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Stock market prices fluctuating

NEW YORK (AP) — Stock prices bounced like yo-yos this morning in a market fearful of another Black Monday-style crash.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials, down 140.58 points Friday to 1,911.31 for its third-largest point loss, rose about 27 points in the first few minutes then fell sharply to the 1,895 level for a 16-point deficit.

Broader market indices also turned lower after early increases, and losing issues outnumbered gainers on the New York Stock Exchange by more than 2-to-1 on volume of more than 43 million shares, considered active but not heavy.

Many veteran traders remained reluctant to participate.

"I'm going to wait until later before I decide whether to commit money to this market," said Philip C. Puccio, manager of institutional trading at Dillon, Read & Co. in New York.

The active buying on Wall Street came after stocks and the dollar eased overseas in anticipation of another stiff loss in the U.S. financial markets because of a heavy selloff Friday.

In Tokyo, where the trading day begins, the dollar slipped about 1 yen in value to 128.50, while the closely watched Nikkei Stock Average of 225 selected issues lost 294.13 points, closing at 22,578.43.

Later in London, the dollar also eased until central banks intervened to buy the currency. On the London Stock Exchange, the Financial Times 100-share index lost about 48 points in early trading but recouped half the loss to the 1,751 level by late mid-afternoon British time.

Foreign investors remained nervous because of the large loss on Wall Street Friday, when the Dow Jones industrial average sustained its third-biggest point loss.

More than $144.7 billion in stock value was lost, or about 5.67 percent of the Wilshire Associates index of 5,000 stocks. On the New York Stock Exchange, more than seven stocks fell in price for every one that rose.

Market watchers noted that on Oct. 16 — the Friday before Black Monday — the indicator lost 108.35 points in what remains its fourth-largest loss ever. It went on to lose 508 points on the following Monday, Oct. 19.

Tension was heightened through the weekend as parallels were drawn between last October's scenario and Friday's decline. But observers found some solace in the reflection that the pre-Black Monday market was widely viewed to be overvalued with many investors weighed down by holdings they had used large amounts of credit to buy.

For the most part, those investors were out of the market when it tumbled Friday — leaving a much tougher core of traders, according to analysts.

In addition, they said, last week's market was due for a decline after a 113-point runup during the four previous sessions.

On NBC-TV's "Meet the Press," Sen. Nicholas F. Brady, R-N.J., who headed a presidential commission that studied the Black Monday crash, said Sunday he also did not expect "a repeat of the Friday-to-Monday kind of action that we had on the 19th of October."

But New York Stock Exchange Chairman John Phelan said on the same program that "of course there is no guarantee," it would not happen again.

In addition to obliterating the gains of last Monday-Thursday, Friday's drop raised a shadow over hopes that the stock market had finally begun to recover.

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Gorbachev proposes Sino-Soviet summit

MOSCOW (AP) — Mikhail S. Gorbachev called for a summit meeting between China and the Soviet Union in another indication the two communist giants are moving closer together after more than 25 years of tension.

In the first interview believed granted to Chinese journalists by a Soviet Communist Party leader, Gorbachev praised the state of Sino-Soviet relations and said they were improving.

His comments were published in this year's second edition of the weekly Chinese magazine Outlook. Soviet and Chinese news agencies on Sunday issued short accounts of the interview. The Soviet television news show, Vremya, also mentioned the interview in its lead item Sunday night.

The Chinese Xinhua News Agency quoted the Soviet leader as saying he takes a great interest in China's political and economic reforms and suggested the two nations, facing similar problems, could share their experiences.

"Mikhail Gorbachev expressed satisfaction with the accelerating Soviet-Chinese cooperation," the Soviet Tass news agency said in its commentary on the interview. "A political dialogue is established. We believe a Soviet-Chinese summit could be its logical extension. Going by everything, both sides feel an objective need for it."

The Chinese Foreign Ministry declined today to comment on the report. In the past, the Soviets have been more optimistic about improved ties than the Chinese.

Gorbachev was quoted in the Chinese article as praising last February's first round of Chinese-Soviet talks to resolve border disputes that led to hostilities in the 1960s. The two nations contest ownership of some islands in the Amur River, located between northeastern China and eastern Siberia.

Gorbachev said the agreement signed at the U.S.-Soviet summit in December to scrap all intermediate-range nuclear missiles has improved prospects for drastically reducing strategic, or long-range, nuclear arms, Xinhua said.

Gorbachev and President Reagan signed a treaty last month in Washington. It still must be approved by the U.S. Congress.

Gorbachev's proposed summit would mark the first meeting between Chinese and Soviet governmental leaders since 1969 when Prime Minister Alexei N. Kosygin met with Chinese Premier Chou En-lai. If the meeting includes communist party heads, the meeting would be the first since Mao Tse-tung held a cantankerous meeting with Soviet party boss Nikita S. Khrushchev in 1959.

The Soviet Union and China were allies in the 1950s but split in 1960s for a variety of reasons, including Chinese opposition to the Soviet model of development which stressed heavy industry and mechanization.

Their relations reached a low point during China's Cultural Revolution when frequent clashes occurred along their 3,000-mile border.

After the fall of the Gang of Four in 1976, Chinese leader Deng Xiaoping adopted a series of reforms designed to decentralize China's economy and allow a measure of economic freedom.

Since that time, Soviet economists reportedly have looked to China with great interest as they, too, seek to reform Soviet society under Gorbachev's policies of "perestroika," or restructuring.

Visits have been exchanged at the level of deputy prime minister and deputy Politburo member, trade has picked up and students groups have been exchanged.

But problems still exist between the two nations.

As a prerequisite to normalization, China insists the Soviets withdraw their troops from Afghanistan, force Vietnam to end its occupation of Cambodia and cut its nuclear and conventional arsenal along China's borders.

The Chinese lately have appeared to de-emphasize the Afghanistan issue. But they do not appear likely to compromise on the Vietnam or disarmament issues.

Xinhua said Gorbachev noted that despite progress reached at the superpower summit, obstacles to reducing nuclear arsenals remain. He said a growing gap between the world's rich and poor and a tendency to divide the world into spheres of influence were among those obstacles, Xinhua reported.

The Soviet leader pointed to changes inside the Soviet Union as one sign the socialist world is open to reform, democratization and openness — a trend that should facilitate dialogue between the East and West, it said.

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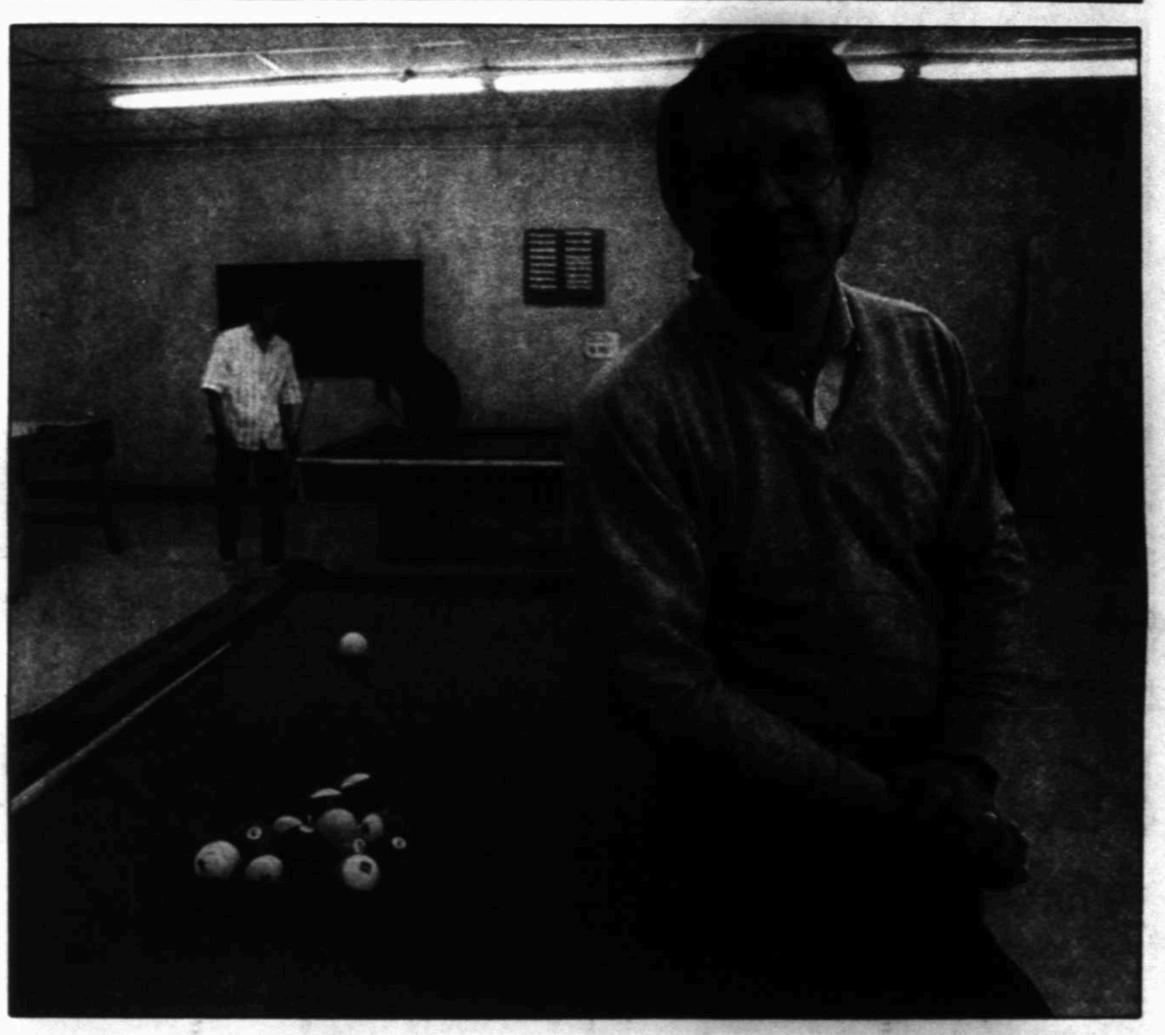

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Sitting around

Midland Boys Club Director Nick Sanchez takes a break on a club pool table. Sanchez says about 150 boys each day take advantage of the recreational activities at the club, located at 110 E. New Jersey Ave. Please see related story, photos Page 1B.

Man says he didn't con British church

LONDON (AP) — One of two men the Church of England said it paid more than $21,000 to establish a link with people it believes are holding church envoy Terry Waite denies the transaction was a fraud.

A church spokesman said Sunday the payment was to cover expenses of Charles Armstrong and John Entwhistle after they said they would meet with Lebanese contacts who supposedly knew Waite's captors. The church said the meeting never took place.

But Armstrong said in a television interview Sunday that the church received information for the money.

"They're wrong in implying that both Entwistle and I were con men or are con men, that we were squeezing 10 or 12,000 pounds out of the archbishop of Canterbury," Armstrong told Independent Television.

"We have been able to tell the archbishop's office at various times how he (Waite) is doing, whether he's ill, whether he's not ill...We've kept them up to date with what we know," he said.

Waite, the archbishop's personal envoy, vanished in Lebanon on Jan. 20, 1987, during his fifth mission to negotiate the release of Western hostages. No group has claimed to hold him.

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Arrest made in Berlin disco bombing

BERLIN (AP) — Police today arrested a West German woman suspected of planting a bomb in a West Berlin discotheque that killed two U.S. soldiers, prompting the United States to attack Libya.

The government said Christina Gabriele Endrigkeit, 27, who allegedly was working for two Palestinian terrorists in the April 5, 1986 bombing, was arrested along with an unidentified man in the northern port city of Luebeck.

The blast in the crowded La Belle club, which was popular with American soldiers, also killed a Turkish woman and injured 229 people.

Mrs. Endrigkeit disappeared after the bombing and was believed hiding with her 3-year-old son. On Sunday, Volker Kaehne, spokesman for the West Berlin Justice Department, released a photograph of her and told reporters she was being "urgently sought" as a key suspect in the case.

The arrest, first reported by Radio Schleswig-Holstein, was confirmed by Monika Stenkat, spokeswoman for the Schleswig-Holstein state Interior Ministry.

The United States blamed Libya for the La Belle attack and 10 days later bombed Tripoli and Benghazi in retaliation for it and other acts of terrorism it said Libyan leader Col. Moammar Gadhafi had aided. Western diplomats said at least 100 people were killed.

Authorities always have believed there was an Arab connection in the La Belle bombing, with Libya and Syria most suspect, West German security sources said today. They spoke on condition of anonymity.

One source said discussion of foreign involvement would have to wait for further investigation now that Mrs. Endrigkeit has been arrested.

Spokesman Robert Heath of the U.S. Embassy in Bonn today declined comment on whether new developments in the case would have any effect on the U.S. insistence Libya was behind the La Belle bombing.

U.S. authorities said after the bombing that they had intercepted radio messages from the Libyan embassy in East Berlin that implicated Gadhafi's agents in the attack. West German investigators have said they never were given any such evidence.

Chancellor Helmut Kohl and other West German officials also said shortly after the disco bombing that Libya was suspected of orchestrating the blast.

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Christina Gabriele Endrigkeit

McCrary says there's no 'rhyme or reason' to jail design

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the second of a three-part series presenting the complex problems of the Midland County Jail and solutions under consideration.

By JULIE HILLRICHS
Staff Writer

In the days before the Texas Commission on Jail Standards threatened to close the Midland County Jail, it was not an uplifting facility. County commissioners say it isn't that today and won't ever be.

Physically, the jail resembles nothing more than a storm sewer tunnel or the underside of a freeway bridge — dim and full of noise — with dozens of men in humbling cotton uniforms shuffling down hallways with the deepest resignation on their faces.

"There's no rhyme or reason for the way our jail is designed because it wasn't built under the kind of standards that the county must now follow," Midland County Commissioner Guy McCrary asserted.

The jail is a barbaric place, but then, society doesn't always have reliable solutions to problems — as evidenced in 1985, when voters nixed a proposal to build a $10 million, 225-bunk jail east of town.

The alternative chosen by the electorate was to spend $1.5 million renovating a facility that was constructed in 1974 on the fifth floor of the county courthouse.

While commissioners begrudgingly moved forward with the renovation — calling it a "Band-Aid" approach to correct state violations — they worked independently on a plan to ask voters to authorize construction of $3.8 million, 192-bunk downtown detention center.

Should the Jan. 30 bond election meet voter approval, construction on the new facility could begin even before work on the present fifth-floor is completed.

"We're trying to deal with a problem that we know exists," McCrary said. "But we're trying to do it with our own methods and our own resources as opposed to awaiting some regulatory mandate that may not be in the best interest of the citizens."

The county fell under a Jail Standards Commission remedial order in April 1985 because it neglected to equip the facility with adequate cell lighting, an exercise area, sunlight throughout the jail and sound-and-sight separation of male and female prisoners.

The commission limited the inmate population to 85 to allow for the classification of prisoners in single and multi-occupancy cells according to sex, inmate temperaments, status as misdemeanor or felony offenders, and seriousness of crimes charged against inmates or the seriousness of the crimes for which they have been charged.

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Negotiations to resume on INF reduction treaty

GENEVA (AP) — U.S. and Soviet negotiators return to the bargaining table this week in a bid to complete a treaty reducing intercontinental nuclear forces in time for the Moscow summit planned in the coming months.

While the two sides have made optimistic statements indicating that an accord could be reached, they also have hinted that discord over the Strategic Defense Initiative might thwart an agreement.

The talks are due to resume Thursday after a 7½-week break during which the superpowers signed a treaty banning a different class of weapons: intermediate-range nuclear missiles, with a range of 300 to 3,000 miles.

The treaty, which must be ratified by Congress, was signed Dec. 8 and successfully ended negotiations in one of the three areas comprising the Geneva arms talks, which began in March, 1985. Still, the intermediate forces represent less than one-tenth of the superpowers' nuclear arsenals.

The spotlight now moves to the other two areas: intercontinental, or strategic, nuclear forces with a range of more than 3,500 miles, and space and defense systems.

A joint communique following the Dec. 8-10 summit between President Reagan and Soviet leader Mikhail S. Gorbachev said they would instruct their Geneva negotiators to complete a treaty "preferably in time for signature of the treaty during the next meeting of leaders of state in the first half of 1988."

Negotiators are trying to finalize a treaty to halve superpower intercontinental forces including bombers, missiles and submarines.

The two sides have agreed to general principles, such as reducing their forces to 6,000 warheads and 1,600 delivery vehicles each. But issues such as a timetable for reductions, anti-cheating provisions and sublimits on certain types of weapons still must be resolved.

An agreement could founder on the question of the Strategic Defense Initiative, the U.S. drive for a space-based defense shield against nuclear missiles that has come to be known as "Star Wars."

The Soviet Union has made it clear that it opposes Star Wars, saying it could lead to an arms race in space. The Soviets have linked an agreement on intercontinental nuclear forces to the Star Wars question.

Just before Gorbachev went to Washington, he disclosed that the Soviets had been working on their own version of a Star Wars missile defense and urged Reagan to either drop his program or face a new arms race.

Reagan said after the summit the two sides had agreed to disagree on Star Wars for the time being. But the problem could crop up later.

Marlin Fitzwater, the White House spokesman, said Dec. 16 in Washington that the issue of Star Wars was "not resolved in the sense of their (Soviet) opposition to it and our commitment to it. Those are different positions that could come in conflict at any time."

In Moscow, Gorbachev said on national television after the summit that Star Wars could still damage improving relations between the superpowers.

Negotiators in Geneva also will be trying to work out terms of a mutual pledge to observe the 1972 Anti-Ballistic Missile treaty.

The Soviets have called for both sides to abide by the treaty for 10 years after the signing of an agreement. The United States has proposed seven years.

The two sides also have not agreed on what types of tests could be conducted during that period. The Soviets say the treaty bans some tests contemplated in the Star Wars program.

Meanwhile, some changes are foreseen in the delegations at Geneva.

On the American side, the delegation on strategic arms will be headed by S. Read Hanmer, who was promoted from deputy delegation chief. He succeeds Ronald Lehman who has been nominated to succeed Richard Perle as assistant secretary of defense for international security affairs.

The U.S. space and defense group will be headed by Henry Cooper, also promoted from deputy chief. He succeeds Max Kampelman, who will limit his duties to head of the overall U.S. delegation.

On the Soviet side, a recent Washington Post report said the overall delegation head, Yuli Vorontsov, also a Soviet deputy foreign minister, would hand over the reins to deputy Alexei Obukhov. Soviet officials in Geneva declined comment on the report.

Lyn Nofziger's ethics law-violation trial begins

WASHINGTON (AP) — Jury selection began today in the conflict-of-interest trial of lobbyist and former White House political director Lyn C. Nofziger, who wore his trademark Mickey Mouse tie.

"I am innocent," the 63-year-old veteran Republican political activist told reporters as he entered the U.S. Courthouse for the start of his trial, which could last four or five weeks.

U.S. District Judge Thomas A. Flannery said selecting a 12-member jury from a panel of 180 prospective jurors could take two or three days.

Nofziger, known for his rumpled appearance and irreverent humor, is charged with four felony counts of violating the ethics law that prohibits federal employees from lobbying the agency in which they worked for the first year after leaving the job.

Each count carries a two-year sentence and a maximum $10,000 fine.

Nofziger's partner, Mark Bragg, is charged with aiding and abetting one of the lobbying contacts, a crime that carries the same penalty as an ethics-law violation.

The case is being prosecuted by independent counsel James C. McKay.

Flannery began asking prospective jurors about whether they been influenced by publicity about alleged wrongdoing by Reagan administration officials.

"I don't see how you can read The Washington Post or The New York Times without addressing the headlines about people in the Reagan administration being involved in potential criminal violations," said George G. Nelson, the first prospective juror to be questioned.

But Nelson, recalling other government scandals, said that the problem is not unique to the Reagan presidency and commented that there is "illegality in every administration."

Nofziger is accused of improperly lobbying Meese, who was then presidential counselor, and Meese's deputy, James Jenkins, as part of Wedtech's successful effort to obtain a $32-million, no-bid Army contract.

The indictment also charges Nofziger with violating the one-year lobbying ban by making White House contacts on behalf of a maritime engineers union and Fairchild Industries, which builds the A-10 anti-tank jet.

The highlight of the trial is expected to be the testimony of Attorney General Edwin Meese III, whose own links to the influence-peddling scandal involving Wedtech Corp. are the subject of a parallel investigation.

Meese is expected to testify about Nofziger's efforts to help Wedtech get a defense contract shortly after Nofziger left the White House staff in 1982.

A month after Nofziger wrote to Meese, Jenkins summoned Army and Small Business Administration officials to a meeting at which Wedtech tentatively was awarded the contract.

Influence peddling on behalf of Wedtech has become the focus of a widening federal investigation that has put a cloud over Meese.

More than a dozen public officials and businessmen are either under investigation, indictment or have been convicted in connection with the case.

Rep. Mario Biaggi, D-N.Y., faces bribery and extortion charges resulting from the inquiry.

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Wheeeee!

L.J. Young, 7, of Escanaba, Wisc., launches his sled in an attempt to "fly like an eagle," at a local park.

Government not responsible for atomic test deaths

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Supreme Court today refused to hold the government financially responsible for deaths and diseases allegedly caused by years of open-air atomic weapon tests in Nevada.

The court, without comment, turned away an appeal by some 1,200 people who themselves lived downwind from the test site or had relatives who lived in Nevada, Arizona and Utah.

The federal government, under the aegis of the Atomic Energy Commission, conducted over 100 atomic weapon tests between 1951 and 1962.

A 1979 lawsuit filed in Utah contended that the radioactive fallout from those tests caused numerous deaths and diseases, such as cancer and leukemia.

The suit charged that the government negligently failed to monitor test results and to warn about the fallout hazards.

A federal trial judge, after reviewing the claims of 24 of the plaintiffs, ruled that 10 of them could recover monetary damages. U.S. District Judge Bruce Jenkins said the government was liable for a negligent failure to follow the commission's public-safety guidelines.

The judge said the claims of the other plaintiffs could proceed under the Federal Tort Claims Act, a law that allows people to sue the otherwise legally immune federal government.

But the 10th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals reversed Jenkins' ruling last April 20.

The appeals court said that the atomic testing program's public information plans could not be held liable under the FTCA because it amounted to a "discretionary function."

"These plans clearly fall within the discretionary function exception" to government liability, the appeals court said.

In a concurring opinion, Judge Monroe McKay said, "While we have great sympathy for the individual cancer victims who have borne alone the costs of the AEC's choices, their plight is a matter for Congress."

"Only Congress has the constitutional power," he added, "to decide whether all costs of government activity will be borne by all the beneficiaries or will continue to be unfairly apportioned, as in this case. Until Congress amends the discretionary function exception to the FTCA or passes a specific relief bill for individual victims, we have no choice but to leave them uncompensated."

Lawyers for those who sued then asked the Supreme Court to rule that the discretionary function exception does not apply to "non-regulatory conduct."

They relied heavily on a 1953 high court ruling in which the government was granted immunity for allegedly failing to warn federal project workers about the dangers involved in handling a fertilizer.

In the vaccine case, the justices said they will hear an appeal by the parents of a Pennsylvania boy who contracted polio after receiving a dose of oral vaccine.

JAIL

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And they ordered the county to correct the jail's deficiencies within 60 days.

"I keep hearing from people how bad the Texas Commission on Jail Standards is," Commissioner Durward Wright observes two years later. "In my opinion, they've been lenient as hell with us...They've closed down six or eight jails in other counties...I mean they just shut them down and said, 'Haul your prisoners.'"

With the threat of closure no longer hanging over their heads, commissioners are seeking to meet the jail's incarceration needs for the next 50 years.

"I think it's incumbent on us to be pro-active to deal with this problem within the confines of the regulatory requirements," said McCrary, "but not in response to the regulatory requirements."

McCrary said the plan currently under consideration costs considerable less money — about $6 million less — than prior jail proposals because of the materials used in construction.

Design and construction of the proposed jail — manufactured with boiler-plate steel — would cost the county between $18,000 and $20,000 per bunk. That compares to an average cost of $35,000 per bunk for a jail constructed of conventional brick and mortar.

"Figured into those costs is the ability to expand and have a service area already in place for expansion," said Wright. "That would allow us to expand for about $12,000 per bunk."

McCrary said commissioners have yet to decide on a specific jail floor plan, though he added they will rely on Sheriff Gary Painter's input "because we're not going to operate it."

The commissioner added that the cost of staffing the jail will weigh heavily on the final design plan. "Salaries are the biggest part of operating costs and operating costs are the biggest part of the jail over the life of the jail," he said.

Wright said the county spends $7,500 per bed per year in salaries and benefits to operate the existing jail. The proposed jail would cost the county about $5,000 per bed per year.

Representatives of Western Corrections of New Mexico — builders of "podular" jail facilities — told commissioners last November that they could build a 192-bed jail for less than $20,000 per bed or for $3.8 million total.

Jailers in a "podular" facility watch prisoners in a "pod" or small, enclosed area, as opposed to being in direct contact with inmates in a modular or linear jail.

Although Painter has yet to see a "podular" jail in operation, he said, "It looks good on paper."

New jail construction techniques have evolved only in the past five years as the prison inmate population rose and there became a greater demand for more jail space. Also taken into consideration was the high cost of conventional construction.

Wright said the court knew very little about the newfangled construction techniques in 1985 when it finalized plans for the construction of a $10 million jail.

"They were in their embryonic stage. Some small jails had been constructed under the modular system, but they were still relatively unknown. We were unfamiliar with them in their entirety at that time," he added.

Commissioner Scott Welch disagreed with the court's decision to forge ahead with a new jail facility and voted against calling the January bond election. He argued that the renovations now underway in the fifth floor jail can meet the county's needs until the local economy recovers and taxpayers can afford the expense.

Welch has also proposed that the court consider building its jail on the present courthouse site — either underground or to the north — to ensure that prisoners who are awaiting trial remain a few feet from the district courtrooms.

However, McCrary said the cost of building a jail on the present courthouse site "is absolutely prohibitive."

"This incarceration thing is a national problem and there are a lot more efforts put into different kinds of construction methods that are going to yield the same kind of result. The techniques are just less costly," he said.

"And they're aesthetically pleasing," said Wright. "They're not junk."

Tuesday: What a new jail would cost Midland County taxpayers

BOMBING

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On Sunday, a security source, who spoke on condition of anonymity, said Mrs. Endrigkeit "allegedly acted (in the bombing) on behalf of the Jordanian-born brothers Ahmed Nawaf Hasi and Nezar Hindawi."

Hasi is serving a 14-year prison sentence for his convicted in the March 1986 bombing of West Berlin's German-Arab Friendship Society building, which injured nine people. His accomplice, Farouk Salameh, was sentenced to 13 years in prison.

Kaehne said Sunday that Hasi remained a suspect in the La Belle bombing.

Hindawi, who adopted the surname of a prestigious clan in northern Jordan, is serving a 45-years prison term for trying to blow up an Israeli airliner in April 1986. The plot was foiled when explosives were found in the hand luggage of his pregnant Irish girlfriend.

Hasi was arrested two weeks after the La Belle attack and police found what appeared to be drawings of the discotheque in his possession.

A West Berlin court ruled that the friendship society attack was plotted by Hindawi and Syrian intelligence officials. Hindawi's trial in London also disclosed a Syrian connection.

Testimony at Hasi's trial indicated he went to Libya in July 1985 with Hindawi, who was seeking financial support for a terrorist group. After failing to obtain money from Libyan authorities, Hindawi went to Syria in search of backing, court papers show.

British intelligence sources have said Hasi flew from Germany to Tripoli with Salameh in February 1986 and met Hindawi there. However, the Libyans apparently were not helpful and Hindawi and Salameh later flew to Damascus, Syria, the intelligence sources said.

Killed in the disco bombing were Sgt. Kenneth Terrance Ford, 21, of Detroit, Staff Sgt. James E. Goins, 26, of Ellerbee, N.C., and a Turkish woman, 27-year-old Nermine Hanay. Ford and Ms. Hanay died immediately. Goins died of his wounds June 7, 1986, in a West Berlin hospital.

GORBACHEV

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Tass quoted Gorbachev as saying differences between the United States and the Soviet Union should not be turned into a "justification of confrontation."

He told Tass: "This is the more true now when processes of renewal, democratization and openness in the world of socialism are creating trends that favor contacts between countries in the East and West and make it possible to begin a new page in their relations."

Tass did not say when or where the interview was conducted with the editorial board of the magazine, but suggested it was a response to written questions rather than a personal meeting.

The news agency said Gorbachev's response to the editorial board's questions were "handed over" on New Year's Eve.

A Moscow correspondent for Xinhua said the interview was the first between a Soviet Communist Party leader and Chinese journalists.

WAITE

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The church issued a statement Saturday night confirming the $21,600 payment after early editions of The People, a Sunday weekly, reported the Archbishop of Canterbury, the Most Rev. Robert Runcie, was contacted in March by two men "claiming they had access to the terrorists holding Waite in Beirut."

The newspaper said Armstrong was a failed horse dealer and Entwistle was a former scrap merchant currently serving a year in jail for illegally shipping computer equipment.

Church spokesman John Lyttle said in a British Broadcasting Corp. interview Sunday that the payment was "slightly embarrassing."

"But we knew what we were doing," he said. "We knew we were taking a considerable risk but in our view, risks have to be taken occasionally in this kind of business."

He said the money was for travel and other expenses, not a ransom payment.

Former Conservative lawmaker Peter Bruinvels, a member of the church's policy-making General Synod, called the payment "an expensive blunder" and said it called into doubt Runcie's political judgment.

In addition to Waite, eight Americans and 12 other foreigners are missing in Lebanon. The hostage held the longest is Terry Anderson, The Associated Press' chief Middle East correspondent, who was kidnapped in Beirut in March 1985.

STOCKS

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The plunge began with a Labor Department report that civilian unemployment in December dropped to 5.8 percent, its lowest rate since July 1979.

On the bond market, interest rates soared because the report added to growing belief that the economy is much stronger than previously thought.

With a stronger economy, the Federal Reserve would have less incentive to push interest rates down, while higher interest rates could hurt corporate profits — in turn, hurting stocks.

Computerized program trading, a strategy whereby professionals use computers to profit on differences between stock index futures and their underlying baskets of stocks, also aggravated the decline, analysts said.

And traders were worried that November U.S. trade figures to be released Friday will be worse than thought, they said.

Some also said traders were disturbed by advance reports on recommendations by the commission headed by Brady.

The report, issued after the market closed, did not ask for price limits on stocks — as some had expected — but did recommend that one agency, preferably the Federal Reserve Board, coordinate the nation's financial markets.

The White House has reacted coolly to the report.

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Biker with Bible takes witness to the road

PFLUGERVILLE (AP) — A row of motorcycles parked in front of a church in this Central Texas town made it obvious that it wasn't just an ordinary Sunday.

At first glance, the man in the pulpit at the World of Light Church seemed out of place.

Clad in a denim vest and blue jeans, with hair past his shoulders and a beard to match, a burly imposing figure espoused scripture to the congregation inside.

In other settings Ben Priest's presence might inspire fear, but with a leather-bound Bible in hand it appeared that he is a biker with a mission.

"Harley Davidson used to be my god," he said. "Now it's my pulpit."

The 33-year-old ex-outlaw biker preached Sunday to the Word of Life congregation, along with about 40 members of the Tribe of Judah motorcycle gang and the Christian Motorcycle Association.

The sermon, filled with readings from the Bible and stories of his personal experiences, often was interrupted with shouts of "Hallelujah" and "Amen" from members of his biking troupe, sporting black Harley Davidson shirts, wallet chains and motorcycle boots.

Priest said his childhood, the divorce of his parents and his search for brotherhood led him to the life of a biker. He said crime sent him to the Louisiana State Penitentiary and he told of near misses with death from drug deals gone awry.

"I was an outlaw biker," Priest said. "By the time I was in my mid-teens, I was strung out on heroin and thinking about spending the rest of my life in the Louisiana State Pen."

"I never wanted to be associated with anything weak. I came to a place where I realized I was out of control," he added. "It scared me. I'd been shooting drugs for 10 years around the clock, and my brothers were dying all around me.

"The first guy that came and witnessed to me, I punched him in the head," he said.

Woman saddles success with hobby horses

By PATRICIA MAYERS-CHIN

ARLINGTON (AP) — Her horses have no legs, but Sondra Salo is riding high.

The hobby-horse business she started in her Arlington home two years ago has now expanded to 19 states.

For Mrs. Salo it was a matter of building a better hobby-horse. She credits her son Josh with giving her the idea for the business. When the then 3-year-old saw a hobby-horse on Sesame Street, he wanted one just like it. Mrs. Salo checked the usual retailers but was dissatisfied with the quality of the products she saw.

So she decided to make her own.

From a modest investment of $700, Sasalo Originals sold about 2,400 hobby-horses the first year for close to $20,000. The company kept about $6,500 in profit.

Now, well into its second year, Mrs. Sasalo hopes to double those figures.

The 39-year-old mother of two is no stranger to entrepreneurship. She said she got her entrepreneurial spirit from her father.

"We are a family who like to work for ourselves," she said. "My father did not expect us to be the best, just to try our best."

The business her father started in 1937, Bransom Floor Service, is operating successfully today. Her brother, a former policeman, runs the company.

Given that background, it wasn't so surprising that Mrs. Salo made the progression to home business entrepreneur from her previous job as a phone company clerk.

Sondra Salo poses with some of the stick horses she has made in her Arlington home. The hobby-horse business she started two years ago has now expanded to 19 states.

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Everybody in Mrs. Salo's family works together in Sasalo originals. Her husband, Tom, a Fort Worth police sergeant, spends his time stuffing hobby-horses. The children test-ride them.

The family has sacrificed its garage, back porch and a bedroom to the business, but no one is complaining. They can make about 200 hobby-horses a week.

Sasalo's product might be unusual, but the idea of a home business isn't.

There are about 15 million home businesses in America, said Jan Dean, home business consultant for the Small Business Administration. Ms. Dean, who conducts seminars on starting home businesses, said such businesses are popular because of tax advantages, low overhead, and because of the freedom thy allow.

This is especially true for mothers, such as Mrs. Salo, with young children.

Mrs. Salo, already the mother of one, adopted a Korean child months before she started her business. She said her two children have not hampered the business.

Mrs. Salo attributes her success, which has surpassed her expectations, to the quality of her product. She uses natural yarns, soft acrylics, top-quality sticks with lead-free paint, and she sews everything by hand.

The hobby-horses come in three sizes, 16 colors, and range in retail price from $11 to $15.

Clients include Toys by Roy, Gordon Boswell Flowers, Lige Green Flowers & Gifts and Toy Works in Dallas.

Jesse Owens, manager of Lige Green Flowers & Gifts in Arlington, said the quality of Mrs. Salo's hobby-horses is excellent. The store uses them to complement floral arrangements for babies' and children's parties. Sales have been good, he said.

Sally Baker, manager of Toy Works, said the horses have been good sellers in her store. She said one customer likes the horses so much that she sent several to relatives in Wyoming.

Sandy Adcock, a representative at The World Trade Center in Dallas, is Mrs. Salo's liaison to the retail market.

Kim Smith, manager of the Dallas World Trade Center and an associate of Adcock, said the horses have sold well because they are "colorful, well-constructed, and they stimulate a child's imagination."

She said they appeal to all ages.

Inspections failed to reveal furnace problems

AZLE (AP) — Operators for a private home for the aged say their facility was inspected twice in the past year, but neither time was there any indication residents might be susceptible to carbon monoxide poisoning.

Ten residents and two staffers of the home returned to their families Saturday after spending the night in a Fort Worth hospital for treatment of carbon monoxide poisoning.

The home's administrator, Debbie Davenport, who was also the most seriously affected victim of the monoxide leak, said she had complied with every request of state and local inspectors to make the facility safe.

"We did everything the state of Texas had told us to do and now people are coming in here and saying everything was done wrong," Ms. Davenport said.

The carbon monoxide leak was blamed on an improperly vented furnace.

The administrator and her husband, Bob Davenport, bought the former nursing home two years ago and spent $12,000 remodeling it. The center, called Silver Creek, is home to 10 ambulatory patients.

The heating and cooling unit was inspected by an Azle fire official in August and was reported to be "maintained in a safe manner." Last May, an architect with the Region 5 office of the Texas Health Department checked the building and did not note any deficiencies in the cooling and heating system.

However, Spillway Fire Chief Ray Perry told the Fort Worth Star-Telegram the system may have been slowly poisoning the building's occupants since it was installed.

The Health Department inspects homes for the elderly every six months, but does not routinely check the heating system, said Robert Wright, program administrator for long-term care units in the department's Region 5.

"We normally look at the personal care being given in the home. We look at health, safety, food and sanitation," Wright said. "We want to make sure the residents are being taken care of."

He said the most recent inspection showed compliance of state regulations at Silver Creek. But he said he and an architect planned to visit the home Monday to check on the furnace. Wright said the home would not be allowed to reopen until the problem has been corrected.

Fire officials said the home's venting system malfunctioned, pulling carbon monoxide into the equipment and through the ducts in the house. Carbon monoxide depletes the supply of oxygen to the blood and causes headaches, nausea, confusion and sometimes death.

Amerasian children now outcasts in U.S.

DALLAS (AP) — Many of the offspring of Vietnamese women and American GIs have become outcasts in their fathers' homeland, officials said.

"The most tragic of the refugee experience is Amerasian children," said Ron Cowart, a police officer who founded the Community Police and Refugee Affairs Center in East Dallas. "They never seem to be adjusted. But they hold everything inside."

Scorned and despised in Vietnam, about 1,000 children of American soldiers and Vietnamese women have come to the United States. More than 100 live in Dallas.

A product of two cultures, Amerasian children belong to neither. In the U.S., as many as 50 percent drop out of school, officials said.

Many of the boys have joined gangs and turned to crime; some girls have become prostitutes. Amerasian drug and alcohol abuse is rampant.

The problems of Amerasian children are the same across the United States, says Le Xuan Khoa, president of the Indochina Resource Action Center in Washington, D.C.

"They have lost their identity, their sense of self-esteem," says Vietnamese emigre Thao Dam, another police officer who spends time at the center. "They think they are bad.

"At first they were proud to be in America," he told the Dallas Times Herald. "They act like Americans, listen to American music. They went to school, but were not accepted as Americans. Now they try to return back to the Vietnamese culture. But they are not accepted there either."

Many of the children came to the United States with their mothers, but almost none of them know who or where their father is.

With more Amerasian children expected to move to Dallas, Phap Trung Dam, supervisor of foreign language teachers for Dallas Independent School District, prepared a report on those already living in the city.

Among the report's findings:

— ten of the about 100 Amerasian children in the city have tried suicide;

— two have been sentenced to jail for serious crimes;

— a third of the boys are drug addicts, as are several of the girls;

— at least eight girls have become prostitutes.

Officials hope the report convinces the U.S. State Department to fund detoxification, self-support and job placement programs and a halfway house for Amerasian children in Dallas.

Hispanic leaders upset by new Alamo film

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Some Hispanic leaders say a new movie about the battle of the Alamo is historically inaccurate and demeaning to Hispanics, including Texas-born Mexicans who helped defend the mission.

"Alamo — the Price of Freedom" depicts the events leading up to the siege of the Alamo by Mexican Gen. Antonio Lopez de Santa Anna, as well as the final battle on March 6, 1836, which left all 187 or so Alamo defenders dead.

The 44-minute film will be shown beginning in March on a six-story, 85-foot wide screen at the new IMAX theater in a new mall in downtown San Antonio.

Troubled by the criticisms, the movie producers, Texas Cavalcade Corp. of San Antonio, showed a 73-minute rough cut of the movie to about 40 Hispanic leaders two weeks ago.

City Councilman Walter Martinez, who leads the group of Hispanics criticizing the film, says the group has no desire to stop the film or rewrite history.

"Let the movie show the bravery of (William Barret) Travis and (Jim) Bowie. That's fine," Martinez said. "But give us accurate history. To leave it like this movie portrays is not fair to anyone."

Among other scenes, the group found the portrayal of Davy Crockett's death by Merrill Connally, brother of former Gov. John Connally, to be historically inaccurate and racially inflammatory.

"What kind of image will this movie portray to the millions of visitors who come here each year?" Martinez asked. "How will this movie play to Hispanic kids?"

The group presented Texas Cavalcade with a 12-page list of objections and threatened to boycott Luby's Cafeterias and Pace Foods, two principal financial backers of the film. The group asked that certain scenes be cut and others added to show greater participation by Tejanos, or Texas-born Mexicans.

Texas Cavalcade officials say they are stunned by the reaction.

Kathy Pena-Sosa, a Texas Calvacade spokeswoman, said some scenes won't make the final cut, but that there are no plans to shoot additional scenes.

"We're grateful for specific recommendations we've gotten from Martinez and other groups, for they'll help make a better movie," Mrs. Pena-Sosa said. "But we're puzzled by the criticism we've made a movie that's culturally demeaning. In a community that's 54 percent Hispanic, we're not going to make a movie that's offensive to Hispanics."

George McAllister, 65, a Texas rancher who co-produced the movie and co-wrote the script, noted: "In fact, this is the first Alamo movie to even show there were Tejano defenders, and I took pains to show their sacrifice."

Gem dealers donate rare gems to museum

HOUSTON (AP) — Two gem dealers who discovered $750,000 in rare red beryls in a Utah mine are donating a share of their find to the Smithsonian Institution.

Brant Whetstone and Fred Cuellar will donate an 18-carat red beryl in a natural state worth $20,000 and a 1.5 carat red beryl valued at $25,000 that will be cut into a jewel before being shipped to Washington.

The two gems will be sent to the Smithsonian on Jan. 22, said Whetstone, president of Spectrum Gems and a specialist in beryls. John Sampson White, the Smithsonian's curator of gems, said the museum only has a one-quarter carat red beryl of poor quality.

"We're donating them because we have them and they don't," said Cuellar, president of Diamond Consultants. "We have plenty of them."

The Houston Post reported today that the two Houstonians dug 800 carats of the gems out of what is reportedly the world's only red beryl mine last June.

Girl's body found in Dallas lake

DALLAS (AP) — Search crews dragging a Dallas-area lake recovered the body of a 5-year-old girl Sunday, one of three family members whose car slipped off an icy road into the lake early Wednesday.

The body of Crystal Stenline of Rowlett was found about 2 p.m. in water 10 to 20 feet deep about 30 feet from where the car was recovered, Dallas police Sgt. Billy Cansler said.

Authorities believe the girl, her 8-year-old sister, Tawana, and mother, Betty Stenline, drowned in Lake Ray Hubbard.

Priest convicted of sexual assault gets prison term

HOUSTON (AP) — Jurors who sentenced a Roman Catholic priest to almost 10 years in prison for sexually assaulting a 9-year-old boy felt probation in the case would have been too lenient.

"There were those who felt strongly that the sentence should be probation," said jury foreman Jacqualine Brown. "Others of us felt that there was no way in good conscience that probation would be acceptable."

Donald Stavinoha, 44, showed little visible emotion as the 9-year, 9-month sentence was read Saturday and was quickly led from the courtroom. Jurors in State District Judge Albert Pruett's court deliberated all day Friday before announcing their decision. Stavinoha also was fined $10,000.

Stavinoha pleaded guilty to a charge of aggravated sexual assault. He was arrested on April 30, 1986, when a police officer reported seeing him performing oral sex on a boy who attended the priest's church — Immaculate Heart of Mary, in Houston.

"At issue was the fact that he held a position of authority and trust, like a police officer, a teacher or a scoutmaster," Ms. Brown said. "I find it very offensive when a person uses that position to commit a crime."

Juror Mildred Ridgeway said she hopes the sentence will send a message that probation in such a case clearly was unacceptable.

"Hopefully the little boy will recover from this eventually — also the mother," Ms. Ridgeway said. "They trusted this man, and he wasn't trustworthy."

Prosecutors Jim Buchanan and Jon Munier contended Stavinoha deserved prison like any other similar offender.

"Dressed up in sheep's clothing, he is a wolf that preys on our children," Buchanan said.

Edward Mallett, Stavinoha's attorney, said he planned to appeal the decision. Pruett set the appeal bond at $50,000. Mallett had no comment on the sentence.

"Right now, I'm speechless," he said.

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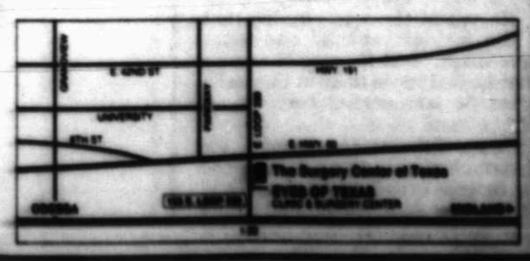

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Sources confirm Iraqi jets attack Iranian tanker

MANAMA, Bahrain (AP) — Iraq today claimed its warplanes attacked two tankers off Iran during the night, and shipping sources confirmed that at least one Iranian tanker was hit and set on fire.

One of the shipping sources reported that Iraqi jets also attacked an Iranian island on Sunday night that is used as a base by the Iranian Revolutionary Guards, but the attack could not immediately be confirmed.

The sources, who spoke on condition of anonymity, are based in the gulf.

The tanker attacks shattered a nine-day lull in the tanker war, a key part of the 7-year-old conflict between Iraq and Iran in the Persian Gulf.

The lull coincided with reports by Arab diplomatic sources that Syria, Iran's main Arab ally, had persuaded Tehran to open a dialogue with the six-nation Gulf Cooperation Council on ways to end the Iran-Iraq war.

The shipping sources said the 280,476-ton Iranian supertanker Khark 3 was hit Sunday night. Baghdad Radio, monitored in Nicosia, quoted an unidentified military spokesman as saying that Iraqi warplanes attacked two ships in raids occurring about two hours apart Sunday night.

The official radio said the fighter bombers hit two "large maritime targets," which usually means tankers, in "effective and accurate" raids.

The shipping sources said the Khark 3, loaded with Iranian oil, was set on fire in the Iraqi air strike south of Iran's Kharg Island oil terminal in the northern end of the waterway. The supertanker, owned by the National Iranian Tanker Co., was hit twice by Iraqi jets last February.

The sources had no details on damage or casualties in the latest attack and said they did not know whether the fire had been brought under control.

One reliable shipping source said Iraqi warplanes on Sunday attacked Abu Musa island, an Iranian Revolutionary Guards base in the southern end of the gulf that has been used for attacks on shipping in recent months.

The Iraqis have not reported any such raid. The source said there was no immediate word on the extent of damage.

Iran usually retaliates for attacks on its tankers with strikes on neutral commercial shipping in the gulf.

The last confirmed Iraqi raid on shipping was Jan. 2, when the 26,260-ton Maltese freighter Alga was hit as it sailed from Kuwait with a cargo of fertilizer for China. The Iraqis apparently hit the ship by mistake.

Iran accuses Kuwait, the gulf country closest to the war zone in the northern end of the waterway, of aiding Iraq's war effort and frequently singles its vessels out for attack. Since July, the U.S. warships have been escorting 11 reflagged Kuwaiti tankers through the gulf.

The raid on the Alga was the only confirmed attack on shipping in the gulf since Dec. 26. Iran and Iraq carried out a record 36 attacks on shipping in December, the worst month in the tanker war since it flared in early 1984.

Arab diplomatic sources reported last week that Iraq had agreed to halt its air force blitz of Iranian tankers as part of a Syrian initiative to broker talks between Iran and the six-nation Gulf Cooperation Council to find ways of ending the gulf war.

The sources also reported Tehran had agreed to delay a long-anticipated winter offensive in the land war so the talks, which would not directly involve Iraq, could be held. But the reported scale-down in fighting was not seen as an overall cease-fire. The sources gave no timetable for the reported dialogue.

Sporadic ground action has continued since Dec. 26 and the Iraqi air force bombed an oil refinery in the northwest Iranian city of Tabriz on Friday.

Iran retaliated by shelling Iraq's southern port city of Basra on Friday and Saturday. Iraq claimed at least eight civilians were killed and 27 wounded.

The two sides also reported a naval battle around two offshore Iraqi oil platforms in the northern end of the Gulf on Saturday.

The Iranians claimed at least 120 Iraqis were killed and five Iraqi ships, identified as frigates, were sunk in Saturday's fighting.

Iraq denied it lost any ships and said its forces sank 13 of 50 small Iranian armed ships that took part in the assault.

Noriega: Trip was 'trap to test' U.S.

Noriega

PANAMA CITY, Panama (AP) — Military strongman Manuel Antonio Noriega said his unannounced visit to the Dominican Republic was a ploy to see how his opponents at home and in Washington would react if he surrendered power.

Noriega made no public appearances after returning to Panama on Sunday after the one-day trip. But before leaving the Dominican Republic he told the newspaper Listin Diario: "It was a trap I set to test their honesty."

In Panama City on Saturday, 1,000 people danced and jumped in the banking district, many thinking the general would not be back.

"Noriega has left!" they shouted, waving white handkerchiefs while others honked automobile horns and banged on pots and pans.

Riot police fired tear gas to disperse the crowd and witnesses reported several arrests, although they could not be confirmed.

Dennis Harter, a State Department spokesman in Washington, said only it was understood that Noriega had left on a weekend "family outing."

Noriega, who has been under pressure from Washington to ease his grip on power, was accused last year by a former officer in the military of being involved in drug trafficking, election fraud and political assassinations.

Noriega, who denied the allegations, is the country's top military officer and de facto leader. He emerged as the top leader in Panama in 1983 and is widely regarded as retaining real power despite the election of a civilian government in 1985. President Eric Delvalle became vice president in 1985 and succeeded President Nicolas Ardito Barletta, who resigned in 1986.

Noriega's trip followed published reports that Richard L. Armitage, assistant secretary of defense for international security affairs, asked Noriega to resign and allow free elections.

A military officer and an employee at Noriega's home confirmed Sunday the general had returned.

"He is in the country, but we cannot inform you in what place. But he is here," said an officer of the Defense Forces, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

"The general is back in the country," an employee at Noriega's residence said in a telephone interview. She refused to give her name.

In the interview with Listin Diario, Noriega was quoted as saying Washington was trying to "discredit" him.

He described himself as part Indian, part black and part Latin American "with a spiritual base in the bravery of the Indians, the greatness of the black man and the audacity of the Spaniard."

"The allegedly superior Anglo-Saxon race still has not been able to understand that, and since they don't understand, they insult us, they enslave us, they discredit us," he said. "But each time they do that they renew us, strengthen us, a different blood that they can't erase in Latin America."

Noriega also said he went to the Dominican Republic to meet his daughter's father-in-law. Noriega's daughter Sandra last year married the son of former Gen. Juan Rene Beauchamps Javier, head of the Dominican military for three years until his retirement in 1978.

His wife, Felicity, and three of their daughters had been in the Dominican Republic since Friday.

The Dominican Foreign Ministry had announced Noriega would stay in the country for five days.

In another development, U.S. Embassy spokesman Terence Kneebone said Panamanian authorities refused Sunday to allow a Washington Post reporter to enter the country when she arrived at the Panama City airport.

Kneebone gave no reason for the action.

Reporter Julia Preston was put on an Eastern Airlines flight to Miami, but the flight was cancelled because of mechanical problems before it took off, he said. Two hotels where passengers from the flight were sent said Ms. Preston was not among those registered.

Protesters demand end of Sandinista rule

MANAGUA, Nicaragua (AP) — Thousands of people demanded an end to Sandinista rule and mourned the assassination of a newspaper publisher in the largest anti-government demonstration in more than eight years.

An estimated 10,000 people took part in the mile-long march Sunday to commemorate the 10th anniversary of the death of newspaper publisher Pedro Joaquin Chamorro, a supporter of the Sandinista revolution and one of the strongest critics of late strongman Anastasio Somoza.

"The people aren't afraid anymore," said Ramiro Gurdian, one of the coalition's officers. "Pedro (Joaquin Chamorro) didn't want a Marxist-Leninist society. He wanted the people to have a better life."

Protesters chanted "Communists get out now!" A sign one marcher carried read, "Murderous Sandinista Communists, get out now!"

Wearing handkerchiefs over their faces, young men spray-painted walls with anti-government slogans.

No violence was reported during the march, organized by a coalition of opposition political parties and organizations.

In El Salvador, meanwhile, Roman Catholic Archbishop Arturo Rivera Damas said that steps taken under the Central American peace plan to end that country's civil war have not been successful.

In addition, a written report by the independent Salvadoran Human Rights Commission said there was an "alarming increase" in human rights violations in that country. Few details of the paper were released.

Chamorro was killed Jan. 10, 1978, reportedly by people hired by those close to the Somoza dictatorship. His death was a major factor in consolidating support for the Sandinista National Liberation Front revolution, which ousted Somoza in July 1979, ending 42 years of rule by the family.

His wife, Violeta, served briefly in the Sandinistas' first governing junta but later resigned and joined its critics. Under her direction, the family newspaper La Prensa also swung to the opposition.

The government ordered it closed in June 1986, a day after the U.S. Congress approved $100 million in aid to the rebels. But the paper was allowed to reopen in October n a move called for by the Central American peace plan.

"This is the beginning of democracy, and it can't end today," Myriam Arguello, secretary-general of the Nicaraguan Conservative Party, told the cheering crowd Sunday. The march was held with government permission, required under a national emergency decree in effect since 1982.

As part of Nicaragua's efforts to comply with the regional peace plan, the Sandinista-dominated National Assembly has approved a lifting of the state of emergency and a broad amnesty if U.S. aid to the Contra rebels ends.

The peace plan, signed by five Central American presidents Aug. 7, also calls for cease-fires and an end to support for insurgencies. That last requirement would force the United States to stop aiding the Contra rebels.

An international verification commission reviewing compliance with the plan begins meeting in Panama City today to prepare a report on information it gathered in a tour of the region last week.

The report is to be presented to the presidents of the five countries — Guatemala, El Salvador, Nicaragua, Honduras and Costa Rica — at a meeting that begins Friday in Costa Rica.

Israeli charged with being spy for Soviet Union

Kalmanovich

JERUSALEM (AP) — An Israeli businessman with links to politicians and army officials has been arrested as a suspected spy for the Soviet Union, his lawyer and Israel television said Sunday.

Shabtai Kalmanovich, 46, who immigrated from the Soviet Union to Israel in 1971, was arrested by secret service agents Dec. 23, said his lawyer Amnon Zichroni.

Zichroni said judicial officials barred him from releasing further details about the case, such as the specific charges brought against his client.

Israel television said Kalmanovich is an international businessman who "employs hundreds of people throughout the world, among them former Israeli ministers and reserve officers."

"Among his friends are members of the Knesset (the Israeli parliament), high-ranking politicians and senior army reserve officers," the report said. It did not provide names.

After immigrating to Israel, Kalmanovich served in the army and briefly worked as an aide to former israeli legislator Shmuel Flatto-Sharon, Zichroni said.

The television report said that "since the first massive wave of immigration from the Soviet Union, Israeli security services feared that the Soviets would plant agents who would...serve in the army and supply the Soviet Union with information for many years to come."

Israel television said Kalmanovich had connections with people involved in East-West spy swaps in the 1970s. It said that in August 1977, Kalmanovich traveled to East Germany and met with Wolfgang Vovel, an East German lawyer who helped mediate such exchanges.

It noted that reports at the time said Flatto-Sharon also was involved in such exchanges. Flatto-Sharon successfully ran for the Knesset in 1977 and thus avoided extradition to France where he was sought for fraud and tax evasion.

In 1981, Flatto-Sharon lost his legislative seat and his parliamentary immunity. He then was jailed for nine months after being convicted of paying money for votes in his 1977 campaign.

In April 1978, Kalmonivich helped bring about the release of Mairon Marcus, an Israeli held in a Mozambique jail, the television report said.

It said in the same month, an American identified as Allen Van Norman who was held held in East Berlin was swapped for a Soviet spy, identified only as Thompson, who was jailed in the United States.

"In a Pan Am plane from Frankfurt to Berlin at the end of April were Thompson, an American official, a German official and Shabtai Kalmanovich," the report said.

Zichroni said his client is a businessman dealing in iron and other goods. The lawyer said Kalmanovich served as the commercial representative in Israel of the southern African country of Botswana and had business interests in Germany, Sierra Leone and other countries.

The television report said Kalmanovich had established trade ties with the Soviet Union, Hungary and Czechoslovakia

Diplomat killed, four others hurt in explosion

KAMPALA, Uganda (AP) — A grenade attack today in a building housing four embassies killed a Libyan diplomat and wounded four people, including the French cultural attache, police said.

In London, a previously unknown group calling itself the Uganda Federal Army claimed responsibility for the 8:30 a.m. attack. The caller claimed Palestinian terrorist Abu Nidal had been in the building, but escaped unharmed.

The caller said the group was fighting Libyan and communist influence in Uganda and that the dead man, identified by police as embassy administrative officer Ayyad Abeid Matus, led a regional terrorist network.

There was no confirmation of the caller's claims.

French cultural attache Jean-Daniel Neveu was wounded in the attack, but not seriously. Initial incorrect reports said he had lost a leg.

Three Ugandans also were injured in the blast, including Matus' secretary, Bamalig Musoke.

The bombing occurred in Embassy House, opposite Uganda's Parliament, which houses the embassies of Libya, France, Sudan and West Germany.

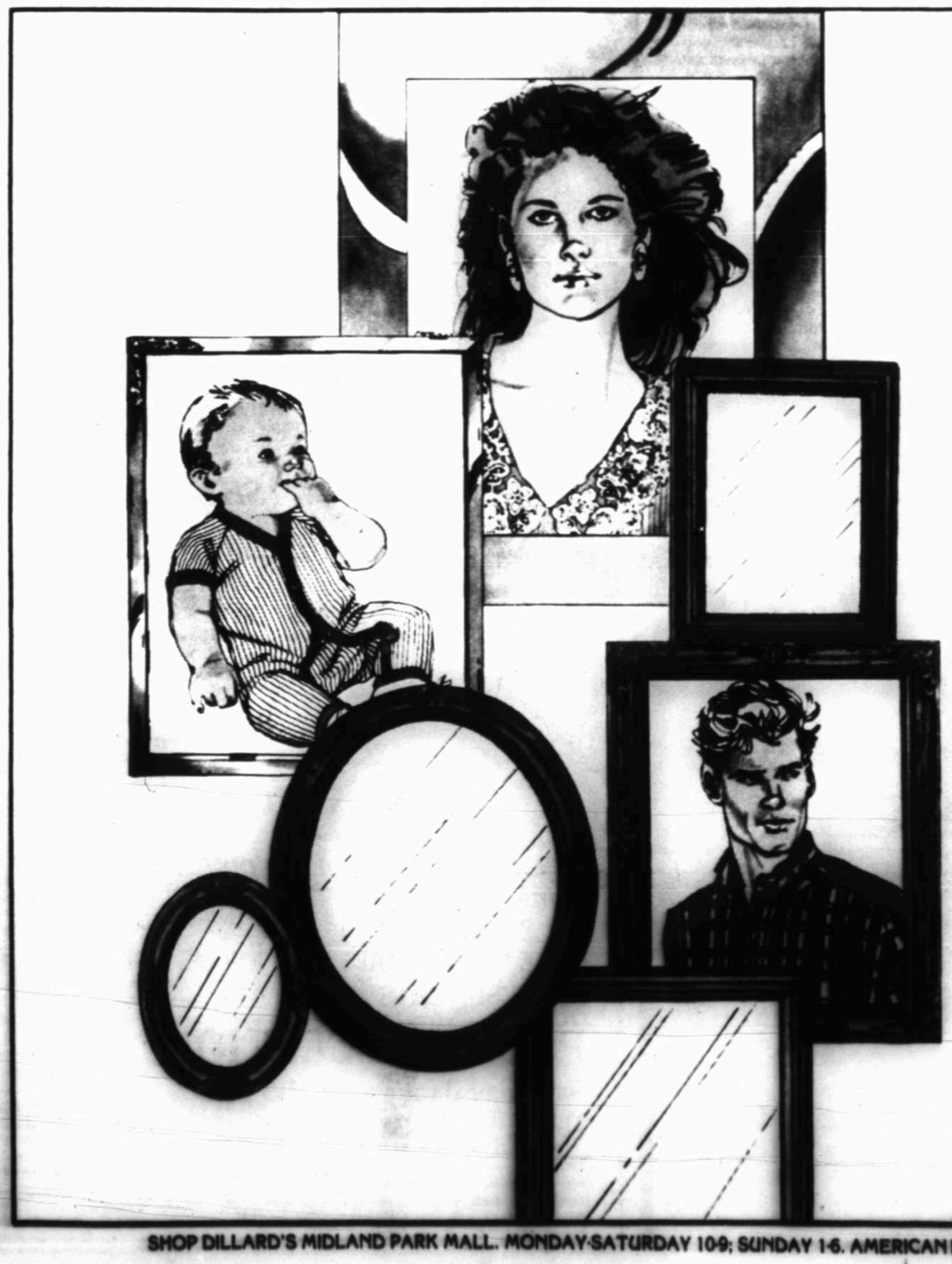
The assailant was on the second floor of the nine-story building when he tossed a grenade down the stairs as Matus began to climb them, said Commander David Kaboyo, head of the security team investigating the bombing.

"The grenade fell in front of the Libyan diplomat," said Kaboyo. "The French diplomat, who was coming after him, was injured together with three Ugandans."

Kaboyo said police picked up for questioning a Ugandan man who claimed to be a journalist working for a private firm that planned to launch a new newspaper. Kaboyo would not identify the man.

"He was at the scene by the time of the incident and he had taken some snaps," said Kaboyo. "I wonder what he had come to do at the place, unless he had earlier been tipped off."

A man claiming to represent the Uganda Federal Army telephoned the British Broadcasting Corp. and the Voice of America in London and said the group was responsible for the attack.



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1988 may make, break U.S. interests in El Salvador

By MARY JO McCONAHAY
Hearst News and Feature Service

SAN SALVADOR, El Salvador — Inside the fortresslike U.S. diplomatic compound here, Ambassador Edwin Corr, a native of Oklahoma, is said to view the challenges he faces this year as a kind of high-stakes cattle drive. The goal is to steer El Salvador toward the presidential elections scheduled for March 1989 while watching for dangers that lurk like wolves on the plains.

"He calls it 'getting the cows to Cheyenne,' " said a well-placed source.

Among the perils:

— A Central American peace plan, once the source of so much hope here, that now appears to have foundered, raising fears of even more bloodshed.

— The steadily eroding power of President Jose Napoleon Duarte, an essential linchpin of U.S. strategy.

— A desperately poor economy buffeted by forces outside its control.

— The return of the death squads.

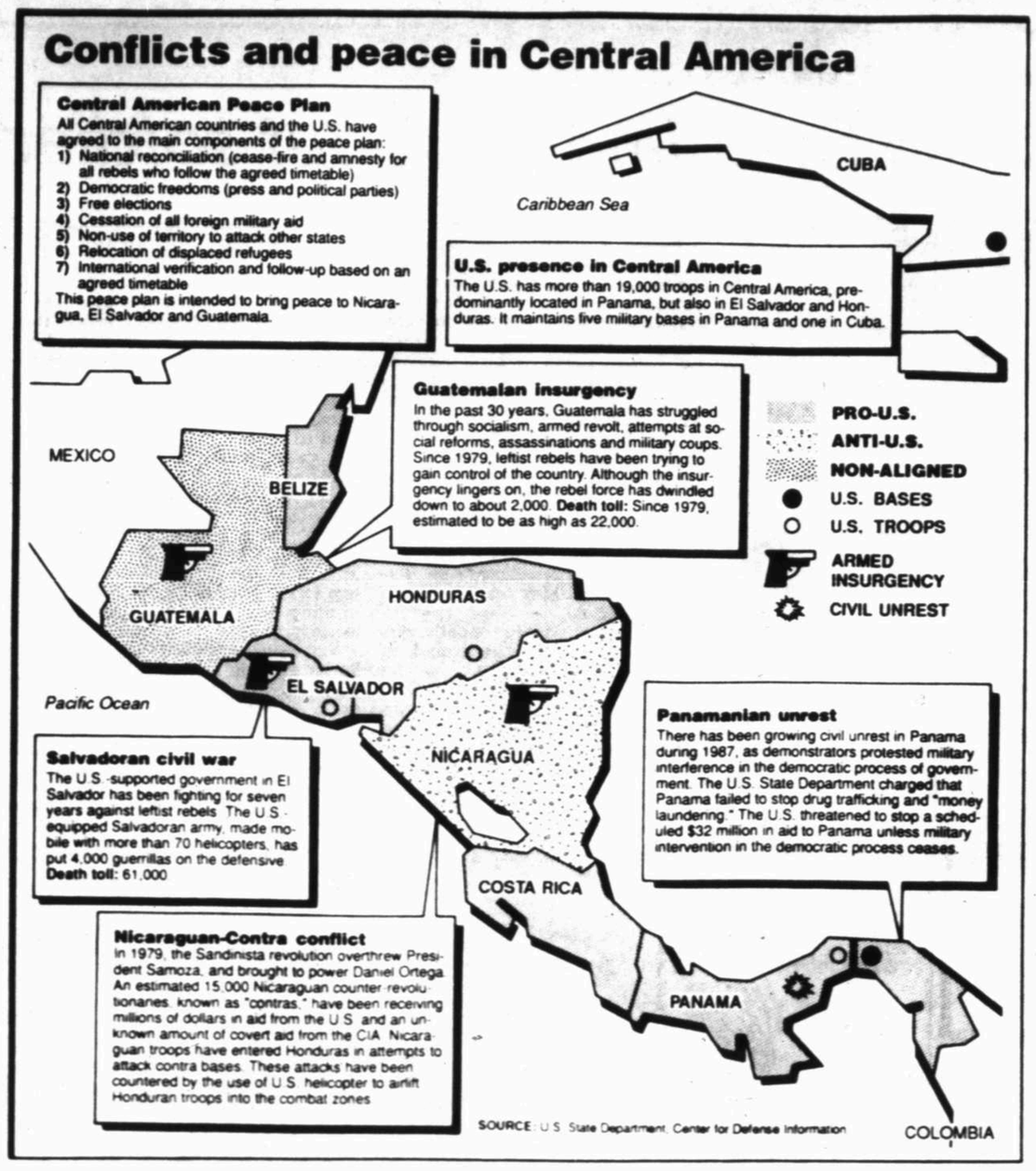
Underlying it all is a growing sense of despair among ordinary Salvadorans. According to a survey conducted by researchers at the Central American University in San Salvador, 76 percent of those polled said no existing political party represented their interests.

The most immediate threat is the elections scheduled for March to select members of the Legislative Assembly and local mayors. Duarte's Christian Democratic Party is widely expected to lose its three-seat majority in the 60-seat Assembly.

Analysts say that given the strong opposition to Duarte from the political right — which is expected to gain seats — the Assembly will become a fractious arena in which Duarte's economic reform programs may meet a dead end.

Duarte's loss of the legislative branch will reduce his ability to lead the country politically between now and the 1989 presidential elections.

And as the power of his civilian government wanes, observers say, the military, traditionally aligned with wealthy property owners, may play a larger role.



IN 1984, U.S. support helped elect Duarte and halt the political momentum of the radical right. Since then, corruption, party in-fighting and government ineffectiveness in dealing with the civil war and the economy have soured some former supporters.

Significantly, the disaffected include poor and lower middle class urban residents who form much of the ruling party's base.

"I voted for Duarte last time, but he let his friends steal the money that was supposed to come to us, so this time I'm voting for ARENA (the right-wing National Republican Alliance)," said a 42-year-old mango seller and mother of three in the northern Mejicanos section of the capital, which was hard-hit by a killer earthquake in October 1986.

The mango-seller, who asked that her name not be used because "the fish (the symbol for the Christian Democrats) are everywhere," reflected a popular belief that international earthquake relief funds were mismanaged by administrators in the party.

Duarte's party is also under attack from the left. The 50,000-member Confederation of Salvadoran Workers, which includes government employees' and peasants' unions, was one of several labor groups that signed a "social pact" with Duarte to support the Christian Democrats in the 1984 elections.

In return Duarte pledged to improve the economy and stop the war. Now, leaders bitterly complain that Duarte reneged on his half of the bargain.

The leftist challenge was heightened when rebel political leaders briefly returned from exile last month.

Ruben Zamora and Guillermo Ungo worked cheering crowds like any other politicians on the stump. They appeared on TV talk shows and huddled with labor leaders.

THEIR SMALL PARTIES and the Salvadoran Socialist Democratic Party have formed an alliance called the Democratic Convergence, which is considering running candidates for some Assembly seats.

However, hopes that Ungo and Zamora may stay and play a more permanent, perhaps stabilizing, role in El Salvador's political life were dashed, at least for the time being, by the recent rash of death squad killings, which were widely interpreted as a warning against them.

The euphoria generated by the signing of the Central American peace accord also dissipated when guerrillas broke off talks in the wake of the death squad-style killing of prominent human rights activist Herbert Anaya.

For the first time, there was not even a pretense of a holiday season cease-fire.

Most independent analysts agree the military situation has become a stalemate. U.S. military sources say that in about seven years leftist guerrilla armies will be reduced to marauding bands incapable of major actions.

But the rebels vow to step up economic sabotage, and say the economic crisis and repression is causing popular dissatisfaction that favors them.

There are other factors that neither side can influence: World prices for coffee, the country's most important export, have plummeted, and drought has cut the cotton crop in half. It has also meant the loss of some 80 percent of the harvest of beans, a Salvadoran staple.

CHURCH AND human-rights groups, meanwhile, say 24 civilians were killed by death squads in 1987, each assassination carefully planned for maximum effect to frighten others away from political and labor activism.

"They (the right-wing death squads) rise when they feel their advantages and possibilities are being threatened in some way," said a European diplomatic observer.

"Dialogue with the guerrillas and talk of cease-fire has come to make them feel they are losing control of things again, that things are slipping through their fingers."

Roman Catholic Archbishop Arturo Rivera y Damas used his first Sunday homily of the new year to call for an end to the death squads, much as Archbishop Oscar Romero condemned them from the pulpit before his murder eight years ago.

Besides being a "nefarious sin," said the churchman, the squads are "an attempt against consolidation of an authentic democracy."

If this is true, there is little the United States is willing to do, it seems, except watch and wait.

Embassy officials here clearly hope that the country's "fragile democracy," as one labeled it, will survive the rigors of 1988.

If El Salvador can make it through until the 1989 elections, they believe, U.S.-style democracy will have taken some root.

Glowing powder casts radioactive shadow over Brazilian town

By SUSANA HAYWARD

GOIANIA, Brazil (AP) — On Sept 13, 17-year-old Roberto Santos Alves scavenging for junk, found a 300 pound lead capsule in an abandoned building. He and a friend, Vagner Mota, carried it to Alves' back yard and smashed it open with sledgehammers.

Inside the capsule was a glowing blue powder. It looked like carnival glitter. It gave off a golden sparkle in daylight and a brilliant blue at night.

"You would have never thought something so beautiful could be so dangerous, so evil. Everyone who saw it had to touch it," said Maria Vadia Mota, 59.

Her 6-year-old granddaughter, Leide Neves Ferreira, touched it and she is dead, as are three others who had contact with the powder.

It was cesium 137, a radioactive substance used in cancer treatment. The building in which Roberto Santos Alves found it was an abandoned radiology clinic.

From friend to neighbor, father to son, husband to wife, the cesium spread in tiny dusty particles. It contaminated people, furniture, dogs and cats, and changed the life of Goiania, a city of 900,000 people in central Brazil.

Mrs. Mota had 18 family members contaminated, including three sons and a daughter.

The powder contaminated 249 people in all.

Of those, 121 were hospitalized. One had his forearm amputated. 29 others are still in treatment. It was the worst known radiation accident since the meltdown of the Chernobyl nuclear reactor in the Soviet Union in 1986.

The incident has spread fear and panic not only in Goiania, 130 miles southwest of the federal capital, Brasilia, but to other parts of Brazil as well.

It began with Leide Nevas Ferreira's funeral Oct. 25. Demonstrators threw rocks and stone crosses at Leide's lead casket as they shouted, "We don't want to be contaminated."

A stone cross was still imbedded recently in mud a foot away from her grave. It had been pulled from someone else's grave and thrown at her casket to protest her burial in the city's Park Cemetery.

Leide's death, her violent funeral and lonely grave are just part of it.

People from Goiania are being isolated and shunned elsewhere in Brazil.

"The discrimination is subtle," said social worker Fariza Nanhas. "There is the Goiania person who can't get a hotel room, the child thrown out of school, the landlord who won't rent. "It's what the Christians did with lepers."

Today, Goiania still fights the tragedy's stigma, much of it magnified by ignorance.

"Radiation is invisible like a ghost, and those who suffered from it have deep emotional scars, the fear of the unknown," said Gov. Henrique Santillo of Goias state, of which Goiania is the capital. "We were unprepared. There was no organization."

The four victims are buried in unmarked graves, their caskets encrusted in two feet of concrete because their bodies will emit radiation for 200 years.

Plastic roses sit atop the otherwise bare graves.

Gov. Santillo said Brazilians soon would forget the radiation disaster, "because that's the way our culture is."

But Col. Nelito Barbosa, the head of civil defense for Goias and an army career officer for 27 years, still feels a deep hurt.

"I'm prepared for war, even revolutions," he said. "My God, I know war tactics. But something like this was a surprise. I couldn't see it. I didn't know what I was up against. That's the worst weapon in a war, the unknown."

Barbosa, who was almost hit by the cross thrown at Leide's grave, is bitter as well.

"Brazil abandoned us," he said, referring to what he called a lack of compassion by the rest of the nation.

On the night of Sept. 29, Barbosa evacuated the Ferreira household and alerted neighbors that 57th Street was aglow with radiation. When he stepped inside the Ferreira home, cesium contaminated his shoes and eventually him.

"I carried Leide out of bed, as she was crying in my arms," he said. "I was not one to cry before this. But I do a lot now, at night when I'm alone."

Not counting adhesive material, the cesium inside the capsule weighed just 17 grams, about the size of a bite from a chocolate bar.

It was Leide's aunt, Maria Gabriela Ferreira, now buried next to her niece, who went to authorities, reportedly on Sept. 28, because she had become suspicious of the glowing substance.

What those 17 grams contaminated has since filled 1,000 52-gallon drums of radioactive waste, including soil, concrete, furniture, clothes and dead animals.

Brazil's newspapers called the Goiania accident "Goianabyl," a reference to Chernobyl.

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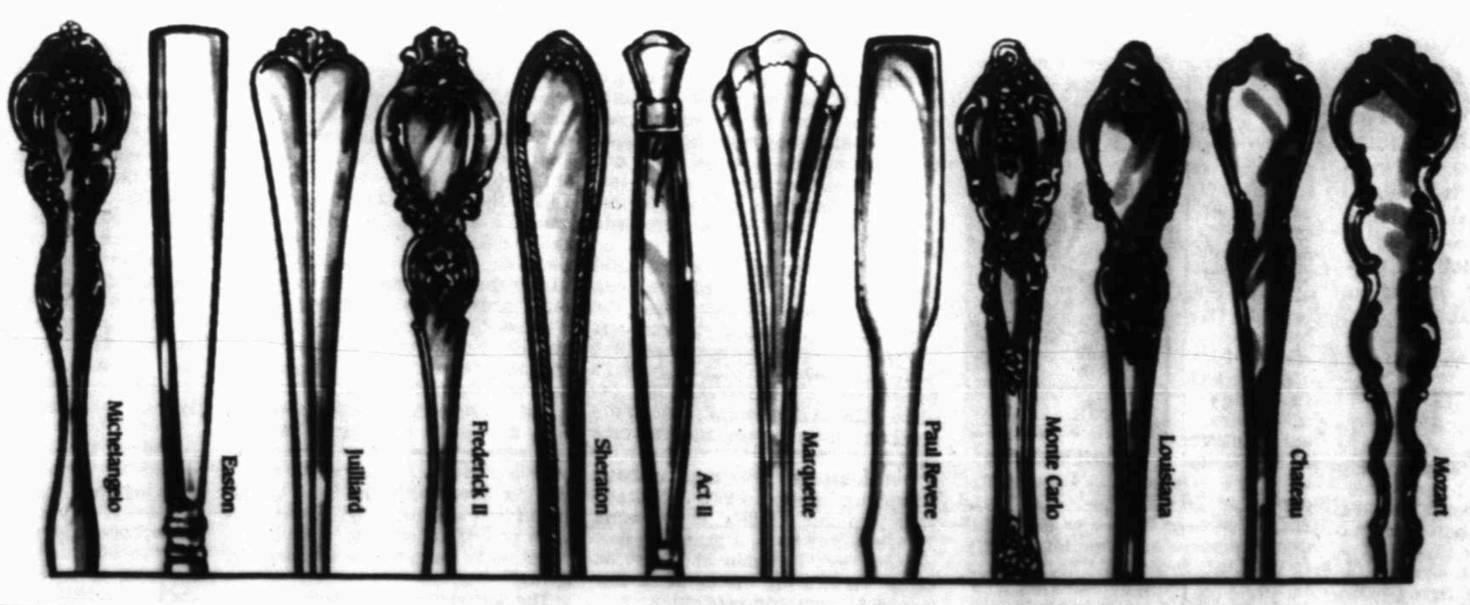

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BEE SMART

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

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

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

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entrepreneur — (noun) America has many "entrepreneurs," but the word is French, base on an earlier word meaning "to undertake." An "entrepreneur" is a person who organizes, manages and assumes responsibility for a business or other enterprise. Perhaps you or a friend will be an entrepreneur. Originally "entrepreneur" meant anyone who managed activities relating to music. Thus, an "entrepreneur" would produce and arrange musical recitals and programs. Over the past century, users have expanded the definition of "entrepreneur" to mean the organizer on any economic venture, especially someone who assumes the risk of a business.

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

Will Sandi Claus have North Pole honeymoon?

FRANKLIN, Wis. (AP) — Sandi L. Thompson married Bill Claus during the Christmas holiday and became Sandi Claus.

The couple had been engaged since August, but hadn't picked a wedding date until Bill, who is on disability leave from the Oak Creek Highway Department, suggested Dec. 22 they pick up a license.

Claus said they wanted to get married on Dec. 25, but state law required them to wait at least eight days. They were married Dec. 30.

Sandi Claus, 28, who is deputy clerk of the city of Franklin, says whenever she tells someone her name, "they either laugh hysterically or tell jokes."

OPINION

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Assault of robots isn't so frightening

We may not see fleets of hard-working, mobile, autonomous robots until the 1990s or even the 21st century, but the vanguard of a new era has already arrived.

A milestone in robotics history occurred last summer in a Boston warehouse when a rolling, rubber-wheeled model that resembles R2D2, of "Star Wars" movie fame, sensed intruders with its microwave antennae and flashed an alarm to the human security guard at the front desk, according to a recent Wall Street Journal report. For the first time ever, a burglary was thwarted by an autonomous security robot, the Denning Sentry manufactured by Massachusetts-based Denning Mobile Robotics Inc.

Meanwhile, a University of Florida researcher claims to have developed an "intelligent" robot picker that can detect individual fruit on a tree, determine its ripeness, and pluck it, using color television cameras and similar sonar-sensing technology. The university's Institute of Food and Agriculture is working with an Italian company, which hopes to develop robots with at least six picking arms capable of harvesting a half-dozen pieces of fruit per second.

At $110,000 each, the Denning Sentry isn't close to replacing security guards or guard dogs. Those hardy souls who brave the prickly branches of citrus trees also have no need to feel immediately threatened by the mechanical fruit-picker, which probably won't be competitive for some time with farm-worker wages.

Robot-makers have yet to achieve much success in designing autonomous robots that can move quickly, climb stairs, or use elevators without bumping into things or getting lost. One big advantage of the Denning Sentry is that it manages to find its way around a building using sonar range-finders and infrared beacons installed at various work stations.

Smart robots will not necessarily be a threat to the human workforce. So far, their numbers are very small. The military, which experiences manpower shortages, is testing two Denning guards. Agricultural harvesting devices that have reduced commodity costs, such as the tomato harvester, have not ended the need to import agricultural workers into the country. Besides, any robot that catches on will create new jobs for workers involved in its manufacturing, operation and servicing.

The clever and appealing R2D2 may have taken some of the glamour out of a robot shaped like a trash can assigned to mere guard duty. Still, a useful, reliable, robot represents an enormous technological advance. All the better that American know-how is behind its creation.

Another View:

George Bush's advice

It's always been hard to accept that George Bush could, at the same time, be the most "completely involved" vice president of modern times, as he and President Reagan assert, and still have been disengaged from the Iran-contra affair, as he asserts. And it's getting harder as Bush still refuses to say more about his role in that disaster. That he is engaged in a presidential campaign is no excuse; a campaign is an occasion for coming clean with the voters, not for ducking.

It is true that he occupies a delicate position, as vice presidents often do, caught between looking like a self-righteous goody-goody if he says more, or like an obsequious lapdog if he says less. But the dilemma in this case is not as harsh as it seems.

Another vice president, Hubert Humphrey, learned that to postpone an independent stand can cost an election. In the 1968 campaign he was entreated repeatedly to set himself apart from President Johnson on a much tougher issue, Vietnam. He finally did — on the last day of September, too late.

Since the Iran-contra scandal exploded, Bush has said only that he agreed with his chief in seeking freedom for our hostages, yet had unspecified "reservations" about arms dealings with Iran. To harbor only vague reservations about such folly would demonstrate something about the judgment Americans measure in their candidates.

Bush has refused for a year to say what he told the president after learning from Israel in July 1986 that the vaunted diplomatic channel with Iranian "moderates" in fact involved a dangerous relationship with Iran's most radical elements. Now he's equally reticent about a newly discovered White House memorandum.

The memo, dated February 1986, describes pending arms deals as a "risky operation" lacking the support of the secretaries of defense and state but backed by the attorney general, CIA director and White House chief of staff. Then it describes Reagan and Bush as "solid" for the deals.

Why doesn't Bush explain himself? He argues that it's wrong to disclose his private advice to Reagan. "If the price for my winning the election is that I have to go out and violate that confidence," he says, "I'm not going to pay that price." But the confidentiality is to protect the president, not the adviser. Mr. Reagan has given no public sign that he wants Bush to keep quiet. On the contrary: he has told officials to cooperate fully with Congress and Lawrence Walsh, the independent counsel.

The vice president still wants to have things both ways. He told the National Press Club Tuesday: "I'm not a kiss-and-teller. I'm not going to try and look good" — implying that he gave good advice but that it wasn't taken.

If Walsh and his grand jury start asking him questions, he'll have to respond, no matter how loyal. The Supreme Court ruled in the Nixon tapes case that even executive privilege must yield to the needs of criminal investigation; Bush would have to tell all he knows. Why not tell the public, too? Why keep hiding in President Reagan's skirts?

— The New York Times

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Monday, Jan. 11, the eleventh day of 1988. There are 355 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Jan. 11, 1935, aviator Amelia Earhart began a trip from Honolulu to Oakland, Calif., that would make her the first woman to fly solo across the Pacific.

On this date:

In 1757, the first secretary of the U.S. Treasury, Alexander Hamilton, was born in the West Indies.

In 1805, the Michigan Territory was created.

In 1861, Alabama seceded from the Union.

In 1913, the first sedan-type automobile, a Hudson, went on display at the 13th Automobile Show in New York City.

In 1943, the United States and Britain signed treaties relinquishing extraterritorial rights in China.

In 1964, U.S. Surgeon General Luther Terry issued the first government report saying smoking may be hazardous to health.

In 1977, France set off an international uproar by releasing Abu Daoud, a Palestinian suspected of involvement in the massacre of Israeli athletes at the 1972 Munich Olympics.

Thought for Today: "It's the man who dares to take who is independent, not he who gives." — D.H. Lawrence, British author (1885-1930).

JACK ANDERSON

Questions linger about soldier's death

WASHINGTON — A U.S. Army major lay dying in a pool of blood on East German soil, March 24, 1985, shot by a Soviet sentry. American spies in Berlin knew something was wrong. They knew it because they were monitoring highly sensitive communications by Soviets, frantically asking Moscow what to do with the dying officer.

Jack Anderson

Could the major have been saved if American intelligence officials weren't so concerned about tipping off the Soviets to our ability to intercept their messages?

The major was Arthur D. Nicholson, part of a 14-man military liaison, legally stationed as observers in East Germany. His death at the hands of a Soviet sentry in Ludwigslust, East Germany, sparked American outrage. Nearly three years later, mystery continues to surround the murder of Nicholson, but the outrage has died with detente. The pursuit of friendly relations with Soviet Premier Mikhail Gorbachev has kept many of the questions unanswered.

Pentagon sources have approached Dale Van Atta with a new story — that while Nicholson lay bleeding to death, U.S. officials knew it, but held back from rushing to his aid. The sources claim there were arguments between American officials in East Germany, West Germany and Washington over what they should do.

Sometime during the eight hours that Nicholson lay on the ground, an American colonel arrived on the scene, talked to the Soviets and then left, according to our Pentagon sources. What angered the sources, and caused them to talk to us, was the promotion of that colonel to general last year. (Neither our sources nor the Pentagon would identify this colonel.)

For a year, we have made repeated attempts to get the Army's version of the shooting, but received nothing until last week. In response to a Freedom of Information Act request, the Army Criminal Investigation Command declassified its 1985 "final" investigative report and gave it to us.

It raises more questions than it answers.

Maj. Nicholson and his driver, Sgt. Jessie Schatz, were assigned to be legal spies. A 1947 agreement with the Soviets allows us to observe them in East Germany and them to observe us in West Germany as long as nobody tramples on restricted territory.

Nicholson and Schatz arrived at a Soviet training area about 3:20 p.m. The Army report says the area "was not a restricted area in accordance with the most recent maps provided by Soviet officials." The Soviets maintain it was a restricted area and their sentry had a right to shoot intruders. For all of Gorbachev's recent public relations program, the Soviets have never budged from that story.

In the days after the shooting, American officials revealed that Nicholson was taking pictures through the window of a tank shed. But that detail is not mentioned in the final report.

The report says Nicholson and Schatz had been in the area about 25 minutes before three shots rang out, without warning. The second hit Nicholson in the abdomen as he was heading back to the vehicle where Schatz was waiting.

Schatz was held at gunpoint for eight hours by an armed Soviet guard, believed to be the same man who shot Nicholson. The guard wouldn't let Schatz give Nicholson first aid.

"Nicholson was believed to have expired as a result of his wound several minutes following the shot," the Army report says. "However, the exact time of death was not known because no Soviet medical personnel had attended to Nicholson for at least one hour following the shooting."

No American doctors were around to verify when he died.

Did Nicholson bleed for hours before he died? Could prompt U.S. action have saved him? Did an American colonel get there within several hours of the shooting while Nicholson was still lying on the ground? And, if so, why didn't he bring a doctor with him?

And did that colonel, as our Pentagon sources claim, turn around and walk away after the Soviets "chewed him out"?

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AIDS AND KISSING — It may take more than spit to transmit the AIDS virus, even though that virus has been found in saliva. Central Intelligence Agency doctors put together a warning on AIDS for their employees. The report says, "While saliva is not an effective mode of transmission, (AIDS) virus particles have been detected in it. Therefore, the possibility exists that deep kissing could cause a breach in the oral mucus membranes and allow inoculation of the virus." The virus has also been found in blood, semen, vaginal secretions, spinal fluid, brain and nerve tissue, tears, corneas and breast milk. Trading of any of those fluids "has the potential for producing the infection," the report warns.

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

'... How can I put this gently?... You're as sound as a dollar.'

LEWIS GRIZZARD

Go to Southern California — for frostbite!

BURBANK, Calif. — The weather has finally warmed here, just as I'm about to depart, after making my dramatic debut on CBS's comedy "Designing Women."

Grizzard

I brought my golf clubs along. I thought there would be plenty of time for a round on one of Southern California's lovely courses.

I never took my clubs out of the bag. One, all the daylight was used up learning enough to make certain my appearance on the show didn't embarrass my family, my friends or my country.

Two, the worst winter storm to hit the area since anybody could remember came blowing in off the Pacific.

I hadn't packed a jacket or a sweater or my long underwear, three items I wished for more than once.

I also didn't bring any socks. I only wear socks to funerals of close relatives as it is, and it never occurred to me that my feet would be in danger of frostbite in this, the home office for sunshine.

The third day, my ankles turned purple. I went to the emergency room at a nearby hospital.

"What seems to be the problem?" the doctor asked.

"My ankles have turned purple," I said. "Am I about to have a stroke or a heart attack?"

"No," said the doctor, "the windchill outside is 10 degrees and you aren't wearing any socks. That's why your ankles have turned purple."

I bought my first pair of socks in six years. The cost — $9.50. Outrageous? Sure, but considerably cheaper than a foot amputation.

During the storm here, winds were clocked at 100 miles per hour in the mountains. Snow was sighted in Malibu. Other times of the year there are mud slides and rampaging fires.

Worse, there's also the possibility of great cracks appearing in the earth and buildings falling on you.

There was an earthquake here only a few months ago, and scientists continue to warn of The Big One that may leave Nevada the last stop west before you hit the ocean.

There are many things that frighten me. Snakes, lightning, flying in small airplanes, flying in big airplanes, eating raw fish and three-putting.

But nothing frightens me more than the possibility of an earthquake. I insisted my hotel room here be no higher than the third floor. I also made certain I was wearing clean underpants when I went to bed in case I had to run out into the streets at night — screaming.

My flight leaves in a couple of hours, so it appears that once again I have visited Southern California and dodged the earthquake bullet.

I also dodged frostbitten feet and ankles. I didn't eat any raw fish, and the people on "Designing Women" even said they might have me back sometime.

None of that likely will win an Emmy, but it's not bad for an ol' boy from Georgia, where the weather is fairly predictable, they don't eat bait, and the only thing that makes the ground shake is the annual gathering of the state legislature.

(See Lewis Grizzard on "Designing Women" Monday night, Jan. 18, at 9:30 EST.)

Lewis Grizzard is a columnist for Cowles Syndicate.

WILLIAM SAFIRE

Stop dollar's drop to help economic situation

WASHINGTON — Here's an acronym you should know: MEGO. It stands for "My Eyes Glaze Over."

The "Group of Seven" is a MEGO. The "unprecedented trade deficit" is another MEGO. And the "declining price of the dollar" is the biggest MEGO of all.

William Safire

In the last few days, ministers and bankers of the Group of Seven — that's the Federal Reserve and Treasury here, and their counterparts in the major industrial democracies — got together secretly to stop the decline of the dollar in light of the unprecedented U.S. trade deficit. That's a triple MEGO, more stupefyingly soporific than sipping a glass of warm milk while watching the Democratic six-pack lob marshmallows at each other.

Still, those who are determined to share the action and passion of their time must take a position on the trade deficit. Is it good or bad? If bad, what's the best way to get rid of it?

Prof. Herbert Stein, that marvelous Brann the Iconoclast of the economics dodge, thinks a trade deficit should not be the cause of handwringing. Countries have different cultures, and people overseas like to sell us things and squirrel away our dollars, while we like to spend our dollars buying their stuff. Those national preferences cause our trade deficit.

Other unalarmed economists add that a trade deficit "problem" can solve itself: as the deficit causes the value of our dollar to decline, our exports become more competitive while the goods we import become prohibitively expensive. That enables U.S. business to hire more workers, raise prices and increase profits.

But there are three reasons that a whopping trade deficit, which results in a cheap dollar, is bad news. The first drawback: It promotes inefficiency and inflation at home, because we lose the discipline of low-priced foreign competition.

Worse, a weak dollar enables the rest of the world to buy up our land, our securities and our companies. Such foreign ownership may provide us with needed capital, but enlightened jingoists believe it makes us too dependent on foreign influences and too vulnerable to their internal weaknesses. (That's two; big one to come.)

The groupies in our seven governments decided that the dollar had been sinking too speedily — maybe falling too far as well, but the bankers are now more concerned with the rate of fall than the ultimate level. So they bought a bunch of dollars and drove the price up.

These economic types are no dopes; they know they cannot long maintain a currency against all private comers. But they wanted to show they could act in unison, reassuring the stock markets; scare currency speculators by showing them it's possible to lose money betting against the dollar; and show parachutists worried about "free fall" that the ripcords work.

But the nagging question remains: Why not let the dollar seek its natural level against other currencies? With our products cheaper, wouldn't we get even with the rest of the world that has been undercutting us with protectionism and is trying to force us to reduce our standard of living?

The answer in the hearts of our financial policy makers — the third reason that carries the day — is that we cannot afford a flight from the future. To them, "the future" is not tomorrow, or next year; it is the price today of 30-year U.S. government bonds. Those prices are determined by the interest rates that the Federal Reserve cannot manipulate; those long-term rates are dependent mainly on worldwide faith in our system.

The imperative behind our willingness to join other nations in slowing and ultimately reversing the rapid decline of the dollar is this: We cannot permit the erosion of our greatest psychological asset, the world's confidence in America's long-term stability.

That confidence was shaken as this decade began, when our inflation soared into the teens, and if not quickly shored up might have led to a kind of financial AIDS; fortunately, the epidemic of that fear was averted when a painful but necessary recession broke the back of inflationary expectations. (A triple MEGO demands a triple metaphor.)

Today's threat to long-term confidence is not as serious; money is pouring into the United States because our economy is the biggest, most open and politically stable in the world. But the conviction that nothing is more important than rock-solid confidence in U.S. stability lies behind the decision to "defend the dollar" from a precipitate tumble.

We should lean on our trading partners to trim their surpluses and to lower their interest rates. That's the best way to stop the dollar drop and to avert a flight from the future.

William Safire is a columnist for New York Times News Service.

NATION

Hart says voters have been 'warm, accepting' to him

Associated Press

Democratic presidential contender Gary Hart says if elected, he "won't be the first adulterer in the White House" but contends that voters have been "warm and accepting" despite his well-publicized personal problems.

On the Republican side, Vice President George Bush, who was being questioned under oath today by Iran-Contra investigators, spent much of a weekend three-state campaign swing fielding queries about his role in the weapons deal.

Bush has not acknowledged that he was to be questioned today about the affair. But an official in a position to know about the session, speaking on condition of anonymity, said Sunday it was set. Bush has said he is fully cooperating with the investigation.

The Bush campaign, meanwhile, came under criticism from its chief rival, Bob Dole, for circulating a negative article on the Kansas senator — an action a Bush spokesman freely acknowledged.

"Did we put it out? Sure, with a lot of other clips," Peter Teeley said. "The article is in the public domain."

The story, by the Harris News Service, reported that a former aide to the Kansas senator helped buy an office building from the blind trust of Dole's wife, Elizabeth, 10 months after the former aide's company was awarded a no-bid federal contract. The story did not say there was anything improper about the transactions.

Republicans and Democrats alike were gearing up for major candidates' debates this week in Iowa and New Hampshire, where key early tests are only weeks away.

The Democrats meet in Des Moines on Friday, and the GOP contenders will gather at Dartmouth College in Hanover, N.H., on Saturday. The New Hampshire primary is Feb 16. Iowa's precinct caucuses are Feb 8.

Hart, in an interview published Sunday in the Des Moines Register, said, "If I am elected, I won't be the first adulterer in the White House. I may be the first one to have publicly confessed, but I won't be the first."

The former Colorado senator left the race in May amid reports of his relationship with model Donna Rice.

Lee Hart, interviewed along with her husband, said of his re-entry into the race last month: "Whatever personal pain...is nothing in comparison to what is important in life."

The Register said Mrs. Hart was stoic during most of the interview but "broke into tears as she told of a couple who sent the Hart campaign $100 they might otherwise have spent on a crib for the baby they were expecting."

The Register said that as his wife cried, Hart's eyes also filled with tears "for a few poignant moments." He was photographed wiping his eyes.

Hart said the response to his reconstituted campaign has been positive. "The people of this country...have been tremendously warm and accepting," he said.

In the interview, Hart also claimed to have been "married longer than the president in the White House today."

It was not clear whether Hart was referring to President Reagan's brief first marriage to actress Jane Wyman, which ended in divorce in 1949. Reagan and his wife, Nancy, have been married since 1952; Hart and his wife have been married since 1958.

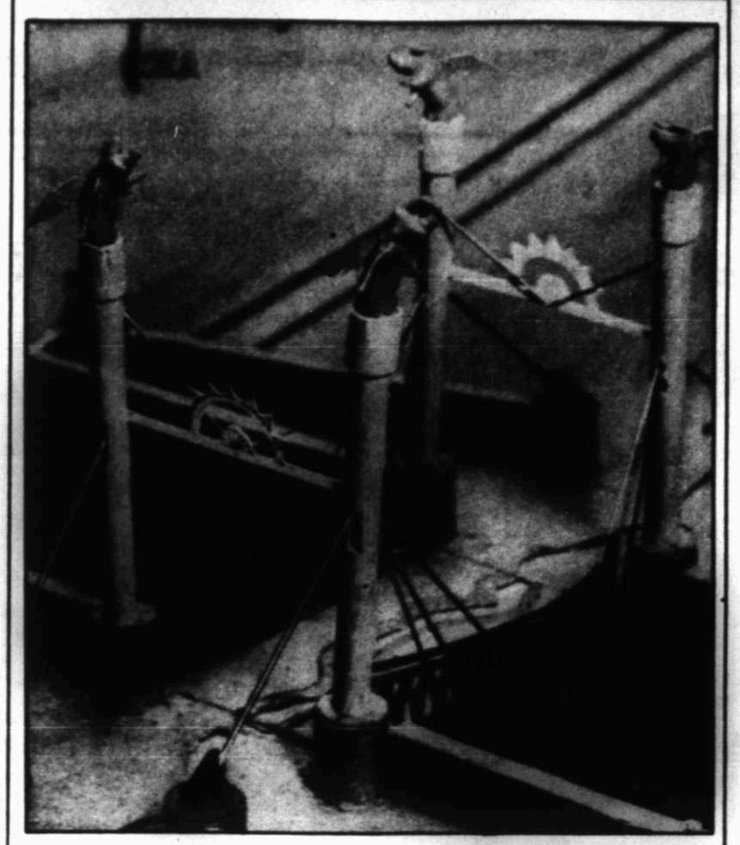
"One could argue — I wouldn't — that Ronald Reagan walked away from a marriage," said Hart, who has twice been legally separated from his wife.

Bush paid a weekend visit to Michigan, where state Republicans on Thursday attend county conventions, where delegates are picked for the Jan. 29-30 state convention. There, in turn, the state's delegates for the Republican National Convention will be chosen.

Michigan has been the scene of a pitched battle over state party rules between Bush backers and supporters of Rep. Jack Kemp of New York and former television evangelist Pat Robertson. The latest legal victory went to the Bush foces.

While a cold wave continued to roll across much of the country, Democrat Michael Dukakis headed for balmy Puerto Rico. The Massachusetts governor attended a fundraiser Saturday night in the first visit by a presidential contender this year to the island, which holds its primary March 20.

Bruce Babbitt, in a foray into Dukakis' home state, made use Sunday of what is becoming a favorite way to dramatize his position on taxes and the federal deficit.



AP Laserphoto

Bronze pigs with wings that sit atop columns at the entrance to a proposed bicentennial display, as shown in the model above, have caused controversy in Cincinnati. Some residents think the pigs might hurt the city's image.

Some call sculpture just pig in a poke

CINCINNATI (AP) — They've got big trouble in this Ohio River city, with a capital "T" and that rhymes with "P" and that stands for pigs.

Flying pigs, that is.

Big, bronze pigs with wings are planned for the tops of columns at the entrance to a riverfront park that will be the centerpiece of Cincinnati's bicentennial celebration this year.

The pigs, symbolizing the pork slaughterhouses that helped Cincinnati grow into a city, have touched off a brouhaha over whether they threaten the clean and businesslike image that civic leaders have cultivated.

Residents who aren't high on the hogs have flooded newspapers with letters of protest, leading a city council member to schedule a hearing for Tuesday.

Bicentennial planners are shaking their heads over what they see as much ado about nothing by those who haven't seen the entire work of art, scheduled for a July unveiling. Only a scale model has been completed of the environmental sculpture, which will be a collection of pieces of various materials to fill a park almost the size of a football field.

"What we have here is simply a misunderstanding," said Mary Lynn Ricks, public affairs director for the Greater Cincinnati Bicentennial Commission.

"We certainly don't want the public to feel uncomfortable about this. I feel very sure that once they see the sculpture, they will have a much better understanding of it and take great pride in it."

Others aren't so sure.

"The overwhelming number of phone calls and letters I've been receiving are against the pigs, and they don't want them," said Councilman Steve Chabot, who has scheduled the hearing.

No one anticipated such emotions when the proposal by artist Andrew Leicester of Golden Valley, Minn., was chosen for the Sawyer Point Park sculpture. He proposed a design that highlights the city's history by featuring a canal lock, a barge, and at the top of 100-foot columns, the pigs, among its 17 elements.

Leicester said it is traditional to have winged animals on columns at entrances to parks, and that the pigs are appropriate.

"It's a recreational area. It's a lighthearted environment. It is not a funeral home," Lester told The Cincinnati Post in a recent interview.

The design, funded by a $300,000 private foundation grant, was approved quietly by the city's Urban Design Review Board before the public saw the design.

"We expected it to be something the people could be very excited about," Ms. Ricks said of the sculpture. "The fact that it has centered on the pigs is a bit frustrating to us."

Some residents say they are worried that the pigs will become so famous they will become synonymous with Cincinnati, which spent years shaking its "Porkopolis" nickname of a century ago.

Now known as the Queen City, Cincinnati boasts a clean-cut image. Its baseball team prohibits players from growing beards or mustaches. Its voters favor Republicans and law-and-order candidates, and it is home to a national anti-pornography organization.

"It comes down to: is this going to become a symbol for Cincinnati?" Chabot wondered. "That's one of the problems. I've got nothing against the pigs, but I don't think it's really an appropriate symbol for Cincinnati to be tied into."

Defenders of the sculpture say it's not right for opponents to try to rewrite the past by overlooking the Porkopolis days.

"You can't turn your back on the pigs, because there are too many industries here that owe their beginnings to the fact that we were a pork-producing center," Ms. Ricks said.

Critics agree — to a point.

"It is a legitimate part of our history — we did have a very important pork industry and still do in Cincinnati," Chabot said. "But to have these flying pigs so prominently portrayed on the sculpture may be a mistake."

Councilman to apologize for remarks about veteran

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — A city councilman says he will send a letter of apology to the district attorney for saying the prosecutor was elected only because he lost a leg in the Vietnam War.

"It was very callous of me," Councilman James J. Tayoun, a Democrat, said Saturday of his remarks made after a Friday news conference. "It's a remark against his physical infirmities and I think it was wrong."

Tayoun said he was bombarded with telephone calls at his restaurant Saturday after the comments were publicized.

Tayoun said he would send a letter of apology Monday to District Attorney Ronald D. Castille, a Republican, "I'm man enough and human enough," to recognize a mistake, said Tayoun, who had said earlier he would make an apology if he received a letter from Castille seeking it.

On Friday, Tayoun had told reporters, "Put a leg on Ron Castille and you have just another Vietnam veteran. Take his leg off and you have a Vietnam hero."

He also said that if Castille "had two legs, he would have never beaten his opponent for D.A."

He said his remarks about Castille were not intended "to put a further burden on every person who was afflicted with an infirmity."

Wheeling's water still flowing as spill moves slowly down Ohio

WHEELING, W.Va. (AP) — The city began depending on the Ohio River for all its water again today after levels of diesel fuel from a million-gallon spill fell to treatable levels, but authorities warned that business as usual could still drain reserves.

"We're just going to stay on top of it and keep working on it," said Lloyd Adams, the city engineer and public works director.

City Manager Mike Nau said reservoir levels were rising today as the river water began flowing.

Nau said the the city's main reservoir, with a 3.5 million-gallon capacity, contained slightly more than 2 million gallons this morning. The tank was down to 500,000 gallons Sunday morning.

Despite the improvement, Nau said businesses have been asked to remain closed and residents have been asked to avoid baths and showers and to only use water stockpiled before the slick reached Wheeling. Schools were open.

Adams said Wheeling's Ohio River water intakes were turned on fully overnight, but barges that had been pumping clean water will be kept on standby and will resume work if pollution levels in the river rise. Adams said the plant is running at 30 percent to 40 percent capacity.

"It will be a while until we get out of the woods," Adams said.

A makeshift system had kept drinking water flowing since the fuel reached Wheeling's water intakes Friday. Officials in the city of 43,000 resumed pumping water Sunday from the Ohio through sponge filters, then mixed it in a reservoir with water pumped from the barges.

Assistant City Manager Nancy Vapner and other officials used the word "critical" to describe the situation.

Wheeling was the focus of water concerns Sunday as the last Pennsylvania residents affected by the Jan. 2 spill had their tap water restored. A civil emergency in Steubenville, Ohio, was lifted Saturday, and river water was being treated and pumped to customers there.

The next town expected to be affected is Sistersville, about 50 miles downstream from Wheeling, but authorities don't know when. Cold weather has caused ice in the Ohio River, keeping the fuel from dispersing and slowing its movement.

Sistersville Mayor Lester Leach said Ashland Oil Co. has dispatched a barge carrying more than 1 million gallons of water to the town of 2,200 people.

The fuel spilled into the Monongahela River south of Pittsburgh after a 40-year-old Ashland Oil tank crumpled as it was being filled. The slick has traveled more than 100 miles on the Monongahela and the Ohio through Pennsylvania, Ohio and West Virginia.

Ashland Oil has offered to pay all cleanup costs.

"We're asking everyone to keep an accounting," West Virginia Gov. Arch Moore said after a helicopter tour Sunday morning. "We expect to make demands and we have to have an accurate accounting of those demands."

In Steubenville, the civil emergency that had ordered all non-essential businesses closed Friday was lifted "after we took another look at things and figured that the worst of it was over," Mayor David Hindman said.

"I am not satisfied that the situation is back to normal. For the following weeks, we're going to have to watch everything, monitor everything," Hindman said. "But I am sure, absolutely sure, that the water is safe. I went home last night and drank a whole quart of it and I didn't taste a thing."

NASA engineer suggests peaceful uses for SDI

PASADENA, Calif. (AP) — Dozens of tiny coffee can-sized spacecraft could be launched from a "Star Wars" anti-missile weapon to explore planets, comets and asteroids inexpensively, a NASA engineer says.

"It would be a good thing if resources being spent on the Strategic Defense Initiative could also be used for civilian purposes, especially for space exploration," said Ross M. Jones, a spacecraft systems engineer at the National Aeronautics and Space Administration's Jet Propulsion Laboratory.

Jones, who normally works on the Mars Observer space probe planned for 1992 was, to present his proposal today during the American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics' aerospace sciences conference in Reno, Nev.

The "micro spacecraft" envisioned by Jones each would weigh about two or three pounds and would be about the size of a coffee can, NASA said in a news release. They would be launched from an electromagnetic launcher, commonly called a railgun, placed in orbit around Earth.

The Defense Department is developing railguns, which would launch projectiles to shoot down enemy missiles, as part of President Reagan's proposed Strategic Defense Initiative, nicknamed Star Wars.

While Jones' proposal might seem far-fetched, "the capability of launching smaller probes more often is very appealing because they can address a number of specific science objectives," said Ed Stone, project scientist for NASA's twin Voyager spacecraft explorations of the outer planets.

"I don't know the details (of Jones' idea), but it is in the direction we need to be thinking as a way to diversify our program," said Stone, who also is chairman of physics, mathematics and astronomy at the California Institute of Technology.

While the tiny probes couldn't carry many instruments, they might be outfitted with tiny cameras, radio equipment and power supplies, Jones said.

Stone said they also might carry gamma-ray detectors, and perhaps seismometers to measure quake activity on moons of the outer planets if a way could be devised for them to survive a landing.

"Instead of one large, expensive spacecraft launched every few years, NASA could launch many, perhaps 10 to 50 identical, small, relatively inexpensive spacecraft per year," Jones said, estimating the micro spacecraft would cost a fraction of the $300 million to $800 million for major space probes.

James Graf, who is Jones' supervisor and head of the laboratory's inner planets spacecraft systems design group, called the proposal "an opportunity for the civilian sector to utilize hardware that's being developed in the military arena to accomplish beneficial scientific missions."

Using micro spacecraft would reduce the cost of interplanetary missions and the need to make spacecraft totally reliable, since the failure of one or more tiny probes wouldn't be as drastic as the failure of a major spacecraft, Graf said.

Jones said he can foresee "launching a bunch of these little spacecraft on railguns to asteroids and comets to take pictures of them before crashing into them. My concept is to launch them from an Earth-orbiting platform, perhaps located near the space station."

Railguns don't use explosive powder to propel projectiles. Instead, they generate brief, powerful electrical pulses that produce strong electromagnetic forces to accelerate projectiles to extremely fast speeds.

"Jones estimates that a 2.2-pound spacecraft launched by an orbiting railgun would achieve an exit velocity of about six miles per second, giving the probe enough velocity to travel about 750 million miles — about the distance between Earth's and Saturn's orbits — in two years," NASA said.

By comparison, the one-ton Voyager 2 spacecraft, launched by a Titan-Centaur rocket from Cape Canaveral in 1977, took more than four years to travel to Saturn, the agency added.

NATION IN BRIEF

Seniors want class gift to be condom machine

OVERLAND PARK, Kan. (AP) — Officials were not happy when the senior class voted to give their high school a condom machine as the 1988 class gift.

"I explained the difference between a sincere gift and a gag gift," said Rudy Papenfuhs, principal of Blue Valley North High School in suburban Kansas City. "This was more of a gag gift. I told them the gift should be something they would be honored to come back and see."

But class president Erik Lundgren disagreed.

"I'm sure it started out as a gag gift, but the more they thought about it, the more it seemed like a real good idea," he said.

Lundgren said the seniors thought it would be a practical gift that would help educate students about the risks of sex.

"If the AIDS thing and unwanted pregnancies are important enough to take an hour of class, it's serious enough to consider this," he said.

Papenfuhs told class officers Thursday that a different gift should be selected. He said installing a condom machine would be a decision for parents, the school board and administrators.

Two skiers die in avalanche

ASPEN, Colo. (AP) — An avalanche crashed on three cross-country skiers, killing two and leaving the third missing in a remote mountain pass that rescuers said would probably be too hazardous to enter for a search.

Heavy snows and high winds were forecast today for the Snowmass-Maroon Bells Wilderness area, where authorities said a 200-by-75-foot avalanche occurred on 12,700-foot Pearl Pass 17 at midday Sunday.

The weather may force a delay until Tuesday in the search for Kristyne H. Jeung, a 38-year-old Glenwood Springs councilwoman and head nurse at that town's Valley View Hospital, said Pitkin County Sheriff's investigator Michael Kendrick. A dog is also missing.

The pass is accessible only by skis, snowshoes or track vehicles.

The bodies of Roy M. Poteet, 31, of Carbondale, and John A. Logsdon, 32, of Boulder were quickly recovered, authorities said.

Kendrick said the skiers were among 12 who spent Saturday night in ski huts in Castle Creek Valley about 17 miles southwest of Aspen.

Crew praised for actions

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — A quick-acting flight crew is being credited with preventing a serious incident when an intoxicated airline passenger attempted to open the cockpit door and an outer door during flight.

"Had the flight crew or flight attendants not immediately acted, in a brief time very serious things could have happened," said Max Geiman, a spokesman for the FBI's Kansas City office.

USAir Flight 620 was bound from San Diego to Pittsburgh Saturday with 79 people aboard. The pilot decided to land at Kansas City International Airport after the passenger, described only as a 24-year-old San Diego man, was restrained by the flight crew and a passenger, said Dave Shipley, a spokesman for USAir in Washington.

The man was restrained in a seat and was turned over to the FBI when the plane landed about 3:35 a.m., Geiman said. The man was being held at the Wyandotte County Jail in Kansas City, Kan.

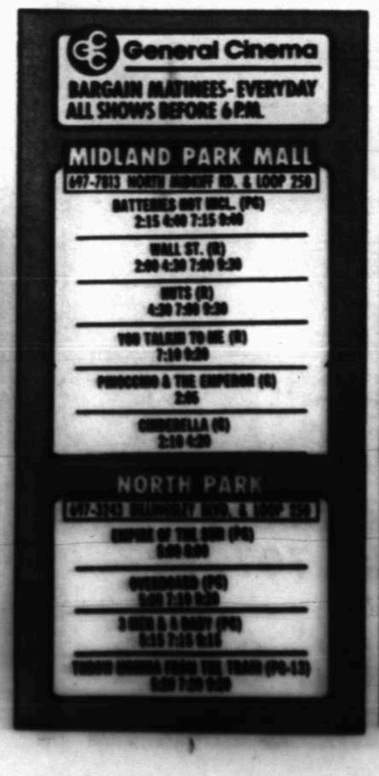
Lateness taken in stride

CINCINNATI (AP) — Some passengers of Delta Air Lines Flight 943 didn't seem to mind when they found out they were flying aboard what U.S. officials said was America's most tardy airline flight in November.

"I've seen people romp and stomp and shout, but it doesn't do any good. I'm an easy person to get along with," said Dave Smith of Jackson, Miss.

The Cincinnati-Jackson portion of the flight was rated as the nation's most chronically late in November, the third and most recent monthly survey by the U.S. Department of Transportation.

According to the survey, the flight left Cincinnati for Jackson 28 times in November and was at least 15 minutes late each time.



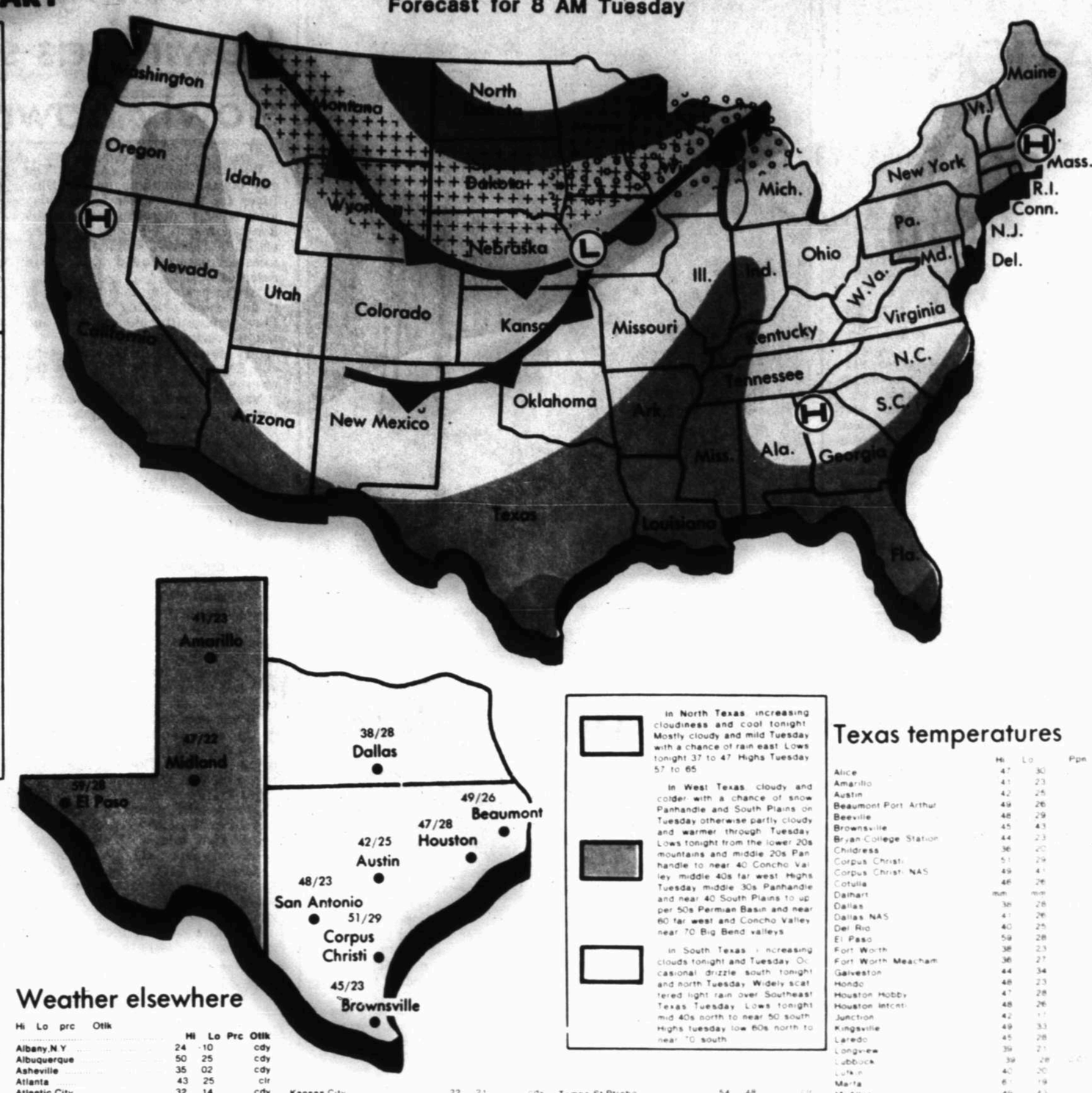
WEATHER SUMMARY

TEMPERATURES:
-10s 20s
-0s 30s
0s 40s
10s 50s

PRECIPITATION:
Rain Showers
Snow Flurries

FRONTS:
Cold
Warm
Stationary
Occluded

Forecast for 8 AM Tuesday



Skies to be partly cloudy

From Staff and Wire Reports

Skies are expected to be partly cloudy tonight with the low in the upper 30s, according to National Weather Service forecasters at Midland International Airport. Winds should blow at five to 10 mph from the southwest.

Tuesday's skies are expected to remain partly cloudy with a high in the upper 50s. Winds should remain southwesterly changing to the northerly at 10-15 mph by late afternoon.

Sunday's high of 47 was 29 degrees cooler than the record high of 76 set for that date in 1935. Today's low of 22 was 30 degrees warmer than the record low of 8 degrees below zero set for this date in 1962.

STATE

A low pressure system over New Mexico and Colorado was expected to bring cloudy skies and warmer temperatures across Texas.

The system was bringing southerly winds to the state and was expected to produce cloudy skies and warmer temperatures through Tuesday.

It was clear and cold over most of the state early today. The exception was in the Lower Rio Grande Valley and along the lower Texas coast where skies were cloudy.

Forecasts called for partly cloudy skies, windy conditions and warmer temperatures statewide through Tuesday.

NATION

Rain and snow swept across the Northwest today, and ice from a storm that dumped snow on the South and Northeast last week made driving hazardous and kept schools closed in Georgia and South Carolina.

The new storm, which began Sunday night, dropped snow from the Cascades into western Montana, while rain fell in western Washington, western Oregon and much of Northern California.

In Oregon, winds gusting to 51 mph Sunday night knocked out power to thousands in Salem and parts of Eugene and Portland for several hours, officials said. The outages forced Portland International Airport and a Salem hospital to go to emergency power.

The winds were accompanied by heavy rain in Astoria, Ore.

Heavy snow fell at Great Falls, Mont., and the town of Wisdom in that state reported 4 inches of new snow by Sunday evening. Up to 4 inches of new snow was expected to fall today in the valleys, with 6 to 10 inches in the mountains.

The Idaho mountains were expected to get up to 8 inches of snow, up to 2 feet was expected for Utah's mountains.

High wind warnings remained in effect across southeast Wyoming and the eastern foothills of Colorado.

Elsewhere, scattered showers dampened eastern and southern Florida.

Midland statistics

FORECAST

Tonight: Partly cloudy with the low expected in the upper 30s. Winds will be out of the southwest at five to 10 mph. **Tuesday:** Continued partly cloudy with the high in the upper 50s. Winds will remain southwesterly shifting to the north by late afternoon and blowing at 10-15 mph.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS

Yesterday's High	47 degrees
Overnight Low	22 degrees
Sunset today	6:04 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:50 a.m.
Precipitation:	
Last 24 hours	trace inches
This month to date	.01 inches
Year to date	.01 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES

6 a.m.	23	6 p.m.	42
7 a.m.	24	7 p.m.	34
8 a.m.	25	8 p.m.	29
9 a.m.	25	9 p.m.	28
10 a.m.	26	10 p.m.	28
11 a.m.	27	11 p.m.	29
noon	29	midnight	28
1 p.m.	31	1 a.m.	28
2 p.m.	36	2 a.m.	28
3 p.m.	43	3 a.m.	25
4 p.m.	46	4 a.m.	24
5 p.m.	47	5 a.m.	22
		6 a.m.	23

Counties forecasts

Midland, Ector, Crane, Upton, Howard, Martin, Andrews, Gaines, Reagan, Glasscock, Borden and Dawson: Tonight, partly cloudy with a low in the upper 30s. Southwest wind 5 to 10 mph. Tuesday, partly cloudy with a high in the upper 50s. Southwest wind 10 to 15 mph, shifting to the north late afternoon.

Sterling, Tom Green, Irion and Coke: Tonight, partly cloudy with a low near 40. South wind 5 to 10 mph. Tuesday, partly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of showers. High near 60. Southwest wind 10 to 15 mph, shifting to the north late afternoon.

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albany,N.Y	24	-10		cdy
Albuquerque	50	25		cdy
Asheville	35	02		cdy
Atlanta	43	25		clr
Atlantic City	32	14		cdy
Baltimore	32	03		cdy
Billings	42	30	09	cdy
Bismarck	35	02		cdy
Boise	46	31	05	cdy
Boston	28	09		clr
Buffalo	23	13		cdy
Charleston,S.C	40	33		clr
Charleston,W.Va	31	07		clr
Chicago	15	04		sn
Cleveland	22	07		cdy
Columbia,S.C	43	24		clr
Columbus,Ohio	26	04		cdy
Dayton	25	08		cdy
Denver	50	35		cdy
Detroit	02	07		rn
Duluth	10	07	02	cdy
Evansville	27	07		cdy
Flagstaff	54	24		cdy
Grand Rapids	15	02		sn
Great Falls	40	19	10	cdy
Hartford	27	14		clr
Helena	37	27	05	cdy
Indianapolis	23	08		cdy
Jackson,Miss.	37	19		clr
Kansas City	22	21		cdy
Las Vegas	55	39		cdy
Los Angeles	77	53		clr
Louisville	28	09		cdy
Memphis	32	08		cdy
Milwaukee	12	02		sn
Nashville	32	06		cdy
New Orleans	49	32		cdy
New York City	31	15		cdy
Oklahoma City	30	18		cdy
Orlando	55	48	09	clr
Philadelphia	29	04		cdy
Phoenix	68	48		clr
Portland,Ore	46	40	60	cdy
Providence	31	02		clr
Raleigh	35	14		clr
Reno	59	36	06	cdy
Richmond	31	10		cdy
Sacramento	54	46	01	cdy
St Louis	24	18		cdy
San Antonio	48	23		cdy
San Francisco	58	51	13	clr
Shreveport	40	20		cdy
Sioux Falls	18	16		cdy
Syracuse	25	09	01	cdy
Tampa,St Prsbg	54	48		clr
Tucson	75	43		clr
Washington,D.C.	32	10		cdy
Wilkes Barre	23	05		cdy

Border states forecasts

Oklahoma: Partly cloudy and cool tonight. Increasing cloudiness Tuesday, turning colder northwest. Lows tonight mid 20s northwest to mid 30s southeast. Highs Tuesday mid 30s northwest to near 50 southeast.

New Mexico: Increasing cloudiness north and partly cloudy south tonight. Tuesday a slight chance of showers north and partly cloudy south. Lows tonight from 5 to 25 over the mountains with the upper 20s and low 30s elsewhere. Highs Tuesday from the 30s and low 40s north to the upper 40s and 50s south.

In North Texas, increasing cloudiness and cool tonight. Mostly cloudy and mild Tuesday with a chance of rain east. Lows tonight 37 to 47. Highs Tuesday 57 to 65.

In West Texas, cloudy and colder with a chance of snow Panhandle and South Plains on Tuesday otherwise partly cloudy and warmer through Tuesday. Lows tonight from the lower 20s mountains and middle 20s Panhandle to near 40 Concho Valley middle 40s far west. Highs Tuesday middle 30s Panhandle and near 40 South Plains to upper 50s Permian Basin and near 60 far west and Concho Valley near 70 Big Bend valleys.

In South Texas, increasing clouds tonight and Tuesday. Occasional drizzle south tonight and north Tuesday. Widely scattered light rain over Southeast Texas Tuesday. Lows tonight mid 40s north to near 50 south. Highs Tuesday low 60s north to near 70 south.

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Pcp
Alice	47	30	
Amarillo	41	23	
Austin	42	25	
Beaumont Port Arthur	49	26	
Beeville	48	29	
Brownsville	45	43	
Bryan College Station	44	23	
Childress	36	20	
Corpus Christi	51	29	
Corpus Christi NAS	49	41	
Cotulla	46	26	
Dalhart	mm	mm	
Dallas	38	28	
Dallas NAS	41	26	
Del Rio	40	25	
El Paso	59	28	
Fort Worth	38	23	
Fort Worth Meacham	38	27	
Galveston	44	34	
Hondo	48	23	
Houston Hobby	47	28	
Houston Intcntl	48	26	
Junction	42	17	
Kingsville	49	33	
Laredo	45	28	
Longview	39	21	
Lubbock	39	28	0.01
Lufkin	40	20	
Marfa	61	19	
McAllen	49	43	
Mineral Wells	37	22	
Palacios	47	37	
San Angelo	47	23	
San Antonio	48	23	
Stephenville	37	21	
Texarkana	38	20	
Victoria	48	27	
Waco	40	26	
Wichita Falls	33	21	
Wink	49	19	

Extended forecast

West Texas: Mostly fair with temperatures below seasonal normals. Permian Basin and Concho Valley: Highs 40s. lows mid 20s to near 30. Far west: Highs 50s. lows mid 20s to lower 30s. Big Bend region: Highs lower 50s mountains to mid 60s along the river. lows mid 20s to mid 30s.

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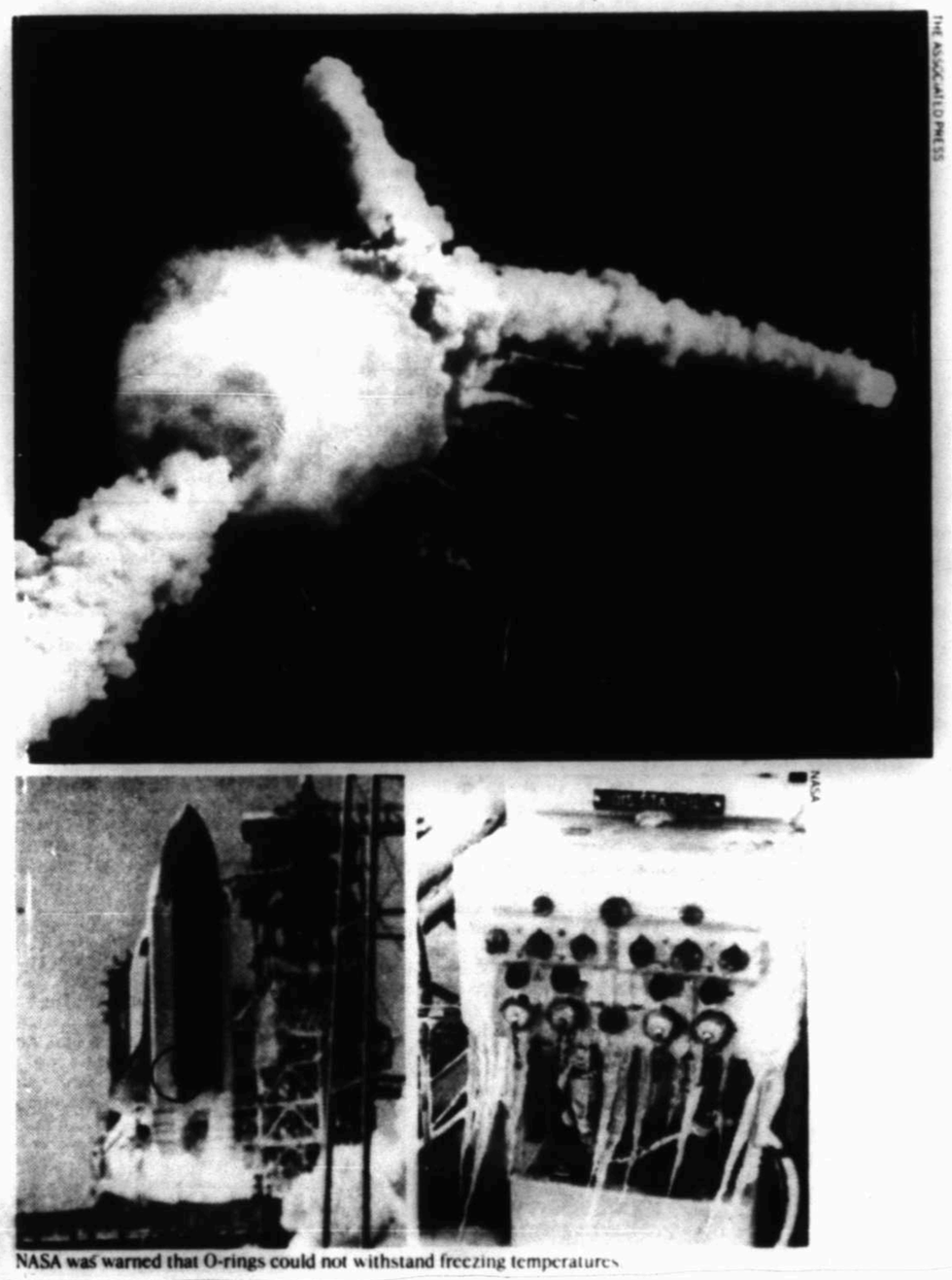

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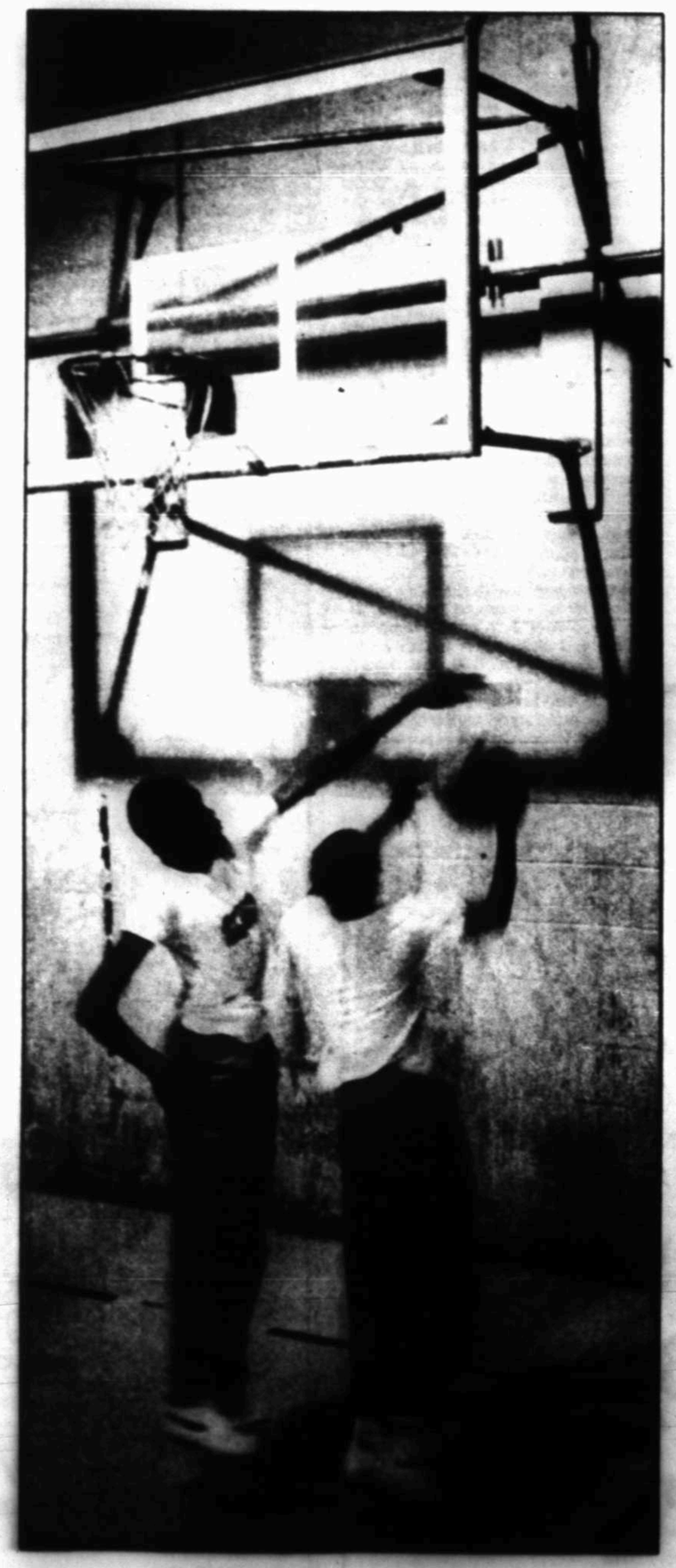

Ismael Bernard, above, wields a pretty mean pool cue and can shoot just as well as the big boys at the Boys Club of Midland, 110 E. New Jersey Ave. In photos clockwise from above, Jesse Munguia is caught standing in a door between rounds of ping pong; Arnulfo Galindo, left foreground, and his cousin, Elonso Galindo, right foreground, watch a Boys Club pool tournament; and Eric Johnson and Antwan Goodley go one-on-one during a basketball match among friends.

Text by Rick Brown
Photos by Jerry Mennenga

Midland's Boys Club, located at 110 E. New Jersey Ave., gives disadvantaged youngsters "a place that they can belong to," said Director Nick Sanchez.

"Most of the kids that we serve come from low-income families," said Sanchez. "Many come from single-parent families or they live with their grandparents."

Others of the about 800 Boys Club members come from families where both parents work, or where parents are trying to hold down two jobs, he said.

While emphasis at the club is predominately recreational — available activities include arts and crafts, basketball, pool, ping pong and VCR movies — educational programs also have a place at the Boys Club, Sanchez said.

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DEATHS

Gary Dean Burchfield

HOQUIAM — Gary Dean Burchfield, 46, of Hoquiam and formerly of Midland, died Friday in a Tacoma, Wash., hospital.

Services will be at 3 p.m. Wednesday at the Coleman Mortuary in Hoquiam with military honors. The Rev. James. L. Drake will officiate the services.

He was born on Aug. 3, 1941, in Portland, Ore., and was married to Bennie Burchfield of Midland from 1970-79.

He served in the U.S. Army for many years and received his high school education while in the Army. He was stationed in Turkey for one year, Germany for three years and Vietnam for two years. Following his discharge, he lived in Texas and worked as a truck driver.

He lived in Midland from 1972-74 and again from 1981-84. He moved to Hoquiam in 1984. He was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, the American Legion and the Disabled American Veterans.

Survivors include his wife, Merle Burchfield, of Hoquiam; one daughter, Tammy Gale Burchfield of Midland; and his father, Robert Burchfield of Dallas.

Elreno Taylor

Funeral services for Elreno Taylor, 86, of Midland, will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Alexander's Temple Church of God in Christ, with the Rev. C.S. Johnson officiating. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Thomas Funeral Home.

She was born Oct. 18, 1901, in Paris and moved to Midland in 1938. She was married to the Rev. Amos Taylor in 1931 in Breckenridge and was a member of the Lighthouse Church of God in Christ. Her husband preceded her in death Jan. 8, 1983.

She is survived by her daughter, Vera Winn of Inglewood, Calif.

Hosea Swindell

Funeral services for Hosea Swindell, 96, of Midland, are pending with Thomas Funeral Home.

He died Sunday at a local nursing home after a lengthy illness.

Sara Mathews

Services for Sara Mathews of Midland are pending with Ellis Funeral Home.

She died Sunday afternoon at an Odessa hospital.

Velma R. Smith

Services for Velma R. Smith of Midland are pending with Ellis Funeral Home.

She died early Monday morning at a local hospital.

Anna M. Teague

Anna M. Teague of Midland died Sunday evening at a Midland hospital.

Services are pending with Ellis Funeral Home.

College might have to pay $1.3 million due to dispute

CORSICANA (AP) — In a "worst-case scenario," Navarro College could have to repay $1.3 million in state funds the school received for off-campus courses taken by nursing home residents, the state commissioner of higher education says.

The board of the Corsicana community college voted in closed session to defend the nursing home courses as college quality rather than settling with state officials, trustee Rob Jones said.

Navarro, which enrolled nursing home residents in college-level courses in the early 1980s, was investigated by state auditors last year.

Relatives of nursing home residents complained credits were awarded for courses that weren't of college quality and in some cases weren't even taken by residents.

College president Kenneth Walker said he wouldn't comment on the nursing home controversy until a news conference today.

Last week, Walker said auditors found no illegal intent or fraudulent enrollment in the nursing home program, leaving the question of course quality the only unresolved issue.

Jones said the college's attorney, Laura Groce of Austin, told the board Friday that the school could be required to repay up to $1.3 million in state funding if the courses didn't conform to state guidelines.

But any penalties might not be that severe against the college, State Commissioner of Higher Education Kenneth Ashworth told the Corsicana Daily Sun.

More growing allergic to modern life

By BECKY KNAPP

BLANCO (AP) — The first night in her new home just this side of the Blanco Rover, Dana Miller was scared to death.

She was frightened of the bugs and the wild animals, and when curious armadillos began digging under her tent, she became frantic.

But during the past three months, Ms. Miller has grown used to the wilderness lifestyle she is living out of desperation, not choice.

Ms. Miller, 30, suffers from environmental illness, which means that she cannot tolerate life in a society saturated with chemicals and toxins.

She is camping on 1,700 acres of unused ranch land near Blanco. But the owners want Ms. Miller to move so they can put cattle on the property, and she needs a new home.

Southwest of Elgin, Patricia Day, 38, also lives on someone else's land and is searching for another location.

"Something came up and I have to move, and when you have this disease, finding a place to live is not as easy as going out and renting an apartment," Ms. Day said. "You have to find land that has water and electricity, that is not in a flood plain, and where no aerial or chemical spraying is being done.

"The land needs to have not been sprayed in a few years, or better still, never have been sprayed. And since there is always a problem of wind drift, the neighbors mean a lot. You can't move someplace where the neighbors will be spraying or burning plastic or rubber and things like that."

Ms. Day, a weaver, lives in a converted metal storage shed that has been insulated against pollutants.

Her bed sits in a corner of the one-room structure, and centered in the middle is an old-time porcelain bathtub.

"I got plumbing in two years ago," said Ms. Day, who has lived in the shed since 1981. "This is really my home. It's served me well, and I'm really proud of it."

Dana Miller and Patricia Day are part of a growing number of people across the country who suffer reactions to substances that are taken for granted in the 20th century: plastics, gases, synthetic fabrics, resins, beauty products, chemical cleaners and insect repellants.

Although their cases are extreme, their conditions are not as uncommon as many people think, said Dr. Alfred Johnson, a physician with the Environmental Health Center-Dallas.

"About 30 to 40 million Americans have allergies, and those people may or may not be additionally sensitive to chemicals in the environment," he said. "We are seeing more and more people who can't tolerate the modern world. A big part of that, I would say, is that pollution is becoming worse in our cities.

"Another problem is that modern architecture often gives us closed buildings where there is no fresh air and no ventilation, and people are constantly being exposed to chemicals used within the building," he said. "Those buildings are very bad, because there is no way to circulate air and people become ill. And lastly, some people are just more vulnerable to toxic environment."

Environmental illness causes varied symptoms, from headaches, irritability, fatigue and disorientation to vomiting and numbing of the hands or feet, researchers say.

Almost everyone suffers from some type of environmental illness, said Dr. Alan Levin, a San Francisco immunologist.

"You may be a person who gets a headache from perfumes or car exhaust when you have a cold or the flu," he said. "What happens in that situation is that the flu or the cold is altering your immune capabilities. What one person may feel with a cold or the flu is the way people with EI, or multiple chemical sensitivity, feel all the time. They might get headaches from perfumes, or get nauseous from exposure to certain things like cigarette smoke or pesticides."

Ms. Miller came to Texas in September, after learning that environmentally ill people were successfully living in the Wimberley-Blanco area, and that a Wimberley resident, Sue Pitman, has built a guest house designed especially EI victims.

When Ms. Miller could not tolerate the guest house because of pesticide use in the area, she was forced to move to the open, unsprayed wilds.

She gets her staples from Whole Foods Market, and survives mainly on raw vegetables and meat that is cooked by Ms. Pitman and brought to her by another woman she has hired to run errands.

She drinks only bottled water, uses baking soda and vinegar for laundry and cleaning, and Neo-Life Green, a product made from kelp, as a soap substitute. (She has also used the product to kill fire ants.)

Ms. Miller spends most of her time eating, reading and writing in the vicinity of her borrowed blue tent, sometimes hand-washing her clothes and bedding at a nearby windmill-powered pump. A metal yard chair and two ice chests are her living room, under a ceiling of live oak branches.

When her tent collapsed recently, in high winds and rain, Ms. Miller had to move into the cab of her truck, which has no upholstery.

"The interior got contaminated," she said, "so I tore all the upholstery out of it."

This is an unusual existence for a woman who graduated magna cum laude from Brown University in 1980, attended Harvard Law School for two semesters, and worked for MIT and the Massachusetts Senate.

"So you think I like living like this?" she asked, nodding at her tiny camp. "I hate it. I cannot stand living this way!"

Ms. Miller has not always been a fugitive from society. Raised in Manhattan, she grew up "using pesticides, dry-cleaning my clothes — just a normal person, like everybody else."

In 1984, she was engaged and attending law school at Harvard University when a downstairs neighbor in her apartment building used the insecticide Raid to kill some ants.

Although she had experienced mild reactions to insecticides on other occasions, the carbamate in Raid cased a severe reaction in Ms. Miller, sensitizing her to all types of pesticides and a variety of other chemicals.

Ms. Miller moved out of the apartment the day after the exposure, but her symptoms did not go away. She saw doctor after doctor, finally consulting Levin in San Francisco, who told her that — because of the damage done to her body by exposure to pesticides — she had developed several auto-immune conditions.

"My total medical bills over the last four years have been in excess of $400,000," she said. "With an auto-immune disease, your body is attacking itself, so what is happing to me now is that my body has found the glands that don't function properly, and is attacking and destroying them."

In addition, Ms. Miller said she suffers from damage to her heart and central nervous system as a direct result of exposure to pesticides.

Patricia Day does not know what triggered a reaction in her, but she suspects that a job dyeing silk scarves in chemical baths contributed to her condition. She began experiencing serious bouts of fatigue and weakness in the late 1970s.

When the symptoms continued, Ms. Day finally consulted an Austin nutritionist, who put her on a program that helped somewhat.

But when the nutritionist saw no great improvements in his client, he advised Ms. Day to consult with Dr. William Rea of Dallas, one of the country's leading cardiologists who is described by a colleague as "the absolute authority on EI in this area."

Rea advised Ms. Day to "go home, move to the country, drink only bottled water, eat only organic foods, rotate my diet and exercise when I could."

"He also told me that the best treatment for my problem was avoidance," she said.

She took her doctor's advice and moved to her present homesite near Elgin.

AP Laserphoto

Chemical-sensitive Patricia Day lives in a converted metal storage shed southwest of Elgin, a town 30 miles east of Austin. Day, 38, lives alone in the isolated shed.

CLUB

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The club sponsors seminars for both youth and parents in connection with the Midland Independent School District, Teen Challenge, the Palmer Drug Abuse Program and the Council on Alcoholism.

"We have quite a few kids with problems," acknowledged Sanchez.

Helping club members, who can range in age from 6 to 18, doesn't always come in such overt ways as a full-fledged seminar, he said.

"They can come in and feel like they are a part of something," said Sanchez of what likely is the most common benefit of the club.

"He'll be among friends, and if he feels like playing basketball, he'll play basketball," Sanchez said. The club sponsors eight basketball teams in league play, and in warmer weather also sponsors two flag-football leagues.

He added that the Boys Club is not just for boys. The club's volleyball league is co-educational. Sanchez hopes the club gradually will start to include more girls in its activities starting from the volleyball base.

About 150 kids visit the club each day, he said. On holidays when school lets out, the organization sponsors special daily activities like pool or dodgeball tournaments.

"The kids look to the boys club so they can come and feel like they can relate and be welcomed — and they can enjoy themselves," Sanchez said.

"They're not too highly motivated in school. There's not much support at home," he said. "It's a place that they can come and be listened to," he said.

Billy Bob's founder may be down but not out

FORT WORTH (AP) — A former professional football player and college basketball standout may be facing the fight of his life with the closing of his famous nightclub.

Billy Bob Barnett's plan to sell $3 million worth of Fort Worth Stockyards property to the city fell through and his Billy Bob's Texas closed last week.

The closing climaxed nearly two years of mounting financial problems for Barnett. His companies owe more than $4 million to scores of creditors. Lawsuits seeking more than $2 million have been filed against him or his Stockyards companies for unpaid bills. And the companies owe more than $100,000 in state and local taxes.

But few people are counting Barnett out.

"Billy Bob does things his own way," says Hub Baker, a lifelong friend and former business partner. "I think he'll make it through this."

Barnett began to stand out from the crowd as a high school athlete in Brenham. With a basketball scholarship, Barnett became an all-Southwest Conference player at Texas A&M. His aggressive style on the court impressed then-Aggie football coach Gene Stallings, who invited Barnett to try out for the football team.

Barnett did, became a standout defensive end and was drafted in 1970 by the Kansas City Chiefs. He didn't make the team, though, but played short stints for the Chicago Bears and Orlando of the Continental League before his athletic career ended.

Though Texas A&M basketball coach Shelby Metcalf calls Barnett "one of the most mentally and physically tough athletes" he has known, Barnett dismisses his athletic accomplishments. He told the Fort Worth Star-Telegram only that he "played a little (basketball" and "wasn't very good" at football.

Barnett and some partners in 1975 bought the Dallas-Fort Worth distribution rights for Miller beer before Miller became the industry giant it is now.

Within five years, Miller's share of the market grew from five percent to 11 percent and Barnett and his partners were taking in more than $4 million a year.

When it came time for Barnett's distributorship rights to be renewed in 1980, Miller refused. Barnett sued and settled with the company, ending up "substantially better off than when he went in," an attorney says.

A year later, Barnett and a handful of partners opened Billy Bob's Texas, a $5 million, 3 acre honky tonk with 42 bar stations, a 14,000 square-foot dance floor, shooting gallery, gift shops, shoeshine parlor, VIP lounge and rodeo arena for live bull riding.

Barnett called it a gamble at the time, but it paid off. The club's Texas Dry Goods gift shop alone grossed $2.5 million during the first year, after an investment of just $100,000, Hub Baker said.

Barnett admits he's "a little bit of an outlaw... I've done some crazy things."

Baker tells of a time when Barnett was arrested in Dallas in connection with fighting at a restaurant. Baker said Barnett made friends with everyone in his cellblock, bailed them out of jail after his wife bailed him out and invited the police officers to party at Billy Bob's. Most of them came, Baker says.

"Anybody who ever arrested (Billy Bob) loved him. Afterward," Baker said.

Police seek masked man in convenience store robbery

By PATRICK CRIMMINS
Staff Writer

Midland police are looking for a masked man who robbed a convenience store at gunpoint early this morning and escaped with an undetermined amount of money.

Details of the incident were sketchy, but police said that according to the 22-year-old clerk on duty at the EZ Mart, 2210 N. Big Spring, a man walked into the store about 5:45 a.m. He allegedly threatened the clerk with a small chrome pistol held in his left hand and demanded money from the cash register, police said.

He then grabbed the cash and ran out of the store, police said. No accomplices or vehicles were seen by any witnesses, police said.

The man was described as black, 5 feet 7 inches tall to 5 feet 8 inches tall, weighing about 180 pounds. He wore a dark overcoat, ski mask, and gloves, police said.

The clerk was uninjured in the robbery, according to reports.

In other reports, Midland Sheriff's investigators are continuing their probe into the weekend stabbing of a 29-year-old Midland man, according to reports.

Jack Thompson was stabbed several times early Sunday, between 2 a.m. and 4 a.m., at the Sands Mobile Home Park on County Road 1140, a mile north of East U.S. Highway 80.

The stabbing occurred after an "altercation" between Thompson and another man, reports said.

This morning, Thompson was listed in satisfactory condition at Midland Memorial Hospital, MMH spokeswoman Sue Ristom said.

Sheriff's officers are also investigating the theft of livestock valued at $600.

According to reports, a 300-pound Holstein calf valued at $400 and a 100-pound pig valued at $200 were slaughtered in a barnyard on South Cottonflat Road sometime between 6 p.m. Saturday and 1 p.m. Sunday.

The carcasses were then carried off, reports said.

In other reports, police are investigating a burglary of a local residence while the owner was away from the home for only 30 minutes.

According to reports, two video-cassette recorders valued at $750, a television set with remote control valued at $100, a pair of diamond earrings valued at $100, and a gold chain valued at $300 were stolen from a home in the 3600 block of Travis Avenue.

Reports said the items were taken from a living room and bedroom after the owner left a side door unlocked and was gone from the home Saturday between 6:30 p.m. and 7 p.m.

Police also are investigating several auto burglaries which occurred Saturday. Among items reported stolen were a nine-millimeter pistol valued at $500, a radio valued at $75, a ring valued at $170, and a purse valued at $20.

Police Roundup

Pop-Up Toastmasters banquet slated

From Staff Reports

The Pop-Up Toastmasters Club will hold its annual banquet starting 7 p.m. Thursday at the Claydesta Plaza Club.

The 1988 club officers will be installed by Charisie Eubank of Lubbock, governor of West Texas and Texas Panhandle clubs of District 44.

Officers for 1988 include Dan Foreman, president; Anne Severson, educational vice president; Richard Eck, administrative vice president; Jeff Tunnell, secretary-treasurer; and Chris Trujillo, sergeant at arms.

Guest speaker at the banquet will be J.Q. Warnick Jr. of Lubbock, a recipient of the accredited speaker award, the highest speaking qualification given by Toastmasters International. Warnick is an attorney and Lubbock-based federal magistrate.

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Once-poor town 'up to its ears in corn'

KONGOLO, Zaire (AP) — The corn is as high as an elephant's eye, and farmers in this town that had virtually ceased to exist now are earning a living from it, with help that came chiefly from Americans.

Some area farmers have been able to buy their first radios, sewing machines and bicycles, a practical form of transportation here in Shaba, a southern district of Zaire, the country formed from the old Belgian Congo.

Corn has become the chief cash crop of northern Shaba, which became a backwater after the Simba tribal rebellions in the early 1960s. Production has tripled in 10 years, while individual farmers increased their cash crop from 300 percent to 1,400 percent.

After the bloody first years of independence from Belgium, and following two unsuccessful secessionist revolts in the 1970s, Shaba plunged into decline.

Businessmen and other foreigners fled. An excellent road network, maintained with forced labor in the Belgian Congo, deteriorated in newly independent Zaire. Subsistance farming replaced cash crops.

Bringing it back to life was a 10-year, $30-million project — financed mostly by the United States — to open farm roads, improve seeds and teach better planting methods.

The U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) was ordered to begin a project in the region, whose copper and other mineral exports provide two-thirds of the foreign exchange earnings of the pro-Western government of President Mobutu Sese Seko.

Corn marketed from Kongolo-area farms increased from 220 pounds per household in 1977-78 to 3,080 pounds last year. The resulting increase in income still seems low — $75 per household, according to a USAID report — but many people had cash for the first time. The annual per capita income in all of Zaire is $170, according to the latest World Bank estimate.

In 1978, Kongolo and its 15,000 people had just four wholesale stores, five large and five small retail shops. It still lacks electricity, telephones and running water. But now it has a bank, seven wholesalers, 25 retail shops, 50 small kiosks, six pharmacies, three restaurants and three hotels. Some have with their own generators but most are lighted by lanterns and make do the way people did before electricity was put to use.

Several smaller commercial centers have developed along the newly opened roads.

In the 9,066-square-mile northern Shaba area, health workers report nutrition and health have improved for the 138,000 people as a good share of the extra corn production is being consumed locally.

Farmers in several villages, including Kasamba Kaseniyeni, 17 miles east of Kongolo, said they had purchased their first battery-powered radios, manually operated sewing machines and bicycles. Their open-air school has reopened with 40 pupils.

"Teachers didn't want to go to small villages before the roads were open," said Mashako Mamba Seba, chief representative of Mobutu's government in Kongolo.

Numerous working-age men were seen in the villages — in contrast to other areas where the men have left for the cities in search of high-paying jobs.

Changes in official government policy, including lifting price controls on corn and limiting imports, helped spur the growth in northern Shaba. The farmers always have been capable of good corn production because of the area's fertile soil.

Zairean officials, project officers, farmers and local businessmen said the rehabilitation of more than 683 miles of farm roads was the main agent of change. The roads connect with a regional rail line to Lubumbashi, 434 air miles to the south.

"PNS (Project North Shaba) is a success story," said Kassongo Shuyaka, inspector for the department of agriculture and rural development in the Shaba region, an area bigger than California. "It worked because of the roads, better seeds and education. But without the roads, it would have meant nothing."

Although they are opening up, the roads still can be difficult to travel, because of a lack of paving and proper drainage. It takes more than two days to drive the 683 miles from Kongolo to Lubumbashi.

Merchant Ali Versi said it had taken him 27 days to travel from Bukavu, 217 miles to the northeast, with a load of metal roofing, because that road is still in poor condition.

Versi said, however, that once he got to Kongolo the new prosperity was evident. His roofing sold out quickly as did his supplies of radios and bicycles before that, even though inflation has tripled the price of some goods.

As Project North Shaba ended in 1986, organizers faced their biggest problem: how to maintain the roads they had reconstructed. The government didn't have the money or the staff for the task, and a final report on the project said the economy would collapse if the roads were not maintained.

To keep northern Shaba alive, USAID officials have arranged to include continued funding for roads in a new aid package for the central Shaba region, a 15-year, $33.9-million project. Road equipment was given to Zaire's national roads department.

Supervision of the equipment was left Tuoi Van Trahn, a Vietnamese who is a U.S. contract employee.

AP Laserphoto

A farmer in the north of Zaire's Shaba region shows off a tall corn stalk earlier this season. Corn has become the chief cash crop of northern Shaba, a result of the 10-year, $30-million project — financed mostly by the United Stated — to open farm roads, improve seeds and teach better planting methods.

Mementos of city's past preserved

By CHIP MINTY

PONCA CITY, Okla. (AP) — Hung from gray, cracked walls like the fading recollections of an aging memory, legacies from Oklahoma's early years decorate an empty home on Ponca City's northside.

The "House of Memories," as the sign out front reads, is, in almost all respects, the facade of the past. Its only link to the present is that it still exists.

Built in the Cross township not long after pioneers charged across the Kansas border toward new opportunity in 1893, the building stands empty, surrounded by warm, modern homes constructed long after Cross had given way to the northern expansion of Ponca City.

An island in its quiet north Ponca City neighborhood, the two-bedroom house is an anachronism. The stories harbored in the relics there draw questions from the young and memories from the old.

It won't last much longer though, and E.P. Kizer knows the old house will soon fall from old age. But he continues to add to the collection of memories that already covers most of the building's outside walls and dominates two of the three habitable rooms inside.

Kizer has worked on the House of Memories for about a year and a half. He said T.B. Ward, his father-in-law, lived there before he died. Living next door to the house, Kizer used it to store the collection of novelties he has accumulated from local garage sales and friends.

"I guess I'm a little different," he said. "I kept my junk in there and one day decided to do something else."

Lanterns, frying pans and an assortment of farm implements nailed to the outside walls of the old house are far beyond anything most onlookers have seen.

The caring composition Kizer used in hanging his assorted antiques distinguishes the display that sometimes draws heavy traffic to the middle-class street.

Kizer says no complaints have been voiced by neighbors whom he calls the greatest in the world. However, he does, on occasion, parry criticism from visitors who don't understand the personal significance the House of Memories represents for him as well as others who still remember.

"A lot of people have never seen this kind of stuff, especially the younger kids. I enjoy it; it brings back memories," said Kizer.

Passing a parking meter standing in the front yard, Kizer leads the way around novelties, in front of the house, to a door in the back. Still surrounded by old kitchen utensils, saddle tack and a bull whip suspended from paint-chipped siding is an inner gallery.

Walking through the dark, cold room, Kizer points out his proudest acquisitions while complaining about the lack of light. A Philco radio in a varnished wooden case, a portable Singer sewing machine, an old school desk and a French mirror with the date November 1903 printed on the back are part of the collection, but not necessarily the stars of the show.

"When I see something I want I just latch onto it," he said. "I don't have a thing for sale. If people want to look they can stop and look...This is basically my own thing.

Kizer, who claims the distinction of being the second oldest barber in Ponca City, admits that he does not know what a lot of his antiques were for. However, most of the curious items are easy to understand. A wooden mouse trap that could have been reproduced from a Rube Goldberg cartoon is among several charming, but quaint, additions to the homespun museum of time.

"I've worked kind of hard at it — trying to pick things up as I go along," he said.

Most of Kizer's material, which tells something about how life was at Ponca City's birth, came from local sources.

Several 101 Ranch photos produced from Ray Falconer's collection of historical glass negatives hang together on a frail wall in the back room. One illustrates the old bunk house, and another shows a covered wagon flanked by a biplane from which Kizer said cowboys tried to bulldog a steer.

People, events in black history noted in calendar

HARTFORD, Conn. (AP) — Although most people know who Martin Luther King Jr., Booker T. Washington and Jackie Robinson were, they may not be so familiar with the names of Richard Allen, Elizabeth Evelyn Wright or Zora Neale Hurston.

The common thread that links these six people is that they all have been profiled in the Black History Calendar, which has been published annually since 1982 by Aetna Life and Casualty here.

The calendar documents many of black history's most significant political, educational, cultural and sports achievements. Valerie Canady and her staff work from March to October each year, compiling the 12 profiles and 365 other items in the calendar.

According to Canady, some lesser known black achievers are included in order to raise people's awareness of not so renowned, but signficant, blacks. Among them: Richard Allen, founder and first bishop of the African Methodist Episcopal Church; Elizabeth Evelyn Wright, founder of Voorhees College in Denmark, S.C., and Zora Neale Hurston, author, folklorist and anthropologist.

The calendar contains information ranging from the birthdays of such famous individuals as Lena Horne, Jesse Jackson, Whitney M. Young Jr. and Willie Mays to such milestones as the first black admiral, Samuel L. Gravely Jr., the first black U.S. Supreme Court justice, Thurgood Marshall; the first black woman federal judge, Constance Baker Motley, and the first black general in the Marine Corps, Frank E. Petersen Jr.

"Among the sources we refer to for material," Canady says, "are the Negro Almanac, the Schomburg Center for Research in Black Culture, the Smithsonian Institution, colleges, churches, old books and local libraries.

"Some information is obtained in a matter of minutes, while other items can take days and even weeks," she adds.

She says that for the 1988 calendar, her staff spent weeks digging up information for an item on the Tuskegee Airmen, which dealt with black aerial pioneers who broke the segregation barriers and served in the U.S. Army Air Force during World War II.

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Psychologist: Underachievers' progress can be improved

By JACK WILLIAMS
Copley News Service

You can find them in roughly one out of every four American families, hiding behind a shroud of excuses. They're the underachievers: bright, sensitive, reasonably healthy children who regard academic failure as a rite of passage.

Most have IQs of 115 or better. Many come from success-oriented, affluent families.

Yet their report cards are littered with the marks of unfulfilled potential — much to the consternation of their parents.

Linnus Pecaut's fascination with the indifferent student led him to launch the Institute for Motivational Development 17 years ago to address the psychological and personality problems of such children. Today the organization, with headquarters in Lombard, Ill., is represented in more than 20 cities.

Pecaut, a psychologist with a Ph.D. from Illinois Institute of Technology, operates on the premise that underachievement is more a function of personality development than intellectual deficiency. By addressing those personality shortcomings — which often are precipitated by fear or resentment and rooted in defiance — he feels he can alleviate the underachievement.

JUST GIVE it time, he says — preferably 10 to 18 months of weekly, 45-minute sessions with a licensed psychologist or therapist (including twice-per-month meetings with the parents). Health insurance may pick up portions of the $85-per-session costs.

"When we have the cooperation of the parents," he said, "we have an 80-percent success rate."

Of the thousands of children involved in the program, 80 percent are males, he said. The average age is 14 and the average commitment about six months.

"There may be more pressure on the male to achieve," explained Pecaut. "But we see girls who underachieve out of fear of alienation from their peer group or because they don't want to jeopardize a relationship (by seeming overly bright to their dates).

"A common pattern with a girl is for the father to bring her in. He complains she is dating some 23-year-old 'bum.' In fact, he (her dad) is too close to her, so she reacts by getting involved with someone totally the opposite of her father.

"We find that if a father contacts us first, it's almost invariably his daughter he's concerned about. If a woman contacts us, it's usually the son."

The pattern is predictable, said Pecaut, because "if Mom is overly involved with the son, she's trying to make him into the things Dad should have been and isn't. Fathers overly attached to their daughters are trying to raise them to be all the things Mom isn't."

The result, usually, is a sympathetic ally in one of the parents, said Pecaut. And this can perpetuate the problem.

PECAUT SAYS that between 25 percent and 40 percent of American children are serious underachievers. They are potentially good students, he says, who lack three basic qualities:

- Persistence to completion; they quit whenever they feel like it rather than when the task is completed.
- Obedience to time limits and deadlines; they fail to complete assignments on time and force others to monitor them.
- Independent functioning; under tight supervision they do acceptable work, but when the attention is withdrawn, their performance deteriorates.

"Appealing to logic and offering rewards doesn't help," said Pecaut. "Neither does changing schools."

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Often, he said, their underachievement is a signal for others to structure them — and a manifestation of fear of the future and the increased choices it presents.

"Denial," he said, "leads them to live a comfortable life. They discount their failures, rationalizing that the subjects they're failing have no bearing on their future, or blaming others."

Left unattended, these are the same children, said Pecaut, who will grow up to blame failure on the people they work with — or the workplace itself.

"Their denial is so severe," he said, "that they can't see their nose in front of their face. They feel like the world is against them. Underachievers cannot see or admit that their ability to complete tasks and assume responsibility will lead to continuing failure in the future."

How does one counsel such youngsters?

"True motivation," said Pecaut, "is founded on the pleasure of noticing how we change or how we approach new challenges. It's the fun of finding out who we are becoming."

IN TIME and with proper guidance, he suggests, the underachiever will discover this.

In the meantime, the underachiever's only pleasure is in the future — or in the past.

"We find that the parents of underachievers focus on the child's underachievement — not the child himself," said Pecaut. "The kid feels his only value is to produce for his parents and holding back is a way of getting back at his parents.

"In the achieving youngster, the parents respond more to the child as a person. When he leaves the home, he knows he is loved and respected for what he is, not what he produces."

Accordingly, Pecaut advises parents to refrain from rewards, which may be perceived as acknowledgments of what the child can do, not who he is.

"A typical response," he said, "is to say 'Here are the keys to the car' ... 'Let's go out for a Chinese dinner' ... 'We're proud of your A in English.'"

This, said Pecaut, is not responding to the person so much as to the product.

Often such a child feels the product — the A — is a gift to the parent. "The child doesn't attribute it to his own efforts," said Pecaut. "There is little joy, just as there is little concern for failure."

An answer to this, he said, is to "reinforce the joy of doing it. Respond 50 percent to the product (grade) and 50 percent to the person."

This is often difficult for parents who have insecurities of their own, including fears of failure in a highly competitive work environment, noted Pecaut.

ONE COMMON scenario involves the overachieving father and his underachieving son. In researching his recent book, "The Making of an Underachiever: Growing up in the Shadow of Success" (published by the Institute for Motivational Development), Pecaut discovered that the male child often fears he won't be able to live up to the expectations of a remote, frequently absent father.

The father might even represent superhuman qualities to the son.

In this case, said Pecaut, the workaholic father is projecting onto his son the human shortcomings he (the father) appears not to have: doubt, confusion and need.

"The father's reaction," said Pecaut, "is ambivalent. He detests the son's underachievement but envies his vulnerability.

"The father is on a treadmill of drivenness."

Bringing such fathers and their children together is one of Pecaut's objectives. Often, said Pecaut, the inconsistent performance of an underachieving child is an attempt to maintain a connection with parents and to postpone separation and abandonment.

"The consequences of achievement threaten to break and dissolve the bridge between child and parent," he pointed out. "Without help to develop other bridges, the abandonment is so intense it often forces continued and repeated underachievement so that the relationship with parents is maintained.

"Failing is succeeding to remain connected."

'Superbaby' syndrome thought to be dangerous

New York Times News Service

NEW YORK — They are buying baby exercise gyms hawked by a growing crowd of merchandisers. They are drilling their infants in math and reading skills, using flashcards, books and videotapes. They are enrolling their 3-year-olds in tennis lessons and entering 4-year-olds in beauty contests and athletic competitions. Now they are even trying to educate their children in the womb with phonelike learning devices.

They are the parents who want their children to be "superbabies." As a distinct parental species, they have gained increasing attention in recent years, even as their overzealousness has been condemned by many child-development experts. But no one in the child-development establishment has marshaled the evidence against the superbaby ethic in a comprehensive, authoritative way — until now, in a new book.

"These parents are engaging in a form of miseducation," said Dr. David Elkind, a 57-year-old child psychologist who has become America's most indefatigable advocate for children's right to be children. Although, for the most part, parents who want superbabies are "well-intentioned," he said, "I am alarmed by what I see.

"Not only is what they are doing unnecessary, it may also be harming a generation of children."

THIS IS the alarm sounded in Elkind's new book, "Miseducation: Preschoolers at Risk," (Knopf, $16.95; paperback, $7.95). A professor of child study and senior resident scholar at Tufts University in Medford, Mass., Elkind is the president of the 55,000-member National Association for the Education of Young Children, the largest group for early-childhood professionals.

"Miseducation" is unusually outspoken for a book by a social-science researcher. "I'm sticking my neck out and going public in a way that many others in the field are unwilling to do," Elkind said, "though there certainly are a lot of professionals who feel just as I do."

BUT THE superbaby phenomenon goes beyond the "hurrying" he has previously written about. "It's starting so much earlier," Elkind said. "They are even selling educational programs for children in the womb. Parents are trying to educate infants earlier to make them brighter so they can compete better."

There have always been "pushy parents," Elkind said, "but now it's much more widespread in both numbers of children and activities as well. It's not just stage mothers pushing a few kids; now it's a generation of parents pushing very small children into foreign languages, music instruction, exercise classes, swimming and formal instruction that is completely inappropriate to them."

The short-term consequences of such efforts are signs of stress, Elkind said, citing "stomachaches and headaches, eating and sleeping problems, and changes in children's ordinary patterns of behavior."

Preschoolers' self-esteem can also be diminished "since the tendency of children is to blame themselves when they can't do an impossible task set by an adult," he added.

There can be other effects. "I've seen 3-year-olds in tennis classes," Elkind said, "and, given their juvenile bone structure, that's downright dangerous."

Parents can play an important positive role in their children's learning, Elkind believes. "It's healthy to want a child to excel and do well," he said. "But you do that by providing a stimulating environment, rather than pushing a small child to master specific skills."

STUDIES OF developmental psychologists have long shown that preschoolers learn spontaneously, usually through play, he said. "Play is very important to learning," he added, "and formal learning, if introduced too early, can inhibit play."

In formal learning, "the whole idea of earlier is better is just wrong," he said. Decades of research on intellectual readiness for mastering reading, arithmetic and other skills, he said, "shows that children at an older age can master skills better, with greater ease."

Elkind believes that there is no good reason to enroll a preschool child in any kind of formal lessons "because they have no lasting benefits," he said.

New product for parents-to-be controversial

Hearst News Service

Whether it's an absent-minded pat on the belly or singing a lullaby, mothers have known for a long time the value of communicating with babies in the womb. But some medical researchers now say fetal contact actually can give infants a head start in life.

Enter the Pregaphone, the latest toy for eager parents-to-be who can't wait to get to know their babies. The Pregaphone works by transferring sound directly to the fetus via a mouthpiece, funnel and listening cup that attaches to the abdomen.

Mom, Dad and even little Muffy ("Hi, this is sister") can get into the act, especially after receiving training from Prenatal University, a Hayward, Calif.-based program designed to stress training and bonding in the womb. (Infants are issued "diplomas" when they graduate at birth.)

With the help of a Pregaphone, or a homemade megaphone, a 5-month-old fetus can begin to learn the "kick game" at Prenatal U. — learning in utero to respond to Mom while kicking. Mom gently presses the abdomen with one hand where the baby is kicking; after several days or a week, she begins adding the words "kick, kick" while she pats the same spot on her stomach. Eventually the fetus kicks on cue.

PREGAPHONE INSTRUCTIONS for communicating in the womb — researchers says a baby's hearing is developed by the sixth month of pregnancy — include "speaking softly as you tell your baby who you are" and whispering endearing words. It also helps to play gentle, soothing music, such as Mozart or Vivaldi (Beethoven is a bit too intense) and to "offer words of encouragement as delivery time nears."

"This is an ideal way for everyone in the family to participate in the pregnancy," said Pregaphone creator Dawn Hodson, 31. "It promotes bonding on both sides of the womb and can help reduce sibling jealousy toward the newborn. Fathers often feel left out. When their babies recognize them at birth, that's pretty exciting."

The Pregaphone has developed into "the newest and perhaps most unique addition to the superbaby phenomena," says Hodson, who has sold 5,000 to 10,000 of the phones, which cost $12.95.

"I think (using a Pregaphone) is all part of parents being more aware that what they do early has an impact," said Hodson, who has a B.A. in sociology from the University of C-Berkeley. "Some people feel silly cupping their hands over the woman's abdomen and talking that way. And with a megaphone you have to crane your neck. It's all creating an awareness. Whether it's a superbaby or just a very healthy normal baby, the process is the same."

Hodson created a prototype of the Pregaphone several years ago as a gag gift for a pregnant friend, fashioning it out of aquarium tubing and a plastic funnel. But when a number of medical studies revealed that fetuses can hear in the womb, she began to refine the phone and take the device seriously.

Dr. Rene Van de Carr, the obstetrician who began Prenatal University several years ago, said using a megaphone or Pregaphone (particularly if the mother is soft-voiced) is helpful in fetal communication, but not absolutely necessary.

"I THINK the easier it is (to communicate), the more most women will be able to do it," said Van de Carr, who described his Prenatal U. as a much-needed "intervention" in the relationship between mother and baby, and father and baby.

But Prenatal U. and the Pregaphone have drawn criticism from other health officials who believe that fetuses should be left alone to develop at their own pace.

"If God had intended for us to have Pregaphones, I suppose he would have given them to us," said Dr. Norman Krasnegor, chief of the Human Learning and Behavior branch of the National Institute of Child Health and Human Development. "My own view is the fetus has a specific program of development that is independent of the Pregaphone (or other auditory instruments)."

He is not in favor of trying to contact babies in the womb through music or talking because "we don't know what the potential deleterious effects or the benefits are from such devices.

"Potentially you're giving fairly loud stimulation for significantly long periods of time," said Krasnegor. "I don't know exactly what the regime is, but loud sounds can lead to starties." As for music, "I've never seen any serious studies that people who listen to Bach or Beethoven have calmer babies."

DEAR ABBY

Gay man's marriage is mistake

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I am a friendly, nice-looking young man in my mid-20s. For more than 10 years, as a teenager and young adult, I suppressed my natural urges, which were homosexual. It was a constant daily battle to stifle my feelings for men. Never at any time did I have those feelings for a female.

I knew that homosexuality would never be accepted by my family — or society. No one would ever suspect that I am gay. I have never had a homosexual experience and have never told anyone how I feel. A year and a half ago, I married a fine woman (my age), thinking this would force me to change and I would lose my desire for men. I was wrong.

My feelings for men are stronger than ever, and I have no desire to have sex with my wife. Little by little, I believe she is catching on. I am absolutely miserable being married. Abby, I am well respected in my community and am active in my church. Divorce is out of the question. No one has any idea what I am going through.

Are there other homosexuals who have given in to marriage and are miserable, or am I all alone? — MY SECRET

DEAR SECRET: You are not alone. You have far more company than you (or anyone else) would ever imagine. I have a message for you — and for all the others who are in the same boat: to thine own self be true. You did not choose to be gay any more than I chose to be straight. (One may be able to choose one's actions — but not his "feelings.") And whether you act on your feelings or not, you are a homosexual. The tragedy is your unwillingness to accept yourself — and in an effort to "protect" yourself, you involved a woman in your life. She's unfulfilled and so are you.

You say divorce is "out of the question." Why? If your wife confronts you, tell her the truth, and free both of you from this hopeless sham.

DEAR ABBY: I am 27 and my husband is 38. We've been married for a year. It's my first marriage and "Ryan's" second. I fell head over heels in love with this man, and I know he loves me. He has two children by a previous marriage, living with their mother in another city. Our marriage is perfect — except for one thing. Ryan did not inform me before we were married that he had a vasectomy. Abby, I love children, and it saddens me to know that I will never bear a child. Ryan even saw an urologist hoping his vasectomy could be reversed, but he was told it couldn't be done.

I'm in counseling now to help me deal with this disappointment, but I still get spells of depression. Oh, Abby, tears are dropping on this letter as I write these words. Can you help me? — NO BABY OF MY OWN

DEAR NO BABY: Have you considered artificial insemination? If not, please do. Fertility specialists are performing near miracles these days. There is more than one route to motherhood. How about adoption?

Abigail Van Buren is columnist for Universal Press Syndicate.

Story Hour to resume programs

Story Hour, presented 10-11 a.m. the second and fourth Tuesday of each month through April at Midland County Public Library, will resume Tuesday with a program on Fire Safety. Children ages 3-5 are invited to attend.

Story Hour, sponsored by Midland Junior Woman's Club, utilizes books, songs, records, films, puppets, special visitors and characters to entertain the children and encourage them to read.

The fire marshall has determined 60 children to be the safe limit for Story Hour. Because of this, free tickets are available on the first and third Tuesday of each month from the children's librarian at the library downtown or from Centennial Branch Library at Midland Park Mall.

Groups are encouraged to contact the children's librarian at 683-2708 for private Story Hours.

Scheduled for January through April is:

- Jan. 12 — Fire Safety
- Jan. 26 — Winter Wonderland
- Feb. 9 — Valentine's Day and Feelings
- Feb. 23 — Fun With Music
- March 8 — Foods We Eat
- March 22 — Easter
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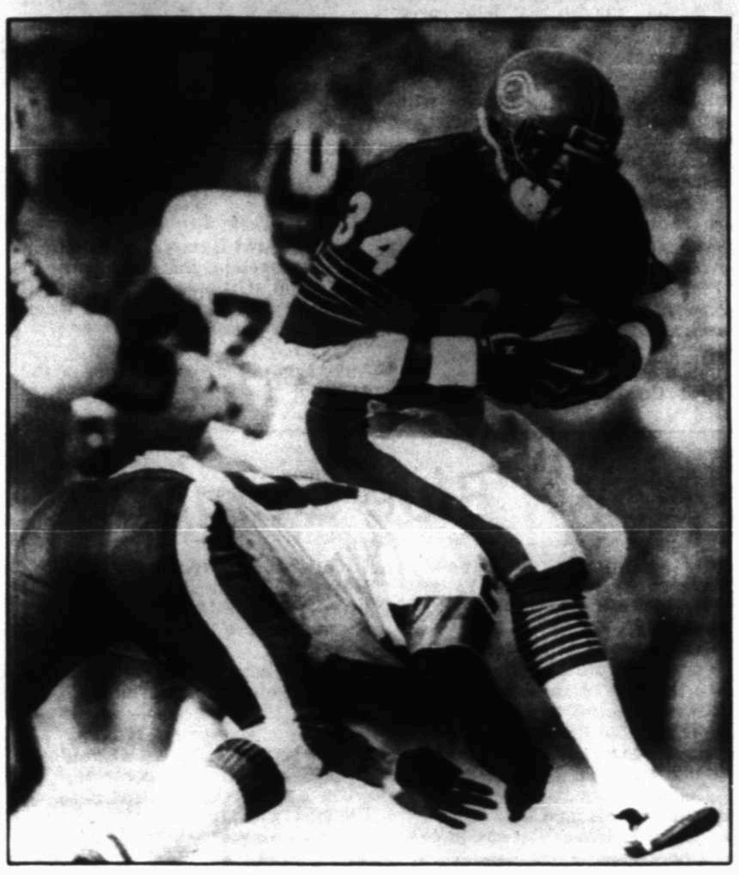

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Bears' Walter Payton gallops toward last roundup.

Skins send Bears into hibernation

By MALCOLM MORAN
N.Y. Times News Service

CHICAGO — Jim McMahon had said he would return. The posters all over this city — the solemn leader in his general's uniform and corncob pipe — had reinforced the promise. McMahon was back, and everything would be all right. Too cold, but all right.

For much of the first half of the National Conference playoff game Sunday, the Chicago Bears looked like the bullies of two seasons ago. Their lead over the Washington Redskins rose to two touchdowns, and the fans at frigid Soldier Field anticipated a return in a week for a conference championship game.

But suddenly, all that was gone. It was the Redskins who advanced to within one step of Super Bowl XXII with a 21-17 victory. On an afternoon when the wind-chill factor was well below zero, the Redskins reached the conference championship game for the fourth time in six seasons. Washington's second playoff victory here in two years sent the Redskins into the NFC championship against the Minnesota Vikings at RFK Stadium next Sunday.

THE BEARS, and their fans, were left with the end of a Chicago era. Walter Payton, the leading rusher in the history of the National Football League, reached the completion of a 13-year career by landing a yard short of a first down on a fourth-down play that ended a last, desperate Bear drive with 31 seconds to play.

Payton gained 85 yards in 18 rushes, and caught three passes for 20 yards. But Washington's ability to control Payton in the second half — when he was held to 11 yards on five carries — was an important part of a defensive effort that helped change the game.

Doug Williams, the Redskins' quarterback, overcame an early fumble to complete 14 of 29 passes for 207 yards and a touchdown. His ability to avoid the charge of the Bear defense — even if all he could accomplish for the moment was an incompletion — was essential.

Williams was tackled for a loss just once, when a fumble caused by Richard Dent's tomahawk tackle led to a Chicago lead. But after the 2-yard run by Calvin Thomas and a 14-yard pass from McMahon to Ron Morris gave the Bears a 14-0 lead nearly 22 minutes into the game, the Chicago offense came apart.

MCMAHON, limited by an injured hamstring muscle, had three passes intercepted in the second half. He was tackled for losses five times, three in the second half. "I know you guys will put the heat on me," he said. "I deserve it. This is the worst game I've played in a long time."

Working without Art Monk, the receiver who has been on the injured list with a sprained knee, Williams used his strong arm to establish a consistent and reliable passing game that brought the Redskins from behind.

A 32-yard, third-down pass to the second-year receiver Ricky Sanders — who caught six passes for 92 yards — led to a 3-yard touchdown run by George Rogers. Then after a failed Chicago field-goal attempt, Williams spotted Clint Didier in the middle for the 18-yard touchdown that tied the score shortly before halftime. "He threw the ball before I made my break," the tight end said. "It was a great play on Doug's part."

THE PLAY that changed the game was a 52-yard punt return for a touchdown by Darrell Green that gave the Redskins a 21-14 lead. It came early in the third quarter after one of the few mistakes Williams made. Brian Davis, a rookie defensive back, had intercepted a McMahon pass to set up the Redskins at the Chicago 6-yard line. On second down from the 6, a Williams pass was deflected and intercepted by Mike Richardson.

But after the Chicago offense could advance just 3 yards in three plays, the Bears were forced to punt and Green changed the game. The 44-yard punt by Tommy Barnhardt sailed away from Green, but the returner reached the ball just on the Washington side of the midfield line, and started out to his right.

Quickly, Green developed a problem. He was running out of room. The safety of the sideline was not far to Green's right. Cap Boso, a 224-pound member of the Chicago punt unit, was hurtling toward him. "I knew he was going to wipe me out, or I should go out of bounds," Green said.

His instinctive response was a third, daring, and painful option. Green decided to cut to his left. "And cutting across the grain entailed jumping over the guy," he said. Green hurdled over Boso. He completed his cut to run away from the crowd and on to the touchdown that shocked the Bear fans and put the Redskins ahead.

But the maneuver had its price. Along the way, Green felt a pop in his stomach, the result of a sprained cartilage. "I knew I had the touchdown," Green said. "Then I guess my mind concentrated on the pain."

WASHINGTON had the lead, but now the Redskins did not have the presence of Green in the defensive backfield to match the speed of Chicago's Willie Gault. On the Bears' second possession after Green's injury, Gault eluded Davis on a 44-yard pass play to the Washington 13.

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Broncos, Elway short-circuit Oiler hopes

Denver faces Browns next

By MICHAEL JANOFSKY
N.Y. Times News Service

DENVER — The Denver Broncos moved a step closer to a second consecutive appearance in the Super Bowl by ending the ambitious hopes of the Houston Oilers in the last of the weekend's four playoff games.

With a 34-10 victory Sunday, the Broncos moved into the American Conference championship game next Sunday with the Browns. The same teams played in Cleveland last season in the title game, with Denver winning on a field goal in overtime.

But the rematch will be in Denver, in Mile High Stadium, where a sellout crowd of 75,968 Sunday watched John Elway run the Bronco offense with typical effectiveness and the Oilers commit one critical mistake after another.

ELWAY completed 14 of 25 passes for 259 yards and two touchdowns, both to Clarence Kay, the tight end. Elway also ran for a touchdown, the final score of the game, as the Broncos improved their season record to 11-4-1.

The Oilers, who had defeated the Seattle Seahawks last Sunday in the AFC wild-card game, their first playoff appearance in seven years, finished with a 10-7 record.

The Broncos wasted no time making good on a wide assortment of Houston mistakes in the first half, including a multitude of penalties in the first period. By the half, Denver was comfortably ahead, 24-3.

If the score didn't indicate who was controlling the game, consider that Elway had completed 10 passes for 167 yards and two touchdowns, and the Oilers had been penalized seven times for 45 yards.

THE FIRST consequential play of the game came within seconds of the Oilers' first possession. After Alonzo Highsmith was dropped for a 1-yard loss at the Houston 4, Moon brought the Oilers up to the line with no huddle. The call was a razzle-dazzle type play that never even got to the razzle part.

After the snap, Moon flipped a lateral to Mike Rozier to his left. Rozier was intending to lift a pass downfield but never got a full grasp on the ball. It squirted out of his hands, and Denver's Steve Wilson recovered at the 1.

Two plays later, Gene Lang sliced through a hole on the right side to give Denver a 7-0 lead after 6 minutes 9 seconds had elapsed.

About four minutes later, the Oilers gave the ball away again. This time, Moon was responsible. After two completions picked up 40 yards and took the Oilers to Denver's 20, he underthrew a pass to Jamie Williams, the tight end who was looking the wrong way anyway.

Karl Mecklenburg intercepted it, and his 18-yard return put the Broncos at the Denver 28.

Elway used up most of the rest of the period positioning the Broncos for their next score, which came on a 27-yard pass to Kay, the big tight end who beat Keith Bostic to the corner of the end zone. Rich Karlis' extra point made it 14-0.

Early in the second quarter, the lead grew to 17-0 on Karlis' 43-yard field goal.

The Oilers finally scored, an Tony Zendejas' 46-yard field goal with 5:57 to go, but it hardly marked a turning point for the visitors.

Houston's shoddy play continued as Elway built a 24-3 lead on the strength of a 55-yard completion to Vance Johnson down the middle of the field. The play seemed to typify the performance of the Houston defense through the half. Elway had enough time to read the defense and write a review. Johnson, meanwhile, got behind Jeff Donaldson by several yards and was uncontested going for the ball.

That put the Broncos on the Houston 11. Three running plays brought them to the 1 at the 2-minute warning, and when play resumed, Elway, again with time, rolled right and hit Kay again after he sprang open in the middle of the end zone.

By the half, Houston had been called for 13 penalties and six others were either declined or offset by penalties called against the Broncos.

The lead increased to 27-3 early in the third period when Karlis kicked his second field goal, a 23-yarder.

Another Houston error contributed. On the first play of the drive, Elway hit Johnson up the left side. Johnson circled back for the catch, then ran a little for a 33-yard pickup. But after he was brought down, John Grimsley, a Houston linebacker, hit him. That tacked on 13 yards for unsportsmanlike conduct.

A 7-yard pass brought the Broncos to the 6 before Karlis came on.

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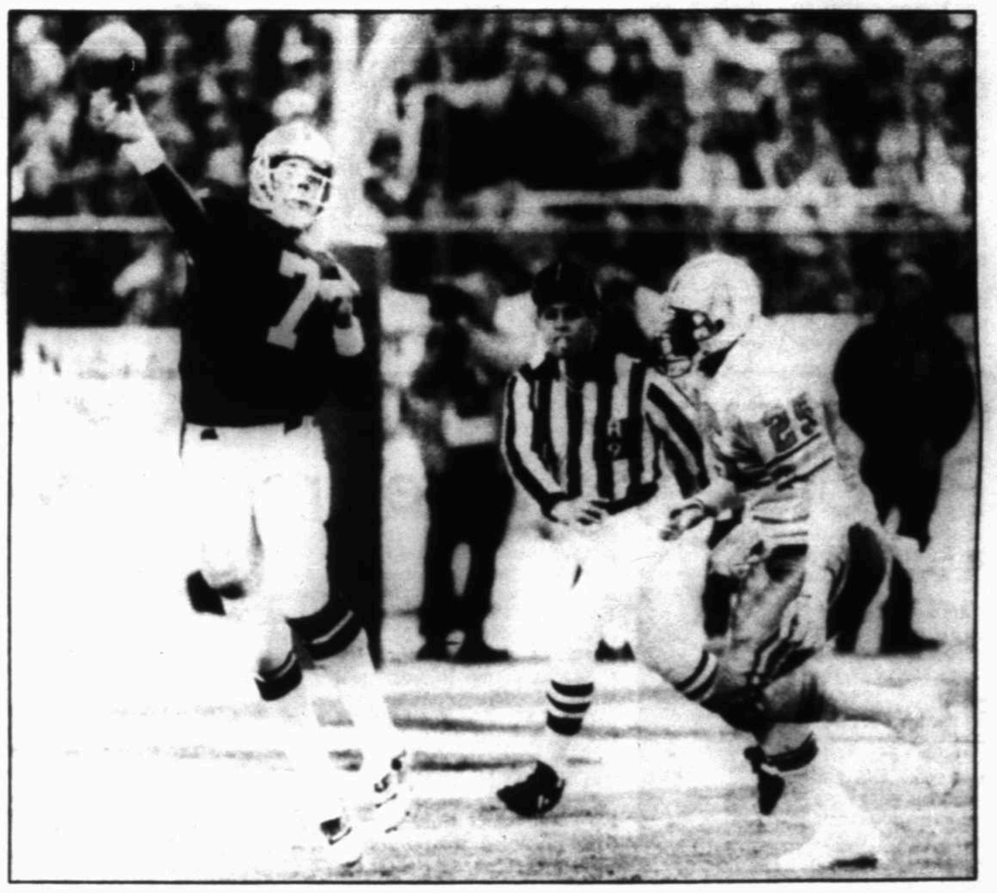

AP Laserphoto

Denver Quarterback John Elway escapes rush to launch pass against Houston.

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BASKETBALL— Syracuse-Villanova, 6:30 p.m., ESPN.
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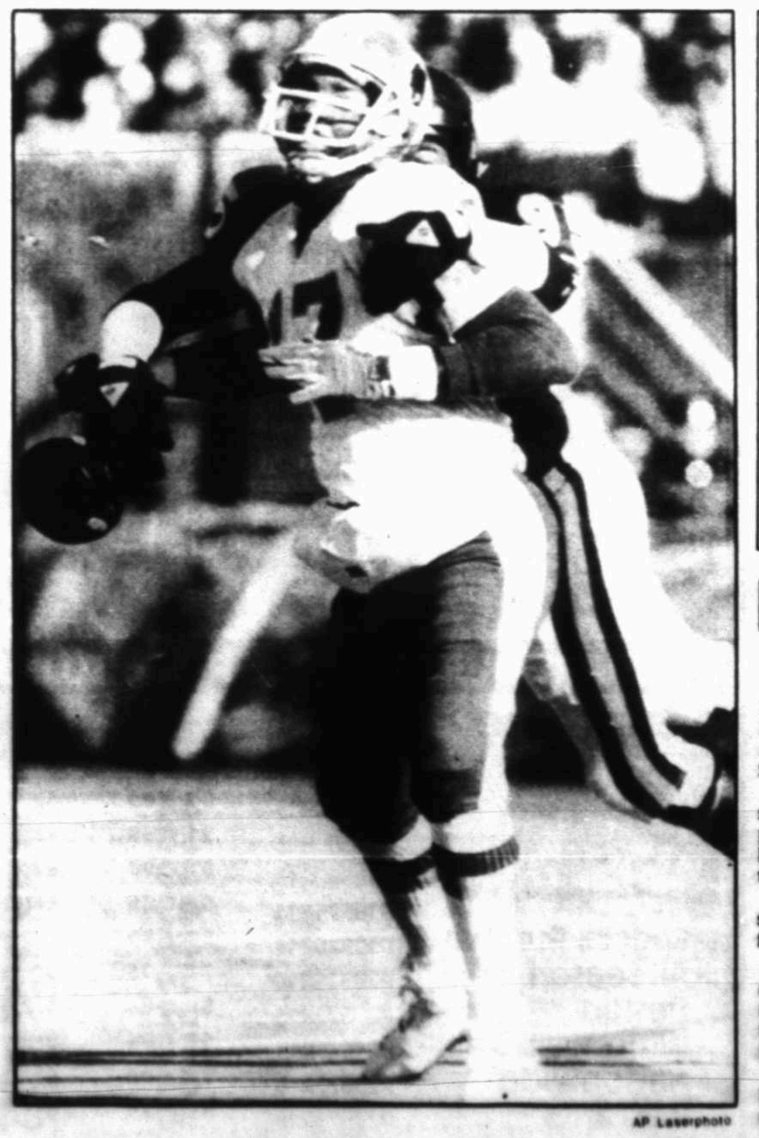
Only one catcher has ever led the National League in triples. Tim McCarver of the St. Louis Cardinals did it with 13 in 1966.



AP Laserphoto

Redskins' Doug Williams has the ball knocked loose by Bears' Richard Dent in first quarter of NFC playoff game at Chicago. The Bears turned the fumble into a score.

This one is so much sweeter

By DAVID GINSBURG

CHICAGO (AP) — Different heroes, same result.

The Redskins' 21-17 victory over Chicago Sunday marked the second straight year that Washington has upset the Bears to advance to the NFC Championship game. The stars in last season's victory at Soldier Field were Jay Schroeder and Art Monk; this time Darrell Green, Doug Williams and Barry Wilburn played key roles.

Green's 52-yard punt return for a touchdown in the third quarter proved to be the winning touchdown, and Wilburn preserved the victory with a timely fourth-quarter interception.

Williams, who watched last season's game from the bench, threw for 207 yards and a touchdown to help Washington move to within one victory of its third Super Bowl appearance of the 1980s.

Afterward, in the Redskins' locker room, many of the players shouted "Too old!" and "Too tall!" in reference to some of the quotes they read in the newspapers this week.

Chicago offensive coordinator Ed Hughes had called the Redskin defensive line "aging," and the Bears had blamed last year's loss to Washington on 5-foot-9 Doug Flutie.

"They said we were too old, but I think we showed them otherwise," said defensive end Charles Mann, who had six tackles and three sacks.

"If Doug Fluite was too short, than Jim McMahon was too tall," declared Dexter Manley.

"The good thing about this year is that they don't have Doug Flutie to blame," center Jeff Bostic said. "That makes this one so much sweeter."

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Elway leaves Oilers in shambles

DENVER, Colo. (AP) — Houston linebacker John Grimsley tried to keep his defensive mates from joining John Elway's "shot gun dance" Sunday.

But Elway picked apart Houston's secondary with two touchdown passes and ran for another score, leading the Broncos to a 34-10 victory in an AFC semifinal.

Elway also pulled the Oilers offsides with a variety of body moves from the shot gun formation.

"He was bobbing his head around and moving his arms and all kinds of monvement," Grimsley said. "But I told our guys you still can't cross the line before the ball is snapped."

The Oilers were penalized 10 times for 73 yards in an error-filled performance.

The Broncos will host Cleveland next week in the AFC Championship game.

Mike Rozier's fumble on the second play from srimmage set the tone for the game and as the error-prone Oilers fell behind 24-3 by halftime.

Oilers coach Jerry Glanville complained about Elway's dance from the shot gun formation.

"He was moving his hands and moving his arms and the officials said he could do that when he was in the shot gun," Glanville said.

The last time the regular Oilers played in Denver was Oct. 6, 1985, when they were penalized 15 times for 188 yards and gave the Broncos an NFL record 11 first downs by penalty.

The Broncos won that game 31-20.

The Oilers drew seven penalties in the first half against the Broncos and three of the miscues were crucial.

An offsides penalty against Oiler linebacker Johnny Meads wiped out an interception by cornerback Steve Brown.

An unsportsmanlike conduct call against defensive end Ray Childress on Denver's first touchdown allowed the Broncso to kick off from the 50-yard line.

The Oilers started the second half with a personal foul penalty against linebacker John Grimsley on the first play of the half for Denver.

Vance Johnson gained 33 yards on the play and the penalty put the Broncos at Houston's 13, setting up Rich Karlis' 23-yard field goal.

"I don't think it was anything Elway did," Oiler cornerback Patrick Allen said. "We are a young team and I think we got a little excited at the start of the game.

"Besides, Elway is great. He's got a great arm and he can run. He's the key to their offense. He's best at doing what has to be done for their team."

While Elway's maneuvering gave the Oilers defense trouble, the boisterous Bronco capacity crowd of 75,968 caused the offense problems with its audibles.

TED BATTLES

Where did favorites go? Only Broncos, Browns left

Battles

Observations of the NFL playoffs from an armchair...

What happened to the favorites? The 49ers, this corner's choice to win the Super Bowl-...just look at those statistics. They led the NFL in everything. How could you pick against them?

Saturday's loss to the Vikings proves that statistics and 50 cents might buy a cup of coffee...Jerry Rice set the TD reception record for one season, but Anthony Carter stole his thunder producing when it county by setting a single game playoff reception mark....

The 49ers decided to dance with them what brung 'em, Joe Montana to Rice, which is what Jerry Burns and the Vikes anticipated. And recognizing Coach Bill Walsh's predilection for listing the plays in the order he wants to run them, one wonders how much of a monkey wrench Burns threw into the 49ers' defensive plans by waiting until Friday before naming Dave Wilson as his starting quarterback....

WITH bowl games searching for corporate sponsors, one of Saturday's games may have offered a glimpse of the future. As the teams lined up for the second half kick off, it was announced, "And this kickoff is brought to you by" Guiness Extra Stout, Beck's or whomever the sponsor may have been.

We have Instant Replay slowdowns, can "Second Down, sponsored by Locker Room, the Musk for Men," be far behind?...

Earnest Byner may have been voted the MVP Player of the Game of the Browns win over the Colts, and deservedly so, but Linebacker Eddie Johnson made the play of the game when he forced Jack Trudeau into a hurried throw.

It was the third period and 14-14 and the Colts were moving inexorably to another score when Johnson's blitz forced the floating throw that resulted in an interception. It was never a game thereafter...

IF WALSH had brought Steve Young in at quarterback for the beleaguered Joe Montana earlier, the 49ers might have pulled it out, but as it was, Young gave the Viking defense fits, but was no match for his offensive linemen, whose holding violations nullified his efforts...

Quarterbacks such as the Eagles Randall Cunningham and Young could shake NFL coaches out of their thinking cocoons and perhaps encourage them to seek out the versatile type quarterback whose scrambling can leave a defensive line a panting shambles by halftime. Who knows, the return of the triple-threat back might revive the single wing...well, maybe that'd be carrying things a too far...

The severe sub-zero cold for the Bears-Redskins game at Soldier Field brought back a conversation with Donnie Anderson last summer. Anderson, who played in the infamous Green Bay-Dallas ice bowl game back in 1960s said, "Our main concern that day was our skin freezing, not frostbite."...

Best game: Bears-Redskins...

Worst game: Oilers-Broncos...

Biggest Disappointment: The Oilers, who executed so poorly that it smacked of poor preparation. The Oilers are definitely not ready for prime time...

Best Quarterback: John Elway-...but can he do it against against Cleveland?

Good News, Bad News Play: Darrell Green's game winning punt return against the Bears, but his acrobatic leap to make it possible resulted in a muscle pull that sidelined him...Kevin Mack's sudden attack of flu that thrust Byner into his Main Man role, resulting in a 122-yard game...

Super Bowl Game: Could be Denver vs. Cleveland this week game in San Diego at the end of the month an anticlimax...Come to think, when isn't it an anticlimax?..

(Ted Battles is Sports Editor of the MRT)

McMahon shoulders blame for Bear loss

By PHYLLIS MENSING

CHICAGO (AP) — Quarterback Jim McMahon said he took the blame for the Chicago Bears' 21-17 loss to the Washington Redskins in the NFL playoffs Sunday.

"I didn't throw the ball well in the second half," said the Bears quarterback, who had won 28 of his last 29 starts. "I know you guys are going to put heat on me, and I can take it."

McMahon, making his first start in a month because of a pulled hamstring, threw three interceptions. With the score tied at 14, Washington rookie Brian Davis picked off McMahon's pass at the start of the second half and returned it to the Chicago 6.

The Bears got the ball back on another interception by Mike Richardson but took it nowhere, and then the Redskins' Darrell Green broke the game open when he scored on a 52-yard punt return.

"It was 14 apiece and we stopped them from getting in the end zone, but Green makes a great play," said Bears linebacker Al Harris. "He hurdles over a guy and races into the end zone. Anything like that can beat you. It's just sad."

Some Bears players found it hard to believe they had lost at home to the Redskins in the playoffs for the second consecutive year. Last year, Washington beat them 27-13.

"Yeah, it's a shock," said linebacker Ron Rivera. "I thought we were a better team than last year."

Coach Mike Ditka said, "in a nutshell, we ain't good enough right now. It's that simple."

"I think we were good enough," McMahon said. "The big thing was my interception. I threw right to the guy's chest."

McMahon missed the last three games because of the hamstring problem, and he said the injury prevented him from scrambling. He was sacked five times.

But McMahon, who completed 15 of 29 passes for 197 yards, said the Redskins also made some adjustments that stopped the Bears' running game, led by Walter Payton in the final game of his NFL career.

"We started out running the football real well," McMahon said. "Then they adjusted and went to a five-man line, and started coming after us."

Payton was stopped short of a first down with 41 seconds left to end the Bears' final drive. He finished with 85 yards on 18 carries and also caught three passes for 20 yards.

"It's one of those situations where you try to get as much as you can, and you fall short," Payton said. He sat silently at his locker for about 15 minutes before talking with reporters.

It was also the last game for safety Gary Fencik, retiring after 12 seasons. McMahon said both Payton and Fencik deserve to be in the Hall of Fame.

"I gave Gary a hug," McMahon said, "and I told him I was sorry we couldn't go out with a victory the way he deserved."

And the quarterback echoed the feelings around the Bears' locker room Sunday when he was asked to sum up the season.

"Disappointing," he said.

RiceOwls knock off Longhorns

AUSTIN (AP) — Junior guard Ronald Robertson converted a three-point shot with 1:30 left in the game as the Rice Owls held off the Texas Longhorns 77-75 in Southwest Conference action on Sunday afternoon.

In a game that changed hands 13 times and was tied eight times, the Longhorns had several chances to at least tie the game in the closing seconds but could not pull it off.

After Robertson's layup and free throw, Courtney Jeans followed up a Texas miss to make the final score.

Jeans then stole the ball and, after Russell Green missed the front end of a 1-and-1, Texas got the rebound and played for the last shot, with 47 seconds left.

Travis Mays shot an air ball with 8 seconds left and Jose Nassar's 3-point try hit the front of the rim as the buzzer sounded.

Nassar led Texas with 22 points as the Longhorns dropped to 7-8 overall and 1-2 in conference play.

Austin native David Willie paced Rice, 4-8 and 1-1, with 18 points.

RICE (77)

Willie 5-9 6-8 18, Holmes 7-11 3-5 17, Robertson 5-7 4-6 15, Gilchrist 5-10 0-0 10, Tanner 4-10 2-2 11, Girardi 3-6 0-0 6. Totals 29-54 15-21 77.

TEXAS (75)

Nassar 8-14 6-8 22, Mays 6-16 0-1 14, Heggs 5-10 3-4 13, Jeans 5-8 1-3 11, Green 4-7 0-3 8, Broadway 1-4 3-6 5, Fluckey 1-2 0-0 2. Totals 30-61 13-27 75.

Halftime—Rice 29, Texas 28. 3-point goals—Rice 4-9 (Willie 2-4, Tanner 1-3, Robertson 1-1, Girardi 0-1), Texas 2-12 (Mays 2-9, Broadway 0-1, Green 0-1, Fluckey 0-1). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Rice (Holmes 11), Texas (Nassar 8, Green 8). Assists—Rice (Tanner 6), Texas (Broadway 5). Total fouls—Rice 21, Texas 21. A—1,938.

Hoyas gun down Blue Demons

CHICAGO (AP) — Baskets from 3-point range don't have a permanent spot in the Georgetown playbook, but Coach John Thompson knows his No. 14 Hoyas like the outside shot.

The Hoyas made seven 3-point baskets Sunday as they defeated DePaul 74-64.

Many came with the Blue Demons gaining momentum and Georgetown clinging to single-point leads.

"You want me to lie to you?" Thompson said, when asked if the 3-point baskets were part of his team's strategy. "Shooters can't be nervous about taking good shots. They understand from me, if you have it, take it."

Perry McDonald scored 16 points and reserve guard Charles Smith added 15 as Georgetown fought off a late DePaul rally.

Ahead 64-61 with 1:40 left, Georgetown outscored DePaul 10-3 the rest of the way to improve its record to 11-1.

"This game could have been anyone's game," Thompson said. "I call it a 'Hail Mary' game."

DePaul Coach Joey Meyer said the loss was humbling.

"The best lesson you can have is a poor game on national TV," Meyer said. "We didn't take advantage of the chances we had. Stanley Brundy and Kevin Edwards played excellent games, but they didn't get any help."

DePaul, 8-3, then outscored Georgetown 10-2 to pull within 58-56 with 4:36 remaining. The Hoyas got the next two baskets to go ahead 62-56 and held off the pesky Blue Demons the rest of the way.

Mark Tillmon scored 14 points for Georgetown and Jaren Jackson had 13.

Edwards, who scored 17 points in the second half, led DePaul with 21 while Brundy contributed 16. Edwards also led the Blue Demons with 10 rebounds and had five assists.

DePaul playmaker Rod Strickland scored nine points and committed four turnovers. He was benched by Meyer for the game's opening seven minutes because he missed a practice last week.

No. 5 in nation and last in WAC

Associated Press

The Wyoming Cowboys have gone from near the top of the national standings to the bottom of the Western Athletic Conference in one long week.

The tumble actually came in just two nights in El Paso and Albuquerque as the WAC race kicked off.

The Cowboys, ranked No. 5 in last week's national ratings and riding an 11-game winning streak, dropped their first league contests of the season, Friday night against Texas-El Paso and Saturday night against New Mexico.

The 85-72 loss to New Mexico left Wyoming at 0-2 in conference play, tied for the cellar with Air Force, San Diego State and Hawaii.

UTEP and New Mexico at 2-0 are atop the standings, along with Brigham Young and Utah. Colorado State has yet to play a conference game.

In other WAC games Saturday, BYU beat San Diego State 92-65, UTEP beat Air Force 71-45 and Utah whipped Hawaii 81-65. Colorado State downed Wisconsin-Green Bay 55-47 in a nonconference game.

On Thursday BYU beat Hawaii and Utah beat San Diego State while New Mexico whipped Air Force in the other Friday night action.

Wyoming coach Benny Dees has maintained all along that the WAC doesn't get enough respect; that BYU, UTEP, and New Mexico all could be ranked in the top 20 nationally along with Wyoming.

New Mexico's victory over Wyoming was the Lobos' 10th straight of the season, the school's longest streak since the 1977-1978 season.

Forward Charlie Thomas scored 27 points and hauled in 13 rebounds for the Lobos while holding the Cowboys' Fennis Dembo to 18 points and only 3 rebounds.

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BOWLING BEAT

Perales continues mastery

By RANDY ISENBERG

Isenberg

J. R. Perales is another bowler who ranks up there as one of the best league bowlers in Midland.

Last year, J.R. averaged 196 and 192. This year he is over the 200 mark. In the same league, Tito Velasco continues his comeback, rolling a 242-682.

Among the women, Dawna Payne rolled 253-803 four-game set in the Dellwood Mixed Scratch League. Robin Morrison posted a 253-781, same league.

Rene Wojcik set the pace at Fairmont with 234-655 in the Busy Men's League. Tina Hight upped her average to 150 in the His and Hers Mixed with a 211-591...

In tournament play: Sean Woodard captured the first 16-game marathon at Dellwood, rolling a 3,415 handicap to win $220. Sean averaged 192 scratch. He rolled five games over 200, including a 242 opener and 211 final game in which he struck the 10th frame to hold on for the win. His fifth game was 223.

David Pope finished second, 13 off the pace, finishing with 245 and 221 to earn $175. He had 11 games over 200, topped by a 276...

Pat Herring and Hank Jordan, both Lubbock, finished third and fourth, respectively, followed by Buddy Claxton, Jeff Stoll and Scott Pope...

Darren Tryon, despite a 279, failed to cash in during the tournament...

Regional finals for the Miller National Doubles are scheduled Jan. 30-31 at Fairmont...From Dellwood open ranks, Martin Garcia-Mariano Pornan took first with 1402, Bud Richardson-Darrell Boen, 1392, second; Bud Richardson-George Overton, 1376, third; Elyson Taylor-Pete Zepeda qualified out of the league level of competition with 1316...

Qualifying from Fairmont, Terry Donathan-Cathy Walker, took first, Carol Miles-Dana Larson, 1409, Javier Tan-Jery Mayo, second, Martin Garcia-Martin Pornan, 1356; Javier Tan-William Tan and Patsy Smith-Dana Larson were at 1354.

World Class Doubles- Rick-Jan Wooten won $340 for first while Javier Tan-Martin Garcia took second, Leroy Scoggins-Bill Roberts, third, and Jerry Mayo-Pat Shores, fourth...

Top scores: Dellwood: David Wright 225-637, Leo Rodriquez 235-633, Sherman Wright 254-608, 257 Dana Shank 225-617, Bill Roberts 228. Four game: Paul Cox 227-799, Tom Kuzmich 225-793. Seniors: Clarence Grant 224-571, Helen Poindexter 202-506. Special Olympics: Jerry Lakey 221-495, Chelle Dumas 130-363, Pat Joiner 133-343, Bonita Lakey 129-361. Youth: Jeff Jordan 221-618, Wesley Walker 254-595, Jody Dunn 193-570, Kris Sprague 191-467, 6-10-10 years: Derek Tubbs 156-394, Jeff Olgin 121-316. Women: Dana Sue Gibbs 203-759, Susan DeGeare 203-749, Sandy Mulligan 214, Dawna Payne 211, Judy Madison 224.

Fairmont: Men: Rene Wojcik 234-655, Tom Kirwin 234-647, David Griffin 243-631, Terry Donathan 201-601, Quinton Kelly 607, Rick Smith 228-600, Royce Smith 233-631, Jason Bailey 239-610, 256, Terry Fleming 231-620, John Faust 234-603, Chuck Sonnenberg 232-602. Youth: Reid London 212-579, Lisa Murray 177-479. Women: Linda Williams 214, Leah Gerhard 223, Joyce Baumgarten 228, Anna Kirwin 204, Nancy Pace 215, Debbe Robertson 211, Sandra Mitchell 210.

DENVER—

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The misfortunes continued for the Oilers on the ensuing drive, an impressive one, as Moon took them to Denver's 7-yard line, their deepest penetration, on a nice mix of medium passes. But looking for Drew Hill in the end zone, he threw it short, and Mark Haynes, the former Giant, picked it off and returned it 57 yards to the Houston 47.

SKINS—

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Three plays later, Kevin Butler's 25-yard field goal cut the Redskin lead to 4 points.

And after the Chicago noise prevented the Redskins from executing a fake field-goal attempt, the Bears drove 59 yards, to the Washington 14, on their first possession of the fourth quarter. But on second down, with Dexter Manley closing quickly, McMahon's pass sailed over Gault and into the arms of Barry Wilburn, the Redskin cornerback, in the end zone.

Their best chance was gone. "We had a chance to move the ball down the field," McMahon said, "and I threw the ball in the guy's chest."

"We ain't good enough right now," Ditka said.

"I guess Patton didn't return today," Williams said, revising history. "Patton was there, but the brigade didn't come through like it usually does."

NFC

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McMahon entered the game having won 28 of his previous 29 starts. He left the game with a sore left shoulder, courtesy of Washington linebacker Neal Olkewicz, and no excuses for his three interceptions.

Washington fell behind 14-0 but rallied to pull even at halftime. Seldom-used tight end Clint Didier caught a 14-yard to set up the first score, then hauled in an 18-yard pass from Williams for the other.

Didier caught 34 passes last year, but had only 13 receptions this season after fighting a variety of injuries.

"I just feel it's about time I did something for this team instead of just being part of it," Didier said. "That first touchdown drive was a very crucial one, because if they had scored before we did, it would have been almost impossible to come back."

After Didier helped tie it, Green helped win it. His twisting punt return, in which he hurdled Chicago's Cap Boso before breaking free, caused Coach Joe Gibbs to rejoice in what has been a disastrous season for his specialty units.

"Our special teams got us a touchdown, finally," Gibbs said. "That ignited us as much as anything."

Green, who had returned only five punts this season, leaped over Boso on the right sideline ("It was instinct," he said) and then cut inside where there were no defenders left to stop him.

"The whole play, no one touched me at all," Green said.

Wilburn's crucial fourth-quarter interception in the end zone ended Chicago's best chance at regaining the lead. After a fake field goal by the Redskins failed, the Bears drove the Washington 14 before Wilburn stepped in to end the drive.

McMahon was aiming for Willie Gault, but threw the ball behind him and into Wilburn's waiting arms.

Williams, meanwhile, bounced back to excel after his fumble set up Chicago's opening score. He said the victory should help Washington shake its image as a lucky team.

"Nobody gives us any respect, and we had to go out there and prove ourselves again," he said. "I'd say we did a good job of it."

Now, Williams and the rest of the Redskins are looking forward to their upcoming game at home against the Minnesota Vikings.

"Minnesota has one of the best defensive lines in football," Williams said. "It won't be easy, but it never is."

By the way, Schroeder and Monk had little to do with Sunday's victory.

Monk missed the game with a knee injury, and Schroeder, who lost his job to Williams, played only briefly, slipping on the botched fake field goal.

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College Basketball

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Third Place
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AP Top 20

How the AP Top Twenty college basketball teams fared Saturday:

1. Kentucky (10-1) lost to Auburn 53-52.
2. Pittsburgh (10-1) beat No. 20 St. John's 81-70.
3. Arizona (14-1) beat Stanford 90-65.
4. North Carolina (11-1) beat La Salle 96-82.
5. Wyoming (11-2) lost to New Mexico 85-72.
6. Temple (10-0) beat George Washington 79-66.
7. Syracuse (12-2) beat Seton Hall 84-82.
8. Oklahoma (14-0) beat Oklahoma State 108-80.
9. Duke (9-1) beat Virginia 77-59.
10. Purdue (13-1) beat No. 16 Iowa 80-79.
11. Michigan (13-1) beat Minnesota 103-71.
12. Indiana (8-3) did not play.
13. Nevada Las Vegas (12-1) beat California Irvine 103-68.
14. Georgetown (10-1) did not play.
15. Florida (10-4) beat Georgia 87-70.
16. Iowa (9-4) lost to No. 10 Purdue 80-79.
17. Iowa State (13-2) beat Dayton 84-80.
18. Kansas (11-3) beat Missouri 78-74.
19. Illinois (11-3) beat Michigan State 77-62.
20. St. John's (8-3) lost to No. 2 Pittsburgh 81-70.

Japan Bowl

At Yokohama, Japan				
East	3	0	0	0—3
West	7	0	3	7—17

East—FG Vesling 26
West—Santos 1 run (Belli kick)
West—FG Belli 24
West—Liggins 39 pass from Santos (Belli kick)
A—30,000

	East	West
First downs	7	17
Rushes-yards	16-(-14)	35-81
Passing	144	172
Comp-Att-Int	10-33-2	14-32-1
Punts	5-32	4-42
Fumbles-Lost	5-1	1-1
Penalties-Yards	1-5	3-5

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING—East, Morris, Michigan, 4-17; West, Woods, Nev.-Las Vegas, 14-67; Woodside, Texas A&M, 5-33.
PASSING—East, McPherson, Syracuse, 5-15-0-96; Bell, Florida, 5-18-2-48; West, Santos, San Diego St., 11-24-0-145; Perez, San Jose St., 3-8-1-27.
RECEIVING—East, Flute, Boston College, 2-69; Kelly, Syracuse, 3-38; Morris, Michigan, 2-20; West, Early, Iowa, 4-52; Liggins, San Jose St., 1-39; Woodside, Texas A&M, 2-34.

Sunland

SUNLAND PARK, N.M. — Sunday's races:

First — 400 yards: Real Viking, Too, 5.60, 4.00, 2.60; Fun Dancer, 6.60, 4.40; Take Your Best Shot, 6.20. T — 20.24.

Second — 870 yards: The Whistle Lark, 6.80, 3.80, 3.20; Ima Twelve, 6.00, 6.80; Foreign Consul, 7.80. T — 47.02.

Daily Double — $2.60.
Quiniela — $2.60.
Exacta — $49.00.
Third — 1 mile: Lead Tongs, 5.80, 3.20, 8.20; What's Up Duck, 3.20, 3.40; Classic Scout, 10.00. T — 1.42.2.
First Half Twin Trifecta — $411.20.

Fourth — 6 furlongs: Wall Just, 7.00, 5.00, 3.80; Pirate's Prize, 20.80, 11.20; Hold On Charlie, 3.20. T — 1.13.4.
Quiniela — $28.80.
Second Half Twin Trifecta — No winners. Carryover — $39,567.94.

Fifth — 870 yards: Dickeys Tahoenook, 9.80, 5.00, 2.80; Heza Royal Champion, 13.80, 5.80; Almas Bunny, 3.00. T — 46.19.
Exacta — $96.20.

Sixth — 5½ furlongs: Dynamic Senta, 26.80, 8.20, 5.00; Judy's Key, 3.20, 3.00; Draconic s v J, 3.00. T — 1.06.3.
Exacta — $74.00.
Quiniela — $40.80.

Seventh — 6 furlongs: Sticky Native, 6.60, 5.20, 3.40; Pick N. Pass, 4.80, 3.20; Blood Shot, 6.20. T — 1.12.3.
Trifecta — $161.20.

Eighth — 5½ furlongs: Grano De Oro, 46.20, 20.40, 11.60; Hopeful Burd, 8.40, 5.60; Lawton Prince, 9.40. T — 1.06.1.
Exacta — $604.20.

Ninth — 5½ furlongs: Cesar T, 5.60, 3.60, 2.80; Psychedelic, 5.40, 4.20; Mariposa Monarch, 3.20. T — 1.05.
Exacta — $40.20.

Tenth — 1 mile: Amanda's Ruler, 7.20, 4.00, 3.60; Pakula, 5.40, 4.40; Jungle Minx, 4.60. T — 1.42.4.

Eleventh — 5½ furlongs: Fleet Luck, 5.20, 3.40, 3.00; Rex Queen, 4.40, 3.20; Rena, 3.60. T — 1.06.1.
Trifecta — $81.40.
Big Q — $107.00.

Twelfth — 7 furlongs: No Commitment, 15.40, 7.60, 4.00; Sure Swift, 6.00, 3.80; Aloha Prospector, 3.00. T — 1.23.1.
Quiniela — $60.20.
Exacta — $104.20.
Trifecta — $510.20.

Thirteenth — 1 mile: Romantic Jet, 27.20, 13.40, 4.60; Profit Island, 10.80, 4.80; Tamtuka, 3.20. T — 1.37.2.
Quiniela — $61.40. Daily Double — $100.20. Exacta — $111.20. Trifecta — $342.00.

Top 20 Box

By The Associated Press

At Chicago

GEORGETOWN (74)
McDonald 8-15 0-1 18, Allen 1-1 2-2 4, Tucker 0-1 0-0 0, Bryant 2-5 0-0 4, Tillmon 5-8 0-0 14, Winston 1-3 0-1 2, Smith, 6-14 0-0 15, Jackson 5-7 3-3 13, J.Edwards 1-1 0-1 2, Jefferson 2-3 0-0 4. Totals 31-68 5-8 74.
DEPAUL (64)
Greene 1-9 3-4 5, Holland 3-8 2-2 8, Brundy 8-11 0-2 16, Laux 1-1 0-0 2, K.Edwards 6-12 6-6 21, Strickland 4-9 1-3 9, Heppner 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 24-58 13-19 64.
Halftime—Georgetown 30, DePaul 27. 3-point goals—Georgetown 7-12 (Tillmon 4-8, Smith 3-7), DePaul 3-7 (Greene 0-3, K.Edwards 3-4). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Georgetown 35 (McDonald, Allen, Winston 6), DePaul 31 (K.Edwards 10). Assists—Georgetown 16 (Winston 7), DePaul 16 (Strickland 6). Total fouls—Georgetown 18, DePaul 16. A—13,503.

NBA at a Glance

EASTERN CONFERENCE Atlantic Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
Boston	21	10	.677	—
Philadelphia	16	15	.516	5
New York	11	21	.344	10½
Washington	10	20	.333	10½
New Jersey	6	25	.194	15
Central Division				
Atlanta	24	8	.750	—
Detroit	19	9	.679	3
Chicago	19	12	.613	4½
Milwaukee	17	13	.567	6
Indiana	15	15	.500	8
Cleveland	15	17	.469	9
WESTERN CONFERENCE **Midwest Division**				
Dallas	20	10	.667	—
Houston	18	13	.581	2½
Denver	19	14	.576	2½
San Antonio	14	16	.467	6
Utah	15	18	.455	6½
Sacramento	9	23	.281	12
Pacific Division				
L.A. Lakers	25	6	.806	—
Portland	20	11	.645	5
Seattle	18	15	.545	8
Phoenix	11	19	.367	13½
L.A. Clippers	8	22	.267	16½
Golden State	5	23	.179	18½

Saturday's Games
New York 106, Boston 98
Philadelphia 126, Cleveland 110
Washington 108, Los Angeles Clippers 76
Atlanta 113, Denver 105
Los Angeles Lakers 101, Indiana 98
Chicago 113, Utah 91
Houston 104, Phoenix 98
Seattle 141, San Antonio 133
Dallas 115, Golden State 99
Sunday's Games
Milwaukee 105, New Jersey 87
Sacramento 109, Seattle 108
Monday's Games
Los Angeles Clippers at Indiana 6:30 p.m.
Denver at Phoenix, 8:30 p.m.
Tuesday's Games
New York at Cleveland, 6:30 p.m.
Boston at Chicago, 7 p.m.
Philadelphia at Milwaukee, 7:30 p.m.
Golden State at Los Angeles Lakers, 10:30 p.m.

Sunday's NBA Boxes

At Milwaukee
NEW JERSEY (87)
Bradley 3-6 1-2 7, Williams 9-12 6-8 24, Gminski 3-10 2-2 8, Bagley 6-12 0-0 13, Hopson 5-12 2-4 12, Washington 8-20 5-9 22, Coleman 0-7 1-2 1, McKenna 0-1 0-0 0, Comegys 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 34-81 17-27 87.
MILWAUKEE (105)
Cummings 8-14 0-0 16, Reynolds 4-5 1-2 9, Sikma 6-15 2-2 14, Moncrief 8-13 1-4 17, Pressey 3-7 3-4 9, Hodges 5-11 2-2 14, Lucas 5-9 2-2 15, Mokeski 4-7 1-2 9, Mannion 1-3 0-0 2, Henry 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 44-86 12-18 105.

New Jersey	**17**	**21**	**26**	**23—87**
Milwaukee	**23**	**30**	**24**	**28—105**

3-Point goals—Bagley, Washington, Lucas 3, Hodges 2. Fouled out—None. Rebounds—New Jersey 51 (Williams 8), Milwaukee 53 (Mokeski 12). Assists—New Jersey 23 (Bagley 7), Milwaukee 30 (Lucas 10). Total fouls—New Jersey 22, Milwaukee 20. A—11,052.

At Sacramento, Calif.
SEATTLE (108)
McDaniel 9-19 2-2 20, Chambers 12-25 2-3 27, Johnson 0-3 0-0 0, McMillan 4-7 1-2 10, Ellis 12-22 3-5 30, Schoene 1-2 0-0 2, Lister 0-3 2-4 2, Vincent 2-2 2-2 6, McKey 3-4 0-1 6, Williams 1-2 1-2 3, Polynice 1-2 0-0 2. Totals 45-91 13-21 108.
SACRAMENTO (109)
Pressley 8-11 1-4 17, Thorpe 6-15 3-5 15, Kleine 5-12 2-2 12, K.Smith 4-8 7-8 16, Theus 11-23 3-4 25, Thompson 2-5 4-4 8, McGee 3-8 0-0 6, Oldham 1-3 0-0 2, Tyler 2-2 0-0 4, Jackson 0-1 0-0 0, Pinckney 1-2 2-4 4. Totals 43-90 22-31 109.

Seattle	**27**	**35**	**24**	**22—108**
Sacramento	**31**	**18**	**31**	**29—109**

3-Point goals—Chambers, McMillan, Ellis 3, K.Smith. Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Seattle 50 (Chambers 11), Sacramento 60 (Thorpe, Kleine 10). Assists—Seattle 27 (McMillan 11), Sacramento 29 (K.Smith, Theus 10). Total fouls—Seattle 27, Sacramento 16. A—10,333.

NHL at a Glance

WALES CONFERENCE Patrick Division	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Phila	20	17	6	46	148	156
NJersey	20	18	5	45	146	155
Wshgton	20	18	5	45	145	135
Islanders	20	16	4	44	158	141
Pittsburgh	16	19	8	40	163	171
Rangers	17	21	5	39	170	165
Adams Division						
Boston	25	14	5	55	163	138
Montreal	22	11	10	54	156	132
Buffalo	18	17	7	43	138	164
Hartford	15	18	7	37	121	133
Quebec	17	20	2	36	139	144
CAMPBELL CONFERENCE **Norris Division**						
Detroit	20	16	5	45	166	139
St.Louis	16	21	5	37	138	152
Chicago	17	23	2	36	156	178
Toronto	14	22	6	34	157	172
Minnsta	13	23	7	33	142	177
Smythe Division						
Clgry	27	12	4	58	215	156
Edmnton	25	13	5	55	196	142
Winnpg	17	18	5	39	147	156
Vancuver	14	23	6	34	139	156
LAngeles	13	26	5	31	161	204

Saturday's Games
Edmonton 5, New York Islanders 1
Boston 2, St. Louis 1, OT
New Jersey 4, Minnesota 3
Sunday's Games
Buffalo 4, New York Rangers 3
Detroit 7, Pittsburgh 5
New Jersey 7, Philadelphia 5
Calgary 8, Washington 2
Winnipeg 4, Toronto 3
Chicago 5, Los Angeles 2
Monday's Games
Hartford at Boston, 6:35 p.m.
Chicago at New York Rangers, 6:35 p.m.
Los Angeles at Minnesota, 7:35 p.m.
Washington at Edmonton, 8:35 p.m.
Tuesday's Games
New York Islanders at Pittsburgh, 6:35 p.m.
Buffalo at St. Louis, 7:35 p.m.
Winnipeg at Vancouver, 10:35 p.m.

Sunday's NHL Sums

At Buffalo, N.Y.

N.Y. Rangers	**1**	**1**	**1—3**
Buffalo	**2**	**1**	**1—4**

First Period—1, New York, Duguay 4 (Erixon) 4:03 (sh). 2, Buffalo, Andrevchuk 17 (Smith) 13:33. 3, Buffalo, Priestlay 2 (Housley, Donnelly) 19:00 (pp).
Second Period—4, Buffalo, Ramsey 2 (Foligno, Housley) 7:54. 5, New York, Mullen 19 (DeBrusk) 13:52.
Third Period—6, New York, Robitaille 27 (Patrick, Cyr) 2:46. 7, Buffalo, Ruutu 13 (Foligno, Anderson) 12:57.
Shots on goal—New York 7-6-11—24. Buffalo 11-8-7—26.
Goalies—New York, Froese, Butteau. Barrasso. A—13,084.

At Detroit

Pittsburgh	**3**	**1**	**1—5**
Detroit	**2**	**4**	**1—7**

First Period—1, Pittsburgh, Lemieux 37 (Dahlquist) 4:31. 2, Detroit, Probert 18 (Gallant, Yzerman) 12:33. 3, Pittsburgh, Charlesworth 2 (Loney, Gotaas) 13:12. 4, Pittsburgh, Lemieux 38 (Cunneyworth, Dahlquist) 15:14. 5, Detroit, Yzerman 33 (Veitch, O'Connell) 19:42 (sh).
Second Period—6, Detroit, Ashton 13 (Burr, Sharples) 2:36 (pp). 7, Pittsburgh, Lemieux 39 (Cunneyworth) 4:38. 8, Detroit, Probert 19 (Sharples, Yzerman) 15:38. 9, Detroit, Kima 25 (Chabot) 16:26 (sh). 10, Detroit, Yzerman 34 (Gallant, Halward) 18:10 (pp).
Third Period—11, Detroit, Veitch 4 (Yzerman, Gallant) 13:02. 12, Pittsburgh, Lemieux 40 (Cunneyworth, Dahlquist) 16:18 (pp).
Shots on goal—Pittsburgh 8-7-6—21. Detroit 12-15-11—38.
Goalies—Pittsburgh, Melocheski. Detroit, Hanlon. A—19,436.

At Winnipeg, Manitoba

Toronto	**1**	**1**	**1—3**
Winnipeg	**1**	**2**	**1—4**

First Period—1, Winnipeg, McBain 17 (Marois, Neufeld) 3:14 (pp). 2, Toronto, Leeman 17 (Clark, Salming) 9:01 (pp).
Second Period—3, Winnipeg, Rooney 3 (Gilhen, Douris) 7:41. 4, Winnipeg, Gilhen 1 (Douris, Rooney) 12:01. 5, Toronto, Osborne 10 (Olczyk, Fergus) 16:02.
Third Period—6, Toronto, Olczyk 17 (Osborne, Secord) 15:7, Winnipeg, Hawerchuk 23 (Duncan, Carlyle) 19:3[illegible].
Shots on goal—Toronto 10-9-7—26. Winnipeg 7-7-14—28.
Goalies—Toronto, Reese. Winnipeg, Penney. A—14,497.

At Calgary, Alberta

Washington	**1**	**1**	**0—2**
Calgary	**3**	**5**	**0—8**

First Period—1, Calgary, Mullen 19 (Macinnis, Murzyn) 3:3. 2, Calgary, Nieuwendyk 31 (Loob, McCrimmon) 12:33. 3, Washington, Christian 19 (Corriveau, Hatcher) 12:32. 4, Calgary, Tonelli 8 (Hull, Otto) 15:23 (pp).
Second Period—5, Calgary, Nieuwendyk 32 (Loob, McCrimmon) 1:23. 6, Calgary, Loob 24 (Nieuwendyk, Roberts) 3:51. 7, Calgary, Bozek 2 (Hunter, McDonald) 4:49. 8, Calgary, Loob 25 (Macinnis, Murzyn) 6:44. 9, Washington, Gould 6 (Laughlin, Adams) 11:15. 10, Calgary, Roberts 8 15:26.
Third Period—None.
Shots on goal—Washington 11-13-6—30. Calgary 13-14-7—34.
Goalies—Washington, Peeters. Melanchuk. Peeters. Calgary, Dadswell. A—19,586.

At Philadelphia

New Jersey	**2**	**2**	**3—7**
Philadelphia	**2**	**3**	**0—5**

First Period—1, New Jersey, Korn 5 (Driver, Johnson) 6:26 (pp). 2, New Jersey, Muller 18 (Broten) 8:33 (sh). 3, Philadelphia, Poulin 13 (Howe) 9:25 (sh). 4, Philadelphia, Samuelsson 4 (Eklund, Tocchet) 12:05 (pp).
Second Period—5, New Jersey, Anderson 2 (Sundstrom) 1:41. 6, Philadelphia, Tocchet 13 (Eklund, Propp) 9:07 (pp). 7, Philadelphia, Brown 5 (Crossman, Craven) 10:21. 8, New Jersey, Verbeek 23 (Kurvers, Broten) 13:54. 9, Philadelphia, Craven 14 (Propp, Howe) 19:19 (pp).
Third Period—10, New Jersey, Cirella 5 (Shanahan, Maley) 1:36. 11, New Jersey, Verbeek 24 (Muller, Daneyko) 16:14. 12, New Jersey, Verbeek 25 (Broten) 19:13 (en).
Shots on goal—New Jersey 7-5-12—24. Philadelphia 7-12-9—28.
Goalies—New Jersey, Cheevier. Philadelphia, Hextall, LaForest. A—17,423.

At Chicago

Los Angeles	**2**	**0**	**0—2**
Chicago	**2**	**1**	**2—5**

First Period—1, Chicago, T.Murray 11 (Graham, Sanipass) 7:02. 2, Chicago, Graham 9 10:22 (sh). 3, Los Angeles, Allison 9 (Erickson, Carson) 11:09 (pp). 4, Los Angeles, Carson 26 (Erickson, Allison) 19:03 (pp).
Second Period—5, Chicago, McGill 2 (Savard) 15:26.
Third Period—6, Chicago, Graham 10 (Sanipass, T.Murray) 2:33 (pp). 7, Chicago, Savard 25 (B.Wilson, Larmer) 13:25 (pp).
Shots on goal—Los Angeles 15-11-9—35. Chicago 7-10-11—28.
Goalies—Los Angeles, Melanson. Chicago, Pang. A—14,508.

NBA Today

SUNDAY'S STAR

Reggie Theus, Kings, had 25 points, 10 assists and seven rebounds to lead Sacramento to a 109-108 victory over Seattle.

SONIC BOOM

Seattle's high-scoring trio of Xavier McDaniel, Tom Chambers and Dale Ellis combined for 77 points in the SuperSonics' 109-108 loss to Sacramento Sunday. McDaniel had 20 points, Chambers 27, and Ellis a game-high 30. However, it was 30 points shy of their 107-point total in Saturday's 141-133 win over San Antonio, when McDaniel had 28, Chambers 32 and Ellis scored a career-high 47. No other Seattle player is averaging double figures in points this season.

SONIC GLOOM

While McDaniel, Chambers and Ellis pile up points, Seattle continues to receive little or no offensive support from its centers. In Sunday's 109-108 loss to Sacramento, both Alton Lister and Clemon Johnson were 0-for-2 from the field, combining for two points in 40 minutes.

SUPER SUB

With starting center Randy Breuer sidelined by bruised ribs, Milwaukee's Paul Mokeski came off the bench to score nine points, grab 12 rebounds and block a career-high five shots in 27 minutes in the Bucks' 105-87 defeat of New Jersey Sunday.

FOUL SHOOTING

With Seattle trailing Sacramento 107-105 Sunday and 58 seconds left in the game, the SuperSonics' Dale Ellis went to the line for two free throws. Ellis missed both, the Sonics lost 109-108.

STREAKS

Sunday's 105-87 loss at Milwaukee extended the New Jersey Nets' road losing streak to 21 games, 13 this season. With Sunday's 109-108 loss at Sacramento, the Seattle SuperSonics have lost eight straight road games to the Kings, including all six since the franchise moved from Kansas City to Sacramento.

OOPS!

New Jersey and Milwaukee each had 26 turnovers in the Bucks' 105-87 victory over the Nets Sunday. Forwards Buck Williams and Terry Cummings led their respective teams with six giveaways apiece.

TRIVIA

The New Jersey Nets have lost 21 straight road games over two seasons. Which team holds the NBA record for consecutive road losses?

SPEAKING

"This is the NBA and we're happy to get the win. We would have taken one over a junior high today. Just to get one in the win column is important." — Milwaukee Coach Del Harris, after the Bucks snapped a four-out-of-five losing stretch with a 105-87 win over New Jersey Sunday.

TRIVIA ANSWER

Baltimore lost 32 straight road games from Jan. 2, 1953 to March 14, 1954.

MISL

Major Indoor Soccer League

Eastern Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
Cleveland	12	9	.571	—
Minnesota	11	11	.500	1½
Baltimore	10	10	.500	1½
Dallas	10	11	.476	2
Chicago	8	10	.444	2½
Western Division				
San Diego	16	6	.727	—
Los Angeles	10	9	.526	4½
Tacoma	11	10	.524	4½
Kansas City	8	11	.421	6½
St. Louis	8	12	.400	7
Wichita	8	13	.381	7½

Saturday's Games
Cleveland 6, Minnesota 4
San Diego 9, Los Angeles 4

NFL Sums

Washington	0	14	7	0—21
Chicago	7	7	3	0—17

First Quarter
Chi—Thomas 2 run (Butler kick), 8:37

Second Quarter
Chi—Morris 14 pass from McMahon (Butler kick), 6:54
Was—Rogers 3 run (Haji-Sheikh kick), 10:09
Was—Didier 18 pass from Williams (Haji-Sheikh kick), 11:04

Third Quarter
Was—Green 52 punt return (Haji-Sheikh kick), 3:20
Chi—FG Butler 25, 10:13
A—58,153.

	Was	Chi
First downs	17	15
Rushes-yards	29-72	30-110
Passing	200	170
Return Yards	88	12
Comp-Att-Int	14-29-1	15-29-3
Sacked-Yards Lost	1-7	5-27
Punts	4-42	4-36
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	1-0
Penalties-Yards	3-20	5-50
Time of Possession	27:03	32:57

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING—Washington, Smith 16-66, Rogers 6-13, Bryant 3-8, Williams 2-(minus 1), Clark 1-(minus 6), Schroeder 1-(minus 8). Chicago, Payton 18-86, Suhey 4-8, Gentry 2-5, McMahon 2-5, Sanders 2-4, Thomas 2-3.
PASSING—Washington, Williams 14-29-1-207. Chicago, McMahon 15-29-3-197.
RECEIVING—Washington, Sanders 6-92, Clark 4-56, Didier 2-32, Warren 1-16, Rogers 1-11. Chicago, Gentry 3-43, Payton 3-20, Boso 3-19, Morris 2-47, Gault 1-44, MacKinnon 1-16, Suhey 1-6, Sanders 1-2.
MISSED FIELD GOALS—Chicago, Butler 48.

Houston	**0**	**3**	**0**	**7—10**
Denver	**14**	**10**	**3**	**7—34**

First Quarter
Den—Lang 1 run (Karlis kick), 6:19
Den—Kay 27 pass from Elway (Karlis kick), 13:34

Second Quarter
Den—FG Karlis 43, 3:20
Hou—FG Zendejas 46, 9:03
Den—Kay 1 pass from Elway (Karlis kick), 13:08

Third Quarter
Den—FG Karlis 23, 2:29

Fourth Quarter
Hou—Givins 19 pass from Moon (Zendejas kick), 6:36
Den—Elway 3 run (Karlis kick), 10:33.
A—75,966.

	Hou	Den
First downs	20	19
Rushes-yards	26-73	29-61
Passing	264	255
Return Yards	2	90
Comp-Att-Int	24-43-2	14-25-1
Sacked-Yards Lost	0-0	1-4
Punts	3-45	2-46
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	0-0
Penalties-Yards	10-73	4-35
Time of Possession	32:33	27:27

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING—Houston, Rozier 9-25, Pinkett 6-20, Moon 5-15, Highsmith 5-13, Givins 1-0, Denver, Winder 13-46, Sewell 5-9, Elway 4-8, Bell 2-7, Kubiak 2-(minus 3), Lang 3-(minus 6).
PASSING—Houston, Moon 24-43-2-264. Denver, Elway 14-25-1-259.
RECEIVING—Houston, Givins 6-84, Hill 5-93, Duncan 4-32, Highsmith 4-20, Drewrey 2-17, Williams 1-7, Rozier 1-6, Pinkett 1-5. Denver, Johnson 4-105, Kay 3-57, Sewell 3-41, Lang 1-25, Boddie 1-15, Mobley 1-9, Nattiel 1-7.
MISSED FIELD GOALS—None.

NFL Playoff

National Football League Playoffs
Sunday, Jan. 3
NFC Wild Card
Minnesota 44, New Orleans 10
AFC Wild Card
Houston 23, Seattle 20, OT
Saturday, Jan. 9
AFC Divisional Playoffs
Cleveland 38, Indianapolis 21
NFC Divisional Playoffs
Minnesota 36, San Francisco 24
Sunday, Jan. 10
NFC Divisional Playoffs
Washington 21, Chicago 17
AFC Divisional Playoffs
Houston 34, Denver 10
Sunday, Jan. 17
AFC Championship
Cleveland vs. Denver, TBA
NFC Championship
Minnesota at Washington, TBA
Sunday, Jan. 31
Super Bowl
AFC champion vs. NFC champion at San Diego, 5 p.m.

Ski Report

DENVER — Conditions, areas on Sunday:
Arapahoe Basin — 6 new, 50 depth, powder, packed powder.
Aspen Highlands — 2 new, 35 depth, powder, packed powder.
Aspen Mountain — 2½ new, 43 depth, powder, packed powder.
Buttermilk — 1½ new, 34 depth, powder, packed powder.
Snowmass — ½ new, 39 depth, powder, packed powder.
Beaver Creek — 2 new, 49 depth, powder.
Breckenridge — 5 new, 43 depth, powder, packed powder.
Ski Broadmoor — Open, no report.
Conquistador — T new, 38 depth, powder, packed powder.
Ski Cooper — 2 new, 40 depth, powder, packed powder.
Copper Mountain — 4½ new, 45 depth, powder, packed powder.
Crested Butte — T new, 44 depth, packed powder.
Cuchara Valley — 0 new, 23 depth, packed powder.
Eldora — 2 new, 32 depth, packed powder.
Ski Estes Park — 2 new, 33 depth, powder, packed powder.
Keystone North Peak — 6 new, 48 depth, powder, packed powder.
Loveland — 4½ new, 47 depth, powder, packed powder.
Monarch — 6 new, 70 depth, powder, packed powder.
Powderhorn — T new, 45 depth, powder, packed powder.
Purgatory — 0 new, 46 depth, packed powder.
SilverCreek — 3 new, 53 depth, packed powder.
Steamboat — 10 new, 52 depth, powder, packed powder.
Sunlight — 6 new, 46 depth, powder, packed powder.
Telluride — 2 new, 44 depth, powder, packed powder.
Timberline — 6 new, 74 depth, powder.
Vail — 8 new, 49 depth, powder.
Winter Park — 4 new, 49 depth.

CBA

Continental Basketball Association

Eastern Division	W	L	GW	Pts
Albany	23	2	66½	135½
Savnnh	12	14	49	85
Miss	11	12	50	83
Topeka	11	11	45	78
Pensacola	10	16	48	78
Charleston	7	20	44	65
Western Division				
LaCrosse	15	6	52½	97½
Rockford	16	6	49	97
Wyoming	12	10	45	81
Quad-City	11	13	44½	77½
Rochester	8	17	46	70
Rapid City	7	14	32½	53½

NOTE: Each victory is worth three points, each quarter won during the game is worth one point and a quarter tied is worth ½ point.

Saturday's Games
Topeka 116, Charleston 111 (8, 1)
Rockford 118, Rapid City 112 (5, 2)
Rochester 125, Pensacola 98 (7, 0)
Albany 98, Savannah 94 (5, 2)
La Crosse 102, Quad-City 97 (5½, ½)
Sunday's Game
La Crosse 111, Pensacola 98 (6, 1)
Topeka 100, Charleston 98 (5, 2)

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Loose Ball

Washington's Rickey Sanders (83) misses pass from Quarterback Doug Williams as Bears' Maurice Douglass defends.

Scratchpad

JAPAN BOWL— Todd Santos, San Diego State, passed 39 yards for a fourth-quarter touchdown and his teammates harried opposing quarterbacks with a formidable rush as a team of **West** downed the **East** 17-3 in the Japan Bowl. Heisman Trophy winner **Tim Brown, Notre Dame,** caught one pass, for seven yards in the fourth quarter, as the East passers — under pressure — missed him on about half a dozen other tries.

"The difference in the game was their ability to rush our passers," East Coach **Lou Holtz** said. "We wanted to throw. I think we ran one play in the first half. We had good receivers, but we had a lot of pressure, all the time."

It was the West's 10th victory in 13 Japan Bowls. It also was the second victory in 10 days for Sherrill against Holtz. Texas A&M downed Notre Dame 35-10 in the Cotton Bowl on Jan. 1.

ANOTHER DEATH— The **Paris-Dakar** motor rally suffered its second fatality in two days Sunday when French co-driver **Patrick Canado,** 37, was killed shortly after the start of the 11th leg from Arlit to Agades. The death followed by 24 hours an accident that killed **Rees Van Loevezijn** of the Netherlands, co-driver of a DAF truck, and injured his teammates, driver Teo Van Rijt and mechanic Chris Ross. The DAF team leader subsequently withdrew both trucks from the rally....

SHRIVER WINS— Top-seeded **Pam Shriver** defeated **Helena Sukova** 6-2, 6-3 New South Wales Open tennis championships at White City, Aus.

NO REPRIEVE— The **NCAA's** order banning **Marist College** from postseason basketball play for two years has been upheld on appeal. The NCAA penalized Marist in September for "approximately 17 violations occurring from 1984 to 1986 related to the recruitment of foreign prospective student-athletes, the receipt of impermissible extra benefits after enrollment and false and misleading information reported during the investigation by an assistant coach and some team members."

BACK TO SQUARE 1— SMU AD **Doug Single** met today with university officials to decide what to do after **Colorado Coach Bill McCartney** said no. "This sets us back in time," said Single, who had planned to attend the NCAA convention beginning Monday in Nashville, Tenn., but said he has canceled the trip to resume the coaching search.

BOXING— Leo Gamez of Venezuela captured the newly created minimum-weight title of the **WBA** Sunday with a decision over **Kim Bong-jung** of South Korea.

Clements wins Spalding golf

CARMEL VALLEY, Calif. (AP) — Lennie Clements sank a 35-foot birdie putt on the first hole of a four-man playoff Sunday to win the $250,000 Spalding Invitational golf tournament on the Carmel Valley Ranch course.

Clements, a six-year veteran of the PGA tour, finished 72 holes of the non-tour event tied at 12-under-par 271 with Dan Pohl, Tim Norris and defending champion Ken Green.

Clements had a 1-under-par 69 Sunday. Pohl had two eagles and closed with a 64. Green had a 65 and Norris 68.

ON THE first playoff hole, Clements flew the pin with his approach shot and wound up on the back of the green, while Green went in a bunker. Norris and Pohl were on the green, 25 and 27 feet from the flag, respectively.

Green blasted out a foot from the cup on the par-4 hole before Clements, a 30-year-old from San Diego, made the putt which earned him the $50,000 first prize. Norris, who won the Spalding two years ago, and Pohl both missed their birdie attempts.

GREEN MADE THE playoff by making birdies on the last two holes of regulation. He put a 9-iron shot eight inches from the cup at No. 18.

Norris made a 12-foot birdie putt at the 18th and Pohl missed a 10-foot birdie attempt which would have given him the title. Pohl fell out of lead at No. 16 with a double-bogey 5.

Jan Stephenson, one of six women pros playing in the tournament, led after 54 holes and was in contention to win Sunday until late in the round. The LPGA star had a 71 and finished alone in fifth place at 272.

She took a bogey at the 16th hole. At the 18th, she missed a putt for a birdie which would sent her into the playoff.

The women in the tournament got distance advantages off the tees.

Lendl opens with win

MELBOURNE, Australia (AP) — Top-seeded Ivan L

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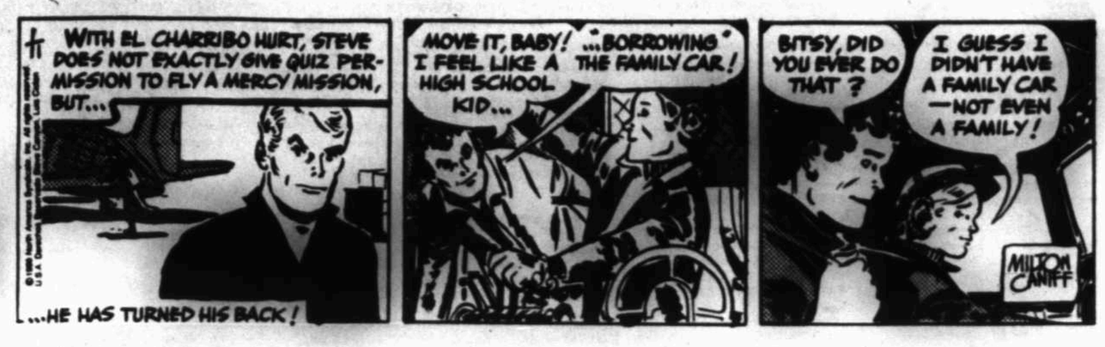

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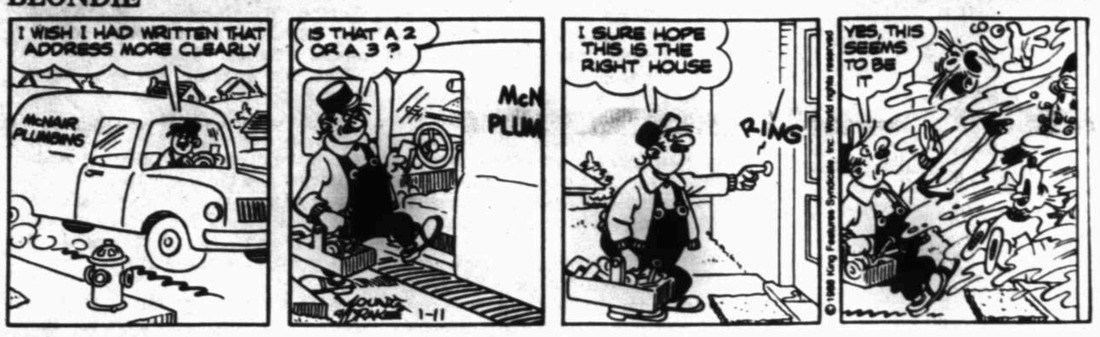

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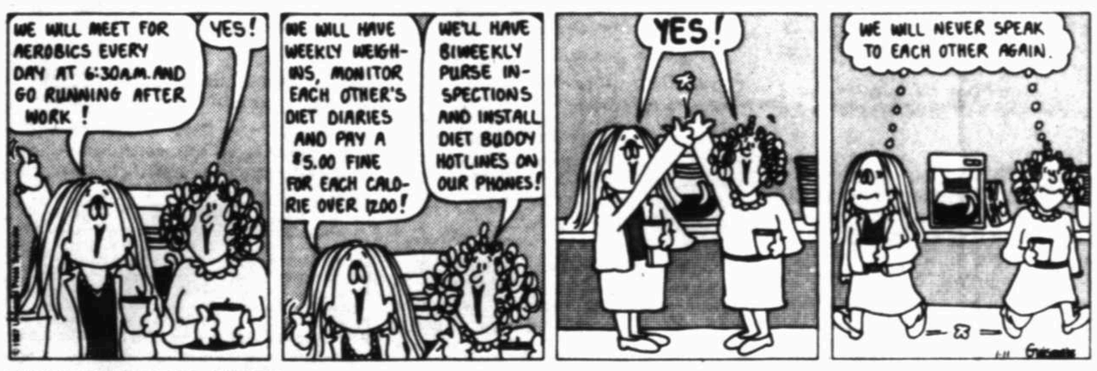

THE WIZARD OF ID

STEVE ROPER

JEANE DIXON'S *your horoscope*

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TUESDAY, JANUARY 12, 1988

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Business will almost take care of itself. You have gotten things so well organized that you can spend more time on a favorite hobby. A romantic relationship heats up. You could find yourself walking down the aisle this summer! Your income grows. Make sure that savings do, too. Children need your time and encouragement. Educational opportunities abound in fall. Use your contacts to get approval for an important public project.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: civil rights leader James Farmer, third baseman Bill Madlock, South Africa's Pieter Botha, author Jack London, boxer Joe Frazier, singer Tex Ritter, artist John Singer Sargent.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Watch your step today. Although you feel like you are beating your head against a stone wall, you will eventually prevail. The payoff will make all your efforts worthwhile. Romance soars!

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): It may be hard to compromise today. Partner is not going to budge an inch. Work on your other relationships and you will find new ways to make money. Give love a chance to grow.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Be a bit more aggressive in social situations and you will make progress in both business and romance. Family pressure is an annoyance. Something special — a happy surprise — develops on the job.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): A career opportunity arises when someone starts something they cannot finish. Good luck follows you everywhere this week! A phone call from a family member lifts your spirits. Share any good news.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Now is the time to unload real estate or stocks you no longer want. Romantic intrigue is something you enjoy, but may not fully understand.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Let your creative instincts guide you. A change of lifestyle or attitude gives you a golden opportunity to save money. A new tool or appliance can reduce time spent on dreary chores.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Confide your hopes and ambitions to someone who can help you realize them. Your secrets will be safe with this person. A clean-up program will help beautify your surroundings. Enlist family's help.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Renewing your friendship with a former classmate could result in new business. Encourage teenagers to air their views. Be generous to an older person who has personal problems.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Something you hear or read today will strike a responsive chord. Take advantage of a friend's offer to invest in a new business. Sharing your hopes and plans with mate brings you closer.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): A romantic encounter leaves you wanting an encore. Discuss any new obligations or opportunities with mate or business partner. Streamline your schedule to avoid feeling overloaded. Postpone a meeting until you have more data.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Find out exactly where you stand financially before making new investment. Adjust your schedule to accommodate a friend or associate. Variety will add to your enjoyment this evening.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Do not allow your imagination to run away with you. Be realistic when it comes to a career or financial choice.

GOREN BRIDGE

BY CHARLES GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF

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ANSWERS TO WEEKLY BRIDGE QUIZ

Q.1—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠AQJ63 ♡KQ5 ◇AQ ♣KJ5
The bidding has proceeded:

South	West	North	East
2 NT	Pass	3 ♣	Pass
3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠	Pass
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What action do you take?
A.—Thus far, you have told partner that you have a balanced hand of 22-24 points (or 21-22, depending on system) and at least four spades. Partner has said that, in that case, he expects your side to be able to make 10 tricks at a spade contract. Your fifth spade does not change that. Pass.

Q.2—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠AQJ954 ♡A6 ◇AQ ♣AQ5
The bidding has proceeded:

South	West	North	East
2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠	Pass
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What action do you take?
A.—Partner's jump to game over your demand bid has a very specific meaning. He is telling you that he has good trumps but no first or second-round control in any side suit. At best, therefore, slam may depend on two of three finesses; at worst, you will have no play. Pass.

Q.3—Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠AQ ♡KJ5 ◇KJ ♣K107642
What is your opening bid?
A.—Basically, you have a balanced 17-point hand with tenaces. Except for your six-card club suit, you would have a perfect one no trump opener. So pretend one of your clubs is a spade, and make that most descriptive bid.

Q.4—Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠AK6 ♡KJ872 ◇KJ643 ♣--
Partner opens the bidding with one club. What do you respond?
A.—You have a very good hand, but you have no idea, as yet, where the hand is going to be played. Therefore, this is not the hand for a jump shift, which should be made only when you have a self-sustaining suit or support for partner's suit. Respond one heart.

Q.5—Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠K105 ♡AKJ983 ◇-- ♣K873
The bidding has proceeded:

South	West	North	East
1 ♡	Pass	1 ♠	Pass
?			

What do you bid now?
A.—This is a very close decision. The trouble with a jump to three heats is that partner might pass on many hands where four spades is the right contract; or, you might miss a club slam when partner simply raises to four hearts. All in all, we would take our chances with a simple two-club rebid, to see how partner reacts.

Q.6—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠KQ105 ♡95 ◇AQJ3 ♣AJ8
The bidding has proceeded:

South	West	North	East
1 NT	2 ♡	Pass	Pass
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What action do you take?
A.—With such a solid no trump, you don't want to sell out to two hearts even though partner couldn't act voluntarily. Double. Sitting under the bid, that's for takeout. Whatever partner does will probably be right.

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THAT DAILY PUZZLER **SCRAM-LETS®** WORD GAME

Edited by CLAY R. POLLAN

1 Rearrange letters of the four scrambled words below to form four simple words

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NADCY

NUCLH

DALHRY

When mailing a package containing breakable objects, always label clearly: "Fragile. Please Throw ——!"

4 Complete the chuckle quoted by filling in the missing words you develop from step No. 3 below

2 PRINT NUMBERED LETTERS 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

3 UNSCRAMBLE FOR ANSWER

SCRAM-LETS ANSWERS

Jersey — Candy — Lunch — Hardy — UNDERHAND
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Evening TV Schedule

MONDAY JANUARY 11, 1988

	KMID (2) Mid/Od CABLE 3	KOSA (7) Odessa CABLE 8	KTPX (9) Odessa CABLE 9	KPEJ (24) Mid/Od CABLE 14	TBN Religious CABLE 4	WTBS Atlanta CABLE 7	SIN Spanish CABLE 10	WGN Chicago CABLE 11	ESPN Sports CABLE 12	KOCV (36) Odessa CABLE 13	HSE Sports CABLE 20
4:00	Facts/Life	H. Square	Sup. Court	Jetsons	Praise the	Munsters	Grecia	G.I. Joe	Highlights	Contact	"
4:30	J's Co.	The Judge	P. Court	DuckTales	Lord	Laverne	"	Jem	NFL Great	Sq. 1 TV	"
5:00	Family Ties	Divorce	News	Jeannie	Praise the	Alice	Chispita	Facts/Life	SportsLook	Sesame	Fletcher
5:30	ABC News	CBS News	NBC News	Hillbillies	Lord	Beaver	Noticiero	WKRP	Bill Dance	Street	Myers
6:00	News	News	Jeopardy!	Star Trek	Praise the	A. Griffith	La Dama	Cheers	SportsCtr.	Mr. Rogers	Scuba
6:30	Fortune	M*A*S*H	Win, Lose	"	Lord	Sanford	de Rosa	B. Miller	College	MacNeil/	Horse R.
7:00	MacGyver	Kate/Allie	ALF	Black	Scenes	Movie:	Quince-	Infinite	Basketball:	Lehrer	College
7:30	"	Frank's Pl.	V. Family	Sheep	M. Hickey	"The Be-	anera	Voyage	Syr. at Vill.	Vistas	Basketball:
8:00	Movie:	Newhart	Movie:	Movie:	L. Tripp	guiled"	La Indomable	Little	"	Continent	Texas Tech
8:30	"Evil in	Des.	"Freedom	"Marilyn:	N Lindsey	"		House	College	"	at Houston
9:00	Clear	Wiseguy	Fighter"	The Untold	Praise the	Movie:	Noticiero	News	Basketball:	Last Rights	Lacrosse:
9:30	River"	"	"	Story"	Lord	"Gambit"	"Historia	INN News	Ind. at	"	Phil. at
10:00	News	News	News	A. Griffith	Praise the	"	de una	Soap	N.W.	Conserving	Wash.
10:30	Entertain.	WKRP	Tonight	Hawaii	Lord	"	Mala Mu-	Magnum,	SportsCtr.	America	"
11:00	Nightline	Hunter	Show	Five-O	In Touch	"	jer"	P.I.	Calgary	Psychology	Skiing: Pro
11:30	Love Con.	"	David Let-	Mission Im-	"	National	El Mundo	Movie: "A	Ski World	This Old H.	Tour
12:00	News	"Deadly En-	terman	possible	Scenes	Geographic	Rina	Little Night	Skiing		
12:30	CNN News	counter"	News		Dino	Explorer	"	Music"	Truck		

	SHOWTIME Mov/Spec CABLE 5	TMC Movies CABLE 17	DISNEY CABLE 18	MAX Movies CABLE 21	HBO Movies/Var. CABLE 22	TNN Country CABLE 23	USA Variety CABLE 24	NICK Children CABLE 25	A&E- Cultural CABLE 26	SPN CABLE 27	CBN Family CABLE 31
4:00	Great Ad-	"Gorky	Kids Inc.	dress Unk-	Survival:	"	Dance	Monkees	Love and	June Cain	Big Valley
4:30	Herself	Park"	Oak Street	nown"	Sharks	New Ctry.	Party USA	Rocks	Money	Miller	"
5:00	Getting	"	"Dot and	Movie:	Rainbow	Crook	Cartoons	Finders	Golden Age	Movie: "Al-	Crazy Like
5:30	Even	"	the Whale"	"Young	Brite and	Videocntry	"	Dennis	Associates	giers"	a Fox
6:00	Faerie Tale	Movie:	DTV	Man with a	the Star	Be a Star	Airwolf	Can't/TV	Journey	"	Remington
6:30	Theatre	"King	Frostys	Horn"	Fraggle	Fandango	"	Dbl. Dare	Survival	"	Steele
7:00	Movie:	Kong	Wilderness	Movie:	Dorothy	Nashville	Riptide	Car 54	Australia	The Sulli-	Father Mur-
7:30	"Witness"	Lives"	Bound	"Over the	Hamill	Now	"	Mister Ed	"	vans	phy
8:00	"	"Play It	Movie:	Top"	Movie:	"	College	My 3 Sons	Movie:	The Sulli-	700 Club
8:30	"	Again,	"Yankee	R. Orbison	"Under	New Ctry.	Basketball	D. Reed	"Picnic at	vans	"
9:00	Movie:	Sam"	Doodle	"	Fire"	Crook	"	Laugh In	Hanging	Broadway	
9:30	"Maximum	Movie:	Dandy"	Movie:	"	Videocntry	"	Monkees	Rock"	J Fontaine	
10:00	Overdrive"	"Death	Gazie	"Red	"	Be a Star	Airwolf	Susie	"	Classic Co-	Remington
10:30	Movie:	Wish 3"	"Down Ar-	Dawn"	Movie:	Nashville	"	I Spy	At Improv	medies	Steele
11:00	"Com-	Movie:	gentine	"	"Shadow"	Now	Dragnet	"	Australia	Daze	B. & Allen
11:30	promising	"Gorky	Way"	Movie:	"	"	Edge-Nite	Car 54	"	"	Josh Bonny
12:00	Positions"	Park"	"From Hell	"Gorky	"	New Ctry.	Search for	Mister Ed	Hanging	The Sulli-	Groucho
12:30	Laughs	"	to Texas"	Park"	House of	Tenderfoot	Discover	D. Reed	Rock	vans	Laurel

PEOPLE

Taylor: Loneliness, low self-esteem led to overeating, heavy drinking

NEW YORK (AP) — A trimmed-down **Elizabeth Taylor** says loneliness and low self-esteem led to the heavy drinking and overeating that destroyed her figure.

"The large amounts of food I ate were a substitute for everything I felt was lacking in my life," the 55-year old actress said in an excerpt from her autobiography "Elizabeth Takes Off" published in this week's People magazine.

Taylor, who shed nearly a third of her weight since peaking at 180 pounds in 1982, says overeating became a problem when she found too much idle time on her hands in the 1970s, during her marriage to U.S. Sen. **John Warner** of Virginia.

"But what was really starving was my self esteem, and all the food in the world couldn't bolster it," wrote Taylor, who got treatment for alcohol and drug abuse at the Betty Ford Center in 1982.

Taylor's fitness regimen included plenty of exercise and a diet limited to about 1,000 calories a day. Among her dieting tips: keep a picture of yourself on the refrigerator door.

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SUNDANCE, Utah (AP) — **Robert Redford** has accepted an invitation from the Soviet Filmmakers Union to hold a festival of his movies in Moscow this spring.

"It's really quite an unprecedented invitation, and the details are quite complex," said Gary Beer, executive vice president of Redford's Sundance Institute.

Redford

Redford will screen and discuss six to eight of his films, probably in May, Beer said Saturday. The films have not been chosen, Beer said.

The festival is being planned in cooperation with the U.S. Information Agency and the American and Soviet Embassies, Beer said.

Redford's latest movie, "The Milagro Beanfield War," is scheduled for national release in March.

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UNION CITY, N.J. (AP) — Pop singer **Madonna** is enchanting some here where she is filming a PBS-TV movie with **Matt Dillon.**

"I saw Madonna's hair just for a second," said Mariana Guerre, who works in a diner in a building where a scene of the movie "Bloodhounds of Broadway" was filmed.

Madonna

Madonna plays a 1920s showgirl in the movie, which is based on short stories by journalist **Damon Runyon.**

Producers trying to capture the feel of 1928 New York City turned to locations in Union City and Newark, said publicist Lore Lawrence.

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ARIPEKA, Fla. (AP) — Former beauty queen **Anita Bryant** has ended a decade-long hiatus from show business.

Miss Bryant, who was dropped as a spokeswoman for Florida orange juice after she spoke out against gay-rights legislation, has a new album, a February date to host "The 700 Club" religious television show and local singing engagements.

"At first, I did some garden clubs, and everyone there was over 75, and that really crushed my ego," she said Saturday night before a show at the Elks Lodge of Aripeka.

"If you do your best at what you do, then that's enough," she said.

At concerts, she sells her album, "Anita With Love," which includes gospel songs and music from the 1930s and '40s.

Miss Bryant was a runner-up in the 1959 Miss America competition.

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NEW YORK (AP) — Actor **Steve Fowler** roller-skated off the stage of "Starlight Express" and returned to the boards to marry his high-school sweetheart.

Fowler's marriage to **Loretta Giles** at the Gershwin Theater came after the Sunday matinee of the Broadway musical. The audience was invited to stay for the wedding.

The bride wore white and the bridegroom had on roller skates and armor.

After the performance, Fowler skated away to remove the makeup he wears as Poppa the steam train. The cast skated back on stage, forming a semicircle, and Fowler returned for the vows.

His father, the Rev. John O. Fowler of White Rock Baptist Church in Mount Vernon, conducted the 20-minute ceremony.

The couple, who had dated as teen-agers then married and divorced others, met last summer for the first time since high school.

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LOS ANGELES (AP) — **Jim and Tammy Bakker** are considering doing an Ann Landers-type marriage counseling television show and dream of building a new Heritage U.S.A. religious theme park on the West Coast, Bakker said Sunday.

The former leader of the PTL television ministry, speaking by telephone from the couple's rented desert home, said he and his wife were pondering a television show offer by a major syndication firm he declined to name.

"Next week producers of one of the biggest production companies are coming here to make an offer to us," Bakker said. "They are talking to us about a new format. I'm not sure what it is.

"It's a talk show, but with a little different flair, maybe like an Ann Landers, (with viewers) asking us marriage questions, like how we survived over the past year and put our marriage back together in the past year."

The Bakkers quit the PTL ministry amid reports that he had an affair with a church secretary, Jessica Hahn. The Bakkers are now living in the desert community of Palm Springs, 110 east of Los Angeles.

Bakker said another group of supporters were trying to coax them back on the air in Palm Springs with a religious talk and entertainment show similar to the one they did for PTL.

Newsweek reported in its new edition that the Bakkers had agreed tentatively to broadcast a late-night religious talk and entertainment show through an NBC affiliate in Palm Springs via satellite to stations in Detroit, Atlanta, the Carolinas and other markets they once played.

But Bakker said no deals had been agreed on.

"We're just entertaining ideas right now. We're not sure what we're going to do. This is just an exploratory thing," he said.

But Bakker said they dreamed of building another Heritage U.S.A., the sprawling religious theme park they founded near Fort Mills, S.C., that features a church, hotel, mall and family recreational activities such as water slides.

"That's my desire," he said. "That's my dream. Perhaps on the West Coast, this time."

DAILY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Edited by Trude Michel Jaffe

ACROSS
1 African fox
5 Carriage, in India
10 Those not in power
14 Headliner
15 Heavenly hunter
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17 Chummy
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20 Formally place in office
21 Flattered
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24 Enumerate
26 Klutz
27 London's Big —
28 Fencer's weapon
30 Ancient greeting
33 Mediterranean ruler
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38 Less humid
40 Theme
42 Unlock, poetically
43 Tough fiber
44 Highway haven
45 Currency in Como
47 Pulitzer Prize correspondent: 1944
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51 Ayr negative
53 Transvaal trekker
55 Sting
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60 Barnstormer
63 A Roosevelt
65 Sneaky ones
66 Haphazardly
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70 Computer fodder
71 Former Turkish officials
72 Dough raiser
73 Scrutinized

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1 Easy —
2 "The Man" and namesakes
3 Latin beat
4 Formerly, formerly
5 Tug's rope
6 Certain examinations
7 Zero
8 Oh my goodness!
9 Whoever
10 Basketry willow
11 Higher we go, little one
12 Distant: Prefix
13 Acorn, e.g.
18 Nutmeg State university
22 Requirements
25 Bowler's target
27 Camembert's cousin
29 Equal
31 Dinner selection
32 A Gardner
33 Flaubert heroine
34 Secure a ship
35 Teeny-weeny
37 Ingenue, e.g.
39 Ready
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46 Therapist of a sort
50 Lethargic
52 Word of approval
54 Refuges
56 Early Britons
57 Mosaic, for example
58 Actor Nick
59 Wood nymph
60 Part of UAR
61 Weathercock
62 Liturgy
64 Acolyte
67 Pasture

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE:

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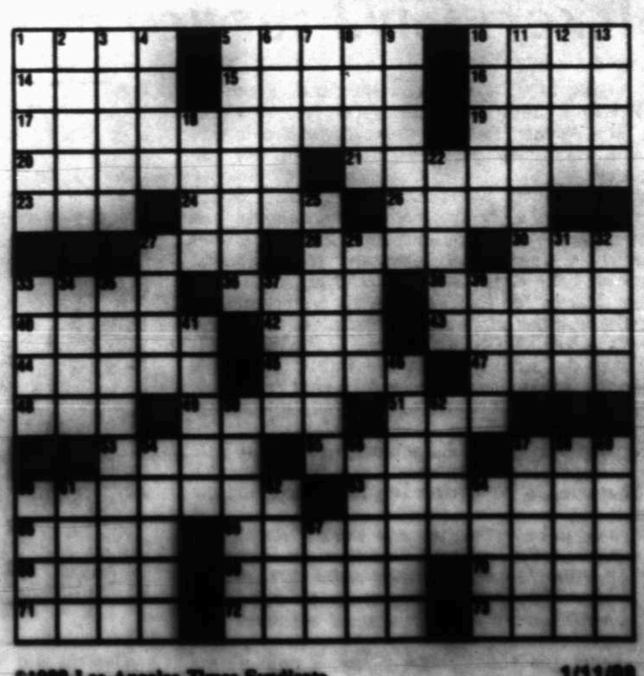

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Saudis initiate discount pricing

From Staff and Wire Reports

Posted prices in the Permian Basin could take another tumble as a result of Saudi Arabia's announced intention this week to institute crude oil price discounts.

Losing patience with price discounting by other members of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries, Saudi Arabia has introduced a discount plan to insure it will hold on to its major American customers, a respected trade journal and industry experts said.

The Middle East Economic Survey, a weekly based in Nicosia, Cyprus, said that Saudi Arabia, the world's largest exporter of oil, was allowing American companies to pay the prevailing market price, which is about $2 a barrel below the official OPEC price, while billing at the official $18 price.

The move is significant because it emphasizes that Saudi Arabia is no longer willing to keep oil prices higher at the expense of its own sales, a practice it has followed since 1982. It also is indicative of the economic malaise of the Saudis, who are running an annual deficit of $15 billion and are drawing on a shrinking currency reserve of about $60 billion. Only last week the Saudis canceled plans for revenue-raising income taxes on foreigners after a vigorous protest.

"It looks like it is turning into a price war as well as a volume war," said Harry Spannaus, executive vice president Permian Basin Petroleum Association. "First they (OPEC members) cheat on volume, then they cheat on price. It can't help but have an effect on posted prices here in the Permian Basin, and will probably drive them down again."

Said Bill Kleine, president Permian Corp., the largest purchaser of crude oil in the Permian Basin: "If they really go ahead to discount prices, it will come home to us. It is bad news for the Permian Basin because it will weaken oil prices."

However, four United States oil companies that once ran the Saudi oil industry under the umbrella of the Aramco Oil Co. — Exxon, Mobil, Texaco and Chevron — are benefiting from the discount plan. Japanese companies and other buyers are pressing for it to be applied to them as well, the Middle East newsletter said.

The journal said in its Monday issue that it understood that "the Aramco majors, though invoiced on the basis of official prices, have in fact for some time been making actual payments on a market price basis with final settlement deferred until a later date." It added that a substantial number of Saudi customers were making it clear that they would not buy any oil at all at official prices.

The newsletter said that two major Japanese buyers of Saudi crude had reduced their purchases to 40 percent of their volume last year to put pressure on the Saudis to extend similar discounts to them.

The Saudis have given repeated signals that they were prepared to make discounting deals. Many United States and Arab oil industry analysts viewed it as inevitable because Saudi Arabia cannot produce and sell its full OPEC quota of 4.3 million barrels a day if buyers go elsewhere for cheaper oil.

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CRUDE OIL

SPOT MARKET

W.T. INTERMEDIATE

- Friday's Quote $17.30
- Previous Quote $17.40
- One Year Ago $18.75

W.T. SOUR

- Friday's Quote $16.07
- Previous Quote $16.20
- One Year Ago $18.15

SOURCE: NYMEX

POSTED PRICE

- Last Week $16.50
- Previous Week $16.50
- One Year Ago $16.50

OPEC output down sharply in December

PARIS (AP) — OPEC oil production in December fell to the lowest level since last summer, mainly because of cutbacks by one of the cartel's overproducers, the International Energy Agency said Sunday.

The 13-member Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries pumped an estimated 18.3 million barrels of oil daily last month, compared with 19 million barrels a day in November, the agency said.

December's level was well above the cartel's self-imposed production ceiling of 15.06 million barrels a day, even after substracting the estimated 2.5 million barrels a day pumped by Iraq, which is a cartel member but has not signed OPEC's production agreement.

Last month's production rate was the lowest since the 18.2 million barrels pumped daily last July.

The agency, which monitors energy markets for its 21 member governments, said oil production by the United Arab Emirates fell last month by 400,000 barrels a day, to 1.5 million barrels daily, although that still was more than 50 percent above its OPEC-decreed quota.

Despite the fall in OPEC production, industry analysts said they saw little chance the cartel would succeed in holding its output low enough to prever* a further modest drop in oil prices.

Paul McDonald, an independent oil consultant based in London, said OPEC members probably could not lower output to 16.5 million barrels a day or less. He said the reduction was needed to prevent a price decline by spring.

The agency also said it had underestimated oil consumption, particularly by Third World countries, and contended the global oil glut of recent years was smaller than reported.

As a result, the agency predicted oil consumption for the first three months of this year at 1.3 million barrels a day higher than its previous forecast, which was issued last month.

IEA officials and some private analysts said the higher estimate of demand for this quarter was not significant for OPEC because it represents a statistical correction by the agency rather than an actual rise in demand.

"We just got ourselves a new pair of binoculars with a better focus," said Marcel Kramer, an IEA official. "It's a technical adjustment."

The agency has not changed its estimate for the growth of oil demand in 1988, which remains at 1 percent, compared with 1.5 percent for 1987.

BUSINESS GLANCE

MARKETS

Dollar falls back amid stock jitters

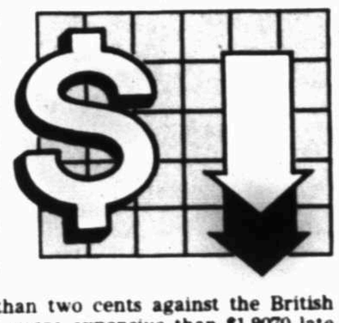
LONDON (AP) — The dollar fell against most major currencies in early European trading today, shedding last week's gains amid renewed stock market jitters. Gold prices rose.

The London stock market opened sharply lower but recovered some ground in later trading following Wall Street's plunge last Friday.

In Tokyo, the dollar fell against the yen, ending a four-day climb, while the stock market was also hit. The Nikkei Stock Average of 225 selected issues lost 294.13 points, closing at 22,578.43.

The dollar closed at 128.50 yen, down 0.95 yen from last Friday's close. Later in London, the dollar kept falling and was quoted at 127.80 yen.

"The combination of the loss on Wall Street and the statement last week by American economist Alan Sinai that the dollar could reach the 115-yen level this year contributed to the fall," said Hiraki Abe of the Bank of Tokyo.



Other dollar rates at mid-morning, compared with late Friday:

—1.6315 West German marks, down from 1.6500

—1.3315 Swiss francs, down from 1.3495

—5.5090 French francs, down from 5.5725

—1.8404 Dutch guilders, down from 1.8575

—1,204.00 Italian lire, down from 1,214.75

—1.2880 Canadian dollars, up from 1.2852.

In London, the dollar fell more than two cents against the British pound, which was quoted at $1.8275, more expensive than $1.8070 late Friday.

Gold opened in London at a bid price of $485.45 a troy ounce, compared with late Friday's $482.50. At mid-morning today, the city's five major bullion dealers fixed a recommended price of $485.30.

In Zurich, the noon bid price was $485.60, up from $483.50 late Friday.

Earlier, in Hong Kong, gold closed at $486.16 bid, up $1.05 from Saturday.

Silver was quoted in London today at a bid price of $7.01 a troy ounce, compared with late Friday's $6.91.

Good job news bad news for Dow

NEW YORK (AP) — The stock market nose-dived Friday, swept sharply lower late in the trading session on a tidal wave of frenzied selling.

Investors' worries about the economy and the possibility of stricter regulation of the financial markets pushed the Dow Jones average of 30 industrials well below the key 2,000-point level. The precipitous drop snapped a four-day advance on Wall Street that had kicked off the new year.

The blue-chip Dow Jones barometer plunged 140.58 points or 6.9 percent to close at 1,911.31, its third-biggest one-day drop. Declining issues out-stripped advances by about 7-to-1 on the New York Stock Exchange, with 1,473 issues falling, a scant 229 rising and 236 unchanged.

Volume on the Big Board was 197.30 million shares, up from 175.36 million in Thursday's session and apparently undampened by the snowy weather in New York City.

Analysts said the government's report early in the day that civilian unemployment dropped to 5.8 percent in December, its lowest rate since July 1979, was viewed as an indication of a resilient economy. That fueled concern, they said, that the Federal Reserve could tighten credit and nudge interest rates higher to ward off inflationary pressures.

"It's a case of where good news is bad news," said Michael Metz, an analyst for Oppenheimer & Co.

BUSINESS IN BRIEF

Kuwaitis not interested in controlling BP

LONDON (AP) — The British government says it has received assurances that Kuwait has no ambition to control British Petroleum Co. PLC and doesn't intend to press for any management role in the giant oil company.

In recent months, Kuwait, through its London-based investment vehicle, the Kuwait Investment Office, has built up a stake of at least 18.35 percent in BP. Kuwait assured the British Treasury that the "holding in the company is intended as a long term investment," the Treasury said Friday.

No new retailing trends expected for '88

NEW YORK (AP) — With a difficult Christmas season behind them, neither retailers nor Wall Street analysts expect the new year to bring any new trends, at least not right away.

Analysts said they were expecting a slowdown in retail sales in the first half, with a pickup later in the year.

That cautious outlook and the lessons of 1987 have prompted retailers to keep cost-cutting strategies in place to guard against any slippage in sales.

Reagan said to back 'Superfund' build up

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan's emerging $1.1 trillion budget will advocate a full-scale build-up of the environmental "Superfund" program to "avoid an election-year controversy," confidential budget documents show.

The proposed budget for fiscal 1989, while recycling some of the same domestic spending cuts that are perennial adminstration favorites, also contains assorted proposed increases that appeared designed to win political favor, the documents suggested.

These include increases for AIDS research, the space program and the air traffic control system.

Education, budgets top states' agendas

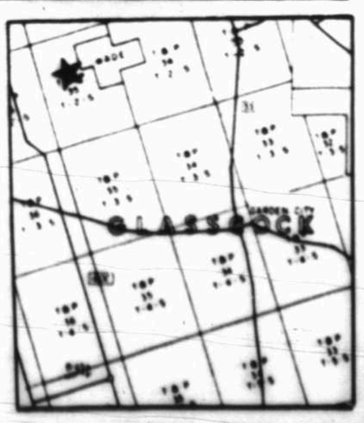
DENVER (AP) — Education financing and budget policy lead off most states' fiscal agendas for 1988, a change from last year when states focused on responding to federal tax reform, according to a National Conference of State Legislatures survey.

The Denver-based group also released on Friday the results of a second survey on economic development that showed creation of jobs and encouraging business growth were the two chief goals of the 33 states that responded.

COMING TUESDAY

Fusselman find

Union Texas Petroleum Corp. has recorded a strong Fusselman discovery in Glasscock County, southeast of the Gordon Street field. Read about it and other area activity in Tuesday's Business section.



UT expects big things of Sematech

AUSTIN (AP) — University of Texas officials are counting the benefits they expect the school to reap when it begins working with researchers from Sematech, the computer-chip consortium that will be locating here.

The university was cited by Sematech officials as a major reason for chosing Texas over 11 states that competed for the high-tech prize.

"We are tickled pink about Sematech. We're just absolutely delighted. It's a real coup," said Alan Cowley, a UT chemistry professor. "This is a major step forward in establishing the credibility of the Austin area and the university."

Sematech will work to develop and test advanced manufacturing processes, materials and equipment for the U.S. semiconductor industry. It will transfer the technology to member companies for commercial application.

UT administrators and faculty say advances by UT in the past decade will allow the school to make a major contribution to the consortium's effort.

The relationship is expected to offer opportunities for consulting work to UT faculty; for Sematech researchers to teach at UT as adjunct professors; for graduate students to work at the consortium and for people from both institutions to participate in joint seminars.

"The university has built up its programs in the past decade and has hired a lot of outstanding faculty," said Ben Streetman, a professor of electrical and computer engineering.

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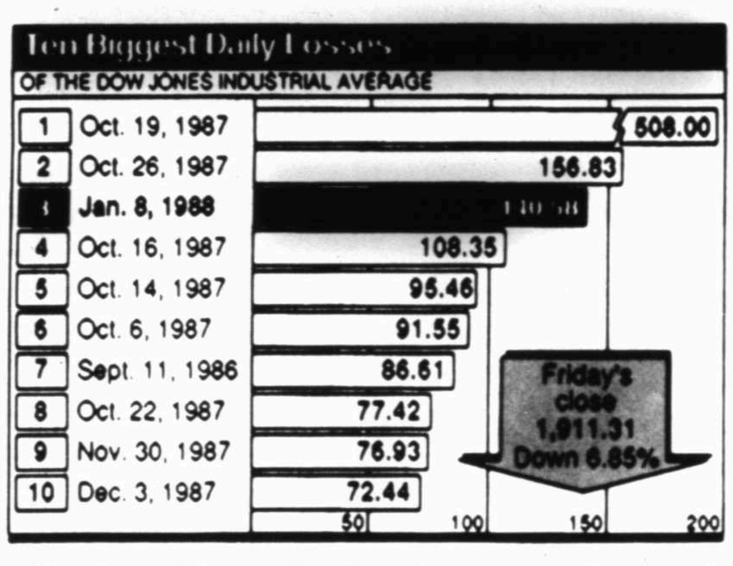
Brady panel report spotlights frailty of U.S. market system's backbone

By JAMES STERNGOLD
New York Times News Service

NEW YORK — One of the most startling features of the report by the presidential panel on the stock market crash is its conclusion that several major systems that had been expected to protect the market or keep it in balance instead contributed to its near disintegration last October.

There is already a debate over the recommendations made by the Presidential Task Fore on Market Mechanisms. However, the report's anatomy of how the market system nearly collapsed may lend to its overall conclusion that some mechanism must be put in place to enforce closer coordination between the markets.

So provocative are the report's depictions of the series of failures that contributed to the crash, some now believe, that major changes may become more likely once Congress and senior officials of the securities industry focus on how frail the financial backbone of the market system proved.



The release of the presidential panel's report on the largest single day crash in market history helped to fuel the third largest point drop on record — 140 points.

"There was almost a silence that fell over the scene when we just looked at the facts of what happened," said Howard M. Stein, a member of the presidential panel and chairman of the Dreyfus Corp., a mutual fund company. "We had no disagreements once we just looked at those facts. I think the report will galvanize people once they take some time to read what really happened."

Given the extent of the breakdown as described, Rep. John D. Dingell, chairman of the Energy and Commerce Committee, said Sunday of the report's proposals, "I think if there's a criticism, it is that it really is too mild."

The report said that one major contributor to the market's collapse was a breakdown in the ability to engage in a complex strqtegy known as program trading, a means of simultaneously trading in the stock market and in stock index futures contracts in order to profit from price discrepancies between the two markets. Even one of the steps taken by the Big Board to quell the crisis was counterproductive, the report said.

How perilously close the system came to collapse comes through in nearly all sections of the report, as they describe in detail the way the financial structure teetered, to be saved only by ad hoc action by the Federal Reserve and other informal actions, such as the annoncements by dozens of corporations that they would buy their own stock.

"As the rate of decline accelerated on Oct. 19, the efficiency with which the equity market functioned deteriorated markedly," the report said. "By late afternoon of Oct. 19, market makers on the major stock exchanges appear to have largely abandoned serious attempts to stem the downward movement in prices."

In its report, the panel headed by Nichols F. Brady, an investment banker and former Republican senator, said that one of the first systemic breakdowns occurred even before the stock market opened on the morning of Monday, Oct. 19.

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Volcker: Civil service needs upgrade

NEW YORK (AP) — Government faces a quietly growing crisis in the ranks of the civil service, says Paul Volcker, the former Federal Reserve chairman who heads a blue-ribbon private commission on the bureaucracy.

Agencies such as the National Aeronautics and Space Administration are suffering from low morale, the loss of talented people and problems recruiting good ones to replace them, Volcker said in an interview this week.

Volcker said the commission is weighing ideas such as raising salaries for high-ranking civil servants and limiting the number of political appointees to federal agencies, Volcker said in an interview Wednesday.

The National Commission on the Public Service is scheduled to have its proposals ready a year from now to present to the new Congress and administration, Volcker said.

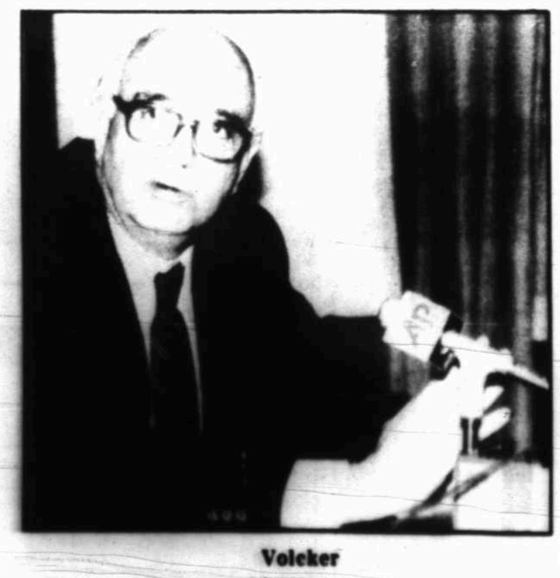
Volcker said only one of 365 seniors surveyed at Yale University expressed an interest in a public service career. That one, he joked, probably misunderstood the question.

"NASA used to be a great place to work if you were a young physicist," Volcker said. The first generation is leaving, and "there's no second generation of the same competence coming along," he said.

"I think they have a real problem of turnover and morale there," Volcker said.

Volcker said his views were personal impressions that did not necessarily reflect the views of the commission or any in-depth investigation of NASA.

NASA spokesman David Garrett commented, "I assume like everybody else we have had problems keeping better-qualified people."



Volcker

Garrett said NASA is interested in obtaining a special exemption from civil service pay rules to pay extra to certain scientists and engineers, as the Navy is doing in a pilot program.

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Hunts sell 580 horses

LEXINGTON, Ky. (AP) — Total sales worth more than $48.9 million over two days made the Nelson Bunker Hunt Dispersal at Keeneland the largest dispersal ever in dollar terms.

A total of 580 thoroughbreds were sold Saturday and Sunday for an average of $80,882 per horse.

The Hunt dispersal topped 1985's Newstead Trust dispersal at Fasig-Tipton Kentucky, which totaled $37.1 million for 42 broodmares and weanlings.

The Hunt dispersal's top price of $2.5 million was paid Sunday for Sangue, a 10-year-old broodmare in foal to Alydar.

Sangue, an Irish-bred by Lyphard out of Prodice, was bought by Robert Smith of Hermonwood Farm in Upperville, Va.

The second-highest price of the day was $1.5 million for Water Lily, a 12-year-old mare by Riverman out of First Bloom.

Panic to blame in Continental's fall

By DAVID DISHNEAU
Associated Press Writer

CHICAGO — Banking is a people business, James P. McCollom repeatedly tells readers in his new book about the near-failure of the Continental Illinois Bank. And people make mistakes.

McCollom's retrospective, "The Continental Affair: The Rise & Fall of the Continental Bank," published by Dodd, Mead & Co., makes the blunders on the part of bank officers seem myriad as they tried to stem the historic 1984 run on deposits.

But McCollom said in a recent interview there were no villains in the story, although the book highlights the news media's role in the disaster.

"There were no bad guys; there were just bad ideas," McCollom said of the bank's officers.

There would have been no collapse of the country's seventh largest bank, no need for a $4.5 billion federal bailout, if people were as predictable as numbers, McCollom suggested.

"The Continental Bank was a first-rate international bank. There was no reason it shouldn't have kept on being a first-rate international bank," said the 51-year-old former Continental lending officer and manager who left in 1981.

Continental spokeswoman Nora Donovan declined to comment on the book.

Continental Illinois, founded in 1857, shook off its longtime reputation as a conservative Midwestern bank in the 1970s when it launched an aggressive international expansion program to attract foreign deposits.

The bank's explosive growth brought it 13 consecutive years of record earnings from 1969 through 1981. But the foreign deposits proved to be a weakness in 1984, when rumors that Continental was deeply troubled sparked a $20 billion international run that depleted more than half of its deposits and forced the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. to rescue the bank from failure.

McCollom's book follows the men who ran Continental from the wildly successful international expansion period through their 1982 shock at learning the bank's energy lending unit had lent more than $1 billion to the failed Penn Square Bank of Oklahoma City.

The book ends with the virtual federal takeover after rumors about the bank's health prompted news stories that were circulated around the world.

"Nobody who followed the event thinks the press was solely responsible," McCollom said. "But everyone acknowledges it could not have happened without the electronic press."

AP LaserPhoto

Author James McCollom tells readers of The Continental Affair that personal errors played a large part in "the biggest financial crisis since the Depression."

Bankers and their large depositors frequently make financial decisions based on wire-service reports that can be transmitted globally in seconds and which banks can see through their computer systems, McCollom writes.

The bad loans to Penn Square, which resulted in a Continental operating loss of nearly $61 million in the second quarter of 1982, were more embarrassing than crippling, McCollom said.

"Relative to the Continental's size, it had been a manageable loss, and the bank went on to make a profit for the whole year, 1982, and again for 1983," he writes.

But heavy media coverage linking Continental to the failed Oklahoma bank created public suspicion that the Chicago institution was in trouble, too.

The notion persisted despite a lack of evidence, McCollom said. He traces the final, fatal rumor to a May 6, 1984, television broadcast of "The McLaughlin Group."

Just before the televised discussion of U.S. monetary policy ended, commentator Robert Novak predicted the Federal Reserve Board would not relax its tight money policy until a major bank failed.

"The only thing that's going to get (Fed Chairman Paul) Volcker to loosen up would be a bank failure — maybe something like the Continental Illinois in Chicago — or one of those South American countries failing," McCollom quotes Novak as saying.

McCollom speculates Novak's offhand comment was misconstrued by some people in the financial industry to mean Continental was on the brink of failure.

McCollom says a Reuters news service reporter — who is never named in the book — apparently heard that rumor, called the bank for comment, and was told by a Continental official that the story was "totally preposterous."

According to McCollom, Reuters moved a brief story on May 8, 1984, saying rumors were circulating that Continental Illinois was near bankruptcy and that the bank had denied the rumors.

Reuters spokesman Robert Crooke said McCollom's account was based on the author's opinions. He declined further comment.

Other news organizations picked up on the story and translated it for foreign wires read by Continental depositors all over the world, McCollom says.

"By the close of business that Wednesday, the Continental Bank had lost a billion dollars in deposits," he writes.

The run had begun. By the end of the week, the bank had lost $3.6 billion in deposits.

By July 26, 1984, when the FDIC announced its $4.5 billion bailout plan, Continental had lost $20 billion in deposits, or more than half its deposits.

The Continental's officers tried desperately to stop the run, first by issuing statements denying the bank was in trouble and later by securing a $4.5 billion line of credit from 16 other banks and publicizing the agreement as proof of the Continental's strength.

But each denial of impending failure spurred new rounds of heavier withdrawals.

"This was the biggest financial crisis since the Depression," McCollom writes.

With federal help, Continental has turned around, posting a $60.1 million profit in the third quarter of this year.

But the FDIC remains the bank's largest shareholder, with title to or options on the equivalent of nearly 150 million shares — about 75 percent of Continental's common stock.

Money managers bet on more market volatility

BUSINESS MIRROR

NEW YORK (AP) — Some smart people are figuring out a way to make money from fluctuations in the stock, bond and currency markets without having any idea which way prices are going.

Instead of betting on rising prices by buying, or betting on falling prices by selling short, the money managers are betting that prices will do a lot of both — that is, fluctuate wildly.

Big swings in prices of stocks, bonds or the dollar expose investors to high risk, but money managers can reduce that risk by hedging, or taking offsetting investment positions.

Money managers will hedge more thoroughly when they expect a period of large fluctuations and less thoroughly when they think the markets are calming down.

Hedging is a strategy that dates back centuries, to the days when farmers began selling their wheat or corn to dealers before it was harvested in order to lock in a price and protect themselves from risk.

What's new in recent years is an advance in the mathematical field of non-linear dynamics that is beginning to make it possible to predict the degree of volatility in a market based on its past behavior.

The mathematical analysts, or "quants," believe financial markets are affected by the same sorts of strangely behaving, non-linear equations that influence ice ages, epidemics and the shape of clouds.

The analysts are convinced the equations exist, but they can only make a rough guess as to what the terms of them are. But that is better than nothing, especially on Wall Street.

Since hedging costs money, it makes sense to provide just enough of it to give a client the amount of protection from risk that he or she desires.

Someone who can roughly predict periods of high volatility will be able to calibrate the proper amount of hedging better than someone who is just guessing. And that edge means profit.

James Kaplan, who runs a Boston-based money-management firm that bears his name, is one of the practitioners of the new art. Not coincidentally, he spent 15 years as a math professor at Northwestern and Boston universities.

He said he has dabbled with hedging strategies based on mathematical predictions of volatility using a "small amount" of his firm's own money.

"So far it's working. It's able to produce a positive return with a negligible risk," Kaplan said.

Goldman Sachs & Co. is also dabbling in the field with the help of Jose Scheinkman, who is on a year's leave from the University of Chicago to work at the techie Wall Street firm.

The 508-point plunge in the Dow Jones industrial average on Oct. 19 was as volatile as the stock market has ever gotten — on the downside, unfortunately.

What is more interesting to the mathematicians is that the stock market remained on a plateau of high volatility for the rest of 1987. The trick is to figure out how much longer the volatility will continue.

The foreign-exchange market was actually calm during 1987, even around the period when stocks and Treasury bills were gyrating wildly, according to a chart published this week in the Wall Street Journal.

Lately, though, the dollar has been acting up. It plummeted at the end of December and has soared in the first trading week of 1988. Some traders are comparing its current gyrations to around 1979 and 1980, the last time the dollar was near post-war lows.

FOREIGN OPPORTUNITIES

Information about the following international contracting opportunities can be obtained through the Center for Energy & Economic Diversification at 367-2370 or 563-2400, ext. 2370.

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Tanzania — Partner sought for bottling mineral water in one litre plastic bottles for local and export markets; detailed project description available.

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Cameroon — Project sponsor needs assistance to establish an industrial plantation for growing and processing tomatoes into concentrate for the domestic market.

China — Project sponsor seeks to establish a tomato processing and canning plant with the assistance of a joint venture partner; pre-feasibility study available.

Weather, regulations bolster spot gas prices

From Staff and Wire Reports

Natural gas prices, at their highest level in almost two years as a result of cold winter weather and new federal regulations, are expected to keep at least part of their increase even after the cold snap, according to a natural gas spokesman.

Natural gas prices in Texas averaged $1.95 per thousand cubic feet on the spot market — their highest since February 1986. That is 25 cents higher than the December average, according to the Natural Gas Clearinghouse of Houston.

"As we move out of the winter, and spot gas becomes more plentiful, prices will drop, but not to the real low levels of 1987," said David Biegler, president of Lone Star Gas Co. in Dallas.

However, Biegler said spot gas prices will continue to fluctuate because there is not much gas for sale at spot prices.

Signs of the increase began to show in December when the cold winter gripped much of the nation. But a new rule by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Order 500, may have helped spark the increase, said Ken Randolph, senior vice president of the gas clearinghouse.

"The weather has had something to do with it, but we think mainly it is due to disruptions caused by Order 500," he said.

The order, effective Jan. 1, requires natural gas producers to credit pipelines for their take-or-pay debt if the pipeline transports the producers' gas for a spot purchase.

Take-or-pay agreements were signed by many pipelines during the 1970s. The agreements required pipelines to pay for gas even if they didn't take it into their systems.

When the gas shortage turned into a glut in the 1980s, and pipelines couldn't market the gas they had contracted to buy, their take-or-pay liabilities began to mount.

But Gamble Baldwin, an industry analyst with First Boston Corp. in New York, said the cold 1987-88 winter has done more to increase prices than the new order.

A string of mild winters in the early 1980s helped expand gas reserves but the cold winter this year has helped use up much of the reserves and increase prices, he said.

"As long as the cold persists, prices will remain strong," Baldwin said. "If the spring turns warm, there will be a sharp drop. In any case, in the summer prices will come down again. The question is how far."

Biegler said the problem with low prices in the 1980s has not been so much an oversupply of gas but an under-demand for gas.

"The natural gas industry has lost 25 percent of its demand. If it still had its historic demand levels, it wouldn't be having the difficulties it is having today," he said.

Suspected marijuana use No. 1 job disqualifier

WASHINGTON (AP) — Suspicion of marijuana use is the the single biggest disqualifier of otherwise qualified job applicants, according to a survey of top personnel directors among Fortune 500 companies.

More than two-thirds of the surveyed personnel directors said they believe smoking marijuana after work decreases an employee's on-the-job productivity.

And 47 percent said they are "very unlikely" to hire an otherwise qualified job applicant who they believe uses marijuana off the job. Another 22 percent said they are "somewhat unlikely" to hire such a person.

Only 2 percent said they would be very unlikely to hire an otherwise qualified candidate who drinks after work. And despite the attention devoted to alcohol abuse in the past decade, only 5 percent said they ask applicants if they drink.

Nearly half of the 252 Fortune 500 companies responding to the survey said they test prospective employees for use of marijuana or other drugs. Another 20 percent said they are considering plans to start such testing.

The survey was commissioned by the Washington-based Interface Group, one of the nation's 50 largest executive search firms — commonly known as headhunters — with several Fortune 500 clients.

While the results of the survey reflect recent attention the government and private industry have given to drug abuse and testing, they conflict with the focus of many self-help guides on how to win a job.

For example, 94 percent of the personnel executives listed relevant experience, knowledge or competence as the most important attributes of a job candidate.

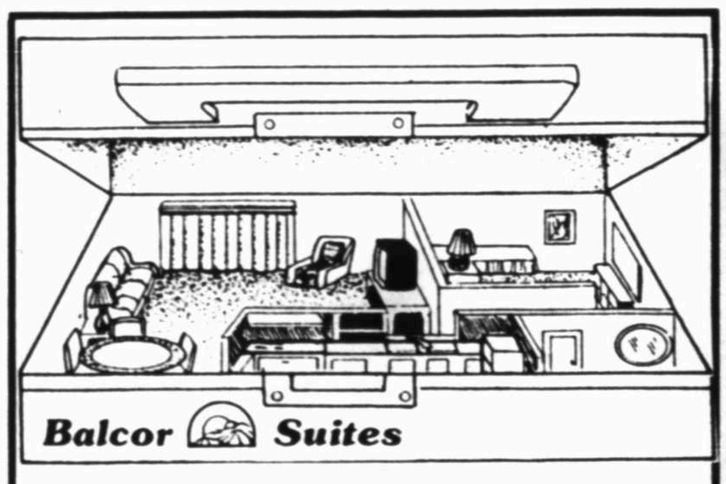
Characteristics such as physical appearance and fitness, weight, whether an applicant smokes and the college he or she attended were all listed as very important attributes by less than 10 percent of the polled companies.

"The people out there giving advice seem to be way off base as far as their perceptions of what employers want," said William Marumoto, Interface's president and a White House recruitment specialist in the Nixon administration.

Marumoto says he was surprised by several other responses in the survey.

When asked to volunteer what they consider important attributes of managerial candidates, only 21 percent listed ability to manage and only 11 percent mentioned ability to work with others.

Positive attitude, integrity and honesty were mentioned as important attributes of management candidates by only 3 percent of the personnel directors. Intelligence was mentioned by 6 percent, enthusiasm by 8 percent and communication skills by 12 percent.



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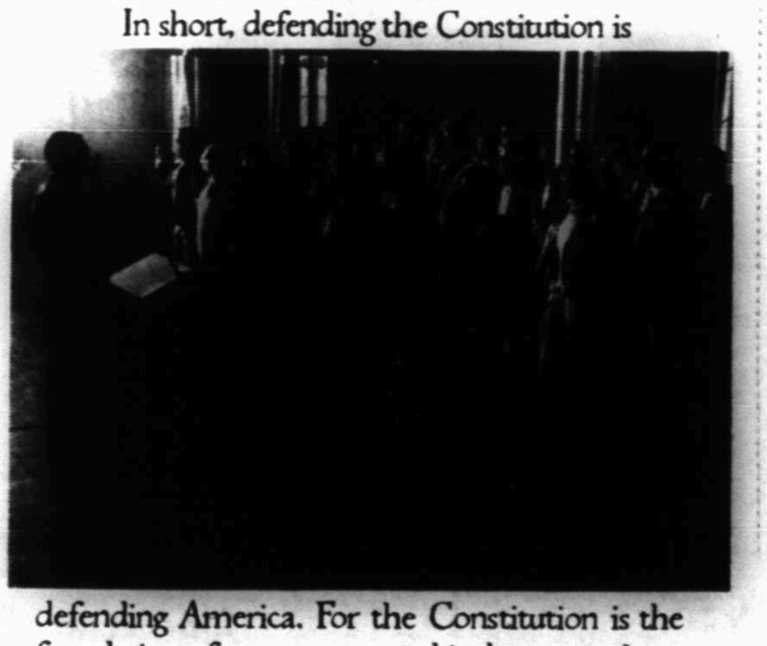

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NEW YORK (AP) — Midday national prices for WSNew York Stock Exchange issues

PE	Sales	Last	Chg.

A—A

AMR		10 2182	33¾	+	¼
ARX	s	7 153	7⅛	—	⅛
ASA	2a	159	49¼	—	⅝
AbtLab	1	18 x1933	47		
AetnLf	2.7b	6 1754	44	+	⅛
AirPrd	1	13 610	38⅜		
AlskAir	.16	18 x311	13⅜		
Alcan	s.45i	13 3324	26⅝	+	⅛
AlcoS	s.68	12 546	21½		
Alglnt		850	3⅝	+	⅛
AlgPw	3	10 323	37⅜	—	⅜
Allegis		36 1786	72	+	¼
AldSgnl	1.80	8 1726	28⅛	—	¼
AlliaC		89	1⅜		
Alcoa	1.20	1739	44⅛	+	¼
Amax		6 1349	18¼		
AmHes	.45e	9 819	25	—	⅛
AmBrnd	2.20	11 1533	45⅛	+	1⅛
ACyan	s1.05	15 1917	42⅜	+	⅜
AEIPw	2.26e	9 991	26⅝	—	⅛
AExp	s.76	15 9024	24⅝	+	⅛
AFamly	.24	12 567	13⅜	—	⅛
AHome	3.34	13 947	74⅜	+	⅜
Amrtch	5.40	10 789	82⅜	+	⅜
AlntGr	.30	10 2126	56⅜	—	⅜
AhStd	1.80	9 370	36⅜	—	⅜
AmStor	.84	11 223	49¼		
AT&T	1.20	21 10280	27½	—	¼
Ametk	s.60	15 286	14	—	⅛
Amoco	3.30	15 1827	69¼	+	1
AMP	.90	22 1935	46⅛	+	⅜
Anacmp		14 2254	6⅛	—	⅛
Anadrk	.30	537	24⅜	—	⅛
Anheus	.60	15 3165	30⅝	—	⅛
Anthony	.44b	7 23	12⅛	—	⅛
ArchDn	.10b	12 5694	20		
Armco		7 2787	10⅜	+	⅜
ArmWl	.90	10 841	30½	+	⅜
Asarco	.10e	9 1888	25⅜	—	⅜
AshlOil	1.80	13 702	54⅜	—	⅝
AtlRich	4	14 3281	70⅜	—	½
AtlasCp		70 6	31⅜	—	⅛
Augat	.40	27 76	14⅜	—	⅝
AVMC	s.28	11 51	17⅞	—	⅜
Avery	s.42	15 271	20	+	⅛
Avnet	.50	25 969	22¼	+	⅛
Avon	2	11 695	24⅜		
Aydin		9 11	19⅛	—	⅛

B—B

BkrHu	n.46	1549	14¼	—	¼
BallyMf	.20	9 1120	13⅜	+	⅜
BaltGE	1.90	9 569	29⅜	—	⅛
BncOne	.92	12 691	24⅛	—	⅛
BkNY	1.80	10 251	29½	—	⅛
BnkAm		2219	7⅛	+	⅛
Bausch	.86	13 1784	36⅛	+	⅛
Baxter	.44	20 7088	22½	—	⅛
Becor		45	11⅛	—	⅛
Beker		111	¼		
BellHwl	.62	10 188	60¼	+	⅜
BellAtl	3.84	10 1649	64¼	+	1
BellSo	s2.20	11 3128	36⅜	+	⅜
BenfCp	2	225	35⅛	+	⅜
BengtB	.05e	131	4		
BestPd		9 179	8⅛	—	⅛
BethStl		7 3105	16	+	¼
Bevrly	.20	835	6⅜	—	¼
BlackD	.40	20 878	18⅜	+	⅛
BlkHR	s.86	20 660	28½	+	⅛
Boeing	1.40	12 3927	40	+	⅛
BoiseC	2	12 714	63¼	+	½
Boise pfC	3.50	20	54	—	1⅛
Borden	1.28	14 3025	47⅜		
BostEd	1.82	7 2081	18	—	⅛
BristM	s1.68	17 5175	41⅛	+	⅜
BritPt	2.78e	12 1432	56⅜	+	⅜
BrwnF	s.48	22 2621	24⅜	+	⅜
Brnwk	s.36	8 2594	15	+	⅛
BrlNth	2.20	14 1703	64⅜	+	1⅛

C—C

CBS	3	17 501	158½	—	1½
CIGNA	2.80	6 1335	45⅜	+	¼
CMS	En	9 1091	14¼	—	⅛
CNW		9 174	22⅛	+	⅛
CPC	1.44	10 1223	40¼	—	⅛
CRSS	s.24	11 2	11¼	—	⅛
CSX	1.24	34 3710	29½	—	⅛
Caesar		11 1938	19⅜	+	⅜
CamSp	s.84	13 755	25⅜	—	⅜
CapCits	.20	23 155	333	—	5
CarPw	2.76	9 728	33½	—	⅛
CartH	n	9 311	9⅛	+	⅜
CastlCk		31 558	18	—	⅜
Caterp	.75	196 2548	60⅜	—	⅛
Centel	s1.72	14 244	35	—	¼
CentEn	2.56	6 966	17⅜	—	⅛
CenSoW	2.28	8 854	30	—	⅛
CnlPS	1.72	11 104	20	—	⅜
CentrCp		380	1⅜	—	⅛
Crt-teed	1	9 55	27⅛	—	⅜
Chmpln	.80	8 6795	31⅜	—	⅛
ChamSp	.05e	20 297	10⅝		
ChartC	.02e	4 243	3⅜	—	⅛
Chase	2.16	1529	22¼	+	⅛
Chevrn	2.40	20 3122	40⅜	—	⅜
ChrisCr	.47i	26 119	17⅜	—	⅛
Chrys	s1	4 9072	24¼	—	⅛
CircleK	.28	13 1256	12		
CirCty	.08	11 663	20⅜	—	⅜
Citicrp	s1.35	5682	18½	+	⅛
ClarkE		321	24¼	+	⅜
Clorox	s.88	12 1219	26⅝	+	⅛
Coastl	s.40	11 1315	29⅜	—	⅛
CocaCl	1.12	14 4060	37¼	+	⅜
Coleco		580 d	3⅜	—	¼
ColgPal	1.48	61 1743	39⅜	+	1⅛
Colt	n	5 433	9⅝	—	⅜
ColGas	3.18	17 986	41¼	—	1
CmbEn	1	21 x857	29	—	⅛
Comdre		9 1679	7	—	⅛
CmwE	3	6 2341	27¼	—	⅛
Comsat	1.20	125	28⅛	—	¼
ConsEd	2.96	9 799	42⅜	—	¼
ConsNG	1.64	20 x779	39¼	+	⅜
Cnrail	n.50e	13 1334	29⅛	—	½
CnStor		18 1097	4⅜	—	⅛
Contel	2	11 466	29⅜	+	⅛
CntlCp	2.60	7 488	37½	—	⅛
CtData		479	21⅜	—	⅛
Cooper	1.68	16 1174	52⅜	+	¼
CornGl	1.48	13 943	46⅜	—	⅛
CrayRs		17 1441	71⅜	—	1⅜
CrwnCk		12 105	100½	—	4¼
CumEn	2.20	33 44	48½	—	⅜
CurtW	1.60	9 57	51⅜	—	1

D—D

DPL	2.08	7 201	23⅜	—	⅛
DanaCp	1.44	14 510	34	+	¼
DataGn		567	24¼	+	⅛
DaytHd	.92	10 2283	30¼	—	⅜
Deere	.50	2275	34⅜	—	¼
DeltaAr	1.20	6 1260	36⅜	—	⅛
DetEd	1.68	4 1811	13⅜	—	⅛
Digital		14 6932	131	+	½
Disney	.32	18 3810	59¼	+	⅛
DomRs	3.08	9 669	41⅜	+	⅛
Dover	1.12	20 189	59½	—	½
DowCh	2.20	15 8082	84	+	1¼
DowJns	.64	15 907	30	+	⅛
Dresr	.40	2209	24⅜	+	⅛
duPont	3.40	12 6330	81½	+	⅜
DukeP	2.80	10 1079	44	—	⅜
DuqLt	1.20	8 214	11⅜	—	⅛

E—E

ERC		19 57	11	—	⅜
EastGF	1.30	35 85	22⅜	—	¼
EKodk	s1.80	17 9763	49⅝	+	2⅛
Eaton	2	10 296	73¼	+	⅜
Echlin	.56	16 409	14⅝	—	⅜
EmrsE	s1	16 2736	32¼	+	⅜
Enron	2.48	502	40¾	+	1⅝
Ensrch	.80	44 1481	18⅝	—	⅜
Ethyl	40	12 1641	18	—	¼
Exxon	s2	11 10346	38¼	+	⅛

F—F

FMC		7 396	33	—	1⅛
FPL Gp	2.12	10 536	29	—	⅛
Fairchd	.20	48	9⅜	+	⅛
Fairfd		29	5¼	—	⅛
Feders	.24	15 276	6½	+	⅛
FedNM	.48	10 1540	29⅜	+	⅛
FedDS	s1.48	10 x1197	34	—	⅜
FinCpA		147	1⅜		
FnSBar	10	4 68	5¼	—	⅛
Firestn	1.20	10 990	32	—	⅛
FtBkSy	1.50	23 302	22	—	⅛
FCapHd		4 387	7⅜	—	⅜
FstChic	1.50	960	20⅜	+	⅛
Flntste	2.80	274	41	—	¼
FstPa		381	8⅜	—	⅛
FtWach	1.20	10 216	34½	—	⅛
FleetEn	.60	9 286	17⅛	+	⅛
FlghtSf	.20	20 x85	35¾	+	⅛
FlaPrg	2.48	9 298	32⅜	—	⅛
FluGen		36 119	4⅜	+	⅛
Fluor		57 1233	13⅜	—	⅛
FthillG		8 316	5¼	—	⅛
FordM	4	5 4066	78	+	⅛
Ford	wi	93	39	—	¼
FrptMc	2.30e	8 1013	24⅜	—	⅜

G—G

GAF	.10	15 734	43¾	+	1
GTE	2.52	11 1766	34⅜	+	⅛
Gannett	s1	19 1883	35¼	+	1⅛
GnCrp	s.60	11 443	21	—	⅛
GnDyn	1	133 300	48	—	1
GenEl	s1.40	15 12201	44⅜	+	1⅜
GnHous	.24	16 253	7⅜	—	⅛
Gninst	.25	1143	29½	+	⅜
GnMills	1.60	16 1350	49	—	⅜
GMot	5e	7 6632	61⅜	—	⅜
GM E	.52	1398	36½	—	⅛
GPU	.75e	7 940	28⅛	—	⅛
GnSignl	1.60	19 256	43⅜	—	⅜
Genesco		4 128	3½		
GaPac	1.20	9 1576	33⅜	—	⅛
GerbPd	1.32	21 261	36⅛	—	⅛
GibrFn		275	3¾		
Gillette	s.88	63 7264	32¾	+	1⅛
Glaso	n.36e	16 2620	17½	+	⅜
GldNug		3 341	10⅛	—	⅛
Gdrich	1.56	12 507	40⅜	—	1⅛
Goodyr	1.60	7 1405	58⅜	—	⅜
Gould		38 1269	12⅝	+	⅜
Grace	s1.40	1379	24⅝	+	⅜
GtAtPc	.80	14 x410	34	+	⅜
GtNth	s.92	13 1092	43½	+	1⅛
GrWFn	s.72	6 1706	14⅛	+	⅛
Greyh	1.32	8 480	26⅜	—	⅛
Grumn	1	10 280	18⅝	—	1⅛
GlfWst	1.20	12 652	69⅜	—	1⅛
GlfStUt		4 519	5⅛	—	⅛

H—H

Halbtn	1	1907	25⅛		
Harlnd	s.42	17 186	19⅜	—	⅜
Harley		8 105	13⅜	—	⅜
Harris	.88	12 437	26⅛	—	⅛
Hecks		34	2⅛	—	⅛
HeclaM	.05e	88 602	13⅜	—	⅛
Heilmn	.48e	32	40⅜	+	⅜
Heinz	1.24	14 1247	38⅜	+	⅛
Herculs	1.92	3 726	46⅛	+	⅛
Hrshey	.82	15 963	23¼	—	⅛
HewlPk	.26	22 3916	55⅛	+	⅜
Holidy	n	4 685	23¼	+	1
HollyS	1	15 19	83⅛	—	⅜
Hmstk	s.20	35 837	16⅜	—	⅜
Honwell	2	1196	55		
HCA	.72	14 x555	29	—	⅛
HCA	wd	45	29¼		
Hotiln	s2	17 234	14⅜	—	⅛
HousInt	2	7 474	40¼	—	⅜
Houlnd	2.88	8 1291	31⅛	+	⅛
Human	.80	10 1305	19⅜	+	⅛

I—I

IC Ind	.88	19 2333	31½	+	⅛
IRT	1.32	14 44	15		
ITT Cp	1.25	9 3077	45¾	+	⅜
IU Int	.60	26 2978	18⅛	+	⅛
IdahoP	1.80	14 61	23	—	⅜
IdealB		555	2½		
IllPowr	2.64	6 739	23¼	—	¼
ITW	s.40	16 375	32½	—	1⅛
ImpCh	3.39e	12 901	63½	+	⅛
ICA	.30r	2 217	8	—	⅜
INCO	.20	3837	20	+	⅜
IngerRd	s1.04	17 1201	33⅜	+	⅜
InldStl	.36j	18 734	28⅛	+	⅜
Intlk	s1.40	12 189	42	—	⅜
IBM	4.40	15 10239	116¼	+	1⅜
IntFlav	1.60	17 455	45⅛	+	¼
IntMin	1	39 377	46⅛	+	⅜
IntPap	s1.20	11 6552	39⅜	+	⅛
Ipalco	1.56	9 244	21⅜	—	⅛

J—J

JRiver	.40	11 x972	23⅜		
Jwlcr		33 30	13⅜	—	⅜
JohnJn	1.68	16 4097	71½	—	1
Johnind		7 34	19		
Josten	.56	15 127	18⅜	—	⅛

K—K

K mrt	s1.16	9 3278	29⅜	+	⅜
Kaisrtc	.15j	862	10⅛	+	⅛
Kaneb		447	2	+	⅛
KanGE	1.48	10 74	19⅛		
KanPL	s1.65	10 58	23½		
Katyln		12 98	12⅜	—	½
KaufB	s.32	7 270	13¾	—	¼
Kellogg	1.36	16 1154	50½	+	1¼
KerrMc	1.10	22 636	34⅜	—	½
KimbC	s1.44	14 595	48	—	⅜
KnghtRd	1.12	16 344	39⅜	+	⅜
Kopers	1.20	13 739	31¼	—	½
Kraft	1.88	14 1108	47⅜	—	¼
Kroger	1.05	14 1297	25⅛	+	⅛

L—L

LTV		1415	2⅜	+	⅛
LearPt		52	1⅜		
Learnl	s.40	17 33	14½	—	⅛
LeeEnt	.64	13 59	23¼	+	⅛
Lehmn	2.37e	250	11½	—	⅛
Lilly	2.30	18 3055	78⅝	+	⅜
LincNtl	2.36	7 242	42½	—	1⅛
Litton		13 202	70	—	⅜
Lockhd	1.40	6 746	36	—	⅛
Loews	1	10 1107	66⅛	—	½
LnStar	1.90	4 155	24⅜		
LILCo		6 1432	7⅜	—	⅛
LaLand	1	265	31½	—	⅛
LaPac	.80b	9 626	27⅛	—	⅛
LuckyS	.50r	4 1130	24⅜	+	⅛
Lukens	.68	17 197	43¼	+	⅛

M—M

MCA	.68	20 1313	35⅛	—	⅛
MDU	1.42	12 54	17⅜	—	⅛
Macmil	.72b	20 352	54	—	¼
MfrHan	3.28	1597	21⅜	—	⅛
Manvl		1 140	2⅛		
MAPCO	1	17 84	48⅛	—	⅛
Marriot	.20	20 1115	28⅝	—	1⅛
MartM	1.10	10 331	40⅜	—	⅛
Masco	.40	13 2651	23¼	+	⅛
Maxus	n	923	7⅜	—	⅛
Maxam		2 4	10⅛	+	⅛
MayDS	1.14	11 2154	29⅜	—	⅛
Maytag	s.90	12 574	21⅜	+	⅛
McDerl	1.80	720	16⅜	—	¼
McDnl	s.50	16 2459	43⅛	+	⅜
McDnD	2.32	8 309	59⅜	—	⅜
McGrH	1.68	16 700	49½	—	1⅛
McKes	1.28	13 101	27	—	⅜
Mead	s.17e	18 2600	32⅜	+	⅛
Mellon	1.40	470	26	—	1
Melvill	1.76	12 279	55½	—	1
MercSt	s.70	10 170	36½	+	½
Merck	3.20	25 3346	157	—	½
MerLyn	1	4 1986	23	+	⅛
MidSUt		4 1360	8⅝		
MWE	1.52	11 94	16⅜	+	⅛
MMM	s1.86	16 4932	61	+	1⅛
MinnPL	1.66	9 56	21⅜	—	⅛
Mobil	2.20	15 4527	39⅜		
Monsan	2.80	15 1193	77⅜	—	⅛
MonPw	2.68	13 15	30⅜		
Morgan	1.50	226 4272	33⅜	—	⅜
Morton	.84	13 1244	38½	+	⅛
Motorla	.64	23 5801	47¼	+	⅛

N—N

NCR	1	15 2177	61	+	1⅜
NL Ind	.20	399	5⅜	—	⅜
NWA	90	9 886	36⅜	—	⅜
Nalco	1.20	17 666	32⅛	+	⅜
NatFG	s1.20	12 81	17⅜	+	⅛
Nll	25	1156	13⅜	+	⅛
NtlSemi		6531	11½	+	⅛
Navistr		8 5246	4⅜	—	⅛
NevPw	s1.48	10 95	18⅜	—	⅛
NEngEl	2.04	7 123	22⅜		
NwtM	s.60a	9 905	31½	—	½
NiaMP	1.20	13 680	12⅜		
NflkSo	s1.20	34 2397	25⅜	—	⅜
Nortek	10a	6 223	7⅜	—	⅜
NoestUt	1.76	9 531	21	—	⅛
NIndPS	.30e	15 565	9⅛		
NoStPw	2.02	9 339	30	+	⅛
Nortrp	1.20	18 587	26¼	+	⅜
Norton	2	75	44⅜	—	⅜
Norwst	1.80	313	36⅜	—	⅛
Nynex	3.80	10 1689	63	+	¼

O—O

OcciPet	2.50	29 3409	24⅜	—	⅛
OhioEd	1.96	8 1185	20	+	⅛
OklaGE	2.28	11 83	28⅛	+	⅜
Olin	1.60	13 256	41	—	1⅛
ONEOK	2.56	13 133	17⅜	—	⅛
OrngCo		16 15	6⅜	—	⅛
OwenC	n	3 1246	16⅜	+	½
Oxford	50	17 3	10⅛		

P—Q

PHM	.12	9 129	8⅛	—	⅛
PPG	s1.20	11 868	33¼	+	½
PacGE	1.92	9 5061	16	—	⅛
PacLtg	3.48	11 542	49¼	—	⅛
PacTel	s1.64	10 2635	25⅝		
Pacifcp	2.52	9 1136	33	—	⅛
PanAm		1943	3	—	⅛
PanEC	n2	978	24		
Patten	.04i	6 292	5⅛	+	⅛
Penneys	1.48	10 2809	40⅝		
PaPL	2.68	10 523	33⅜	—	⅜
Penwlt	2.40	13 700	45½		
Pennzol	2.20	54 733	71	—	⅜
PepBy	s.08	23 926	14¼	+	⅜
PepsiCo	68	15 3258	32	+	1⅛
PerkEl	60	571	23¼		
Pfizer	1.80	12 3241	50⅛		
PhelpD	60	21 2559	41⅜	—	⅛
PhilaEl	2.20	8 1237	18⅜	+	⅛
PhilMr	3.60	12 5324	85¼	+	⅜
Philpln	44	13 645	18½	—	⅛
PhilPet	60	5496	12⅜	—	⅛
Phlcorp		32	3½	+	⅛
Pilsbry	1.12	14 1739	33⅜	—	½
PinWst	2.80	8 622	28¼	—	⅛
PitnyBw	76	15 1701	36⅛	+	⅜
Pittstn		30 961	10	—	⅜
PlcrD g	n.20	2619	14⅜	+	⅛
Polard	s.60	12 2411	22⅜	+	⅛
PortGC	1.96	12 248	21⅛		
Primca	s1.60	7 1317	24⅜	—	⅛
ProctG	2.70	35 1972	82⅜	+	⅛
PSvCol	2	7 619	20⅛	+	⅛
PSInd		5 809	11½	—	⅜
PSEG	s2	14 1948	24½	+	⅛
PugetP	1.76	12 10091	19¼	—	⅛
Pullmn	.12	12 260	5⅛		
Pyro		10 30	4		
Qantel		4 130	1⅜		
QuakrO	1	13 672	42⅜		
QuakSC	.80	2155	15⅜	—	⅛
Quantm	2.20	11 489	72¼	—	1½
Questar	1.88	16 32	34⅜	—	⅜

R—R

RJR Nb	1.92	10 2583	45½	—	⅛
RLC	.20	26 140	6⅜	—	⅛
RalsPur	1.24	9 744	64¾	+	⅛
Ramad		27 386	5⅜		
RangrO		63 178	4⅜	—	⅛
Raythn	2	11 1399	64¾	+	1⅛
ReadBt		152	1⅜		
ReyMt	s.60	11 2397	44	—	⅛
RiteAid	.74	10 x399	32½	+	⅛
Robins		6 492	22½	+	⅛
Rockwl	.68	7 2242	16⅜	+	⅜
RohHaas	.92	11 421	29⅜	+	⅛
Rohr		13 420	17⅜	—	⅛
Rorer	1.16	23 533	41	—	⅛
Rowan		1970	5⅜	—	⅛
RoyID	6.32e	10 2295	112⅜	—	⅜
Ryder	.52	11 917	26⅝	—	⅜

S—S

SPSTec	1	10 31	27⅜		
SPaSoP	1	1094 1851	43¾	+	⅛
SaraLee	1.20	14 1320	34¼	+	1⅛
SCANA	2.32	9 279	30		
SchrPl	s1.20	20 2353	50¼	+	⅛
Schlmb	1.20	3851	30	+	⅜
ScottP	1.36	12 581	66¼	+	1⅛
Seagrm	1.10	11 914	55⅛	+	⅛
Sears	2	8 3939	33⅛	+	1
ShellT	4.30e	14 428	76¼	+	⅛
Shrwin	.56	10 249	26¼	+	⅜
Singer	.40	25 800	47⅜	+	⅛
Skyline	.46	12 198	12⅜	—	⅛
SmkB	s1.66	12 2111	51	+	1
Sonat	2	525	25⅜	+	⅜
SonyCp	.24e	455	38⅛	—	⅛
SCalEd	2.36	10 1287	30¼	+	⅛
SouthCo	2.14	7 2354	22⅜	+	⅛
SwBell	s2.32	10 1926	33½	+	⅛
SwtPS	2.12	10 59	24½	—	⅛
SquarD	1.92	12 225	48	—	⅛
Squibb	s1.20	13 2667	62¾	—	⅛
Stalev	.80	14 97	20⅜		
SterlDg	1.52	23 5592	74⅛	+	⅛
StevnJ	1.20	9 262	29⅜	+	⅜
StopSh	s.64	15 447	21	+	⅛
SunCo	3	17 710	51	+	⅛
Syntex	s1	15 2062	32¾	+	⅛
Sysco	.32	19 332	26⅛	—	⅛

T—T

TECO	s1.34	11 303	22	—	⅛
TRW	s1.60	15 690	46⅜	—	⅜
TacBt		14 129	1⅛	+	⅛
Talley	s.30	94	13⅜	+	⅛
Tandm	s	19 8821	21	+	⅛
Tandy	.60	12 2390	34	—	⅛
Tndycft		44 1	17		
TchSym		10 91	11⅜	—	⅜
Tektrnx	.60	33 190	22⅜	—	⅛
Teldyn	4	13 119	299¼	—	⅜
Telex		11 873	55½	+	⅛
Tennco	3.04	2948	42¾	+	⅛
Tesoro		29	11⅜	—	⅛
Texaco		16 8522	37⅜	—	⅛
TexEst	1	13 894	22½	—	⅜
Txinst	s.72	22 2997	52¾	+	⅛
TexUtil	2.80	6 1175	26⅜	+	⅛
Textrn	s1	6 2663	22	+	⅛
Tigerin		7 930	9⅜	—	⅛
Time	1	23 709	80¼	+	⅛
TmMir	s.92	14 606	34⅜	+	⅜
TmMir	wi	15	d34¼	—	3¼
Timken	1	65	57½	—	1½
Tokhem	.48	12 24	17⅜	—	⅛
Tosco		195	1¾		
Transm	1.84	6 897	30¾	—	⅜
Transco	1.36	151	25⅛	—	⅜
Travler	2.40	7 630	35¾	—	⅛
TriCon	4.62e	146	20⅜	—	⅛
Tribun	s.76	24 738	36¼	+	⅛
Trinova	.56	14 624	28⅝	+	1⅜
TucsEP	3.60	11 304	52	+	⅛

U—U

UGI	2.04	11 13	25¾		
UNCInc	.01e	10 106	6⅜	—	⅛
USFG	2.48	6 1596	30¾	+	⅜
USG	1.12b	6 1750	29⅜	+	⅜
USX	1.20	5969	31	+	⅛
UCarb	1.50	16 4750	23¼	+	⅜
UnElec	1.92	7 502	21⅜	+	⅛
UnPac	2	11 1730	56	+	⅜
Unisys	s.92	100 5508	33	+	1
UnBrnd	.60	12 18	43¼	—	⅛
USWest	3.28	10 1720	49¼	+	⅛
UnTech	1.40	26 1671	33⅜	—	1⅛
UniTel	1.92	6174	25¼	+	⅜
Unocal	1	18 3554	30⅜	—	⅜
Upjohn	s.72	19 3471	31	+	⅛
USLIFE	1.28	6 393	28¼	—	⅛
UtaPL	2.32	17 462	27⅜	+	⅜

V—V

Varian	.26	25 81	24¼	—	⅛
Varity		1220

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115 ANNOUNCEMENTS

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120 PUBLIC NOTICES

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WALL Street Bar and Grill now accepting applications for waitpersons. Apply 3pm-5pm. 115 East Wall.

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TRINITY Towers Manor Park has position open for experienced Dietary Aid, relief shift. Excellent benefits. Apply at Texas Employment Commission, 350 North Loraine, Midland. EOE. Ad paid by employer.

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AIDE needed for mental health day treatment program. Requires high school diploma or GED, ability to get along with clients, flexibility, stable work history, good driving record. References will be checked. Work 6:30am-3pm, Monday-Friday. Salary $11,388. Apply in person at MHMR, 3701 North Big Spring. EOE

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210 General Help Wanted

SECRETARY /Receptionist for aviation company. Must type well. General knowledge of aviation important. Send resume to: Personnel, P.O. Box 6441, Midland, Texas 79711.

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* ELECTRICAL SWITCHGEAR
Design/develop general electrical theory training program and plant specific OJT program to train/certify operators to safely operate electrical switchgear in oil/gas plants.

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Technical writing of curriculum material for above. Work involves revision of and preparation of media supplements for existing materials as well as reach, development of new materials. Preparation of material covering operations and maintenance of high pressure sour gas wells, a very critical area due to the high potential risk, will be required. Coverage will include workovers, acid jobs, and christmas tree maintenance. All work, whether revision or new development, will be done with the assistance of one or more subject matter experts. Work location is Abqaiq.

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