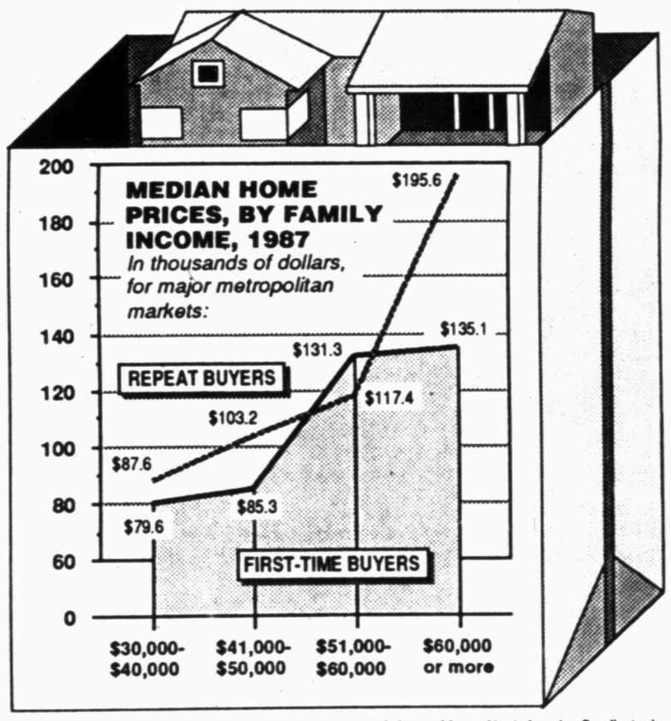
Reverse mortgages, the financial instrument for utilizing home equity, have existed for at least a decade, although with little popularity. Those who have them withdraw equity on a regular basis to finance day-to-day expenses.

The flaw in the house-as-retirement thesis is that pre-retirees might tap the equity to finance expenses during their high-income years — with interest tax deductible, incidentally — leaving little for retirement years.

The housing lobby is strong, however, and is dedicated to making housing a national commitment through legislation. It isn't likely to retreat from the challenge, since safeguards against abuse could be built into an "IRA" law.

Median home prices in 1987 compared to family income

In 1987, first-time homebuyers in major metropolitan markets with a family income of $30,000 to $40,000 bought homes with an average price of $79,600.



SOURCE: Chicago Title Insurance Company

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Is housing affordability really increasing?

NEW YORK (AP) — Encouraged by studies showing housing affordability has improved, a result of rising incomes and lower interest rates, many young couples are seeking to buy their first houses this spring.

"Now is as good a time as ever to buy a home," says Nestor R. Weigand, Jr., president of the National Association of Realtors, because "conditions over the last few months are the best of the decade."

He points to an affordability reading of 113, meaning a family earning the median income of $31,384 had 113 percent of the income needed to qualify for a conventional 80 percent loan on an existing median-price home of $88,300.

That's one point of view, and it is well-supported by the evidence. However, it applies only to those who manage to come up with the 20 percent down payment, which in some parts of the country can mean a lot of cash.

There's another viewpoint: No matter what the affordability measures say, it is still going to be difficult for most first-time buyers - those who seek to put down only 10 percent or 15 percent — to get the house of their choice.

Those who say that have been observing a growing phenomenon, a tendency for mortgage lenders to seek higher downpayments from their customers, thus obliterating the good news coming from housing and real estate people.

Because of the surge in housing prices over the past half-decade, two big obstacles face first-time buyers. First, they must have sufficient money for the down payment; secondly, they must be able to afford carrying costs.

While two incomes help solve the second of these challenges, these incomes might have very little impact on the problem, that of amassing the down payment. Young people have a tough time saving, for reasons well known to everybody.

Recognizing this, the market responded with extremely low down payments, made possible in part by mortgage insurance that reduced the lender's risk. As a result, many buyers were able to get by with 10 percent down, or even less.

As it turns out, however, what was good for the homebuyer was not always so for the private mortgage insurance industry. Real estate prices have actually fallen in some areas, eroding the owner's tiny equity.

In some instances, owners of houses with insured mortgages have found when they sold that they had insufficient money to pay off the mortgage. That being so, some mortgage companies have experienced a surge of claims.

The response of such insurers is to seek customers who make larger initial payments. And, with prices in many communities double or triple the national median, that can mean a sum beyond the abilities of most young couples.

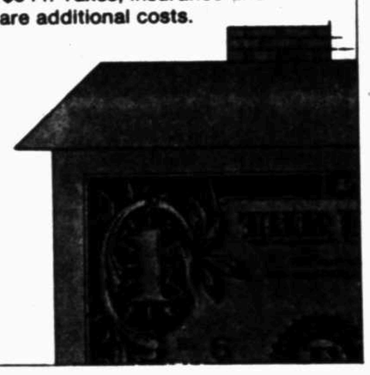
The insistence by lenders that buyers obtain mortgage insurance, and the insistance by mortgage insurers that the buyer make a larger down payment, tends to offset the impact of lower interest rates and a variety of mortgages.

It leaves the first-time homebuyer in a tough spot, which is nothing new, as the statistics show.

Monthly payments for mortgages

Basic monthly mortgage costs for principal and interest on a 30-year fixed loan. Figures are per $1,000 borrowed. **Example:** Monthly payment on a $100,000 at 9.5% is $841. Taxes, insurance and Private Mortgage Insurance (PMI) are additional costs.

Rate	Monthly payment
7.5%	$6.99
8.0%	7.34
8.5%	7.69
9.0%	8.05
9.5%	8.41
10.0%	8.78
10.5%	9.15
11.0%	9.53
11.5%	9.91
12.0%	10.29
12.5%	10.68
13.0%	11.07



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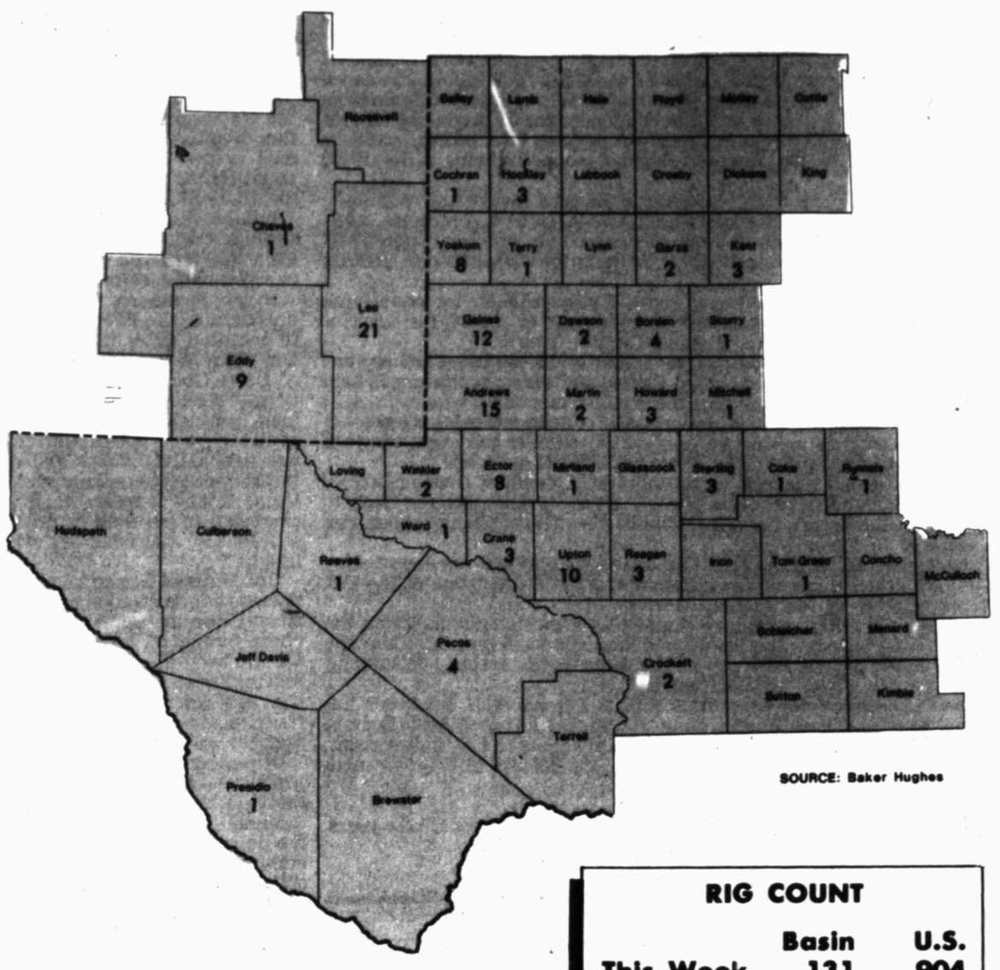
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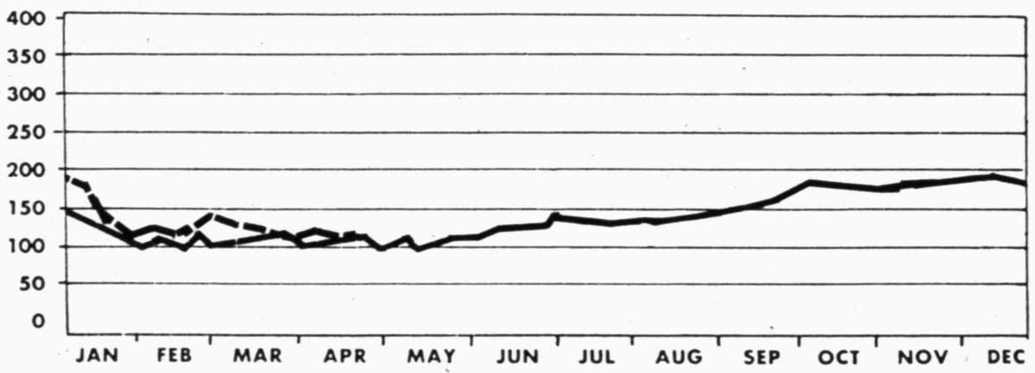
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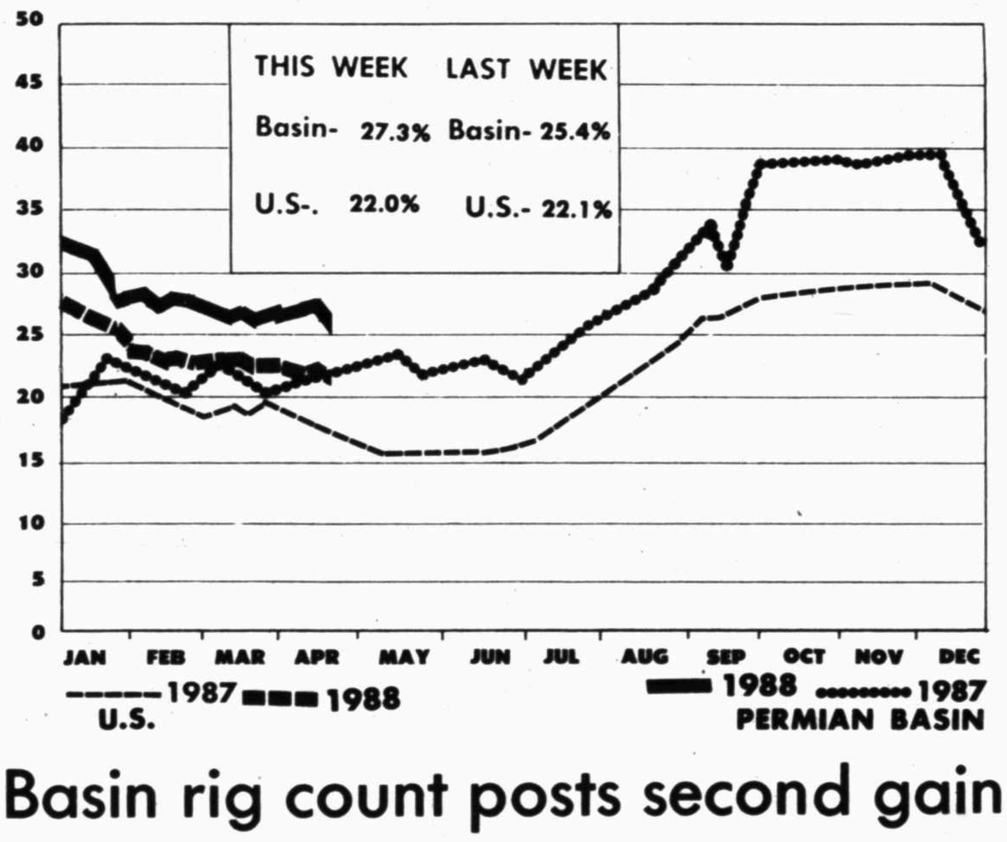
RIG COUNT

	Basin	U.S.
This Week	131	904
Last Week	127	916
Year Ago	111	750

Tracking the Basin Rig Count



Rig Utilization



Basin rig count posts second gain

From Staff Reports

The Permian Basin rig count gained four rigs while the U.S. rig count dropped 12, according to Houston-based Baker Hughes Inc.

It was the second consecutive drop for the U.S. and the second consecutive rise for the Basin rig counts.

Lea County, N.M. continued to be the most active in the Permian Basin, with 21 rigs. Next was Andrews County with 15 and Gaines County with 12. Midland County had one rig at work within county lines.

Rig utilization — the percentage of available rigs being utilized — mirrored the rig count, with the U.S. percentage dipping to 22 percent from 22.1 percent, and the Basin percentage rising from 25.4 to 27.3 percent.

Among the major oil producing states, Texas was the big loser this week as its count dropped by 13. Among other oil producing states, Oklahoma lost five rigs, California four, North Dakota three, Michigan two and Pennsylvania one.

The rig count in Louisiana rose by six, New Mexico gained five rigs, Wyoming, Ohio and Colorado each gained two, while Kansas was unchanged.

Permian Basin completions

TRC Districts	7C	8	8A	N.M.	Total
This week	15	23	19	19	76
Last week	12	25	20	27	84

Source: Petroleum Information

OIL PRICES THIS WEEK

West Texas Intermediate SPOT MARKET

Average This Week $18.20

Average Last Week $17.86

Monday	$18.35
Tuesday	$18.50
Wednesday	$18.05
Thursday	$17.75
Friday	$18.35

Posted Price

Amoco	17.00*	Mobil	17.00*
Arco	17.00	Navajo	17.50*
Chevron	N/A	Permian	17.50*
Citgo	17.50	Phillips	17.50*
Conoco	17.50	Pride	17.50*
Crown	16.50*	Scurlock	17.50
D. Shamrock	17.50*	Shell	17.00*
Enron	17.50	Sun	17.50*
Exxon	17.00	Tesoro	17.50*
Fina	17.00*	Texaco	17.50
Koch	17.50	UPR	17.50
Marathon	17.50*	Unocal	17.50*

Median This Week $18.50

Median Last Week $16.50

EDITOR'S NOTE: Prices effective Friday preceding publication. Listed prices may be subject to pipeline and trucking charges, which vary by firm and lease location. Contact crude oil buyers for charges.

* Denotes net price — no transportation charges.

TRC BRIEFS

Commission grants 14 pipeline permits

AUSTIN — The Texas Railroad Commission granted 14 permits to operate new pipelines in March, up one from the 13 granted in February.

Nine of the new permits were for gathering pipelines, and five were for trunk transmission lines.

More drilling permits issued during March

AUSTIN — In March, the Railroad Commissionissued 1,441 drilling permits, according to RRC chairman James E. (Jim) Nugent. A total of 1,332 permits were issued in Feburary.

The March total included 968 permits to drill new oil and gas tests, 62 to deepen existing holes, 225 to plugback existing holes, and seven for other wells. Operators were also issued 179 amended drilling permits.

In the first three months of 1988, the RRC has issued 4,023 drilling permits, an 11 percent increase over the first three months of 1987, when 3,601 permits were issued.

RRC reports increase in well completions

AUSTIN — Texas oil and gas operators reported 240 gas and 689 oil completions last month, according to the Texas Railroad Commission, up from the 219 completions reported in February.

The Midland area saw 14 gas completions and 192 oil completions.

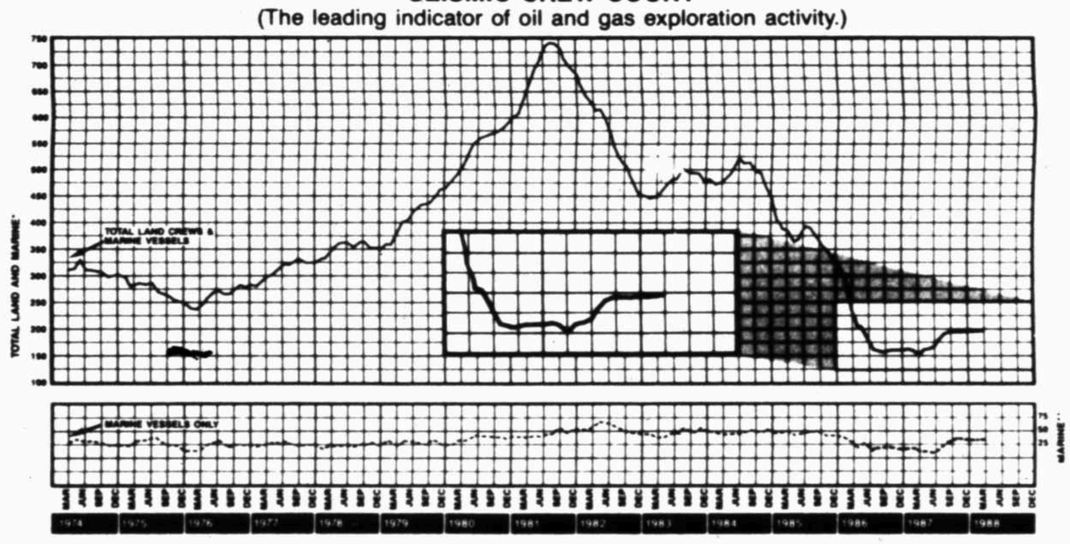
Operators also reported that 1,281 holes were plugged in March, compared to 1,072 in February. Also, a total of 457 dry holes were reported, compared to 392 in February.

Texas refinery output increases in December

AUSTIN — The Texas Railroad Commission has reported that 54 Texas refineries processed 136,162,730 barrels of oil and hydrocarbon blends during December 1987.

The December volume compared to 132,472,653 barrels in November and 141,677,255 in December 1986.

SEISMIC CREW COUNT
(The leading indicator of oil and gas exploration activity.)



Seismic count falls

The Society of Exploration Geologists reported that the number of seismic land crews and marine vessels searching for oil and gas in U.S. and U.S. waters fell by four during March. The land crew total dropped three and the marine crew dropped by one to total 194.

Argentina devises new oil, gas program

HOUSTON (SWN) — A new oil and gas program that provides participation by private companies on a bid basis has been announced by Argentina.

Initially 247 marginal fields making up about 12 percent of Argentina's current production will be involved in the program, according to Rodolfo Terragno, minister of Public Works.

Terragno said the Yacimientos Petroliferos Fiscales (YPF), the national oil company, may at its discretion also permit independent and major integrated operators to participate in an additional 42 larger and more productive fields comprising 88 percent of Argentina's annual production of approximately 160 million barrels.

Argentina hopes the new capital and additional technology from the private sector will reverse the rate of decline its oil industry has been experiencing.

In addition, to immediately boost recovery of declining production, the government has announced a program for current contractors whereby any increase in production over their present production curves will be paid at 80 percent of the international rate, which is above current prices in Argentina.

Current companies operating in Argentina and expected to participate are AMOCO, Occidental, Astra, Sol Petroleo and PeresComPanc, Bridas and others. The major service contractors currently operating in Argentina are Baker-Hughes, Schlumberger and Halliburton.

Terragno estimates the incentives to current contractors alone will increase production by 1.8 million barrels of oil annually.

Successful bidders on marginal field exploitation will join YPF in "joint ventures" known as a "Transient Union of Companies (TUC)," having a term of 20 years. All payments on bids for the rights to participate are due within five years.

The bidder on a field offering the highest amount for the exploitation right or the most money in the first year in the event of tie bids will be selected for the TUC.

YPF will have a carried interest of 12 percent of oil produced plus eight percent of revenues from all oil sold on the open market by the operating company.

Operators will have complete control, but also assume all risks of international market pricing and of variables in seismic, drilling, completion, workover, servicing, lifting and transportation costs.

Companies participating in major Argentine fields will be minority partners of YPF and will receive a portion of the crude produced for their capital and technological contributions. YPF will be the operator.

Many of these programs will be aimed at secondary and tertiary recovery.

Contract drilling, workover and other service work will be compensated on a cash basis. Argentina will request a U.S. $180 million line of credit from the World Bank to finance improved recovery of its reserves.

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COMING MONDAY



Old age poorhouse?

With more Americans living longer, interest in nursing home insurance is increasing. Read about this "burning issue" in Monday's BUSINESS section.

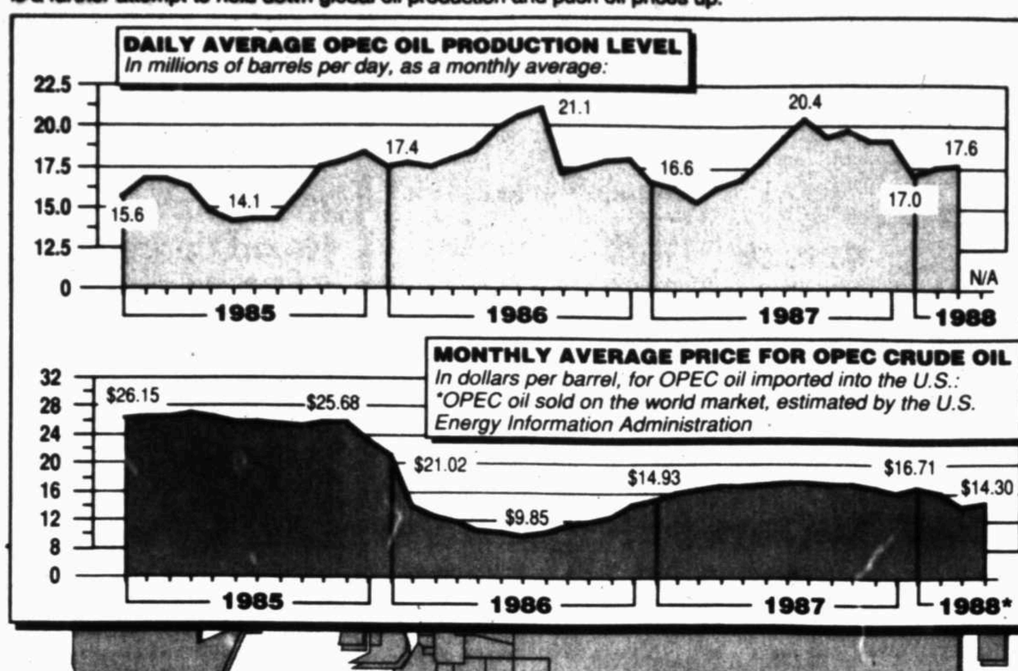
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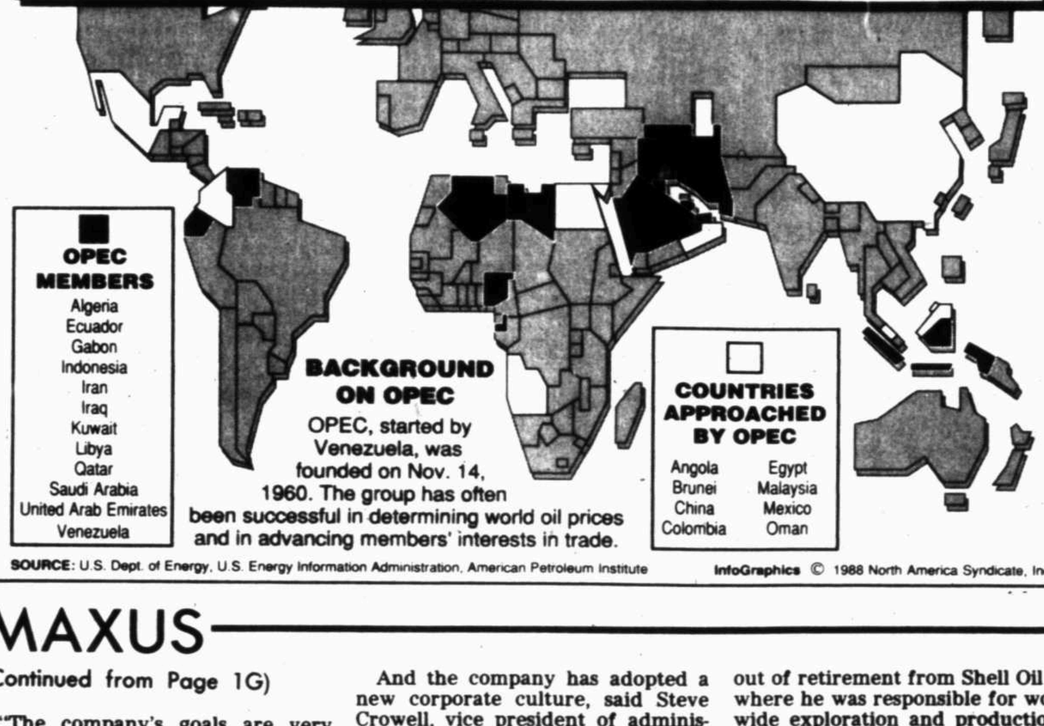
OPEC

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Tracking OPEC prices and production levels

The Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC) has been trying to push up the price paid for its oil by holding down production levels. A recent effort to bring non-OPEC countries in line with production limits is a further attempt to hold down global oil production and push oil prices up.





SOURCE: U.S. Dept. of Energy, U.S. Energy Information Administration, American Petroleum Institute

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least keep existing production controls in place. Also, Iran is more aggressively fighting to retain the OPEC strategy of cutting production.

■ OPEC is turning to independent producers for help in limiting oil production.

When prices were falling gradually in early 1985, OPEC saw that its production cuts were too little. Unable or unwilling to cut more, the cartel stepped up efforts to win restraint from non-OPEC producers. Oil ministers from Mexico, Egypt, Malaysia and other independent oil-producing nations attended several OPEC meetings in 1984-85 as observers, but the contacts yielded few results. By 1986 the outsiders had stopped coming to the OPEC meetings.

This week OPEC is returning to this tactic. Its price-monitoring committee — comprised of the oil ministers of Saudi Arabia, Nigeria, Venezuela, Algeria and Indonesia — is to meet with representatives of several non-OPEC producers, including Mexico and Egypt, to press for cooperation in limiting production.

In OPEC's view, all oil producers share a responsibility for restraining production in order to keep prices high enough to justify the level of investment needed to find oil supplies for the future.

Many non-OPEC countries don't agree. The world's two largest oil producers, the Soviet Union and the United States, and major producers Britain and Norway will not be attending the Vienna meeting.

The chances of OPEC and independent producers reaching agreement any time soon on joint production cuts appear slim. In the event they are unsuccessful the key question is: What will OPEC do next?

In 1985, the cartel's response to getting a cold shoulder from non-OPEC was to declare an unofficial "price war." This time that is much less likely to happen, given the severe financial wounds that OPEC member countries have suffered in recent years.

The odds of OPEC letting prices fall uncontrollably also are lessened by the fact that prices, adjusted for inflation and the depreciation of the U.S. dollar, already are as low as they were in 1986.

The outlook for OPEC is further clouded by growing friction within the cartel. Relations between the Saudis and Iranians have been at a low ebb since riots in the Islamic holy city of Mecca, in Saudi Arabia, last summer killed 402 people, including 275 Iranians.

The political climate between Iran and its Persian Gulf neighbors has worsened this spring with Iranian gunboat attacks on United Arab Emirate shipping and oil facilities in the Gulf and the hijacking of a Kuwait Airways plane by Shiite Moslem gunmen demanding the release of 17 pro-Iranian terrorists held in Kuwait.

Robert Burns has covered OPEC for The Associated Press for six years.

PITTS

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OPEC activities run counter to free markets.

So why all this uproar about a plan to stabilize oil prices? Robert Pace of the North Texas Oil & Gas Association wonders along with many oilmen across the country, who applaud Hance what is so wrong with the stabilization of oil prices.

Indeed there is something very strange, even sinister, about the silence and criticism concerning Hance's planned meeting with OPEC.

Harry Spannaus, executive vice president of the PBPA wonders too. In a heated letter to Energy Secretary John Herrington and Secretary of State George Schultz he speculates: "While our federal government has done virtually nothing to counter our record deficit, our shameful debtor status and our increasing reliance on imported petroleum, it now appears to mount a campaign to cover-up its do-nothing attitude by chastising one who has insight."

One Midland oilman has suggested that the administration has an "unofficial" energy policy that favors cheap foreign oil for as long as possible to keep the general economy moving forward. And if one looks at the administration's do-nothing track record on energy that does not seem so unbelievable.

Others have suggested political jealousy. And there may be something to that also. When the only leadership in stabilizing oil prices, the dollar and dealing with the federal trade deficits comes from Texas officials like Hance and Land Commissioner Garry Mauro who is working to expand natural gas markets, it is enough to make any politician angry.

Whatever the reason for the criticism from other ranks, Texans should not forget that Kent Hance is a Texan, acting like a Texan, in the best interest of Texas.

John Paul Pitts is business/oil editor of the Reporter-Telegram.

McCRARY

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Today, he points with pride to Centennial Plaza, a project that succeeded in part due to his leadership and problem-solving skills.

A feat he is equally proud of is the fact that during this time, when the oil industry was at its lowest point in history and the only thing on most minds was survival, he was able to form a new marketing consulting firm and make a go of it. "The problem was to find a niche in such a small market," said McCrary.

Having found the niche, and nursing his new company through the oil price crash, McCrary was elected Midland County Commissioner in 1986 and applied his problem-solving skills to such issues as building and paying for a new jail.

"I thrive on solving problems and being part of the problem-solving process," says McCrary, who credits Eagle Scout training and years in the Texas A&M Corps with helping to his develop problem-solving skills.

McCrary says he sees no conflict in owning a consulting company and being County Commissioner. Moreover, he sees it as being healthy for Midland County, because he is able to provide an expanded scope of understanding to the needs and problems of the county. "I think my skills are valuable in the court house," he says.

Other court houses apparently agree. In past months he has assisted Yoakum and Scurry counties in preparing community development bond issues. "I get great satisfaction with helping a county get a new hospital or other facilities," he says.

While his firm, Guy McCrary Associates, is not as successful financially as he would like, he has dreams there too: "Eventually we would like to develop a larger base of clients and have a marketing firm statewide in scope with a reputation throughout the state."

Given McCrary's record as a problem-solver that should be no big problem.

MAXUS

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"The company's goals are very clear to all of us, and that's a powerful force when you get a lot of people doing the same thing," said Noel "Bud" Reitman, senior vice president of Maxus' North American exploration and production.

Don Mielke, senior vice president of finance and administration, said the company's goals have been the same all through 1987 and "they'll be the same in 1989 and beyond. That's important when you consider the amount of change the employees have gone through in the past."

Maxus is operating under the goals of becoming a pure exploration and production company. It is focusing on proven North American exploration and entering international projects with broad exposure on potentially high-reward projects while it continues to work on cutting costs and reducing its $796 million in long-term debt.

And the company has adopted a new corporate culture, said Steve Crowell, vice president of administration. "Charlie never feels anything is trivial or not worthy of his time. And he will change his mind."

Some changes are as small as hanging working maps in once sacred executive suite conference rooms now used by all employees. Another offers stock options to employees farther down the company ladder, Crowell said.

In-house technical training with experts brought in to teach classes is one of Blackburn's pet projects. And Blackburn is working his way through the company, having small group lunches with every department.

Described by Wall Street, his peers and employees as a no-nonsense manager and a knowledgable oilman, Blackburn, 60, joined the former Diamond Shamrock Corp. in August 1986 to head its exploration and production business. He was called out of retirement from Shell Oil Co., where he was responsible for worldwide exploration and production.

"Blackburn is just what the doctor ordered as far as the company is concerned," said David Bradshaw, and energy industry analyst for Rauscher Pierce Refnes Inc.

William H. Bricker stepped down as chairman and chief executive of Diamond Shamrock Corp. in early 1987 after a rocky tenure and three takeover attempts by Pickens. The board approved a breakup of the 20-year-old company into a Diamond Shamrock Refining & Marketing based in San Antonio and Maxus.

Maxus inherited a debt-ridden balance sheet, but the independent oil and gas company is getting good marks from Wall Street — continuing to build reserves, finding them at costs that rival the lowest in the industry. Earnings haven't improved markedly because of spending to find those reserves and to pay down debt, analysts say.

Bernard J. Picchi, analyst for Salomon Brothers Inc. in New York, said Maxus has the cash flow to be able to service its debt and carry out an exploration program of some size. The company plans to spend $241 million on its exploration and development program in 1988.

"Blackburn has shown the investment community that geological theories can still find interesting commercial deposits," Picchi said.

GRADE

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The best policy sub-grade was an A for education policies, which incorporate spending figures, pupil/-teacher ratios and salary changes.

Texas' worst general subject grade — a D for economic performance — was due to near-failure levels in unemployment rankings and pay growth.

The average grades of B for both growth capacity and business vitality mask wide diversities in sub-index performance.

Growth capacity grades — human, technological, financial and physical resources — averaged together As for both financial and infrastructure resources with a D for human resources, largely due to the state's relatively high illiteracy rate.

Crider of the Midland chamber noted border states and other areas of high in-migration of aliens experience high structural illiteracy, which hurt Texas' ranking.

Financial capacity, based on figures such as deposits, loan-to-equity ratios, commercial and industrial loans, venture capital and dividend income mostly from 1986, was the state's strongest subject area, ranking 4th for a strong grade A.

The infrastructure and amenity sub-index — in which Texas rated 10th — encompasses high per capita receipt of foundation grants and the low percentage of income that must be devoted to housing costs.

The high number of new enterprises and the concentration of "high growth" companies combine to give Texas the fifth-highest entrepreneurial energy rating which offset the F-rated business failure rate for an overall B in business vitality.

"States leading the report card (primarily in the Northeast) are learning what America's best businesses have known for years — the importance of adding value to their product," said Robert Friedman, president of the CED, in a statement accompanying the grade report.

Smart businesses focus on making better — not just cheaper — goods through innovation and a commitment to quality, Friedman said.

The report's top-rated state governments "are doing the same by investing — directly and in partnership with private industry — in the quality of their work forces, the excellence of the schools, the capacity of the financial networks, the condition of their roads, bridges and water systems and in all other building blocks of state economies," he said.

"Texas' C signals that more policy progress is necessary — and possible — if the state is to advance in today's economy."

Said Friedman: "Its key challenge is to build upon its strengths in business vitality and resource capacity to diversify its economy."

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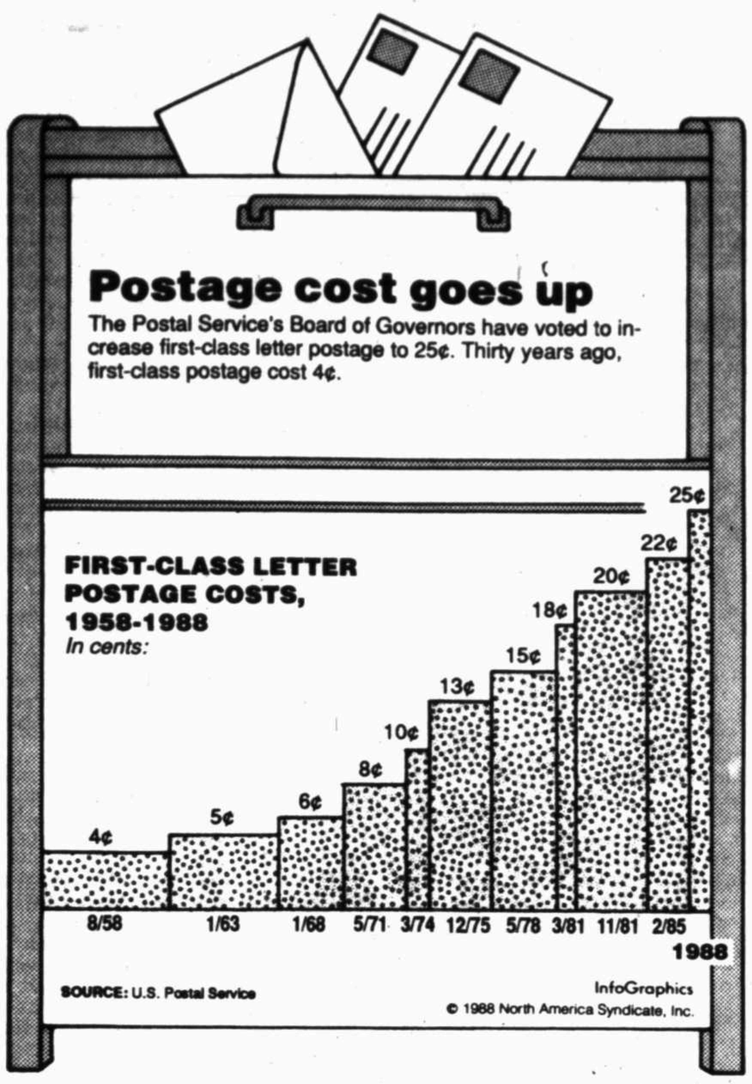
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Postal services minus the post office



New York Times News Service

Consumers may be grumbling about the new cutbacks in hours by the United States Postal Service, but some people could not be happier: those offering private mailbox and postal services.

More than 3,500 storefront shops across the country rent private mailboxes; sell stamps, and forward, pack, send and receive letters and packages. Although these small businesses typically charge more than the Postal Service, they have longer business hours, often serve customers more quickly and offer an option to all those people who are on waiting lists for post office mailboxes.

"The U.S. Postal Service is making it much more difficult on the consumer," said Tony DeSio, chief executive of Mail Boxes Etc. USA, the San Diego-based leader in the market, with more than 600 franchises. "That's making our services all the more attractive."

To help reduce the federal budget deficit, the Postal Service last month ordered cutbacks to reduce its spending by $1.2 billion. Many of the nations' 40,000 post offices are now closed at lunch or one day a week and on Saturdays. This could be a boon to the private services.

The industry's sales last year exceeded $350 million. While small, the revenues have been growing by about 25 percent a year, estimated James W. Baer, executive director of the Association of Commercial Mail Receiving Agencies, a trade group in Albuquerque, N.M. He predicted that the number of stores could double and the industry's revenues could triple within five years.

These businesses do not deliver mail. They provide retail services, acting as middlemen between the Postal Service, United Parcel Service and carriers like Emery Air Freight, and individuals. Many also have telex and facsimile machines and offer answering service, photocopying and word processing — which makes them popular with small businesses.

"We're a '7-Eleven' post office," said Al Schoenung, owner of Naperville Mail Center in suburban Chicago.

These private operations often offer 24-hour access to mailboxes. Renters can call to find out if they have mail. They also accept packages and inform customers when items have been delivered. And they will pack and ship anything anywhere.

These conveniences, however, come at a price. Small boxes can cost between $10 and $25 a month; the Postal Service charges $22 a year. A 22-cent stamp may cost a quarter at the private services, and it is usually a few dollars extra to send packages.

But many customers say the higher price is worth it. "They cost more, but who has time to go to the post office and wait in those lines?" said Margaret DeWitt, who stopped recently to pick up stamps at a Mail Boxes Etc. store in New York during her lunch hour. "I just work across the street so this is much more convenient."

Ron Brown, vice president for marketing at Pak Mail Inc., added: "We're a convenience-oriented society. Our free time is too valuable to spend waiting in long lines." Denver-based Pak Mail has 120 franchises in the West and Middle West.

Another reason people rent mailboxes is safety. Vito Fortuna, a Postal Service spokesman in New York, said there was a significant problem with vandals breaking into home mailboxes. And while the Postal Service has 17 million boxes nationwide, there is a shortage in some cities.

The boom in storefront businesses that rent mailboxes started in California in the late 1970s, according to Baer, the industry trade association official. California's fast-growing, mobile society combined with the shortage of post office boxes created an opportunity, he said.

But the concept has been around for hundreds of years, Baer added. One of the oldest surviving businesses is Wanderers' Mail Service, which was started in 1909 when a Seattle bookstore owner agreed to receive mail for a few of his traveling customers, mostly sailors, miners and loggers.

The bookstore is gone, but the new owner, Frank Cafferty, has added check cashing, a facsimile machine and a telegram service. Yet receiving mail for more than 2,000 people is still the heart of his business.

Mom-and-pop stores — like Scott and Debbie Tomasello's the Mail Answer Inc. in Fort Lauderdale, Fla. — dominate the industry. Tomasello said his business was the area's first. Now there are more than three dozen.

As with most small businesses, failures are common. Baer said that nearly three out of every four independent outlets folded in the first few years because of undercapitalization, poor choice of location and little or no marketing. The success rate of stores affiliated with a franchise or the trade association is much greater, he said.

Independent businesses enjoy a big portion of the market share, but franchisers, like Mail Boxes Etc. and Pak Mail, are growing quickly.

Started in 1979, Mail Boxes Etc. has sold more than 600 franchises in 40 states, said DeSio, one of its founders. The company started out slowly, but in the last three years it has grown dramatically, with combined revenues for its franchises last year totaling nearly $100 million, he said.

"Growth is definitely accelerating," DeSio added, predicting the company would have 1,000 franchisees by 1990.

The company sells a franchise right for $19,500 and franchises pay a monthly fee of 5 percent of gross revenues and a 2 percent royalty for national and regional advertising. The cost of opening a business — including the fees, equipment and rent — is about $55,000.

DeSio said a typical franchise had annual sales of about $125,000, generating at least $35,000 in income for its owners, although many do better.

The corporation is doing quite well. Its shares, which trade under the symbol MAIL were first sold for $9.17 when the company went public in June 1986. Monday, the shares were bid at $12 a share in over-the-counter trading. In the nine months that ended Jan. 31, Mail Boxes earned $1.4 million on revenues of $9.1 million.

DeSio said the company's long-term goal is to be the "McDonald's of the alternative postal industry," with thousands of franchises.

The growth potential of the industry stems from its wide customer base — split evenly between individuals and small businesses.

"We're an incubator for small businesses.," DeSio said. "They can get a 'suite' instead of a PO box and all the conveniences of a mailroom without the capital investment of a large office."

Postage hike lifts outlook for electronic mail

By JOHN BARNETT
Hearst News Service

The recent 3-cent price increase for regular first-class mail could give a boost to electronic mail service and software firms.

Instead of sending information in a letter through the U.S. Postal Service, more companies could start to use electronic messaging systems. Not only would these systems provide stamp price savings — which, according to one analyst, could amount to 15 cents per letter at the current rate — but they also would save time and improve efficiency and productivity.

Although slow to gain wide-spread acceptance since its introduction in the early 1980s, electronic mail is expected to experience a rapid growth spurt in the next few years because of increasing stamp prices, improved technology and an awareness by businesses that computerization is more efficient.

"E-mail is a revolutionary concept that will soon build a critical mass that will revolutionize the way businesses do business," predicts Joan Wray, product marketing manager for Western Union's EasyLink public E-mail service.

The Electronic Mail Association estimates that 2.4 billion messages were transmitted within the U.S. in 1987. That number should increase to over 3.5 billion in 1988. This represents a significant growth from the 1.6 billion sent in 1986.

The total electronic mail market will nearly triple through 1992 and these services will eventually replace 25 percent to 35 percent of the current courier overnight delivery volume, according to a new survey by Frost & Sullivan, an international market research group. The study sees the overall market surging from $415 million in 1987 to $1.2 billion by 1992.

The largest segment will continue to be the services sector, such as EasyLink, CompuServe's EasyPlex or MCI Mail, which is expected to rise in total value from $300 million in 1987 to $861 million by 1992.

Walter Ulrich, a partner in the management consulting services division of Coopers & Lybrand, expects E-mail use to boom because of stamp prices increasing to 25 cents.

"The margin between the cost of sending an electronic message vs. the cost of sending the traditional letter is widening," says Ulrich. "While basically a good machine, the U.S. Postal Service has some strong weaknesses for handling business traffic. There is a need for businesses to go with alternative forms of mail."

A new study by the Cato Institute, issued the day of the latest Postal Service rate hike, says that mail service in the country is getting slower, more expensive and less reliable. The Cato Institute is a non-partisan public policy research organization.

"The history of the Postal Service in the 1980s is largely a history of boondoggles," says James Bovard, a policy analyst with the institute, citing the Postal Service's attempt at its own E-mail system and the unsuccessful Express Mail.

"The thing I find fascinating is that in the services where the Postal Service has a monopoly, the price is going up, but where there is competition — such as in overnight express delivery —the price is going down. In my mind, there is something wrong with that," Ulrich says.

Ulrich, a founder and current board member of the Electronic Mail Association, estimates that companies could send a document within the country for as little as 7 cents, compared to stamp prices of 25 cents. Internationally, the costs for a message could be as little as 20 cents, compared to the 45 cents the Postal Service charges for the first half-ounce to Europe.

"E-mail will not replace regular mail on every occasion, because it has a touch of informality," he said. "A company would not want to send a formal document, such as a proposal, electronically, but once you have a relationship with a client, then it can be very useful."

E-mail is excellent for routine communications, and 80 percent of the high-technology companies use it extensively, he says. Many companies, including such notables as IBM and Digital Equipment Corp., have their own software systems for the electronic mail market so a person can use his own computer.

Productivity is one of the main advantages of using E-mail, says David Kishler, supervisor of corporate communications for the electronic communications company CompuServe. CompuServe offers two electronic mail services; one to the public and one to corporations.

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MEETINGS

Tax update to be topic at WTGS gathering


Edmunds

Mark Edmunds, senior tax manager for Deloitte, Haskins and Sells of Dallas, will be the guest speaker at Tuesday's meeting of the West Texas Geological Society. The meeting will be at the Midland Center, beginning at 11:30 a.m.

Edmunds will discuss "Raising Capital in the New Tax Environment: Washington Tax Update." Topics will include the use of hybrid partnerships to raise funds, the impact of the alternative minimum tax on independents and the investor; passive income generators; and Washington tax update: what the future holds.

Cost of the luncheon is $7 per person, and reservations can be made by noon Monday at the WTGS office.

Real estate managers set Thursday meeting

The Institute of Real Estate Management will meet Thursday at the Plaza Club. The meeting will get underway at 11:30 a.m.

Guest speaker will be Ron Stegall, chief appraiser from the Midland Central Appraisal District.

Reservations should be made by phoning 684-5844.

Bank women to hear how to manage stress

The Permian Basin group of the National Association of Bank Women will meet Thursday at the Round House restaurant, beginning at 6:30 p.m.

Guest speaker Marion Kimberly, counselor, instructor and lecturer, who will discuss "Stress Management."

Reservations should be made by phoning Carol Nichols at 685-6604 before 5 p.m. on Tuesday.

SEPM plans field trip, calls for 1989 papers

The Permian Basin section of the Society of Economic Paleontologists and Mineralogists has scheduled its 1988 annual meeting and field trip for May 12-14 in Las Cruces, N.M.

Participants will view Wolfcampian stratigraphy and facies transitions at outcrops in the Hueco, Franklin, Dona Ana and Sacramento Mountains. Participants will leave Midland at 7:30 a.m. May 12 and return in the early evening on Saturday. Registration is $185, which includes a guidebook, bus transportation, two nights lodging, three lunches, two breakfasts, a Thursday night ice breaker, Friday night banquet and daytime refreshments. Registration deadline is May 1.

In addition, the section has issued a call for papers for the 1989 PBS-SEPM symposium on the Ellenburger formation in the Permian Basin. Topics can include any aspect from trapping to secondary recovery. The paper should be double spaced and camera ready by Jan. 1, 1989.

IPAA plans mid-year meeting in Washington

Approximately 1500 members of the Independent Petroleum Association of America and their spouses are expected the IPAA mid-year meeting in Washington, D.C. May 10-13.

Theme of the meeting is "Effective Capital Commitment." Among the speakers will be William Bennett, secretary, Department of Education; Sen. Alan K. Simpson of Wyoming, Senate minory whip; and David Wigg, assistant secretary of defense for energy and economic policy.

Tomorrow's jetliner will equal office in sky

Firm designing jet especially for business traveler

By CHRIS BARNETT
Copley News Service



LONG BEACH, Calif. — The airplane of tomorrow will be an office in the sky for business travelers.

Passengers will settle into their seats, switch on a built-in computer and communicate, via modem, to any computer in the world.

A satellite telephone will let travelers dial customers or loved ones on any continent right from their seats. Currently, skyphones can only call within the U.S., and there is only one phone per plane.

Meals will be ordered a la carte, like in a restaurant. No longer will passengers be forced to choose between two or three basic dinners.

What's more, "tomorrow" is only three years away. Douglas Aircraft Co. communications director Nissen Davis says the MD-11 widebody intercontinental jetliner that can handle these amenities and many more will debut in 1991. Some 50 feet longer than the DC-10 and able to fly 8,000 miles without refueling, the MD-11 can fly from New York to Hong Kong nonstop.

Airlines with firm orders include Swissair, British Caledonian (soon to be merged into British Airways), Finnair, Thai Airways, Varig, Korean Air and Alitalia. (The airlines themselves will equip the planes with the new-age telecommunications gear, but Douglas Aircraft has wired the interior so that the electronic equipment can be plugged in to every seat.

The plane has been designed primarily for the business person who usually travels the most, pays top fares and deserves the most pampering. Says Davis: "A numerical keypad at your seat will let you call up different 'menus' on your computer screen. You can order your drink or your meal or shop at the duty-free store right from your seat. Cabin attendants won't be forever running up and down the aisles taking orders."

INVESTORS CAN check stock prices and perhaps place buy and sell orders right from their seat, he says.

Computer power has been harnessed in other ways in tomorrow's airplane, says Davis. The cockpit will have a crew of two instead of three; the flight engineer has been replaced by six computer screens that do his work — monitoring dials and gauges — electronically. Plus, the interior of the airplane can be reconfigured overnight, depending on passenger load. If more business class travelers book a flight, each will be assured of getting the comfier seat.

Davis says some MD-11 customers are talking about turning part of the lower deck cargo hold into a pub or lounge or even an on-board duty-free store.

The planemaker, a subsidiary of St. Louis-based McDonnell Douglas Corp., is now noodling the next generation aircraft — the "hypersonic" airplane — that will fly from three to 10 times faster than the Concorde. Slated to debut in 2010, it will streak travelers from New York to Tokyo in two hours flat. The mission is to make the plane comfortable, says Davis. "The Concorde is fast but cramped."

SGS Ltd., a Seattle-based airplane interior design company, isn't working on the hypersonic plane yet, but it is busy on an array of assignments to make business travelers more comfortable and safer.

"Life safety is the carrier's number one priority today," says SGS president John Fikkan, who was formerly director of interior design for Westin Hotels worldwide and a design consultant to United Airlines. Hence, new fabrics and seat cushions will be fireblocked as well as comfortable and aesthetically pleasing. Bulkhead space will be roomier for ease of entry and exit and gracefully configured.

FIKKAN AGREES that business class and the business traveler is getting the most attention.

"I don't think you'll see the (drinking) lounges again, but we are providing more room for doing business," he says. Entertainment will be "more educational" than simply movies and music, and facts and figures will be delivered by personal computer using flat-screen technology.

Sleeper seats will stretch "all the way out," but private beds won't be offered because "space is too precious." Adds Fikkan: "If airlines can add another seat, they will." Forget showers on the airplane of tomorrow, he notes.

The big emphasis on inflight service will be on "fresher, grander, more appetizing meals," says the airliner design specialist. Technology will let the carrier deliver "chilled crisp salads" and hot meals without having to rely on space-consuming onboard ovens.

Plane interiors will be more soothing and possibly even plush to help the traveler enjoy up to 16 nonstop hours in the air and not deplane with frayed nerves, says Fikkan. He sees more wall-to-wall carpeting, wall tapestries and calming colors like white, silver gray and charcoal.

However, SGS, which designs everything from on-board cocktail napkins to first class china, says airplanes will not try to be high flying fashion showrooms.

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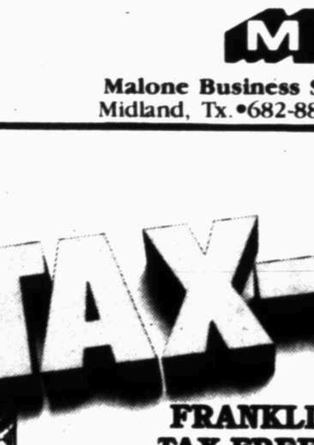
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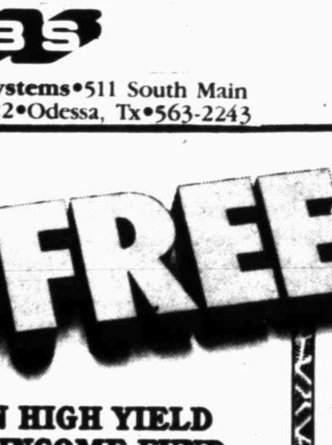
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TEXAS BUSINESS

Independent bank reaction to bailout mixed

AMARILLO (AP) — Independent Texas bankers are upset that the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. is providing unlimited coverage for First RepublicBank Corp. depositors, although many of the same bankers say the giant holding company's problems have brought them increased deposits.

"The discrimination caused by the FDIC's fully insuring First RepublicBank is bleeding all Texas banks that are fortunate enough not to be in a failing condition," top officials of the Independent Bankers Association of Texas said recently in a letter to FDIC chairman William Seidman.

In the letter, association executive director F. Hagen McMahon Jr. and president Scott Smith of Sherman's American Bank protested the unlimited insurance provision and a greater willingness by regulators to close ailing small banks rather than rescue them.

They accused the FDIC of slandering and threatening the management and directors of independent banks closed by regulators, while public statements about First RepublicBank's troubles blamed outside economic forces rather than management.

"Let us point out that our bankers live in the same economy as the bankers working for First RepublicBank," Smith and McMahon wrote.

Normally, the FDIC will insure individual deposits up to $100,000.

FDIC spokesman Alan Whitney said the full-insurance solution was the best one under the circumstances to ensure the safety of the Texas banking industry but acknowledged the guarantee causes disparity among the state's banks.

Texas has 1,400 independent banks, each averaging $44 million in deposits, according to association figures. Banking consultant firm Alex Sheshunoff & Co. in Austin ranks Laredo National Bank the state's largest with assets of $1.06 billion as of September 1987, the latest date for which figures are available.

Of the 69 Texas banks closed in 1987 and 1988, all but a handful were independent, so a slight influx in deposits from troubled larger banks is small comfort to most independent bankers.

"I would say that the independent banking community — for the lack of a better word — has benefited, or our deposits have increased, due to the problems that the larger banks are having," said McMahon.

Last month, the association's bankers reported they not only were gaining deposits from the First Republic system but also people were moving safe-deposit boxes.

"Anytime that a customer will go to the trouble of moving his safe-deposit box, that is a good indication that core deposits are flowing into our banks, not just temporary hot-money movement," he said.

But those added deposits could be a mixed blessing, according to Stephen Skaggs, vice president of Sheshunoff.

"It could be an opportunity for a financially healthy, sound bank which has loan demand to profitably make use of the deposit growth that comes from the troubled banks in the state," he said. "But growth in and of itself without having a way to deploy those deposits is not necessarily advantageous.

"If you don't have anywhere to put the money and suddenly you grow by $20 million, then what's really the advantage?" said Skaggs, citing declining loan demands throughout the state.

However, where loan demand does exist, larger independents with money to lend hope they can fill the lending void left by ailing holding companies.

"Out-of-state lenders are scared to make loans or invest here and the major Texas people have their hands tied," said Richard Ware II, president of Amarillo National Bank, one of the state's biggest independents.

Ware's bank, owned and operated by his family for four generations, works with other independents to assemble large loan deals the institution, with assets of $630.8 million, would not be able to do on its own.

"It's hard to get a $15 million loan right now," Ware said. "In the past that's what the Dallas or Houston banks would do. The independent banks can do a $6 million loan very easily, so that's not the problem. The problem is with that larger size."

While holding company banks probably always will have the edge on financial resources, the independents' cornerstone of personalized service will allow well-managed community banks, although small, to stay competitive.

"As consolidation in the industry continues, in terms of offering all the bells and whistles and all the products that major banks are able to offer, most independent banks are going to have a difficult time doing that," said Skaggs. "However, I think you will increasingly see that those banks are better at delivering customer service and the personal touch."

Independent bankers, for example, often know customers by name and can approve loans locally.

"The larger banks that are controlled outside the city or outside the state tend to be more of a deposit-gathering device than (providing) a service to the community and placing the loans back in the community where they're domiciled," said McMahon.

Personal service won't be enough to ensure survival for many independents. Some such banks will have to find niches in the market or merge to stay large enough to compete, banking experts say.

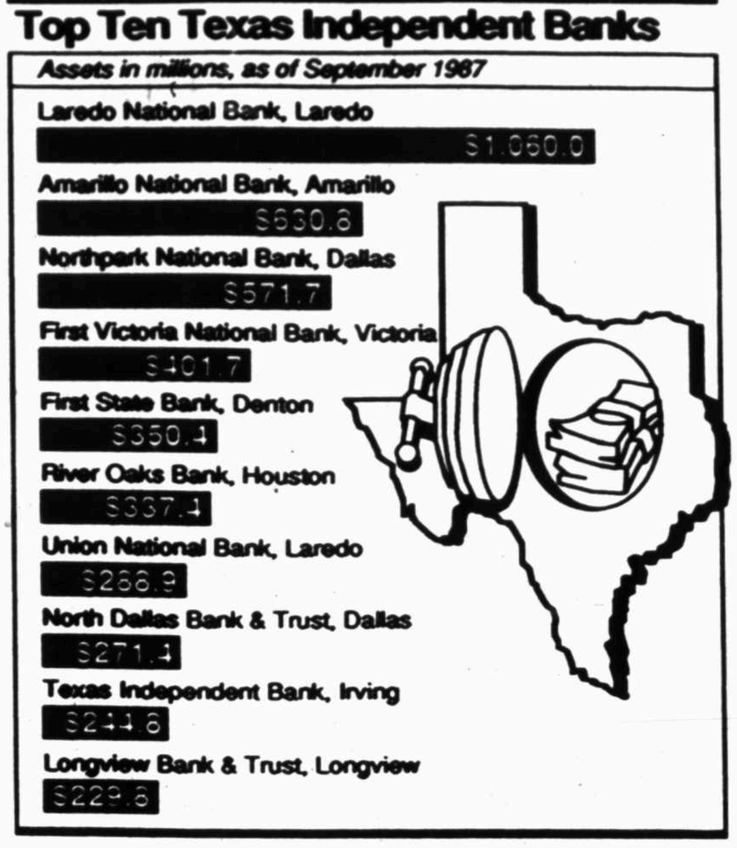
Ware said while his bank's profits are down, the institution remains profitable because its loan portfolio lacks the heavy exposure in real estate loans that burned its big-city counterparts.

The rush toward real estate lending by most holding companies illustrates a strength of independent banking: independent thinking, he noted.

"This concentration (of lenders) all starts thinking one way, and they all went into real estate lending and it got 'em," Ware said. "So I think there's some strength in the independent concept in that you're diversified, you have different management, you have different deposit bases.

Top Ten Texas Independent Banks

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NAMEDROPPING


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RICHARD A. VARELA has been promoted to manager of the West Texas district of TXO Production Corp.

He joined TXO in 1977 after eight years with Exxon Co. USA, and has worked in various management assignments in TXO's corporate office in Dallas, and in the Denver and Amarillo district offices.

FELIPE MORALES has been named a recipient of the Screaming Eagle award by American Security Life of San Antonio.

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BOBBY L. JONES, Midland representative of the Modern Woodmen of America, has received the Fraternal Insurance Counsellor designation.

The title is an educational designation earned by career life underwriters associted with fraternal insurance societies.

Two Midland men are among the new leaders of the Society of Independent Professinal Earth Scientists.

CHARLES GODFREY was elected to the board of directors, and **ROBERT GRACE** was reelected to the board at the society's 25th annual meeting in Wichita earlier this month. John C. Roberts of Oklahoma City was installed as president.

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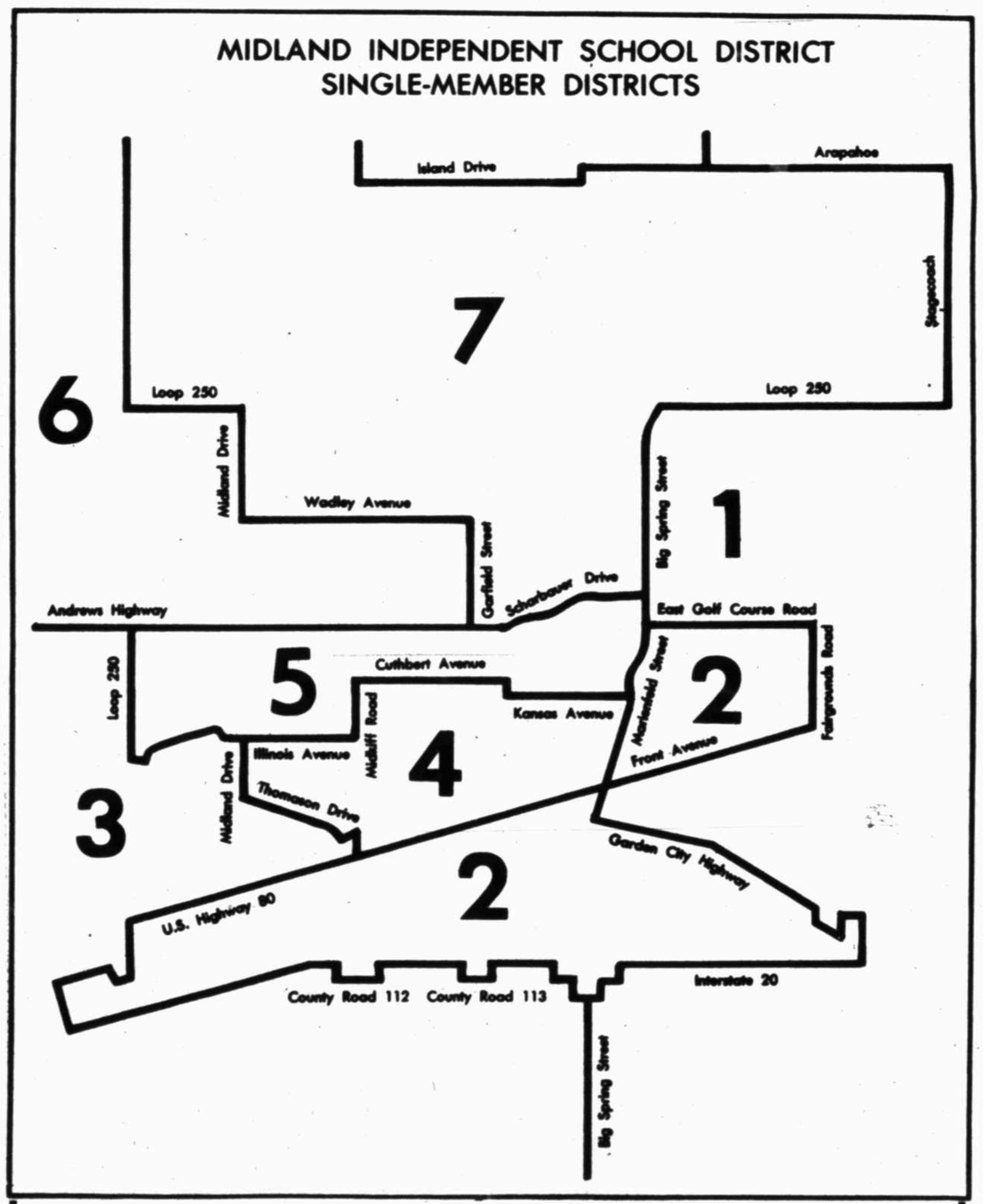
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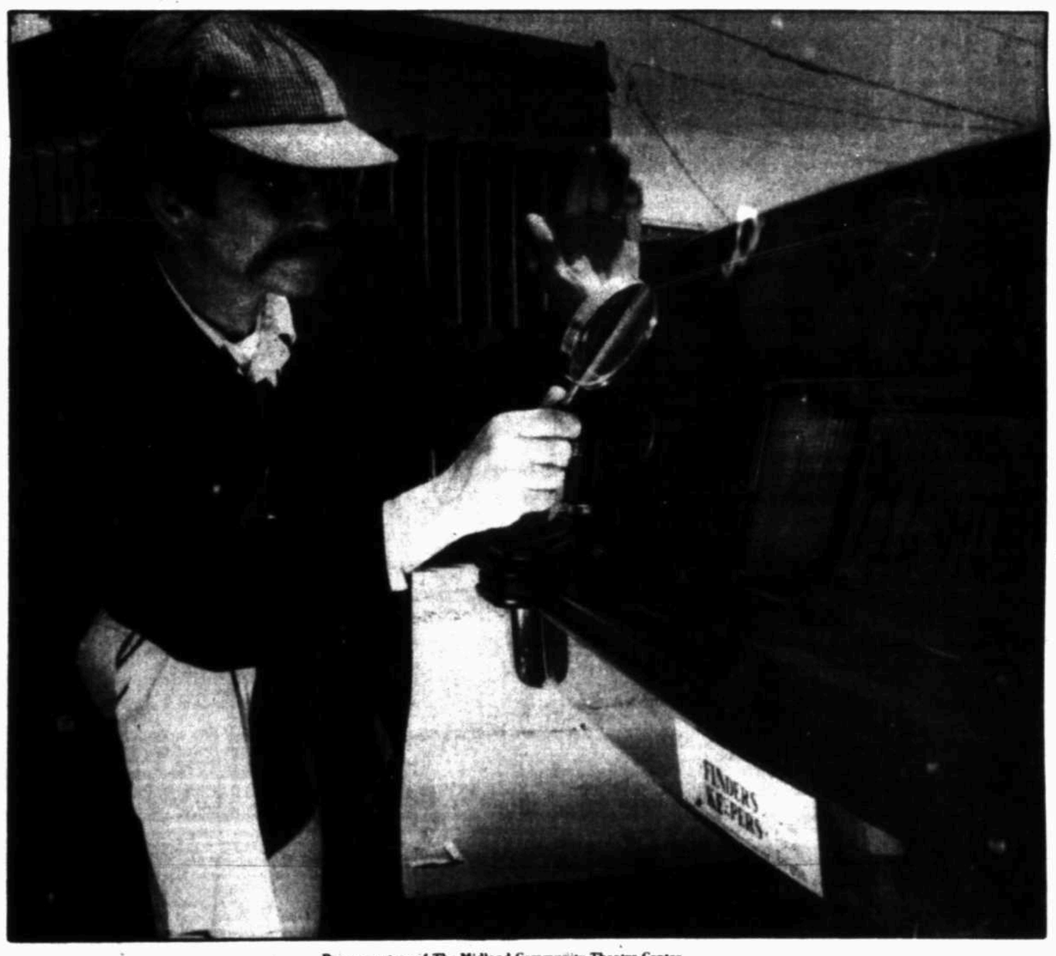
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CHAMBER REPORT

Chamber embarks on aggressive visitors' campaign

By JOHN FOWLER

The development of Midland's visitor industry can play a significant role in current economic diversification efforts.

Most people don't think of Midland as a tourist destination. There are no major scenic or man-made attractions in the area to place it on anyone's top ten list of favorite vacation spots.

But there are niches of the travel market that Midland is well-positioned to capture — and the Midland Chamber of Commerce Convention & Visitors Bureau has embarked on an aggressive campaign to increase the city's share of the travel dollar, which represents one of Texas' largest industries.

Many are surprised to learn that in 1986 visitors spent over $136 million in Midland County. Those direct expenditures — for such items as lodging, food, retail goods and services — generated over 2,400 jobs in Midland, an impact roughly twice that of our largest manufacturing plant. Local government benefited from travel expenditures to the tune of some $3.1 million.

Among the major components of Midland's visitor industry are corporate travel and meetings, conventions, athletic and special events, and leisure travel. The CVB marketing plan addresses each of these segments, focusing primarily on convention development and corporate meetings. Bureau staff and volunteers travel to trade and travel shows and make sales calls on association executive, and new leads are being generated by media advertising and direct mail.

"Our primary targets for conventions are state and regional meetings of 100 to 500 people," said CVB manager Norma Smith. "Midland has excellent accommodations and facilities to host groups of that size, which represent 90 percent of the meeting market nationwide."

Once a convention is secured, the bureau relies heavily on service as a way to get return business. A new network of volunteers, the CVB Stars, is frequently called upon to provide registration and hospitality assistance.

"We want convention delegates to feel welcome. Our friendly, West Texas hospitality is something they can't get in every city, and represents a personal touch that sets us apart from the competition," Smith said.

Local clubs and organizations also play a key role in attracting conventions. Recently, the bureau conducted a local sales blitz to acquaint local groups with the facilities and services Midland has to offer, and enlist their support to invite state, regional and national affiliates to meet here. The bureau offers bid support and convention services to local affiliates wishing to host their larger organizations, a strategy that has proved effective in securing several civic clubs on the state level.

On the tourism front, the bureau is seeking to generate increased group tour business by calling on bus tour operators, providing tour guides and packaging recreational stops for tours traveling through West Texas.

Midland also participates in the West Texas Travel Council and advertises jointly with other area cities. Because of the distance between tourist attractions in West Texas, Midland is best promoted as part of a regional tour. The bureau's objective is to position Midland as the hub of leisure travel in the area, and to capture leisure travelers passing through for an extra day or overnight.

Convention delegates spend an estimated $100 a day in the host city, and the overnight leisure traveler slightly less. If an additional 100 visitors a day came to Midland, their expenditures would add $3.65 million to the local economy, and generate an overall economic impact of around $14 million.

Travel and tourism is a clean industry, one for which the infrastructure is already in place. Midland ranks 16th in the state in terms of visitor expenditures, and with existing capacity, those expenditures could effectively double.

A new CVB Advisory Council, headed by Jane Wolf, is actively working on strategies to help Midland garner an increasing share of Texas' travel market.

It's an industry that already contributes greatly to Midland's economic base, but is destined to play an even greater role in its future.

John Fowler is president of the Midland Chamber of Commerce.

BUILDING PERMITS

Building permits in the City of Midland for the week of April 10-15.

New residential
Hillman & Co., 5023 Pleasant Drive, $51,000.
Total 1 permit, $51,000.

Residential alteration/repair
Homeowner, 1706 S. Mineola, $4,000; A.P. Drywall, 1303 E. Chestnut, $3,500; Homeowner, 4603 Crockett, $1,600; Homeowner, 406 E. Nobles, $3,000; Homeowner, 1514 S. Marshall, $2,000; Homeowner, 508 N. Terrell, $1,500; Manuel Ribera, 5004 San Antonio, $1,000; Manuel Ribera, 1108 E. Cottonwood, $2,575; C. Goss, 2300 Stutz Place, $2,000; Homeowner, 421 E. Hickory, $5,000.
Total: 10 permits, $26,175.

Residential detached accessory
Homeowner, 4507 Roosevelt, $831; Homeowner, 3819 Roosevelt, $1,000.
Total: 2 permits, $1,831.

Commercial alteration/ repair/accessory
Steve Tift, 3303 N. Midkiff No. 119, $400.
Total: 1 permit, $400.

Sears reveals plans to revers profits decline

CHICAGO (NYT) — Facing tough questions from financial analysts after this week's report of a 37.7 percent decline in profits, executives of Sears, Roebuck & Co. laid out plans to improve profits at its troubled merchandise group by setting up appliance and home electronics "superstores."

Michael Bozic, chairman and chief executive of the Sears merchandise group, said the company would sell brand-name home appliances and electronics alongside its Sears and Kenmore brands and dramatically increase the square footage of selling space in existing stores in a test of the superstore concept.

Bozic said that Sears planned to expand existing selling space by 50 to 70 percent to help accommodate the national brands. The nation's largest retailer is also exploring the possibility of opening a chain of appliance and home electronics stores to compete with those of specialty chains like Circuit City Stores Inc. and Highland Superstores Inc.

"We will not permit the so-called 'superstore' to usurp one of our strongest businesses," Bozic said at a gathering of financial analysts in Chicago. "We will do whatever is necessary to strengthen our position as America's premier retailer of appliances and home entertainment products."

Sears noted that it also planned to test a number of other retail concepts to broaden its distribution channels. The company is testing two shops in Miami that sell sleep-related items and said it would test a smaller neighborhood store tailored to a specific market, to open later this year in Chicago.

It also plans to test small auto service centers that will operate away from Sears store complexes.

The retail and financial giant is also planning to expand the number and size of its general merchandise department stores, Bozic said. Between 1989 and 1992, the company plans to add 85 department stores and 147 smaller market stores, bringing the total number of stores to 1,050. Sears also plans to add 1.2 million-square feet of selling space to its stores this year.

"As part of our strategic process, we continue to examine every aspect of our business," said Bozic, who assumed the chairmanship of the merchandise group in January 1987. "Our store will evolve over time to one where powerful categories will emerge. The in-store appliance superstore is a likely harbinger of this direction."

Bozic added that his group is examining its 138 product lines to determine which should be emphasized or abandoned, and has increasingly relied on outside help for developing new product lines, like the "McKids" line of children's clothing. Bozic also said Sears was attempting to add more name-brand clothing to its apparel lines.

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'Brighton Beach Memoirs'...

...a peek at family life

By GEORGIA TODD TEMPLE
Entertainment writer

In 15-year-old Eugene Morris Jerome's family, things are never so bad that they can't get worse.

In 1937, World War II looms on the U.S. horizon, and the family has relatives in Europe. The Great Depression shows no sign of easing.

The Jerome family, a lower-middle class Jewish family from the Brighton Beach section of Brooklyn, feels the pinch of limited space as well as the poverty of the times. Eugene's parents, Kate and Jack, have taken on the responsibility of Kate's widowed sister, Blanche, and her two daughters, Nora and Laurie. Rounding out the family circle is Eugene's older brother, Stanley, who loses his money in a poker game.

Leave it to Neil Simon to turn a family's trials and tribulations into a comedy hit. "Brighton Beach Memoirs," the first of Simon's plays to win a Critics Circle Award, opened on Broadway March 27, 1983. Midland Community Theatre's production, co-produced by Nancy and Buddy Anguish, opens Friday in Davis Theatre One at Theatre Midland, 2000 W. Wadley Ave.

More pointedly autobiographical than most of his works, Simon said of the play when it opened, "A great deal of it is specifically me and my brother. The ages are different in the play. I'm 15 years old in the play, but at that time I was 9 or 10...It was a period of innocence, and innocence is the dominant theme. Even the talk about sex seems, by today's standards, rather medieval.

"In this play, there's no major calamity, which, for me, is also a departure. I deal with everyday incidents, what seemed to happen almost every day of our lives.

"It was a real stretch for my father to meet the rent. If you lost 85 cents out of your pocket then, it was a crisis! A kid today could lose his BMW and not suffer as much as one in my day losing 85 cents through a hole in his pocket. That's why I wanted to write about things like that: they were the equivalent of something far worse happening today."

Playing the role of Eugene in MCT's production is Shelby Bond.

Bond's first exposure to "Brighton Beach Memoirs" was just over three years ago when he went to New York City with the Pickwick Players, MCT's youth performing troupe.

"Then, it was my favorite play I saw on Broadway," Bond says. "I've always like Neil Simon, but this increased my fascination with him."

Last summer when Bond heard "Brighton Beach Memoirs" was one of the plays being staged by MCT during its 1988 season, he began working on the part.

"That part is just so incredible that I've been working toward it since this past summer. We've been in rehearsal a few weeks now, and it's the most fun I've ever had on a play. This is probably my most favorite part that I've ever had, and I've been in a lot of productions.

"It's such a wonderful part, and I wanted to leave feeling like I had given my all to a play. I've been in a lot more children's productions than I have adult productions. I'm really happy to have such a major role in an adult play."

As a member of Midland Community Theatre's Pickwick Players, he appeared in, among others, "The Sound of Music," "Snoopy," "Bullshot Crummond," "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow," "Winnie the Pooh" and "A Midsummer Night's Dream."

Bond, who has seen the movie version "more times than I can count," calls "Brighton Beach Memoirs" "wonderful.

"All the characters on stage have so much warmth and sincerity — the characters are so realistic. It's been a lot of fun being able to work with people in those kinds of relationships on stage.

"The play will make you laugh, and it will make you cry, and it will make you angry. It's wonderful being able to show all of your emotions on stage.

"The relationships between the actors is not just on stage — that is the most wonderful thing," Bond says. "Everyone in it is supposed to be a family. We get along on stage and off. That relationship between us off stage carries on stage and helps bring forth the emotions."

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George Wolf/Reporter-Telegram

When Neil Simon's "Brighton Beach Memoirs" opens Friday at Theatre Midland, audiences will laugh and cry with family members, from left back row, Blanche (Carole Newton), Nora (Jill McElligott), Kate (Barbara Iglehart) and Jack (Bill Sibley); center, from left, Laurie (Allison Davis) and Stanley (Frank Mateo); and, front, Eugene (Shelby Bond). For reservations call 682-4111.



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'Let's celebrate' the arts

By GEORGIA TODD TEMPLE
Entertainment Writer

May brings Celebration of the Arts to bloom in Midland.

COA begins May 1 and continues through May 22. Events include, among others, art shows, dance presentations, symphony performances, a tasting extravaganza and theater productions. The Festival Days, to which no admission is charged, will be held May 14 and 15 at Midland Center and Centennial Plaza.

"Celebration of the Arts is an opportunity for Midlanders of all ages to take advantage of the wonderful talent that we have in our own community," says Cookie Wetendorf, Midland Arts Assembly coordinator for COA.

The assembly is the umbrella organization for the Midland arts community. As such, the assembly promotes Midland's arts organizations in all of the creative disciplines and sponsors COA. Mrs. Wetendorf has recently replaced Robin Jackson, who moved to Virginia.

"Many of our events are free of charge, and we hope that all parents will bring their children to hear the symphony in the park," Mrs. Wetendorf says. "It's a real family affair. Also during the Festival Days, the courthouse grounds will be filled with arts and crafts designed specifically for children. Wouldn't it be fun to churn butter or make musical instruments out of tissue boxes and paper towel cores?"

New activities planned for children this year during the Festival Days are computer art, possibly some lawn sculpture and exhibits from NASA.

In 1987, the Celebration Committee found it necessary to cut back on its budget while still staging the same size event. Because this year's celebration marks the fifth anniversary of COA, the budget has been "expanded somewhat," says Jean Posey, the assembly's executive director.

"Some new and exciting activities are in the works for adults as well as for children," Mrs. Posey says.

The assembly is bringing in Keith Brion from New York City to conduct the Midland-Odessa Symphony in a "Tribute to John Philip Sousa." The free outdoor concert, scheduled for May 12 at Midland College, will end with a fireworks display.

"He (Brion) looks exactly like him and wears the costume of a bandmaster of Sousa's time," Mrs. Posey says. "He travels all over the country doing this and has appeared with numerous major symphony orchestras."

Mrs. Posey laughs and adds, "The Boston Pops will have nothing on us. The Fourth of July is going to be here on May 12."

The Chinese are coming to town May 1 for COA's opening event — a "Chinese Artists' Wine and Cheese Reception and Exhibition" at the Museum of the Southwest, 1705 W. Missouri Ave.

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GEORGIA TODD TEMPLE

Conductor will bring Sousa 'back to life' in free outdoor concert



Temple

Before reading further, take a moment and mark May 12 as a date to remember. The date is close to three weeks away, but for those whose lives travel time faster than Superman flies, it will feel in retrospect as if it arrived ahead of yesterday.

The fifth annual Celebration of the Arts begins May 1 — that's next Sunday. Festival days are May 14 and 15 at Midland Center, Centennial Plaza and the courthouse lawn. As is usual, the yearly event offers something for everyone and includes palette delights ranging from art to a tasting extravaganza in addition to numerous musical offerings.

It is one of those music offerings which occurs at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, May 12. On that date John Phillip Sousa and his music will be brought to life in an outdoor concert conducted by Keith Brion, a conductor of 27 years, and performed by the Midland-Odessa Symphony. The concert, which will be held at Midland College, is free.

I repeat — free.

Midland Arts Assembly, the umbrella organization for the arts in Midland, the symphony and sponsors Pacific-Texas Pipeline Co. and Seismic Reflections, Inc., are making possible this performance which includes a fireworks finale. Box dinners, at a charge, will be available.

In front of me I have several articles, including ones in the Boston Globe and the Atlanta Constitution, written about Keith Brion which extol the virtues of his conducting, the programming and the music.

When I talked with Brion, his enthusiasm about Sousa and his music could be felt over the phone.

"As a young musician, I played Sousa marches at park concerts and parades, always loving the music and the atmosphere. It was not until much later, in 1977, when I read Paul Bierley's wonderful book, 'John Phillip Sousa, An American Phenomenon,' that I began to realize Sousa's profound contributions to American music. He wrote 135 marches, 11 operettas, five novels, and went on annual tours throughout America, Canada and Europe."

Brion dresses like Sousa and conducts in the same manner Sousa did.

"There is an old Indian proverb about 'walk a mile in another man's shoes...' To this day, the pursuit of authenticity in Sousa research continues to bring me a harvest of musical and theatrical insights."

Those who come expecting to hear only Sousa marches will be surprised.

"Sousa rarely played an 'all-Sousa' program. His talent as an entertainer was developed during his time as a successful composer of Broadway shows. In his concerts, he balanced soloists and large ensemble pieces, new and older music, the serious and the trivial, every style imaginable, from 'Ein Heldenleben' to 'Turkey in the Straw.' Of course, the heartbeat remained the performance of his beloved marches, inserted as encores as he went along."

Did you know the Sousa Band marched only four times in 40 years? Brion is full of interesting tidbits about Sousa. Since performing his first Sousa revival concert with the Yale Band in January of 1978, he has made it a point to become a Sousa expert.

Some of his comments include — Sousa was the first American composer of a successful Broadway show — "El Capitan" in 1896; Sousa is considered to be the father of the modern pops concert; his programming greatly influenced Arthur Fiedler; Sousa introduced the music of Wagner, Richard Strauss, Respeghi and others to many U.S. cities; and the Sousa Band rarely played out of doors, concerts were usually held in concert halls and opera houses.

Sousa's programs, Brion says, "are pure optimism, and they are a testimony to the robust vitality of music in America's history. My greatest reward is beaming all of this forward in time for the pleasure of modern listeners."

The symphony has two more performances scheduled before the Sousa event. On May 6 at the Holiday Inn Convention Center the orchestra, conducted by Dr. Thomas Hohstadt, will perform its final pops concert in Midland. The performance, which features the music of Rodgers and Hammerstein performed by the Chorale and soloists, will be repeated May 7 at Odessa's Holiday Inn Centre.

In addition, the symphony has just closed its subscription concert series with guest artist Jeffrey Campbell, a winner in 1976 of the Midland-Odessa National Young Artists Competition.

Campbell, who graduated from Juilliard School with numerous honors including the Liszt Award, is originally from Dallas. He is the son of Carolyn Jones Campbell, also a pianist and long time piano teacher. He and his wife, who is also a pianist and a graduate of Juilliard, live in New York City where they teach music to young students at Campbell Music Studio.

The music performed was challenging. Although the symphony sounded tentative on occasion in "The Rosenkavalier Suite," the overall playing was outstanding.

The program, in the order it was performed, included J.S. Bach's Passacaglia and Fugue in C minor, arranged by Goedicke; Rimsky-Korsakov's Concerto in C# minor for Piano and Orchestra; Liszt's Concerto No. 2 in A major for Piano and Orchestra; and Richard Strauss' The Rosenkavalier Suite.

Campbell is quite an accomplished pianist. His playing caused me to ask Connie Linsler, the symphony's general manager, if he was playing the piano usually used by guest artists — the one I've complained about on several occasions. He was. I was impressed.

In an interview prior to the performance, Campbell referred to pianists as eternal step-children because they are always using someone else's instrument. He said, "Frankly, part of the art of being successful as a concert pianist is just being able to learn how to manipulate all sorts of different instruments and make them sound halfway decent."

He has certainly learned that art well. His playing of both works, but most especially the Liszt concerto, was memorable. It's doubtful that those there will forget the haunting strains in the Liszt concerto when first cellist Rebecca Seiver and Campbell evoked the muse together.

Georgia Todd Temple is entertainment writer for the Reporter-Telegram.

MAA Art Show and Sale on display

Open '88 Art Show and Sale, sponsored by Midland Arts Association, is on display at the Woman's Club through Friday.

Jean Hagman, director of the Museum of the Southwest, judged the 120 entries in the show.

Winners included Gene Norris, Carlsbad, N.M., first place; Dale R. Todd, Odessa, second place; and Mavis Murphy, Midland, third place. Honorable mentions went to Cynthia Wolfe, Lyman Mereness, Frances Fitzgerald, Lee Wallace and Gary Bain.

Viewing hours are 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday. Those wishing to view the show and sale are asked to call the Woman's Club, 684-6811, before stopping by.

ENTERTAINMENT IN BRIEF

Gallery has new exhibit

Gallery 1114's current exhibit, "Intimate Places, Filled Spaces," features the works of two of its members artists, Michael Banschbach and M. Jurras Mayberry.

Banschbach's "Intimate Places" are photographs of California landscape and Midland architecture. An underlying exploration of geometry unites the work. The smallest, 6 inches by 6 inches, of the prints gives rise to the "Intimate Places" concept.

"Most of the landscapes are not in the grand landscape tradition, but are smaller, tighter places," Banschbach says. "They are intimate also in that the prints are small enough to be held and inspected."

Ms. Mayberry's "Filled Spaces" are small pattern fields of orginically abstract objects, done in pencil. Graphite is a new medium for Mayberry and she feels it is nore "subtle and espressive.

Ms. Mayberry has a strong background in illustration and writing in California, where she was published in underground Comix. She has lived in the area seven years and been a member of Gallery 1114 since 1985. Her ink drawings and miniature sculpture have won local and state awards.

Gallery hours are Wednesday through Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday from 1 to 5 p.m. For more information call 685-9944.

Photo contest announced

ODESSA — The Presidential Museum would like to remind area photographers that the deadline for entering the museum's fourth annual Photography Competition and Exhibition — "Southwest Images" — is 5 p.m. Tuesday.

The exhibition opens May 5 in the John Ben Shepperd Gallery and will hang through June 11. Entries may be delivered to the museum from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday and Tuesday. Entry fee is $3 per photograph.

A public reception and awards ceremony will be held from 5 to 7 p.m. May 5.

Dingus is assistant professor of photography, photo history and drawing at Texas Tech University, will judge the competition.

First place will be awarded $150, second place, $75 and third, $50. Two honorable mentions may be awarded at the judge's discretion.

The exhibition has been funded in part by a grant from the Odessa Cultural Council.

For more information call the museum, 1-332-7123.

'Educating Rita' held over

Midland Community Theatre's production of "Educating Rita" has been held over for two additional performances. Originally scheduled to close April 24, the comedy will be staged at 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday in Theatre Midland's Mabee Theatre II, 2000 W. Wadley Ave.

The story revolves around Rita, a young, lower-class, hairdresser assigned at a British university to be tutored by Frank, a middle-aged professor. She is seeking an education while struggling to discover who she is. He is pessimistic and disillusioned with his professional and personal life and finds solace in the whiskey hidden in his bookcases.

The role of Rita is being played by Renee Spicer, and the role of Frank is being played by Michael Trost.

Directed by Sharylynn Shaw, the production is a Midland College/Midland Community Theatre's joint venture. For reservations call 682-4111.

Stewarts' exhibit to close

A showing of works by Nancy L. and Charles A. Stewart closes today at Midland College's Mccormick Gallery, located in the Allison Fine Arts Building.

Both are former Midlanders who now live near Taos, N.M.

The Stewarts have retired from the educational system and become full-time artists.

"The town itself, with its colonies of artists, writers, musicians and dancers, is an ideal climate for creativity," Stewart says.

In late 1986, the Stewarts became members of "The Open Space," an artist-owned operation located on Taos Plaza.

"The gallery sales here have given us national distribution because of the heavy tourist and collector traffic," Stewart says. "Some of the sales have resulted in additional commissions. Nancy has been accepted in state and regional shows with both painting and sculpture. I had a show in December in Lawton, Okla."

Both have exhibited in the Taos Art Association shows. Before retiring, Stewart was chairman of MC's fine arts department and Mrs. Stewart was a member of MC's art faculty.

Acting seminar slated

Commercial casting director Kris Nicolau and camera acting teacher Catheryn Seymour will teach a seminar here for youth from 5 to 17 years of age May 14.

Ms. Nicolau will focus on teaching young people the "how tos" of commercials. She has cast many national commercials including Showbiz Pizza, United Way, Sunbeam Bread, Pepsi, Wendy's Hamburgers and most recently, Six Flags.

Ms. Seymour will be teaching young people how to be believable and real on camera, how to develop character and how to audition. Her own acting credits include "D.O.A.," "Places in the Heart," "Dallas" and "Stormin' Home."

Fee is $60 for 5-to 7-year-olds and $90 for 8-to 17-year-olds. For more information, call 697-1044. Those interested in mailing in their fees may do so by sending their check to Gloria Youngblood, 4515 Robin Lane, Midland, 79707.

The seminar is limited to a small number so each instructor will be able to spend individual time with each participant.

Jazz Classic tickets on sale

Tickets are on sale now for the 12th annual Midland Jazz Classic, set for Oct. 6-9 at the Holiday Inn Country Villa.

No single admission tickets are sold at the door, but tickets are available for the entire series of concerts. For more information call 683-5208 or 694-2136.

ARTS

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The 3 to 5 p.m. reception, sponsored by Texas Commerce Bank, is open to the public.

Chinese artists Wen Shaoqing, a paper cutter; and Wang Kepei, a watercolorist; will be in Midland for several weeks conducting classes.

"All day long for two weeks they will be in the public schools demonstrating in the art classes," says Norma Webb, a member of the boards of the Midland Arts Assembly and the Midland-Dongying Sister City Association.

"I think it will be something new and exciting for our public school people, and the Chinese can benefit from seeing our children in their art classroom situation."

Also coming up the first week of COA is Gourmet Midland, set for 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. May 5 at Midland Center.

"Over 20 area restaurants are participating in this food tasting extravaganza," Mrs. Wetendorf says. "For the cost of a $15 ticket, you can taste to your palette's content."

For the second year, the assembly is sponsoring "The Battle of the Media," in conjunction with Midland Park Mall and Southwestern Bell. The event is scheduled for 2 p.m. May 7.

"The Midland police officers will handcuff together two local celebrities from the media," Mrs. Wetendorf says."Once handcuffed, each team will paint a picture on canvas. These 'works of art' will be auctioned off during the Festival Days."

And, for the past three years, the assembly board and the Celebration Committee have chosen a local artist with a national reputation to be the distinguished artist for the celebration. Former recipients have all been visual artists — Tom Ryan, 1987; Betty Lynch, 1986; and Warren Taylor, 1985. The first year of COA, five artists — Mrs. Lynch, Taylor, Perry Holley, William A. Brigl and Tillie Carter — were honored.

This year's choice is The Thouvenel String Quartet. The quartet members will be guests of honor at a May 8 "Champagne Reception," sponsored by Texas Instruments, at the Nita Stewart Haley Memorial Library, 1805 W. Indiana Ave. The reception is open to the public.

"This is the first time performing artists have been chosen to be so honored," says Mrs. Posey. "And the Thouvenel certainly fulfills the criteria we're looking for."

Each year COA prints a special poster. The poster during the past three years has been a recreation of a work by the distinguished artist being honored at COA. This year, with a performing group being honored, a poster contest was held in which artists vied for the opportunity of creating the 1988 COA poster. Winner Terry Rhodes will be honored at a "Commemorative Poster Signing" being held from 4 to 6 p.m. May 3 at Pages & Prints, Plaza Shopping Center.

Also on the COA agenda is the "Senior Citizens Display Tea," hosted this year by Manor Park, 2208 N. 250 West, from 2 to 4 p.m. May 11 in the activities room.

Another highpoint of COA will be the Festival Days' Preview Party, set for 7 to 9:30 p.m. May 13 at Midland Center.

"The Fandango de Madrid is going to be wonderful," Mrs. Wetendorf says. "The chairman, Jess Ann Thomason, is importing authentic Spanish decorations from Dallas. she researched the food from Madrid and has created a cocktail buffet filled with Spanish specialities. She's even going to have a flamingo dancer serving the dessert."

To make reservations for Gourmet Midland or "Fandango de Madrid" call the Assembly, 687-1149.

Hundreds of volunteers participate in COA, directed by the COA's general chairmen. Serving in that volunteer capacity this year are Stacey and Michael Owens.

"Without the volunteers there could be no Celebration of the Arts," Mrs. Posey says. "In fact, without the contributions of time and money given by the volunteers and the donors, the celebration would be just a dream."

BEACH

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Bond's family on stage in "Brighton Beach Memoirs" include Bill Sibley as the father, Frank Mateo as the older brother, Barbara Inglehart as the mother, Carole Newton as the widowed sister and Jill McElligott and Allison Davis as her two daughters.

Directed by Don Bachmann, MCT's executive director, the play runs through May 14. For reservations call 682-4111.

A freshman at Midland College, Bond is a 1987 graduate of Midland High School. This year he has been teaching drama at the Boys Club and Casa de Amigos through KidsArts & Company, a program of the Midland Arts Assembly.

In 1986, he lived in Australia with his family where he was the assistant director of a youth theater school and taught Sikiran karate.

Bond, who is attending MC with scholarships from St. Marks United Methodist Church and the Abell Hanger Foundation, recently received awards for "Most Valuable Employee" of General Cinemas and the Record Bar.

The timing of MCT's production of "Brighton Beach Memoirs" is important to Bond, who will be leaving Midland this summer to spend a year as a member of the Up With People organization. UWP is an international, educational and cultural program which aims to build peace through understanding among people around the world.

He hopes "everyone" will see "Brighton Beach Memoirs" because, "it has so much warmth and happiness; it makes you feel good about everything. It's about growing up and about life and about family. It's my favorite play in the world."

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REVIEWS

'Snowy River' about man, his horse

By MYRA LEE SALCEDO



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From the opening moments of a horse bolting over a mountain in the sunrise, to the closing credits which list "crack riders," "rough riders," "master of horse," "veterinary surgeon" and "saddle and tack designer," it's evident who the stars of "Return to Snowy River" really are.

Walt Disney Studio's sequel to the 1982 "The Man From Snowy River," which became the most popular film ever released in Australia, is a horse lover's fantasy. The film features horses galloping over mountain ridges, prancing through horse shows and plummeting through streams with water bouncing off their backs like shattered diamonds. Always beautifully shot (in "super slo-mo") in Australia's Victorian Alps, "Return to Snowy River" is more of a tribute to our four-legged friends than the love story it purports to be.

The premise involves the alleged rugged adventurer, Jim Craig (Tom Burlinson), returning to Snowy River to renew his romance with the feisty daughter, Jessica (Sigrid Thornton), of a local rancher (Brian Dennehy). Jim explains his absence with the simple minded "I was making a start for us," which Jessica (being equally dull-witted) accepts. The couple immediately fall back in love, but their romance is never allowed to get in the way of the real plot — man meets horse, man falls in love with horse, man loses horse, man gets new horse.

There is a subplot of the rift caused between Jessica and her father, who rightfully accuses Jim of being a drifter. The father tells Jessica to either choose him or Jim to live with. She chooses Jim. But not to worry, they live together in a platonic relationship. Jim only needs Jessica like he needs his horse, for companionship. As one of Jim's friends says, (about Jessica), "It's the high-stepping filly that makes the best mare."

"Return to Snowy River," however, does not lack for romance or adventure, it's just between Jim and his horse. The most exciting moment comes when he forces his horse to gallop down a perilously steep ravine. The saddest moment involves the death of a favorite horse and the most joyful moment is the arrival of a foal. The film works well visually, but is punctuated with an overdone rah-rah score. The music swells majestically whenever Jim and Jessica kiss or Jim mounts his horse.

The biggest flaw of the film is that it has holes in the plot big enough to ride a horse through. Jim disappears for days in the woods, yet everyone manages to find him and ride with him to confront an angry mob. Likewise, Jessica has a friend who dies. She blames herself for his death and begins mourning him without ever knowing or asking how he died.

Flaws aside, horse lovers need to saddle up and head out to "Return to Snowy River." Others may want to just "ride" this one out.

"Return to Snowy River," rated PG ("Parental Guidance Suggested") for some violence and the death of a favorite horse, is playing at Midland Park Mall Cinemas.

'Seventh Sign' has message of hope

"The hope of one person can change the course of the world." This is the message of "The Seventh Sign." But the more overpowering message is that it may take six signs from Revelations to make the world see the necessity of making a sacrifice to change the world.

The film opens with a haunted looking man, (Jurgen Prochnow), walking along the beachfront in Haiti. He breaks open the seal on a piece of parchment, and a bloated white fish immediately washes ashore. A young Haitian boy is scorched by touching the fish and soon hordes of dead fish are washing ashore.

One by one, the signs from Revelations happen: A village is frozen in the middle of the Israeli desert; a river runs with blood; hail the size of a baseball falls in Southern California; there's an unexpected eclipse in which the moon becomes red (turns to blood). For some strange reason, no one in the news media, sciences or government takes much notice.

It soon becomes apparent, that the world's only hope for salvation is Abby (Demi Moore), a pregnant Los Angeles homemaker who, in an earlier incarnation, may have played a key role in the crucifixion of Jesus.

The stranger (Prochnow) rents a garage apartment from Abby and her husband, Russell (Michael Biehn), who gives a particularly tepid performance.

Abby, who has an appalling habit of snooping on her tenant, discovers curious Hebrew scrolls and seeks out the aid of a rabbi to translate some of the parchments. But she offends the rabbi and instead gets assistance from the scholar's brilliant and brash young neighbor, Avi (Manny Jacobs).

However, Abby needs more than Avi's help. Having previously lost a baby, she attempted suicide and escalating problems make her suicidal tendencies flare up again. If that weren't enough, Abby has even more severe problems which date back to another lifetime, adding to the confused theology in "The Seventh Sign."

One priest who purports to help Abby, seems to be basking in the Earthly manifestations of God's wrath. In fact, he reports back to a Vatican committee that, all signs to the contrary, the Apocalypse has not begun. Says the chairman: (in a sample of the prevalent inane dialogue) "I will tell His Holiness. He will be quite relieved."

Aside from Abby's dilemma, is the subplot of her husband's challenge of trying to save a young man, Jimmy, from the gas chamber. Jimmy (John Taylor, a 20-year-old who has Down's Syndrome) is given the death penalty for pouring gasoline on his parents and fatally igniting them.

Taylor gives such an excellent and sensitive performance as the tormented Jimmy, that he wins the audience's sympathy, despite his grisly deed. Jimmy believes God told him to kill his parents because they were brother and sister and went against the law of God when they married.

"Incest may be against the law of God, but we're dealing with the law of California, here," Russell says.

Jimmy's impending execution and Abby's impending birth become meshed with the signs of the Apocalypse. No matter how disparaging the religious views are, all believe that God would send a messiah to deliver his wrath. It's a powerful message which is often muddled. But it is notable, that the one person who believes in a God of love, is the one person who makes a difference.

Despite the confusion, director Carl Schulz ("Careful, He Might Hear You") is no hack and there are many chilling moments in his intense apocalyptic tale of ancient prophecies fulfilled.

"The Seventh Sign," rated R fof nudity, strong adult themes, and some gruesome sights, is playing at the UA Cine 4.

Myra Lee Salcedo is movie critic for the Reporter-Telegram.

MIDLAND MARQUEE

Information on Midland cultural groups listed in this column is provided by Midland Arts Assembly.

To be included in the Midland Marquee, call Midland Arts Assembly, 687-1149. For further information about local events call the Midland Marquee Information Line, 682-ARTS.

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Ballet Mujeres: contact Sylvia Quinones, 682-7042.
Ballet Midland: performances held at Theatre Midland, 2000 W. Wadley Ave., Allison Fine Arts Auditorium, Midland College Campus, and Yucca Theatre, 208 N. Colorado Ave.; call Ballet Midland, 686-0731.
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High Sky Squares, Square Dance Club: contact Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fulton, 694-0751.
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Marian Blakemore Planetarium: Haley Park, corner of Indiana Avenue and K Street, contact John Hicks, 683-6441.
McCormick Gallery/Allison Fine Arts Building: Midland College, 3600 N. Garfield St. Information on art exhibits contact art department or John Harmon, 685-4652, or the Art Department, 685-4640.
Midland Archaeological Society: Marian Blakemore Planetarium, contact Teddy Lou Stickney, 682-9384.
Midland Arts Association: contact contact Dan Haller, 683-2295.
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Midland College Chaparral Center: located on MC campus, call Mike Stevens, 685-4584, for details of scheduled events.
Midland Community Concerts Association: concerts held at Midland High School auditorium, 906 W. Illinois Ave., contact Donald Eckerty, 687-3551.
Midland Community Theatre: Theatre Midland, 2000 W. Wadley Ave., box office, 682-4111.
Midland County Historical Society and Museum: 213 N. Weatherford St., Brown-Dorsey House seen by appointment, contact Nancy McKinley, 682-2931, Museum located in the basement of Midland County Library.
Midland County Library and Historical Museum: 301 W. Missouri Ave., 683-2708.
Midland Fiber Guild: contact Cheryl Sullivan, 694-3959.
Midland Gem and Mineral Society: Marian Blakemore Planetarium, contact Harold Ervin, 697-2369.
Midland Independent School District: call 682-8611 for information.
Midland Jazz Association: contact Bobby Crues, 694-2136.
Midland-Odessa Symphony & Chorale, Inc.: performances held at Lee High School auditorium unless otherwise stated in Marquee, 3500 Neely St., for season tickets, single admission tickets or information call the symphony office, Terminal, 563-5289.
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UTPB Third Floor Gallery: 4901 E. University Blvd., Odessa, contact UTPB Art Department, Pam Price, 563-2400, ext. 2133.
West Texas Astronomers Club: Marian Blakemore Planetarium.
West Texas Youth Orchestra: contact Karen Walker, 683-4756 or 683-9815.
Yucca Theatre: 208 N. Colorado Ave., contact Midland Community Theatre, 682-4111.

SUNDAY, APRIL 24

Art Institute for the Permian Basin: EXHIBITION: "Future Akins: Private Obsession," through May 15, 4909 E. University Blvd., Odessa, FREE.

Crestview Baptist Church: YOUTH MUSICAL: "Surrender," youth choir, 7 p.m., 3300 Thomas St., FREE.

McCormick Gallery/Midland College: EXHIBIT: "Two From Taos," featuring the watercolors of Charles and Nancy Stewart, Allison Fine Arts Building, show hangs through April 24, open Monday-Thursday 8 a.m.-10 p.m., Friday 8 a.m.-5 p.m., Saturday 9 a.m.-5 p.m. and Sunday 1-5 p.m., FREE.

Museum of the Southwest: EXHIBITIONS: "Midland Arts Association's Spring Show," through April 24, And: "Midland High School Student Art Festival," through May 8, And: "A Select View: American Paintings from the Columbus Museum," through may 29, and MUSIC: "Young Artists Musicale," student musicians playing in the galleries, 2:30 p.m., open Tuesday - Saturday, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m., and Sunday 2-5 p.m., for more information call 683-2882, FREE.

Permian Basin Petroleum Museum: EXHIBITION: "Fossils of Texas: A Diary in Stone," through May 29, And: FILMS: "This Land" and "Dinosaurs: The Terrible Lizard,"call 683-4403 for viewing times, open Monday-Saturday 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday 2-5 p.m., ADMISSION CHARGED.

U.T. Permian Basin: MUSIC: "Touch of Class Concert," 3 p.m., UTPB Performing Arts Center, Odessa, for information call 1-367-2336, ADMISSION CHARGED.

MONDAY, APRIL 25

Nita Stewart Haley Memorial Library: EXHIBITION: "Tools of the Cowboy," through April 30, open Monday-Friday 9 a.m.-noon and 1-5 p.m., for more information call 682-5785, FREE.

Midland Arts Association: SHOW: Pick up art from Spring Show at the Museum of the Southwest, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Stables Gallery.

TUESDAY, APRIL 26

McCormick Gallery at Midland College: EXHIBITION: "Student Show," through May 8, open Monday-Thursday 8 a.m.-10 p.m., Friday 8 a.m.-5 p.m., Saturday 9 a.m.-5 p.m. and Sunday 1-5 p.m., FREE.

Midland College: MUSIC: "Commercial Music Concert," 7:30-9 p.m., Chaparral Center, FREE.

Midland County Public Library: EDUCATION: "Story Hour," for ages 3-5, 10-11 a.m., Children's Department, downtown library, CALL for tickets, 683-2708.

Museum of the Southwest: EDUCATION: Video presentation, "American Light: The American Luminist Movement," noon, 2 and 4 p.m., museum library, And: AWARDS: "Student Art Festival Awards Presentation and Reception," 7-9 p.m., FREE.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27

McCormick Gallery at Midland College: EXHIBITION: Opening reception for "Student Show," 7:30 p.m., gallery hours are Monday-Thursday 8 a.m.-10 p.m., Friday 8 a.m.-5 p.m., Saturday 9 a.m.-5 p.m. and Sunday 1-5 p.m., FREE.

Museum of the Southwest: EDUCATION: Brown Bag Lunch, showing of film "In Open Air, American Impressionism," noon, bring lunch, coffee and tea served, FREE.

THURSDAY, APRIL 28

Museum of the Southwest: EDUCATION: Lecture and Gallery Walk through exhibition "A Select View: Traditions and Innovations in American Art," by Dr. Mark Thistlethwaite, 7:30 p.m., multi-purpose room, FREE.

FRIDAY, APRIL 29

Ballet Midland: DANCE: "Spring Season Performance: La Fille Malle Gardee," 8 p.m., Allison Fine Arts Auditorium, Midland College, for tickets call 686-0731, ADMISSION CHARGED.

Midland Community Theatre: COMEDY: "Brighton Beach Memoirs," opening night, 8 p.m., Davis Theatre I, through May 14, And: COMEDY: "Educating Rita," held over, 8 p.m., Mabee Theatre II, for tickets to either production call 682-4111, ADMISSION CHARGED.

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UT Permian Basin: MUSIC: "University Singers Concert," 8 p.m., Performing Arts Center, Odessa, call 1-367-2361, ADMISSION CHARGED.

Carol Friedel's paintings at Frame Korner

Paintings by Carol Friedel are on display at the Frame Corner, 2205 N. Big Spring St., through the end of the month.

The exhibit includes portraits, wildlife, steamboats and plantation homes.

Ms. Friedel, a professional artist for more than 15 years, was listed in the 1986-87 edition of "Artists of Renown."

Whitney invents gin

Eli Whitney received a patent for his invention, a device to separate the seeds from cotton, the cotton gin, on March 14, 1794.

Touch of Class will be performing at UTPB

ODESSA — Touch of Class, the University of Texas of the Permian Basin show group, will present a concert at 3 p.m. today in the university's Performing Arts Center.

The afternoon of music will include a variety of vocal-jazz and top 40 tunes, highlighted by the group's special dance interpretations.

Tickets are priced at $3 for the general public and $2 for students. For additional information, call Steven Powell, 1-367-2361.



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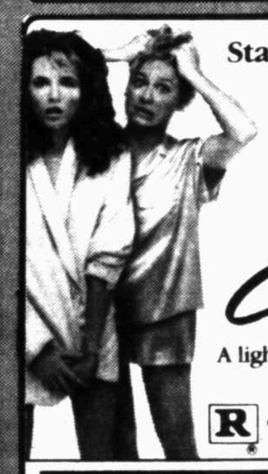
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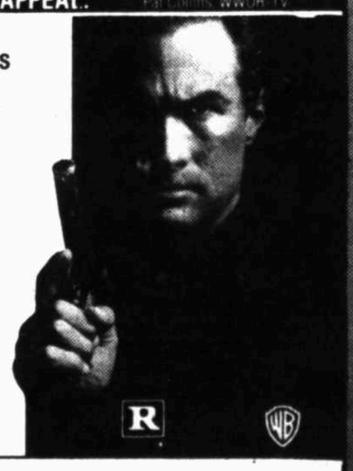
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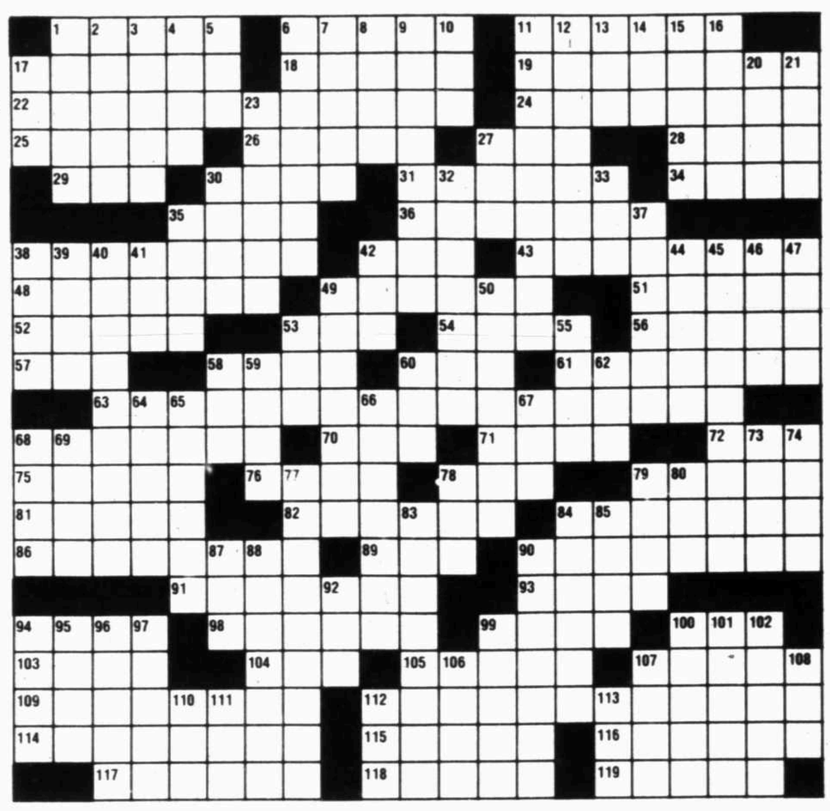
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87 S. African hill
88 Disintegration
90 Sentry
92 Willy, the rocketeer
94 Mona —
95 Service winners
96 Moore
97 Highlands hillsides
99 French composer Erik —
100 "And now, — from the sponsor"
101 Casablanca star
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106 "Goodbye, Columbus" author
107 Roe producer
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'Patchwork Girl of Oz' puppet show to help Casa

From Staff Reports

Casa de Amigos brings Pix Smith and the Dallas Puppet Theater to Theatre Midland, 2000 W. Wadley Ave., for 1:30 and 4:30 p.m. performances May 8 of "The Patchwork Girl of Oz."

The performance is the final one of the three shows staged here this spring during the Children's Performing Arts Series, a benefit for Casa de Amigos made possible in part by a $5,000 grant from ARCO.

"The Patchwork Girl of Oz" is the story of a lively patchwork girl named Scraps and a little Munchkin boy traveling through a magic land. Smith, founder of the Dallas Theater, based this show on one of L. Frank Baum's most famous Oz stories.

The CPAS was initiated in San Antonio by the Judson Montessori School in 1982. Now, in its fifth season, over 1,200 children attended the San Antonio performances last year. Dallas and Denton joined last year and Midland is the latest addition to the series.

According to Lael Cordes-Pitts, executive director of Casa de Amigos, participation in the CPAS is the continuation of her organization's program goals.

"At Casa de Amigos we have been actively working in the areas of cultural enrichment for disadvantaged youth. We feel this is an opportunity to continue our goals and raise funds to support Casa programs while giving something back to the community," Ms. Cordes-Pitts says.

Patron tickets are priced at $10 for a single show. General admission tickets are $7.50 for a single show. A 20 percent discount is being offered for groups of 25 or more. Each show will be followed by an autograph party and refreshments.

For more information, call Casa at 682-9701.

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MONDAY, APRIL 25, 1988

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: The way you present yourself will determine whether or not you land a coveted job. Spruce up your personal appearance. You can ask favors now that you could not ask before. A strong, nourishing relationship gives you an advantage in everything you do. New financial gains mean more leisure time. Travel beckons. Be imaginative when designing a more comfortable lifestyle for your family. A change of residence is possible.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: correspondent Edward R. Murrow, Justice William Brennan, singer Ella Fitzgerald, actor Al Pacino.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): A long-sought goal moves within reach. Your persistence pays off in new career and financial rewards. Member of opposite sex continues to play a key role in your decisions. Romance needs nurturing.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Avoid power plays and concentrate on work you can handle alone. A close friend provides the inside information you need to put over an important deal. Be determined not to lend money. Keep diet and exercise resolutions.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): A heart-to-heart chat with partner straightens out confusion. Stick to your original plans for the day, avoiding temptations. A telephone call brings welcome financial news. Parents require more attention.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Return telephone calls and complete important paperwork. Others express their true feelings. Someone who does plenty of talking may not have the facts. Curb spending. Your social life is on the upswing.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Business affairs go well, but may not include quick profits. Travel provides valuable new professional contacts. An old friend offers to play Cupid. Accept! Romance blossoms in an unusual setting.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Focus on a practical plan for handling joint monies. Solutions that previously eluded you suddenly seem obvious. Mate or partner extends a helping hand with household chores. Welcome it.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): A change of scenery enhances overseas business prospects. A visit to foreign soil will satisfy your desire for glamour. A personal matter merits attention. Stop sitting on the fence. Be decisive!

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): A change of residence works to your advantage. Be more careful with your money. You tend to be overly generous to friends. An ongoing romance suddenly turns serious. Are you ready for commitment?

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Morning hours favor business negotiations. Sign contracts. An older person provides valuable financial tips. Repay this favor soon. Too much intensity will make a romantic partner nervous. Calm down.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Diligence is the key to lasting career and financial success. A shy person opens up. Be a good listener. Follow up an introduction with a letter. A social event provides welcome entertainment.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Honor long-term commitments. You find it easy to express your thoughts in writing now, laying the foundation for a new career. Mutual attraction with a co-worker leads to a new relationship. Keep it quiet.

PISCES (Feb. 19-Mar. 20): Get out and about today! Your career or business will profit from new contacts. Make a final decision about a personal relationship. Getting things settled will make you more productive at work.

GOREN BRIDGE

BY CHARLES GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF

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SAFE OR SORRY

Neither vulnerable. South deals.

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♡ 6 5 2
◇ A Q 10 9 6 3
♣ 9 4

WEST
♠ 10 9 8 4 2
♡ J 9 7
◇ 8 7
♣ K J 5

EAST
♠ 7 6
♡ K 10 8 4
◇ K 5 4
♣ Q 10 7 2

SOUTH
♠ A K Q J
♡ A Q 3
◇ J 2
♣ A 8 6 3

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 ♠	Pass	1 ◇	Pass
3 NT	Pass	Pass	

Opening lead: Ten of ♠

To get the most out of this column, cover the East-West hands with your thumbs and then read on. We will test your play as we go along.

You really shouldn't be too thrilled with your final contract. Six diamonds depends on little more than one of two finesses—if either red-suit king is right, you rate to collect 12 tricks. However, the slam isn't easy to bid and your problem now is to make your no trump game.

Obviously, you win the spade lead and push through the jack of diamonds. That wins. What next?

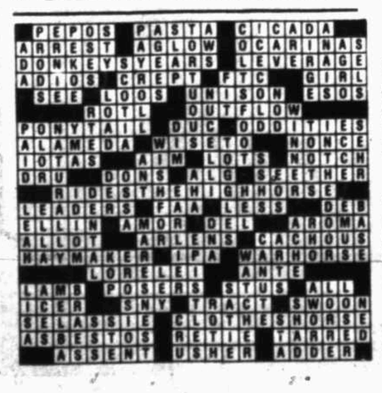
If the lead is still in your hand, you've already made the critical mistake. Remove your thumbs and see what happens if you confidently repeat the finesse. When East wins, you are shut off from dummy and you have scored only one diamond trick. It's only a matter of whether you go down one or two.

Move to the front of the class if you overtook the jack of diamonds with the queen (or if you led low to the nine). Then stand up and take a bow if you continued by leading a heart to your queen!

If the heart finesse succeeds, you have nine tricks without having to repeat the diamond finesse—four spade tricks, two in each red suit and the ace of clubs. Wrap them up quickly. If the heart finesse fails, you can still fall back on the diamond finesse for the contract. Your sparkling play has given you the option of trying two finesses instead of just one, and you reap your just reward.

For information about Charles Goren's newsletter for bridge players, write Goren Bridge Letter, P.O. Box 4426, Orlando, Fla. 32802-4426.

PUZZLE ANSWER



Ballet Midland to do French ballet

When a mother arranges marriage between her high-spirited daughter and a man enamored with butterflies, the result is the comedy ballet "La Fille Mal Gardee," first staged in Bordeaux, France, in 1789.

"It is the earliest of all ballets in the traditional repertory, as well as the only full-fledged comedy," says Diane Gaddy, artistic director of Ballet Midland. "It's the first ballet built on a story line that's survived."

The ballet, restaged by Ms. Gaddy following the choreography of Enrique Martinez, will be presented by Ballet Midland at 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday and at 2 p.m. May 1 at the Allison Fine Arts Auditorium.

Also being presented on the program, will be Grand Pas de Quatre and Divertissement Royale.

Tickets, priced at $10 for adults and $5 for children, students and senior citizens, may be purchased at the Kiosk in the Plaza, Plaza Shopping Center at Wadley Avenue and Garfield Street, Monday. Reservations may be made by calling 686-0731.

CHILDREN'S PERFORMING ARTS SERIES

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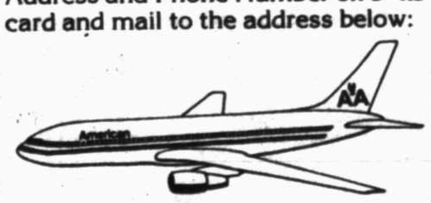
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Arts on Parade

Celebration of the Arts 1988

Sponsored by Midland Arts Assembly, the fifth annual Celebration of the Arts begins May 1 and runs through May 22. Actual Festival Days are May 14 and 15 at Midland Center, Centennial Plaza and the courthouse lawn, all in downtown Midland. All Festival Days onstage productions are courtesy of United Bank. The entire children's area is sponsored by Frances Metcalfe. All booths for the Festival Days are being installed by Texas A&M Club. During Festival Days, emergency medical assistance is available just off the Midland Center lobby, courtesy of the Midland County Chapter, American Red Cross. The Assembly is Midland's umbrella organization for the arts. Events listed below include those occuring during May that are sponsored by the Assembly as official Celebration events and those being staged by member organizations in May. For more information on any event listed here, call the Assembly, 687-1149.

SUNDAY, MAY 1

— **2 p.m.:** BALLET MIDLAND, Spring Season Performance, "La Fille Mal Gardee (The Unchaperoned Daughter)," comedy ballet, plus Grand pas de Quatre and Divertissement Royale, Allison Fine Arts Auditorium, Midland College, for ticket information call 686-0731, ADMISSION CHARGED.

— **2:30 p.m.:** MIDLAND COMMUNITY THEATRE, "Brighton Beach Memoirs," Neil Simon comedy, Theatre Midland, 2000 W. Wadley Ave., for reservations call 682-4111, ADMISSION CHARGED.

— **3-5 p.m.:** Chinese Artists' WINE AND CHEESE RECEPTION & EXHIBITION, honoring Wen Shaoqing and Wang Kepei, visiting artists from Midland's sister city in China, Dongying, Museum of the Southwest, 1705 W. Missouri Ave., sponsored by Texas Commerce Bank, Midland, the exhibition of Chinese art will hang through May 12, FREE.

TUESDAY, MAY 3

— **4-6 p.m.:** COMMEMORATIVE POSTER SIGNING by artist Terry Rhodes, Pages & Prints Bookstore, Plaza Shopping Center, Wadley Avenue and Garfield Street, FREE.

THURSDAY, MAY 5

— **6:30-9:30 p.m.:** GOURMET MIDLAND, cuisine prepared by more than 20 local restaurants, clubs, caterers and hotels, at Midland Center, sponsored by Midland Arts Assembly, cash bar, COST $15 per-person, includes food, Utopia Waters and Dr Pepper, entertainment provided by Dow Jones Average, TICKETS available in advance by calling 687-1149 or at the door.

— **8 p.m.:** MIDLAND COMMUNITY THEATRE, "Brighton Beach Memoirs," Neil Simon comedy, Theatre Midland, 2000 W. Wadley Ave., for reservations call 682-4111, ADMISSION CHARGED.

FRIDAY, MAY 6

— **8 p.m.:** MIDLAND COMMUNITY THEATRE, "Brighton Beach Memoirs," Neil Simon comedy, Theatre Midland, 2000 W. Wadley Ave., for reservations call 682-4111, ADMISSION CHARGED.

— **8 p.m.:** MIDLAND-ODESSA SYMPHONY & CHORALE, Pops Concert No. 4, "Rodgers and Hammerstein," being held at the Holiday Inn Country Villa Convention Center, sponsored by First Republic Bank, Midland, TICKETS priced at $12 general admission and $15 reserved include complimentary cheese and fruit, cash bar opens at 7 p.m., RESERVATIONS recommended, for more information call the Symphony Concert Line, 563-5269, SEATING LIMITED.

SATURDAY, MAY 7

— **2 p.m.:** CELEBRATION OF THE ARTS "Battle of the Media," Midland Park Mall, sponsored by Southwestern Bell, FREE.

— **8 p.m.:** MIDLAND COMMUNITY THEATRE, "Brighton Beach Memoirs," Neil Simon comedy, Theatre Midland, 2000 W. Wadley Ave., for reservations call 682-4111, ADMISSION CHARGED.

SUNDAY, MAY 8

— **1:30 and 4:30 p.m.:** PIX SMITH AND THE DALLAS PUPPET THEATER in "The Patchwork Girl of Oz," the story of a lively patchwork girl named Scraps and a little Munchkin boy traveling through a magic land, based on one of L. Frank Baum's Oz stories, third presentation in the Children's Performing Arts Series, series made possible in part by a grant from ARCO, hosted by Casa de Amigos, being held at Theatre Midland, 2000 W. Wadley Ave., for more information call 682-9701, special rates available for groups of 25 or more, ADMISSION CHARGED.

— **2-4 p.m.:** CHAMPAGNE RECEPTION for the Thouvenel String Quartet, Celebration of the Arts 1988 Distinguished Artists, sponsored by Texas Instruments, hosted by Midland Arts Association, Nita Stewart Haley Memorial Library, 1805 W. Indiana Ave., FREE.

— **3-4:30 p.m.:** MOTHER'S DAY CONCERT presented by Midland College Community Jazz Ensemble, Dennis the Menace Park, FREE.

— **8 p.m.:** THOUVENEL STRING QUARTET CONCERT, Allison Fine Arts Auditorium, Midland College campus, tickets will be sold at the door, for more information or to purchase tickets in advance call the Midland-Odessa Symphony Concert Line, 563-5269.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 11

— **noon:** CELEBRATION OF THE ARTS NoonTime Performance, Texas Instruments, for TI employees.

— **2-4 p.m.:** SENIOR CITIZENS DISPLAY TEA, Manor Park, hosted by Manor Park, 2208 N. Loop 250 West, in the activities room, includes quilts, watercolors and oil paintings, ceramics and craft work, FREE.

THURSDAY, MAY 12

— **7 p.m.:** MHS SHOWCASE '88, "Salute to Alums," Midland High School, for information call Patty Smith at MHS, 682-7367.

— **7:30 p.m.:** FREE OUTDOOR CONCERT, "Stars, Stripes & Sousa," Midland-Odessa Symphony conducted by guest conductor Keith Brion, outside at Beal Plaza, Midland College campus, fireworks display, FAMILY ENTERTAINMENT, sponsored by Pacific Texas Pipeline Co. and Seismic Reflections, Inc., Murray's will be selling fajitas beginning at 6:30 p.m.

— **8 p.m.:** MIDLAND COMMUNITY THEATRE, "Brighton Beach Memoirs," Neil Simon comedy, Theatre Midland, 2000 W. Wadley Ave., for reservations call 682-4111, ADMISSION CHARGED.

FRIDAY, MAY 13

— **7-9:30 p.m.:** PREVIEW PARTY, Fandango de Madrid! Midland Center, cocktail buffet, art for sale, entertainment, trip to Spain courtesy of American Airlines, hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Holt, TICKETS priced at $15 may be purchased in advance or at the door.

— **7 p.m.:** WORKSHOP, for parents and children, "Fossil Identification," Permian Basin Petroleum Museum, for more information call the museum, 683-4403.

— **8 p.m.:** MIDLAND COMMUNITY THEATRE, "Brighton Beach Memoirs," Neil Simon comedy, Theatre Midland, 2000 W. Wadley Ave., for reservations call 682-4111, ADMISSION CHARGED.

— **8 p.m.:** DANCE, Friends of MC and MCT Dance Concert, Yucca Theatre, 208 N. Colorado Ave., for reservations call Theatre Midland's box office, 682-4111, ADMISSION CHARGED.

SATURDAY, MAY 14

— **8 a.m.:** RUN FOR THE ARTS, downtown Midland, sponsored by Primary Medical Clinic, 5K and 1 mile.

— **9:30 a.m. and 2 p.m.:** WORKSHOP, for parents and children, "Fossil Identification," Permian Basin Petroleum Museum, for more information call 683-4403.

— **10 a.m.-8 p.m.:** CELEBRATION OF THE ARTS FESTIVAL DAY, at Midland Center, Centennial Plaza and the courthouse lawn, entertainment, food, children's activities, FREE ADMISSION.

— **2 p.m.:** LECTURE/DEMONSTRATION, Ballet Midland Academy, Allison Fine Arts Auditorium, Midland College campus.

— **7:30 p.m.:** LECTURE, "Dinosaurs: From Excavation to Exhibit," by Dr. Michael Hager, Permian Basin Petroleum Museum, for more information call 683-4403.

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SUNDAY, MAY 15

— **Noon to 6 p.m.:** CELEBRATION OF THE ARTS FESTIVAL DAY, at Midland Center, Centennial Plaza and the courthouse lawn, entertainment, food, children's activities, FREE ADMISSION.

MONDAY, MAY 16

— **8 p.m.:** MUSIC, Discovery Chamber Music Concert, Grace Presbyterian Church, FREE.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 18

— **7 to 8:30 p.m.:** INTERNATIONAL MUSEUM DAY OPEN HOUSE, Museum of the Southwest, 1705 W. Missouri Ave., FREE.

THURSDAY, MAY 19

— **8 p.m.:** MIDLAND COMMUNITY THEATRE, "Cats in Concert," music from "Cats," Theatre Midland, Davis Theatre I, 2000 W. Wadley Ave., for reservations call Theatre Midland's box office, 682-4111, ADMISSION CHARGED.

FRIDAY, MAY 20

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SATURDAY, MAY 21

— **8 p.m.:** MIDLAND COMMUNITY THEATRE, "Cats in Concert," music from "Cats," Theatre Midland, Davis Theatre I, 2000 W. Wadley Ave., for reservations call Theatre Midland's box office, 682-4111, ADMISSION CHARGED.

— **8 p.m.:** SMALL CHAMBER WORKS DANCE CONCERT, Midland College students and local dancers, Allison Fine Arts Auditorium, Midland College campus.

SUNDAY, MAY 22

— **10 a.m. to 5 p.m.:** "TWENTIES DAY," Museum of the Southwest, 1705 W. Missouri Ave., FREE.

— **2:30 and 8 p.m.:** MIDLAND COMMUNITY THEATRE, "Cats in Concert," music from "Cats," Theatre Midland, Davis Theatre I, 2000 W. Wadley Ave., for reservations call Theatre Midland's box office, 682-4111, ADMISSION CHARGED.

— **8 p.m.:** SMALL CHAMBER WORKS DANCE CONCERT, Midland College students and local dancers, Allison Fine Arts Auditorium, Midland College campus.

CELEBRATION OF THE ARTS

Festival Days Participants

Performing Artists

Local artists performing May 14 and 15 include South-Washington-Travis Orchestra; Washington Ringers, Washington Elementary School handbell choir; Richard Bowdon, guitar, harmonica, original compositions; Sun Country Gentlemen, barbarshop harmony; Water Babies, ballet pantomime; Rusk Elementary Joy Singers, pop music and choreography; Rusk Elementary Square, Circle and Line Dances; Winning Season, vocal ensemble Broadway show tunes; Senior Citizens Center Kitchen Band; Allelulia, teen vocal ensemble; Crestview Baptist Church Master Ringers, handbell choir; New Life, teen vocal ensemble; Koinonia, contemporary Christian singers; Marty Gilmore, pianist; Pamela Musgrove, song stylist; Rafael Vargas, vocalist; Sophisticated Rhythm, vocal jazz ensemble; Larry Pitts Juggling Group; Cherry Jones Dancers; Ballet Mujeres, flamenco dancers; Susie Hitchcock country and western dancers; James Jolley, cajun music; Ballet Folklorico, Mexican folk dances; Permian Basin Gospel Singers; Brito & Coredo, vocalists; Groovy Grannies, tap dancing; We Dance For Joy, Bingham Dance Center; Tina Sue Lukens, gospel singer; Michel Alameddine, dramatic reading; Robert Dorn, gospel singer; Pam, Len and Friends, instrumentals and vocals; Origin, Lee High School vocal group; Lei Lani Birds of Paradise, Hawaiian and Tahitian dancing; C&W's, comedy and music; Halal, instrumental and vocal ensemble contemporary gospel music; Gospel Singers of America; and The Society for Creative Anachronisms, recreates medieval conbat style.

Visual Artists

Visual artists who have booths during the festival days include Carolyn Gilland, Jack Stanley, Pat Cowan, Sylvia Fincham, Darrella Deubel, Sharon Miller, Perry Holley, Johanna Mills, Tanya Godfrey, Mimi Rippee, Boyd Harris, Herb Cooper, Dan Haller, Terry Rhodes, Jo Dufo, Kelly Moran, Max Perry, Paul Wecker, Sherly Fang, Sylvia Hampton, C.F.T. Scott, Ida Chan, Mary Griffith, Bill Hagerman, Mary Rasmussen, Don Parks, Mavis Murphy, Cynthia Wolfe, Charlotte Seay, Ramah Bosecker, Mary Jackson, Doris Spires, Charles Pruitt, Betty Sue Rose, Nelda Eakin, Mary Massoni, Kay Baker, Michael Banschbach, Jan Williams, Betty Lynch, and Chinese artists from Dongying, China, Wen Shaoqing and Wang Kepei.

Participating Organizations

Those organizations who will have tables set up during the Festival Days include ACT IX, Ballet Midland, Faceters Guild, Nita Stewart Haley Memorial Library, Midland Community Concerts, Midland Opera Theater, Midland Quilters Guild, Summer Mummers, Midland Woman's Club, Permian Basin SPEBSQSA, Permian Basin Petroleum Museum, Plastic Modelers, Midland Chamber of Commerce, Midland Arts Assembly, Glenwood Hospital, Museum of the Southwest and the Midland-Odessa Symphony & Chorale, Inc.

Festival Days Activities

Technical Exhibits for Children & Adults

Inside Midland Center, special exhibits from NASA, sponsored by Midland Southwest/Tri-Service Drilling, will be on display as well as computer art from Texas Instruments.

Crafts of Yesteryear

Location: Lobby of Midland Center

This crafts area will include all types of handwork which will be on display and also be demonstrated including smocking, quilting, calligraphy, needlepoint, crocheted rugs, carding and crewel work.

Young People's Area

— **Location**: Courthouse lawn

Demonstrations: In the children's area, demonstrations will include kite making, story telling, dramatic interpretations and hamboning as well as artists demonstrating their specialized arts and crafts. In addition, clowns and other forms of children's entertainment will be roaming the area.

Happy Fingers Area: Goody bags, bird feeders, noodle necklaces plus face painting.

Musical Arts Area: Shakers, balloons, tambourines, puppets, picture frames and all kinds of musical instruments children can make and decorate.

Summer Time Area: Visors, masks, tissue flowers, which will be decorated by children.

Weaving: Children will be participating in the creation of a 6 foot long piece of weaving "sculpture" hanging from a tree limb on the courthouse lawn.

Western Area: Butter churning, square dancing, 4-H demonstrations, all kinds of hands'on art and craft activities, spinning, quilting, leather crafts, cornhusk dolls, calf roping. Live birds plus authentic cowboy and western dance.

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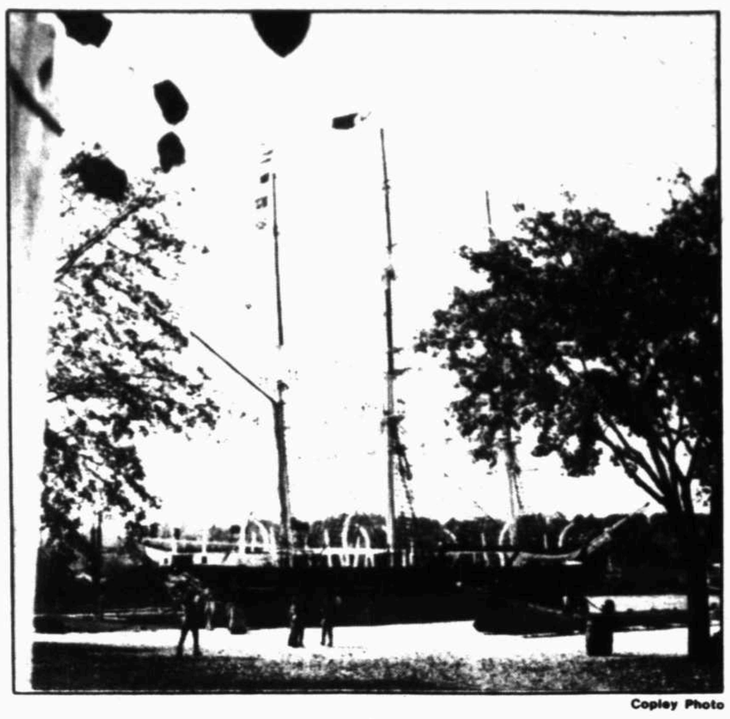
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Connecticut's backcountry quaint, romantic

By T.R. REINMAN
Copley News Service

There's no place in New England like Connecticut's backcountry.

Hartford is quaint in spots, but with its glassy high-rises along traffic-choked Interstate 91, it's just another big city.

Mystic, with its historic waterfront, has nothing much on Maine's revitalized Portland area.

Fairfield County, the heart of downstate's Gold Coast, is suburban Boston with occasional ocean views.

But in the the backcountry of Connecticut breathes something so romantic it is found nowhere else in New England. It's as though someone tried to make up for the pedestrian Mohican name for the state, "at the long tidal river."

That's the Connecticut, which rises in Vermont, forms part of its border with New Hampshire, slices through western Massachusetts, glides past Hartford, where oceangoing vessels port, and on into Long Island Sound, 40 miles south, at Old Saybrook.

In the backcountry, the guard rails along back roads are dark brown woven steel cables nailed to 3-foot chunks of telephone poles.

Black roads with little bits of sandstone twinkling in the soft asphalt on muggy summer days; sand along the soft shoulders of the roads; sand; a hundred miles from the nearest beach.

Poison ivy curling over the cables, around unsuspecting home owners' ankles, waiting in the woods for hikers and golfers.

Rolling hills, gentler than northern New England's Green and White mountains, or even Massachusetts' old Berkshires.

Homes painted old yellow and deep red, with 18th century dates tacked out front, more humble than those found around revamped Stockbridge, more numerous than those in Rhode Island.

Towns with greens, white Congregational churches, diagonal parking out front of general stores, small wooden train stations, long in disuse and still not turned into trendy restaurants.

And there are the people, Connecticut Yankees. Hardworking, honest, friendly in a matter-of-fact sort of way, somehow more worldly than Vermonters — "Woodchucks" as they're known — and still not with the hardened edge that trickles out into even rural Massachusetts from Boston, or the dying towns "out West."

And perhaps nowhere in Connecticut is the backcountry more appealing than in Litchfield County, in the northwest corner of the state.

In the heart of the county, a few winding miles from the county seat, Litchfield, is Warren. Lake Waramaug stretches out below the town. If there was any significant farming there, it might be called Lake Woebegon, the town that time forgot and the ages cannot improve.

In fact, in Connecticut Magazine's recent listing of bests and worsts in the state, Litchfield County took the title in a half-dozen categories, including "Places to see Connecticut unchanged in a century" with Warren leading that list, along with Sharon and Litchfield, which boasts a town green, "second only to Guilford."

Best recreation area: the 4,000-acre White Memorial Conservation Center off Route 202 in Litchfield.

Best apple pies: those baked and served by the Warren Ladies' Auxiliary, 400 an hour, at the Warren Woods Fall Festival in October.

Best-kept vacation secret: "Lake Waramaug. Hidden away up there in antiques and waterfall country is this lovely, not-yet-spoiled-rotten recreation. The Inn on Lake Waramaug is a complement of sleeping and eating perfection."

No argument there, but I'd vote for The Boulders, on the eastern end of the lake, the better to watch the spectacular sunsets.

Run by Jim and Carolyn Woollen, the former beach cottage is an enormous stone-fronted house built in 1895. It has cottages on the property, but a stay in one of the main house's five rooms is a treat seldom found.

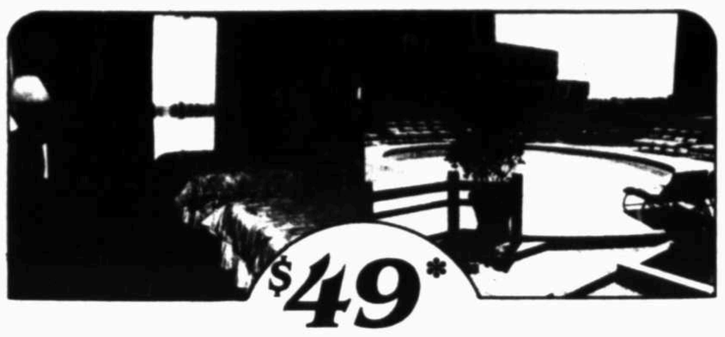
With filling breakfasts and sumptuous dinners as a part of The Boulders' American plan, days begin and end on the brightest of notes.

In between, there are day trips to the state's "best waterfall," the 200-foot Kent Falls, or two nearby vineyards — the Hopkins in New Preston or Haight in Litchfield — or a day on the lake in the inn's boats, reading The Lichfield County Times, the "best newspaper" of its size in the state, although that would not take a full day. Like Litchfield itself, the paper is a simple one. On the other hand, the Indians (at least the Chamber of Commerce tribe) named the lake the "Good Fishing Place."

There are other quiet, out-of-the-way places throughout New England. There are other viewpoints and antique shops and hundreds of square miles without a fast-food shop or self-serve gas station. But somehow none is quite like those in back-country Connecticut, in Litchfield County.

If Mark Twain's Connecticut Yankee had lived here, he wouldn't have left for King Arthur's Court.

Litchfield County is two hours north of New York City and approximately the same distance south and east of Albany, N.Y. For information, contact the Litchfield Hills Travel Council, P.O. Box 1776, Marbledale, Conn. 06777



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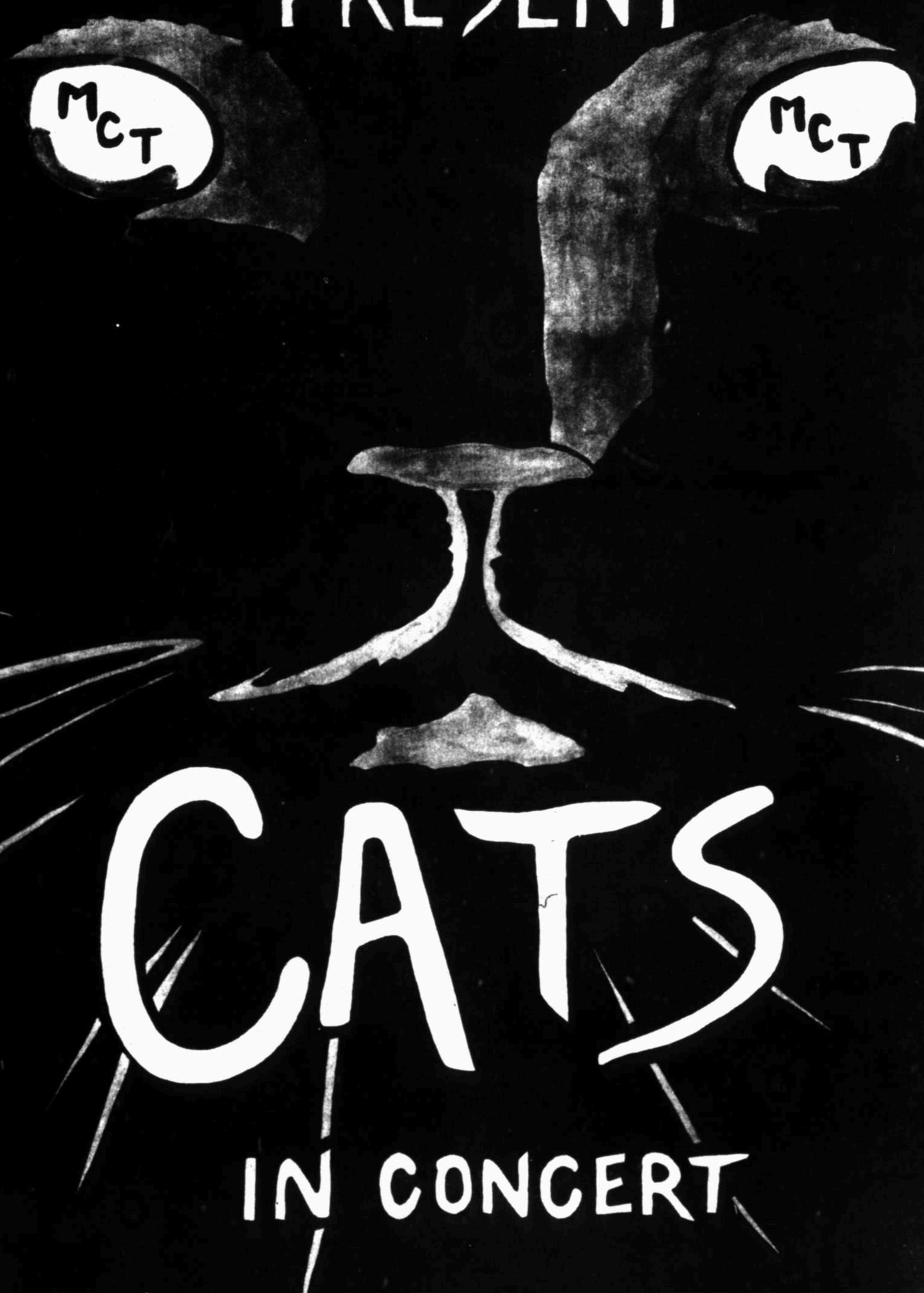
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