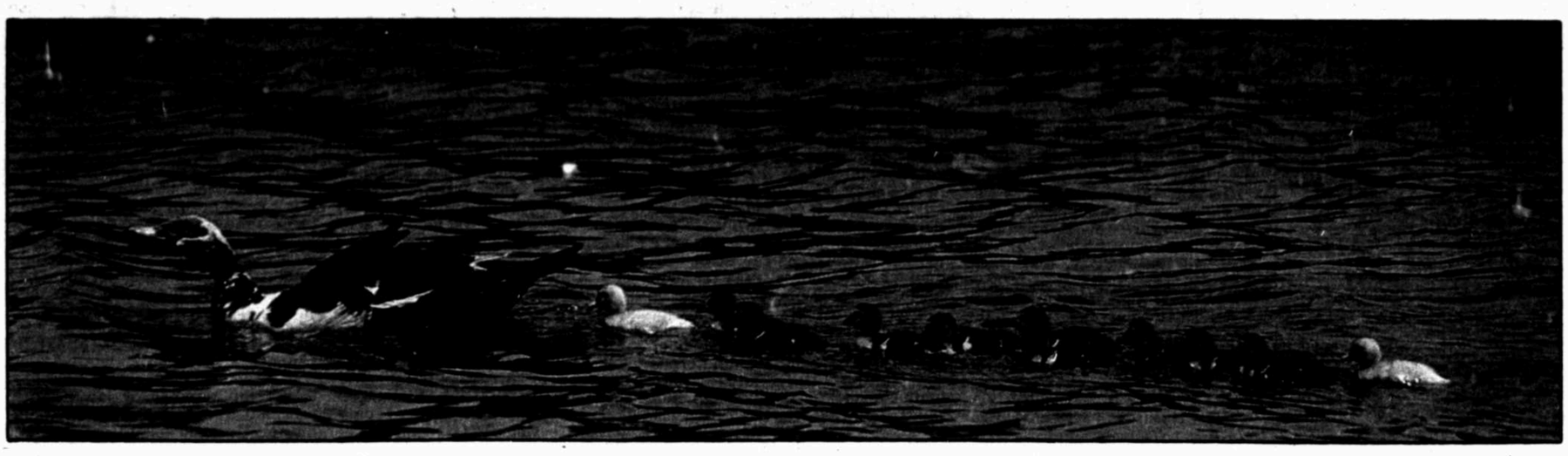

Duck pond 'bookends'

A black and white Muscovy mother duck takes her brood on one of their first outings after hatching at the Wadley-Barron Park pond. Nest-sharing is credited with why the clutch contains nine mallards with two white Pekin ducklings providing the "bookends."

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Saudis want to abolish $18 target

New York Times News Service

RIYADH, Saudi Arabia — In a notable policy shift, Saudi Arabia said Tuesday that OPEC should abandon its target price of $18 a barrel for oil and depend on production quotas to sustain the price.

Saudi oil minister Hisham M. Nazer said Saudi Arabia will recommend to a meeting of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries on Friday in Vienna that the cartel formally abandon its three-year-old price goal of $18 a barrel.

It said it will also withdraw its own recent proposal for a $15 minimum price.

Saudi Arabia's action is viewed as a self-protective one, the latest in a series of steps over the last three years intended to rid itself of the burden of stabilizing oil prices.

The Saudis have repeatedly complained that their strict adherence to OPEC output quotas and price guidelines has acted as a constraint on their production while other members have ignored their quotas.

The move could make prices more volatile because in the past oil markets have taken comfort from the notion that Saudi Arabia would always act as a steadying influence on prices.

Nazer said that among the Saudi motives for a policy shift is a desire to obtain strict adherence to production quotas by other OPEC members, as well as a conviction that demand for OPEC oil justifies prices higher than $18.

The Saudis assume that if there is no violation of production, demand for OPEC oil will push prices up.

The Saudis would prefer to have all OPEC members abide by the quotas, but, if they do not, then the Saudis believe that all members, themselves included, should be allowed to adjust and sell what the market demands.

"The government of Saudi Arabia believes that OPEC should set for itself a production ceiling and strictly adhere to it," Nazer said.

"This will give members a chance to take advantage of situations where the price goes above $18 a barrel."

Nazer made his remarks at his home in Riyadh before the annual ministerial meeting of OPEC.

Nazer also said a proposal for a floor price of $15, which Saudi Arabia formally made in November at an OPEC meeting and reintroduced again last week through OPEC's Vienna headquarters, will be dropped.

The Saudis had proposed the floor price as a protective device. If prices fell below $15, OPEC would have to meet and do something.

"Saudi Arabia, in fact, no longer considers $18 as its target," Nazer said.

"We think the key to prices should be OPEC oil supplies and strict adherence to quotas. It makes more economic sense to set production ceilings according to supply and demand forces."

Analysts said the Saudi suggestion of abolishing the target price and the floor price could be a severe shock for nervous oil markets that always looked to the Saudis and to OPEC for price guidance.

"It is a major change in Saudi policy. If OPEC does not give the price signal, who will?" said Pierre Terzian, editor of Petrostrategies, a Paris-based oil newsletter.

"It also means that from now on OPEC has only one single parameter to regulate the price, which is discipline," Terzian said.

"As we all know, they haven't shown much of that lately."

Asked what Saudi Arabia would do if others in OPEC continued to exceed oil-production quotas, Nazer reiterated that Saudi Arabia will be committed to production discipline only if others in OPEC stick to production quotas.

But Nazer insisted that, if all OPEC producers observe discipline, demand for the cartel's oil this year will be strong enough to push prices above the $18-a-barrel level and perhaps as high as $20.

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AP Laserphoto

U.S. President George Bush, left, and West German Chancellor Helmut Kohl point to reporters when being interviewed after their talks in Bonn Tuesday.

Bush urges Soviets to raze Berlin Wall

MAINZ, West Germany (AP) — President Bush today challenged the Soviet Union to bury the Cold War by ending the division of Europe, starting by tearing down the Berlin Wall. "Let Europe be whole and free," he declared.

In a major speech clearly aimed at Soviet President Mikhail S. Gorbachev, the president said popular demands for democratic reforms are sweeping through the communist world, forcing a re-examination of Cold War fears and security precautions.

"The world has waited long enough," said Bush, who plans to visit Poland and Hungary in July. "The time is right. Let Europe be whole and free."

"The Cold War," he said, "began with the division of Europe. It can only end when Europe is whole."

Triumphant after his debut at the NATO summit in Brussels, Belgium, the president spoke in the Rhine River city of Mainz before an audience in the Rheingoldhalle theater. Four blocks away, about 250 demonstrators protested Bush's visit under a heavy police guard.

The protesters waved banners and placards reading "Bush Go Home," "Bush Is Not Welcome Here" and "Bush — Hands Off Nicaragua." The main bridge spanning the Rhine River was sealed off, and helicopters circled the hall where Bush spoke.

In the capital of Bonn, boats crammed with security agents in diving gear watched over the nearby Rhine when Bush made a farewell visit to U.S. ambassador Vernon Walters. "Youth are the world, and I hope what happened within NATO guarantees the future," the president told several hundred flag-waving Americans and West Germans who massed on the ambassador's lawn.

It was his first and only major address during a week-long trip to Italy, Belgium, Germany and Britain. After today's speech and a cruise down the Rhine River, Bush headed for London for talks with Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher.

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Legislative issues outlive session

Watkins hopes Clements won't veto expansion

By JANE MARLER DEES
Staff Writer

The Odessa representative who sponsored legislation authorizing the expansion of the University of Texas of the Permian Basin hopes Gov. Bill Clements doesn't fall prey to "emotion" this afternoon and veto the measure.

The bill, approved Monday by both the House and Senate, calls for the expansion of the University of Texas at Dallas to a four-year institution. Amendments would authorize the expansion of UTPB and Pan American University at Brownsville to grant degrees.

All three measures — which would require subsequent approval from both the UT System Board of Regents and the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board — were to land on Clements' desk today at 4 p.m., Rep. Gary Watkins, D-Odessa said this morning.

Reports that Clements is softening his earlier threat to veto the entire bill and recall the UT-Dallas expansion measure during the June special session heartened Watkins today.

Clements, who supports the expansion of UT-Dallas, reportedly weakened his hard-nosed opposition to the bill's amendments after a meeting Tuesday.

Dallas and UT system philanthropist Peter O'Donnell stressed to his longtime friend the governor that a veto may not be in the best interests of the UT-Dallas expansion bill.

O'Donnell, sources say, is worried about the measure getting defeated amid the charged-emotional setting of a special session centering on worker's compensation.

"I know for a fact that there's many peole writing and calling and telegramming," Watkins claimed today.

"It's just too good of a deal for him to veto it for an emotional reason," the Odessa Democrat said.

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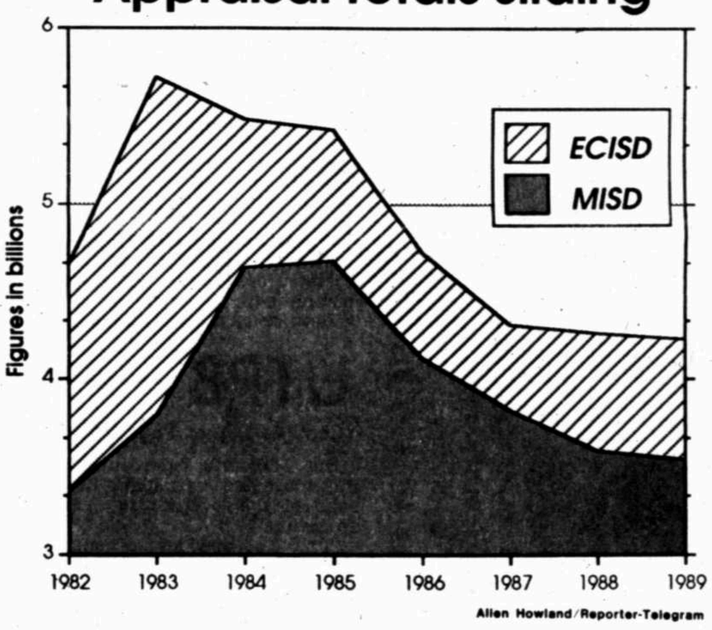
Appraisal totals sliding



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Lawmakers still awaiting fate of many last-minute measures

By JAMES CULLEN
Reporter-Telegram Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — Lawmakers who beat the clock to get their bills through the Texas Legislature before midnight Monday started the wait Tuesday to see whether Gov. Bill Clements will veto their pet bills.

After 140 days of regular session, legislators and lobbyists were replaced by janitors clearing the rubbish from post-adjournment parties and clerks finishing the paperwork on 1,317 bills that got through the 71st Legislature, including several hundred bills passed in the hectic last few days.

The largely deserted Capitol Tuesday was in contrast with the dramatic ending late Monday, when the $450 million public school finance bill survived being struck down on a technicality and a conference committee revived an AIDS omnibus bill that had been given up for dead earlier in the night. The House sent both bills to the governor in the last few minutes of the session.

The Senate "high drama" came when Rep. Mike McKinney, D-Centerville, House sponsor of the AIDS bill, entered the Senate about 11:20 p.m. to tell Sen. Chet Brooks, D-Pasadena, the Senate sponsor, that House conferees had resolved the remaining differences on the controversial bill. After a quick review by Senate conferees, the Senate suspended the rules to pass the bill unanimously with 7 minutes to spare.

The bill provides that at least two-thirds of the $18.4 million budgeted for AIDS would go for treatment, while one-third would go for education and counseling.

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MISD, ECISD may have to increase taxes

By BRIAN PEARSON
Staff Writer

The Permian Basin's two biggest taxing entities, Midland and Ector County schools, may have to boost taxes by 8 percent to compensate for sliding property values and costly state mandates, administrators said Tuesday.

An 8 percent hike is the maximum allowed without putting the rate request to a public vote.

Although school board members will have the final say in August, Midland Independent School District administrators, while hammering out the 1989-90 school year budget this summer, will consider going the maximum, Superintendent Joe Baressi said.

"I think a lot of folks are going to have to go to 8 percent," Baressi said of school districts statewide. "But I'm not saying we're definitely going to do that."

To avoid raising taxes that high, Baressi also said he wouldn't rule out trimming the budget.

"We'll recommend the budget and the board will have to decide how to pay for it," Baressi said. "The board, when the time comes, can start cutting stuff out of the budget."

Trustee Jim Builta, however, said the budget already is about as lean as he would like to see it and wouldn't hesitate to consider the 8 percent increase.

"I feel it's justified," Builta said. "A tax hike is inevitable. The budget everywhere has been cut.

"A good education isn't cheap. There's a lot of things we've got to accomplish to get the students and teachers where they need to be."

ECISD Deputy Superintendent Bill Walker said any hike would be his district's first since 1985, when the rate went up 8 percent. The following year the taxes were cut back 8 percent.

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Pepper's body to lie in state as tribute to political career

WASHINGTON (AP) — The body of Rep. Claude Pepper will lie in state in the Capitol Rotunda as a tribute to a half-century political career in which he championed the elderly and the poor, his former colleagues promise.

Pepper's political odyssey, one of the longest in American history, ended Tuesday with his death at age 88. A Florida Democrat who served as a state representative before his election to the U.S. Senate in 1936, Pepper later served in the House after 12 years out of office and became its oldest member.

"He was always a voice for the voiceless and a helping hand for the helpless," said House Speaker Jim Wright, D-Texas. Wright said the House will adopt a resolution today so that Pepper can lie in state Thursday.

The Senate was also expected to approve the resolution today, Wright said. Lying in state in the Rotunda is the highest final honor an American can receive. It has been accorded presidents, and more recently to the unknown soldier from the Vietnam war.

Pepper had been hospitalized since April 6 suffering from an undisclosed stomach ailment, which a spokesman in his office said Tuesday was cancer. He died at Walter Reed Army Medical Center, where he returned a month ago after an interim stay at Johns Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore.

Pepper's colleagues said he used his opportunities to the hilt, and to the service of his least powerful constituents.

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INSIDE TODAY

PEOPLE: CBS-TV correspondent Harry Reasoner — "the oldest B.A. in the history of the University of Minnesota" — will both give and receive during the school's commencement ceremony. — 7C

FOOD: The barbecue industry dates back to the 1950s with the invention of the kettle-shaped charcoal grill. — 5B

BUSINESS: America's leading economic forecasting gauge rose during the month of April. — 8C

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Weather

Partly cloudy tonight, 20 percent chance of evening thundershowers, low in the upper 60s. Details on Page 2A.

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Wright withholds comment until ethics committee rules

WASHINGTON (AP) — House Speaker Jim Wright intends to delay announcing whether he will resign until after the House ethics committee rules on his motion to dismiss key charges against him, his spokesman said today.

"It's a day-to-day thing. He's waiting for the committee," said Mark Johnson, the speaker's press secretary.

The funeral for Rep. Claude Pepper may delay until next week a committee meeting scheduled for Thursday, and the speaker seemed to indicate he did not want to make news during the mourning period.

"It's a matter of decorum," Wright, D-Texas, said this morning when asked whether he'd have an announcement today.

One of the speaker's staunch defenders said Tuesday the pressure on Wright to quit appears overwhelming.

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"I believe it's probably too late to change things in his favor," said ep. Charles Wilson, D-Texas. Although "justice would be served by following the game to the end," Wilson said, he expected his friend to step down.

The heat continued as CBS and The Washington Post, quoting unidentified sources, said the Justice Department's public integrity section was launching a "preliminary criminal investigation" of Wright. Justice Department sources have previously said the department was monitoring ethics proceedings against Wright but had not decided on a probe of its own.

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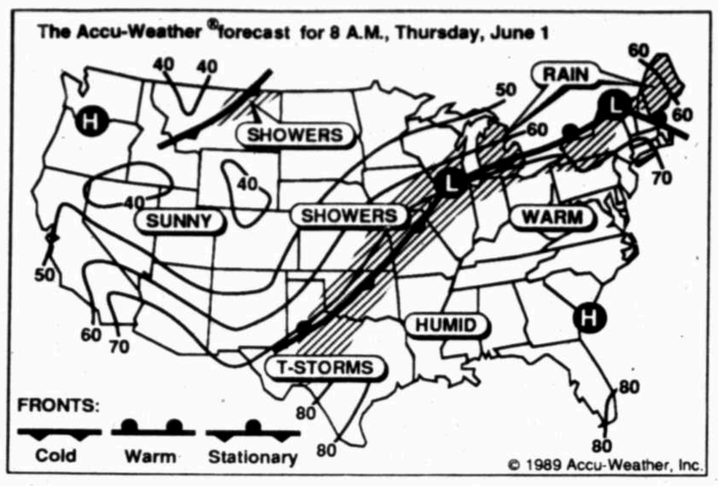

Forecast includes cloudy skies

From Staff and Wire Reports

Partly cloudy skies and a 20 percent chance of mainly evening thundershowers are in the forecast for tonight, according to the National Weather Service at Midland International Airport. The low will be in the upper 60s and winds will be out of the southeast at 10-20 mph.

Thursday will be much the same with partly cloudy skies and a 20 percent chance of thundershowers. The high will be near 90 and winds will be out of the southeast at 10-20 mph and gusty.

Tuesday's high of 96 was five degrees cooler than the record high temperature of 101 set for that date in 1985. The overnight low of 69 was 24 degrees warmer than the record low temperature of 45 set for this date in 1937.

STATE

There is a chance of thunderstorms across the western half of Texas tonight and Thursday.

The rest of the state will have partly cloudy skies and continued warm temperatures.

Lows tonight will be mostly in the 60s and 70s, ranging from the upper 50s in the Panhandle to near 80 along the lower Texas coast.

Highs Thursday will be in the 90s, ranging upward to near 105 in the Big Bend area of Southwest Texas.

An area of widely scattered thunderstorms extended early today from the Permian Basin area to the Big Bend. It was mostly cloudy over most of West Texas except in extreme West Texas where skies were mostly clear. Partly cloudy skies were the rule over the rest of Texas.

A trough of low pressure extended from the western trans-Pecos north to western New Mexico. A ridge of high pressure was centered over the eastern section of the state.

Early morning temperatures were mostly in the 60s and 70s, ranging from the upper 50s in West Texas to the lower 80s in South Texas. Extremes ranged from 59 at Lubbock to 80 at both Beeville and Corpus Christi.

Other early morning temperatures around the state included 66 at Amarillo, 73 at Wichita Falls, 74 at Fort Worth, 73 at Waco and Austin, 77 at Houston, and Brownsville, 74 at San Angelo, 74 at Midland and 75 at El Paso.

Midland statistics

FORECAST

Tonight: Partly cloudy, 20 percent chance of evening thundershowers, low in the upper 60s, southeast winds 10-20 mph. Thursday: Partly cloudy, 20 percent chance of thundershowers, high near 90, southeast winds 10-20 mph and gusty.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS

Yesterday's High	96 degrees
Overnight Low	71 degrees
Sunset today	8:49 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	6:44 a.m.
Precipitation	
Last 24 hours	.01 inches
This month to date	.94 inches
Year to date	2.86 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES

6 a.m.	75	6 p.m.	88
7 a.m.	75	7 p.m.	88
8 a.m.	77	8 p.m.	82
9 a.m.	80	9 p.m.	80
10 a.m.	82	10 p.m.	78
11 a.m.	83	11 p.m.	74
noon	88	midnight	73
1 p.m.	93	1 a.m.	70
2 p.m.	95	2 a.m.	72
3 p.m.	96	3 a.m.	75
4 p.m.	94	4 a.m.	74
5 p.m.	91	5 a.m.	73
		6 a.m.	73

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Abilene	92	71	
Alice	95	74	
Amarillo	97	63	
Austin	91	72	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	89	77	t
Beeville	95	75	
Brownsville	92	77	
Bryan-College Station	91	73	*
Childress	92	70	
Corpus Christi	91	75	
Cotulla	99	74	
Dalhart	95	63	
Dallas	91	75	
Del Rio	95	73	
El Paso	95	62	
Fort Worth	90	73	
Galveston	86	81	
Hondo	96	73	
Houston	90	76	
Junction	92	69	
Kingsville	93	76	
Laredo	103	76	
Longview	89	70	
Lubbock	99	65	
Lufkin	91	69	
Marfa	91	57	
McAllen	94	74	
Midland-Odessa	97	69	.01
Mineral Wells	92	70	
Palacios	88	78	
San Angelo	93	71	
San Antonio	96	76	
Shreveport, La.	90	69	
Stephenville	87	68	
Texarkana	89	69	
Victoria	91	75	
Waco	91	73	
Wichita Falls	92	73	
Wink	96	71	

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albany,N.Y.	69	63	.03	rn
Albuquerque	90	56		cdy
Anchorage	59	47	.12	cdy
Atlanta	86	70		cdy
Atlantic City	78	65		cdy
Baltimore	83	66		clr
Boise	72	38		clr
Boston	79	61		cdy
Buffalo	74	59	.57	rn
Casper	51	38	.49	cdy
Charleston,S.C.	81	74		clr
Chicago	85	75		rn
Cincinnati	86	71		cdy
Dayton	87	72		rn
Denver	64	44	.23	cdy
Detroit	86	64	1.65	rn
Flagstaff	65	26		clr
Grand Rapids	82	64	1.42	rn
Great Falls	61	36		cdy
Honolulu	88	74		clr
Indianapolis	87	72		cdy
Jackson,Miss.	91	71		cdy
Kansas City	89	71		rn
Las Vegas	80	57		clr
Little Rock	89	71		cdy
Los Angeles	74	59		clr
Louisville	88	71		clr
Memphis	91	74		cdy
Milwaukee	79	57	1.20	rn
Mpls-St Paul	60	53	.01	cdy
Nashville	87	67		cdy
New Orleans	91	73		cdy
New York City	76	70	.01	cdy
Oklahoma City	87	71		rn
Omaha	87	56		cdy
Philadelphia	82	68		cdy
Phoenix	93	68		clr
Pittsburgh	85	72		rn
Reno	66	39		clr
Richmond	87	63		clr
St Louis	93	75		rn
Salt Lake City	62	44	.72	clr
San Diego	68	60		cdy
San Francisco	69	51		clr
Sioux Falls	57	49	.07	cdy
Spokane	66	49		clr
Syracuse	81	63	.43	rn
Topeka	92	72		cdy
Tucson	94	58		clr
Tulsa	89	74		rn
Washington,D.C.	85	69		clr
Wichita	89	71		cdy

Extended forecasts

Friday-Sunday

West Texas: Fair nights and mornings and partly cloudy afternoons and evenings. Isolated to widely scattered thunderstorms east of mountains through the forecast period, more numerous north sections. Little day to day temperature change.

North Texas: Partly cloudy and warm. A slight chance of mainly afternoon and evening thunderstorms. Highs in the 90s. Lows in the 70s. Central and east, partly cloudy. Warm and humid. Highs in the 90s. Lows in the 70s.

South Texas: Mostly cloudy mornings with partly cloudy and hot afternoons. Warm at night. Lows in the 70s. Highs in the 90s, except 80s along the coast.

SESSION

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The bill also would make it a criminal offense to intentionally transmit the deadly virus.

The school finance bill nearly died in the House at 10 minutes to midnight when House Speaker Gib Lewis upheld a point of order by Rep. Sam Johnson, R-Plano, that would have killed the bill.

But Lewis then recognized Rep. Ernestine Glossbrenner, D-Alice, the House sponsor, to move to suspend the rules. She got the required two-thirds vote with a lopsided 126-21 tally that brought cheers in the crowded chamber.

The two-year equity plan was promoted as a "first step" in closing the gap between wealthy and poor school districts. It puts $90 million in the basic allotment that all but the wealthiest districts receive and splits an additional $360 million in a new equalization formula designed to help the poorest districts.

The bill also mandates a $660 annual pay raise for teachers and requires districts to levy a property tax of at least 70 cents per $100 of valuation to get their full share of state aid.

The Senate also closed its regular session on a sentimental note as senators and spectators gave Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby, their presiding officer, a standing ovation for his record 18 years in office.

But Hobby, who was praised for his ability to reach consensus, faces another challenge as he and House Speaker Gib Lewis prepare for a June 20 special session the governor plans to call to deal with workers compensation reform.

Clements offered few hints as to which bills he will veto and which he will sign into law. The Constitution gives him 20 days after the Legislature adjourns to sign the measures, or veto them, or let them become law without his signature.

The governor was pleased with the $47.4 billion budget the House sent him Sunday, particularly since it requires no new taxes and allows temporary taxes adopted two years ago to expire. The budget gave state employees a 5 percent pay raise, with another 3 percent pay raise for state university faculty the second year of the biennium.

Clements already has signed bills merging the University System of South Texas, which includes Corpus Christi State University, Laredo State University and Texas A&I, into the Texas A&M University System and Pan American University in Edinburg and Brownsville into the University of Texas System as part of an $11 million initiative to improve higher education opportunities in South Texas.

He has said he would veto a bill to expand the University of Texas at Dallas to four-year status, a project with strong support in his home town, if the bill contained provisions to similarly expand UT-Permian Basin in Odessa and to give Pan American University in Brownsville free-standing status. That's the way the Legislature sent the bill to him.

But making tough decisions is why the governor makes the big money, and why the budget gives him a raise to $93,432 in 1990. Lawmakers would like to make one-fourth of his salary, as they approved a proposed constitutional amendment that would tie their pay level to that of the governor. That measure, which would increase their compensation from the current $7,200 annually, goes on the general election ballot Nov. 7 along with a proposed increase in daily expenses.

Among the other major bills approved and sent to the governor before the midnight Monday deadline were:

- A criminal justice package that included $643 million for 15,800 new prison beds, with expanded parole and probation programs and $181 million to house 6,500 more in community-based work-release, drug and alcohol treatment, education and other rehabilitation programs.
- An "Al Capone" bill to tax illegal drugs, which would allow prosecutors to seek stiffer sentences for drug dealers who fail to pay the tax.
- An insurance reform package intended to give regulators better tools to stop fraud and eliminate secrecy for insolvent insurance companies, increasing capital requirements for new companies and establishing annual audits.
- A proposed constitutional amendment that would allow property tax exemptions for goods temporarily stored in Texas, except for oil and gas. Another bill would provide tax breaks for tertiary oil recovery.
- Gambling-related bills that would allow casino ships to cruise along the Texas Gulf Coast, telecasting of horse and dog races between tracks for betting purposes, transfer of bingo enforcement from the state comptroller to the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission and a constitutional amendment to legalize charity raffles, which voters will decide.
- A bill that would provide criminal penalties for recruiting student athletes in Texas with money or gifts (already signed by the governor).
- $154.5 million to repair and restore the Capitol and add an underground annex with general revenue funds.
- $100 million for low-cost loans to install water and sewer lines in "colonias," basically along the Rio Grande, which depends on voter approval of $500 million in water development bonds, and $2.5 million from general revenue as the state's share to build a waste treatment plant in Nuevo Laredo, Mexico, to stop pollution.
- A rural health package designed to ease the shortage of doctors and hospitals in rural areas and improve access to health care. The bill would establish a statewide network of trauma centers and would make the state liable for the first $100,000 in obstetric and emergency cases for physicians who treat charity patients.
- New income ceilings that increase the number of low-income pregnant women and children eligible for Medicaid health care.
- Renewal of the Texas Department of Agriculture in a compromise that weakened the agriculture commissioner's pesticide regulatory powers by making him the head of a nine-member board to regulate pesticides.
- Transportation safety bills that would require motorcycle riderers to wear helmets and provide criminal penalties for operating a boat or water skiing while intoxicated (both signed by the governor) and ban children riding in the back of pickup trucks above 35 mph.
- An open records bill that gives individuals more access to government records that involve them, and makes it harder for governments to thwart open records requests, such as by charging excessive fees.
- A bill to provide penalties for shady promotional gimmicks, particularly those involving resort timeshares, and regulating sweepstakes and prizes used to attract potential buyers.
- An increase in the legal age for buying tobacco products from 16 to 18.

SCHOOLS

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"I think it's a distinct possibility because of the great number of personnel we've had to add," Walker said of another 8 percent hike. "But until we get our analysis of our state funding, we can't say it's a probability."

Under a $450 million state funding bill sent Monday to Gov. Bill Clements, MISD would receive an additional $4.4 million over a two-year period, while ECISD would receive $6.6 million.

"That's not what you call a big increase for a two-year period," Walker said of ECISD's piece of the state funding puzzle. "The Legislature is being tight fisted.

"That means it's still up to the local school district to carry the load of the state mandates."

Baressi and Walker said the extra money will not cover cost of next year's state requirements.

MISD must spend an additional $1.8 million to pay for the 60 new teachers needed to meet the state 22-to-1 pupil-teacher ratio in third and fourth grades. ECISD will spend $2 million for 75 teachers needed to comply with the mandate.

Both districts, like all Texas school districts, also must raise their career ladder expenditures from $70 per average daily attendance to $90, costing MISD about $380,000 and ECISD an estimated $473,000.

In addition, the districts will consider giving raises, which also could cost into the millions.

Meanwhile, preliminary estimates show that tax values in each district have decreased to their lowest point since at least 1982, with MISD losing $45 million from last year and ECISD, $38 million.

MISD's value was $3.37 billion in 1982 and peaked at $4.67 billion in 1985 before starting its gradual decline, while ECISD tax base was worth $4.65 billion in 1982, peaking at $5.72 billion the next year before falling steadily since.

Based on preliminary appraisal district figures set earlier this month, MISD is worth $3.54 billion, while ECISD has $4.22 billion in taxable wealth.

Based on preliminary estimates, MISD would have to raise taxes from 90.5 cents per $100 valuation to 91.99 cents to equal last year's tax collections. An 8 percent hike over the effective tax rate — the rate at which a tax entity would maintain the previous year's tax levy — would mean an almost 10 cent increase to 99.34 cents.

In ECISD, the tax rate would have to go up a penny from 95.5 cents to equal last year's collections, with the rate having to go up about 7 cents before reaching the 8 percent maximum.

However, because Midland and Ector County appraisal districts are going through property value disputes, where some owners go before appraisal review boards and attempt to have their property values lowered, the preliminary figures are expected to drop further. Final figures will not be set until mid-July.

Ron Stegall, chief appraiser for the Midland Central Appraisal District, said the preliminary figure could drop by as much as 5 percent during this year's protest period.

"We may lose as much as another $30 million," Stegall said. "But that's just my guess at this time."

Chief Appraiser Jim Goodwin of the Ector County appraisal district said that because few property owners have disputed their preliminary appraisals this year, he doesn't expect a significant drop in initial ECISD value estimates.

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But Midland's representative in the House and it's ranking Republican feels the governor isn't budging an inch.

"I have not seen any softening. He told me he was going to veto the bill. I take him for his word," Rep. Tom Craddick said this morning.

"I know that he's looking into" vetoing the bill and then submitting for approval only a UT-Dallas expansion measure during the special session. "Whether he does that ... he's the one who makes that decision."

Regardless of what Clements does today, the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board will commission a formal study of the proposed expansion's impact on Midland, one board member said.

"I feel one of the things the coordinating board will take under consideration will be the attitude of the two cities as to their desire to see UTPB's status changed," Coordinating Board member Frank Cahoon vowed this morning.

"If the coordinating board does feel that UTPB's status should be changed to a four-year school, surely there is some type of plan that would enable lower-level UT classes to be taught at Midland College.

"Some type of plan should be developed of where any change of the status at UTPB can be a plus for Midland."

Some feel the Watkins amendment already includes that plus. While freshman- and sophomore-level classes in engineering and energy related fields would be taught at the Odessa university, a UT research laboratory would be implemented at Midland's yet-to-be-built Center for Energy and Economic Diversification.

In a 1985 Midland Chamber of Commerce legislative study, 52 percent of the respondents (chamber members) said they felt four-year status should be granted to UTPB, though a former chamber executive stressed officials want to secure an even larger majority prior to casting public support.

Sixty-eight percent of the respondents in the 1985 chamber study they felt the expansion of was "high" importance to Midland.

Today, however, the chamber doesn't have a public stance.

Midland Chamber of Commerce Chairman Steve Davidson said members haven't "done anything as far as staking out a position."

The chamber chairman allowed "we're in support of education" and that "education is one of the things in the formula" for economic growth and diversification.

Grant Billingsley, spokesman for the Wagner & Brown Corp., which gave $1 million to the construction of the Center for for Energy and Economic Diversification, said today the firm's donation wasn't contingent on the expansion of UTPB.

However, Billingsley allowed: "This is a unique opportunity I think is present right now to potentially do something positive for the whole region."

Coordinating Board at UT System Board of Regents approval would "prevent against anything unnecessary or that wouldn't be positive," he continued.

Odessa College President Phil Speegle, while officially against the expansion, believes the expansion of freshman- and sophomore-level engineering and energy classes wouldn't impact "more than about 30 students," his spokeswoman said today.

Claude Pepper

PEPPER

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"In the bosom of that small, gentle man beat the heart of a giant — a heart that felt the pain of a world where children go to sleep hungry and where the old die alone," Rep. Joe Moakley, D-Mass., said.

"He was not just a witness to the century, he helped shape the century," said Rep. David E. Bonior, D-Mich., the chief deputy whip of the House.

Pepper, born Sept. 8, 1900, on a farm near Dudleyville, Ala., rose from poverty to attend the University of Alabama and Harvard Law School. In Congress, he was an architect of some of the nation's most enduring "safety net" programs, including Social Security, the minimum wage, and medical assistance for the elderly and for handicapped children.

He was the first national legislator to push publicly for federal funding for the war against cancer, a disease that took his wife, Mildred in 1979, some 43 years after they were married. They had no children.

In his final years, he dug in his heels against cutting Social Security benefits to elderly retired workers — half a century after campaigning for establishment of the retirement program.

President Bush, who presented Pepper with the Medal of Freedom, the nation's highest civilian award, during a hospital visit last Thursday, offered this summing up from Bonn, West Germany:

"Claude Pepper gave definition and meaning to the concept of public service. He fought for the poor and the elderly in his own determined way.

"Those who agreed with him were proud to follow his banner. Those who disagreed with him always respected him. Claude Pepper was a gentleman, a noble human being."

Others noted Pepper's extraordinary length of public service, beginning with his election to the Florida House of Representatives in 1928 at age 28.

He went to the Senate four years into the administration of President Franklin D. Roosevelt. Defeated for re-election in 1950, he taught and practiced law until his election in 1962 to the House from a Miami district.

WRIGHT

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Sources also told those two news organizations and The Associated Press the FBI is looking into allegations of payroll padding on the staff of Rep. William H. Gray III of Pennsylvania, the fourth-ranking Democrat in the House.

Gray, currently vying to move up in the House leadership, said after CBS broke the story Tuesday that it was an "outrageous lie." He said he was questioned by FBI agents Monday but assured he was not the subject of an investigation.

The Justice Department declined comment on the report.

After spending the holiday weekend in seclusion, Wright told reporters Tuesday, "I think I know what I should do" and that he would have a statement "before the week's out."

The timing of Wright's announcement, if it comes, could be affected by the death Tuesday of Rep. Claude Pepper. The House legislative schedule was being truncated to accommodate the state funeral on Thursday for Pepper, who was the oldest member of Congress.

Not waiting for Wright's final decision, some of his own lieutenants are scrambling to move up in the ranks. The pressure on Wright and the power game were made all the more intense by the announcement last weekend that Rep. Tony Coelho of California, the House Democratic whip, would be resigning. Coelho's resignation followed reports he earned nearly $7,000 from a junk bond investment for which he never had to put up any of his own money.

"It is in the best interests of the institution and the Democratic Party to get this mess behind us," said Rep. Jim Slattery, D-Kan. "Regrettably, that involves the resignation of the speaker."

Wright was charged last month by the House Committee on Standards of Official Conduct with violating House rules in 69 instances.

The most serious of those involve allegedly accepting improper gifts — including a no-work job for his wife — from a developer friend, and circumventing House rules on outside income through bulk sales of his book "Reflections of a Public Man."

The speaker has repeatedly insisted that he broke no House rules or any laws, and he has vowed to fight for the honor of his wife.

The ethics committee was scheduled to meet Thursday to consider Wright's motion to dismiss those charges. "I'm convinced our motions are legally well grounded," he said Tuesday.

Wilson said he agreed with the speaker's case, but "nervous members" who fear Wright's problems could be turned into an issue against all Democrats would increase pressure on him if he didn't resign.

"Jim Wright is the victim of a perception of political deterioration that has occurred over the country," Wilson said. In addition, because Coelho's resignation was viewed by other lawmakers as a selfless act, it limited Wright's options and "created more pressure" on Wright, Wilson said.

Another factor adding pressure on Wright was a continuing ethics committee probe into areas not covered by its original set of charges.

OPEC

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Mehdi Versi, London analyst for Kleinwort Benson Securities, said demand for OPEC oil has risen by almost 3 percent this year.

A few weeks ago, King Fahd said that if, demand continues to show strength and oil producers stick to quotas, prices could rise to $26.

Nazer's remarks Tuesday confirmed a Saudi shift toward market prices.

"Saudi Arabia is not opposed to higher prices than $18 a barrel, as long as they are justified by demand and supported with strict adherence to a production quota by all OPEC members without exception," Nazer said.

Oil prices vary according to the characteristics of the oil being sold and where it is produced.

The price targets set by OPEC refer to an average of prices for the production of several member countries.

Oil traders do not keep track of the average price because it has no commercial significance.

The average, however, is roughly equal to the price of Dubai crude, which has been between $15 and $16 in recent weeks.

Asked what he thought was the ideal price of oil, Nazer said the price of crude should be equivalent to the price of alternative energy sources.

Speaking on the eve of a meeting of the cartel in Vienna — a meeting widely predicted to be a contentious one, because at least three nations are expected to seek higher quotas — Nazer said the attempt to set a price for oil had repeatedly proved to be a failure as many OPEC members violated their quotas.

A number of Arab oil-industry sources from Kuwait, Saudi Arabia and a Latin American oil producer said that what looms behind the new Saudi attitude is a warning to those in OPEC who are clamoring for a unilateral increase in their production quotas at the OPEC meeting.

BUSH

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Bush's NATO proposals for cutbacks in conventional East-West troop levels and armaments drew another positive response from Soviet officials today. Gennady Gerasimov, spokesman for the Soviet foreign ministry, said on ABC-TV's "Good Morning America" that "we ask for a timeout to study it, but the initial reaction is positive."

The central theme of the Mainz speech was a call for freedom and democracy for all of Europe.

"In the East, brave men and women are showing us the way," Bush said.

"Look at Poland, where Solidarity and the Catholic Church have won legal status. The forces of freedom are putting the Soviet status quo on the defensive.

"In the West, we have succeeded because we have been faithful to our values and our vision. But, on the other side of the rusting Iron Curtain, their vision failed."

He said that nowhere is the division between East and West more obvious than in Berlin, where Communist authorities erected a wall of concrete and barbed wire in 1961 in an effort to halt the flow of refugees to the West.

"There, a brutal wall cuts neighbor from neighbor and brother from brother," Bush said. "That wall stands as a monument to the failure of communism. It must come down."

He issued that challenge as part of a series of proposals "to heal Europe's tragic division, to help Europe become whole and free."

Bush said Berlin should become a center of commerce and cooperation instead of confrontation.

"Bring glasnost to East Berlin," he declared.

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Wright still formidable in district, GOP says

Associated Press

Even if a House Ethics Committee investigation prompts House Speaker Jim Wright to resign his leadership role, the Fort Worth Democrat still would be an unstoppable congressional candidate as far as Republicans are concerned.

"Jim Wright was elected 34 years ago when Texas was a Democratic state," said Steve Hollern, GOP chairman in Wright's home district of Tarrant County. "His influence over the years has continued to grow. He's able to attract some Republican-leaning votes."

In recent years, Wright's home district — once staunchly Democratic — has elected two Republican presidents, a Republican governor and a Republican senator. But Wright never has feared Republican opposition.

Wright was elected to the House in 1954, and in the 15 general elections since 1960 he has run unopposed seven times. In the eight other elections, he won an average 68 percent of the vote.

The last time the Republicans were even close was in 1980, when Fort Worth businessman Jim Bradshaw garnered 39 percent of the vote. But last year, after the ethics probe began, no Republican faced Wright in his re-election bid.

"As a county chairman, my position would be, 'Why would we want to go out and run a candidate if we (only) can jump from 31 to, say, 38 percent?' " Hollern said.

Now with the House Ethics Committee investigation stealing headlines, even Wright's colleagues are indicating the speaker may step down.

Wright is being investigated for 69 violations of House rules. He said Tuesday he would announce this week whether he intends to resign.

But while Texas politicians already are speculating about who could replace Wright, it's unlikely anyone could beat Wright for the 12th Congressional District, Hollern said.

"I think if Jim Wright decides not to stay in Congress ... the whole ball game changes," Hollern said Tuesday. "If he stays there, I don't think we can beat him."

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Hollern said that until Wright steps downs, Republicans will concentrate on winning other seats.

"Any time that district does not have Jim Wright as a Democratic candidate, at that point there will be a recharacterization of the district, and I think we would do very well," Hollern said.

But if Wright does step down, Hollern said he has had "speculative" discussions with six or seven potential candidates, whom he would not name.

But others have said potential Republican candidates include Tarrant County Judge Roy English and Alvarado businessman Don McNiel, who unsuccessfully tried to unseat Wright in 1986.

Terry Grisham, press spokesman for English, said his boss "has been contacted by Republicans on the national level to look at the seat if it comes open."

Most frequently mentioned as a Democratic contender is state Sen. Hugh Parmer, a former Fort Worth mayor and a close friend and ally of Wright. Parmer has announced his candidacy for the U.S. Senate seat held by Phil Gramm.

Other possible Democratic candidates include former state representative Mike Millsap, now an aide to Texas House Speaker Gib Lewis; Pete Geren, a Fort Worth attorney who ran unsuccessfully in 1986 in the 6th Congressional District; and Gary Gilley, a Fort Worth city councilman who is campaigning for mayor pro tem.

Bullock, Edwards trade lists of endorsements

AUSTIN (AP) — State Comptroller Bob Bullock says 17 of state Sen. Chet Edwards' 22 Democratic colleagues endorse Bullock for lieutenant governor. Edwards says endorsements of elected officials don't win elections.

Edwards

Bullock Tuesday also released a list of 63 of the 91 Democratic House members who favor him for the 1990 Democratic nomination to succeed Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby, who has said he will not seek re-election.

Edwards, who has not formally announced for lieutenant governor but insists he has "every intention" of doing so, said, "I've never been the insider's choice. I'm not going to be the insider's choice."

Bullock and Edwards both held news conferences Tuesday in what could be a preview of contrasting styles in the race for lieutenant governor.

After the senators had endorsed Bullock, Edwards, D-Duncanville, released a list of 67 "voters and taxpayers" supporting him.

Three senators spoke on Bullock's behalf, three non-legislators for Edwards.

Bullock, who announced 19 months ago for lieutenant governor, said in presenting the Senate endorsements, "This is the greatest day of my life."

"The Legislature is where the action is. I love the Legislature," he said.

Edwards said, "Every vote counts the same, and every person is just as important as any other person."

Sen. Chet Brooks, D-Pasadena, said "the state budget is the whole ball game in getting services to people and in serving people and responding to their needs and what they want. And there is no one in state government holding any office that knows more about the state budget process ... and how we can raise revenue" than Bullock.

Ruby Hawk of Austin, who Edwards said is retired, called the senator "a person who isn't afraid to tackle a hard job."

Sens. Eddie Bernice Johnson, D-Dallas, and John Montford, D-Lubbock, also praised Bullock, with Montford saying Bullock has a "total grasp of the business of state government."

"This is no time to dilly-dally, this is no time to be wishy-washy," Montford said. "We've got a lot of things going for us. Let's don't lose this momentum."

Deralyn Davis of Fort Worth, chairperson emeritus of the Texas Coalition of Black Democrats, said Edwards is "one of the brightest stars in Texas government."

"Edwards said, "I can't tell you how many senators ... who said they're afraid if they don't support Bob Bullock and he's elected lieutenant governor, they may find themselves without a district. It's exactly that kind of politics of fear and intimidation I think that we need to get away from in Texas."

Tony Proffitt, a spokesman for Bullock, said Edwards had insulted senators by suggesting they could be intimidated.

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Lawmakers' aides wear masks with the likeness of Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby, as the Senate honored its presiding officer Monday night, as the 71st regular session of the Legislature came to a close in the Capitol. Hobby has said he will not seek re-election to the post he has held since 1972.

U.S. cited in Third World's suffering

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Delegates to the World Council of Churches' Conference on Mission and Evangelism said the United States government adds to the suffering and struggle of Third World countries, while U.S. churches remain complacent about helping their Christian neighbors.

"The report says U.S. churches have not been aggressive enough in trying to eradicate the injustice perpetuated by the U.S. government toward the poor here and around the world," the Rev. Daniel Romero, a voting delegate from the United Church of Christ in New York, said Tuesday.

"Many people here view the U.S., in particular, as the oppressor of the Third World."

European, African, Latin American and other delegates attending the conference at Trinity University since May 22 said in the report the dominant role of some U.S. institutions in their countries included "extraction of their wealth, military intervention, attempts at political hegemony and the creation of dependence."

"The Christians of the world are not telling the truth about what is happening. A tremendous amount of arms are being sent by the United States to Israel to sustain the oppression of the Palestinians" said the Rev. Basil Manning, a minister in the United Congregational Church of Southern Africa, who claims U.S. aid to Israel amounts to $1,000 a year for every American because of a strong Zionist lobby.

Manning, who was part of a World Council of Churches team that visited the occupied territories of the West Bank and Gaza in February, said Christian churches in the United States are guilty of complicity in the oppression of Palestinian Christians by Israeli occupation forces, by not speaking out.

But Maxine Cohen of the Jewish Federation of San Antonio said by phone the conflict in Israel was set off initially by Arabs attacking Israel.

"Israel is being unjustly blamed for initiating this thing," Cohen said. "The Israelis are not initiating the violence. They are reacting to the disturbances.

About 270 voting delegates from 112 countries divided into four sections at the beginning of the conference to study missionary work and evangelism. While most of the 740 conferees will not vote on passage of four reports, many serve as consultants and observers.

Tuesday's 11-page report, titled "Participating in Suffering and Struggle," represents the first report to be discussed and revised by delegates. The report also urges some U.S. churches to donate 10 percent of their capital to U.S. programs which help the needy.

Romero, who did not help write the report, participated in another section report, titled "The Call Toward Renewed Communities in Mission." The other two sections are titled "Turning to the Living God" and "The Earth is the Lord's."

The remaining section reports will be discussed today before the conference's closing worship service at 8 p.m. at Trinity University Chapel.

White Sands blast planned

WHITE SANDS MISSILE RANGE, N.M. (AP) — The Defense Nuclear Agency plans to detonate nearly 2,500 tons of ammonium nitrate and fuel oil Thursday to test the effects of blast on equipment and structures.

The test, on the northern reaches of the restricted White Sands Missile Range, comes two years after a similar, larger test at the range.

Crews have been loading 2,440 tons of the explosive mixture into a 70-foot diameter hemispherical container in preparation for the latest test, dubbed Misers Gold.

The May 1987 test, called Misty Picture, detonated 4,685 tons of ammonium nitrate and fuel oil in one of the largest non-nuclear blasts in the Western Hemisphere. It simulated a blast equivalent to an 8-kiloton nuclear device.

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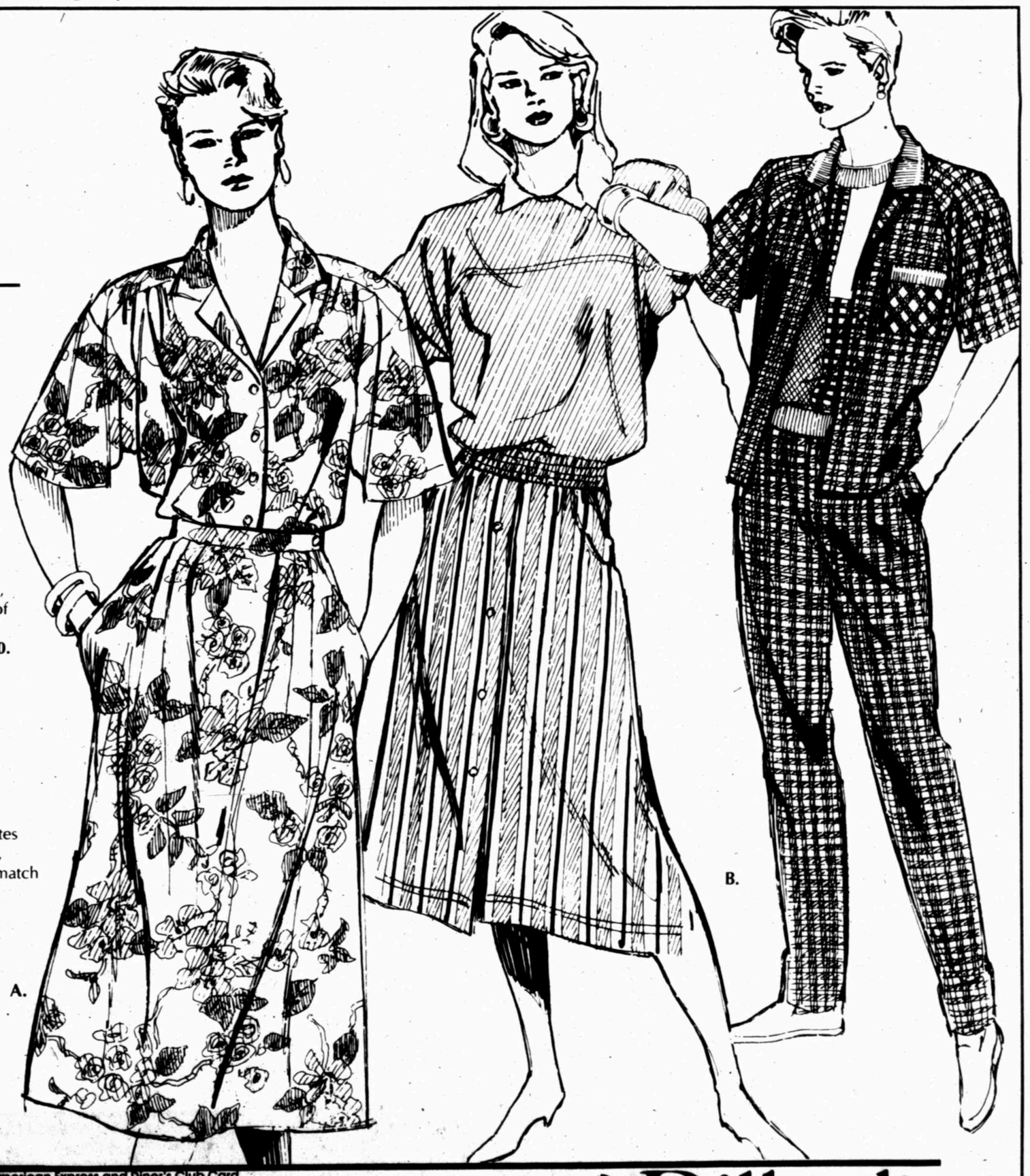

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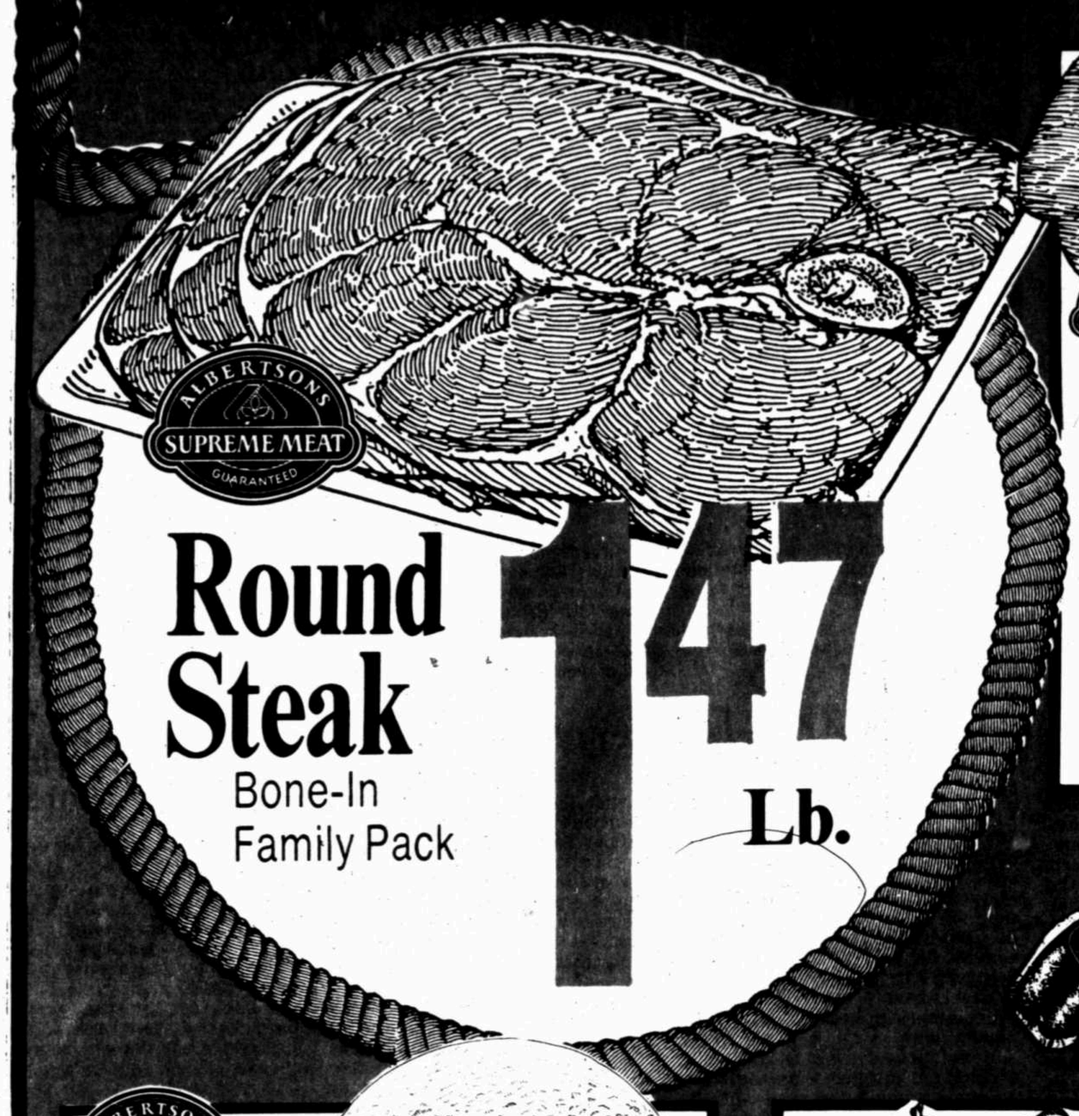

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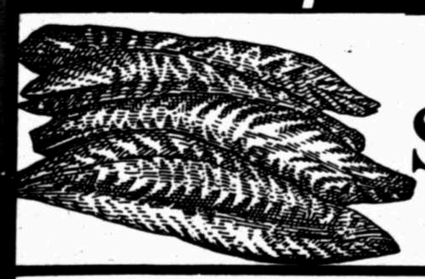

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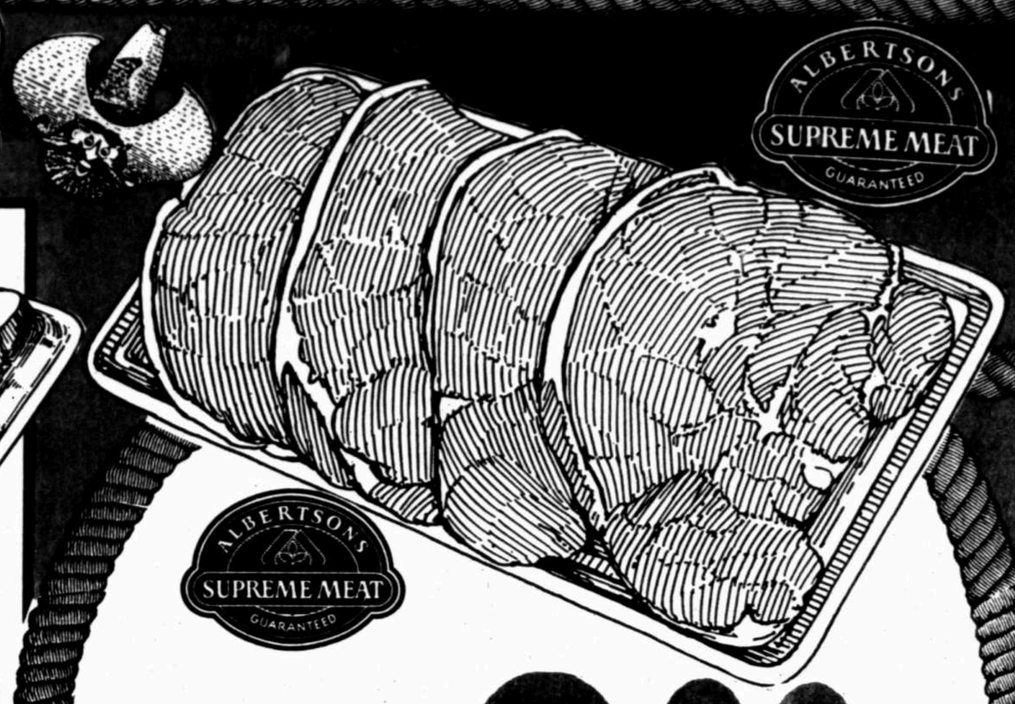

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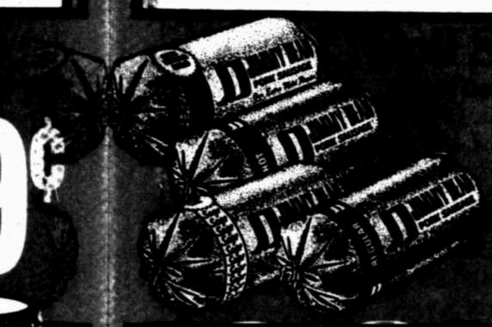

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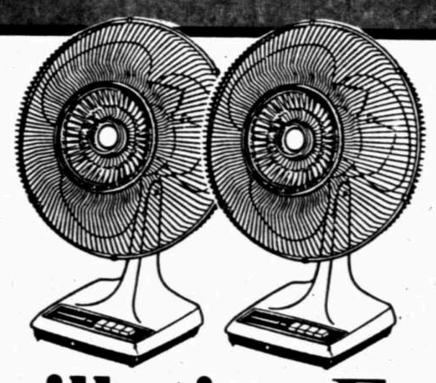

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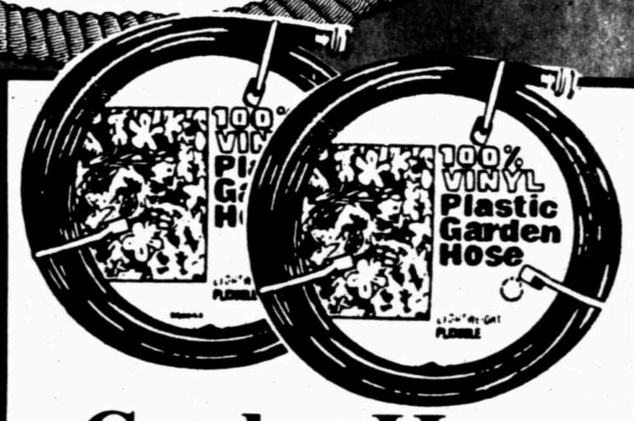

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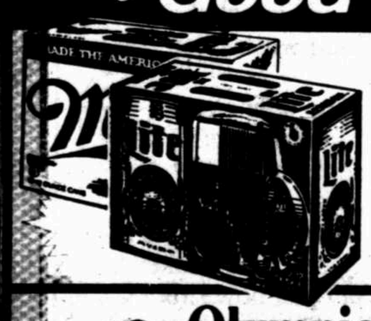

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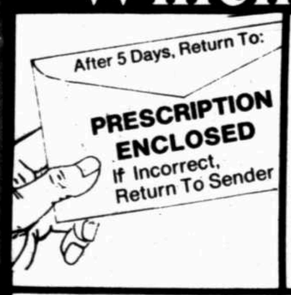

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Fourteen Marines missing in crash of U.S. helicopter

TOKYO (AP) — A U.S. Marine helicopter crashed upside down into the sea during night training exercises off Okinawa, and 14 Marines were missing today and feared dead, U.S. military spokesmen said.

Authorities said eight other Marines on board the CH-46 Sea Knight helicopter, based in Kaneohe Bay, Hawaii, were rescued shortly after the 11:55 p.m. crash Tuesday about 30 miles south of Okinawa's Kadena Air Force base.

The names of the missing were withheld pending notification of next of kin, the Navy said. The cause of the accident was under investigation.

The Sea Knight helicopter had just taken off from the USS Denver, said Marine Master Sgt. Jake Rodrigues, spokesman for U.S. Forces, Japan.

Rodrigues said the helicopter, built in 1967, was carrying a crew of four and 18 soldiers assigned to the 2nd Battalion, 3rd Marine Regiment, Okinawa, for six months' training as part of a unit-rotation program.

In Washington, Marine Corps spokesman Lt. Col. Fred Peck said the helicopter "pitched over to the right and went into the water inverted, upside down. I have nothing to indicate why it did that."

Peck said the four injured men were being treated aboard the Denver, an amphibious transport vessel designed for amphibious assaults and capable of carrying up to six CH-46 helicopters.

Capt. Lenny Ryan, a Kaneohe Marine Corps Air Station spokesman, said the four suffered minor injuries.

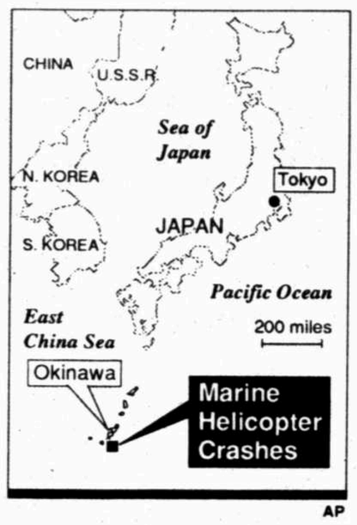
"An investigation will be initiated immediately," Ryan said. "As soon as they're able to talk, we'll start getting information immediately so we can start trying to piece together what happened in this tragedy."

He said the pilot was not wearing night-vision goggles at the time of the accident.

The helicopter went down 9½ miles southeast of Kiyan Cape, said Nagatoshi Naruse, spokesman for the Maritime Safety Agency, Japan's coast guard. He said three Japanese aircraft and six Maritime Safety Agency patrol boats joined two U.S. vessels, including the Denver, and four U.S. aircraft in the search.

Another coast guard spokesman, Kazuhiro Sameshima, said the weather in the area was fair at the time of the crash, with waves about three feet high.

Okinawa, Japan's southernmost prefecture, has the highest concentration of Marines outside of the United States, the 20,000 Marines stationed there comprise about 10 percent of the corps.



AP

Hawaiian base hard hit by news

HONOLULU (AP) — Fellow Marines and relatives waited anxiously for news of the 14 men missing after a helicopter crash during a training mission off Okinawa.

"There is a great somberness and pain with reports of the tragedy or possible tragedy. We are fearful and concerned," said Navy Capt. Herbert Bergsma, chaplin at Kaneohe Marine Corps Air Station.

A Kaneohe-based CH-46 Sea Knight helicopter with 22 Marines crashed into the sea Tuesday night after taking off from the USS Denver off Okinawa, Japan. Eight Marines were rescued, including four who were injured. A search was continuing for the missing, whose names have not been released.

A special hotline number was set up for Marine families to call, but they are told only if their relative was not involved, officials said. The families of the missing were being notified individually.

Nancy O'Donnell, ombudsman for the 3rd Marine Regiment, was fielding telephone calls from servicemen's wives.

"I hear anxiety in their voices. Some are in tears. They want to know right now" if their husband is among the missing, said Mrs. O'Donnell, whose husband, Sgt. Kevin O'Donnell, is in Okinawa but was not involved in the accident.

The helicopter was carrying a crew of four assigned to Kaneohe's Aircraft Group 24, and 18 passengers from the 3rd Marine Regiment.

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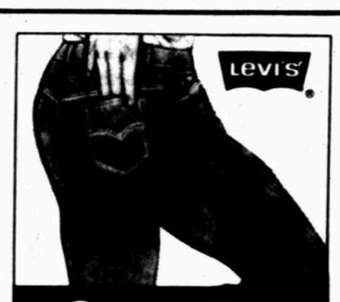

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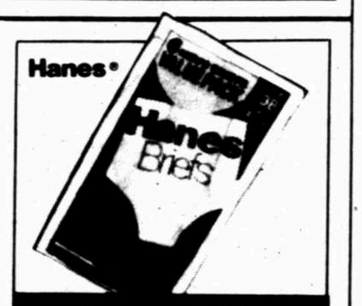

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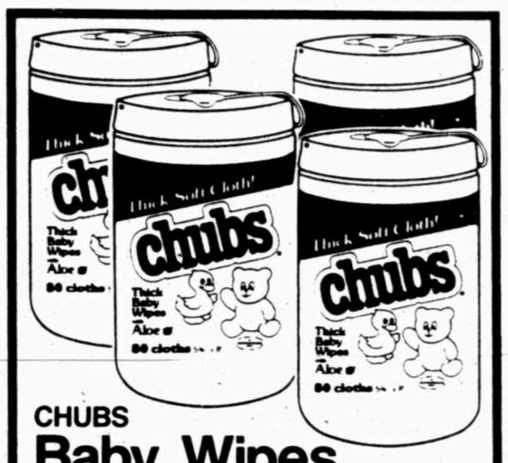

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Anti-porn stalwarts winning 'dirty war'

The nation's pornographers are coming up with more and more mud in their eyes.

The U.S. Department of Justice and other law enforcement agencies, the courts, anti-porn grass-roots activists and others have combined to put the smut peddlers back in the gutter instead of their phony pose as arch-defenders of the U.S. Constitution.

More than 250 anti-porn convictions took place at federal levels last year. There was virtually no such sentencing during the Carter administration.

Millions of Americans are delighted that fewer children and others are now being used in this dirty traffic. More porn peddlers are being shut down all across the country, and a good number are in jail. Regional phone companies have shut off Dial-a-Porn lines. Imports of child-porn films have fallen by half in the past four years.

Obscenity lovers are outraged. They insist their constitutional right to sell and distribute any and all forms of sex — however masochistic or bizarre — is being violated. They assail the conservative and feminist view that porn may cause violence.

Investigators of child-porn cases maintain otherwise. They report that evidence of child-molestation is found in three of every 10 porn arrests. Racketeers and other known criminals are engaged in such traffic. The anti-porn movement says that whether porn poisons the minds of few or many people is irrelevant. Society has a duty to protect itself from moral and ethical filth. The smut peddlers say the only real issue is their freedom.

The porn supporters suggest that smut dealing is a neutral, harmless act. That is intellectually outrageous. They counter that morality has no relevance in a pluralistic society. However, laws do. And, whether it is called morality or social ethics, that has clear public relevance.

If the porn crowd has constitutional rights, so do the moralists and others who have had their fill of this garbage. The decent are now beginning to win the battle — thanks to Ronald Reagan, President Bush, judges, juries, police, and millions of Americans who oppose pornography's "sewer society."

Another View:

Dead on arrival

Lucky is the poor black woman who is pregnant in Mississippi rather than in New York. She is three times more likely to receive early prenatal care.

Thousands of poor women in New York are denied federally funded prenatal and infant care because of a standoff over abortion. Governor Cuomo and legislative leaders bear a heavy responsibility to end the impasse.

Three years ago, Congress passed a law providing federal Medicaid funds for prenatal and infant care of women and children with incomes up to 185 percent of the poverty level. Under Medicaid, states that want the new Federal money must match it with their own.

Some 43 states have already applied for the new money. But not New York, where the issue has become entangled in a debate over abortion. Federal law bars any use of federal Medicaid funds for abortions, but states have the option of paying for abortions with their own funds. That is how the law works in New York for the existing Medicaid program.

But what about the new expanded program? The Democratic Assembly won't consider any bill that would deny state money for abortion to the newly eligible women. The Republican Senate won't consider a bill that doesn't exclude them from Medicaid-funded abortions. As a result, some 70,000 poor mothers and babies are denied money for prenatal and infant health care.

That deadlock could be broken if Governor Cuomo were to revive an initiative he undertook two years ago that basically accepts the Senate position. New York State would continue to fund abortions for women with incomes up to 100 percent of the poverty level, but the added group with more income would receive Medicaid funding only for prenatal care, not for abortions.

Such a solution won't please those who believe that abortions should be included in all prenatal care paid for with state Medicaid funds. But legislators will have other chances to change their minds — a baby has only one chance at a healthy birth.

A spokesman for the governor says it would be futile to push a bill that would be "dead on arrival." Without that bill, however, some young New Yorkers may be dead on arrival, too.

— The New York Times

JACK ANDERSON

Joint Chiefs ignored bomb warning

BEIRUT — Buried in the rubble of Beirut is an American tragedy that could have been prevented. The truth is buried even deeper in the locked files of the Pentagon.

Jack Anderson

At 6:20 a.m. on Oct. 23, 1983, a pickup truck carrying two tons of cyclonite explosives careened into the Marine Corps barracks in Beirut and killed 241 Marines. It was the worst surprise attack on U.S. forces since Pearl Harbor.

Yet, it should have been no surprise to people inside the Pentagon. They received explicit warnings that the attack was coming. The military brass ignored the warnings and then covered up their negligence. U.S. intelligence had proof that the assault was instigated by Iran, but the perpetrators have gone unpunished.

Knowing all this, two years later Ronald Reagan let himself be talked into selling arms to the regime that murdered our Marines.

From sources in Washington and Beirut, we have now learned that the Pentagon knew enough to save lives. Here are the highlights.

U.S. intelligence learned that in June 1982, Ali Nawai, an attache from the Iranian Embassy in Bern, Switzerland, secretly bought 300 tons of cyclonite explosives in Brussels and shipped them to Iran.

By March 1983, the National Security Agency was intercepting alarming communications that clearly indicated that Shiite terrorists, fanatically loyal to the Ayatollah Khomeini, planned to bomb the U.S. Embassy in Beirut.

The Pentagon's anti-terrorist expert, Noel Koch, went straight to then-Secretary of Defense Caspar Weinberger with the warning. Koch later described what happened in a private letter to Sen. William Cohen, R-Maine, of the Senate Intelligence Committee. He said Weinberger asked him to brief the Joint Chiefs of Staff and formulate a plan of action.

But the Joint Chiefs apparently were too busy to listen. Koch was shuffled off to underlings who twiddled their thumbs while he briefed them.

Then, on April 18, 1983, a car packed with cyclonite explosives rammed into the embassy, demolishing part of the building and killing 17 Americans.

Koch flew immediately to Beirut. He assigned an undercover team to find out why his warnings had been ignored. The team brought back a secret report on the foul-up with a warning that more attacks would come.

"This led to denials, ass-covering and all-around outrage that the survey (by his undercover team) had been done at all," Koch wrote bluntly. "Thus it was decided that there were no problems and, even if there were, they had been fixed. The report was swept under the rug."

Koch resumed his efforts to warn the Joint Chiefs. Four months later, the underlings submitted to another briefing, but the chiefs were still too busy to listen.

On Oct. 10, 1983, a spy satellite intercepted an alarming message from the Iranian foreign ministry to its ambassador in Damascus, Ali Akbar Mohtashami. It was clear that Iran was planning another major terrorist attack on Americans in Beirut. The Marine Corps barracks were blown up 13 days later.

Koch told Cohen that the Joint Chiefs launched a secret study "to discover those things that we had tried for nearly a year to tell them about terrorism."

Koch concluded his letter: "I never spoke out about events leading up to the disaster in Beirut. It seemed proper not to — simply because it could only cause more pain to people already suffering the unbearable pain of the loss of people they loved. Internally, I made my views known. But who would wish to say to someone that their loved ones died because those to whom their lives were entrusted placed a higher priority on personal interests, career interests, bureaucratic interests? Better to agree, as we generally do, that it was nobody's fault."

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A HERO'S TREATMENT — On our recent trip to Beirut, we learned more about the man who blew up the Marine Corps barracks in Beirut. He was a 24-year-old Lebanese Shiite cleric studying to be a holy man, just like his mentor Khomeini. His body was destroyed in the blast, but a grateful Khomeini has erected two memorials to the suicide bomber. One is in south Lebanon and the other in the holy city of Qom in Iran. Khomeini also ordered compensation for the bomber's family, and they now live comfortably on the charity of the ayatollah.

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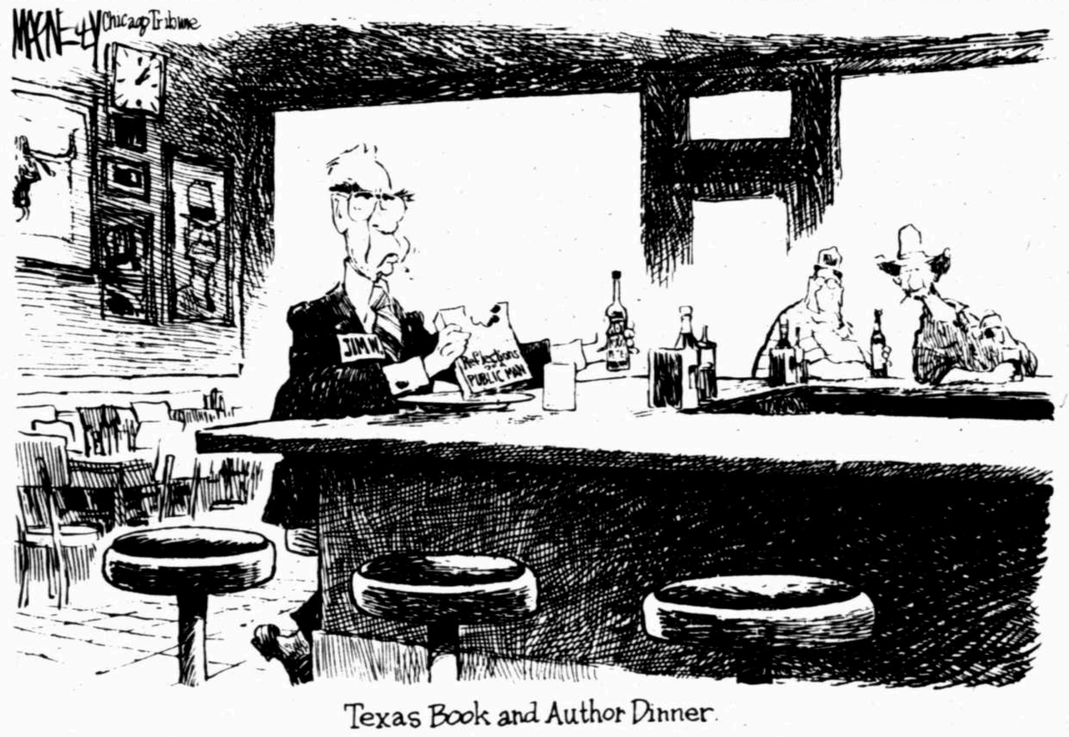
MINI-EDITORIAL — The wheels of international bureaucracy are moving slowly toward a ban on ivory. Maybe in October, an international conference will approve the ban. In the meantime, African elephants are dropping under the guns of poachers who steal the tusks and leave the elephants to the buzzards. At this rate, by the turn of the century, the only elephants will be in zoos. A ban is a good idea, but not foolproof. Elephants will be in danger as long as people buy ivory. The only way to save the elephants is to stop buying ivory, today.

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



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BIBLE VERSE

"The righteous cry, and the Lord heareth, and delivereth them out of all their troubles." Psalm 34:17

"Blessed are the merciful: for they shall obtain mercy." Matthew 5:7

ART BUCHWALD

Mr. Alibi has a line for almost anything!

When members of official Washington get into trouble they usually go to see Alan Kent, who runs a shop behind the Capitol called The House of a Thousand Alibis. Kent produces strong statements that they can use to defend themselves.

Art Buchwald

Alan, wearing a green eyeshade and an apron, was putting the finishing touches to a congressman's press release concerning some charges of ethical hanky-panky.

He held it up to the light and read out loud, " 'I did nothing wrong, and even if I did, everybody else does the same thing.' How do you like it?"

"It's very good because it's creative," I told him.

Kent showed me another one which said, "This is nothing more than a vicious political attack by the opposition to get even for what we did to General Custer."

I nodded. "There are Democrats out there who will buy it."

Kent told me, "When someone is accused of screwing up, it's best to go on the offensive. I wrote this the other day on the bus, 'It would be easy to resign. However, such action would be tantamount to admitting that I knew it was illegal to take money from a savings and loan and bet it on the horses.' "

"Sheer poetry. That's all the convincing I would need," I admitted.

"I only take clients who will read exactly what I write for them. Let's say a congressman has a friend who is very rich and makes a lot of investments. The partner asks the legislator to intervene for him on certain bills before Congress, which might or might not benefit the both of them. I have to create a few lines that will take the sting out of it."

"In this case, what would they be?"

" 'Anyone who thinks I would go into the tank for a $250,000 condo with a pool and golf privileges doesn't know me.' "

"That's it?"

Kent smiled. "Short and sweet. One of the best ways to fight fire with fire is to attack the press for printing things about the congressman that are not true. When someone is in trouble, I first write an official statement on his behalf declaring that the press is waging a vendetta against the congressman, and everything written about his situation is garbage."

"Do you have anything which says your client wants his day in court?"

"I have it in any one of a hundred flavors. I also have one which says, 'I don't care if they attack me — but when they attack my dog, they have gone too far.' "

"Suppose the congressman doesn't have a dog?"

"Who's to know?"

"How many excuses for ethical misconduct do you offer?" I asked.

"Enough to fill all the filing cabinets against the wall. But our specialty is to custom-tailor statements for every situation. For example, we might have one congressman protest that he was 'railroaded' by the media, and another declare that he was 'a victim of mob hysteria.' "

"Are most of the people who come here innocent of any wrongdoing?"

"We never ask them. Our only business is to put words into their mouths."

I looked around the room and suddenly I saw something that knocked me for a loop. It was in neon, and all it said was NO QUID PRO QUO.

"Who did you make that for?" I asked Kent.

He pursed his lips and said, "I can't tell you."

Art Buchwald is a columnist for Los Angeles Times Syndicate.

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Wednesday, May 31, the 151st day of 1989. There are 214 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

One hundred years ago, on May 31, more than 2,000 people perished when a dam break sent water rushing through Johnstown, Pa.

On this date:

In 1809, composer Franz Josef Hayden died in Vienna, Austria.

In 1819, poet Walt Whitman was born in West Hill, N.Y.

In 1910, the Union of South Africa was founded.

In 1913, the 17th Amendment to the Constitution, which provides for the popular election of U.S. senators, was declared in effect.

In 1916, during World War I, British and German fleets fought the Battle of Jutland off Denmark.

In 1961, South Africa became an independent republic.

In 1962, World War II Gestapo official Adolf Eichmann was hanged in Israel for his role in the Holocaust.

In 1970, tens of thousands of people in Peru died in an earthquake.

In 1976, Martha Mitchell, the estranged wife of former Attorney General John N. Mitchell, died in New York.

In 1977, the trans-Alaska oil pipeline, three years in the making, was completed.

In 1983, Jack Dempsey, heavyweight boxing champion from 1919 to 1926, died at his home in New York at age 87.

In 1986, Bobby Rahal won the rain-delayed Indianapolis 500 with a record average speed of 170.722 mph.

Ten years ago: A federal judge ruled that President Carter overstepped his constitutional powers in trying to enforce his wage-price guidelines.

Five years ago: Nicaraguan rebel leader Eden Pastora was taken into custody upon arrival for medical treatment in Costa Rica, one day after he was wounded and four others were killed in a bomb attack in Nicaragua.

One year ago: Saying, "Maybe now is again a time to bang our fists on the table," Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev expressed frustration with the absence of progress in efforts to reach a treaty on reducing strategic nuclear weapons. The comment came on the third day of his Moscow summit talks with President Reagan.

Today's birthdays: Author-minister Norman Vincent Peale is 91. Actor Don Ameche is 81. Prince Rainier of Monaco is 66. Actor Clint Eastwood is 59. Opera singer Shirley Verrett is 56. Singer Peter Yarrow is 51. Anglican Church envoy Terry Waite is 50. Singer Johnny Paycheck is 48. Former football quarterback Joe Namath is 46. Actor Tom Berenger is 39. Actress-model Brooke Shields is 24.

Thought for today: "Man in the 20th century has been cut adrift in a rudderless boat on an uncharted sea." — Stanley Kubrick.

TOM WICKER

Judge politicos on merits, not on party label

Because the Democrats have been in command in the House of Representatives for more than 30 years, even during the administrations of five Republican presidents, does that mean power has corrupted the Democratic majority?

Tom Wicker

Is that the reason Rep. Tony Coelho has resigned and Speaker Jim Wright — also facing ethics charges — has little choice but to follow?

It's tempting to draw that conclusion. Power does tend to corrupt, as we are endlessly reminded by Lord Acton fans. And the Democrats have ruled the House long enough for some of them to fall into bad habits and attitudes, perhaps including the notion that they can get away with just about anything.

Their leaders, moreover, like Wright and Coelho, who was the party whip, are more naturally the targets of outsiders who want to play influence games, or offer a lucrative favor in hopes of a political response.

Rep. Newt Gingrich, the red-hot Georgia Republican who brought the charges that have done in Wright, would have us believe that as a result of the Democrats' prolonged power, corruption runs deep into their ranks. But let him who is certainly without sin cast the first stone, an injunction that should keep Gingrich's arm modestly lowered.

Any such stones also should be thrown at specific targets, for specific reasons, rather than in scattershot barrages at the Democratic "majority" Gingrich lusts to replace with pure and devout Republicans.

If that happens, as their second-ranking leader in the House, he would be in line to become Speaker.

Besides, two can play this game; if longevity in power inevitably breeds corruption, a party that has held the White House for 16 of the last 20 years and looks forward to four more can hardly have escaped.

Democrats who recall the high sleaze level of the Reagan years — witness the HUD scandal now unfolding — won't hesitate to charge all Republicans with these iniquities, if they themselves suffer blanket indictment.

A Republican president who has yet to explain plausibly what he was doing as vice president during the Iran-Contra scandal might be particularly concerned. The "ethics" involved, or lacking, in that episode are a good deal more serious than small-time financial chicanery, reprehensible as that is.

As a political issue, moreover, the troubles of Democratic leaders are unlikely to cause voters to hand Republicans power in the House, as Gingrich and his colleagues hope.

That's not because the charges aren't serious, or because what's known of the evidence fails to support them, at least partially. It's because voters won't cast a single vote for or against something faceless called "Democrats" in the next House election; they'll be voting in their individual districts for a single representative, choosing among real names and faces.

In most cases, someone in each of those hundreds of elections will win or lose because of (a) the built-in advantages of the incumbent, whether Democrat or Republican, including Newt Gingrich; and (b) if the winner is an incumbent, the quality of his or her service to the district.

It's hard to imagine, say, a voter in Ohio turning against a Democratic candidate in 1990 out of disgust with Jim Wright — particularly if that Democrat is an incumbent who has served the district well.

That's why Republicans like Lee Atwater, the party chairman, want a House vote for or against Wright and Tony Coelho, rather than their resignations.

Any Democrat voting for them, for whatever reasons of loyalty or doubts about the evidence, could then be smeared in 1990 as favoring corruption, while Republicans remind one and all that they opposed it.

Atwater's righteous demand for such a vote, while the odor of the 1988 presidential campaign lingers, is like Willie Horton asking George Bush to show better table manners.

In the short run as well as the long, both parties and the public will be better served if Wright, like Coelho, is allowed to resign — as he should, the sooner the better — and if further fake trumped-up party condemnations are avoided.

That goes, too, for other members under charges or indictments — like the Rep. Donald Lukens of Ohio, just convicted on a morals charge. If they're in trouble, it's not as members of an allegedly corrupt party but as individuals.

That's what they are, after all, and why they're responsible for their own behavior — as Republican conservatives never fail to point out when it's street kids in the ghetto or pregnant teen-agers who run afoul of society.

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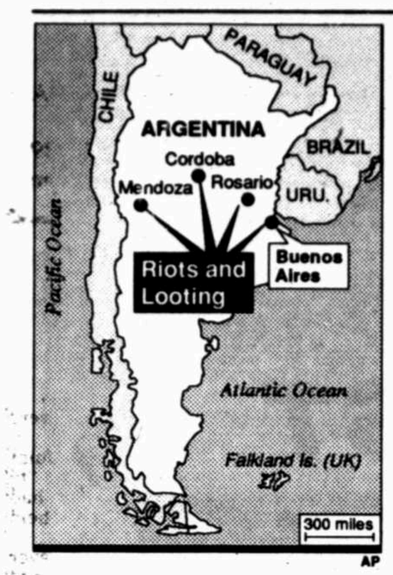

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Incidents of looting in Argentina and riots that Tuesday left six dead and 70 wounded may force lame duck President Raul Alfonsin to step down early.

Chinese government backs rally, pushes intimidation tactics

BEIJING (AP) — About 4,000 farmers, workers and students burned China's best-known dissident in effigy today in the first government-sponsored rally since the pro-democracy student movement began six weeks ago.

The rally in Huangcun, 20 miles south of Beijing, came as Communist authorities pressed ahead with tactics aimed at intimidating and discrediting the 10,000 students occupying central Tiananmen Square.

Several people said officials forced them to participate in the 40-minute rally in support of Premier Li Peng's hard-line policies.

Also today, about 3,000 pro-democracy students marched from Tiananmen Square to city police headquarters, where they held a sit-in to protest the arrests of three labor leaders.

They also demanded the resignations of senior leader Deng Xiaoping and Li, who imposed martial law in Beijing on May 20 and ordered a crackdown on workers pressing for a freer China.

Zhao Pinglu, head of the independent trade union to which the workers belonged, said they were released late this afternoon after being questioned for a day about the new union's activities.

China's communist government bans all but the official All China Federation of Trade Unions.

"Down with kidnapping!" the students shouted. It was the second straight day of protests in front of the police office.

At the government-sponsored rally, demonstrators marched to an outdoor stadium carying banners reading: "We support Li Peng" and "We oppose the small group causing turmoil."

The event lacked enthusiasm of the demonstrations in Beijing, where hundreds of thousands of people have marched to demand democratic reforms and an end to official corruption.

Rally leaders burned an effigy of astrophysicist Fang Lizhi, an outspoken proponent of democracy, but they failed to stir the crowd.

Few joined leaders in shouting slogans such as "Long live the Communist Party!" and "Down with Fang Lizhi!" Students responded to the slogans with giggles.

"They told me to come, so I've come," said one 27-year-old peasant in the crowd.

"To tell you the truth, we were forced to come," said an 18-year-old high school student.

Yeltsin fears Gorbachev dictatorship

MOSCOW (AP) — Boris N. Yeltsin charged today that the Soviet people are worse off now than they were before Mikhail S. Gorbachev's reforms, and he said the president has accumulated so much power there is danger of a dictatorship.

The former Moscow party boss proposed radical changes that would take control of Soviet society away from the 20-million-member Communist Party and make the party subservient to the newly elected Congress of People's Deputies, on which Yeltsin serves.

His proposals also would require the president to submit to an annual nationwide referendum on his performance.

In another challenge to traditional Soviet power, the president of the Latvian republic, Anatoly V. Gorbunov, proposed making the Soviet Union's 15 republics sovereign states that could decide what functions to give the Kremlin.

Gorbachev, sitting erect on the dais at Yeltsin's back, kept a stoic face throughout the speech, scanning the Congress hall for the deputies' reaction.

Gorbunov — like Yeltsin a Gorbachev protege — said the republics should be given power over their own resources and "full state authority."

Latvia's sister Baltic state, Estonia, declared itself sovereign last fall, with the right to overturn Soviet laws on its territory. The third Baltic state, Lituania, followed Estonia's lead two weeks ago.

"The promised program and the promises of the past four years have not been met," Yeltsin said in his first nationally televised speech as a parliamentarian. "People live worse ... the leadership knows that."

He said he held Gorbachev responsible.

Yeltsin said the Soviet leader had been given "extraordinary powers" in the political overhaul that created the Congress, and he suggested Gorbachev might be tempted, as past Kremlin chiefs have, to abuse his power.

Gorbachev, obviously sensitive to such charges, promised Congress before he was elected last week that he never would take advantage of the increased power of the presidency.

But Yeltsin warned, "We can again be ... under a new totalitarian regime, under a new dictatorship."

Yeltsin, fired from his job as Moscow party chief in 1987 for criticizing the pace of Gorbachev's reforms, called on Congress to abolish "all unlawful privileges for the Nomenklatura — yes, and in general, strike this word from our lexicon."

"Nomenklatura" refers to the party and government elite, who receive special privileges as a result of their positions or those of their families.

He also proposed making medicines and mass transit free for invalids and tens of millions of poor Soviets.

His speech came on the sixth day of the new Congress' inaugural session. The 17-minute speech was occasionally interrupted by not particularly enthusiastic applause.

Members of the party's ruling Politburo were among those who did not clap.

On Thursday, the Congress elected Gorbachev, who is also the Communist Party chief, to a five-year term as president.

Yeltsin proposed that Gorbachev be subject to a nationwide vote of confidence each year.

He also called for changes in the party's policy-making Central Committee, on which he serves, saying some occupants have not done their job.

Alfonsin pressured to resign

BUENOS AIRES, Argentina (AP) — The looting of groceries and rioting that have wracked Argentine cities for a week, claiming at least 11 lives, are putting pressure on lame-duck President Raul Alfonsin to step down early.

Six more people were killed Tuesday and 70 wounded as troops sought to halt the looting, much of it by women driven desperate by the economic crisis.

The country's largest labor coalition and most influential business group on Tuesday asked President-elect Carlos Menem to take office before Alfonsin's six-year term expires on Dec. 10.

The crisis stems from Alfonsin's failure to combat the $59 billion foreign debt, a national budget deficit worsened by the many inefficient state companies and months of chronic inflation that could top 70 percent for May.

The inflation has sparked layoffs, food and supply shortages and declining real wages that has left retirees living on the equivalent of $25 a month.

"The country is dying of hunger. Factories are closing. People are unemployed," Adolfo Perez Esquivel, head of the human rights group Peace and Justice Service and the 1980 Nobel Peace Prize winner, said in an interview.

Alfonsin's on Monday declared a state of siege, suspending civil liberties, but the looting of groceries continued in this country that is among the world's largest grain and beef exporters.

"Unfortunately, this government has lost its credibility," Saul Ubaldini, head of the 4-million-member General Labor Confederation, said Tuesday. A key confederation committee called early transition "the only possible solution." "Our opinion is that it is necessary to bring about a shortening of the period of transition," said Gilberto Montagna, president of the Argentine Industrial Union business group.

After the governing Radical Civic Union was defeated in national elections on May 14, Alfonsin offered to resign but could not agree with Menem and the opposition labor-based Peronist Party on terms of the transition.

The two leaders were scheduled to meet again this morning.

Asked Tuesday whether he favored an early transition, Menem said, "That would not be opportune in these grave moments the country is going through." Alfonsin's 1983 election ended nearly eight years of military dictatorship.

The latest deaths occurred in the Buenos Aires suburbs of San Miguel and Quilmes. Looters loading food onto trucks threw stones at police, who retaliated by firing rubber bullets, killing four, local news agencies said.

The incident occurred during a riot in which looters broke windows and emptied shelves in furniture stores, bars, sports and shoe stores. A bus driver who tried to prevent the theft of his bus was shot and killed.

In a separate incident, a sixth person was killed suburban Moreno under confusing circumstances, the independent news agency Diarios y Noticias reported.

Rosario, a meat-packing city of 1 million, has been worst hit.

On Tuesday, armed bands reportedly drove through its deserted streets after dark, shot at police stations and looted private homes and stores.

"They left practically nothing standing," Mayor Santos Mauro of the suburban town of Villa Gobernador Galvez said. "They overwhelmed everything — supermarkets, shops, shoe stores."

In Rosario, 186 miles north of the capital, four people were shot and killed on Monday and an elderly women died of a heart attack during looting. Schools remained suspended Tuesday and most businesses did not open.

Looting also occurred in the western city of Mendoza, the provincial capitals of La Plata and Tucuman and about a dozen working class suburbs of Buenos Aires.

In all, several hundred stores and shops in more than a dozen cities, including the four largest, have been sacked the past week. More than 1,500 people have been arrested, two-thirds in Rosario.

On Tuesday, officials in the provinces scrambled to set up free food programs and the national minimum wage was more than doubled to 8,700 australs a month.

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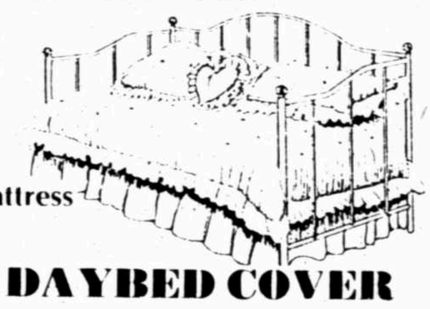

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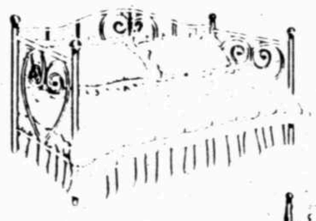

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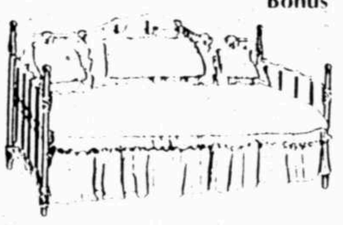

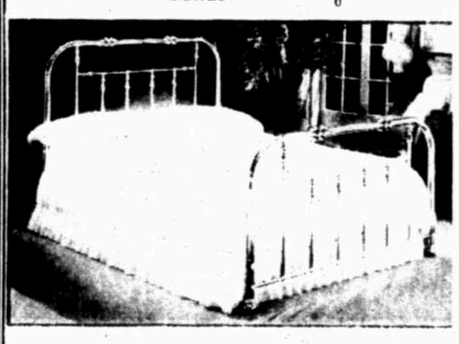

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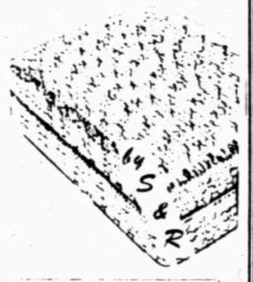

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Indian leaders baffled by U.S. trade warning

NEW DELHI, India (AP) — By accusing India of unfair trade practices, the United States may have dealt a major setback to Prime Minister Rajiv Gandhi's cautious efforts to open the vast Indian market to foreign goods.

In a nation that has long aspired to self-sufficiency and thrown up a bewildering and costly barricade of red tape to foreign investment, the few U.S. brand names to reach consumers have achieved overnight popularity.

Wrangler jeans, CBS music cassettes and Chesterfield cigarettes are among American goods that entered India after Gandhi's government started easing the protectionist policies of his mother and predecessor, Indira Gandhi.

Pepsi is poised to follow.

All are manufactured in India under license and in association with local partners, with the foreign share limited to 40 percent.

The opening of Indian markets started in 1985, a few months after Gandhi took office. But observers say last week's citing of India under the U.S. Omnibus Trade Act could hurt the process.

"The U.S. perception seems to be that it can open up Indian markets with a crowbar," said industrialist Hari Shankar Singhania. "From the logical point of view, it is better to use goodwill."

"Maybe they got impatient. I doubt whether the intended results will follow — and maybe contrary reactions will set in," he added.

In an editorial entitled "A Super Folly," the pro-government Hindustan Times said: "By branding India as an unfair trade partner at a time when the country is attempting to move towards more open trade, the U.S. runs the risk of reversing the tide of opinion building up in favor of liberalization."

A U.S. Embassy official acknowledged India had eased its trade restrictions.

"There has definitely been some liberalization, but there is a considerable distance to go," he said, speaking on condition he not be identified further.

WORLD IN BRIEF

Plane carrying food crashes, killing four

MEXICO CITY (AP) — A military plane taking food to a village crashed and burned in northern Mexico, killing all four people aboard, military officials said.

The government news agency Notimex late Tuesday quoted officials as saying the plane went down Tuesday morning near the border of the states of Chihuahua and Sinaloa.

The plane, an Arva 2002, belonged to the Mexican Air Force's Search, Rescue and Evacuation Unit 208 and was taking food to a village in Chihuahua when it crashed, Notimex said.

It said the crew had completed the same trip earlier in the day, from the town of Baridajuato, Sinaloa, to the town of Cienega Pineda.

The cause of the accident was under investigation.

The dead were identified as the pilot, Mexican Air Force Capt. Oscar Jose Bernabe Cruz and crew members Lt. Jose de Jesus Martin Perez, 2nd Sgt. Alejandro Sanches Flores and Cpl. Mario Alvarez Hernandez.

Writer dies in Thailand

MAE SOT, Thailand (AP) — A U.S. citizen working for the magazine Soldier of Fortune died today of gunshot and shrapnel wounds after he was caught in fighting on Burma's border with Thailand, police sources said.

Lance Eugene Motley, 32, was brought to Mae Sot hospital Tuesday night and died this morning, medical staff at the hospital said. His hometown was not known immediately.

Police said Motley apparently crossed into Burma three days ago with Karen rebels and went to their camp at Kaw Moo Ra, which has been besieged by Burmese troops since May 18.

Fighting has been raging in jungle areas of this border region since Burmese troops launched an intensive offensive last October against Karen rebels fighting for autonomy from the central government.

U.S. Embassy spokesman Neil Klopfenstein said only that an American citizen died this morning "after an incident on the Thai-Burma border." He refused to release details.

Soldier of Fortune is a monthly magazine based in Colorado and specializing in combat and weaponry.

Execution was 'illegal'

BUDAPEST, Hungary (AP) — Communist leaders have agreed that Imre Nagy, leader of the 1956 anti-Soviet uprising, was illegally executed two years later after being convicted of counterrevolution, a party spokesman said.

After Tuesday's announcement, however, Communist Party chief Karoly Grosz said that while he did not oppose Nagy's legal rehabilitation he was opposed to blaming the party for the premier's execution.

Nagy had called for open, multiparty elections before the short-lived revolt was crushed by Soviet tanks.

Reformers within the ruling Communist Party have backed calls for Nagy's rehabilitation as the country moves toward a multiparty political system.

Also during its meeting Monday, the party's policy-setting Central Committee decided to move up to the fall a party congress that had been scheduled for 1990.

Matamoros calms fair

MATAMOROS, Mexico (AP) — A ban on cockfights, gambling and alcohol should change the atmosphere at the annual Expofiesta fair this year, officials say.

Jesus Urquiza, chief of security for Expofiesta '89, said the city is trying to create more of a family atmosphere for the event, similar to a county fair.

Violence has on occasion marred the fair, Urquiza said.

"This will be good for the city," Urquiza said. "This has been planned at the family level."

The new rules are part of an effort to curb the rate of violence, Urquiza said.

Israelis kill guerrillas

JERUSALEM (AP) — Israeli troops shot and killed three guerrillas on the border with Lebanon before dawn today, the army command said. It was the third attempted infiltration in four days.

Also today, two Palestinians from the occupied Gaza Strip died of wounds suffered in earlier clashes with the army, Arab hospital officials and Israel radio said.

In another development, Police detained six Jewish settlers suspected of killing a 13-year-old Arab girl during a rampage through a West Bank village, Israeli news reports said.

A military spokesman said soldiers spotted three guerrillas near the Lebanese village of Hula, about one-mile west of the Israeli border town of Kiryat Shemona.

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Laws will add to Crime Stoppers' coffers

By PATRICK CRIMMINS
Staff Writer

Crime Stoppers programs in Midland, Odessa and throughout Texas have received a big funding boost thanks to the Legislature.

Three bills designed to raise funds for the programs easily were approved by lawmakers, the Texas Crime Stoppers Advisory Council reported Tuesday.

The last bill to pass — approved over the weekend — attaches a $2 processing fee to bail bonds. The fee, which will be levied in all but some misdemeanor cases, could raise as much as $1 million per year for grant programs, according to estimates.

Ninety percent of the money raised by the bail bond fee would go to the Crime Stoppers Assistance Fund. The fund — which can be used for office equipment, education and training, but not for rewards — will be administered by the Austin-based Advisory Council on a grant basis.

"The bail bond bill is going to help, because our grant money was scheduled to run out this August," said Sgt. Keith Ward, coordinator of Midland Crime Stoppers.

"We are real excited," said Susan Sexton, who serves on the board of Midland Crime Stoppers. "It is something that was really needed."

The Midland program is likely to apply for grant money to purchase a new computer, Ward said. But, the big winners could be smaller programs.

"There are some real small towns that really don't have anything but whatever grants they can get," Ms. Sexton said. "I think all of the programs will benefit, but it will have more of an impact on the smaller agencies."

Ward's "favorite" bill would allow a judge to levy a fee up to $50 as a condition of probation. Unlike the bail bond bill, funds collected in Midland County would be funneled directly to the local Crime Stoppers program.

"That is the one I like, because we can get more money that way," Ward said. "It should have a good impact on the program, and has to be used for reward money only. It can't be used for operations" costs, he noted.

One judge said he likely would levy at least a partial fee for Crime Stoppers, a program he termed "excellent."

"I anticipate imposing the fee for that purpose," aid Pat Baskin, 142nd State District Judge. "However, the actual expenses of operating the criminal justice system come first," he noted, referring to court costs, probation department fees, attorney's fees, and other items already billed to probationers.

Midland Crime Stoppers has more than $10,000 in its reward fund, and Ward said the probation bill could increase it by "at least 25 or 30 percent."

Cpl. Terry Gettings, who coordinates the Odessa program, said each of the hundreds of Crime Stoppers efforts in the state have reason to celebrate.

"The bills will have an impact on all of the programs, definitely," Gettings said, adding that the probation bill also was his favorite, since the money raised would go directly to the local program.

The other passed legislation, the Crime Stoppers Restitution Bill, would allow judges to order a convicted felon to pay back part or all of the reward the program paid for information that led to the suspect's arrest.

Like the probation bill, the funds raised by the restitution bill will go directly to the local Crime Stoppers program.

Board hears charges that parole officers 'pocketed' money

By RICK BROWN
Reporter-Telegram Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — A legislative inquiry into two parole officer firings expanded beyond that scope Tuesday with allegations that Board of Pardons and Paroles employees bilked the state by overstating mileage charges and "pocketing" fees.

The House General Investigating Committee directed General Counsel Dewitt Hale to subpoena agency records pertaining to the allegations, which were entered by Nancy Petkovsek, a Port Arthur parole officer.

The committee Tuesday held an initial "fact-finding" hearing into the dismissals of Ms. Petkovsek and Cindy Toutcheque, also of Port Arthur, after the pair acted as whistleblowers on the agency.

Ms. Petkovsek testified to personal knowledge of employees falsifying their vouchers by indicating more miles than they actually traveled to complete parolee home visits and other agency tasks.

In addition, the agency leaves room for lawbreaking by poorly overseeing collection of a $10 monthly "supervision fee" that parolees must pay.

While the money should be paid by check or money order, officers can easily "pocket" payments offered in cash, she said, mentioning knowledge of instances in more than one county.

Supervisors are "out of the loop" of the collection process because the officers themselves seal payment envelopes, which then go in the mail directly to Austin.

In addition, supervisors take no disciplinary action if parolees fail to pay their fees, she said. "They have gotton to the point where they tell us don't even bother writing it up."

The one connection that the higher-ups have to the process, an agency printout detailing how much parolees owe, usually is out of date, she said.

And asked if the parolees are given receipts, she replied, "Sometimes they are, sometimes they're not."

The assessment stunned one committee member, Rep. Jim McWilliams, D-Hallisville, who said the process is "the most ridiculous thing I've ever heard of."

The criminal allegations, which Committee Vice Chairman Bill Hollowell, D-Grand Saline, called "very serious," would constitute a felony if the amounts taken are over $50.

"Can records be obtained to verify the statements that you made, or are they dependent on hearsay?" Hollowell asked Ms. Petkovsek.

"Records can be obtained to verify," she said.

In addition to those the committee wants from the agency, Ms. Petkovsek has "six or seven" boxes of documents, plus recorded conversations and videotapes of news reports in which she appeared.

She testified the evidence will offer a picture of her record with the board — which she joined eight years ago tomorrow in Houston.

Included are internal agency performance assessments, which she said show her record was clean until she started contacting legislators and talking to reporters.

The May 1988 abduction and rape of a Beaumont parole officer and the stories in which she appeared afterward were "the beginning of why Nancy and I are here today," she said.

After that time, audits sometimes were held up, unfairly re-done and contained erroneous information, she said. In addition, her personnel file had been tampered with to remove favorable information, she said.

A lawsuit against the agency "definitely" will be filed in federal court, she said, and include allegations that her rights were violated because of directions against the outside contact.

Among those who took Ms. Petkovsek's side was Rep. Mark Stiles, D-Beaumont, who April 25 sponsored the House resolution that allows the committee's investigation.

The committee plans to meet again after the Legislature reconvenes June 20 for special consideration of the worker's compensation issue.

The board's acting executive director, William Brooks, said Tuesday he hopes members will gather enough agency documents to make an informed decision. "We're ready to cooperate in every way," he said.

Whether testimony will go beyond allegations heard Tuesday and include information from other parole officers "is up to the committee," said Chairman Doyle Willis, D-Fort Worth.

Stiles acknowledged receiving calls from other officers and felt the dismissals won't stop most from coming forward.

"I don't feel like we're going to let those people be abused," he said.

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Alexandra Morris, right, was installed Tuesday as the first female member of the Midland West Rotary Club. The ceremony was conducted by member Bill Clanton.

Woman enters new 'phase' as Rotarian along with new office

By JANE MARLER DEES
Staff Writer

Tuesday was a big day for Alexandra Morris.

Not only was it the first day in her new office, but also her first day as the first female member of the Midland West Rotary Club.

"I think this is a whole new phase for me," Ms. Morris explained after her installment into the 38-member organization.

Although travel is her business now, Ms. Morris' actual journey to the Rotarians' table has been on more of a spiritual level.

After acquiring a liberal arts degree in 1953 from the University of Colorado, Ms. Morris studied pastoral counseling and all facets of Christianity in several schools of theology.

The work enabled her to take on the position of executive director with the Midland Community Action Agency in 1977 and become spiritual director and pastoral counselor of Big Spring's Immaculate Heart of Mary Church in 1982.

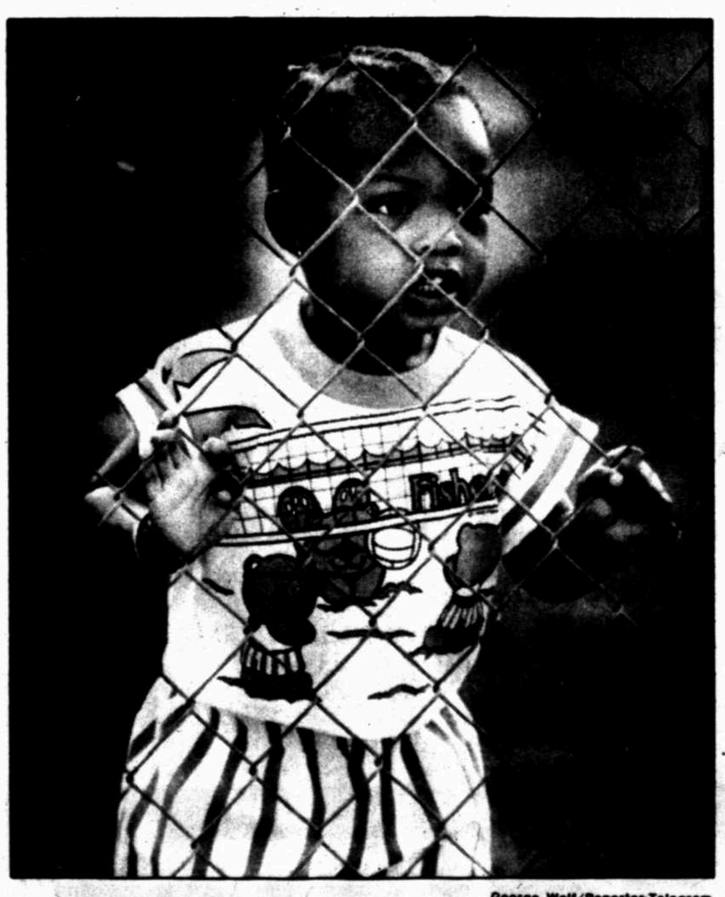
Since 1987, Ms. Morris has been employed in the travel business. She is the owner of Uniglobe-Accent on Travel in Midland.

The Rotary Club's philosophy fits into her vocations past and present, she explained.

The group's "four-way test" — Is it the truth? Is it fair to all concerned? Will it build good will and better friendships? Will it be beneficial to all concerned? — appeals to her sense of how people should treat others.

And "I see the gift of being able to sit down once a week" with other business associates and learn more about the corporate world, she added.

In addition to her business and counseling work, Ms. Morris served as Region III chairperson of the American Red Cross from 1983-86; chairperson of the Midland Chapter of the American Red Cross from 1982-83 and is active in the St. Ann's Catholic Church parish.



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On the other side of the fence

Patrice Graham, 20-month-old daughter of Midland Angel outfielder Everett Graham, peers through a chain-link fence bordering the playing field Tuesday upon the return of the minor league club from a nine-day road trip.

Free seminar on sales taxes offered

By JULIE HILLRICHS
Staff Writer

At least seven Midland-Odessa area financial planners Tuesday got more than they bargained for at a sales tax seminar sponsored by the office of the State Comptroller of Public Accounts.

The free half-day seminar, co-sponsored by the Permian Basin Regional Planning Commission, focused on such topics as how local governments should go about administering the local taxes and forecasting sales tax revenues.

The seminar was open to City Council members, county commissioners, tax collectors, treasurers, city managers and other local government officials and their employees.

State Comptroller Bob Bullock had characterized the program as the "most complete, up-to-date tax information available" to city and county officials who attend one of 24 seminars across the state this spring.

"Local governments need to be aware of current state tax laws and rules so they can get the most out of their local tax revenues," he said.

Texas local sales taxes were first imposed in 1968. In that year, 280 cities collected just over $48 million.

Today, 1,051 cities — 89 percent of Texas' 1,178 incorporated cities — impose local sales taxes, enriching their treasuries by nearly a $1 dollars a year.

Most counties recently became eligible to levy a sales tax, and 95 already have voted it in — that's 40 percent of those eligible.

Midland County, which began collecting the optional half-cent sales tax in January 1988, already has reaped more than $4 million in sales tax revenues.

A majority of the revenues collected so far have been earmarked for the purpose of reducing countywide property taxes.

What money was left over went to pay for such capital improvements as the construction of a downtown law enforcement building and the expansion of the first floor of the Midland County Courthouse.

Director says God will lift center's restrictions

FORT WORTH (AP) — The director of an anti-abortion center once called a "fake abortion clinic" said Tuesday he believes God will turn the Supreme Court's refusal to lift restrictions against the center into good.

The high court justices let stand rulings that advertisements run by the Problem Pregnancy Center in Fort Worth violated the state Deceptive Trade Practices Act. The justices did not issue comment on the decision not to consider the center's appeal.

"I'm a Roman Catholic and I try to judge everything in relationship to my faith," said Charles J. Pelletier II. Pelletier read a Bible passage that he said summed up his reaction to the decision.

"'We know that in everything God works for good with those who love him and who work according to his purpose. Out of this assuming problem, he is going to bring good," Pelletier said.

In 1986, a state court jury ordered the center and Pelletier to include prominently in all future ads that the center is not an abortion clinic and does not provide abortion referrals or medical services.

The jury also imposed $39,000 in civil fines and ordered the center's corporate operator and Pelletier to pay $49,025 in attorneys fees incurred by the state. The Texas Court of Appeals upheld the jury verdict and the Texas Supreme Court refused to review the case.

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Women take to skies for flying Poker Rally

By ED TODD
Staff Writer

Those daring female aviators who command the West Texas skies in their flying machines this Saturday will put together a flying Poker Rally almost 60 years since 14 women pilots, including Amelia Earhart, flew into Midland in the National Women's Air Derby.

The Poker Rally will fall far short of the 1929 coast-to-coast derby. Instead, it will hone in on Midland's Skywest Airport, Big Spring's McMahon-Wrinkle Airport, Midland Air Park and Odessa's Schlemeyer and Bates fields.

Aviators, including men, are invited to sign up for the rally, which begins with registration at 8 a.m. Saturday at Skywest Airport southwest of Midland, noted Betty Jones, past chairman of the Purple Sage Chapter of The Ninety-Nines, international organization of women pilots.

West Texas members of The Ninety-Nines include Mrs. Jones, Janet Koonce, Priscilla Barbee, Peggy Attwood, JoAnn Bates, Joann Price, Mary Alice Tidwell, Ingrid Zeeck, Isabelle DeBrouwer, Pat Schneider, Betty Henry, Rhoda Bolton and Faye Tucker.

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DEATHS

Helen K. Reed

Memorial services for Helen K. Reed of Midland have been set for 10:30 a.m. Thursday at the St. Nicholas Episcopal Church with the Rev. John W. Setzer Jr. and the Rev. Brenda Carpenter officiating. Arrangements are being handled by Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Reed died Tuesday afternoon at a Midland hospital.

She was born Sept. 10, 1930, in Denmark, Ark. She was reared and attended schools in Bradford, Ark. She graduated from St. Mary's School of Nursing in St. Louis and was the nursing supervisor at New Mexico Military Institute in Roswell, N.M.

Mrs. Reed and her husband lived in various cities across Texas, New Mexico and South America, including Hobbs, N.M., Odessa, Kermit, Snyder and Maracaibo, Venezuela, before moving to Midland in 1971. They had lived in Midland since then.

Survivors include her husband, John T. Reed of Midland; one son, Dr. John Paul Klump of Alamogordo, N.M.; one daughter, Karen Roberts of Grapevine; three brothers, Jinnings Burruss, Hugh Burruss and Charles Burruss of Bradford, Ark.; five sisters, Audia Burruss of Bradford, Ark., T.E. Talley of Mayflower, Ark., Mrs. Frank Harris of Hobbs, N.M., Georgia Sanford of El Paso and Prilda Gray of Star City, Ark.; six grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

The family requests that memorials be sent to Hospice of Midland.

Cynthia H. Moomey

Cynthia Hernandez Moomey, 36, of Odessa, died Monday at a local hospital. Rosary will be recited at 8 p.m. today at Sizemore Funeral Home Chapel of Memories, with funeral Mass at 2 p.m. Thursday at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Fort Stockton with Sizemore Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

She was born Sept. 17, 1952, in Fort Stockton and moved to Odessa from McCamey in 1972. She was a housewife and a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church in Odessa.

She is survived by one daughter, Regina Yvonne Moomey of Odessa; one son, Peter Paul Moomey Sr., of Odessa; her father, Narce G. Ruiz of Odessa; four brothers, A.G. Corrasco and Johnny Albert Ruiz, both of Odessa, Frank Leslie Garcia of Vacaville, Calif., and Moses Garcia Jr., of Fort Stockton.; her maternal grandparents, Josephina Gonzales of Fort Stockton and Paulinia Garcia of Fort Stockton; and one grandchild.

Charles D. Vertrees

Memorial services for Charles D. Vertrees, of Midland, will be at 10 a.m. Friday at the Holy Trinity Episcopal Church with Ellis Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

He died Tuesday at a local hospital.

Mary Willie Carson

Services for Mary Willie Carson are pending with Ellis Funeral Home. She died Tuesday at a local nursing.

Fond farewell

Henry Cisneros, mayor of San Antonio for the past eight years, signs autographs at a farewell party held at City Hall Sunday. More than 5,000 people turned out to say goodbye to the popular mayor. AP Laserphoto

OPPORTUNITIES FOR VOLUNTEERS

Try volunteering! It's an idea we can all embrace. Many opportunities are available at the Volunteer Center. Here are just a few of the jobs currently open:

■ Be a part of the team that produces top quality recordings for the blind and visually impaired. Volunteers are needed to monitor equipment and narration during recording sessions. Training will be provided. Hours are 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. A two-hour weekly commitment is requested.

■ Enjoy organizing paperwork? A volunteer is needed to assist with clerical duties at a local agency that services the elderly. Typing skills are preferred. A great way to build or retain office skills in just four hours a week.

■ The play's the thing but not without costumes or sets. There is a short-term need for assistance with constructing sets and sewing costumes. You can explore and enjoy this volunteer opportunity without making a long-term commitment. Daytime or evening hours are open.

■ Victims of crime have special needs. You can help by providing caring support though a victims assistance program. Volunteers are asked to commit to 10 hours per month. An orientation and basic training will begin June 1.

For more information, call the Volunteer Center at 697-8781.

Watchdog group kept busy protecting Open Records act

AUSTIN (AP) — Several bills filed during the 1989 legislative session that could have crippled open records and meetings laws kept a watchdog group busy working to defeat them, its leader says.

"We had to play defense all the time," said Sharon Jayson, chairwoman of Texas Media, a coalition of news organizations that watches for changes in law that would affect availability of government or other types of information.

"Some of the bills that we opposed were really bad bills" Ms. Jayson said. "Generally, we felt that considering the challenges facing Texas Media, we came out all right."

She said some proposals were serious threats to the Texas Open Records and Open Meetings acts.

"The bills that were challenges to the (Texas) Open Records Act were significant challenges and we had a lot to lose" if they had passed, she said.

Examples are measures that would have restricted availability of patient information from hospitals and another that would have determined who had possession of certain records and could release them.

Both measures died, in part through the efforts of Texas Media, Ms. Jayson said.

There were about 25 bills that Texas Media "took a very active interest in," she said. "We didn't expect the amount of Freedom of Information (Act) and Open Records legislation" that was submitted during this year's session.

The biggest plus on the side of open government was a bill approved in the last hours of the legislative session Monday that strengthened important parts of the Open Records Act.

The measure, which was sent to the governor for review, requires that:

■ Government records about an individual be disclosed to that person on request, even if the records would normally be exempted from disclosure.

■ All governmental entities treat requests for records uniformly, without regard to whether the person seeking the records is a member of the media.

■ Attorneys' fees be awarded to the prevailing party in a lawsuit over open records.

■ The state Purchasing and General Services Commission set "reasonable" fees for copying of records.

RALLY

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Rally takeoffs will be preceded by a breakfast, compliments of Skywest operators Pat and Connie Day. At each of the five airports on the rally's circuit, registered pilots and their passengers each will be handed a card in the stud-poker rally.

And in flight, the crews will be working on a quiz on aviation history, Mrs. Jones said.

Players in the rally must show their hands by 5 p.m. Saturday at Bates Field to be eligible for prizes. Registration fee is $10 per player.

Women pilots, Mrs. Jones said, have surpassed the stage of proving they are equal to men in flight.

"Women started out in aviation having to prove they could fly, because men didn't think they were strong enough to do it," she said. "Since then, we have proven that it doesn't take strength as much as mental acumen and physical coordination."

The August 1929 coast-to-coast derby was to demonstrate women's proficiency in flight.

Winner of the race was Louise Thaden, who piloted a single-engine Travel Air. She beat out Amelia "Lady Lindy" Earhart, who in 1932 became the first aviatrix — woman pilot — to make a solo flight across the Alantic Ocean.

This August, the restored airplane flown by Mrs. Thaden will fly the original course, Mrs. Jones said, and will land at Midland International Airport.

Back in 1929, women were "trying to prove that they could fly as well as men," Mrs. Jones said, and did.

"It was pilotage and navigation," Mrs. Jones said. "Most of it was done by following the roads. It was really quite a feat of navigation. There was very little radio navigation. They went over the mountains and deserts."

One aviator, Marvel Crosson, just 25 years old, was killed in Arizona after she bailed out of an aircraft following engine problems. The parachute failed to open.

At Pecos, pilot Poncho Barnes crashed into a car while she was taxiing.

"There was just one who died," Mrs. Jones said. "Several planes were lost (in minor crashes)."

Ellington born in 1899

Musician and composer "Duke" Ellington was born on April 29, 1899.

Song publishing firm sues widow of Roy Orbison

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — A song publishing firm has sued the widow of rock 'n' roll star Roy Orbison for $1 million over royalty rights from at least 15 songs he recorded late in life.

Acuff-Rose Music Inc. claims Barbara Orbison induced her husband to breach a $70,000-a-year songwriting contract allegedly signed in July 1985.

The publisher also seeks triple the profit collected by Orbisongs, Orbison's California music publishing house, from songs written or co-written by Orbison between July 1985 and his death in December at age 52.

The federal lawsuit filed Friday also claimed Mrs. Orbison and Orbisongs have interfered with Acuff-Rose's negotiations for a movie based on the singer's life.

Mrs. Orbison did not immediately respond to a request for comment relayed Tuesday through Orbison's Los Angeles-based publicist.

Acuff-Rose claims it should have had rights to songs including "Handle With Care," "Last Night," "End of the Line," "You Got It," "Dirty World," "Rattled," "Not Alone Anymore," "Congratulations," "Heading for the Light," "Margarita" and "Tweeter and the Monkey Man."

The lawsuit does not estimate the profit from the songs, many of which appear on "The Traveling Wilburys," an album Orbison made last year with Bob Dylan, George Harrison, Tom Petty and Jeff Lynne.

Officer rescues 3 from burning car

DALLAS (AP) — A Dallas police officer pulled three people from burning auto wreckage that caught fire after a three-vehicle accident on a highway in the downtown area.

Police said one car stalled in a lane of traffic on Interstate 30 early Tuesday afternoon. After another car had stopped to assist the driver, a pickup truck struck the second car, causing the truck and the stalled car to burst into flames.

Officer A.L. Shelton pulled the truck's driver, Robert Hutto, 24, from the truck and rescued two people pinned between the vehicles, police said. Another man was injured but thrown clear, police said.

Hutto was treated and released from Parkland Memorial Hospital.

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State Assistant Attorney General Stephen Gardner urged the justices to reject what he said was a request for "a constitutional right to lie to pregnant women, to entice them into a fake abortion clinic" where they are urged to continue their pregnancy.

Pelletier placed ads in the Fort Worth Yellow Pages under the heading "Abortion Information and Services" but Pelletier said Tuesday that was the only heading provided by the Yellow Pages.

Publishers of the Southwestern Bell Yellow Pages instituted a policy separating anti-abortion centers and clinics that offer abortions under different headings on March 18, 1985, said Don Fisher, Yellow Pages spokesman. Fisher did not know when the separate headings began appearing in directories.

The initial suit against Mother and Unborn Baby Care was filed in March 1985.

Odessa Crime Stoppers seek data on burglaries

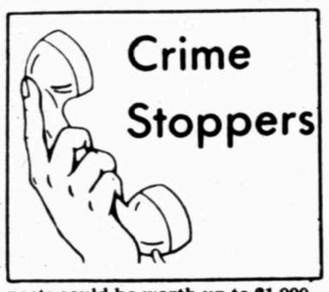
Odessa Crime Stoppers and Odessa Police are seeking your help to solve the burglaries of Coin Air machines in Odessa and Ector County.

Since January, Coin Air Co., 4692 E. University, has lost more than $3,000 in coins in burglaries of their air machines. At least 54 machines have been burglarized after locks have been cut off. In the last three weeks, 15 burglaries have been reported.

Investigators believe a bolt cutter is being used to cut the locks.

The machines, which dispense compressed air, are located at area convenience stores. Most of the burglaries are committed in the evening and early morning hours, according to officers, who say they have no leads in the case.

Information that leads to the arrest and indictment of the suspects could be worth up to $1,000 cash this week only. Crime Stoppers pays cash rewards for information that leads to the arrest of felony suspects and fugitives.



Cash rewards are also paid for the recovery of stolen property and seized narcotics.

In Odessa, Crime Stoppers can be reached at 333-TIPS, and in Midland at 694-TIPS. Callers can remain anonymous.

Boys and Girls Club honors four people

From Staff Reports

The Boys and Girls Club of Midland has honored four individuals for their services and support of the club for last month.

Recognized as Volunteers of the Month were Sofie and Greg Sotelo. The Sotelos are volunteers with the baseball program, T-ball program and the coed volleyball league.

In addition, they also are involved in the Homework Assistance program. They devote many hours of hard work and assist numerous students at the club through their participation in those activities.

S. Sotelo

G. Sotelo

Salinas

Villarreal

Named as Youth of the Month were Darlene Salinas, a third grader at South Elementary School, and Sammy Villarreal, a fifth grader at South Elementary.

Miss Salinas participates in several club activities, is very helpful and supportive and enjoys arts and crafts as well as computer games.

Villarreal is enrolled in all club activities and provides "an outstanding leadership role to his teammates."

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INSIDE Sale: Wood dining tables, chairs, some miscellaneous furniture, many dolls, clothing, air brush and miscellaneous. Saturday only, 8:30 - 4:00, 1704 W. Carter.

2 WHEELCHAIRS, $120 for both. One excellent condition. One useable but needs repair. Call 683-7650.

THREE Bedroom house on 5 acres. 40'x45' Garage. $850 monthly. Call 563-5407.

LAWNMOWER, Sears 7 blade reel self propelled, 3hp Briggs & Stratton engine, 2 years old, $350, 689-0056.

Show Off Pet Grooming, Monday - Friday 9-5. 700 S. Pecos. 682-5553. Limited to small dogs.

1984 OLDS Toronado. One owner. Loaded. 51,800 miles. Non-smoker. Leather upholstery. Brand new tires. $8250. Call 684-0824.

KIMBALL Electric Organ. "The Entertainer" fun machine. Excellent Condition $300. 699-7940.

D.L. MASONRY. Specialize in fireplaces, flower beds, tile fences, large/small brick repairs. 686-7568.

1984 OLDS Cutlass Supreme. Light blue, nice car, 68,000 miles. 1 owner, $3500. 683-8442 after 6pm 683-1519

1983 FORD Pickup with camper shell, $2800. Call 689-6891.

1975 ROVER Bass Boat, 15', 40hp Johnson, trolling motor, fish finder. Lake ready, trailer included, $1,000, 682-7829.

FOUND: black and white male puppy with collar, vicinity of Central Fire Station. After 5 call 687-1835.

BEAUTIFUL Kittens, part Siamese. They need a good home. 4313 Valley Drive or 694-2754.

FREE: Part Border Collie, female, 2 years old, spayed, all shots. Needs good home and room to run. 689-8517.

PING Eye, Black Dot irons, 3 thru SW, $350. New Powerbilt irons, 2 thru SW, $400. Powerbilt iron woods, 1 - 3 - 5, $175. Phone 682-8901.

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13 at LFHS period's 'most outstanding'

M. Alameddine

Thirteen students at Lee Freshman High School have been named "Outstanding students" for the 5th reporting period.

They are: Kelli Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam C. Jones, English; Philip Barron, son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip M. Barron Sr., social studies; Tiffany Galbraith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Michael Galbraith, mathematics; Lisa Cochran, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip M. Cochran, science; Jason Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Orval A. Steele, physical education; Michelle Murray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter D. Murray, practical arts; Trenna Johnson, daughter of Mrs. Dolores Johnson, choir; Jonathan Irvin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Irvin, band; Kim Wong, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wong, orchestra; Leslie Turner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Robert Turner, foreign languages; Hilda Hernandez, daughter of Mr. and Mr. Juan D. Hernandez, vocational; Amy Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard N. Davis, art; Michelle Alameddine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A.R. Alameddine, speech/drama.

Rod Mayberry | Jared Johnson | Ricky Rivera | Robyn Jackson | Amy Behrends | Israel Pena

James Reyes | Julie Nance | Clint Foster | Fidel Madrid | John Coronado | Felicia Miller

MFHS names 5th period 'Top Dawgs'

Midland Freshman High School recognizes 12 students each reporting period as "Top Dawgs," based on academic achievement, behavioral expectations and school attendance.

Recognized as Top Dawgs for the 5th reporting period were: Rod Mayberry, son of Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Mayberry, English; Jared Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnson, social studies; Ricky Rivera, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Rivera, science; Robyn Jackson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Jackson, math; Amy Behrends, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carey Behrends, band; Israel Pena, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arturo Pena, physical edcuation; James Reyes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Reyes, art; Julie Nance, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Nance, orchestra; Clint Foster, son of Mr. and Mrs. B.G. Cunningham, speech; Fidel Madrid, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emilio Madrid, industrial arts; John Coronado, son of Mr. and Mrs. Juan Coronado, CVAE-GMR; and Felicia Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Miller, Latin.

Sailors forced captain

Mutinous sailors on the British ship Bounty forced Capt. William Bligh to take to the sea in a launch on April 28, 1789.

College gives honorary doctorate to wife of Hearst editor-in-chief

Hearst News Service

BALTIMORE — An honorary degree of Doctor of Humane Letters was conferred on Mrs. William Randolph Hearst Jr., by Sister Kathleen Feeley, president of the College of Notre Dame of Maryland.

Wife of one of the two surviving sons of the founder of the Hearst communications empire, Mrs. Austine Hearst attended the College of Notre Dame of Maryland as a young girl.

The honorary degree was conferred at the college's graduation commencement ceremony Saturday in Baltimore. Mrs. Hearst was accompanied by her husband, the vice president, director and chairman of the Executive Committee of The Hearst Corporation, and editor-in-chief of The Hearst Newspapers.

In conferring the degree, Sister Kathleen paid tribute to Mrs. Hearst for her "sense of history, love for horses, a way with words, a concern for others."

Mrs. Hearst, also a native of Warrenton, has been Joint Master of the Golden's Bridge Hunt in upstate New York since 1978.

Noting that Austine McDonnell Hearst's sense of history dates from her early childhood, Sister Kathleen said:

"Her grandparents and great grandparents were Virginians even before the American revolution. She grew up with a sense of history which was continually expanded. Using her education and remarkable memory, she can, today, sketch out the history of any section of the United States. As a small child, Austine learned to ride horses, and her love for horses has continued through her lifetime. This love led her into another interest: conservation of areas of our country in their pristine state. She is a dedicated conservationist."

Recalling that Mrs. Hearst's first professional position was with the Washington press corps as a reporter and later as a columnist for the Washington Times-Herald newspaper, Sister Kathleen added that for 10 years, she wrote a syndicated column, "From the Capital," for newspapers throughout the United States. She also wrote many articles for magazines, lectured, and conducted her own radio program from Washington.

In her brief response, Mrs. Hearst stressed the importance of education. She also related how her husband's grandfather, Sen. George Hearst, lived "in another time of adventure and opportunity."

"He had a stake of $500 when he left Missouri for California and the gold rush," she added. "He wanted to make more money to invest in a gold claim so he did a lot of odd jobs.

"One of the odd jobs was putting copper rivets on the pocket corners of work clothes that another enterprising young man was making out of tent fabric for miners. The young man was named Levi Strauss and the material was from 'denim,'" Mrs. Hearst continued. "The descendants of Levi Strauss are multi-millionaires still living in the West, still making clothes out of denim.

"So you see, you never know when you're going to strike it rich! Because you were in the right place — at the right time! And had the motivation, the imagination to take advantage!

"Today, the Levi Strauss company has a woman, Donna Boyer, as its senior vice president.

"Each year the upper levels of management in this country welcome more and more women. But while the list gets longer and these women leaders are certainly inspirations, women still have a long way to go before they achieve widespread acknowledgement of their leadership qualities, their management skills. But women, and you graduates today, are on your way — up to the top."

Mrs. Hearst also noted that the college, the oldest Catholic women's college in America, will soon be celebrating its centennial. She told the graduating class that while they had received a fine education, "the best," at Notre Dame, "we must all go on learning. Go on asking questions, looking for answers the rest of our lives."

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Twin brothers Roberto, left, and Alberto Hernandez are held by their parents, Alberto and Diana Hernandez of Fort Worth, Tuesday before leaving Children's Medical Center in Dallas.

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Surgery successfully separates twin boys

DALLAS (AP) — Twin boys, who had been joined at the buttocks since their birth nearly a year ago, returned home to Fort Worth Tuesday after a series of surgeries successfully separated them.

Alberto and Roberto Hernandez, who will celebrate their first birthday June 24, became the 10th set of pygopagus twins successfully separated since 1953.

A team of 12 pediatric specialists at Children's Medical Center of Dallas completed a 10½-hour series of surgeries May 3 with the separation.

The two were joined at the buttocks with several inches of fused spinal cords and vertebral columns.

Parents Alberto and Diana Hernandez had known through ultrasound examinations before the boys were born that they would be cojoined. After the twins were delivered at the high-risk pregnancy unit at Parkland Memorial Hospital, they were transferred to the Intensive Care Unit at Children's Medical Center of Dallas.

The boys underwent a number of surgeries prior to separation, including spinal repair, shunts for relief from hydrocephalus, hernia repair, colon removal, etc.

By this spring, the boys were stable enough for doctors to begin expanding healthy tissue over several months in each of the twins for tissue closings after the separation.

Suspected arms dealers appear before magistrate

CORPUS CHRISTI (AP) — Two Canadians and a Swede arrested on charges they conspired to illegally export more than $600 million worth of U.S. military equipment to Iran appeared before a federal magistrate Tuesday, but no bond was set.

The detention hearing for Eileen and Ronald Hilton Arab, both 52, of Vancouver, British Columbia, and Erik Nissen, 62, of Norrkoping, Sweden, was recessed after two hours of testimony until this morning by U.S. Magistrate Eduardo E. de Ases.

The hearing is to evaluate the government's evidence against the suspects and determine whether bond will be set.

As he was led from the courtroom in handcuffs, Nissen offered a grim prognosis.

"It doesn't look so good, but we will have to see after tomorrow," he said.

The three were arrested Thursday and charged with violating the Arms Export Control Act, money laundering and conspiracy.

Believed to be part of a larger organization, the trio had negotiated to buy weapons and military equipment from undercover U.S. Customs Service agents, said Marvin Milner, Customs agent-in-charge in Corpus Christi.

Customs Agent Alonzo Pena testified about negotiations before the first transaction. Pena said the defendants represented that profits in their arms smuggling operation "were almost immeasurable and couldn't ever be spent. That's how much money was available for my participation."

Nissen represented that he had official government contacts in Iran and could find markets for as much as $600 million worth of military aircraft, aircraft parts and weapons, Pena said.

Pena said the defendant described the first transaction as a test of his ability to deliver military hardware to Iran, which cannot legally obtain such items from the United States.

"He said he was being put to the test by Iran ... to prove that he could supply military equipment," Pena said.

Milner said Nissen and Arab came to Corpus Christi in February to inspect two 106mm no-recoil rifles, then gave undercover agents a "shopping list" of weapons including C-130 aircraft parts, attack helicopters, rifles and ammunition, F5B trainer jets, F5E fighters and spare parts for F14 and F4 Phantom jets.

He said the three, caught in a sting dubbed "Gulf Breeze," planned to bring vans and containers to Rockport, where the agents would load military supplies and send them to Canada by truck, using false cargo documents. The material was to be sent on commercial cargo flights to Luxembourg, then to Iran.

Milner said the group gave the agents $50,000 in good faith money and demonstrated they could come up with the rest.

The only items shipped to Iran were 13 heaters, worth $1,400 each, used in urinals aboard F4C fighters, he said.

Agents had hoped the three would lead them to other conspirators.

STATE IN BRIEF

Amarillo school dropped

AUSTIN (AP) — American Technical Institute of Amarillo and Tulsa, Okla., has been terminated from the Texas Guaranteed Student Loan Program, officials said.

After a May 25 hearing, school officials were told of the decision Tuesday, according to loan program executive director Joe McCormick.

Auditors discovered the school was holding tuition refund checks for three to four months before returning the checks to the lender, McCormick said. Federal regulations require that refunds be returned within 30 days.

Other findings in the audit by Texas Guaranteed Student Loan Program showed that students were approved for loans without the proper documentation, and the schools did not have the written permission of the student to disburse the loan proceeds, he said.

Students pay about $9,300 to attend the 900 clock hour courses in auto mechanics, auto frame body and paints and refrigeration offered by the Amarillo school, McCormick said. The school also offers business courses.

Schools involved in the loan program must demonstrate their capability to properly administer the program — a requirement the school did not meet based on the audit findings, he said.

Starck Club likely to close

DALLAS (AP) — The faltering Texas economy was expected to claim another casualty today with the closing of the Starck Club, long considered Dallas' premier dance spot.

Greg McCone, the club's general manager, said Tuesday the club will be subleased to a Chicago-based company. Negotiations have been under way for several weeks between Heartthrob Inc. of Chicago and Woodcor, the company that leases the club, he said.

"It appears they're going to work this thing out and get it signed by noon Wednesday," McCone said. "They (Heartthrob) should be in here Thursday."

A Heartthrob official declined comment on the report, The Dallas Morning News reported today. Heartthrob also operates the Tijuana Yacht Club and the Urban Lounge in Dallas.

McCone also said he expects the new operators to use the space for a club closer in style to nearby Dallas Alley, whose clubs draw large crowds every weekend but are considered too mainstream for most Starck Club patrons.

Ex-banker pleads guilty

AUSTIN (AP) — The former president of Texas American Bank-Austin, Donald Cockerham, has pleaded guilty to federal bank fraud charges.

Cockerham entered his plea Tuesday before U.S. District Judge James Nowlin on four counts of bank fraud.

Cockerham, 39, was indicted last September on 13 counts of embezzlement, and he was indicted in March on an additional five counts of bank fraud.

He could receive up to 10 years in prison and be fined up to $1 million, officials said. His sentencing date wasn't set.

Education board member resigns

AUSTIN (AP) — Sam Carroll of San Antonio announced today his resignation from the Texas Higher Education Coordinating board to protest creation by the 1989 Legislature of a new four-year state university in Killeen.

Carroll said in a news release that lawmakers usurped authority of the coordinating board in passing legislation to combine private and public institutions in Killeen to form Central Texas University by 1994.

"Either the Legislature should use the coordinating board in connection with major decisions like creating a new university, or it should abolish the coordinating board," Carroll said in a statement.

"Although it is probably futile for me to resign in protest," Carroll said, "I am doing so in the hope that this small effort ... might stimulate some discussion about the needs for this new university."

African gold jewelry missing from Houston museum

HOUSTON (AP) — An investigation is under way by state and federal officials after 63 pieces of African gold jewelry were discovered missing from the Museum of Fine Arts in Houston, officials say.

The 20th century pieces from the collection of Houston sportsman Alfred Glassell Jr. were discovered missing Tuesday, according to Museum Director Peter Marzio.

The value of the jewelry was not immediately determined, but the insurer, Lloyd's of London, has offered a $10,000 reward for information about the items, according to Harold Smith of Smith International Adjusters of New York, which is working with the insurance company.

Smith said Houston police and the FBI are working on the case.

The jewelry, which was to be put on public exhibit next month for the first time, was being kept in a cabinet in a museum gallery, Smith said. Investigators discovered no sign of forced entry at the museum, he added.

The museum was open to the public Sunday, but closed Monday.

Marzio said the items were stored under extensive security, including locks, an alarm system and museum guards.

Staff members informed him the items were missing about 4 p.m., he said. Police said they received the first call about the jewelry at 6:08 p.m.

Marzio said police told him to limit the details he released, and police would say little about the investigation.

"Right now no report has been put together. We're still in the initial stages of trying to find out what's going on," HPD spokesman Dan Turner told the Houston Chronicle. "We're initiating an investigation to find out what happened."

The reward was posted immediately in an attempt to recover the items before they are damaged or destroyed, Smith said.

"The reason we are so concerned to get the word out is that people have stolen gold, fine art objects, and tried to melt them down," he said.

Glassell, ranked by Antiques Magazine this year as being among the nation's top 100 art collectors, could not be reached for comment.

The exhibit, which is scheduled to open June 10, draws from collections of all types of art from collectors in Texas and elsewhere, but Glassell's loan of the African pieces was considered the highlight.

"After considering possible collection loans from a variety of Houston art lovers, we definitely wanted to show Mr. Glassell's African gold," Marzio said.

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2. Acid breaks down some of the tough fibers.
3. Timing depends on size of meat cut: Few hours for thin strips, overnight for large pieces like roasts. Turn occasionally to moisten all surfaces.

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Guidelines help cooks prepare juicy meats

By NANCY BYAL
Associated Press

Quick and delicious — you can have it both ways with meat cooked in the microwave, providing you follow a few basic guidelines. Our Test Kitchen makes these five recommendations for juicy, flavorful results with meat:

PICKING THE RIGHT MEAT CUT

Starting with the right cut of meat helps ensure tender results. We've found that the meats that cook best in the microwave are the less tender beef cuts, such as chuck pot roasts, stew meat and rolled rump roasts. Microwave cooking, a moist cooking method, works better for these cuts than for tender cuts, which stew in their own juices and become tough and lose flavor.

Other meats that work well include such small cuts of lamb and pork as chops, ribs and stew meat; and ham. Ground meats and bacon also cook well in the microwave.

WHAT TO LOOK FOR

Select a roast, chop, or steak that is even in size, shape and thickness. This assures that the meat will cook evenly in the microwave. When pieces are not the same thickness, thinner parts cook faster and may be dry and tough before the thicker areas are done.

BEFORE YOU COOK

If your meat contains excess fat or large bones, remove them before cooking. Microwaves are attracted to fat and the meat near it may overcook. Large bones protect the meat next to them, so these areas be undercooked when the rest of the meat is done.

CHOOSE THE RIGHT POWER LEVEL

Ground meat and bacon cook well on 100 percent power (high). So do small cuts of lamb and ham. Other cuts of beef and pork, such as beef roasts, pork chops, pork ribs and stew meat, cook more evenly on lower power levels. We recommend 50 percent power (medium) for them.

CHECKING DONENESS

When the minimum cooking time is up, cut into the meat to check the color inside. (Check pork chops near the bone.) Pork and ground meats should have no pink remaining. Taste for tenderness by tasting the meat.

If your microwave has a temperature probe, you can utilize it to check the internal temperature of large pieces of meat. Or use a thermometer designed for safe microwave use. Do not use a regular oven thermometer in your microwave oven. You can insert it to check the internal temperature after the meat is removed from the microwave.

Beef tortillas meal takes on barbecue-style flair

By NANCY BYAL
Associated Press

Beef is easier to slice very thinly when it's partially frozen. That takes about 45 minutes in the freezer. If you're working with frozen meat, let it partially thaw before slicing. Serve the tortillas with tomato slices and shredded lettuce for a one-plate meal.

BARBECUE-STYLE BEEF TORTILLAS

1 pound beef flank steak
½ cup chopped onion
¼ cup chopped celery
1 tablespoon water
1 tablespoon vinegar
1 teaspoon dry mustard
1 teaspoon chili powder
½ teaspoon dried basil, crushed
¼ teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon garlic powder
1 tablespoon cold water
2 teaspoons cornstarch
1 8-ounce can tomato sauce
1 teaspoon brown sugar
4 7-inch flour tortillas

Partially freeze beef. Very thinly slice across the grain into bite-size strips. In microwave-safe 2-quart casserole stir together onion, celery, 1 tablespoon water, vinegar, dry mustard, chili powder, basil, salt and garlic powder. Stir in beef. Cook, covered, on 100 percent power (high) 6 minutes, stirring once. Cook, covered, on 50 percent power (medium) 20 minutes more or until meat is tender, stirring every 7 minutes.

Stir together 1 tablespoon cold water and cornstarch. Stir into meat mixture along with tomato sauce and brown sugar. Cook, uncovered, on high 3 to 4 minutes or until bubbly, stirring after every minute.

To assemble, spoon about 1-3rd cup meat mixture down center of each tortilla and roll up. Place, seam side down, on microwave-safe serving platter. Spoon remaining meat mixture over tortillas. Cook, uncovered, on high 1 to 2 minutes or until heated through, rotating platter a half-turn once. Makes 4 servings.

Meat loaf can be made in microwave

By NANCY BYAL
Associated Press

Moist, delicious meat loaf in 15 minutes? That's all the time it takes to mix these individual meat loaves and cook them in your microwave.

You can make the loaves ahead. Just chill the uncooked loaves until dinner time, and add an extra minute to the first cooking time.

MUSHROOM-STUFFED MINI-LOAVES

½ cup dairy sour cream
3 tablespoons fine dry bread crumbs
Dash pepper
1 pound ground beef
1 4-ounce can chopped mushrooms, drained
4 slices tomato, halved
2 slices Swiss cheese, cut in half
Canned french fried onions (optional)

In a mixing bowl stir together sour cream, bread crumbs and pepper. Add beef; mix well. Shape meat mixture into eight 5- by 2½-inch oval patties. Evenly divide mushrooms among 4 patties. Spread mushrooms to within ½ inch of edge. Top with remaining meat patties. Seal edges and shape into loaves. Place in a microwave-safe 8- by 8- by 2-inch baking dish.

Cook, uncovered, on 100 percent power (high) 3 minutes. Rotate dish a half-turn. Cook, uncovered, on high 3 to 5 minutes more or until done. Drain off fat. Top loaves with tomato and Swiss cheese. Cook, uncovered, on high 1 to 2 minutes more or until cheese is heated through. Serve with french fried onions, if desired.

Barbecue industry dates back to 1950s

By CAROL CUTLER
Copley News Service

Memorial Day was more than a three-day holiday. It was the real beginning of the barbecue season. A hefty percentage of America's almost 15 million barbecues were pressed into searing serving over the long weekend.

It is one of the biggest barbecue days of the year, right up there with the Fourth of July. Labor Day comes in a close third.

Our love affair with the barbecue is a recent infatuation. It's hard to believe that barbecuing as an industry dates back only into the 1950s. That's when Weber-Stephens Products marketed the first version of its hugely successful kettle-shaped charcoal grill.

Today, there is a choice of charcoal grills in various shapes, gas grills and smokers. In the South open-pit roasting is catching on fast.

We use the grills differently today. A few decades back, a thick slab of well-marbled red meat was the ultimate choice for throwing on the grill. We are much more health-conscious now, as well as adventurous. Eating out in restaurants has introduced us to the many pleasures of grilled fish, chicken, vegetables and even fruit.

In Jeanne Voltz's enthusiastic cookbook, "Barbecued Ribs and Other Great Feeds" (softcover; $10.95; Knopf), she writes of even more adventurous fare: "On our grills went almost any cut of pork, beef and lamb, as well as veal, turkey, once a guinea hen, and even coot. However, the coot was so stringy and fishy flavored that we decided it was not worth the effort."

Perhaps some of the popularity of barbecuing is summed up in Voltz's observation that "barbecuing is convivial cooking. No outdoor sport invites more kibitzers, whether you're in Florida, California, New York City or a roadside stop in Kansas."

I have an additional theory — barbecuing gets e mess out of the kitchen.

Whatever the choice for the main attraction, make the day even more memorable by using the grill for all sorts of unusual and appetizing presentations. Cut thick slices (½ to ¾ inch) of goat cheese, marinate for about 15 minutes in good olive oil and fresh thyme leaves.

Wrap cheese in grapevine or lettuce leaves. To keep the little bundles secure, soak toothpicks in water for 10 minutes or so, then anchor the leaf with it. Grill packages on an oiled rack for about 4 minutes on each side, or until packages feel soft. Open packages and enjoy creamy cheese with chunks of crusty bread.

Try giving corn on the cob a new flavor by grilling, instead of boiling it. Carefully pull down husks, leaving them attached at the bottom. Remove all corn silk, then pull husks back into place over cob. Tie around cobs with cotton twine, and soak for about 10 minutes. The soaking prevents husks or twine from catching fire. Grill over hot coals for about 30 minutes, turning with tongs from time to time.

Delectable things also happen to vegetables that are wrapped in heavy-duty foil and tightly sealed. Grill bundles about 6 inches above hot coal bed. Experiment with adding some herbs and perhaps a pat of butter to vegetables so all this goodness can meld under wraps.

Little baby new potatoes will need about 35-45 minutes. Sliced eggplant, yellow squash or zucchini need only about 15 minutes. Here again, brush with olive oil and sprinkle with herbs at the end. Whole, unpeeled onions become marvelously sweet when wrapped in foil and cooked over the fire bed. They are so good that no special addition is necessary.

From Jeanne Voltz's chapter of "Go-Alongs," here is a very special vegetable presentation that will add a real glamour touch to even the simplest Memorial Day barbecue.

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Each person is served a short stack of vegetables — eggplant is the base, topped with tomato and onion. The eggplant and tomato are tender and the flavors blended. The onion is still crispy. Cheese is softened atop the vegetable clumps for a saucelike topping.

EGGPLANT STACKS

1 clove garlic, peeled and split
½ cup olive oil
2 tablespoons dry red wine or wine vinegar
1 eggplant, about 1½ pounds
2 tomatoes, about one-third pound each
1 small onion
3 slices Muenster or Monterey Jack cheese

Cook garlic in oil until golden. Remove garlic and cool oil slightly. Beat in wine or vinegar. Wash eggplant, but do not peel. Wash tomatoes and peel onion.

Cut eggplant crosswise into thick slices. Slice tomatoes, making as many tomato slices as eggplant slices. Slice onion. Brush both sides of eggplant slice with garlic oil.

Place eggplant slices at edge of grill. Top each with tomato slice, then onion slice. Brush again with garlic oil dressing. Grill until heated through and tomatoes begin to moisten eggplant.

Move eggplant stacks about with spatula now and then to make sure they don't stick. Top with half slice cheese each and grill until cheese is soft. Remove to platter and serve

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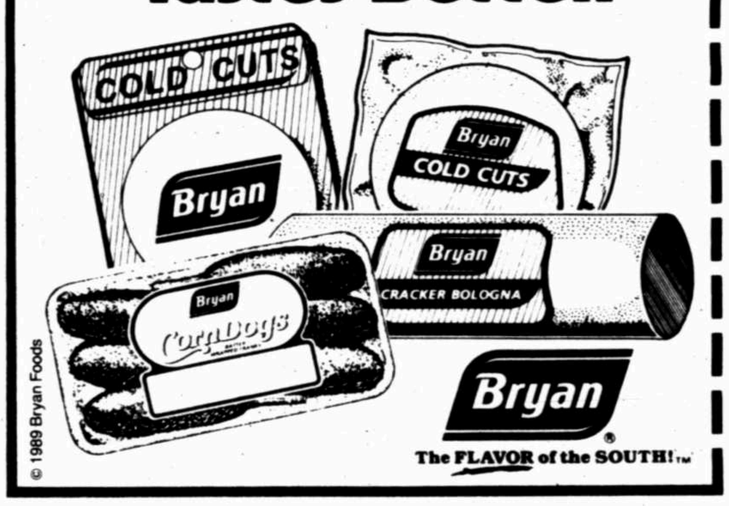

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Midland Community Theatre will extend performances of "The Best Little Whorehouse in Texas" at the Yucca Theatre, 208 Colorado, through Saturday.

Written by former Midlander Larry King, the musical is based on the story ot the Chicken Ranch in La Grange, which was closed down after a Houston television show did an expose on it. MCT has given the musical a PG-13 rating.

"Whorehouse" is not a membership show, but members receive a 20 percent discount.

For information or reservations call 682-4111.

MCT will have auditions for Pickwick Players, the theatre's youth group, 10 a.m. Monday and Tuesday in the Blakemore Room. Students should prepare a one-minute monologue or poem to recite.

Pickwicks will meet two-three times a week for summer classes in musical theatre. Classes will culminate with participants performing the musical "Sneakers" July 21-29...

...**ALLISON BRIDGE** Center will host the North American Senior Bridge Game 12:30 p.m. June 14. Duplicated bridge hands will be played simultaneously in the United States and Canada.

The game is open to men and women 55 and older. Trophies will be awarded for first places in North, South, East and West hands...

...**MARIAN WEST** Blakemore Planetarium will present "Andromeda and the Whale" 2 p.m. and 3:30 p.m. June 12 and June 13. The family sky show includes a dramatizaton fo the Andromeda legend combined with a display of the current night sky.

The planetarium, located southwest of the Indiana and "K" St., is open to the public free of charge...

...**MUSEUM OF THE** Southwest will offer videos, classes and art camp for children 4-12. Adult summer classes in watercolor will also be offered. Call 682-2882 for details.

The museum will present works by "Erte and His Contemporaries" through June 18. The collection of original costume renderings for the Parisian stage, dating from 1918-1940, includes posters and bronze statutes.

Erte, considered the founder of the art deco style, is 96 and living in Paris. An exhibit in the museum library features costumes design by Ethel Des Jardins.

The costumes were designed for Chicago night club shows, the Chicago World's Fair, and the first Ice Follies in the 1920s.

The museum is open 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday and 2-5 p.m. Sunday. For information call 683-2882...

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...**PLANNED PARENTHOOD** of West Texas will provide confidential AIDS testing and counseling during May in Midland, Odessa, Pecos, Monahans, Big Spring, Lamesa and Seminole. For times and locations call 563-2530...

...**59TH TEXAS** Cowboy Reunion & Rodeo will be June 30-July 4 in Stamford.

The event will feature cowboy and cowgirl competitions for employees of working ranches, a rodeo dance, chuckwagon meals, a western art show, musical entertainment, and the music of Jodie Nix.

For information, contact Cowboy Reunion, P.O. Box 928, Stamford, Texas, 79553 or call (915) 773-3654. After June 30 call rodeo arena office for tickets at (915) 773-5441...

...**MIDLAND COUNTY** Library Children's Department and the Centennial Branch will offer "Creature Features," a recreational reading club during the summer. The club will be offered to all children and it will begin when school closes. Children are invited to sign up for a reading log.

Storyteller Jay Stailey will be guest speaker June 9 at the Midland County Library. He will speak to children kindergarten-third grade 10-10:45 a.m. and children fourth-eighth grade 2-2:45 p.m. Tickets are required.

For information call 697-8113...

...**WEST TEXAS** Storytelling Guild will meet 7 p.m. June 9 in the Falcon Room of the University of Texas of the Permian Basin.

Storytellers and listeners are welcome. For information call 697-3597...

...**HIGH SKY SQUARES** will host the 1989 West Texas Hoedown July 14-15 at Midland Center. Round dance and square dance workshops will be offered.

Cost for the July 14 dance in the evening is $8 each. Dancing per couple is $12 for the July 15 dance. Participants must register by July 5. To register write Herman and Bettie Hooper, 2606 Country Club, Midland, Texas, 79701...

Barbecue puts sizzle in summer

Copley News Service

The secrets to successful outdoor entertaining are fresh air, good friends and plenty of food. For the last, go for the quick and simple — with a few frills thrown in for fun.

When you cook outside, you're following in the footsteps of our earliest ancestors: Light a fire and toss on the chops. New designs in grills, however, would thrill any Neanderthal.

Set the stage for alfresco eating with lightweight, durable dinnerware. Enhance the setting with accessories designed to make the outdoors more inhabitable than ever.

■ **COOKERS** — Basic grill sizes and shapes haven't changed. The difference is in quality, shown by heavier gauge steel, new porcelain enamel finishes, stronger legs and better ash catchers. Adjustable levers and improved venting control heat; covers come off quickly and conveniently.

Here's what's sizzling in grills:

Braziers. These are lightweight and inexpensive, and perfect if you're short on space. Some come with half-hoods, rotisseries and air dampers. A new screen version doubles as an outdoor fireplace.

Kettle and wagon grills. These are larger and more expensive than braziers, but they're more versatile. (The kettle is spherical; the wagon rectangular.) Options include full hoods, warming trays, smoke chambers, side-mounted cutting boards, built-in fire starters and see-through windows. Some of the new gas models are self-cleaning.

SMOKERS. THESE range from small portables to larger gas-powered units. Your ham, roast or turkey is cooked above a pan of coals and dampened wood chips. The smoke permeates the meat, giving it a delicious smoky flavor.

■ **GOT A LIGHT?** — 'Gone are the days when you had to spend half an hour or more fanning the charcoal, cajoling and coddling it into a glowing bed," says Boston magazine. "Modern science has given us instant-lighting briquettes which come soaked in lighter fluid." The disadvantage, however, is that instant-lighting charcoal burns up more quickly.

Electric charcoal starters are another shortcut; they cost from $10 to $15 at hardware and barbecue specialty stores.

You also can buy single-serving bags of charcoal; these wax sacks sell for less than $2 each and are filled with 2 pounds of lump charcoal. Simply touch with a match to light.

Enhance the flavor of the foods you cook with wood chips that create aromatic smoke. Varieties include peach, apple, cherry, mesquite, pecan and hickory. A 2-pound bag costs about $3.50 (at department stores).

■ **GRILL 'EM** — When pro baseball player Wade Boggs barbecues in his back yard, he marinates chicken in bottled sauce and plops the meat on the grill. He bastes it and turns it over every now and then — and it's delicious.

Sound simple? It is. Barbecuing just about anything is as easy as that.

According to the "Great American Food Almanac' by Irena Chalmers (Harper & Row), the most popular barbecued foods are whole chicken, beef and pork ribs, chicken parts, sausages and specialty birds.

Health-conscious consumers are happy that fats and excess oils drip off the food as it cooks on a grill or rotisserie, while nutrients are sealed in.

TO JAZZ UP grilled meats, serve them with spicy condiments, such as a hot mustard sauce, chutney, salsa or homemade relish. For variety, curry a couple of beef or lamb kebabs, cook burgers with herbs and mozzarella cheese or marinate a flank steak in red wine and sesame oil. Rub a beef tenderloin with lemon and rosemary and grill it rare.

■ **COME AND GET IT** — The colors of this season's outdoor table settings seem to be either vivid or pastel.

Whichever you choose, the key is to mix them. Using same-style dishes and mugs, combine crayon brights such as royal blue, fire-engine red and taxicab yellow. Accent with a patterned tablecloth that combines all three colors in a bold design, plus matching napkins.

On the other hand, soft and sweet reigns equally under the trees. Cloud pink, peach, aqua, cream and blissful blues blend in dreamy settings, enhanced by linens brushed with muted floral designs.

Whether pastel or primary, china dishes and serving pieces with fruit, vegetable or leaf patterns are hot — especially when the designs are in relief (raised).

■ **HELPFUL ACCESSORIES** — The sun's searing, the radio serenades, savory smoke rises from the grill, guests mingle and giggle. What more do you need for a perfect barbecue?

Nothing, really. But here are a few frills if you feel like it (look for them in department stores and specialty shops):

Woven bamboo plate holders that support paper plates are inexpensive and well worth using where there's wind (or heaping servings of food).

Citronella candles will keep the bugs at bay.

DEAR ABBY

Woman upset by wedding parties

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I have a problem that needs urgent attention. I have been living with a man for 11 years. I am divorced; "Jim" is not, but he's legally separated. Jim's family knows about me. I have been invited to their homes many times, and they have been invited to ours.

Here's the problem. Jim's son is getting married, and Jim's estranged wife (I'll call her Judy) is having a dinner at her home for the bride and groom and has asked Jim to attend the dinner and act as the host.

Since Jim and I intend to have our own dinner for the bridal couple, I see no reason for Jim to attend Judy's dinner. He has given me all kinds of excuses why he should be there, so I finally agreed that he go, even though I would rather he didn't.

I also understand that the bride's parents plan to give a dinner. If they invite Jim and Judy as a couple, I definitely feel that Jim should not go because they plan on having another dinner to which Jim and I will be invited. I feel that Jim should refuse all invitations that include Judy since they are no longer a couple and are not living together.

Please advise me, Abby. What is the proper procedure? — UNSURE

DEAR UNSURE: The "proper procedure" is to do whatever pleases the bridal couple. It is quite clear that Jim's son wants his parents to appear at the bridal festivities as a "couple," so don't make it difficult for Jim or his wife. As unfair as it may seem, you should quietly defer to Jim where his family is concerned.

DEAR ABBY: I just gave birth to our second child and am still heavy and flabby. My husband desperately wants to go to Hawaii for our vacation.

My problem is that I am very self-conscious about my body. He tells me to exercise, but I don't think that in one month's time I will feel comfortable in a skimpy bathing suit.

I want him to have a wonderful time, but he won't if he senses that I am miserable. I do not want to ruin the wonderful vacation that he has planned for just the two of us, but I just can't stop feeling depressed about it.

Should I go and try to fake a good time for his sake? — SELF-CONSCIOUS

DEAR SELF-CONSCIOUS: Buy some shorts and a halter top, or a pretty gauze "shift," and forget the skimpy bathing suits. Once you're on the beach, you will see all shapes and sizes — and discover you look better than most! Trust me. You won't have to "fake" a good time; you'll have one.

DEAR ABBY: A recent column contained a letter about a small child falling into a swimming pool and the CPR that saved him. Good. I'm glad the child is OK. But very young children should be taught some survival techniques.

A child of 2 months can be placed in an inch of water in the bathtub and taught to turn itself over, put its hands under its chest, and get its face out of the water so it can make a noise. By 2 years, my own children could all float on their backs!

When they were 3, I started teaching them to undress in the wading pool. Their sandals and summer shorts came off. Later, we used the same technique in deeper water.

As they grew older, the clothes became heavier and they learned to take off sneakers, shoes and winter boots. It was "fun," but when my 10-year-old son went through the ice in a swamp (a place he was forbidden to go!), I bought new boots and scolded him — but I had a living son!

Of course, children need to be carefully watched, but they also need to be taught how to take care of themselves in emergency situations — and they're never too young to learn.

I hope you think this is worth printing. — K.L. LENNOX, NEWARK, N.J.

DEAR K.L.: I do. And I did.

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Sizzling steak may take second grill to fish this season

By FLORENCE FABRICANT
New York Times News Service

When backyard cooks fire up the grill for the first time this season, the sizzling steak is likely to be swordfish, not sirloin.

Since people are eating more fish these days, according to food-industry statistics, it is only natural that it will be on the menu for summer cookouts. And once a dish has become popular in restaurants, as grilled fish has, it is bound to tempt the home cook, too.

"I think people today associate grilling fish with a healthy way to cook," said Jean Marie Josselin, executive chef at the Cocoa Palms resort hotel in Kapaa, Hawaii, and winner of the American Seafood Challenge cooking contest in March. About 70 percent of the fish on his menu is grilled, he said.

Home cooks are looking for alternatives to hamburgers and steaks for the barbecue, said Douglas Fielding, president of Charcoal Companion, a manufacturer of grilling accessories in Berkeley, Calif.

AS OF the end of April, his company's sales of wire baskets for grilling fish were already triple the total for last year.

There are now about 66 million barbecuers tending the backyard grill, according to the Barbecue Industry Association, a trade group.

Surveys conducted for the association by National Family Opinion Research showed that among some 5,000 households in 1987, 24 percent of all seafood cooked at home was grilled, up from 18 percent in 1985, the previous survey year.

Lisa Readie, a spokeswoman for the association, predicted that this year's survey will show another increase.

Cooks who are pros when it comes to hamburgers but hesitate to trust their talent with fish that may cost $6 to $10 a pound should start with fish steaks.

Fresh swordfish, mako shark, tuna, salmon, monkfish or halibut are the simplest to grill.

The relative thickness and denser texture of steaks make them less fragile than most fillets, so they can be turned without breaking, using a single spatula. And because steaks can be cut uniformly, it is easier to control the degree of doneness than with fillets, which vary in thickness.

ACTUALLY, THE fish counter is well stocked with items suitable for grilling. Small, whole fish like trout, whiting, mackerel and sardines are convenient for cooking in a basket. Large, whole fish, for which there are also special grill baskets, can be spectacular for a party.

Even delicate fillets like sole or flounder, and tiny shellfish like bay scallops and oysters, can be grilled, using a special rack.

Another method is to wrap them with seasonings in parchment, foil or even wet corn husks or banana leaves. While the results will not bear the cross-hatched branding from the grill and the texture will more closely resemble steamed rather than grilled fish, some of the flavor of grilling will penetrate.

Seafood morsels or cubes of fish can be threaded on skewers, alternating perhaps with vegetables or bay leaves, Turkish style. These can be served as hors d'oeuvres, appetizers or main courses. Grilled seafood can even be used in salads and soups.

AS WITH all seafood cookery, ingredients must be very fresh and the timing exact.

The rule of 10 minutes of cooking for each inch of thickness of the fish can be applied conditionally when grilling. The rule's reliability depends on the heat of the coals and how close the fish is to it.

It is better to undercook fish slightly, then transfer it to a hot platter where it will continue to cook gently a few minutes longer, than to risk the unpalatable dryness of overcooking.

Thick cuts can be tested with an instant-read thermometer; it should register no more than 140 to 150 degrees.

The importance of having a very hot grill cannot be minimized.

One reason chefs like to use mesquite is that it burns hotter than many other types of fuel. Cooks who use gas grills, which are so convenient to light, sometimes ignore the importance or preheating the grill for 15 to 20 minutes, which allows the lava rocks to become sufficiently hot.

FISH SHOULD be placed as close as possible to the source of heat so that it sears, sealing in the juices and becoming invitingly brown.

With the exception of such large, whole fish as salmon or sea trout, most types of fish cook very quickly; without intense heat they remain pallid. The cosmetic remedy is a generous dusting of fresh herbs or a topping of chopped tomatoes or other sauce before serving.

It pays to know your grill. It may have hot spots, so be prepared to move the fish around if necessary, placing the pieces that are nearly done in the areas of the grill that are slightly cooler.

Marinating fish for about an hour before cooking adds flavor and, because most marinades contain some oil or other fat, prevents the fish from drying out once it is on the grill.

A marinade of olive oil, lemon juice and garlic may be one of the simplest. Alternatively, the fish can be brushed lightly with oil, perhaps with seasonings added, just before it is cooked. Try using a frond of herbs like rosemary as a basting brush.

In "The Official Fulton Fish Market Cookbook" to be published July 12 by E.P. Dutton, ($19.95), the author, Bruce Beck, points out that fish grilled without at least a light brushing of butter or oil results in "tired looking and slightly dry results."

FOR THOSE interested in conserving calories, excess fat can be blotted before the fish is served, a technique, he notes, that many chefs now use when customers request plain grilled fish.

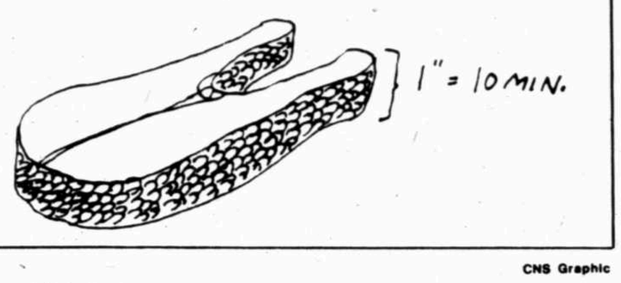
The classiest professional touch, perhaps, is the crisscross marking from the grill. A minute or so before flipping the fish over, simply slide a spatula under it and give it a quarter turn.

Overcooked fish is dry and unappetizing

Often the cook needs help in timing.

Here's how to cook fish perfectly:

1. Canadian Department of Fisheries worked out a foolproof formula.
2. Measure fish — whole, fillet, or steak — at thickest point of internal flesh. Not length or width.
3. Bake, steam, or poach 10 minutes per inch. Check with a skewer or fork along bone; flesh should be flaky.



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Recipes add flair to grilled fish

New York Times News Service

WARM SALAD OF GRILLED SHRIMP, SCALLOPS AND ENDIVE

6 tablespoons extra-virgin olive oil
Juice of 2 lemons
3 cloves garlic, minced
½ teaspoon fennel seeds, lightly crushed
Salt and freshly ground black pepper to taste
1 pound large shrimp, shelled and deveined
1 pound sea scallops
½ pound Belgian endive
Vegetable oil for grill equipment
½ teaspoon Dijon-style mustard
⅓ cup coarsely chopped Italian parsley

Mix together 2 tablespoons of the olive oil, juice of 1 lemon, 2 cloves garlic, fennel seeds and salt and pepper.

Place shrimp and scallops in a bowl, pour oil and lemon mixture over them and toss. Cover and refrigerate for an hour.

Preheat grill.

Slice heads of endive in half vertically. Place about a tablespoon of olive oil in a bowl. Roll endive in oil to coat, then place on grill for a few minutes on each side, until leaves are brown around the edges. Remove endive from the grill and chop coarsely. Place in a salad bowl or serving dish.

Remove shrimp and scallops from marinade. Oil a grill rack that will hold the seafood or thread shrimp and scallops on skewers for cooking. Grill close to the source of heat a few minutes on each side until seafood is just cooked through and beginning to brown around the edges. Do not overcook. If scallops are very large, cut them in half. Add shrimp and scallops to dish with endive.

Mix remaining 3 tablespoons of olive oil, juice of 1 lemon and clove of garlic with mustard. Season to taste with salt and pepper and pour over seafood and endives. Toss gently. Add parsley and toss again. Add additional salt and pepper if necessary. Serve warm or at room temperature.

Yield: 4 to 6 servings.

SHARK GRILLED WITH CHINESE SEASONINGS

2½ pounds mako shark steaks (or swordfish or tuna)
1 inch piece of fresh ginger, peeled and minced
2 cloves garlic, minced
2 tablespoons light soy sauce
2 tablespoons rice vinegar
1 tablespoon Chinese sesame oil
Several drops hot oil
Vegetable oil for oiling grill
1 teaspoon sugar
½ cup finely minced scallions

Cut shark steaks in 4 to 6 equal portions.

Combine ginger, garlic, soy sauce, rice vinegar, sesame oil and hot oil in a glass or ceramic dish large enough to hold fish in a single layer. Add fish, turn pieces once, cover and allow to marinate in refrigerator for an hour, turning them once or twice more.

Preheat grill or broiler to very hot. Oil grill. Drain fish and transfer marinade to a small saucepan. Add sugar and simmer it for a few minutes. Place fish on grill and brush it with marinade. Grill fish 4 to 5 minutes on each side, brushing it with marinade. Fish is done when it just firms up to the touch. It should still be moist and barely pink in the center.

Remove fish from grill, transfer to a serving platter, brush it once more with remaining marinade and sprinkle with scallions. Serve at once or at room temperature.

Yield: 4 to 6 servings.

GRILLED TROUT ROSEMARY

4 to 5 pounds whole fish, gutted (4 medium to large rainbow trout or 4 or more other small fish like whiting, sardines, mackerel or baby bluefish)
2 cloves garlic, peeled
8 large sprigs fresh rosemary
Coarse salt and freshly ground black pepper
¾ cup dry vermouth
½ cup extra-virgin olive oil
1½ tablespoons white-wine vinegar
Vegetable oil for grill equipment

Dry fish inside and out. Slash them at 1½-inch intervals on each side.

With the side of a heavy knife, smash garlic. Strip rosemary leaves from half the sprigs and bruise them with the knife or with a kitchen mallet. Mix garlic and rosemary together and rub them over fish, inside and out. Season fish with salt and pepper and place in a glass, ceramic or stainless-steel dish that will hold them in a single layer. Mix vermouth, oil and vinegar together and pour over fish. Cover and refrigerate. Allow fish to marinate at least 1 hour and up to 12 hours, turning occasionally.

Heat a grill to very hot. Remove fish from marinade and place a piece of the remaining rosemary in the cavity of each. Reserve marinade.

Place fish in an oiled grilling basket if you have one, or oil a grill rack. Grill fish about 5 minutes on each side, until just cooked through and lightly browned. Transfer fish to a platter or individual plates. Simmer some of the marinade in a small saucepan and pour a little over fish before serving.

Yield: 4 servings.

GRILLED RED SNAPPER WITH SALSA

½ cup fresh lime juice
2 tablespoons tequila
2 tablespoons extra-virgin olive oil
1 teaspoon ground cumin
Pinch cayenne pepper
2½ pounds red snapper fillets
1 pound ripe plum tomatoes, finely chopped
¼ cup finely chopped onion
¼ cup finely chopped fresh coriander leaves
1 teaspoon minced fresh green chili, or to taste
Salt to taste
Vegetable oil for grill equipment

Combine ⅓ cup of the lime juice with tequila, olive oil, cumin and pepper in a shallow glass, ceramic or stainless-steel dish. Add red snapper, cover and allow to marinate for one hour, refrigerated, turning fish at least once.

Meanwhile, prepare salsa. Combine tomatoes, onion, coriander and chili in a bowl. Stir in remaining lime juice. Season to taste with salt. Set aside.

Heat grill to very hot. Oil rack or use one or more oiled fish baskets. Place fish on grill and grill it about 3 minutes on each side until it is just cooked. In the center it should have barely lost its translucency. Remove fish from grill and serve, with salsa on the side.

Yield: 6 servings.

Toppings make, break salads

By NANCY BYAL
Associated Press

When you want to eat something light, you choose a salad, right? Crisp greens, vegetables and fruits are refreshing and, best of all, low in calories. Plus, they're full of vitamins and fiber.

But some salads are more healthful than others. Before tossing your greens with dressing or mounding them high with other salad-bar goodies, check your options. The amounts and types of dressing and toppers often determine your salad's healthfulness. Compare these salad selections:

SALAD A: Includes 1 cup of mixed greens topped with diced tomato, shredded Cheddar cheese, crumbled bacon, sunflower nuts and a generous 2 tablespoons of Thousand Island Dressing. Sound good? Maybe, but the total calorie count is about 300; about two-thirds of the calories come from 23 grams of fat.

SALAD B: Also starts with 1 cup of mixed greens and diced tomato. But it's topped with low-fat fixings including sliced cucumber, alfalfa sprouts and diced green pepper. The salad is then dressed with 1 tablespoon reduced-calorie Thousand Island dressing. Sounds good, and the calorie total sounds even better. This salad contains fewer than 70 calories and less than 25 percent come from fat.

For a tasty dressing, try this recipe for Apricot-Sesame Dressing. It contains 22 calories per tablespoon, with a trace of fat and no cholesterol.

APRICOT-SESAME DRESSING

In a small saucepan combine 1 teaspoon cornstarch, ⅛ teaspoon garlic powder and ⅛ teaspoon ground ginger. Stir in one 5½-ounce can apricot nectar, ¼ cup red wine vinegar, 1 tablespoon honey and 1 teaspoon sesame oil. Cook, stirring constantly, until thickened and bubbly. Cook and stir 2 minutes more. Chill, covered. Stir before serving. If desired, sprinkle 1 teaspoon toasted sesame seed over salad greens. Makes ⅔ cup.

Here are some tips for best-dressed salads:

- Read labels. Many bottled dressings average 60 to 80 calories per tablespoon, reduced-calorie versions just one-fourth to one-half that amount.
- Before serving creamy dressings, dilute fat and calories by combining some dressing with an equal amount of low-fat plain yogurt.
- Create your own tasty, low-fat dressings. You can replace half or more of the oil in most recipes with fruit juice or broth. For creamy dressings, replace part of the mayonnaise with low-fat yogurt, pureed cottage cheese, buttermilk or tofu.
- Use one part oil to one part vinegar rather than the typical three to one ratio. A mild vinegar, such as rice or balsamic, reduces tartness.

Grill rack designed to cook seafood

QUINCY, Ill. (AP) — The Griffo-Grill is a new stainless steel grill rack for seafood.

It is sized to fit on top of most grills, and is made of a fine, sturdy steel mesh.

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The grill is available nationwide.

Frozen fish may contain sodium

Addociated Press

NEW YORK — Researchers and nutritionalists found that too much beef in a person's diet is not good, that a person should eat more fish.

But now, according to the Reebok Aerobic Information Bureau, not all fish may be good for you.

Fish is a low-fat, low-sodium food, but fat supplies half the calories in most deep-fried brands found in your supermarket's freezer.

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Tips, trends for barbecues

NEW YORK (AP) — During the summer, the outdoor fun starts early and the sun sets late. What better way to enjoy a summer day than with a festive barbecue?

The following suggestions will help you plan a barbecue that will be remembered long after you've packed away your summer outfits:

■ Test your barbecue grill before the summer season starts to be sure that everything is working properly. Don't forget to clean the grill thoroughly.

■ Take inventory and stock up on supplies you'll use throughout the season, including napkins, plastic forks and knives, paper cups and paper tablecloths.

■ Plan your menu several days before the big event. Buffet style is easiest to plan and prepare.

■ Don't forget the bug repellent spray. Citronella candles are available in a variety of shapes and sizes and help create ambiance. They will also help keep annoying insects away.

■ To prevent foods from sticking and to avoid direct contact with the heat source, use heavy-duty aluminum foil to line the grid. Delicate fish fillets especially benefit from this cooking style.

■ Salt food when it is done (salt draws out the juices), and don't salt it over the grill because the salt will corrode the metal.

■ To prevent burning, soak your wooden or bamboo skewers in water for at least 1 hour prior to cooking.

■ If you're using skewers, it's best to parboil some vegetables, like beans, peppers, potatoes and small whole onions, before cooking with meat so that all foods are done at the same time.

WHEN YOU'RE tired of hot dogs and hamburgers, try something more exotic — like Indian, Korean or Caribbean cuisine.

Rich Davis, creator of K.C. Masterpiece barbecue sauce, says Tandoori-inspired fare is easy to prepare on the barbecue grill. Poultry can be marinated overnight in yogurt spiced with cumin, turmeric, cinnamon, ginger and garlic. If desired, a drop of red food coloring mixed with water can be brushed over the chicken just before grilling to add the traditional fiery hue.

Meaty short ribs take on a Korean accent when brushed with a blend of garlic, ginger, sesame oil and soy sauce before and during the cooking process.

To create tropical Caribbean tastes, marinate beef in coconut milk, rum, ginger and crushed, dried hot red peppers before grilling.

For a light dinner, cook an assortment of fresh vegetables brushed with freshly squeezed lemon juice, olive oil and herbs. Sprinkle the vegetables with freshly grated Parmesan cheese for extra zest. You can also brush tomato-based barbecue sauce over the vegetables during the cooking process.

Davis says cooking with foil adds a new dimension to backyard barbecues. Foods cook quickly and thoroughly, yet remain moist. "Best of all," he adds,"cleanup is a breeze."

THERE ARE two methods for foil cooking on the grill when foods need to be completely covered.

Davis says the "drugstore wrap" is best for foods such as sliced vegetables or meats that need to be turned. Place the food in the center of a large piece of foil. Bring the edges up over the food and fold a few times, allowing some air space. Then fold the ends tightly a few times to avoid leaks.

The "bundle wrap" is for foods like cauliflower or apples that don't need to be turned. The food is centered on a generous piece of foil, and the four corners of the foil are brought together and folded tightly, allowing some air space for steam.

"Betty Crocker's Best Recipes for Grilling" (Prentice Hall Press, $9.95) features more than 100 recipes, six grilling menus and a special section with tips on grills, starting the fire, grilling safety, and determining when food is done. Recipes for beef, pork, lamb, veal, poultry, fish, seafood, vegetables, breads and desserts are included.

"Gourmet Fish on the Grill" by Phyllis Magida and Barbara Grunes (Contemporary Books, Chicago; $8.95) offers dozens of delicious and elegant ways to grill fish. You'll find information on equipment and techniques, serving suggestions, and ideas for using leftover grilled fish.

"The Complete Book of Outdoor Cookery" by James Beard and Helen Evans Brown, written in 1955, has now been released in paperback by Harper & Row ($8.95). From the grill, fire and fuel to recipes for all food groups, this cookbook covers it all. You can select from grilling, broiling, roasting, deep fat frying, smoking or skewer cooking.

"Barbecue Recipes: Indoors and Out" is a free booklet with barbecue tips and recipes by the makers of K.C. Masterpiece barbecue sauce. For your copy, send your name and address with 50 cents for postage and handling to: K.C. Masterpiece Barbecue Sauce, Department CC, Box 24305, Oakland, Calif., 94623.

TERIYAKI FILLETS

1½ pounds cod, haddock or halibut fillets, about 1-inch thick
¼ cup lemon juice
2 tablespoons soy sauce
1 tablespoon vegetable oil
2 cloves garlic, crushed

If fish fillets are large, cut into 8 serving pieces. Mix all ingredients except fish. Pour over fish. Cover and refrigerate at least 1 hour.

Remove fish, reserving marinade. Cover and grill fish about 4 inches from medium coals, turning once and brushing occasionally with reserved marinade, until fish flakes easily with a fork, 12 to 20 minutes. Garnish with lemon wedges and parsley sprigs if desired.

("Betty Crocker's Best Recipes for Grilling")

K.C.'S BARBECUED CHICKEN

2 tablespoons olive or vegetable oil
2 cloves garlic, pressed
Salt and pepper to taste
½ cup barbecue sauce
3- to 3½-pound chicken, cut into serving pieces

Combine oil, garlic, salt and pepper; rub evenly over chicken pieces. Place a drip pan in the bottom of the grill and arrange hot briquets around drip pan (about 30 per side). Place dark meat over drip pan; cover grill and barbecue 15 minutes, turning once and basting with barbecue sauce. Add white meat; barbecue 15 minutes longer, turning and basting with sauce. Reposition chicken pieces on grid directly over coals. Grill, uncovered, about 10 minutes longer, turning once or twice and basting with sauce, until skin is lightly crisped. Chicken should be moist and tender. Heat additional barbecue sauce to serve with chicken.

NOTE: If using chicken quarters, extend barbecue time 5 to 10 minutes as needed.

(K.C. Masterpiece barbecue sauce)

COGNAC BEANS

1 pound dried white beans
Water
1 clove garlic
1 onion
2 cloves
Bay leaf
Thyme
1 small onion, chopped
¼ cup butter
2 cups tomato puree
¼ cup minced parsley
2 teaspoons salt
⅓ cup Cognac

Soak beans in water to cover. Add garlic, the onion stuck with cloves, bay leaf and a sprig or pinch of thyme. Simmer until beans are tender, drain and reserve the liquid.

Saute the small onion in butter until colored, add tomato puree, parsley, salt, Cognac and 1 cup of the bean liquid. Simmer this mixture 30 minutes, mix with the beans, correct seasoning and reheat in a casserole before serving. Serves 8 or more.

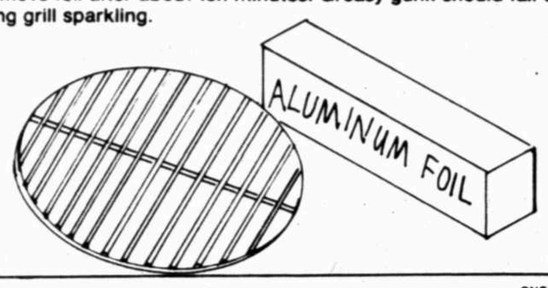
("The Complete Book of Outdoor Cookery" by James Beard and Helen Evans Brown)

Easy cleanup for outdoor grills

Need a quick way to clean that greasy grill?

Here's how to get it clean:

1. Tightly cover grill with heavy-duty aluminum foil, shiny side down.
2. Put foil-wrapped grill over coals that have nearly reached their hottest point.
3. Remove foil after about ten minutes. Greasy gunk should fall off, leaving grill sparkling.



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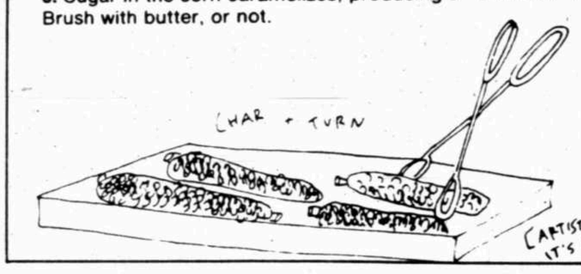
Boiled corn on the cob is leftover

Give it a whole new taste.

Here's how to add a charcoal flavor:

1. Arrange corn ears in a baking pan and place under a hot broiler.
2. As one section browns, turn over with tongs. Continue grilling and turning until entire ear is brown.
3. Sugar in the corn caramelizes, producing a "charcoal" flavor. Brush with butter, or not.



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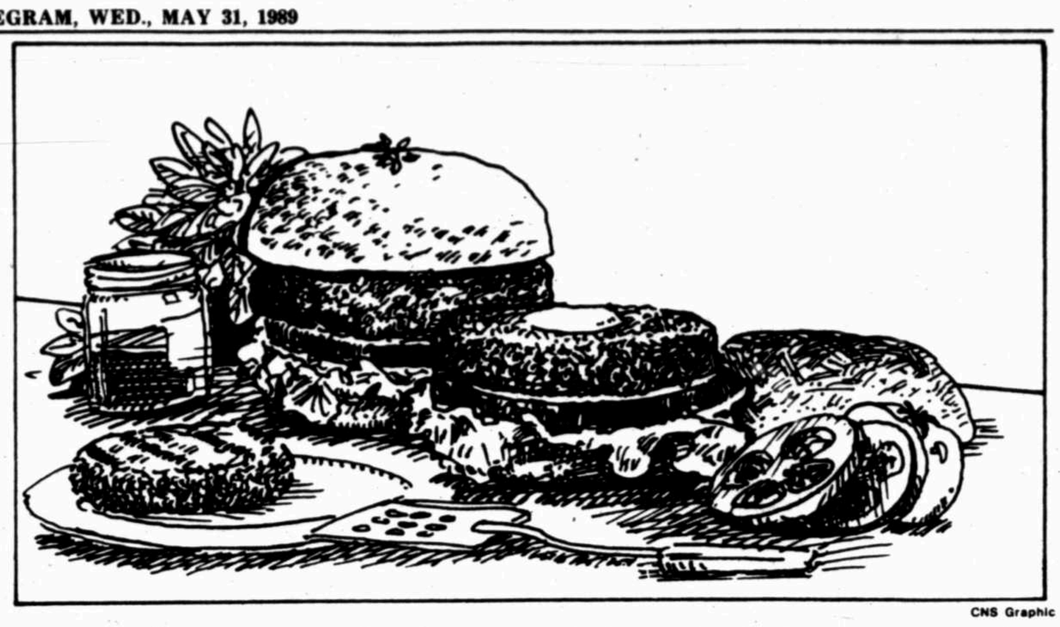

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Hamburger's beginning unknown, but believed to be from Hamburg

By MARIAN BURROS
New York Times News Service

NEW YORK — No one knows for sure when the hamburger made its debut.

The Oxford English Dictionary traces the first report of a Hamburg steak, as it was called then, to 1889, which would make this the centennial year of the first official sighting.

Readers of The Walla Walla (Wash.) Union learned about the hamburger on Jan. 5, 1889, according to the dictionary, in an article that described how patrons at a restaurant in Walla Walla were asked if they would have one of the following: "pork chop, beef steak, ham and eggs, hamburg steak or liver."

The Dictionary of American English traces the first mention of the Hamburg steak to 1884 in an article in The Boston Journal.

If that is correct, we have missed the centennial by five years. But it is also possible that we may have missed it by 53 years: an entry in "American Gastronomy," written by Louis Szathmary in 1974, says the hamburger's opening performance was recorded as early at 1836 on a Delmonico's menu.

In which case we have not only ignored the centennial, we have missed the sesquicentennial by three years.

NONE OF these esteemed publications even deigns to mention three other contenders for the title of inventor of the hamburger: Fletcher Davis in Athens, Tex., sometime before 1904; Frank Menches at the Summit (N.Y.) County Fair of 1892 and Louis Lassen of Louis' Lunch in New Haven in 1900.

Centennial or not, the celebration of the hamburger is in order, especially at a time when the nostalgia craze is sweeping the food business, when comfort foods and diners rather than roasted red pepper purees and temples of haute cuisine set the trend.

It is generally agreed that the Hamburg steak made its way to America from the German city of Hamburg.

The city traded with Latvians, Estonians and Finns and adopted the Baltic love of scraped raw beef. Somewhere between its first appearance in an American restaurant and its Hamburg origins, the Hamburg steak was cooked.

In all likelihood Nancy Ross Ryan, writing in the Feb. 6 issue of Restaurants & Institutions, has the most plausible explanation of how it came about.

"The hamburger," she wrote, "probably was a case of spontaneous combustion."

The name was not changed to hamburger until sometime around the beginning of the 20th century when it also acquired its bun. Without its roll it was, and still is, known in pretentious restaurants as chopped steak.

Sometime around the turn of century the Salisbury steak made a brief run at unseating the hamburger as the ground beef of choice in this country.

THE SALISBURY steak was named after Dr. J.H. Salisbury, a British physician who prescribed it for its health benefits on a three-times-a-day regimen. A mixture of chopped beef, minced onion, parsley, salt and pepper, it was shaped into ovals and broiled.

My only early memories of the Salisbury steak are as a gray, overcooked piece of meat, sunken in library-paste gravy and accompanied by watery mashed potatoes.

By 1921 the fast-food hamburger was well on its way.

The White Castle chain, promoting carry-out food, suggested that its customers "Buy 'em by the Sack." And at five cents apiece, people did.

Called "the slider," the White Castle version of a hamburger is cooked on a hot griddle over a layer of onions. The steam from the onions cooks the hamburger, which explains their steamed flavor.

"By the 1930s Americans were calling hamburgers 'Wimpy burgers,'" says John Mariani in "The Dictionary of American Food and Drink," (Ticknor & Fields, 1983).

Wimpy burgers were inspired, he wrote, "by an insatiable hamburger addict named J. Wellington Wimpy from the Popeye comic strip." In England, Wimpie is a synonym for hamburger.

The next phase in the maturation — some would say degradation — of the hamburger began in the 1950s with the arrival of McDonald's, where one pound of ground beef became 10 patties.

SERIOUS HAMBURGER aficionados know that only four hamburgers should be made from a pound of ground beef.

Beyond that there is little agreement on how a hamburger should be made and what should go in it.

Unlike classical dishes, like hollandaise sauce, there is no right recipe. Ingredients and cooking methods are intensely personal matters.

Ground beef and nothing else says one school. A little cream or an ice cube in the middle to keep it moist, says another.

Salt and pepper after cooking? Chopped raw onions mixed in with the ground beef?

Topped with ketchup, mayonnaise, pickle, relish, tomato, barbecue sauce, meat sauce, pizza sauce, sauteed onion, American cheese, cheddar cheese, Roquefort, Swiss cheese, wrapped in bacon, dipped in flour or topped with nothing at all.

The late 20th-century hamburger has also come topped with peanut butter and sprouts, stuffed with carrots and seasoned with curry or cumin.

There is no end to the ignominy of the poor thing.

Sauteed? Grilled? Broiled? Everyone has a different opinion.

Never less than one-and-a-half-inches thick, says one expert. Never more than a quarter-inch thick says another.

Made with ground chuck? No. Made with ground sirloin.

Charred on the outside, raw in the center. Medium rare all over. Well done.

To me the best hamburger is made with six ounces of ground beef that is about 20 percent fat. It is cooked over a charcoal grill, dark brown on the outside and pink everywhere else.

If there is a bun, it is fresh and toasted and when the two halves are clapped together, the juice is liable to dribble down your blouse.

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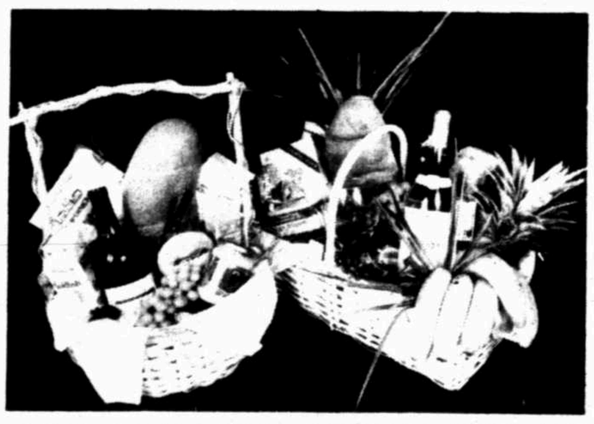

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Pitino picks probation over pros

NEW YORK (AP) — Rick Pitino is going from pro basketball to probation.

Pitino resigned as coach of the NBA's New York Knicks on Tuesday and is expected to be named coach at the University of Kentucky later this week. The job at Kentucky, one of the most prestigious in college basketball, carries with it a three-year NCAA probation for recruiting violations under Coach Eddie Sutton, who resigned in March.

"I think right now, in the best interest of everyone, my job is to turn around the University of Kentucky," Pitino said Tuesday night after reaching agreement with the Knicks and being released from his contract. "That's my job right now. It's going to take quite a few years to do so."

It took Pitino two years to take the Knicks from near the bottom of the NBA to 52 victories and the Atlantic Division title. But it wasn't really what he wanted.

"I wasn't looking to get into professional basketball," said Pitino, 36, who led Providence College to the 1987 Final Four before joining the Knicks. "I wanted to be a part of the turnaround here with the New York Knickerbockers. I wish it could have lasted longer, but you have to know who you are and I'm a college basketball coach and I think that's where my heart is."

SO PITINO will head to the heart of Kentucky and the winningest college basketball program ever. A program with a dagger stuck deep within its breast.

The Wildcats, 13-19 last season, their first losing record in 62 years, are banned from postseason tournament play for two years and not allowed on live television for next season. That didn't scare Pitino.

"I've always gone in with one thing in mind, that we were obviously going to go in there and do it the right way and win and build a very entertaining style of play," he said.

Kentucky athletic director C.M. Newton, told of Pitino's availability, said, "That's great. We're obviously pleased with that because that was part of the process — Rick being able to obtain a release from his commitment to the Knickerbockers. Now that that's occurred, we can continue on and see where it ends up."

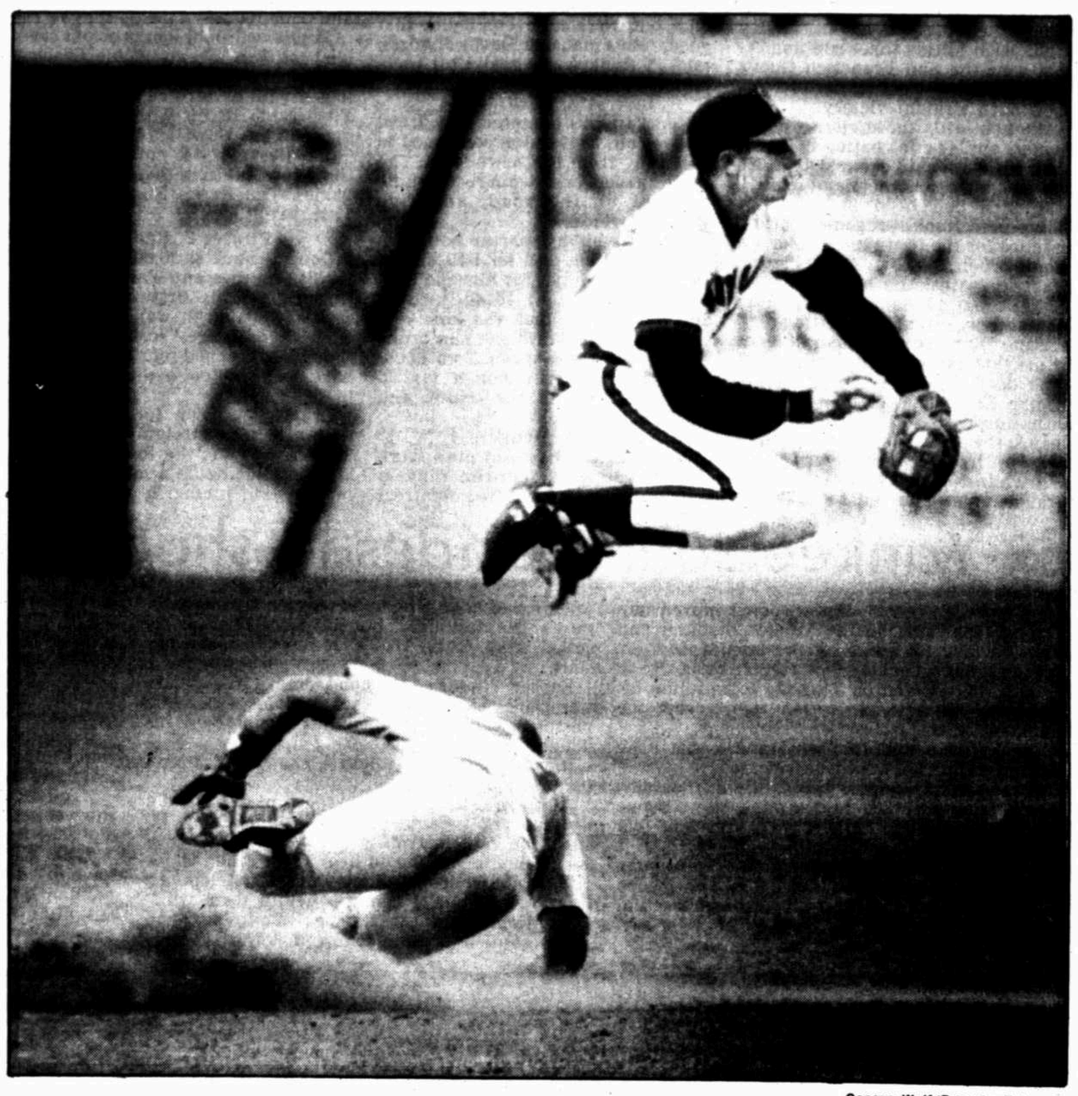
Knicks generan manager Al Bianchi gave Pitino permission to discuss the Kentucky job, but the Knicks have said they expected to get back the money they spend in searching for a new coach. That hurdle apparently was overcome at Tuesday's meeting and the search will begin immediately.

"Rick has been very good at keeping me aprised about things," Bianchi said. "When the Kentucky thing came up, he explained the situation would be good for him and his family. He gave us two good years, how can we deny him this?"

Pitino scoffed at reports that he had feuded with Bianchi.

"There is no dispute and there hasn't been a dispute in two years with Al Bianchi," Pitino said. "Al Bianchi is an outstanding general manager and I think under his guidance we will see a banner — and I say 'we will' because I'm part of New York — hanging in Madison Square Garden sometime down the road."

Who might coach the Knicks down that road?



George Wolf/Reporter-Telegram

San Antonio's Luis Lopez slides under leaping Midland Angel shortstop Gary DiSarcina to break up a double play during Texas League action at Angel Stadium Tuesday night.

Midland slide continues

Last place Missions get five hits from Brown

By TED BATTLES
Sports Editor

Catcher Adam Brown and pitcher Greg Mayberry, a couple of rehab cases, combined to make life miserable for the Midland Angels as San Antonio's last place Missions assumed the role of party-pooper, beating the California Angel farmhands in the opener of a crucial six-day, seven-game homestand at Angels Stadium Tuesday night.

Brown went 5-for-5, including a clinching two-run homer in the ninth, while Mayberry weathered a five-run fourth inning and, with late inning relief help from Gordie Hershiser, turned back the Angels 9-5.

"It's the first time I ever went 5-for-5, anywhere," beamed Brown, who has spent most of his four years in the Los Angeles Dodgers organization.

"He led the California League last year with a .340 average as a DH," explains Mission Manager John Shoemaker, "and he hit .300 as a rookie out of DeKalb Community College in Georgia. Then, he spent parts of two seasons with arm trouble."

MAYBERRY, 4-5, had the Angels pounding the ball into the ground, just what the doctor ordered in view of the fierce wind blowing from right to left field. Anything hit up in the air not only was an adventure, but had a good chance of winding up in Lamesa.

Midland trailed 3-0 going into the fourth and exploded four five runs to take a 5-3 lead. "I had two out and a man on third," related Mayberry and he had an 0-2 count on the next two batters, Mark Doran and Bob Rose, and lost them both. "I got behind on Doran and then I didn't want to give Rose anything good to hit and lost him....it was a mental lapse."

John Orton made it a costly mental lapse by tripling home three runs and then Gary DiSarcina hoisted a towering fly over the fence in center for two more.

THE LEAD was shortlived. Dave Hansen, Brian Traxler and Brown opened the fifth against Midland starter Roberto Hernandez with doubles for one run, leaving runners on second and third. Before Tim Burcham could get the fire out, three runs were in for a 6-5 San Antonio lead.

Mayberry, who shutout Jackson in his last start, settled down to blank Midland for the next three innings before Hershiser took over.

"Early, my curve was working well. Later, they could see the curve better so I went to a change up," Mayberry, who got as far as Albuquerque in 1987 before shoulder surgery. Last year he was 2-3 at Vero Beach, A Florida State League.

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College Series field completed

OMAHA, Neb. (AP) — Dark horse? With tongue in cheek, North Carolina coach Mike Roberts says he hopes his Tar Heels are that good when they begin play Friday in the 43rd annual College World Series.

"We're not very good," said Roberts, whose team strolled into the home of then second-ranked Mississippi State and beat the top-seeded South Regional team twice to advance to Omaha for only the fourth time in school history. Mississippi State may tell you Roberts has swamp land for sale, too.

At 46-16-1 on the season, North Carolina steps up to face the nation's other regional survivors when the national Division I baseball championships begin with first-round games Friday and Saturday.

North Carlolina opens play Friday against Florida State. Wichita State takes on Arkansas in Friday's second game. First-round play in the double elimination portion of the tournament continues Saturday with Texas meeting Long Beach State and Miami, Fla. taking on Louisiana State.

Roberts said his team has come to Omaha with nothing to lose.

"I don't think we have anything to lose because we're one of the teams coming in not expected to win," he said. "We're physically inferior to a lot of teams that will be there. But we have a good group of kids who throw strikes and play good defense and rely on clutch hitting."

Here is a look at field:

Arkansas (50-14)

Coach Norm DeBriyn picked up his 700th career victory in the regional final. Pitching leaders include Mark Swope, 7-0, and reliever Phil Stidham with 12 saves, including two in the regionals. Mike Oquist also has nine wins for a team with an earned run average of 3.34. The top hitters are Scott Posse at .394, Bubba Carpenter at .397 and Greg D'Alexander at .393. The Razorbacks hit .308 as a team.

Florida St. (52-16)

Coach Mike Martin's Seminoles return to Omaha for the third time in four years with what Martin calls a team without a superstar. Clyde Keller, 12-0, has drawn all the tough pitching assignments, while Gar Finnvold, 9-3, and reliever Ricky Kimball assist. Regional MVP Rob Bargas sparks the offense with an average of .320. Martin says bats have come to life in recent weeks, partly due to Rob Roboin's arrival as leadoff man and Brad Parker's 13 homers.

Long Beach St. (50-13)

Coach Dave Snow may have staged one of the most impressive turnarounds in any college program after a 14-45 season a year ago to bring Long Beach State to its first CWS. The first-year coach also becomes the fourth coach to have brought two teams to the CWS — he coached Loyola Marymount in 1986. Pitchers Andrew Croghan, 12-0, and Kevin Abbott, 15-2, helped the 49ers past top-seeded Arizona in a pair of regional wins in Tuscon, Ariz.

LSU (52-15)

Pitching is the Bengal strength with All-American Ben McDonald and Curtis Leskanic both 14-2. Leskanic picked up three regional wins without an earned run in 12 innings. LSU's team ERA is 3.50, while the team hits at a .302 clip. Wes Grisham is the offensive leader with a .371 average, 19 homers and 85 RBIs. Matt Gruver has a .339 average, five homers and 49 RBIs, while Craig Cala added 14 homers and 70 RBIs.

Miami (48-16)

Coach Ron Fraser brings his ninth Hurricane team to Omaha in 11 years with freshman pitching ace Alex Fernandez, 15-1, and veteran Joe Grahe, 14-4, the class of the staff. F.P. Santangelo is the offensive leader with a .345 average, while Kirk Dulom hit .302 with 46 RBIs and a team-leading eight homers. Will Vespie hit .321 with six homers and a team-high 49 RBIs.

North Carolina (41-16-1)

Roberts brought his first Tar Heel team to Omaha in 1978, the first year he was at the school. With only one .300 hitter, catcher Jesse Levis at .351, Roberts says North Carolina relies on pitching and defense. The top pitchers are John Thoden, 12-0, and Michael Hoog, 3-4, but hot of late. Center fielder Tommy Nevin also adds some offense with a .290 average.

Texas (51-17)

Coach Cliff Gustafson has been to 15 CWS in 22 years, while the Longhorns have the all-time lead with 25 national baseball tournament appearances. Gustafson ties Southern Cal's Rod Dedeaux for the most coaching appearances at the CWS with 15. All-American pitcher Kirk Dressendorfer, 16-2, tossed a two-hit shutout in the regionals. Designated hitter-turned pitcher Scott Bryant is the top hitter with a .385 average and school records with 18 homers and 107 RBIs. David Lowery adds a .350 average.

Wichita St. (63-15)

Coach Gene Stephenson is making his third trip to the CWS for the Shockers with a team headed by Eric Wedge, who hit 22 homers, and pitchers Greg Brummett (15-2) and Pat Cedeno (11-3). Wedge has a team-leading .391 average and 84 RBIs heading into regional play. Mike McDonald also hit at a .371 clip and Mike Lansing .366. The Shockers as a team batted .332 and had a team ERA of 3.29 before the regionals.

'Horns, Hogs make it, but where are Aggies?

AUSTIN (AP) — Seconds after securing his 15th trip to the College World Series in 22 years, University of Texas baseball coach Cliff Gustafson with microphone in hand asked a frenzied Disch-Falk Field crowd, "Where are the Aggies now?"

While Texas A&M, ranked No. 1 most of the year, shocked the college baseball world by losing two straight to LSU the night before in the Central Regional at College Station and thus failing to qualify for the World Series, the Longhorns zipped through the Midwest Regional unbeaten.

And in the Northeast Regional at Waterbury, Conn., SWC co-champion Arkansas Razorbacks gave the conference two World Series entries by knocking off upstart LaMoyne.

"I think that shows the strength of our conference," said Gustafson, who has maintained that the SWC is the top conference in the country.

"I'll say it again, there was not any competition keener than it was down at the conference tournament. There weren't many regionals that could compete with that."

Away from the crowd, Gustafson conceded that the best team probably is not going to be making the trip to Omaha.

"It's kind of sad to see a great team lose," said Gustafson. "It doesn't seem quite right the best team in the country is not going to be in Omaha."

Are the Longhorns second best?

"I wouldn't exactly say that," said the coach of the fifth-ranked team in the land. "But we're probably in the top three or four right now."

That's pretty bold talk for a team that finished third in the conference standings and suffered through more losses than any team in Texas history.

"I always thought we had the talent to win and get to Omaha," said Gustafson, who won his 1,100th game Monday.

Meanwhile, while shock waves still ripple through College Station, Aggie players reflect on their disappointing ending.

"This is probably the toughest one of all," said junior shortstop Chuck Knoblauch, who probably will turn pro this summer.

Schmidt: Phillies' excess baggage

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Mike Schmidt, who for 16 years carried the Philadelphia Phillies on his back, says one of the major reasons he retired is that the club couldn't afford to carry him any longer.

"The team being in the shape it is (last in the National League East), the way we've been playing, I just didn't think they could afford to carry a guy of my age with the mediocre talent I've shown the last couple of weeks.

"I feel that now the Ricky Jordans, Chris Jameses and the other young players should go ahead and play without the shadow of me behind them for any reason and a new era can begin."

Schmidt, 39, who announced his retirement Monday in San Diego, came home to meet some 150 of the Philadelphia media at Veterans Stadium.

He stood at the spot where it all began, home plate, and said another reason he retired was because he was experiencing the same feelings he had there 17 years ago.

"I didn't have a lot of confidence when I was a young player," he said.

SCHMIDT, THE seventh-leading home run hitter in baseball history, with 548, stood at a rostrum in the center of the plate. He recalled that as a rookie in 1972 he wasn't sure he could hit the slider to right field.

"I wasn't sure I could do the thing I needed to do to stay in the big leagues. It scared me."

He said that lately he's had the same doubts, the same fright.

"It ended when I got full cycle with those same feelings about myself," he said.

He admitted that he has gone through worse slumps than the 2-for-40 that hastened his departure from the game.

"But I'm the only guy on the field who knew how I felt. There is an old saying that for those who understand no explanation is needed. For those that don't no explanation will suffice."

He said he could hung on — in the fsahion of former teammates Steve Carlton and Pete Rose — and become a part-time player.

"But I rspect the game too much, and the fans who watched me play to hang in the game with less than the body that I need to perform at Mike Schmidt's level of performance.

"I'm not sure what Steve Carlton is thinking ... or what Pete Rose is thinking ...

"The one thing I'm thinking is this is not me. This is not the way I played the game at the top and I want to leave it."

Schmidt time and again insisted that the right shoulder on which he underwent arthroscopic surgery in September "couldn't be any healthier.

"You couldn't do any more to my shoulder to make it any healthier than it is. I could do 50 pushups for you right now. My arm is sound. My arm is strong. But the feeling (for the game) is not there.

"I would like to be able to backhand the ball, take a peek at it, look at the signature on it, get the grip of it and rifle it to first. I was not able to do that."

Schmidt thanked the fans for being so tough on him for years.

"Thanks for wanting and demanding excellence from me. I realize now what that all meant. Thanks for driving me ..."

He described himself as "the number one Phillies' fan in the city," and said he would continue to live in Philadelphia.

"I'm not dying. I'm not going to hide. Philadelphis is my home. I'll be around and I'm available for whatever you want."

Schmidt explained that he always had been able, even as a youngster, to hide a lack of confidence.

"I wouldn't allow those feelings to surface. I always walked around like a cool guy, like a guy sure of himself, like a guy nothing bothered. Like that stuff rolled off my back. Don't show emotion."

Then, he added, "that was not the case. I probably was a little scared, at times a lot scared. I was very unsure."

He said he quit because he has lost the skills at age 39 that should carry him into baseball's Hall of Fame on the first ballot when he becomes eligible in 1995.

SCHMIDT ALSO belied the thought in some places that he made the Great Train Robbery look like a picnic by earning $1 million for playing in only 46 games.

His contract called for a $500,000 signing guarantee, $500,000 if he was on the roster May 15, and another $500,000 Aug.15. There were some other fringes.

He announced his retirement just two weeks after the May 15 payment of $500,000 fell into place.

AP Laserphoto

Philadelphia's Mike Schmidt ...tears of retirement

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TV Sports...

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BASEBALL — Cubs vs. Braves, 6:30 p.m., WGN.

Astros vs. Cardinals, 9 p.m. (replay), HSE.

BASKETBALL — Pistons vs. Bulls, NBA Playoffs, 7:05 p.m., WTBS.

TRACK — Texas Special Olympics, 7 p.m., HSE.

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BASEBALL — San Antonio Missions vs. Midland Angels, 7 p.m., Angel Stadium, KCRS radio (550 AM).

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"I don't think you can express how I feel. It's a once in a life time thing. It couldn't have happened against a better team. They beat me last year, 6-5," Paris' **Garland Lamb** after pitching perfect game against McKinney in 4A regional baseball playoff Tuesday.

Trivia Teaser...

Wednesday's Question: Who was the last foreign driver to win the Indianapolis 500 before Emerson Fittipaldi? Italian-born Mario Andretti doesn't count, since he was a U.S. citizen during his 1969 win.

Tuesday's Answer: Fordham vs. Waynesburg College at New York's Randall's Island Stadium was the first College football telecast and occured in 1940.

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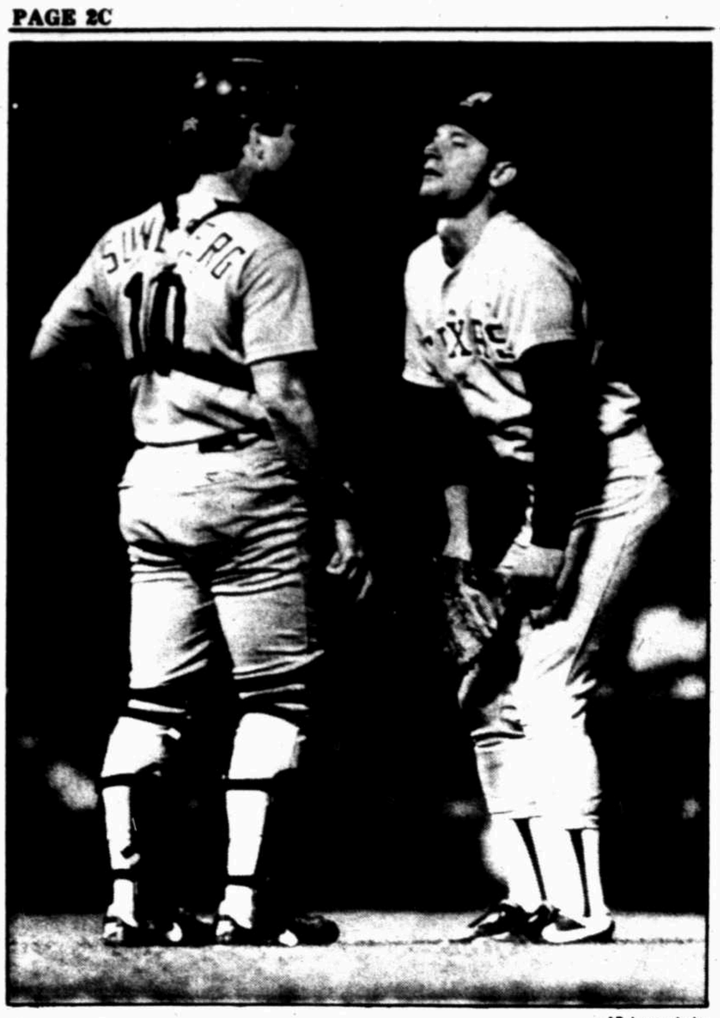

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Texas Ranger pitcher Jamie Moyer bends over in pain after injuring himself while pitching against Baltimore as catcher Jim Sundberg watches. Moyer was lifted after giving up three runs.

Giants rip New York Mets again

Associated Press

Ruth and Gehrig. Mays and McCovey. Mantle and Maris.

Now, Mitchell and Clark.

Kevin Mitchell and Will Clark swung their big bats again Tuesday night, each hitting three-run homers that sent the San Francisco Giants over the New York Mets 10-3 for their fifth straight victory.

Mitchell leads the majors with 15 homers and 47 runs batted in. Clark leads the National League with a .368 average with 10 homers and 42 RBI.

Mitchell had been in a 3-for-24 slump and took pregame batting practice for the first time in nearly a month. Then, the Giants took batting practice against the Mets.

"I felt that my hands were getting slow and my timing was getting off," he said. "But I've got a man in front of me that can carry the world. If I can't do the job, he can."

Mike Krukow, a former Midland Cub, improved to 22-7 lifetime against the Mets. San Francisco leads the West by two games over Cincinnati while New York lost its fourth straight game and fell to 24-24.

NL Roundup

"We're certainly better than a .500 club, but we're not even playing that good," Mets manager Davey Johnson said. "I think we've really hit rock-bottom — but I've said that before."

Astros 8, Cardinals 4

Ken Caminiti homered and drove in five runs as Houston continued to win away from the Astrodome. The Astros have won a team-record nine straight on the road, and five straight overall.

Caminiti hit a two-run homer, a two-run double and an RBI single. He set career highs for hits and RBI.

Danny Darwin, 4-1, got the victory. Scott Terry, 4-4, took the loss.

Caminiti's fourth home run broke a 2-all tie in the seventh. Tom Brunansky hit a two-run homer for St. Louis, his fifth of the season and first since May 10.

Expos 5, Dodgers 4

Pinch hitter Mike Aldrete's sacrifice fly capped a four-run rally in the ninth inning and lifted Montreal over Los Angeles.

The Expos, held to three hits for eight innings by Tim Belcher, opened the top of the ninth with singles by Tom Foley, Andres Galarraga and Tim Raines.

Jay Howell, 9-for-9 in previous save chances, was met by Hubie Brooks' run-scoring single. Tim Wallach followed with a sacrifice fly and Mike Fitzgerald's tied it with an RBI single, chasing Howell, 2-3.

Joe Hesketh, 4-1, got the victory, the Expos' ninth in their last 11 road games. Tim Burke finished for his 11th save.

Pirates 2, Reds 0

Doug Drabek shut out Cincinnati for 8⅓ innings and Randy Kramer finished for his first major-league save as Pittsburgh won at home.

The Reds' longest losing streak of the season reached four games. They have been shut out eight times, most in the majors.

Drabek, 3-5, won for the second time after five straight losses. Rick Mahler, 6-5, was the loser.

Bobby Bonilla hit a solo home run in the sixth inning. It was his seventh homer of the season and second in two games.

Padres 9, Phillies 3

Ed Whitson won his sixth consecutive decision for his 100th career victory as San Diego sent visiting Philadelphia to its seventh straight loss.

The Padres set season highs with 14 hits and nine runs. Bip Roberts scored four times and Jack Clark hit a two-run double for San Diego.

Whitson, 8-2, is off to the best start in his major-league career. He is 100-99 in 12 seasons.

Don Carman, 1-8, took the loss as the Phillies fell for the 11th time in 13 games.

Cubs 3, Braves 2

Greg Maddux and Mitch Williams held down slumping Atlanta and Mark Grace singled home Chicago's go-ahead run in the fifth inning.

The visiting Cubs won for 11th time in the last 14 games. Atlanta has scored just 34 runs in its last 17 games.

Maddux, 4-5, gave up five hits and two runs in 7⅓ innings. Williams got his 13th save.

Ex-Yankee John decides to shoot for 300 wins

NEW YORK (AP) — Jimmy Jones moved into Tommy John's locker at Yankee Stadium and then he took his place on the mound, too.

Sometimes, goodbyes are fast in baseball.

John, 46, decided on Tuesday to continue his quest for 300 victories rather than accept the Yankees' offer of a forced retirement.

The Yankees told John on Monday that if he did not retire he would be released.

"I read in the papers this morning (Tuesday) that he thought he could still pitch, so we'll give him that chance," Yankees vice president Syd Thrift said.

A few hours before playing Seattle on Tuesday night, the Yankees announced they had placed John on waivers for the purpose of giving him his unconditional release. Baseball lingo for saying hit the road.

John had been scheduled to pitch against Seattle on Tuesday night, but instead Jones was recalled from Class AAA Columbus to make the start.

Earlier Tuesday afternoon, John's name plate was removed from his locker along with some personal belongings, including a photo of his daughter.

It was the end of another chapter in John's major-league journey.

John, who has a career record of 288-231, did not appear at Yankee Stadium on Tuesday. Instead, he remained near the phone at his New Jersey home waiting to hear from other clubs.

"I'm not retiring," John said in a telephone interview. "I feel I can still help a team win."

Minnesota and the Chicago White Sox had shown some interest in John, but White Sox manager Jeff Torborg indicated he did not think signing the left-hander was the direction the club wanted to go.

"I'm sure we'll hear from people," said John's agent, Jeff Klein. "There were teams interested in him during the winter, so why shouldn't they be interested now?"

If another club signs John, it would only be required to pay him the remainder of the major league minimum salary of $68,000 — or $46,000.

Yankees manager Dallas Green decided over the weekend that keeping John was unfair to the club.

"There are 23 guys who might accept it, but I have to do what is best for the Yankees to win a pennant," Green said. "I'm sure he feels he can still pitch and I would never doubt his ability to comeback."

Milwaukee takes left from Abbott

Associated Press

American League opponents are starting to talk more about Jim Abbott's left arm than this right hand.

Abbott won his third straight start, limiting Milwaukee to two hits over seven innings in California's 3-2 victory Tuesday night. The only hits off the rookie, born with a deformed right hand, were singles by Rob Deer in the first and Charlie O'Brien in the second.

"The only handicap I saw was us trying to hit the son-of-a-gun," Brewers manager Tom Trebelhorn said. "He shut us out. It speaks for itself. We had two hits and both of them were broken bats."

Abbott, 5-3, has a 1.69 earned-run average in his last three outings. But he still must put up with constant questions about his handicap.

"Maybe if I get through the league one time and prove that pitching is the reason I'm here, maybe the questions will stop," he said.

Abbott was replaced by Greg Minton after walking the first two batters in the eighth. Minton gave up a two-run single to Robin Yount, but retired the next three Brewers to end the inning and Bob McLure pitched the ninth for his first save.

"I don't know if it was the weather or not, but the shoulder got a little tight and a little sore," Abbott said.

Claudell Washington's sixth homer gave the Angels a 1-0 lead in the first off Bryan Clutterbuck, 2-2. Jack Howell's RBI double in the fourth and Johnny Ray's run-scoring single in the seventh made it 3-0.

Benches emptied in the fifth shortly after Gus Polidor was hit by an Abbott pitch. When Polidor reached third on a sacrifice and a groundout, Trebelhorn ran across the field and got into a heated argument with California manager Doug Rader. Players ran onto the field and the managers had to be restrained, but no punches were thrown.

"It was a 2-0 game and I wasn't trying to hit anybody in that situation," Abbott said.

Orioles 6, Rangers 2

Phil Bradley drove in two runs with a seventh-inning single and the Orioles scored twice on Texas throwing errors for their sixth win in seven games.

Reliever Mark Williamson, 2-2, pitched 3⅓ shutout innings to pick up the victory. Gregg Olson struck out the final two batters for his fourth save.

Texas starter Jamie Moyer, 3-5, gave up three runs on three hits before straining his left shoulder in the fourth inning and being replaced by Gary Mielke.

The Orioles scored a run in the fourth on Jeff Kunkel's throwing error in left field and got another run in the seventh on a bad throw by right fielder Ruben Sierra.

Mariners 3, Yankees 2

Ken Griffey Jr. hit two home runs and Randy Johnson won his debut with Seattle.

Griffey hit a solo homer in the second and a two-run shot in the sixth off Jimmy Jones, who also made his American League debut. Seven of Griffey's nine home runs have tied games or put Seattle ahead.

Johnson, 1-0, was acquired along with pitchers Brian Holman and Greg Harris from Montreal last Thursday for left-hander Mark Langston. The 6-foot-10 Johnson, 0-4 with Montreal in six starts, allowed two runs and six hits in six innings. He struck out six and walked three.

Mike Schooler pitched the ninth for his 12th save in as many chances.

AL Roundup

Athletics 4, Red Sox 2

Dave Stewart became the American League's first nine-game winner and Dave Parker homered and drove in three runs for Oakland.

Stewart, 9-2, gave up 10 hits and two runs in seven innings. Rick Honeycutt finished for his fourth save.

Lance Blankenship had three hits and an RBI for Oakland, while Parker drove in runs with a homer, a sacrifice fly and a double. Boston starter Mike Smithson, 2-4, gave up 10 hits and three runs in 4⅔ innings.

Boston's Dwight Evans hit his seventh home run in the sixth.

Indians 6, Blue Jays 2

Pete O'Brien capped a five-run fifth inning with a two-run homer and John Farrell broke a personal four-game losing streak.

Farrell, 3-5, pitched a five-hitter for his first victory since a near no-hitter on May 4. He retired the last 13 Toronto batters and finished with seven strikeouts as the Indians won their third straight.

Toronto's Alex Sanchez, 0-1, was the loser in his second major league start. The Blue Jays took a 2-0 lead in the fifth on RBI singles by Ernie Whitt and Rob Ducey, but the Indians rallied for five runs in the bottom of the inning.

Twins 7, Royals 1

Wally Backman had three hits and two RBIs and the Twins scored all their runs in the second inning to halt Kansas City's five-game winning streak.

Stan Clarke had trouble in his first major league start. He couldn't get anyone out in the second inning and was charged with all seven runs.

Roy Smith, 4-2, gave up eight hits and struck out four in his first complete game since 1985. Smith had failed to get an out in his previous start last Friday against Texas.

Tigers 10, White Sox 3

Keith Moreland hit a three-run homer and Lou Whitaker had a two-run shot as the Tigers handed the White Sox their eighth consecutive home defeat.

Frank Tanana, 5-4, allowed six hits and three runs in 6⅓ innings to improve his lifetime record against Chicago to 24-13. Frank Williams finished for his first save of the season.

Jeff Bittiger, 0-1, gave up five runs and four hits over five innings in his first start this year.

Dallas inks Ker for 4 years

IRVING (AP) — The agent for Dallas Cowboys offensive guard Crawford Ker said the four-year agreement his client signed would not have been completed under the organization's former leadership.

"I accomplished more with the Dallas Cowboys in two hours on my car phone while driving from Palm Springs to Los Angeles on Sunday than I had in two years with the old regime," Howard Slusher told The Dallas Morning News after the deal was announced Monday. "In the NFL, there are deal-makers and deal-breakers. Jerry Jones (new Cowboys owner) is a deal-maker."

Details of the contract were not released, but Ker was believed to be seeking a $400,000-a-year deal. Slusher said Ker "didn't get all the money he wanted, but he was treated fairly."

Ker, who made $170,500 last year, held out for more money last summer before reporting to training camp more than a week late. This year, Ker missed all of one minicamp and the first two weeks of the current three-week camp.

Ker, a third-round draft choice in 1985, was already on the practice field Monday morning.

"I'm real happy, " Ker said. "It's very positive. Jimmy Johnson and my agent worked about all night to work out a deal. There's a lot of compromise on both sides.

Quarterback Steve Pelluer is the only Cowboys veteran still unsigned.

Sports Scoreboard

AL Boxes

Orioles 6, Rangers 2

TEXAS	ab	r	h	bi	BALTIMORE	ab	r	h	bi
Espy cf	4	0	0	0	Deverex cf	3	0	1	0
Fletchr ss	5	0	2	0	Sheets ph	0	0	0	0
Palmer 1b	4	0	1	0	SFinley cf	0	1	0	0
Sierra rf	4	1	1	0	PBradly lf	3	1	2	2
Franco 2b	4	1	2	0	CRipkn ss	4	0	1	0
Leach dh	4	0	2	1	Tettletn dh	2	1	0	0
Buechle 3b	4	0	2	0	Millign 1b	4	0	0	0
Kunkel lf	3	0	0	0	Melvin c	4	0	1	1
Sundbrg c	3	0	0	0	Orsulak rf	4	1	1	0
BBell ph	0	0	0	0	Wthgtn 3b	3	1	1	1
Kreuter pr	0	0	0	0	BRipkn 2b	4	1	1	0
Totals	35	2	10	1	Totals	31	6	8	4
Texas					000 200 000—2				
Baltimore					001 200 30x—6				

E-BRipken, Kunkel, Sierra. DP-Texas 1, Baltimore 3. LOB-Texas 9, Baltimore 6. 2B-Orsulak, Buechele. SB-Espy (21).

Texas	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Moyer L,3-5	3 1-3	3	3	2	1	2
Mielke	1 2-3	2	0	0	1	2
DHall	1 1-3	1	2	2	1	0
Guante	2-3	2	1	1	2	2
Russell	1	0	0	0	0	0
Baltimore	**IP**	**H**	**R**	**ER**	**BB**	**SO**
Tibbs	4	6	2	2	2	5
Thurmond	1	2	0	0	0	0
Williaman W,2-2	3 1-3	2	0	0	1	1
Olson S,4	2-3	0	0	0	0	2

Tibbs pitched to 2 batters in the 5th. Thurmond pitched to 2 batters in the 6th. T-3:38. A-19,044.

Angels 3, Brewers 2

CALIFORNIA	ab	r	h	bi	MILWAUKEE	ab	r	h	bi
Dwnng dh	5	0	1	0	Molitor 3b	4	0	0	0
Wanta rf	5	1	2	1	Yount cf	3	0	1	2
Ray 2b	3	0	1	1	Sheffild ss	4	0	0	0
DWhite cf	4	0	1	0	Deer rf	4	0	1	0
Joyner 1b	4	0	1	0	Braggs lf	4	0	0	0
CDavis lf	4	0	0	0	Engle 1b	3	0	0	0
Parrish c	3	1	1	0	Gantnr 2b	1	0	0	0
Howell 3b	4	0	1	1	Polidor 2b	2	0	0	0
Schofild ss	4	1	1	0	Francn 1b	1	0	0	0
					COBrien c	1	0	1	0
					Surhoff c	1	1	0	0
					Felder dh	2	1	0	0
Totals	38	3	9	3	Totals	30	2	3	2
California					100 100 100—3				
Milwaukee					000 000 020—2				

E-Polidor, Ray. DP-Milw 1. LOB-Cal 8, Milw 6. 2B-DWhite, Howell, Schofield. HR-Washington (6). S-OBrien.

California	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Abbott W,5-3	7	2	2	1	3	6
Minton	1	1	0	0	0	2
McClure S,1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Milwaukee	**IP**	**H**	**R**	**ER**	**BB**	**SO**
Clutterbck L,2-2	6	6	2	2	2	4
Crim	3	3	1	1	0	3

Abbott pitched to 2 batters in the 8th. HBP-Polidor by Abbott. T-2:51. A-8,012.

Athletics 4, Red Sox 2

OAKLAND	ab	r	h	bi	BOSTON	ab	r	h	bi
Polonia lf	5	1	1	0	Reed ss	5	1	4	0
DHedan cf	5	1	1	0	Barrett 2b	5	0	1	1
DParkr dh	3	2	2	3	Bogge 3b	4	0	1	0
McGwir 1b	4	0	2	0	Greenwl lf	4	0	0	0
Steinbch c	5	0	1	0	Evans rf	4	1	2	1
Phillips 3b	4	0	1	0	Burks cf	3	0	2	0
Biknap 2b	4	0	3	1	Horn dh	3	0	1	0
Javier rf	4	0	2	0	Rice ph	1	0	0	0
Gallego ss	3	0	1	0	Esasky 1b	4	0	0	0
Hassey ph	0	0	0	0	Cerone c	4	0	0	0
Lansfrd 3b	0	0	0	0					
Totals	37	4	14	4	Totals	37	2	11	2
Oakland					001 020 001—4				
Boston					001 001 000—2				

E-Cerone. DP-Oak 1. LOB-Oak 12, Bstn 9. 2B-Blankenship, Parker, Reed, Barrett, Boggs. HR-Evans (7), Parker (7). SB-Polonia (11). SF-Parker.

Oakland	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Stewart W,9-2	7	10	2	2	0	2
Honeycutt S,4	2	1	0	0	1	2
Boston	**IP**	**H**	**R**	**ER**	**BB**	**SO**
Smithson L,2-4	4 2-3	10	3	3	2	1
Lamp	2 2-3	1	0	0	1	1
Murphy	1-3	0	0	0	1	0
BStanley	1 1-3	3	1	1	0	0

HBP-DParker by Smithson. WP-Stewart. T-2:59. A-31,407.

Twins 7, Royals 1

MINNESOTA	ab	r	h	bi	KANSAS CITY	ab	r	h	bi
Bckmn 2b	5	1	3	2	Eisnrch cf	4	0	1	0
Newmn 2b	0	0	0	0	Stllwll ss	4	0	1	0
Gagne ss	5	0	1	0	Seitzer 3b	4	0	1	0
Puckett cf	5	0	3	0	BJacksn lf	4	0	0	0
Gaetti 3b	3	1	1	0	Tabler 1b	4	0	1	0
CCastill rf	4	1	1	0	Trtabll rf	3	1	2	1
Bush rf	1	0	0	0	Bucknr dh	4	0	0	0
Harper dh	1	1	1	2	FWhite 2b	3	0	1	0
Dwyer dh	3	0	3	1	Wellmn 2b	0	0	0	0
Larkin 1b	5	1	1	0	Winters ph	1	0	1	0
Mercado c	4	1	0	0	Palacios c	3	0	0	0
Moses lf	5	1	1	1	McRrln ph	1	0	0	0
Totals	41	7	15	6	Totals	35	1	8	1
Minnesota					070 000 000—7				
Kansas City					000 001 000—1				

DP-KC 1. LOB-Minn 11, KC 8. 2B-Castillo, Larkin, Backman, Eisenreich, Puckett, Winters. HR-Tartabull (6).

Minnesota	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
RSmith W,4-2	9	8	1	1	1	4
Kansas City	**IP**	**H**	**R**	**ER**	**BB**	**SO**
Clarke L,0-1	1	6	7	7	2	0
Aquino	4	4	0	0	1	4
Montgmry	2	2	0	0	0	3
Farr	2	3	0	0	0	0

HBP-Gaetti by Aquino. WP-Clarke. T-2:34. A-24,803.

Mariners 3, Yankees 2

SEATTLE	ab	r	h	bi	NEW YORK	ab	r	h	bi
Reynlds 2b	4	0	0	0	RHndsn lf	2	1	1	0
MDiaz 2b	0	0	0	0	Sax 2b	4	0	0	0
SBradley c	4	0	0	0	Mtngly 1b	4	0	1	1
Briley lf	4	1	2	0	Barfield rf	3	1	1	0
Leonrd dh	4	0	1	0	Balboni dh	3	0	0	0
Griffey cf	4	2	2	3	Phelps ph	0	0	0	0
Presley 3b	4	0	1	0	Tolleson pr	0	0	0	0
Coles rf	4	0	0	0	Slaught c	4	0	1	1
Cochrn 1b	3	0	1	0	Pgirulo 3b	3	0	0	0
Vizquel ss	2	0	0	0	Espnoz ss	4	0	2	0
					Brower cf	2	0	0	0
					MHall rf	2	0	1	0
Totals	33	3	7	3	Totals	31	2	7	2
Seattle					010 002 000—3				
New York					000 101 000—2				

DP-Sea 1. LOB-Sea 5, NY 7. 2B-Briley, Slaught. HR-Griffey 2 (9). SB-Henderson (20). S-Vizquel.

Seattle	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
RJohnson W,1-0	6	6	2	2	3	6
Niednfur	2	1	0	0	2	0
Schooler S,12	1	0	0	0	0	0
New York	**IP**	**H**	**R**	**ER**	**BB**	**SO**
JJones L,0-1	7	6	3	3	1	4
Cary	2	1	0	0	0	2

WP-RJohnson. Niedenfuer. T-2:39. A-15,275.

Indians 6, Jays 2

TORONTO	ab	r	h	bi	CLEVELAND	ab	r	h	bi
Liriano 2b	3	0	0	0	Browne 2b	3	1	2	1
Fernndz ss	4	0	0	0	OMcDwl lf	2	0	0	2
Gruber 3b	4	0	0	0	Carter cf	3	1	1	1
GBell lf	4	0	0	0	PoBrin 1b	3	1	1	2
McGriff 1b	4	1	2	0	Snyder rf	4	0	0	0
Moseby cf	2	0	0	0	DClark dh	3	0	0	0
Whitt c	3	1	1	1	Jacoby 3b	4	1	2	0
Milnks dh	3	0	1	0	Allanson c	3	0	0	0
Ducey rf	3	0	1	1	Fermin ss	3	2	2	0
Totals	30	2	5	2	Totals	28	6	8	6
Toronto					000 020 000—2				
Cleveland					000 050 10x—6				

DP-Tor 2. LOB-Tor 3, Cleve 4. 2B-McGriff 2, Jacoby, Browne, Fermin. HR-OBrien (7). SB-McDowell (10). S-Moseby. SF-McDowell.

Toronto	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
ASanchez L,0-1	4 2-3	4	3	3	4	3
Buice	1 2-3	4	3	3	0	1
DWard	1 2-3	0	0	0	1	2
Cleveland	**IP**	**H**	**R**	**ER**	**BB**	**SO**
Farrell W,3-5	9	5	2	2	1	7

WP-ASanchez. T-2:39. A-6,204.

Tigers 10, Chisox 3

DETROIT	ab	r	h	bi	CHICAGO	ab	r	h	bi
Pettis cf	3	2	0	0	Gallghr cf	5	1	2	0
Lynn lf	5	2	2	2	Guillen ss	5	0	0	0
Whitakr 2b	4	2	2	3	Baines rf	3	0	1	0
Tramml ss	3	1	1	0	Kittle 1b	3	1	1	2
Pedriqu ss	1	0	0	0	Caldern dh	4	0	1	0
Morlnd dh	4	1	1	4	Manrig 2b	4	0	0	0
Nokes c	4	0	1	0	Pasqua lf	3	1	1	1
Lemon rf	3	1	1	0	EWilms 3b	3	0	2	0
Sheridn rf	1	0	0	0	Boston ph	1	0	0	0
Bergmn 1b	4	0	0	0	Karkovic c	2	0	0	0
Schu 3b	3	1	1	1	Meculo ph	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	10	9	10	Totals	33	3	8	3
Detroit					004 001 131—10				
Chicago					000 002 100— 3				

E-Manrique. DP-Det 1, Chi 2. LOB-Det 5, Chi 8. 2B-Calderon. HR-Whitaker (12), Kittle (9), Schu (1), Pasqua (2), Moreland (2). SB-Pettis (8).

Detroit	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Tanana W,5-4	6 1-3	6	3	3	3	6
Williams S,1	2 2-3	2	0	0	2	1
Chicago	**IP**	**H**	**R**	**ER**	**BB**	**SO**
Bittiger L,0-1	5	4	5	5	3	3
McCarthy	2	2	1	1	1	1
Hillegas	1	2	3	3	2	2
Hardy	1	1	1	1	1	0

WP-McCarthy. T-3:03. A-9,227.

Baseball Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Baltimore	25	22	.532	—	z-8-2	Won 2	13-11	12-11
Boston	23	24	.489	2	z-5-5	Lost 1	13-11	10-13
Cleveland	24	26	.480	2½	z-5-5	Won 3	12-11	12-15
New York	22	27	.449	4	z-4-6	Lost 1	8-13	14-14
Detroit	21	28	.429	5	z-6-4	Won 2	14-11	7-17
Milwaukee	21	28	.429	5	z-5-5	Lost 2	13-12	8-16
Toronto	20	30	.400	6½	z-5-5	Lost 2	12-14	8-16

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
California	33	16	.673	—	7-3	Won 4	18-9	15-7
Oakland	34	17	.667	—	z-7-3	Won 1	19-7	15-10
Kansas City	30	20	.600	3½	5-5	Lost 1	20-6	10-14
Texas	27	21	.563	5½	5-5	Lost 2	13-10	14-11
Seattle	25	27	.481	9½	z-3-7	Won 1	15-11	10-16
Minnesota	22	27	.449	11	z-5-5	Won 1	11-14	11-13
Chicago	18	32	.360	15½	1-9	Lost 3	6-18	12-14

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Chicago	28	21	.571	—	z-7-3	Won 1	14-11	14-10
Montreal	27	24	.529	2	7-3	Won 3	15-10	12-14
New York	24	24	.500	3½	2-8	Lost 4	14-10	10-14
St. Louis	23	24	.489	4	z-4-6	Lost 3	15-11	8-13
Pittsburgh	21	27	.438	6½	6-4	Won 2	11-12	10-15
Philadelphia	18	30	.375	9½	2-8	Lost 7	9-13	9-17

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
San Francisco	29	21	.580	—	z-8-2	Won 5	16-9	13-12
Cincinnati	26	22	.542	2	4-6	Lost 4	13-11	13-11
San Diego	28	25	.528	2½	z-6-4	Won 2	12-13	16-12
Houston	26	24	.520	3	z-6-4	Won 5	10-17	16-7
Los Angeles	24	24	.500	4	z-5-5	Lost 2	14-11	10-13
Atlanta	21	29	.420	8	z-3-7	Lost 1	12-12	9-17

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AMERICAN LEAGUE
Tuesday's Games

Seattle 3, New York 2
Oakland 4, Boston 2
Cleveland 6, Toronto 2
Baltimore 6, Texas 2
Detroit 10, Chicago 3
California 3, Milwaukee 2
Minnesota 7, Kansas City 1

Wednesday's Games

California (M.Witt 3-4) at Milwaukee (August 3-6), 1:30 p.m.
Seattle (Holman 0-1) at New York (Hawkins 4-6), 6:30 p.m.
Texas (B.Witt 4-4) at Baltimore (Ballard 6-1), 6:35 p.m.
Oakland (Burns 4-0) at Boston (Clemens 5-4), 6:35 p.m.
Toronto (Key 6-2) at Cleveland (Yett 4-3), 6:35 p.m.
Detroit (J.Robinson 1-1) at Chicago (Hibbard 0-0), 7:30 p.m.
Minnesota (Oliveras 1-2) at Kansas City (Bannister 4-0), 7:35 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Tuesday's Games

Pittsburgh 2, Cincinnati 0
Chicago 3, Atlanta 2
Houston 8, St. Louis 4
San Diego 9, Philadelphia 3
Montreal 5, Los Angeles 4
San Francisco 10, New York 3

Wednesday's Games

Houston (Clancy 2-4) at St. Louis (DeLeon 6-3), 12:35 p.m.
Montreal (B.Smith 5-1) at Los Angeles (Hershiser 6-4), 3:05 p.m.
Cincinnati (Rijo 4-1) at Pittsburgh (Heaton 1-5), 6:05 p.m.
Chicago (Kilgus 4-4) at Atlanta (Smoltz 6-3), 6:40 p.m.
Philadelphia (Sebra 1-1) at San Diego (Rasmussen 2-5), 9:05 p.m.
New York (Ojeda 2-5) at San Francisco (Garrelts 3-1), 9:35 p.m.

Thursday's Game

Los Angeles at Houston, 7:35 p.m.
Only game scheduled

Leaders

Today's Major League Leaders
By The Associated Press
NATIONAL LEAGUE

BATTING (140 at bats)—WClark, San Francisco, .368; Larkin, Cincinnati, .329; LSmith, Atlanta, .324; Grace, Chicago, .318; TGwynn, San Diego, .317.

RUNS—WClark, San Francisco, 39; RThompson, San Francisco, 34; Raines, Montreal, 34; Bonilla, Pittsburgh, 32; GDavis, Houston, 32; TGwynn, San Diego, 32.

RBI—Mitchell, San Francisco, 47; WClark, San Francisco, 42; Guerrero, StLouis, 36; GDavis, Houston, 35; ONeill, Cincinnati, 33.

HITS—WClark, San Francisco, 67; TGwynn, San Diego, 66; RAlomar, San Diego, 58; Butler, San Francisco, 56; Grace, Chicago, 56; Mitchell, San Francisco, 56.

DOUBLES—Mitchell, San Francisco, 17; Guerrero, StLouis, 15; Murray, Los Angeles, 14; 6 are tied with 13.

TRIPLES—Raines, Montreal, 5; TGwynn, San Diego, 5; Dawson, Chicago, 4; Larkin, Cincinnati, 4; RThompson, San Francisco, 4; Roberts, San Diego, 4; WClark, San Francisco, 4.

HOME RUNS—Mitchell, San Francisco, 15; GDavis, Houston, 12; Strawberry, New York, 11; HJohnson, New York, 10; WClark, San Francisco, 10.

STOLEN BASES—Coleman, StLouis, 22; Young, Houston, 20; TGwynn, San Diego, 19; ONixon, Montreal, 15; RAlomar, San Diego, 14.

PITCHING (5 decisions)—BSmith, Montreal, 5-1, .833, 1.87; Glavine, Atlanta, 5-1, .833, 2.47; Reuschel, San Francisco, 9-2, .818, 2.15; 8 are tied with .800.

STRIKEOUTS—DeLeon, StLouis, 66; Gooden, New York, 66; Scott, Houston, 65; Belcher, Los Angeles, 63; Hurst, San Diego, 63.

SAVES—MaDavis, San Diego, 16; Franco, Cincinnati, 14; MiWilliams, Chicago, 13; Burke, Montreal, 11; DaSmith, Houston, 9; JHowell, Los Angeles, 9; Lefferts, San Francisco, 9.

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BATTING (140 at bats)—Palmeiro, Texas, .356; Lansford, Oakland, .355; Baines, Chicago, .347; Steinbach, Oakland, .347; Puckett, Minnesota, .340.

RUNS—McGriff, Toronto, 38; Palmeiro, Texas, 36; Burks, Boston, 34; BJackson, Kansas City, 33; Greenwell, Boston, 33; RHenderson, New York, 33.

RBI—Franco, Texas, 44; Leonard, Seattle, 36; Sierra, Texas, 36; BJackson, Kansas City, 34; ADavis, Seattle, 33.

HITS—Palmeiro, Texas, 67; Puckett, Minnesota, 67; Lansford, Oakland, 65; Gallagher, Chicago, 61; DWhite, California, 60; Reynolds, Seattle, 60.

DOUBLES—Puckett, Minnesota, 20; Lansford, Oakland, 15; Sierra, Texas, 15; Boggs, Boston, 14; Palmeiro, Texas, 14.

TRIPLES—DWhite, California, 7; PBradley, Baltimore, 6; Burks, Boston, 5; Reynolds, Seattle, 5; 4 are tied with 4.

HOME RUNS—BJackson, Kansas City, 12; Deer, Milwaukee, 12; Tettleton, Baltimore, 12; Whitaker, Detroit, 12; McGriff, Toronto, 11.

STOLEN BASES—Espy, Texas, 21; DWhite, California, 20; RHenderson, New York, 20; BJackson, Kansas City, 15; Guillen, Chicago, 15.

PITCHING (5 decisions)—Ballard, Baltimore, 8-1, .889, 2.24; McCaskill, California, 6-1, .857, 1.49; Montgomery, Kansas City, 6-1, .857, 1.82; Swindell, Cleveland, 5-1, .833, 2.59; Stewart, Oakland, 9-2, .818, 3.42.

STRIKEOUTS—Ryan, Texas, 89; Clemens, Boston, 68; Viola, Minnesota, 64; Langston, Seattle, 60; Swindell, Cleveland, 58.

SAVES—Eckersley, Oakland, 14; Schooler, Seattle, 12; Farr, Kansas City, 11; DJones, Cleveland, 10; Hernandez, Detroit, 10; Plesac, Milwaukee, 10; Russell, Texas, 10.

NBA Playoffs

NBA Playoffs
By The Associated Press
CONFERENCE FINALS
(Best-of-7)
Sunday, May 28

L.A. Lakers 122, Phoenix 117. Lakers win series 4-0.

Monday, May 29

Detroit 86, Chicago 80, series tied 2-2.

Wednesday, May 31

Chicago at Detroit, 7 p.m.

Friday, June 2

Detroit at Chicago, 8 p.m.

Sunday, June 4

Chicago at Detroit, TBA, if necessary.

Pitino Career

Rick Pitino's Career Record
By The Associated Press

The career coaching record of Rick Pitino, released Tuesday from his contract as New York Knicks coach:

College

	W	L	Pct.
1978-79 Boston U.	17	9	.654
1979-80 Boston U.	21	9	.700
1980-81 Boston U.	13	14	.481
1981-82 Boston U.	19	9	.679
1982-83 Boston U.	21	10	.677
1985-86 Providence	17	14	.548
1986-87 Providence	25	8	.758
Totals	133	73	.646

National Basketball Association
Regular Season

	W	L	Pct.	Fin
1987-88 NY	38	44	.463	2T
1988-89 NY	52	30	.634	1
Totals	90	74	.549	

Playoffs

	W	L	Pct.
1987-88 New York	1	3	.250
1988-89 New York	5	4	.556
Totals	6	7	.462

Texas League

Texas League
First Half
Eastern Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Tulsa	32	19	.627	—
Arkansas	28	24	.538	4½
Shreveport	26	25	.510	6
Jackson	25	27	.481	7½
Western Division				
Midland	27	23	.540	—
Wichita	27	24	.529	½
El Paso	21	31	.404	7
San Antonio	18	31	.367	8½

Tuesday's Games

San Antonio 9, Midland 5
Arkansas 13, Shreveport 5
Wichita 10, El Paso 6, 11 innings
Tulsa 7, Jackson 3, 13 innings

Wednesday's Games

San Antonio at Midland
Arkansas at Shreveport
Wichita at El Paso
Tulsa at Jackson

Thursday's Games

San Antonio at Midland
Wichita at El Paso
Tulsa at Jackson
Only games scheduled

NAIA

NAIA Baseball Tournament
By The Associated Press
Double Elimination
Championship
At Lewiston, Idaho
Tuesday, May 30

Game 11 — Oklahoma Baptist 7, Wis.-Stout 1.
Game 12 — Lewis-Clark St., Idaho 7, St. Francis, Ill. 4.

Wednesday, May 31

Game 13 — North Florida, 53-17, vs. Wis.-Stout, 31-15, 2 p.m.
Game 14 — Dallas Baptist, 40-25, vs. St. Francis, Ill. 50-20, 5:30 p.m.
Game 15 — Oklahoma Baptist, 54-10, vs. Lewis Clark St., Idaho, 39-24, 9 p.m.

Thursday, June 1-Friday, June 2

Pairings TBA, 5 p.m. and 9 p.m.

JUCO WS

Junior College World Series
At Grand Junction, Colo.
Tuesday, May 30

Wabash Valley, Ill. 9, Dixie, Utah 7.
Cochise, Ariz. 16, Iowa Western 4, Iowa Western eliminated.
San Jacinto, Texas 7, Brevard, Fla. 2.

Wednesday, May 31

Game 1 — Wabash, Ind. vs. Brevard C.C., 5 p.m.
Game 2 — San Jacinto vs. Northeastern Oklahoma, 9:30 p.m.

Baseball Draft

1989 Baseball Draft Order
By The Associated Press

The order of selection in the 1989 baseball summer free agent selection to be held June 5-7, in New York. (The Selection rotation is determined by the clubs' reverse order of finish in their respective leagues at the close of last season. The American League selects first in odd years with the leagues alternating selections to form the rotation):

1, Baltimore; 2, Atlanta; 3, Seattle; 4, Philadelphia; 5, Texas; 6, St. Louis; 7, Chicago White Sox; 8, Chicago Cubs; 9, California; 10, Montreal; 11, Cleveland; 12, Houston; 13, Kansas City; 14, San Francisco; 15, Los Angeles (from New York Yankees); 16, Boston (from San Diego); 17, Milwaukee; 18, Pittsburgh; 19, Toronto; 20, Cincinnati; 21, Detroit; 22, Los Angeles; 23, Boston; 24, New York Mets; 25, Minnesota; 26, Seattle (from Oakland).

Compensation picks
Between the 1st and 2nd round

Extra selections for players signed who rated in the top 30 per cent (Class A free agent).

1, Houston (for Nolan Ryan); 2, Los Angeles (for Steve Sax); 3, Boston (for Bruce Hurst).

Extra selection for players selected in the first round of the preceding Summer Meeting who were unsigned:

1, Milwaukee (for Alex Fernandez).

Between 2nd and 3rd round

Extra selections for players signed who rated from 50 to 60 per cent (Class C free agent).

1, Atlanta (for Rick Mahler); 2, Kansas City (for Jamie Quirk); 3, Pittsburgh (for Dave LaPoint); 4, Toronto (for Rick Leach).

Bowling

YUMA, Ariz. (AP) — Standings Tuesday in the $35,000 Ladies Pro Bowlers Tour's Hammer Western Open, with names, hometowns, match play records, 42-game pinfall totals and prize money (top five advance to Wednesday's stepladder finals; a-denotes amateur):

1, Cheryl Daniels, Detroit, 17-7, 10,022. 2, Paula Drake, Broken Arrow, Okla., 17-7, 9,892. 3, Lorrie Nichols, Algonquin, Ill., 15-8-1, 9,794. 4, Nikki Gianuliss, Vallejo, Calif., 18-6, 9,629. 5, Robin Romeo, Van Nuys, Calif., 11-13, 9,524. 6, Lisa Wagner, Palmetto, Fla., 13-11, 9,502. $1,400.

7, Leila Wagner, Annapolis, Md., 15-8-1, 9,487, $1,300. 8, Jeanne Maiden, Solon, Ohio, 15-9, 9,448, $1,200. 9, Rene Fleming, Oklahoma City, 14-10, 9,417, $1,100. 10, Tish Johnson, Panorama City, Calif., 14-10, 9,328, $1,075. 11, a-Sharon Owen Todd, Bowling Green, Ky., 10-14, 9,307, $1,050. 12, Anne Marie Pike, Anaheim, Calif., 11-13, 9,269, $1,025.

Fights

Tuesday's Fights

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J. (AP) — Terrence Alli, New York, stopped Victor Davis, Mitchellville, Md., 6, junior welterweights.

NL Boxes

Astros 8, Cardinals 4

HOUSTON	ab	r	h	bi	STLOUIS	ab	r	h	bi
BHatchr lf	5	1	2	1	Coleman lf	5	0	1	0
Young cf	5	0	0	0	OSmith ss	5	0	1	1
Doran 2b	4	1	2	0	Pndltn 3b	4	1	1	0
CRnlds 2b	1	0	1	0	Guerrer 1b	4	0	1	0
GDavis 1b	5	1	2	1	McGee cf	4	0	1	0
Puhl rf	4	3	2	0	Brnnsky rf	3	1	1	2
Caminit 3b	4	1	3	0	Oquend 2b	4	1	2	0
Ramirz ss	4	0	0	0	TPena c	4	1	1	0
Biggio c	4	1	2	1	Terry p	2	0	1	0
Forsch p	2	0	0	0	Costello p	0	0	0	0
Darwin p	2	0	0	0	MThmp ph	1	0	0	0
					Kinzer p	0	0	0	0
					Quisnbry p	0	0	0	0
					Morris ph	1	0	1	1
Totals	40	8	14	8	Totals	37	4	11	4
Houston					020 000 321—8				
StLouis					000 002 002—4				

E—Pendleton. DP—Houston 1, StLouis 2. LOB—Houston 6, StLouis 8. 2B—Puhl, Caminiti, McGee, Biggio, Doran, TPena, OSmith. HR—Brunansky (5), Caminiti (4). SB—Coleman (22).

Houston	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Forsch	5 2-3	6	2	2	2	0
Darwin W,4-1	3 1-3	5	2	2	0	2
StLouis						
Terry L,4-4	6 2-3	8	5	5	0	2
Costello	1-3	0	0	0	0	1
Kinzer

U.S. net hopes on Agassi

PARIS (AP) — Andre Agassi is hoping to end a drought by three generations of American men at the French Open, but trying not to think too much about it.

"I would be lying if I said I didn't feel it," Agassi, the No. 5 seed, said Tuesday when asked about expectations of him becoming the first American man since Tony Trabert 34 years ago to win the title at Roland Garros.

"I do feel it, but ... people can only expect 110 percent. As long as I give all I have, I feel people can't complain and criticize me if I lose. If I lose, they'll have to take me out on a stretcher."

The 19-year-old with shoulder-length hair, denim shorts and multicolored tennis shoes looked anything but a loser in his first-round match, drawing legions of fans to see him outhit Johan Carlsson of Sweden 6-3, 6-4, 6-1.

IVAN LENDL, began his quest for a fourth French crown Tuesday by defeating Patrick Kuhnen of West Germany 7-6, 6-3, 6-1.

Other winners on the second day included Boris Becker, a straight-sets victor over American Jim Pugh; No. 11 seed Alberto Mancini of Argentina, No. 15 Michael Chang of the United States and No. 16 Guillermo Perez-Roldan of Argentina.

In the women's draw, No. 6 Manuela Maleeva of Bulgaria, No. 7 Aranxta Sanchez and No. 8 Conchita Martinez, both of Spain, and Americans Lori McNeil (12) and Susan Sloane (16) also advanced.

But three seeds went out, the biggest upset caused by Raffaella Reggi of Italy who ousted No. 3 Natalia Zvereva of the Soviet Union, last year's beaten finalist, 3-6, 7-6, 6-2 after trailing by a set and 5-2.

Zvereva said her mind was not totally on the job and that she was distracted by a dispute with the Soviet tennis federation over prize money.

Home favorite Yannick Noah bowed out in four sets to Luiz Mattar of Brazil and hinted at retirement while No. 14 among the women, Hana Mandlikova, was beaten by Andrea Vieira of Brazil.

One player who more than hinted at giving up was Guillermo Vilas, the stocky Argentine who helped pioneer baseline topspin tennis.

Vilas said after his first-round defeat by Italy's Claudio Pistolesi that it may have been his last match "because I can't go on making excuses."

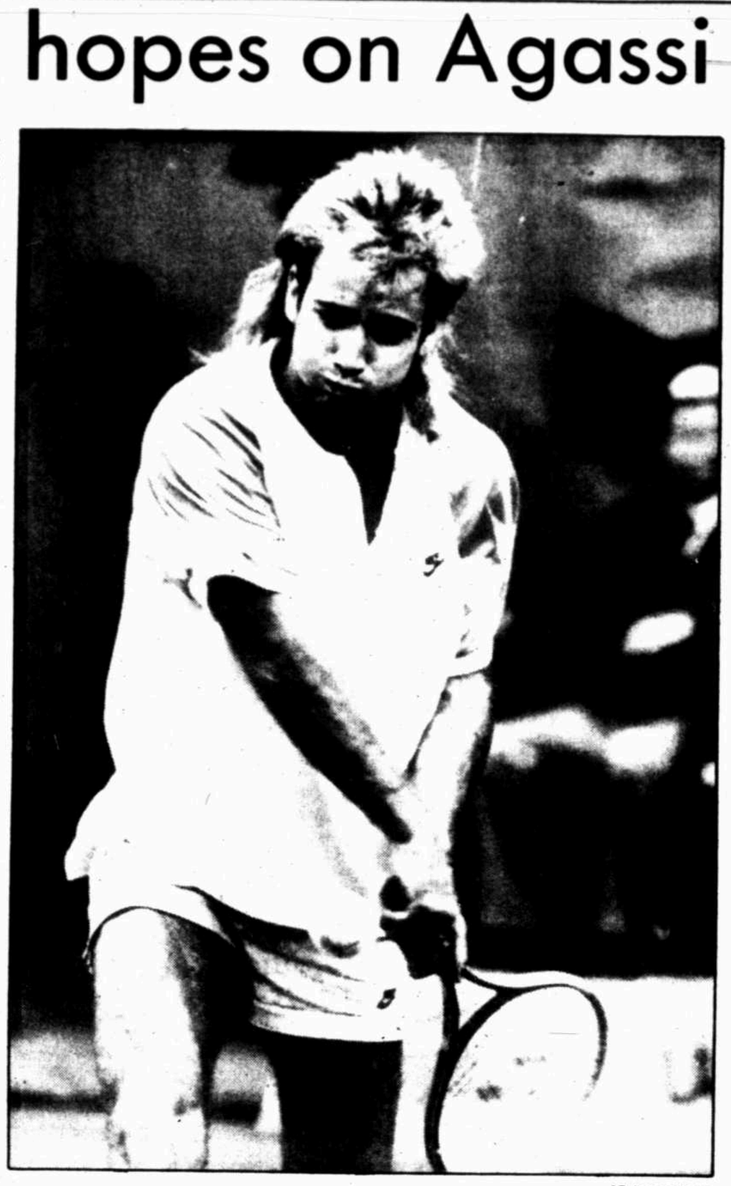
While 36-year-old Vilas is in the twilight of his career, Agassi has yet to reach his prime. But he already is a superstar and knows he has to give of his best to live up to his new responsibilities.

"This year, there are more expectations of me," Agassi said after blowing Carlsson away. "All eyes are on me and I feel winning is more of an obligation. You could tell today that everyone was waiting for my appearance. They pull for you and if you don't perform 100 percent, you feel you are letting them down."

For Lendl, success once meant everything and the Czechoslovakian appeared motivated by nothing but tennis.

Lendl, bidding for the second leg of the Grand Slam, still loves to win the major tournaments — "That's why I play tennis," he said — but the rest of his life means just as much.

"If your life is in place when you come off the court, you can still enjoy yourself," Lendl said. "Last year, I had a terrible time in terms of results, but a great year in terms of fun."



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Andre Agassi rips a return to Johan Carlsson during a first round French Open victory Tuesday. Agassi won in straight sets.

Vilas, Noah face end of careers

PARIS (AP) — Guillermo Vilas and Yannick Noah, both former French Open champions, are talking about retirement after first-round losses at the tournament where they rose to fame.

Vilas, a 36-year-old Argentine who won the French title 12 years ago, was ousted Tuesday by unheralded Italian Claudio Pistolesi 6-1, 6-3, 6-4.

Noah, a 29-year-old Frenchman who became a national hero by capturing the event in 1983, went down 7-6, 6-4, 6-7, 6-4 to Luiz Mattar of Brazil.

For Vilas, the loss was not that much of a surprise. He has slipped to No. 186 in the world rankings and can no longer outlast his opponents with the relentless topspin groundstrokes that were his trademark. He made the French draw this year as a wild card entry.

"This is perhaps my last time," he said after the match. "It's certainly my last time at the French Open and if you ask me now, I'd say I won't play any more matches at all.

"But I'm going away to think about it and will probably decide for certain in about a week. At the moment, I haven't entered any more tournaments."

Vilas said the early-round losses are just too hard to take.

"You feel you are good but it's too difficult when you are just not good enough," he said. "You have no more explanations, no more excuses."

Vilas, known for his muscular build, long hair and passion for poetry, still holds the record for the longest winning streak in men's tennis in the Grand Prix era. He won 46 straight matches in 1977-78 when he reached No. 2 in the world.

"You never achieve everything you want," he said. "But I'm very pleased with what I've accomplished. I can't go on an on asking for wild cards."

Noah has never made it past the quarterfinals in Paris since his victory in 1983, the first Frenchman to win here since Marcel Bernard in 1946.

But Tuesday's loss hurt the most.

Asked whether he was ready to call it quits, he said, "It's not a decision I will take in the next month. You don't decide to quit after one loss. It has to be a well thought-out decision off the court. But I am more and more excited by the idea of retiring.

"That won't happen until I stop having fun on the court and start being more passionate about other things outside of tennis. I still have some goals left, one was Roland Garros. I have so many beautiful memories here. Obviously leaving the tournament like this today is not one of them. Now I will relax and see how I feel in the next couple of weeks."

Noah got off to a fast start this year, reaching the semifinals at Milan and Key Biscayne and the final at Indian Wells.

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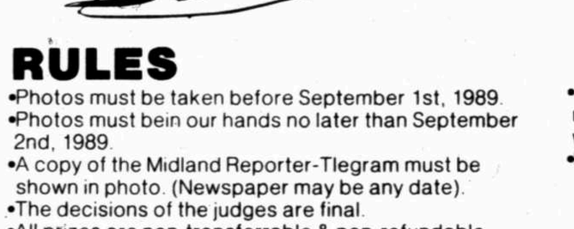

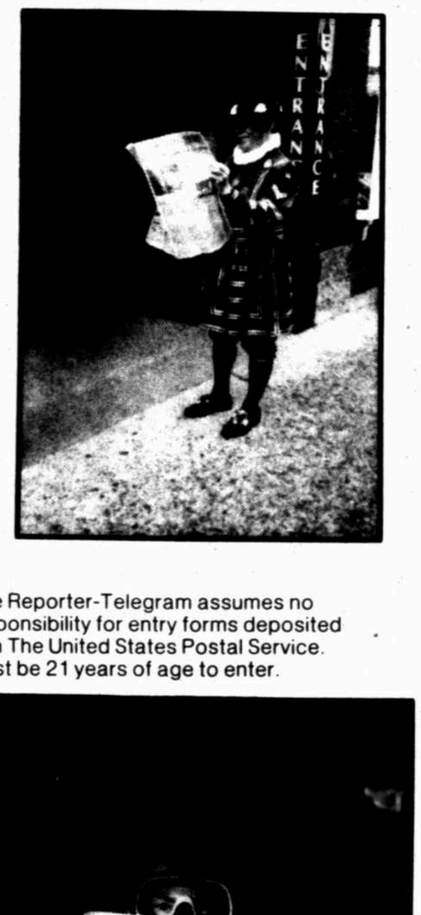

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Pistons vs. Bulls: A Jordan or Thomas showcase?

AUBURN HILLS, Mich. (AP) — The Detroit Pistons have mixed emotions about turning the NBA Eastern Conference final into a one-man show.

The Pistons and Chicago Bulls meet tonight in Game 5 at The Palace with the best-of-7 series tied 2-2.

That's mainly because one man, either Chicago's Michael Jordan or Detroit's Isiah Thomas, has been dominating while the other has been held in check.

Jordan scored 32 points as Chicago won Game 1 and 46 as the Bulls overcame a 14-point deficit down the stretch to win Game 3. Thomas, who had a total of 14 points in those two games, scored 33 and 27 in the games the Pistons won.

The storyline seems obvious: stop Jordan and you can beat the Bulls. It's a story that irritates some of Jordan's teammates.

NBA Playoffs

"We don't wait around to see how Michael Jordan is going to or how we can complement him," reserve center Dave Corzine said. "Michael Jordan doesn't control the emotions or play of this entire team. He's just one of five players."

Oh, really? Jordan scored 17 of the Bulls final 23 points in Chicago's comeback win in Game 3. He had an ordinary 5-for-15 shooting day and just two field goals in the last 43 minutes of Game 4.

"When he's not going good, I think it does shift the pressure from the defense right back onto them," Detroit guard Vinnie Johnson said. "When you've got a guy like him, a guy quarterbacking the whole game, playing and controlling everything for 46-47 minutes, you do wait for him. You do look to see what he's gonna do.

"When you depend on a guy like that for that much all the time and a team is defending him, you can find yourself standing around wanting him to put on a show."

The main difference between Jordan and Thomas is that Jordan thrives on his offensive fireworks displays. Thomas doesn't. Thomas, in fact, conducted a hasty closed-door meeting following Game 2, telling his teammates they had to pick up more of the slack.

"All I know is I don't want to lose," Thomas said after Game 4. "I've been playing this game for a long time — about 26 years — and I know what I have to do. I got my points today. I got to take the ball to the basket.

"But I don't have to score to be effective. In Game 3, I was effective, but I didn't score and we were up by 14 with seven minutes left. The reason we won (Game 4) was our defense, not my scoring."

The Pistons also do better when they can force Chicago's starters into foul trouble. That allows the Detroit bench to take over.

In Game 4, the Pistons bench outscored Chicago's 36-2 and had a 31-8 edge in rebounds while playing 107 minutes, compared with 45 minutes for the Bulls reserves.

"Detroit really made Michael work," Chicago coach Doug Collins said. "Joe Dumars, Vinnie Johnson and Dennis Rodman took turns on him and Michael really had to work on defense guarding Isiah because he has a big game."

ANGELS

(Continued from Page 1C)

FOR SHOEMAKER, Midland, despite the wind, sand, rain and the distant lightning, was a welcome change. "For the last 30 games we've been playing at home, in Shreveport or in Jackson and the wind has been blowing in our faces. Tonight we got a few balls up in the air and it paid off."

Brown's big night began with a second inning lead off single that led to a run. In the third his left side chopper produced a run, he doubled in another run in the three-run fifth and then singled to right in the seventh before belting his fourth homer, good for two runs, in the ninth to cap the win.

For Midland, clinging to a precarious lead in the Texas League West, it was a night of frustration and missed opportunities, not to mention a couple of errors that resulted in three Mission runs and a sixth consecutive loss.

In the first, Reed Peters walked to lead off and was picked off first. In the second, Dan Grunhard walked and Otto Gonzalez singled to put runners on first and second with none out. Mark Doran's liner to first was converted into an easy DP.

In the third, a lead off single by Orton and then nothing. In the eighth, Midland's last gasp, Chris Cron walked and Everett Graham delivered a pinch single with one out off Hershiser, but Doran again lined into a 4-6 double play. For the Angels, their run of luck continued. Unfortunately, of late, it has been all bad.

HALO HOOPS— Kevin Trudeau, 3-4, who has pitched in hard luck, if there ever was, goes for the Angels against **Kevin Armstrong**, 2-3....**DiSarcina** had a double, single and homer, his second, for three of Midland's seven hits and **Orton** had a single and triple for three RBI...Sharing offensive honors with **Brown**, was first baseman **Brian Traxler** with a single and two doubles for three RBI...."I had the same type surgery as Tommy John in my first year of spring training," Brown said-...."**Hershiser** wasn't as sharp tonight as he has been the last 20 innings, but he still got the job done," said **Shoemaker**, "And Brown's homer in the ninth took the pressure off."

San Antonio	ab	r	h	bi	Midland	ab	r	h	bi
Kirby cf	5	0	1	0	Peters cf	3	0	0	0
Kesselmark lf	4	1	1	0	Cerny 2b	4	0	0	0
Hansen 3b	4	2	1	0	Cron 1b	3	1	1	0
Traxler 1b	5	3	3	3	Grunhard rf	4	0	0	0
Brown c	5	3	5	3	Gonzalez dh	3	0	1	0
Lopez dh	5	0	1	0	Graham ph	1	0	1	0
White rf	4	0	0	0	Doran cf	3	1	0	0
Hendley 2b	2	0	1	1	Rose 3b	3	1	0	0
Bustabad ss	4	1	1	1	Orton c	4	1	2	3
					DiSarcina ss	4	1	3	2
Totals	38	9	14	8	Totals	31	5	7	5

San Antonio	012	020	003— 9
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E—DiSarcina, Cron. DP—Midland 1, San Antonio 2. Left—SA 8, Midland 5. 2B—Kesselmark, Hansen, Traxler 2, Brown, Cron, DiSarcina. 3B—Orton. HR—Brown (4), DiSarcina (2). SF—Henley. CS—Henley.

San Antonio	ip	hi	r-er	bb	so
Mayberry W 4-5	7.0	6	5- 5	4	7
Hershiser S,4	2.0	2	0- 0	1	1
Midland	**ip**	**hi**	**r-er**	**bb**	**so**
Hernandez L 2-6	4.0	10	6- 3	1	1
Burcham	4.1	4	3- 3	32	
DeMichele	0.2	0	0- 0	10	

WP—Mayberry. T—2:58. Att—610.

Beaumont must reinstate coaches

BEAUMONT (AP) - A federal judge has ruled that the Beaumont Independent School District violated the constitutional rights of two coaches, one white and one Hispanic, when it transferred them to allow the promotion of two black coaches.

U.S. District Judge Richard A. Schell issued an order Tuesday directing the district to reinstate Jerry Covington, who is white, as an assistant varsity football coach at West Brook High School, for the 1988-89 school year.

The other coach, Don Elliff, who is Hispanic, dropped his request for reinstatement because he recently took over as head football coach at East Chambers High School.

But both coaches are seeking unspecified damages and legal fees from the school district, according to Jefferson K. Brim, an Austin lawyer who represented both men.

Memorial Day good for aces

From Staff Reports

Memorial Day was good for a wealth of holes-in-one at local country clubs.

Kent Finley used a 5-iron to ace the second hole, a 175-yarder at Green Tree Country Club. Finley's feat was witnessed by Wayne Young, Tim Mathes, Randy Kahn, Mike Pettis and Jamie Winkle.

And on the No. 6, 115-yarder for women, Evelyn Davis sank her tee shot, using a 4-iron. Ms. Davis was playing with Chuck Davis, Bonnie Stewart and Carl Stewart.

At Midland Country Club, Bill Cotner scored a hole-in-one on No. 8, a 170-yarder. Using a 3-iron, the Cotner shot was witnessed by Rodney McDaniel and Jack Dalious.

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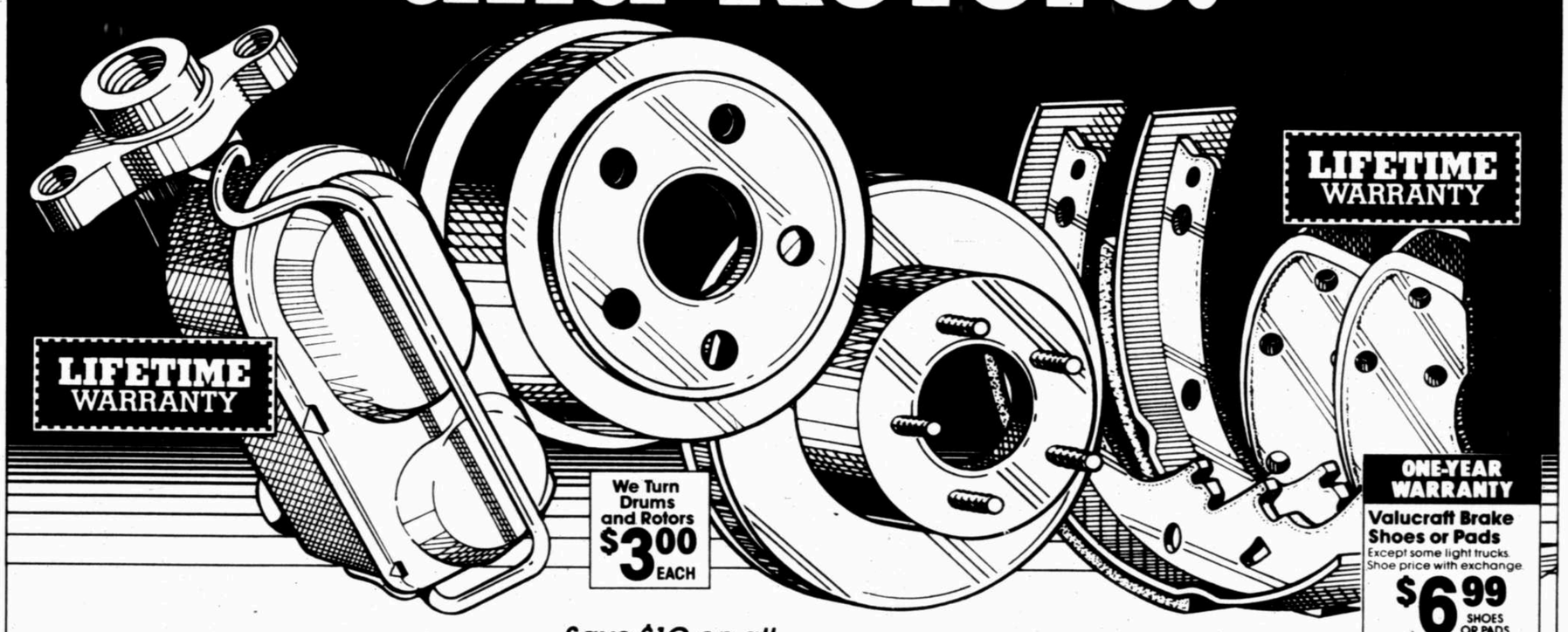

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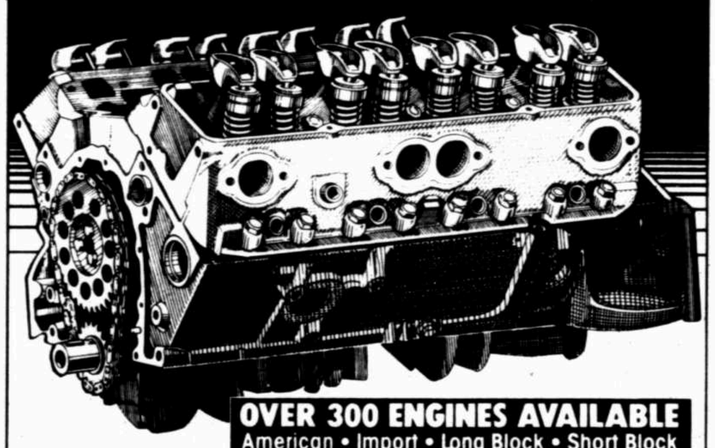

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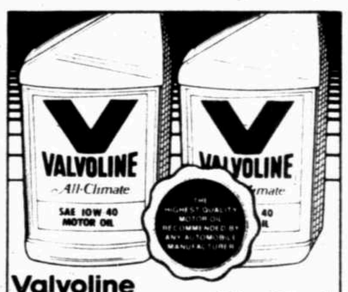

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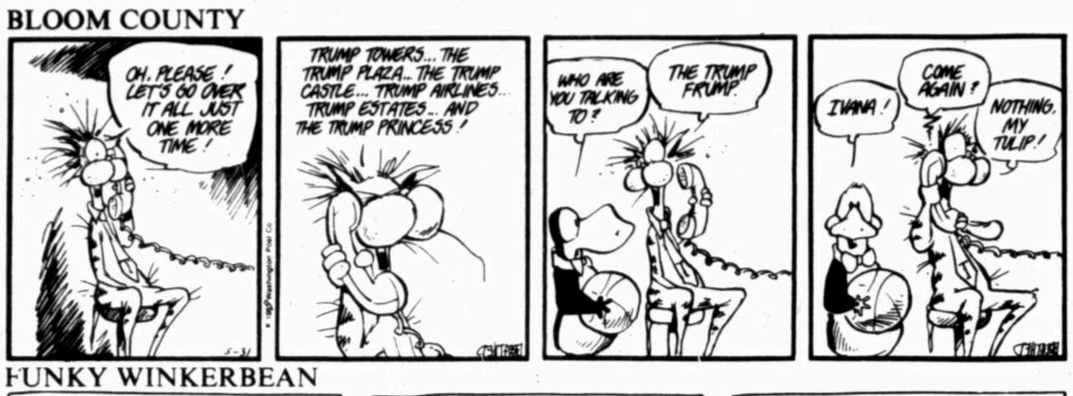

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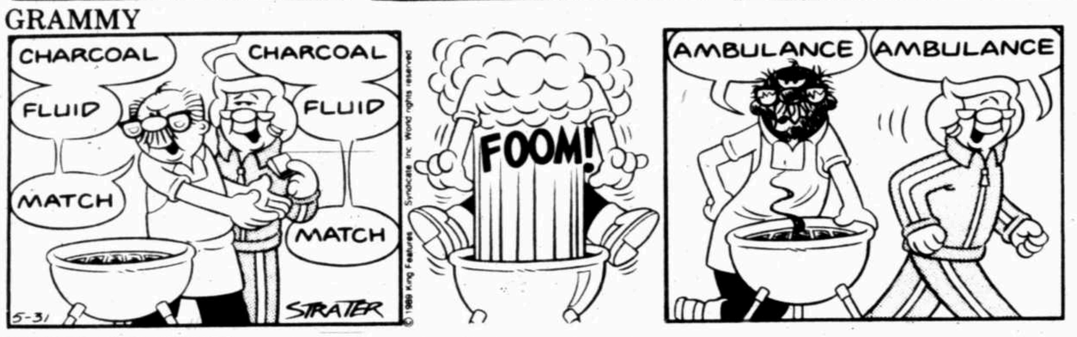

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JEANE DIXON'S your horoscope

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THURSDAY, JUNE 1, 1989

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: You will receive long-overdue recognition. Do not let it go to your head. Observe the rules of correct social behavior at all times. Adopting conservative business tactics in September will help you attain a rare triumph. You are able to consolidate recent gains and launch a profitable new venture or partnership. Better communication equals a happier love relationship.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: singer Pat Boone, "Matlock" star Andy Griffith, "Equalizer" Edward Woodward, superstar Marilyn Monroe, band leader Nelson Riddle, Mormon leader Brigham Young, football great Alan "The Horse" Ameche.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Some very satisfying developments are featured today. The emphasis is on mental pursuits and possibly travel. An urge to do something out of the ordinary could prove expensive. Weigh the pros and cons.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): A handicap is turned into something quite positive. Use your past experiences to gain a special advantage. Uncover any resentments that may be brewing at home. Negotiate mutually advantageous compromises.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Tender loving care will improve communication with a member of the opposite sex. A minor investment could be a major winner for you. Focus on both short-term gains and long-range goals.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Check dates and you will avoid confusion. Good timing is the key to success. Improving your appearance will enhance both business and romance. Job opportunities suddenly open up. Put your best foot forward.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Use your brain and hands in unison and nothing will stand between you and success. Employer provides a welcome career or financial boost. Be loyal. A television story gives you a great idea.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Something happens to make your world look rosier. Credit will be extended if you are candid about your needs. Schedule physical checkups at regular intervals. You want to look and feel your best.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Adjustments in the marketplace ease tensions. A hobby could provide extra income. You find a way to resolve a family feud. Postpone signing legal papers. You may not have the latest facts and figures.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Expand your horizons, but be realistic when making career plans. You should have a greater appreciation for financial security by now. Save for a rainy day. Travel is a source of inspiration.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Travel possibilities develop. You may be able to combine business with pleasure. Family relationships improve. Your honesty is a big plus in forging alliances. Others know exactly where they stand.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan 19): Go ahead and ask for a major favor; you will probably get a "yes." A forthright approach will improve a troubled relationship. You should expect the same loyalty you give others.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): New business ideas and enterprises win unexpected support. Let time work for you. Relationship wounds will heal faster than you think. Do not be too quick to judge others. Forgive innocent mistakes.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): You are on the right track. Pursue your career goals aggressively. Get caught up on paperwork. A child will benefit from your remaining objective. Learning new skills will boost your earning power.

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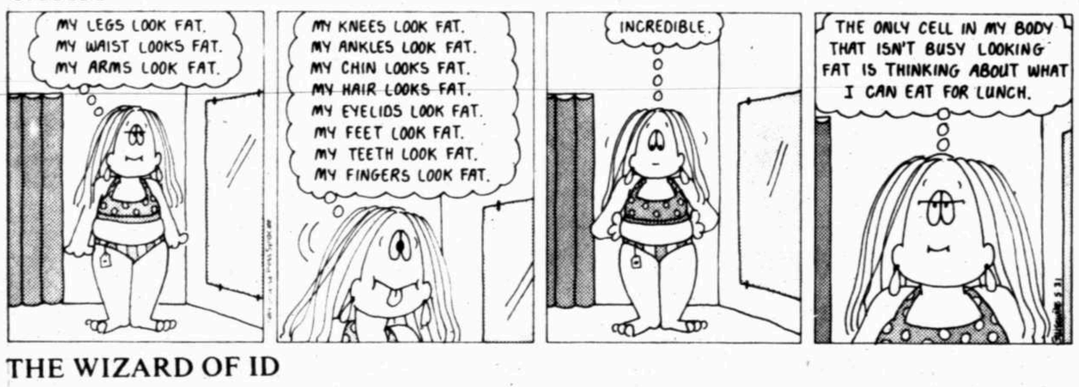

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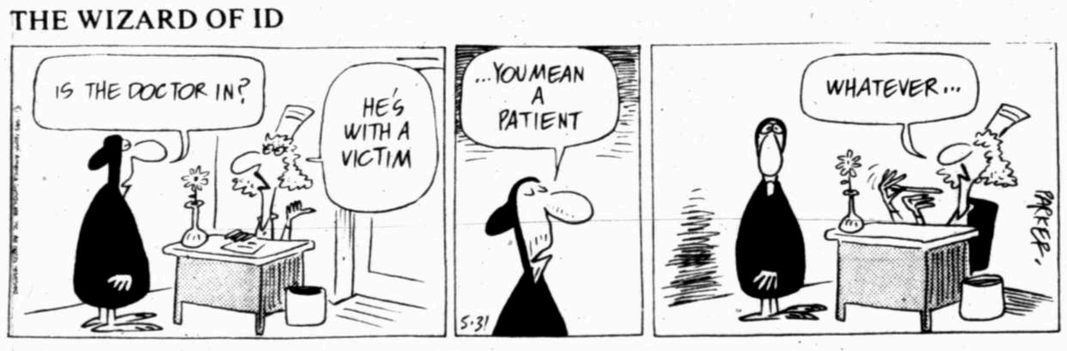

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GOREN BRIDGE

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A LESSON IN TECHNIQUE

East-West vulnerable. South deals.

NORTH
♠ Q J
♡ K 10 9 8
◇ K 4 3 2
♣ 9 7 4

WEST
♠ 8 6 5 2
♡ A J
◇ Q 9
♣ A Q J 3 2

EAST
♠ 10 9 7 4
♡ 4 3
◇ 10 7 6 5
♣ 10 8 5

SOUTH
♠ A K 3
♡ Q 7 6 5 2
◇ A J 8
♣ K 6

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 NT	Pass	2 ♠	Pass
2 ♡	Pass	3 ♡	Pass
4 ♡	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: Six of ♠

The hallmark of an expert is his card-play technique. He takes every chance to ensure his contract. To illustrate our point, we've made a slight change in a hand played at the recent Spring North American Championships by Steve Robinson of Washington, D.C.

After uncovering the heart fit, North invited game. With five trumps and a maximum no trump abounding in prime cards, South had no hesitation in accepting.

West's lead of the six of spades, his second-best, is the modern way of showing a worthless suit. Declarer's problem was to keep East off lead so as to protect the king of clubs from a lead through.

A discard from dummy was not going to help, so declarer won the spade in hand and led a heart toward the king. West did as well as he could by rising with the ace and exiting with the jack, won on the board. Since hearts had split evenly, declarer could afford to overtake the queen of spades with the ace and ruff the remaining spade. Next, he cashed the king of diamonds and then finessed the jack.

In with the queen of diamonds, West had a choice of losing returns. A spade would yield a ruff-and-sluff and a club would set up the king as the game-going trick.

Note that declarer's line of play guaranteed the contract whenever East had the queen of diamonds or the suit split 3-3—the 13th diamond would be set up for a club discard while dummy had a trump entry to cash it. If West had four diamonds to the queen, declarer would still be able to fall back on leading a club to the king for the fulfilling trick.

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4 Complete the chuckle quoted by filling in the missing words you develop from step No. 3 below.

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"Daddy, can we go to the zoo someday and see a LIVE one of these?"

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PEOPLE

Reasoner ready for 'first degree' at Minnesota commencement speech

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — When CBS-TV correspondent **Harry Reasoner** gives the commencement speech for the University of Minnesota's College of Liberal Arts, he will receive the journalism degree that eluded him for almost 40 years.

Reasoner

Reasoner, 66, who grew up in Minneapolis, attended Stanford and Minnesota but never earned enough credits to receive a degree.

But during the last few years, he received the credits he needed by submitting about a half-dozen classes worth of independent study to Minnesota's School of Journalism. His grades were not disclosed.

"The oldest B.A. in the history of the University of Minnesota," Reasoner, who will receive his degree June 11, said by telephone from New York.

"About 20 years ago, the Board of Regents gave me a distinguished alumni award, which was slightly bigger than the Congressional Medal of Honor, and I said, 'Why don't you just give me my bachelor's degree?'

"They said, 'Why don't you take Reporting and Public Affairs 101?' I let it pass."

A few years ago, Reasoner met Professor Irving Fang.

"He sort of took me under his wing and talked to a couple of other journalism professors and found out what it would take to satisfy the requirements. We did it," Reasoner said.

"Honorary degrees are one thing. This is a real one. I'm proud of it."

The lack of a degree hasn't hindered Reasoner, who has had a 35-year career in network news, including 13 years as co-editor of "60 Minutes," the popular CBS News magazine program.

Now, like most college graduates, Reasoner hopes his degree will help him land a good job.

"I assume if I want to retire and teach journalism, now I would qualify," he said.

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VENTURA, Calif. (AP) — A prosecutor said charges won't be filed against actor **Timothy Bottoms**, who was booked after a motorist told authorities that the actor confronted him with a gun.

Bottoms

"He did have a gun, but he didn't display it in a rude, angry or threatening manner as required," said **Deputy District Attorney Don Grant**.

Bottoms was booked for investigation of brandishing a gun on a road, a felony, and carrying a loaded weapon, a misdemeanor, after the motorist told the California Highway Patrol he was confronted by the actor on U.S. 101 on May 10.

The decision not to file charges against "The Last Picture Show" actor was made last week, Grant said.

Bottoms had a .22-caliber pistol and ammunition in his station wagon when it was pulled over by officers, but the weapon wasn't loaded, Grant said.

The actor's spokesman, Sandy Bresler, has declined comment.

Bottoms, 37, made his film debut in 1971 in the movie "Johnny Got His Gun." His other films include "The Paper Chase" in 1973 and "Invaders From Mars" in 1986.

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NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — **Chet Atkins** and his fellow guitarists will try to pick their way to a world's record Friday when they gather at two shopping malls to play the same song simultaneously.

They hope to establish a record for most guitarists playing one song together. They also are out to prove that there really are 1,352 guitar pickers in Nashville as the **Lovin' Spoonful** declared in their 1966 hit record, "Nashville Cats."

Atkins

Nashville's guitarists will meet at Hickory Hollow and Rivergate malls.

Atkins will lead the guitarists at Hickory Hollow and guitarist **Harold Bradley** will conduct those at Rivergate 25 miles away. There will be a telephone hookup between the two so that each group can be cued simultaneously.

Atkins, known as "Mr. Guitar," and Bradley will decide Thursday on the song.

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FRANKLIN, Neb. (AP) — **Pierce Lyden**, a Hollywood bad guy who never won a fight or kissed a leading lady in four decades of western films, had a good role for a change: hometown hero. But he wasn't wearing a white hat.

Wearing a black hat and packing pistols, Lyden rode down Main Street in a horse-drawn carriage Monday as grand marshal of a parade in his honor.

"I'm dumbfounded by the overwhelming response," said Lyden, who was born in Hildreth 83 years ago and graduated from high school in Naponee. Both towns are near Franklin, which is in south-central Nebraska, a few miles from the Kansas border.

"I never thought this recognition would happen to me," Lyden said as he signed an autograph for a young fan.

Lyden's career spanned from the 1930s to the 1960s, mainly in "B" movies although his credits include "The Gunfighter" with **Gregory Peck** and "Red River" with **John Wayne**.

Lyden said he once tried to be a movie "good guy."

"I shaved off my moustache and even put on a white hat, but it didn't do any good," he said. "Hollywood had me typecast as a bad guy."

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PRAGUE, Czechoslovakia (AP) — Twenty thousand fans lit candles in a soccer stadium as **Stevie Wonder** brought pop rock to Prague in a three-hour recital during his "Peace Conversations" tour.

Wonder

The blind American singer sang old hits such as "Jammin," "Superstition" and "I Just Called To Say I Love You," as well as several tunes from his forthcoming album "Peace Conversations."

"I never imagined people will listen to my music here," Wonder told journalists Monday night before his concert. "This music speaks of love and united culture," he said.

Wonder's tour, including West Germany, Scandinavia, Greece and Austria, also takes in three communist bloc countries.

Wonder played Saturday to thousands in Warsaw.

The tour was to take the singer-songwriter to Bratislava, the Slovak capital on Tuesday, and Budapest, Hungary, on June 9.

"I am for equality — social, political and economic — and if there are concerts that speak of these issues, I'm all the way there," Wonder said at the news conference.

Evening TV Schedule

WEDNESDAY MAY 31, 1989

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4:30	"	Night Court	People's Court	DuckTales	"	Beaver	"	Fun House	NBA Today	3-2-1 Contact	"
5:00	Cosby Show	Jeopardy!	News	Airwolf	Bonanza: The	Alice	El Tesoro	Facts of Life	Sports Trivia	Sesame Street	Program
5:30	ABC News	CBS News	NBC News	"	Lost Episodes	Carol Burnett	Noticiero	WKRP	SportsLook	"	Guide
6:00	News	News	News	Mama	Our House	Andy Griffith	Senora	Cheers	SportsCenter	Telecourse	Ed Randall
6:30	Wheel-Fortune	Lose or Draw	USA Today	Andy Griffith	"	Andy Griffith	"	Major League	Sports	Thinking	TV Magazine
7:00	Growing Pains	Hard Time on	Unsolved Mys-	Black Sheep	Movie: "The	NBA Basket-	Premios Mu-	Baseball: Chi-	Adventure	MacNeil/	Texas Special
7:30	Head of Class	Planet Earth	teries	Squadron	Last Outpost"	ball Playoffs:	sica Latina	cago Cubs at	"	Lehrer	Olympics
8:00	Coach	Jake and the	Night Court	Movie: "No	"	Teams to Be	"	Atlanta Braves	World of	Skating Spec-	"
8:30	International	Fatman	My Two Dads	Way to Treat a	"	Announced	"	"	Sports	tacular	"
9:00	Rock Awards	Wiseguy	Fair Game	Lady"	700 Club	"	"	"	Ladies Pro	American	Major League
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7:00	Purple Rose	Movie:	Like Family	Movie: "The	"	Nashville Now	Murder, She	Mister Ed	Battle Line	Behind Scenes	Movie: "Far
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12:30	This Is Now"	Firstworks	Hollywood Era	"	R. Townsend	Magazine	Wrestling	Sat. Night	the World	John Wimber	"

DAILY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Edited by Trude Michel Jaffe

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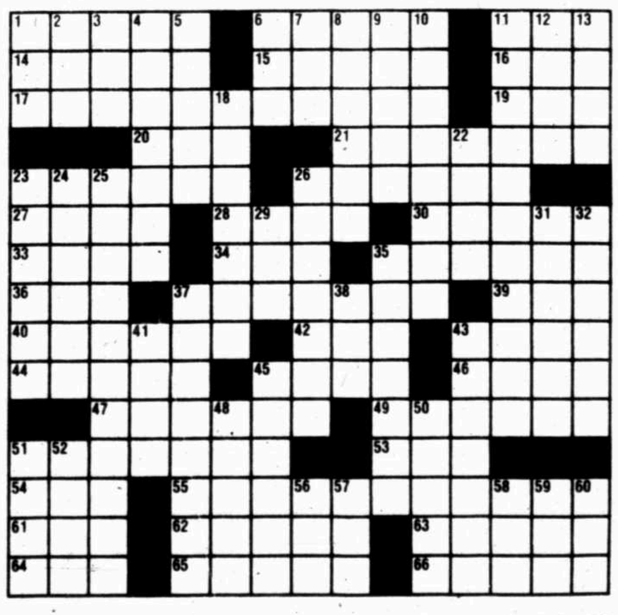

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BUSINESS/OIL

Leading indicators up .8 percent

Steers index clear of recession for moment

WASHINGTON (AP) — The government's chief economic forecasting gauge shot up 0.8 percent in April as it reversed course after posting declines in the previous two months, the Commerce Department said today.

The upward turn in the Index of Leading Economic Indicators allowed the index to steer clear of the traditional signal of a forthcoming recession — three declines in a row.

The index, designed to foretell economic activity six to nine months into the future, had dropped a revised 0.6 percent in March and 0.3 percent in February.

Analysts said April's upturn, which had been widely anticipated, was consistent with the view that while the economy is slowing, there still is enough strength left to power the record peacetime expansion through its seventh year.

"It wasn't a good bet, it isn't a good bet and it's not going to be a good bet in the fall that a recession is about to occur," economist James Annable of First National Bank of Chicago said in anticipation of today's report.

Last month's increase in the index was the biggest rise since a similar 0.8 percent jump in January.

Using the three-month rule of thumb for predicting recessions, the index has correctly forecast all eight economic downturns that have occured since 1948, but it also has flashed false recession signals on five other occasions.

Most recently, the index declined five times in a row in the months surrounding the October 1987 stock market crash, from which the economy emerged unscathed.

In April, eight of the 11 forward-looking business statistics that make up the composite index pointed upward, led by an increase in manufacturers' orders for consumer goods.

Other indicators making positive contributions were: rising building permits; a longer average work week; higher stock prices; a decrease in initial claims for jobless benefits; slower vendor deliveries, signaling stronger demand; a gain in orders for new plants and equipment; and an increase in manufacturers' unfilled orders.

Three indicators pointed downward: a drop in an index measuring consumer confidence; a contraction in the money supply; and falling prices for sensitive materials, indicating slower demand.

The various changes left the index at 145.7 percent of its 1982 base of 100. The index has advanced 1.3 percent over the past six months, compared with a 1.7 percent increase over the previous six-month period.

Annable said recent reports on the economy's performance indicate that growth will slow to a more sustainable level and "suggest this economy is in better shape for growth than even we optimists thought."

Pessimists, too, are rethinking their views.

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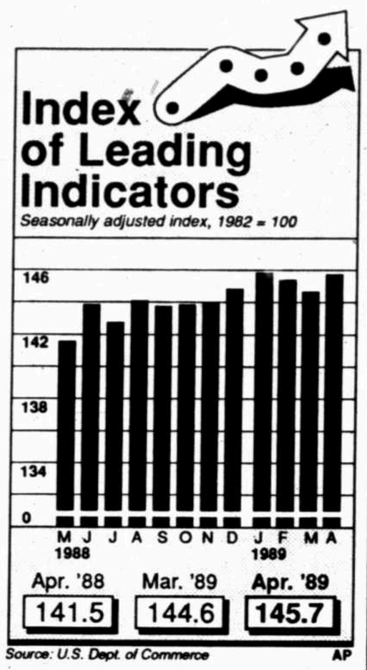

Texas production reverses decline

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas' oil production increased about 15,000 barrels a day in March, reversing a production slide that had seen a drop of 462,000 barrels a day in the state's production capability since the beginning of 1986, according to Railroad Commissioner James Nugent.

Preliminary figures released by the commission Tuesday show state oil wells produced 1,810,711 barrels a day in March, compared to a February production rate of 1,795,006 barrels per day.

"While this one month uptick in our oil production rate doesn't mean the Texas oil industry is out of the woods, it is an encouraging sign — especially for marginal well operators," Nugent said.

He said the production increase may mean more of the state's stripper wells are coming back into production after months of inactivity brought on by low oil prices.

He said that is extremely important for Texas because almost 70 percent of the state's 195,000 producing wells fall in the stripper category. "Daily production from these marginal wells accounts for almost 21 percent of the statewide total," he said.

A well is classified as a stripper if it produces 10 barrels of oil a day or less.

Engineer named as new IBM president

New York Times News Service

Kuehler

In a move that seems to indicate a growing concern with competing in advanced computer technologies, the International Business Machines Corp. on Tuesday appointed its highest ranking engineer, Jack D. Kuehler, president.

The title had been held by John F. Akers, who is also IBM's chairman and chief executive officer.

"It's a form of positive recognition for Jack Kuehler that is being expressed in this way," said an IBM spokesman, Peter Judice. He said the appointment did not indicate any reduction in Akers' power.

Kuehler, 56, is currently vice chairman and a member of the IBM's management committee. He is not believed to be a contender to succeed Akers as chairman and chief executive officer.

Traditionally, IBM's top executives retire when they reach the age of 60, although there is no formal requirement. Akers is 54.

But the appointment does seem to be symbolic.

IBM has a reputation for being cautious when it comes to introducting new technology; it has dominated its markets by forging close relationships with its largest customers.

But in recent years the company, based in Armonk, N.Y., has been pressured by both foreign and domestic rivals that have used new computer technologies to create markets that IBM trails in.

"He's not the heir apparent," said Rick Martin, a computer industry analyst at Prudential Bache. "But I think that Jack Kuehler is one of the finest executives in the company. To put a technical expert in the president's role may mean that IBM is changing a little in this area."

Several industry analysts said it would be unusual for someone with Kuehler's background to take the chief executive's job at IBM.

The company has a history of choosing its top executive from the marketing and finance ranks. Three IBM senior vice presidents, all younger than Kuehler, are frequently mentioned as possible successors to Akers: Terry Lautenbach, general manager of IBM United States; C. Michael Armstrong, who directs the company's foreign operation, and George H. Conrades, the head of U.S. marketing and services division.

Kuehler, who oversees worldwide product development and domestic manufacturing operations, has been taking an increasingly visible role on United States technology and competitiveness policy in recent years.

He was closely involved in the effort to create the Sematech semiconductor manufacturing consortium and last year called for a similar initiative to push the United States forward in the field of X-ray lithography.

Kuehler testified before a Senate Committee earlier this month and warned about the increasing foreign threats to United States high-technology industries.

Noble Drilling will relocate to Houston

TULSA, Okla. (AP) — Noble Drilling Inc. plans to lay off 20 employees and move its corporate headquarters to Houston by Sept. 1, company officials say.

James Day, president and chief executive officer, made the announcement at a news conference Tuesday.

"We're moving to where we're making our money," Day said. "Seventy percent of our business is in the international arena and offshore. Those contracts are awarded in Houston.

"We're going to where the business is."

The other 10 to 12 Tulsa employees of Noble Drilling are expected to move to the offices of Peter Bawden Drilling Ltd., a company Noble acquired in November.

Peter Bawden will also lay off about 10 employees with the consolidation, Day said.

Day said "substantial" severance packages and out-placement services are being provided for the employees not being moved.

The 1,500 employees of Noble Drilling outside of Tulsa will not be affected by the move, said Patty Elmore, investor relations representative.

Rare mushrooms new Texas industry

Japanese shiitake thrive in East Texas woods

LUFKIN, Texas (AP) — The Texas Forest Service has found a solution to the knotty problem of how to make money from the tons of scrub hardwoods that are constantly cleared and burned from East Texas forests. The answer: grow Japanese mushrooms.

Shiitake mushrooms were originally a gourmet restaurant item, Ken E. Rogers, a wood technologist at the Forest Products Laboratory in Lufkin, said.

"Now they're everywhere. We had $1.6 million of mushrooms going into Texas from the East Coast. There's no reason they can't be grown in Texas."

The market for shiitake mushrooms has, well, mushroomed. Rogers has noticed shiitake mushrooms, which have a distinctive flavor favored by connoisseurs, in grocery stores in Dallas and has seen shiitake recipes in the Houston Chronicle.

"Campbell's is even making shiitake mushroom soup," Rogers said, pronouncing it she-ee-tah-key. "There's that much difference in the taste."

The mushrooms have been grown for centuries on shii trees, a Japanese version of the oak. By 1985, they were Japan's leading agricultural export, a $2 billion business. Growers in Minnesota, Virginia, Pennsylvania and Ohio discovered they could get a share of the market, and $2.1 million pounds of mushrooms were grown in the United States in 1986. "They've been grown in the United States for 10 to 15 years now," Rogers said. "I'm not trying to say we've invented the wheel. We certainly haven't."

What the Forest Service has done is start research to address problems Texas growers may have. For example, mushroom growers in Minnesota don't worry about fire ants, a potential problem in Texas.

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BUSINESS SCENE

Rogers Ford celebrates 25 years

By MELLA McEWEN

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ROGERS FORD will be celebrating its 25th anniversary with a free concert June 21.

The concert, set for Chaparral Center, will feature country singer Earl Thomas Conley. Free tickets became available Tuesday and can obtained at Rogers Ford and KNFM-FM, which is co-sponsoring the concert.

A highlight of the celebration will be a drawing for a brand-new Mustang LX valued at over $12,000 — including tax, title and license.

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SOUTHLAND CORP. will close a 7-Eleven store at 2219 E. 8th St. in Odessa, but no closings are planned for Midland.

Negotiations to sell the Midland and Odessa stores to Ray Hawkins of San Angelo have broken down and Southland now intends to keep the stores, according to Drew Radzieski, market manager.

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MACHELLE'S, a discount women's apparel store, is set to open Saturday at 2302 N. Big Spring.

Owner Machelle Amthor says she will carry junior and misses sportswear and career fashions, all first-run regulars discounted anywhere from 25 to 50 percent. She will also offer private shopping for working women or the elderly or handicapped. Appointments can be made by calling 683-1305.

"I felt there wasn't a moderately priced, independent store for the working woman on a working-woman's budget where you could get personal service, and that's what I want to do," she explains.

The native Midlander, who has a retail background, adds that she has wanted her own dress shop for some time.

Hours will be 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Monday through Saturday.

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Opening in early June in the Courtyard shopping center, Midkiff and Loop 250 is **BRIDAL FANTASIES**, a full-line bridal shop.

Owners are Midlanders Sue McDonald and Roxie Smith.

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TOYS R US is expected to begin construction on its 35,000 square foot store next week in the vacant lot behind Jenkins Jewelry.

Target opening date is October 1.

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Midlanders who dream of being a star now have an outlet in **MAMA'S**, located at 1403 Big Spring.

Mama's sponsors Amateur Night every Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. for Midlanders who want to sing, perform comedy or play the guitar. Paula Deboskie says there's no fee for performing and anyone is welcome to perform. "We want people who are talented and people who just want to get up there for fun," she says.

On June 7, the restaurant will have an amateur competion for prize money, and Deboskie says there will be a fee for performing that night.

Mamas is the only establishment in Midland to offer an amateur night and it has drawn people from as far away as Lubbock.

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DR. ROBERT A. BENNETT, D.D.S., has relocated his practice to 1030 Andrews Highway, Suite 221 in the United Plaza Building.

His new phone number is 697-3333.

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Another dentist relocating his practice is **DR. CURTIS A. NICHOLSON**, who has moved to the former Canopy location at 2000 W. Cuthbert.

His phone number is 682-9446.

Mella McEwen is a business/oil writer for the Reporter-Telegram.

MARKETS

Oil prices continue see-sawing

From Staff and Wire Reports

Oil prices continue their uncertain trends as traders await results of the upcoming OPEC meeting, set for June 5 in Vienna.

On the New York Mercantile Exchange, July contracts for West Texas Intermediate were down 11 cents to $19.84 at midmorning. The crude had gained 43 cents to close at $19.95 on Tuesday in fairly quiet trading.

Among refined products, the June contract for unleaded gasoline closed 22 cents higher at 66.61 cents a gallon, while other contracts also showed gains.

The heating oil contract for June delivery fell 0.5 cent to 49.15 cents a gallon. Other contracts also fell.

Analysts attributed gains in crude oil and gasoline partly to reports that the North Sea Brent oil pipeline system was not fully operational.

A gasoline explosion on April 18 shut down the system, halting the flow of more than 400,000 barrels of crude. The system resumed partial operations this weekend amid reports that it would be several more days before the system reached full capacity.

Observers said the gains also reflected a possible new optimism about next week's meeting in Vienna of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries.

CRUDE OIL

SPOT MARKET

W.T. INTERMEDIATE

- Mid-morning Quote $19.84
- Tuesday's Close $19.95
- Previous Close $19.55
- One Year Ago $17.50

W.T. SOUR

- Tuesday's Close $18.60-65
- Previous Close $18.25-30
- One Year Ago $16.18

SOURCE: NYMEX

POSTED PRICE

- Last Week $19.25
- Previous Week $19.25
- One Year Ago $16.75

The eight-member OPEC price monitoring committee is scheduled to meet Friday to discuss recent problems, including quota cheating by some cartel members, followed by a meeting of all 13 oil ministers Monday.

The primary focus of next week's meeting is expected to be the cartel's 18.5 million barrel-a-day quota and whether to raise or retain it.

Intervention lowers dollar

LONDON (AP) — The dollar eased in early European trading today following Tuesday's central bank intervention. Gold prices fell.

Currency dealers said the dollar's decline began in New York on Tuesday afternoon and carried over into East Asian trading overnight.

In Frankfurt, where the dollar slipped back below 2.00 marks, dealers said uncertainty about U.S. and West German interest rates also put pressure on the dollar.

In Tokyo, the dollar fell 0.40 yen to a closing 142.70 yen. Later, in London, it was quoted at 142.73 yen.

Other dollar rates at midmorning compared with late Tuesday:

—1.9883 West German marks, down from 2.0100
—1.7248 Swiss francs, down from 1.7545
—6.7391 French francs, down from 6.8085
—2.2380 Dutch guilders, down from 2.2630
—1,442.50 Italian lire, down from 1,452.50
—1.2068 Canadian dollars, up from 1.2055

In London, the dollar fell against the British pound. It cost $1.5740 to buy one pound, compared with $1.5570 late Tuesday.

Gold opened in London at a bid price of $364.25 a troy ounce, up from $362.25 late Tuesday. At midmorning, the city's five major bullion dealers fixed a recommended price of $363.50.

Silver was quoted in London at a bid price of $5.26 a troy ounce, up from Tuesday's $5.20.

Stock market loses 18 points

NEW YORK (AP) — The stock market fell broadly in choppy trading Tuesday as a wave of computerized program selling overwhelmed buyers returning from the long Memorial Day weekend.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials ended down 18.22 points to 2,475.55 — its biggest one-day loss in a week — after fluctuating throughout the session.

The closely watched index, which closed up 11 points on Friday, had risen nearly 17 points after the opening bell Tuesday and was off as much as 35 points in late afternoon.

In the broader market, about five stocks declined for every three that rose on the New York Stock Exchange, with 917 down, 559 up and 490 unchanged.

Volume on the Big Board came to 151.78 million shares, up slightly from 143.12 million Friday.

Some analysts said Tuesday's selloff was expected as investors reevaluated the direction of the market after its sharp runup of recent weeks.

BUSINESS IN BRIEF

Davis, Pan Am submit NWA bids

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — Billionaire Marvin Davis and Pan Am Corp. said they submitted acquisition proposals for NWA Inc., but declined to outline specifics of their bids.

NWA, parent of Northwest Airlines, had set a Tuesday deadline for receiving bids in its buyout auction but declined to disclose who the suitors were or how many proposals it had received.

Foreign investments in U.S. up 61 percent

WASHINGTON (AP) — A dozen investments of more than $1 billion each helped increase foreign direct investments in the United States to $65 billion last year, a 61.3 percent rise over 1987's $40.3 billion, the Commerce Department reported.

Britain and Japan led the world in buying or establishing business enterprises in the United States and each had four of the dozen $1 billion-plus investors, the department said Tuesday. Two Canadian investments also also topped the $1 billion mark.

Quantam Chemical, First Boston buy Petrolane

NEW YORK (AP) — A partnership of Quantum Chemical Corp. and the investment firm First Boston Inc. has agreed to buy the Petrolane propane gas business from Panhandle Eastern Corp. and public shareholders in a deal valued at $1.18 billion.

QFB Partners, the newly formed combination, will pay $450 million to Panhandle Eastern for Petrolane Inc., which consists of a 44 percent interest in Petrolane Partners L.P. and a 100 percent interest in a company that owns and leases propane tanks to the partnership. The deal was announced Tuesday.

BUSINESS FACTS

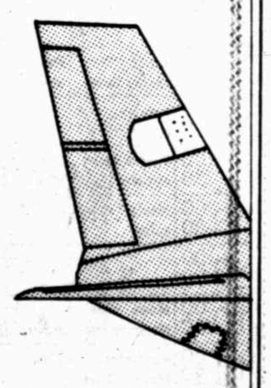
The aging airline fleets

Most of the U.S. major commercial airline fleets use planes averaging over 10 years of age.

Average ages of the major commercial airline fleets as of July 1, 1988.

Airline	Average age of planes
Northwest	15.47
TWA	15.29
Eastern	15.11
United	14.87
Pan Am	14.63
Continental	12.12
American	10.84
Piedmont	10.34
USAir	10.11
Delta	9.48

SOURCE: AVMARK Inc.



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Privatization of helium could up prices

AMARILLO, Texas (AP) — A privatized U.S. government helium program proposed by President Bush would send prices for the gas soaring, says a Panhandle marketer.

"Government pricing has kind of been a lid on industry pricing so I can see the price skyrocketing," said Ken Kelley, president of Jack B. Kelley Inc., whose subsidiary Helium Sales Inc., is the world's fourth largest marketer of helium.

President Bush outlined a proposal recently to make private the U.S. Bureau of Mines Helium Operations, which is located in Amarillo and the surrounding area.

The administration said that enough helium has been preserved through the Helium Act of 1920 and its subsequent amendments. Also, the private helium industry had been spawned by that legislation, which was one of its primary purposes.

Bush also noted that the operation has accrued a debt of more than $900 million that could never be repaid even though the operation returns profits to the treasury each year. The debt, most of which accrued from interest, is owed to the U.S. Treasury, which financed the purchase of some helium supplies before 1973.

But Kelley says helium is a strategic element, and the price paid for the preservation of finite element is well worth it.

"It's not one found all over the world. It's something in which the government has a real part to play. There is a reason for the government to be in the helium business," said Kelley, whose firm buys most of the helium it distributes from Union Carbide, one of four large helium producers that dominate the private sector and would benefit greatly from the government's departure from the helium business.

Jack B. Kelley Inc. has been synonymous with commercial helium marketing in the Panhandle and across the nation for 43 years. The company was founded by Ken Kelley's mother, Hazel Kelley Wilson, and his late father, Jack B. Kelley, in 1946.

It is still very much a family business, with Kelley's mother serving as chairman of the board and his sister, Sharon Kelley Oeschger, serving as one of two company vice presidents.

Jack B. Kelley secured the first government contract to purchase helium to a welding research firm, a toy balloon manufacturer in New York City and the carnival and circus troops as they traveled through Amarillo.

In 1960, shortly after the birth of the space program, Jack B. Kelley saw the growing helium demand, spurred mostly from NASA's need for the gas. Jack B. Kelley designed the first multi-tube trailers for the transportation of helium and other industrial gases that year.

"He had doubled productivity as they knew it in 1960 in transportation of compressed gases, and that's what gave us our start," said Kelley. "We leased so many trailers in Europe that the large diameter tube trailer became known as a Kelley. It became a generic term."

The space program continues to be a substantial helium consumer, and the Amarillo company continues to transport some of the gas for NASA. When the recent space shuttle launch was delayed, Jack B. Kelley Inc. delivered the additional helium supplies the shuttle needed to Cape Canaveral, Fla., to supplement supplies that Helium Operations had sent by rail car from the Exell Plant north of Amarillo.

Jack B. Kelley Inc. is still big in the helium marketing business. In 1986, the company sold 200 million cubic feet of the gas or 10 percent of total world demand that year, Kelley said.

Toy balloons remain one of the dominant markets for helium.

Helium is used as an agent to push fuel to the rocket engines boosting the space plane. Also, it is used to test fuel systems on the shuttle for leaks. Liquid helium is used to cool superconductivity magnets.

Jack B. Kelley Inc. became the first common carrier of cryogenic liquids such as liquid helium and the liquefied air gases. A cryogenic liquid is the liquid state of a gas at well below minus 100 degrees Fahrenheit.

The company has the largest cryogenic liquids transportation fleet in the country, Kelley said.

The firm continues to transport helium, in addition to marketing the gas, but proceeds from helium transportation account for only about 2 percent of the company's total transportation revenues, Kelley said.

Most of the firm's trucking business relies on the transportation of other industrial gases, dry bulk products, minerals, ore, fertilizers, acids and chemicals.

MUSHROOMS

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Also, the Texas heat may be a mixed blessing. The disadvantage is that mushrooms will not grow in intense heat, and will die when their temperature — not the air temperature — reaches 105 degrees. The advantage is that the mushrooms will grow in Texas in the late fall and early spring, opening up opportunities for supplying hungry connoisseurs with fresh mushrooms during months when the North is under snow.

Rogers believes Texas has other logistical advantages. The mushrooms are popular in urban areas, and Texas has three of the 10 largest cities in the United States. Being close to the market helps, since there is a huge price difference between fresh and dried mushrooms. Fresh mushrooms have a wholesale price of $4.50 to $6.50 a pound. Dried mushrooms sell for $8 a pound, but there is a catch. It take about seven pounds of fresh mushrooms to make a pound of dried mushrooms.

Perhaps the biggest advantage is that, in East Texas, a shiitake farm could get off the ground with little start-up cost. Little space is required, and the two basic ingredients needed — scrub oak and water — are plentiful.

"It's a business you can get into for a few thousand dollars," Rogers said. "Probably, for $5,000 to $6,000, you could have a business."

To grow the mushrooms on a small farm would require about 1,000 hardwood logs, 3 to 6 inches in diameter, cut into four-foot lengths. The logs must be cut when they are dormant, from December through March in Texas. White oak is best, although other hardwoods have been successfully tested. Oak is preferred because the denser the wood, the more mushrooms you get.

"Essentially, you can expect one-quarter of the weight of the wood," Rogers said.

The logs are stacked and inoculated with shiitake "spawn," available in sawdust or in wooden dowels. The sawdust or dowel have been infected with the shiitake organism, and the logs are inoculated by drilling holes in the logs and plugging them with the spawn. The logs are then stacked under heavy shade and are watered once a week. The logs will not produce mushrooms until the shiitake organism grows throughout the sapwood, which is the reason small logs are used.

INDICATORS

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Robert Dederick, chief economist for Northern Trust Co. in Chicago, has been forecasting a mild recession by year's end but now concedes "the odds are by no means convincing, even to me."

"The evidence is coming in the side of a soft landing — continued but subdued growth," Dederick said.

That is just what the Federal Reserve has been trying to produce. In March 1988, the central bank began pushing up interest rates in an effort to slow growth just enough to restrain inflation without toppling the country into a recession.

Dederick said an upturn in the index "doesn't mean that we should be looking for the economy to go roaring off but it does weaken the case that the slowdown is going to develop into recession proportions."

The government reported last week that the economy expanded at a moderate 4.3 percent annual rate during the first three months of the year, but the growth in the gross national product was a lackluster 1.8 percent when a statistical bounceback from last year's drought is removed.

That compares with GNP growth of 3.9 percent for all of 1988.

Skaggs sells 12 stores

RICHARDSON, Texas (AP) — Skaggs Alpha Beta Inc. has agreed to sell 12 of its food and drug stores outside of Texas to Acadia Markets Corp. of Little Rock, Ark., for an undisclosed price.

A Skaggs executive said Tuesday the grocery chain decided to focus its attention on a smaller number of markets.

The Skaggs stores purchased by Acadia — a company formed last year to buy the Safeway grocery chain in Little Rock — are located in Little Rock, Jonesboro and Fort Smith, Ark.; Wichita and Salina, Kan.; and Enid, Okla.

The deal is expected to be completed in 60 to 90 days. Acadia then will own about 60 stores.

"The reason it was done is it allows us to concentrate in fewer markets. We were pretty scattered," Ben Mazow, Skaggs regional counsel, told the Dallas Morning News.

But Dennis Telzrow, an analyst at Eppler, Guerin & Turner of Dallas, suggested Skaggs' parent company, Salt Lake City-based American Stores, needed the sale to help its debt situation since borrowing heavily in April 1988 to acquire the California supermarket chain, Lucky Stores.

"They (American) probably needed to sell some assets to ease their debt. They borrowed a lot of money to do the Lucky acquisition last year," Telzrow said.

Mazow did not deny that a cash infusion from the sale was a factor, but he said it was not a primary reason for the deal.

"Everything is always intertwined. Yes, this will bring some extra cash into the operation," Mazow said. "You can't say American debt was irrevelant, but that wasn't THE reason."

Gregory Miller, an Acadia spokesman, said the company does not intend to consolidate any of the Skaggs stores it purchases or dismiss any employees it inherits.

Miller said the only change besides ownership will be the name of the stores. He said Acadia will change the Skaggs name in about four months to a yet-to-be-determined identity.

INVESTOR'S GUIDE

To sell or not to sell?

Doyle

Q. My wife and I bought 100 shares of stock at 44 5/8 on Mar. 22, 1972. It has split two-for-one twice and we now have 400 shares, now trading around 70.

Dividends have been raised almost every year but are now only $2.44 per share — $976 annually. That makes the yield 3.5 percent — less than a savings account.

Our taxable income is $18,500 and we do need more income. We would like to sell the stock and invest for a higher yield, but we can't afford to sell and pay the tax. We feel like we have a bull by the tail and can't let go. Can you give us a hand with some advice?

A. Because you need more income, I'll provide a gentle nudge toward the sale of that stock. According to my handy little calculator, that should increase your income by more than $850 a year.

You clearly think you are "locked in" by the prospect of paying tax on the profit from the sale. In your situation, that shouldn't be the determining factor.

You paid $4,462.50 for the 100 shares that became 400 shares. By selling at $70 a share, you'll get $28,000. Based on your other taxable income and the 1989 federal tax rate schedule for a married couple filing a joint return, you will pay the Internal Revenue Service $4,972 of your $23,537.50 profit.

That will leave you $23,028 — $28,000 minus the tax bite — to invest elsewhere. If you get, say, 8 percent on that money, you'll have $1,842.24 coming in. That's $866.24 more than the $976 dividends you are getting from the stock.

That stock has been a fine investment for you. However, now that you need income, the time obviously has come to sell.

Q. What are the differences between, or similarities of, "watered" stock, "penny" stock and "junk" bonds?

I remember as a boy, my father saying that if the Chicago elevated railways had the "water" let out of them, the city would be flooded.

A. First, three quick definitions for the differences.

Watered stock gets its name from wild west trail herd days, when cattle were fed large amounts of salt and given huge drinks of water before going on the weighing scales. In the securities market, the term applies to the illegal and supposedly banned practice of inflating the value of a company before selling the company's stock to the public. Many old "robber barons" did just that, giving rise to your father's joke.

As the name indicates, penny stock is low-priced stock. In years gone by, it meant any stock trading below $1. Because of inflation, it now applies to stocks selling for less than $5.

Junk bonds are those considered to be of less than investment grade — rated Ba or lower by Moody's and BB or lower by Standard & Poor's Corp.

The similarities are that all three are high-risk situations.

Q. I own 840 shares of stock, currently trading at 1 3/8, or $1 37 1/2 per share. The company is planning a one-for-24 reverse split. Won't this enhance the short-term outlook for my investment?

A. The market price of each share will be higher after the reverse split. But that does not mean the value of your investment will increase.

A reverse split is just the opposite of a regular stock split. Instead of increasing the number of shares owned by each stockholder, it decreases the number. Your 840 shares will become 35 shares as a result of the one-for-24 reverse split.

Give or take a bit for stock market action, each of the smaller number of shares should trade around 33 — $33 a share. That will make your 35 shares worth $1,155. At their present $1.37 1/2 price, the 840 shares you now own also have a $1,155 total value. The reverse split won't change that.

Doyle welcomes written questions, but he can provide answers only through the column.

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This morning's stock market report

NEW YORK (AP) —Midday national prices for New York Stock Exchange issues
PE Sales Last Chg.

A—A

AMR			7	3393	61⅛	— ⅛
ARX				10	4⅛	
ASA		3a		84	39⅛	— ⅛
AbtLab		1.40	17	799	58⅛	+ ⅛
AdmtLf		2.76	9	2115	54¼	+ ¼
AirPrd		1.20	11	1255	42⅛	— ¼
AlskAir		.20	9	333	26¾	— ¼
Alcan		s1.68	5	1976	33¼	— ⅛
AlcoStd		.76	12	431	29½	— ⅛
Alginr				25	1⅛	
AlgPw		3.08	10	72	37½	
AldSgnl		1.80	11	759	34⅛	— ½
Alcoa		1.60a	6	1698	64¾	— ⅛
Amax		.80	3	795	25⅛	
AmHes		.60	11	904	38⅛	+ ⅛
AmBrnd		2.44	11	736	67⅛	+ ⅛
ACyan		1.35	16	987	54⅞	— ⅛
AEIPw		2.32a	9	481	27¼	— ⅛
AmExp		.84	13	4261	33	— ⅛
AFamly		.28	11	983	15½	
AHome		3.90	14	435	92½	— ¼
Amrtch		s2.92	13	1326	59⅛	+ ⅛
AIntGr		.48	11	835	81¾	
AmRlty		.72	3	35	4¼	
AmStor		1	26	209	63⅛	+ ⅛
AT&T		1.20	18	3385	35⅝	

Amatek		.60	22	312	14	— ⅛
Amoco		s1.90	11	2542	44⅛	+ ⅛
AMP		1.20	14	1532	42	
Anacmp			16	1636	6⅝	+ ⅛
Anadrk		.30	32	1489	u32¼	+ ⅛
Anheus		.72	17	1961	42⅛	— ⅛
Anthny		s.44	13	87	u19⅜	+ ⅛
ArchDn		.10b	13	969	27⅜	+ ⅛
Armco		.10e	7	940	11⅜	
ArmWl		1.06	11	483	39	+ ⅛
Asarco		1.60	5	900	27⅜	— ⅛
AshOil		s1	13	53	42	+ ⅛
AtlRich		4.50	10	580	93	— ½
Augat		.40		50	14⅜	+ ⅛
Avery		.56	14	274	25⅛	+ ⅛
Avnet		.50	19	603	25¼	+ ⅛
Avon		1		3346	35¼	+ ⅛
Aydin			s	8	19	+ ⅛

B—B

BakrHu		.46	32	596	16⅜	— ¼
BallyMf		.30	21	930	24⅛	+ ¼
BalmGE		2.10	9	600	30¼	
BncOne		1.04	10	329	26⅛	
BkNY		1.92	9	991	49¼	— ⅛
BnkAm		.30e	9	3629	28¾	— ⅛
Bausch		1.16	17	247	57¼	
Baxter		.56	16	1701	21½	+ ⅛
BellAtl		4.40	13	293	86⅜	— ⅛
BellSo		2.52	13	1082	48⅛	+ ⅛
BenfCp		2.20	12	83	52¼	— ¼

BengtB		.19r	7	117	4½	
BethSt			5	3676	22½	— ⅛
Beverly				659	8¾	
BlackD		.40	11	1570	19¾	— ⅛
BlckHR		1.04	17	864	28⅛	+ ⅛
Boeing		1.80	19	2973	80⅜	— ⅛
Boen			wi	15	54⅛	+ ⅛
BoiseC		1.40	7	72	43⅞	
Borden		1.80	15	397	66⅛	
BostEd		1.82	9	108	16⅛	
BristMy		2	17	795	49⅞	+ ⅛
BritPt		4.10e	14	552	55⅜	+ ⅛
Broadin		.10		248	8⅜	— ⅛
BrwnFr		.56	21	1884	33¾	+ ⅛
Brnwk		.44	11	1162	20	
BrlNth		n1.20	7	1180	24⅛	— ⅛
BrlRsc		n.44e	84	1984	45¾	— ⅛

C—C

CBS		4.40	17	327	198⅛	+ ⅛
CIGNA		2.96	9	364	55	+ ⅛
CMS			En	8	265	28⅜	+ ⅛
CNW		20e		8	985	45½	+ ½
CPC		1.60	15	546	58⅛	— ⅛
CRSS		s.24	21	139	37¼	— ¼
CSX		1.24	26	924	33¼	+ ⅛
Caesar			14	852	u37½	+ 1⅛
CampSp		.92	21	563	43⅞	— ⅛
CapCits		.20	19	24	438½	— ½
CarPw		2.84	18	171	38¼	
CartHw			11	88	10½	+ ⅛

CastlCk			19	385	34	
Caterp		1.20	10	1777	63½	+ ⅛
Centel		s1.24	31	280	48⅛	— ⅛
CentEn		1.60		1244	17	— ⅛
CenSoW		2.60	10	132	33⅜	
CnlIPS		1.80	9	41	21⅞	— ⅛
Chmpln		1.10	7	1043	33½	
ChamSp		.15e	33	110	20¼	
ChartC		.05e	4	120	4⅜	
Chase		2.36	4	503	36⅛	+ ⅛
ChmBnk		2.72	3	398	35⅛	+ ¼
Chevrn		2.80	13	866	55½	
ChrisCr		1.56t	44	98	37¼	+ ⅛
Chryslr		1.20	4	1463	23⅛	
CircleK		.28	13	1294	13½	— ⅛
CirCty		.12	16	260	48⅛	+ ⅛
Citicorp		1.62	6	3663	31½	+ ⅛
ClarkE			15	390	37¼	— ⅛
Clorox		1.24	14	993	37½	+ ⅛
Coastal		.40	14	249	40⅞	+ ⅛
CocaCl		1.36	19	1582	57⅛	+ ⅛
Colec				55	1⅛	
ColgP		1.48a	11	775	50⅜	
ColGas		2	18	910	42½	
CmbEn		1		789	30⅛	+ ⅛
Comdre			7	358	16⅛	— ⅛
CmwE		3	12	776	36	+ ⅛
Comsat		1.32	10	162	34⅛	+ ⅛
ConsEd		3.44	10	543	49	— ⅛
ConsNG		1.76	21	215	43⅛	
Conrail		1.20	8	233	37½	— ⅛
CnStor			15	792	6⅞	

Contel		2.20	16	216	56⅜	— ⅛
CntlCp		2.60		610	34	— ⅛
CtData				862	20½	
Cooper		s1	14	1189	32⅛	— ⅛
Cornin		s.80	12	1488	38⅞	+ ⅛
CrayRs			12	242	51⅜	— ⅛
CwnCk			s14	590	48½	+ ⅛
CumEn		2.20		330	69	
CurtW		1.60	11	1	59⅛	— ⅛

D—D

DPL		2.24	9	19	25⅛	
DanaCp		1.60	10	97	41⅛	— ⅛
DataGn				441	18⅜	
DaytHd		1.12	15	1312	53⅞	+ ⅛
Deere		1.20	13	1297	58⅜	+ ⅛
DeltaAr		1.20	9	1146	69⅜	— ⅛
DetEd		1.68		897	19¾	
Digital			10	5191	91½	
Disney		.48	21	1784	92½	+ ⅛
DomRs		3.20	11	241	44⅛	+ ⅛
Dover		s.68	15	409	31⅜	+ ¼
DowCh		3.20	7	3182	92⅜	— ⅛
DowJns		.72	11	168	35½	— ½
Dresr		1	19	1045	38½	— ¼
duPont		4.20	11	1805	110⅛	
DukeP		2.96	12	291	47⅜	— ⅛
DuqLt		1.28	10	225	19½	— ⅛

E—E

ERC			6	15	7⅛	

EastEn		1.40	12	x70	29⅞	+ ⅛
EKodak		2	11	3999	45⅛	— ⅛
Eaton		s2	10	221	61½	
Echlin		.70	15	322	17¼	— ⅛
EKCO			17	57	3⅛	— ⅛
EmrsEl		1.12	14	1788	35⅝	+ ⅛
Enron		2.48	20	97	44⅛	— ¼
Ensrch		.80		371	22½	— ⅛
Entrgy		.60e	9	1099	18	
Ethyl		.48	13	348	25⅛	— ⅛
Exxon		2.20	11	3662	43⅛	+ ¼

F—F

FMC			10	242	38¼	+ ⅛
FPL Gp		2.28	10	980	30⅞	+ ⅛
Fairchd		.20	27	38	17⅛	
Fairfd			35	81	6⅜	+ ⅛
Feders		.40	16	98	17¼	+ ⅛
FedNM		1.28	12	1616	u85⅜	+ 1
FnSBar				13	2¼	— ⅛
FtBkSy		1.64		1844	u24⅛	+ ⅛
FCapHd			5	343	9⅛	— ¼
FstChic		1.80	5	162	40⅛	+ ¼
FtInste		2.92	26	485	55	+ ⅛
FstPa			11	70	13¾	
FtWach		1.52	10	24	46⅛	— ¼
FleetEn		.64	10	106	28	+ ⅛
FlghtS		s.16	25	84	36¾	
FloPrg		2.56	10	6703	35¼	
FlwrGen				1199	5⅜	+ ⅛
Fluor		.16	32	2599	28⅛	— ⅛

FthillG		28b	7	173	9⅛	— ⅛
FordM		3	4	5310	48⅛	+ ¼
FrgtMc		1.50a	8	128	36⅛	— ⅛

G—G

GTE		2.68	14	1589	52⅛	
Gannett		1.08	19	1245	42⅞	+ ⅛
GenCrp		.60	9	351	18	
Genetch			123	722	18⅛	
GnDyn		1	7	378	57¼	+ ⅛
GenEl		1.64	14	6293	54⅜	+ ⅛
GnHous		.24	22	102	12	— ⅛
GnInst		.50	13	1290	32½	— ⅛
GnMills		1.88	19	1200	66	— ⅛
GMotr		s2.75e	5	3563	40⅛	
GM E		.96	16	362	u52⅛	+ ⅛
GPU		1.80	8	262	37¼	— ⅛
GnSignl		1.80	43	191	54⅛	— ¼
Gensco			9	1369	7¼	— ⅛
GaPac		1.40	9	504	47	+ ⅛
GerbPd		1.60	18	61	75½	
GibrFn				420	9-16	
Gillete		.96	16	4235	40½	+ ⅛
Glaxo		.56e	15	3088	21½	— ⅛
GldNug			171	61	22⅛	— ⅛
Gdrich		.2	7	478	54⅜	— ⅛
Goodyr		1.80	9	994	53⅛	— ⅛
Grace		1.40	13	849	33¼	+ ⅛
GtAtPc		.60	17	390	u58	+ ⅛
GtNNk		1.32	6	517	40¾	— ⅛
GtWFn		.80	10	1332	19¼	— ⅛
Greyh		1.32	14	395	33⅛	— ⅛
Grumn		1	9	134	22¼	+ ⅛
GlfWst		.70	17	2939	54⅜	— ⅛
GlfStUt			56	518	10⅜	+ ⅛

H—H

Halbtn		1	42	395	30⅛	+ ⅛
Harlnd		.68	16	431	22½	
Harley			9	31	30½	— ⅛
Harris		.88	16	3106	30¾	+ ⅛
HeclaM		.05e	41	236	12	— ⅛
Heinz		1.44	17	493	53½	— ½
Herculs		2.24	19	59	49⅜	+ ¼
Hrshey		.70	12	222	28⅝	
HewlPk		34	15	2954	54⅛	
Holiday			8	768	47⅛	+ ⅜
Hmstke		.20	8	691	12¾	
Honwell		2.10		466	74⅞	— ¼
Hotlinv		1		25	9⅜	
HousInt		2.14b	8	96	55¼	
HouInd		2.96	9	1751	29¾	— ⅛
Human		1.04	13	829	31½	— ⅛

I—I

IRT		1.40	18	20	17¼	+ ¼
ITT Cp		1.48	11	2030	59⅜	— ⅛
IdahoP		1.80	15	114	25⅛	+ ⅛
IdealB				326	2¾	— ⅛
IllPowr		1.32j		1089	15⅞	
ITW		.48	13	105	37⅛	— ¼
ICI		4.61e	8	522	80	
ICA			13	85	5⅜	— ⅛
INCO		.80a	4	1788	29½	
IngerRd		1.20	13	476	41⅜	+ ⅛
InldStl		1.40	6	488	42½	+ ⅛
Intrlke		1.50	13	193	47½	— 1¼
IBM		4.84	12	7830	108⅜	+ ⅜
IntFlav		1.92	16	597	54½	+ ¼
IntMin		1	12	577	39½	
IntPap		1.48	7	2630	48¼	— ⅛
Ipalco		1.72	9	165	24⅛	— ⅛

J—J

JRiver		.48	10	503	29⅜	— ⅛
JohnJn		s1.16	16	1757	49	— ⅛
JohnIn			s	7	u13⅞	
Josten		.64	16	57	21⅛	

K—K

K mart		1.64	10	2927	37¾	— ½
Kaneb				102	2⅜	
KCSou		1.08		80	37½	— ⅛
KanGE		1.60	11	441	22⅛	+ ⅛
KansPL		1.76	10	3832	23⅞	
Katyln			13	30	24	+ ¼
Kellogg		1.72	18	305	69¼	— ⅛
KerrMc		1.32	14	320	44⅜	— ⅛
KimbCl		2.60	14	487	65¼	— ⅛
KnghtR		1.22	18	291	47⅛	— ¼
Kroger			n	1075	12¾	+ ⅛

L—L

LTV				502	2	— ⅛
Learnl		.48	14	23	16⅜	+ ½
Lehmn		1.31e		89	13	
Lilly		s1.35	19	2111	55	+ ⅜
LincNtl		2.48	16	99	48½	+ ⅛
Litton			12	24	79¾	+ ⅛
Lockhd		1.80	5	1094	48⅛	— ⅛
Loews		1	9	869	108	— ⅜
LnStar		1.90	15	583	29	— ¼
LilCo			12	1640	16⅜	+ ¼
LaLand		1		286	37¼	— ⅜
LaPac		1	9	170	33½	— ⅜
Lukens		1	6	74	25½	+ ¼

M—M

MCA		.68	24	995	55	— ⅛
MDU		1.42	11	35	20¾	— ⅛
MfrHan		3.28	3	524	36⅜	+ ⅛
Manvl			n	356	7⅞	
Mapco		s1	13	919	38¾	— ⅛
Marriot		.24	18	355	35¾	+ ⅛
MartM		1.10	7	190	45⅜	— ⅛
Masco		.48b	14	1068	28⅛	
Maxus		.05e		554	8⅛	— ⅛
MayDS		1.42	12	626	42	
Maytag		.90a	11	2612	22⅜	
McDerl		1		545	20¾	
McDnl		.62	17	1798	59	— ¼
McDnD		2.82	11	277	79⅛	+ ⅛
McGrH		2	18	1571	69⅛	
McKes		1.44	13	322	32⅛	— ⅛
Mead		.88	8	316	40	— ⅛
Mellon		1.40b		262	34¾	
Melvill		s1.30	14	192	45	
MercSt		.92	12	339	45⅞	+- ⅛
Merck		1.64	21	4016	68⅞	+ ⅛
MerLyn		1	13	867	30	— ⅛
MWE		1.60	10	35	19¼	
MAM		2.60	14	1660	72⅜	— ⅛
MinnPL		1.78	10	20	24⅞	— ⅛
Mobil		2.60	11	1513	51¼	
Monsan		3.40	12	1929	107	— ¼
MonPw		2.76	13	601	40⅛	+ ⅛
Morgan		1.66	8	1885	40¼	— ⅛
Morton		.92	19	439	46⅛	+ ⅛
Motorla		.76	16	8100	u56⅜	+ 1⅜

N—N

NCNB		1	16	3207	45⅛	+ ⅛
NCR		1.32	11	1524	57	
NIPSCO		.84	10	1510	16⅛	— ⅛
NL Ind		n.60	11	81	26⅛	+ ⅛
NWA		.90	16	4278	106¼	— 1
Nalco		1.32	14	375	38⅜	— ¼
NatlFGs		1.26	12	294	22½	— ⅛
NII				429	16¾	
NtlSemi				3072	7¾	
Navistr				8 1901	5¼	— ⅛
NevPw		1.52	12	64	20¾	
NEngEl		2.04		152	25¾	— ⅛
NwtMg		.60	32	139	34½	— ¼
NiaMP		1.20	13	447	11¾	
NflkSo		1.32	10	2478	35⅛	— ⅛
Nortek		.10a	15	23	8⅛	— ⅛
NoestUt		1.76b	10	831	21¼	+ ⅛
NoStPw		2.12	11	263	35⅛	
Nortrp		1.20		576	d24¾	— ⅛
Norton		2	13	301	53	— ⅛
Norwst		s1.48	8	61	38¼	+ ⅛
Nynex		4.36	12	931	78¼	+ ½

O—O

OcciPet		2.50	26	1420	28	+ ⅛
OhioEd		1.96	17	484	21⅛	
OklaGE		2.38	11	17	34½	
Olin		2	11	1232	u55¼	+ ⅛
ONEOK		.60e	23	21	23⅜	— ⅛
OwenC			6	214	31⅛	

P—Q

PHM		12	10	105	16¾	+ ¼
PPG		1.52	10	137	45	
PSI		40e	8	109	15½	+ ⅛
PacEnt		3.48	13	450	44¼	— ⅛
PacGE		1.40	12	1042	19¾	+ ⅛
PacTel		1.88	14	1661	40	— ⅛
Pacifcp		2.76	11	238	38½	— ⅛
PanAm				4603	4¾	— ⅛
PanEC		2		1012	23¼	— ⅛
Patten		.12	4	92	2⅝	
Penney		2.24	10	1355	58	— ¼
PaPL		2.86	11	412	38½	
Penwlt		2.40	20	101	128¾	+ ⅛
Pennzol		.3		118	80¼	
PepBoy		.11	24	331	16⅛	— ⅛
PepsiCo		1	17	2248	53⅛	+ ½
PerkEl		.68		255	24⅞	— ⅛
Pfizer		2.20	13	1253	60⅜	— ⅛
PhelpD		3	4	827	58⅜	— ⅛
PhilaEl		2.20	9	3477	20¾	+ ⅛
PhilMr		4.50	14	2570	139¼	+ 1⅛
PhilpIn		.52	13	19	21	+ ⅛
PhilPet		.88	8	1225	23½	— ⅛
Phlcorp			9	8	17⅛	— ¼
PinWst		1.60		571	12⅞	
PitnyBw		1.04	15	211	44⅞	— ⅛
Pittstn		.20	18	303	20¼	— ⅛
PlcrD		g.30		602	12¾	+ ⅛
Polaroid		.60		1415	40	
PortGC		1.96	11	890	23⅞	— ⅛
Primco		.28		6 1159	22⅛	
ProctG		3.20	15	1113	101⅜	— ⅛
PSvCol		2	12	223	21⅜	+ ⅛
PSEG		2.04	10	719	25⅜	+ ⅛
PugetP		1.76	9	146	19¼	
Pyro			59	86	8¼	+ ⅛
QuakrO		1.20	19	1497	59¼	— ⅛
QuakSC		.80	37	763	17¼	+ ⅛
Quantm		3	3	1566	d42⅞	— 1⅛
Questar		1.88	25	114	34¼	

R—R

RLC		20b	9	12	9½	— ⅛
RalsPur		1.65	13	228	86⅛	— ¼
Ramad				1713	12⅛	
RangrO			51	1688	5⅜	+ ⅛
Raythn		2.20	9	117	71⅞	— ¼
ReadBr				10	¼	
ReyMtl		1.60	5	317	54¾	— ¼
RiteAid		.82	16	333	35¼	+ ⅛

Robins		1	11	2	26⅞	— ⅛
Rockwl		.78	7	957	22¼	
RoHaas		1.12	10	780	34⅝	+ ⅛
Rohr			16	1267	30⅜	— ⅛
Rorer		.80	20	1549	40	— ⅛
Rowan				867	8	— ⅛
RoyID		s3.32e	9	2617	62⅛	— ⅛
Ryder		.60	10	701	23¾	+ ⅛

S—S

SCEcp		2.48	11	933	34½	
SPSTec		1.20	24	6	57½	— ⅛
SFePCp				484	22	— ¼
SaraLee		1.44	16	353	54½	
SCANA		2.46	11	44	32⅜	— ⅛
SchrPlg		1.80	18	1251	66⅜	— ⅛
Schlmb		1.20	23	921	39¼	— ⅛
ScottP		.80	9	334	46¾	
Seagrm		1.40	12	56	74⅜	— ⅛
Sears		2	16	2942	47¼	
SecPac		2.28	8	955	44¼	
ShellT		s2.40e	10	148	39	
Shrwin		.70	13	204	29	
Skyline		.48	16	307	18¾	— ⅛
SmkBck		1.84	40	2413	61¾	— ⅛
Sonat		2	19	84	35⅜	
SonyCp		.29e	31	320	53½	+ 2
SouthCo		2.14	9	822	25¼	
SwBell		2.60	14	957	51¼	+ ⅛
SwtPS		2.20	12	59	27¾	
SquarD		2	13	53	57	+ ¼
Squibb		2	18	1529	80½	+ ¼
SunCo		s1.80	164	1209	u41	+ ⅛
Syntex		1.50	17	1549	47¼	— ⅛
Sysco		.36	21	63	47⅞	— ⅛

T—T

TECO		1.52	12	188	24⅜	+ ⅛
TRW		1.72a	10	261	45	+ ¼
TacBt			47	101	13-32	
Talley		.50	14	94	12⅞	+ ⅛
Tandem			18	4228	17⅜	+ ¼
Tandy		.60	12	409	43¾	— ⅛
Tndycft			16	1	14¼	
TchSym			24	36	11	
Tektrnx		.60	20	231	23¼	+ ¼
Teldyn		4	13	44	357½	+ 2½
Tennco		3.04	21	434	53⅜	
Tesoro				106	10½	
Texaco		3a	10	4046	51¾	— ⅛
TexEst		1b	17	349	51⅜	
TexInst		.72	11	2730	44⅛	+ ⅛
TxPac		.40	51	6	33¼	
TexUtil		2.92	8	38552	29⅞	
Textron		1	9	764	27⅛	— ⅛
Time		1	27	8061	128¾	— 6½
TimMir		1	16	1588	39½	+ ⅛
Timkn		s.92	13	37	37⅛	
Tokhem		.56	17	23	19	
Tosco			12	968	4⅜	— ⅛
Transm		1.88	7	592	34⅛	+ ⅛
Transco		1.36		63	41⅜	— ⅛
Travler		2.40	13	855	40½	+ ⅛
TriCon		2.07e		79	22¼	
Tribune		.88	16	1151	46½	+ ⅛
Trinova		.6a	11	30	27¾	
TucsEP		3.90	8	760	37⅜	

U—U

UAL			Cp	8	4930	120½	—3
UGI		2.25	12	433	u35¼	+ 1⅛
UNCInc			6	56	7⅜	+ ⅛
USFG		2.80	9	578	32	+ ⅛
USG			n	3	214	5⅛	— ⅛
USX		1.40	11	2179	34¼	+ ⅛
UCarb		1	5	8991	27	— ⅛
UnElec		2	10	248	25⅛	
UnPac		2.20	13	479	72⅛	
Unisys		1	11	5163	26½	+ ⅛
UBrand		.20	10	19	13¾	— ⅛
USWest		3.76	11	789	68⅛	+ ⅛
UnTech		1.60	10	934	51¼	
UniTel		1.92	40	1909	69¾	+ ⅛
Unocal		1	14	501	45⅜	— ⅛
Upjohn		.88	16	1871	31½	— ⅛
USLIFE		1.40	10	26	42⅜	

V—V

Varian		.26	10	179	26¾	— ⅛
Varity			13	5204	2⅛	— ⅛

W—W

Wackht		.60a	13	4	17⅜	
WalMrt		.22	24	2469	38⅛	— ⅜
WarnC		.68	18	6382	51⅜	+ 1
Warnrl		2.56	17	541	89½	+ ⅛
WshWt		2.48	11	28	29	
WellsF		3	8	229	77	+ ⅛
WUnion				2816	2¾	+ ⅛
WstgE		2.40	11	1045	61⅜	
Weyerh		1.20	10	1194	49¼	— ⅛
Whrlpl		1.10	20	66	30	+ ⅛
Whitmn		1.02	16	2306	34	+ ⅛
WhitHok		.25j	11	4	49	+ ⅛
William		1.40		535	35⅛	+ ⅛
WinDix		1.92	14	63	48⅜	— ⅛
Winnbg		.40	21	84	8¼	— ⅛
Wolwth		1.88	12

Administration creating new drug policy toward Peru

Hearst News Service

WASHINGTON — The Bush administration is formulating a new antidrug policy toward Peru — the world's largest producer of cocaine — that may include dispatching more Americans there, according to U.S. officials.

The Peruvian initiative is "seen in many quarters as a test case," said one official, who asked not to be identified. "The President's reputation on the antidrug front could be at stake there."

If approved, additional American personnel would join Peruvian counterparts in raids on clandestine cocaine labs in Peru's main drug-growing province, the Upper Huallaga Valley, said the official and two other administration sources, who also asked not to be identified.

One option would be to send Americans with military backgrounds who are not connected with the Pentagon who would help Peruvians coordinate drug raids, one source said.

Three months ago, the Drug Enforcement Administration suspended "Operation Snowcap," a three-year $24 million program in which DEA helicopter pilots and agents helped ferry in Peruvian soldiers to destroy labs.

Washington feared some 20 to 25 U.S. drug agents based in Peru would become targets of Sendero Luminoso (Shining Path), a Maoist guerrilla group that has waged a brutal civil war in the Andean highlands costing 12,000 lives.

The guerrillas have informal ties to drug traffickers who have turned the Upper Huallaga Valley's 287,500 acres of coca leaves into Peru's major export crop. The guerrillas also have won sympathy among peasant coca growers who see the U.S. antidrug effort as a threat to their livelihood.

A House Foreign Affairs Committee staff report released in February recommended that U.S. Special Forces be dispatched to Peru and Bolivia, the second largest cocaine producer. DEA was not the "appropriate agency" for drug "interdiction operations" in South America, the report concluded.

One administration official characterized the plan to send more Americans to Peru as "an enhanced effort at doing what was done" in Operation Snowcap.

However, Terrence Burke, DEA's deputy assistant administrator for operations, said: "I am not aware of any plans for any significant increase in personnel." But Burke added he could not "deny" that increases in U.S. personnel are under consideration.

And since the National Security Council is reviewing the situation in Peru, Burke said, "whatever is done is going to be done under the umbrella of a joint project" that includes several U.S. agencies.

One administration source said that the risk involved in placing more Americans in Peru is "a price worth paying, considering the slaughter taking place on American streets (because of drugs)."

Washington is formulating the new policy because Peru is politically incapable of curbing the narcotics trade itself, officials said.

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Gunner's Mate 3rd Class Kendall Truitt embraces his wife, Carole, during a news conference in Washington on Tuesday. Truitt's attorney has requested an investigation on how the sailor was implicated in the fatal blast aboard the USS Iowa which killed 47 men last month.

Sailor blames inexperience for USS Iowa explosion

WASHINGTON (AP) — A sailor named as beneficiary of a life-insurance policy of a buddy who died in the explosion aboard the USS Iowa says many of the crew working in the gun turret where the blast occurred lacked experience and had never worked together.

Gunner's Mate 3rd Class Kendall L. Truitt told reporters Tuesday the crew was hastily assembled before the April 19 exercise and gun turret No. 2 was undermanned by as many as 30 positions.

"The gun crew never worked together. This was to be their first shoot," Truitt said.

Truitt said a number of experienced crew members did not report for duty and were replaced with less experienced sailors.

"Some of the people that were missing had relatively key places and possibly inexperienced people had to be put in their jobs to fill them," Truitt told a news conference.

Truitt said his friend Clayton Hartwig, the crew head killed in the blast, was assigned to participate in the exercise at the last minute.

Fred P. Moosally, the Iowa's captain, has said his best gun crew manned the No. 2 turret. The Navy has also said such crews are not always fully staffed during peacetime exercises.

Truitt and his attorney, Ellis Rubin of Miami, suggested the explosion that killed 47 sailors may have occurred when an inexperienced sailor pushed bags of gun powder too quickly into the magazine of the gun.

Pushing the bags too quickly against the projectile could cause friction and heat that could spark an explosion, Rubin said. Truitt said the sailor assigned that job was barely qualified for the position.

"I want the Navy to tell us he was qualified, and was tested and instructed in this delicate job," Rubin said. He declined to release the name of the deceased sailor.

Rubin said Truitt told Navy officials he believed the explosion was sparked by a too rapid a loading of the powder bags.

The attorney also suggested that the gunpowder in the bags was volatile because it had been improperly subjected to high temperatures during storage.

The Navy has acknowledged the powder was not properly stored but said chemical tests indicated faulty storage had not made it more explosive.

Rubin demanded an apology from the Navy for news leaks he said falsely linked his client to a murder-suicide plot with Hartwig.

"We are asking from an identified spokesman in the Navy, that they clear this gunner mate's name," Rubin said.

According to published reports, the Navy has investigated the relationship between Truitt and Hartwig, who named his friend as sole beneficiary in a $50,000 double-indemnity life-insurance policy.

Pigs seen as major source of organ transplants

CHICAGO (AP) — Transplant doctors predict pigs will become a main source of donor organs for people once the many technical problems of cross-species transplantation are resolved.

While primates such as chimpanzees and baboons might be a better match, pigs are cheaper, more plentiful and easier to breed, says Dr. Hugh Auchincloss Jr., assistant professor of surgery at Harvard University.

"What could change, I suppose, is that we could become better at making artificial organs than we are now. Then we wouldn't need the animal organs. But I don't see that as coming first," Auchincloss said Tuesday at the annual meeting of the American Society of Transplant Physicians.

Only 50 to 60 chimpanzees are available in any given year for all types of research, according to Auchincloss.

"It doesn't make any sense to use chimpanzees because you're going to make such a small impact in the well-being of humans. And you'll make people so mad, because it is where they focus from the point of view of animal rights, understandably so," he said.

"If you can eat the pig, I'm not sure you can't transplant the liver," said Arthur Caplan, director of the Center for Biomedical Ethics at the University of Minnesota.

But some animal-rights activists say they're opposed to using animals, whether it's chimpanzees, pigs or even rodents.

"Animals aren't here to be our spare parts," said Dr. Neal Barnard, a psychiatrist who serves as president of the Physicians Committee for Responsible Medicine in Washington.

"They're putting all their energy into this high-tech, incredibly expensive use of the limited resources we have to put into health care...and it has maybe a one-in-10 million chance of ever working out," said Susan Stewart, head of the research investigative committee for the Last Chance for Animals in Los Angeles.

About 30 animal-to-human organ transplants have been performed worldwide, most of them in the early 1960s, according to Auchincloss.

The longest survivor was a 27-year-old woman who lived nine months with a chimpanzee's kidney she received in 1964.

Congressman may block clean air standards law

By PEGGY ROBERSON
Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON — Rep. John Dingell, D-Mich., may throw a roadblock in the way of fast-moving legislation to toughen clean air standards.

Dingell, chairman of the powerful Energy and Commerce Committee and a strong ally of Detroit's automobile manufacturers, is reported to be "hopping mad" about tougher automobile emissions standards proposed by Rep. Henry Waxman, D-Calif.

Dingell's opposition could prove fatal to this year's package of clean air reforms.

Waxman held two days of hearings on his proposals last week. His bill, as well as several others, would require states and the Environmental Protection Agency to reduce pollutants emitted by others sources in addition to automobiles.

Waxman, who is chairman of the health subcommittee of Dingell's Energy Committee, said he expects his proposal to move to the full committee in June.

Based on limited data, the Environmental Protection Agency recently estimated that 60 million Americans live in 70 areas where recently established standards for fine airborne particles are not being met.

Last year, Dingell and Waxman tangled over tougher controls on the auto industry and the dispute killed efforts to revamp the Clean Air Act.

Sources on Capitol Hill say the two men are positioning themselves for a replay of that battle.

Waxman is co-sponsoring, with more than 100 other members of Congress, legislation aimed at controlling ozone, carbon monoxide and particulate pollution.

A group of nine congressmen, headed by Rep. Al Swift, D-Wash., has introduced a similar measure that would phase in controls over a longer period of time than Waxman's legislation.

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Body recovered after bridge collapse

CINCINNATI (AP) — The river currents that toppled a section of a one-lane bridge last week were powerful enough to drag the body of one of the victims five miles downstream. Three others are still missing, authorities believe.

The body of a woman was found Tuesday snagged by debris in the Great Miami River. Her remains were the first found since a 100-foot section of a temporary bridge collapsed Friday evening and dropped at least two vehicles into the rain-swollen river.

Meanwhile, the firm that designed the bridge raised questions about its stability before it was built because the contractor was allowed to alter the plans, a newspaper reported today.

Elmer Obermeyer Jr., managing partner of the Cincinnati design firm of Graham Obermeyer and Partners, told The Cincinnati Enquirer his firm questioned the altered design at a meeting and in a letter to Hamilton County Engineer Donald Schramm's office last year.

"Our design was heavier and had longer spans...but nobody really envisioned that (the collapse) would happen," Obermeyer said.

Schramm said he was aware of Obermeyer's concerns about the alternative design, which cut the cost and time needed to build the temporary span, but said the plans met the state Department of Transportation's standards.

Recovery teams used sonar Tuesday to detect what appeared to be two vehicles on the river bottom near the bridge. The currents remained too strong to allow divers into the water, and officials said they probably won't send divers in before Thursday.

Authorities didn't release the identity of the woman whose body was found, but they said she met the description of a missing person.

Before the body was found, police had received reports from relatives of four people missing, according to Frank Weikel, a spokesman for the Hamilton County Sheriff's Department.

The temporary bridge opened Dec. 15 to carry traffic while a 94-year-old bridge is rebuilt a few feet away. Officials said the strong currents in the river, which crested seven feet above flood stage over the weekend, and the pounding from debris probably caused the collapse.

AP Laserphoto

A Cincinnati recovery team carries the body of a woman recovered Monday from the Great Miami River about five miles from the site of a bridge collapse that plunged at least two vehicles into the river Friday evening.

Experts say Soviet military spending still underestimated

WASHINGTON (AP) — Soviet President Mikhail S. Gorbachev has disclosed a level of military spending nearly four times as high as the Kremlin has admitted in the past, but U.S. analysts say his estimate is still low though likely to rise as economic reforms continue in Moscow.

"The Gorbachev figure seems quite short," said Abraham Becker, a RAND Corp. analyst who has published numerous studies on Soviet military spending.

Another U.S.-based expert on the Soviet economy, Jan Vanous of Planecon, says Gorbachev's figure is "kind of low" and "raises more questions than it answers."

Gorbachev, in what was hailed in Moscow as a breakthrough for "glasnost," or openness, said the Soviet Union spends 77.3 billion rubles, or $118 billion per year at the rate of exchange set by the Kremlin, compared with the figure of $32 billion announced by Soviet officials last October.

The Central Intelligence Agency estimates Soviet defense spending at 115 billion rubles to 125 billion rubles, and says that roughly equals the $300 billion that the Pentagon spends annually, according to Richard Kaufman, an expert with the Joint Economic Committee of Congress.

That committee annually publishes the authoritative U.S. analysis of the Soviet economy by the CIA and the Pentagon's Defense Intelligence Agency.

Converting the ruble figure directly to dollars is virtually meaningless, the experts said, because the Kremlin uses several rates of exchange and the Armed Forces have access to materials and devices that are simply not available to civilian enterprises.

Moreover, they said, the ruble estimate likely will increase considerably when the Soviets carry through long-promised changes in wholesale prices.

Becker, Vanous and other experts predicted that Gorbachev's announcement would fuel Soviet discussion on military spending, producing yet higher estimates and a lively political fight between reformers and conservatives.

"The most important thing about the figure offered by Gorbachev is not the number itself but the debate that it is going to start in the Soviet Union," said Ed Hewett of the Brookings Institution in Washington.

Hewett compared arguments raging over the Soviet spending deficit, which was disclosed for the first time last October after the Kremlin for years had claimed to have a balanced budget. Since last fall, the figure has been revised upward by several noted Soviet economists, none of whom appear to have definitive figures, said Hewett.

Gorbachev did not break down Soviet military spending by category, and his number did not appear to include research and development costs, estimated at more than 11 billion rubles by Vanous.

The biggest discrepancy, said U.S. analysts, is that Soviet military prices are based on artificially low production costs rather than the true market value of goods.

"The Soviets have an acute shortage of micro-computers," Vanous said by way of example. "It is impossible to get them in the civilian sector. If there was a meaningful market, the price would be quite high."

"The micro-computers that go into MiG (fighters) don't cost very much, but there are enterprises in the civilian economy that would be willing to bid five or six times as much" as the military pays for them, said Vanous, a Czechoslovakian emigre whose firm specializes in Soviet Bloc economies.

The military also consumes expensive metal alloys that simply are unavailable to the rest of the economy, he said.

Moreover, there are numerous hidden military costs, such as armaments sold to client states on favorable terms or the extensive civil defense system, including hardening of some subway lines against nuclear attack, which are not included in the defense budget, said Vanous.

Gorbachev's "number makes it clear that the government lied in the past," said Vanous. "It lied a lot in the past and now it will lie a little bit. Gorbachev's announcement has legitimized debate on this issue."

Soviet reformers have been pressing the Soviet Defense Ministry for more than a year to provide a more accurate accounting.

Gorbachev said defense spending would be cut by 13 percent and the savings channeled into social services, a course advocated by the reformers.

According to the figure provided by Gorbachev, the Soviets spend about 9 percent of their gross national product on defense. The CIA estimates that the Soviets spend 15 percent to 17 percent of GNP, compared with 6 percent for the United States. Because the U.S. economy is twice as large as that of the Soviet Union, the superpowers' spending is not far apart, said Kaufman.

The CIA makes its estimates by observing Soviet military production and activities, then calculating what they should cost, said Kaufman.

Iran Air victims compensation to go before Congress

Hearst News Service

WASHINGTON — Despite the prospect of strong opposition, the State Department this week will ask Congress to approve U.S. compensation for the families of 290 victims killed when an Iranian airliner was shot down by the USS Vincennes over the Persian Gulf last July.

Abraham Sofaer, the State Department's legal adviser, will outline the Bush administration's plan in an informal meeting with Senate Armed Services Committee Chairman Sam Nunn, D.-Ga., on Thursday followed by a similar session with House Armed Services Committee Chairman Les Aspin, D.-Wis., on Friday.

"We are giving them the option of approving it," Sofaer said in an interview. "We think it's good to have Congress on board."

Officials said the compensation plan has the backing of the White House, Secretary of State James A. Baker III and Secretary of Defense Dick Cheney.

President Reagan declared last August that the United States would voluntarily compensate the families of the victims aboard the ill-fated Iran Air jumbo jet even though such payments were not required by international law. Reagan said the compensation would be paid directly to family members to avoid it going through the hands of the Iranian government.

Bush, picking up the Reagan initiative, sees a moral impetus for the payments, officials said, because Iraq last month agreed to pay $27.3 million to the families of 37 American sailors killed in its May 1987 attack on the USS Stark, administration officials said.

The guided missile cruiser USS Vincennes shot down the Iranian aircraft on July 3 in the mistaken belief that it was an attacking Iranian jet.

Natives of five countries besides Iran were aboard, including India, Italy, Pakistan, Yugoslavia and the United Arab Emirates. Of the 290 victims, 250 were Iranians.

The United States has maintained that it is not compelled to make compensatory payments because the downing of the airliner, while the result of mistaken identification, was a "lawful act of self-defense."

Chances of winning congressional support for the plan, however, seem slim.

"The fact is people in the (State) Department are nervous about going ahead with those (congressional) meetings," the administration source said. "It may be more difficult to persuade Congress because the Iranians keep doing things to make it more difficult for us."

The latest such move by Iran was a suit filed against the United States on May 21 at the World Court in the Hague seeking payments for the aircraft and payment of damages to the Iranian Government, as well as to the families of the victims.

Iranian threats to British novelist Salman Rushdie and Iranian Speaker Hashemi Rafsanjani's appeal for Palestinians to kill five Americans for every Palestinian "have just made things worse," said Warren Nelson, spokesman for the House Armed Services Committee.

State Department officials may seek compensation first for non-Iranian victims, officials said.

Under the U.S. plan, the value of each victim's life, and corresponding compensation, will be determined by the "victim specific" approach. It is the same approach Iraq used in determining the $27.3 million payment it agreed to make to the United States.

Instead of a lump sum payment, lawyers attempt to compute on a passenger-by-passenger basis such things as a victim's lost income, the value of his or her education, the number of dependents and the emotional anguish to relatives.

The Iraqi payments averaged $700,000 per American victim.

The State Department source refused to put a dollar figure on the amount it is seeking for the Iran Air victims. "This won't be anywhere near that (Iraqi) amount because the cost of living of people who come from places like Pakistan is much, much lower than ours," the official said.

The process is proving extremely time consuming with Iran, officials said, because the United States must obtain information from intermediaries, such as the Swiss Government, which represents U.S. interests in Iran, and the International Committee of the Red Cross.

Bush believes there is another reason for moving ahead with the plan, the State Department source disclosed.

California firm joins Dukakis bashing

BOSTON (AP) — America hates a loser, and no politician seems more scorned these days than Michael Dukakis.

The failed Democratic presidential candidate is the butt of jokes in his home state. Question: "What does Dukakis mean in Greek?" Answer: "Mondale."

Dukakis

The Massachusetts governor also is facing a huge state budget dficit, a cranky Legislature, a wife recovering from alcoholism and the lowest popularity ratings of his career.

When his car was stopped for an expired registration sticker recently, his driver was given a warning instead of the usual $50 fine. A radio station sold cardboard cutouts of Dukakis, saying ordinary people could avoid tickets, too, if only they had a governor in the back seat.

Now, a California company has started an advertisement showing a photo of Dukakis giving a speech. "There are some people even we couldn't make more persuasive" reads the huge caption.

Fortune magazine declined to run the ad by Precision Technologies Inc., but the two-page spread appears in the latest California editions of Newsweek and Inc. magazines.

The creators insist the ad isn't meant to demean Dukakis.

In fact, the two people who came up with the idea supported him in his bid for the White House, and one even campaigned for him, said Ken Mandelbaum of the Mandelbaum Mooney Ashley advertising agency in San Francisco.

But lest the ad be overlooked, the year-old agency that has also made controversial ads showing nudists and underwear sent a copy of its Dukakis piece to news organizations.

A spokesman for the governor said the unauthorized use of Dukakis' photograph to sell a product "shows a lack of common sense and decency."

The ad pushes a product that can make a photographic slide from the image on the screen of a personal computer.

"It's something that will allow anyone to make more persuasive presentations," the text reads.

"We were sitting around talking about who was a poor presenter, who couldn't get his points across, and Dukakis was the guy who leapt into mind," Mandelbaum said.

The only other candidate considered was Neville Chamberlain, the British prime minister remembered for his appeasement of Adolf Hitler. But they decided few people would recognize Chamberlain, Mandelbaum said.

Dukakis was in Toronto on Tuesday and could not be reached for comment. But Donald K. Stern, the governor's chief legal counsel, said Massachusetts law prohibits use of a person's photograph for advertising or commercial purposes without their consent.

"That law reflects common sense and decency," Stern said. "One would hope that any company would show restraint in using someone's likeness for commercial purposes and that any magazine would take steps to determine whether consent has been given before they ran it."

Mandelbaum said there had been some debate about the legality of using the photograph.

"I think the company looked at the risks and accepted them," he said.

Fortune spokesman Gary Belis said the magazine would not discuss its reasons for rejecting the ad.

Hank Thunhorst, national advertising manager for Inc., said he didn't think the ad was derogatory, just trying to make a point.

"In the past, advertisers have used pictures of presidents that were derogatory," Thunhorst said. "They flayed Nixon pretty good."

Cambridge pollster Gerry Chervinsky called the ad demeaning. "That, after all, was the knock on Dukakis, that he was a poor campaigner who couldn't get the message across," he said.

Chervinsky's polls of Massachusetts voters last month show that 53 percent have an unfavorable view of Dukakis, and 41 percent have a favorable view. A national survey in early April showed 39 percent rated Dukakis unfavorable and 44 percent favorable, he said.

"In Massachusetts there's a tremendous amount of Duke-bashing going on," he said.

Report declares war on alcohol consumption

WASHINGTON (AP) — A federal report on drunken driving released today calls for an all-out attack on alcohol consumption, including tax hikes on liquor and strict curbs on advertising that glamorizes drinking.

The report, written by a panel from five federal departments, would require anti-alcohol advertising to counter beer and wine commercials, ban the use of celebrities in beer and wine ads that appeal to youths and mandate the display of warning labels whenever a beer or wine container is shown on television. Radio and television stations generally do not carry hard liquor ads.

The nation's television and radio broadcasters attacked the report as an unwarranted infringement on the advertising of legal products.

The surgeon general's report also makes scores of other recommendations, among them a call for an end to sponsorship of athletic events and youth-oriented musical concerts by alcholic beverage companies.

Surgeon General C. Everett Koop called a news conference for today to announce his plans for pushing the recommendations drawn up by the Surgeon General's Workshop on Drunk Driving last December. The workshop marked the start of a federal campaign to save the 25,000 lives lost each year because of drunken driving.

The National Association of Broadcasters, in a prepared statement, took strong exception to some of the report's recommendations.

Today's statement by NAB president Edward O. Fritts said: "Despite all scientific evidence finding no link between advertising and abuse, the surgeon general's report nonetheless would place restrictions on the right to advertise alcoholic beverages which are legal products." The organization represents 5,100 radio stations, 970 television stations and major networks.

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Court rules ex-spouses lose military benefits

Hearst News Service

WASHINGTON — Military retirees facing divorce won a significant retirement income shelter Tuesday when the U.S. Supreme Court ruled that former spouses cannot share in benefits received for service-related disabilities.

Under Tuesday's 7-2 decision in Mansell v. Mansell, involving a divorced former Air Force major from Merced, Calif., retirees who once faced losing half of their retirement pay to ex-spouses now can keep that portion represented by disability payments from the Department of Veterans Affairs.

For ex-spouses — the vast majority of them female — the Tuesday ruling is "very definitely a blow," said Alison Wetherfield, attorney for the National Organization for Women Legeal Defense and Education Fund.

"Clearly for ex-service members who want to avoid obligations to their former families, taking disability pay in lieu of retirement pay is now going to be a much better deal," she said.

Ex-spouses of militray personnel were given the right under the 1982 Uniformed Services Former Spouses Protection Act to petition state courts for orders allowing them to collect as much as 50 percent of regular retirement pay.

Congress passed the spouses protection act to offset a 1981 Supreme Court ruling, which said retirement benefits could not be divided under federal law as it existed then.

But the 1982 law left open the door for legal challenges on the question of dividing disability payments for veterans who suffered a disease or injury while in service. Tuesday's ruling put disability pay beyond the reach of divorced spouses.

To prevent double-dipping, or collecting two government pensions simultaneously, federal rules require retirees to reduce their retirement benefit by the amount of their disability pay. Even so, retirees entitled to disability pay usually opt for it, because unlike straight retirement pay, disability is nontaxable.

The amount of disability retirees receive depends on how disabled they are.

The high court's ruling Tuesday concerned Gerald E. Mansell, who developed a disc disease in his lower back while flying a KC-135 tanker plane in Vietnam in the late 1960s.

Mansell retired from the Air Force in 1977 after 21 years in uniform. He divorced his wife Gaye Mansell in 1979 after 23 year of marriage. They had six children.

The Mansells' initial settlement provided Mrs. Mansell with 50 percent of his total retirement package. However, Mansell moved to amend the decree in 1983, arguing his ex-wife was not entitled to a share in his disability pay.

"Nobody earns that money but the disabled veteran," Mansell said in a telephone interview from Merced, a fruit- and nut-growing region in California's central agricultural valley. "It's not a man-versus-woman issue."

Mansell said he receives $1,100 a month in regular retirement benefits and $500 in disability pay. After tax deductions, he sends his ex-wife a monthly check for $500.

Had the court ruled the other way, Mansell would be sending his wife approximately $750 a month.

Justice Thurgood Marshall wrote in the court's majority opinion that it "may inflict economic harm on many former spouses."

Nevertheless, Marshall wrote, the court's hands were tied because in passing the 1982 law, Congress specifically exempted disability payments from consideration as divisible property in divorce cases.

Marshall appeared to invite Congress to change the law, writing: "Congress chose the language that requires us to decide as we do, and Congress is free to change it."

Joining Marhsall were Chief Justice William Rehnquist, and justices William Brennan, Byron White, John Paul Stevens, Antonin Scalia and Anthony Kennedy.

In a dissenting opinion, Justice Sandra Day O'Connor — the high court's lone female — said the majority had misconstrued the statute's language. Congress intended that state courts be able to decide whether disability pay should be garnished, she wrote.

Ex-spouses of military personnel are entitled to such pay because "military wives face special difficulties...the average military couple married for 20 years moves about 12 times, and military wives experience an unemployment rate more than double that of their civilian counterparts."

Justice Harry Blackmun joined O'Connor's dissent.

The Pentagon does not keep track of the extent of divorce among retirees. However, a 1984 study shows that divorce rates among military families are somewhat higher than in the civilian world, where the rate is one-third to one-half of all marriages.

Required High School Reading

Top ten most frequently assigned titles.

By percent of high schools requiring each book be read.

Public (322 surveyed)	Catholic (80 surveyed)	Private (86 surveyed)
1. Romeo and Juliet 84%	1. Huckleberry Finn 76%	1. Macbeth 74%
2. Macbeth 81%	2. The Scarlet Letter 70%	2. Romeo and Juliet 66%
3. Huckleberry Finn 70%	2. Macbeth 70%	3. Huckleberry Finn 56%
3. Julius Caesar 70%	4. To Kill a Mockingbird 67%	4. The Scarlet Letter 52%
5. To Kill a Mockingbird 69%	5. The Great Gatsby 64%	5. Hamlet 51%
6. The Scarlet Letter 62%	6. Romeo and Juliet 63%	6. The Great Gatsby 49%
7. Of Mice and Men 56%	7. Hamlet 60%	7. To Kill a Mockingbird 47%
8. Hamlet 55%	8. Of Mice and Men 56%	8. Julius Caesar 42%
9. The Great Gatsby 54%	9. Julius Caesar 54%	9. The Odyssey 39%
9. Lord of the Flies 54%	10. Lord of the Flies 52%	10. Lord of the Flies 34%

Source: Center for the Learning & Teaching of Literature AP

Required high school reading lists stress Shakespeare, report says

NEW YORK (AP) — High schools are requiring students to read almost exactly what they did 25 years ago: heavy on Shakespeare but light on works by female and minority authors, according to a survey.

Eighty-four percent of public high schools assign students "Romeo and Juliet," the tearful Shakespearean play that tops the list of required works, according to the nationwide survey by the Center for the Learning & Teaching of Literature at State University of New York at Albany.

But only one of the top 10 most frequently assigned works was by a female author — "To Kill A Mockingbird," by Harper Lee. No works were by minorities, according to the survey of 322 public schools, 80 Catholic schools and 86 private schools conducted last spring.

"I think the survey shows schools are still very much concerned with emphasizing good literature. They continue to assign classics complemented with modern and accessible works," said the survey's author, Arthur N. Applebee.

"At the same time, it's disturbing that there are essentially no books by minority authors working their way into the canons, and little representation of women."

Following "Romeo and Juliet," 81 percent of public high schools required "Macbeth." "Huckleberry Finn," the classic Mark Twain novel, was the third most assigned work, with 70 percent requiring it.

The rest of the top 10 were, in order, "Julius Caesar," by Shakespeare, "To Kill A Mockingbird," "The Scarlet Letter," by Nathaniel Hawthorne, "Of Mice and Men," by John Steinbeck, Shakespeare's "Hamlet," "The Great Gatsby," by F. Scott Fitzgerald, and "Lord of the Flies," by William Golding.

The most frequently assigned books by minority authors are Lorrainne Hansberry's "A Raisin in the Sun," required in 19 percent of schools, and Richard Wright's "Black Boy," required by 7 percent, the survey found.

Applebee added, however, that commonly used high school literature anthologies frequently include works by minority and female authors.

The survey appeared to answer conservative critics who have lately accused schools of watering down curricula and retreating from the classics. Such charges gained currency in the recent best-sellers "The Closing of the American Mind" by Allan Bloom, and "Cultural Literacy," by E.D. Hirsch.

The study also showed, surprisingly, that public, private and Catholic high schools are assigning nearly identical books, said Applebee.

At the 80 Catholic schools surveyed, the top-10 list included the same books as public schools, but in different order. "Huckleberry Finn" ranked first, followed by "The Scarlet Letter" and "Macbeth."

"Macbeth" topped the list at 86 private schools surveyed. Unlike public and Catholic schools, that top-10 list included Homer's epic poem, "The Odyssey," but omitted "Of Mice and Men."

The report replicated a similar survey 25 years ago by the Educational Testing Service. Shakespeare dominated the list, as he does now. "Romeo and Juliet" replaced "Macbeth" in first place, apparently boosted by the popularity of the film version.

"Silas Marner," by George Eliot, was the only book showing a dramatic change in popularity. The 19th century novel about an old miser who turns to a more human life through his love of a little girl ranked third 25 years ago, but dropped off the top-10 list in the latest survey.

The survey had a margin of error of 3 points.

First student eliminated in spelling bee

WASHINGTON 9AP) — Ten-year-old Malinda Shepherd of Burnsville, N.C., was the first youngster eliminated today as competition got underway in the 62nd National Spelling Bee, stumbling over the word "seriatim."

Malinda, one of six 10-year-olds among the 222 contestants ranging up to age 15, spelled the word "seriatum." The word means "in a series" or "in order."

The North Carolina girl was the 22nd youngster to spell in the competition.

The two-day competition, which carries $16,350 in prize money, has attracted 120 girls and 102 boys who survived elimination contests around the country and in American outposts abroad.

The youngest contestant is Lisa Ishimaru, 9, a fourth-grader from Sacramento, Calif.

Last year there were 200 spellers, including the youngest in the history of the event, Iris Liu, a third-grader from Muncie, Ind., who was just short of her 9th birthday. She was eliminated the first day, stumbling on "waywiser," an instrument used to measure distances.

In addition to the six 10-year-olds, there are 24 contestants who are 11, 45 who are 12, 89 who are 13, 55 who are 14 and two who are 15. Competition is limited to those who are not yet 16 and have not passed beyond the eighth grade.

Contest officials estimated that nearly 9 million students participated at the local level in contests sponsored by Scripps Howard newspapers in 13 cities and by 205 other daily, weekly and Sunday newspapers.

"Spellers may not have books, papers, study sheets, word lists, pens, pencils or other objects that might be construed as a help," the youngsters were warned in a schedule handed out in advance.

They arrived in Washington for registration on Sunday and spent Monday visiting Gunston Hall, the Virginia home of Bill of Rights framer George Mason.

On Tuesday, they toured Washington monuments and public buildings and took a ride to the National Aquarium in Baltimore.

Prizes will be presented Friday night at a banquet with a joint armed forces color guard. First prize includes a cash award of $1,500. Other prizes are $1,000 for second, $750 for third, $500 for fourth, $400 for fifth, $300 for sixth, $200 for seventh through 10th, $100 for 11th through 20th, and 202 prizes of $50 each.

Seven of the contestants are making their third appearance in the national competition. Among them is Robert Pryor, 11, of Washington, who had such a nervous stomach last year that he had to be helped to the microphone on his first appearance. On his second appearance, he misspelled "fidgetiness."

There have been 64 National Spelling Bee champions, since co-champions were declared in three years. Of the winners, 35 were girls and 29 boys. Last year 102 girls and 98 boys competed.

The first such event was held in 1925 with nine contestants, under sponsorship of the Louisville Courier-Journal. The Scripps Howard Newspapers took over the program in 1941. The program was suspended for three years during World War II.

In 1988, Rageshree Ramachandran, 13, of Fair Oaks, Calif., won by correctly spelling "elegiacal," a type of rhymed couplet or a poem written in such couplets.

In 1987, Stephanie Petit, 13, of Bethel Park, Pa., won by spealling "staphylococci," or bacteria infecting the skin and mucous membranes.

Louisiana desegregation plan issued

BATON ROUGE, La. (AP) — A special official appointed to draft an integration plan for Louisiana's higher education system recommended Tuesday that no universities be closed or merged and that they be governed by a powerful unified board.

The final recommendation by Paul Verkuil, who was appointed by a three-judge federal panel, contained few changes compared to his preliminary proposal April 18, said John Kennedy, an attorney with Gov. Buddy Roemer's administration.

"I don't think this is a cosmetic plan," Kennedy said at a news briefing Tuesday night. "I think you will look on the landscape of higher education in five years and it will not be the same. The changes will be fundamental — quality and desegregation."

The court will have the final say on the plan. Kennedy said he did not know if the judges would hear further comment from the parties in the case — including the predominantly black Southern University System, the U.S. Justice Department and Grambling State University's alumni association — before deciding whether to approve it.

Kennedy said Roemer, who had pushed for a single board with authority to implement desegregation plans, was pleased by Verkuil's recommendation.

"The single board is the linchpin of this whole thing," Kennedy said.

State Sen. William Jefferson of New Orleans, an attorney for the Southern University System, said he had not seen the recommendation and declined to comment immediately. Other parties were not available for immediate comment.

Verkuil was appointed to draw up a new plan after the court ruled last year that a 1981 desegregation agreement between the state and the Justice Department had failed. The plan called primarily for spending millions of dollars to upgrade faculty, programs and facilities at Southern and Grambling.

The dispute began 15 years ago when the Justice Department filed a lawsuit against the state accusing it of operating a dual system of higher education for blacks and whites.

Under the plan recommended Tuesday by Verkuil, president of William and Mary College in Virginia:

— The single governing board would consist of 17 members, including at least seven blacks. Verkuil said the board should show a geographic balance, represent all schools and include a student.

Board members would be appointed by the governor and confirmed by the state Senate. Members would not have to come from existing boards.

Black leaders had said a unified board would be insensitive to the needs of historically black Southern University and Grambling.

■ All current university systems would be abolished in favor of one system under the unified board. A new president for higher education would be selected and an interim president would be appointed during the search.

■ Louisiana State University would be the state's flagship institution with the greatest number of graduate programs and the toughest admission standards. Currently, all Louisiana colleges have an open-admissions policy.

■ A second tier of schools — Louisiana Tech, Southern University at Baton Rouge, the University of New Orleans and the University of Southwestern Louisiana — would also offer graduate programs, but fewer than LSU. Those schools would have less stringent admissions standards.

NATION IN BRIEF

Capital punishment ad features homeless

LOS ANGELES (AP) — A new public service announcement against capital punishment features an unusual cast of characters: the homeless.

The Amnesty International television commercial, to be offered soon for international broadcasts, uses 50 homeless people.

"I didn't want people that were well-fed, happy human beings, to try to pull off the roles of people all over the world who have been imprisoned for long periods of time," said commercial director Tony Bill, who co-produced "The Sting" and directed "My Bodyguard."

"The homeless are disenfranchised people, and they are people who are, in effect, oppressed," said Bill, who like others donated work for the project.

The black-and-white ads cast the homeless as prisoners facing execution, their heads covered in bags before an imaginary killing. The 30- and 60-second commercials conclude with the shot of a falling guillotine blade.

"The saddest thing was to see them leave at the end of the shoot," said producer Clare Baren of Riverrun Films. "It was horrible to think where they were going back to. They were just really terrific people."

Trade talks to resume

WASHINGTON (AP) — Talks will resume this summer to set standards under which U.S. products could be exported to Europe after internal trade barriers are lifted there in 1992, it was announced today.

Commerce Secretary Robert Mosbacher and Martin Bangemann, European Commission vice president, announced the resumption of talks in a joint communique released here and in Paris. The talke are to be held in Brussels, Belgium.

"The issues of how standards will be set and what they will be is a top concern of the American business community," Mosbacher said in a statement released by the Commerce Department. "With this agreement to establish a dialogue, we have made significant progress toward easing that concern."

Jurors hear Swindall tape

ATLANTA (AP) — Former Rep. Pat Swindall repeatedly acknowledged an undercover agent's warnings that a loan he wanted included drug money, according to a tape recording played at his perjury trial Tuesday.

Swindall, who is accused of lying to a grand jury investigating money laundering, has denied he knew anything about where the money for the home loan would come from.

Jurors heard a 90-minute audio tape of a conversation Swindall had on Sept. 13, 1987, with Internal Revenue Service agent Mike Mullaney, who was posing as a Miami money broker, and with Charles LeChasney, a Swindall associate since convicted of money laundering.

In the taped conversation, Mullaney told Swindall that he "could only draw the conclusion that certainly there are drugs" and said he would understand if Swindall wanted to back out of the deal.

Swindall responded that did not feel he would be in danger in obtaining the money for his house.

Court rules on custody

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — A federal appeals court has ruled that a 5-year-old black child should remain with his white foster parents, ending a three-year custody fight with the boy's black former guardians.

The Rev. Willie Williams, who had custody of Raymond Bullard between 1985 and 1988, said he and his wife, Elaine, will not appeal Tuesday's decision by the 3rd U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals.

"Our family has suffered greatly," Williams said. "I don't want to keep dragging it on and on and on."

Williams said he has declined to see the child during the appeal for fear of confusing him and would continue that to help the youngster adjust to the home of John and Marilyn McLaughlin. The boy turns 6 on June 25.

Rabbits used in research

WASHINGTON (AP) — A technique for infecting white rabbits with the AIDS virus has been developed by federal scientists, providing researchers with a laboratory animal to test drugs and vaccines for combating the fatal disease.

Dr. Thomas J. Kindt of the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases said Tuesday that because of the new technique, laboratories everywhere will be able to use the New Zealand white rabbit as a model for studying infections of the human immunodeficiency virus, which causes AIDS.

Research into AIDS, or acquired immune deficiency syndrome, has been severely handicapped because there has been no animal model to test treatment agents for the disease.

Kindt said the rabbit now can provide that model.

"If you inject this animal with human cells infected with HIV, the infection will take in the rabbit," he said. Within four weeks after the injection, the rabbit's immune system starts showing signs of reacting to the virus, a finding that is called seroconversion.

Once this has occurred, Kindt said the rabbit could be used to test drug treatments for the disease.

Kindt said the rabbit could also be used to test candidate AIDS vaccines.

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This contract is subject to all appropriate Federal laws, including Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. Plans and specifications including minimum wage rates as provided by Law are available for inspection at the office of Wm. S. Poage, Resident Engineer, Fort Stockton, Texas, and at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Construction Division, D.C. Greer State Highway Building, 11th and Brazos Streets, Austin, Texas 78701. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of the bidder.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed Bid or Bids will be received until 3:00 P.M. June 15, 1989 to be opened at 3:00 P.M. June 15, 1989 in the office of the City Purchasing Agent, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas for the following Bid or Bids:

Bid #153-89 to purchase:

Solid sleeves, hose bibs, corp stops, copper tubing, parts for Mueller Improved fire hydrants and manhole rings with lids for the Municipal Warehouse.

Information for Bidders, Proposal Forms, Specifications and General Conditions for Bidding may be obtained from the office of the Purchasing Agent, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas.

Purchasing Division
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The Stanton Independent School District will accept bids for the purchase of instructional computer equipment and related software until 10:00 a.m., June 12, 1989. Specifications may be obtained by contacting the Business Office, P.O. Box 730, Stanton, Texas 79782. The District reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
May 31, 1989
June 1, 1989

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be received by the Texas Department of Mental and Mental Retardation, Maintenance and Construction, in the Conference Room, Administration Building, Lubbock State School, P.O. Box 5396 (3401 North University), Lubbock, Texas 79417-5396 until 10:00 A.M., Tuesday, June 27, 1989 for Project No. 88-070-687, Sealcoat Streets and Parking, Lubbock State School, Lubbock, Texas. A Pre-Bid Conference will be held at 9:00 A.M., Thursday, June 15, 1989 in the Office of the Plant Maintenance Manager. Attendance at Pre-Bid Conference is MANDATORY. A bid will not be accepted from any bidder that has not attended the Pre-Bid Conference. Plans and specifications will be available Tuesday, May 30, 1989 and may be obtained from S. A. Garza Engineers, Inc., 4200 Marathon Blvd., Suite 300, Austin, Texas 78756, Telephone: 512/453-8554. A $50.00 deposit is required for each set. Works consists of providing sealcoat of streets and parking at Lubbock State School. Bids will be received in accordance with State Procedures.
May 31, 1989

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NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of HAROLD G. RAUCH, were issued January 11, 1989, in Cause No. 9023, pending in the County Court of Midland County, Texas, to:

DOROTHY HOUSE BARTZ

The residence of such Independent Executive is Midland County, Texas. The address is:

2509 Seaboard Avenue, Midland, Texas 79707

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

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MAY 31, 1989

110 LODGE NOTICES

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Ron Yeager, W.M.
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Tom Vanaman, W.M.
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The Midland Shrine Club, 2019 Trade Drive 685-1790. Regular stated meeting third Thursday each month June 15th, 1989. Hospitality 6:30 pm. Catered dinner 7 pm. Business meeting 8 pm. All nobles and their ladies invited.
Russ Holmberg, President,
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Sales Clerk Positions
At Kids Only Toy Store
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JORGE'S Cafe. Needed: Cashiers, Host, Hostesses, Waiters/ Waitresses. Experience required. Taking applications 9-11 am and 2-5 pm. No phone calls please. Midland Drive and Wadley.

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Private security firm seeking individual to work Tuesday - Saturday, 3 pm - 11 pm. Computer usage with situations requiring quick and accurate decision making ability. Non-smoker preferred. $6.00 an hour after training.
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For Apartment complex in Midland. Must live on property. Experience in all areas of maintenance necessary. Send resume to 3952 E. 52nd, Suite S-208, Odessa 79762.

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NATIONAL Company with headquarters in Odessa has immediate opening for person with collection and skip tracing experience to manage national assignment center. Salary based on verifiable experience. Apply in person BIDCO Corporation, 312 E. 2nd, Odessa.

MHMR
"Sheltered Workshop Program"
Needs (CSA or Trainer) to work with MHFM Retarded Adults. Requires high school graduate or equivalency and some experience with MHMR field. Successful working experience; driver's license and good driving record. Special skills: be able to relate to clients; follow instructions of supervisor; prepare written reports.
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MHMR, Midland CLEW Bldg
1403 East Hwy 80
Midland Texas
Phone (915) 682-8664

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YOU MAKE THE DIFFERENCE
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PART - TIME ROUTE PERSON
Excellent opportunity for individuals with 2 - 3 hours to spare in the early afternoons Monday - Friday and early mornings Saturday and Sunday.
Routes are available in the Midland area. Must be dependable and have reliable transportation.
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Ask for District Manager
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Rapidly expanding local freight company is needing key personnel to fill the following positions:

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Must have working knowledge of the Permian Basin area. Freight experience helpful. Hours 10 am - 7 pm, Monday - Friday.
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Must be customer orientated and have basic office skills. Typing, 10-key, filing. Hours 9 am - 6 pm, Monday - Friday.

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Preventative Maintenance
Must have own tools. Hours 12 pm - 8 pm, Monday - Friday and every other Saturday.
Salaries based on experience.
Serving the Permian Basin for over 25 years.
Send resumes to BOX-P03 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702

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ELECTRONICS TRAINEES
Good health required. To age 32, H.S. diploma graduates, good math ability preferred. Will relocate accepted applicants. 1-800-354-9627, Mon-Fri, 9-3.

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DRIVERS. Lewis Montgomery Trucking Company now hiring solo drivers. Best equipment, great pay, excellent benefits. Stable established company. No need to relocate. If you want to go to work now, call (915)334-0504, or 1-800-822-1945.

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EXPERIENCED Truck Stop Manager. Apply at the National Truck Stop, Midland Texas.

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June through August
Must be able to swim, drive, & travel. Must be honest, reliable, & have positive attitude with children ages 4 & 6. Great opportunity for the right person.
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212 Professional Help Wanted

LAW FIRM ADMINISTRATOR
Firm of 10 attorneys seeks administrator.
Essential skills include a thorough accounting and financial background (including automated systems), personnel abilities, organization, professionalism and teamwork. A non-smoking office.
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In the production department
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11:00 p.m. - 7:00 a.m. shift. Excellent benefits, above average pay. Shift differential. Please contact: Jo Ann Merket, R.N., D.O.N., or Richard Murphy, Administrator, Mitchell County Hospital. 1543 Chestnut Street, Colorado City, TX 79512, (915) 728-3431.

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Large Nursing Home in Big Spring area seeking experienced Texas licensed
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212 Professional Help Wanted

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Kinder Care has an opening for a positive self starter to assume Leadership & Management responsibilities.
QUALIFICATIONS
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For individual with good analytical skills and problem solving abilities. Experience in computer operations, personnel, and accounting required. Salary commensurate with experience and ability.
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HONDA OIL & GAS COMPANY
Is currently accepting applications for the position of
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216 Clerical

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Personnel Department
P.O. Box 4756
Midland, Texas 79704

PART TIME experienced full charge Bookkeeper/ Data Entry sought by Arts Organization. Must have PC experience. 24 hours/ week. Send cover letter and resume to: Bookkeeper, P.O. Box 60658, Midland, Texas 79711.

220 Sales Help Wanted

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1980 FORD Fairmont, four door, six cylinder, good tires. Good for work or school. Very clean. $2500. 687-3784.

1976 4-DOOR Chevy Nova, 62,000 miles. Runs good. $750. Call 683-1340.

1988 CUTLASS Calais International Series. 4 door. Practically new. Only 7,000 miles. Loaded. $12,500. 697-9883.

1988 SILVER Ford Tempo, 4 doors, 5 speed, 9200 miles. Excellent condition. $7600. Evenings and weekends 683-6149.

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1987 PONTIAC Grand AM four door. 4 Cylinder, 32,000 miles. New Pirelli tires, $8500 Firm. 685-3563.

1987 GTA with Chip. 26,000 Miles. $12,500. Please call 694-9861 or 699-5201.

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1985 IROC Camero: All available options. 46,000 miles. Below book - $8,975. Call 682-2929.

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310 Automobiles-Import

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1988 FORD Pick Up XLT: 24,000 Miles, see at 5206 Thomason or call 699-1780.

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1988 FORD one ton dually crewcab, $1000 equity. Take over payments. Call 684-6942, 9 - 5, Monday - Friday.

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1984 FORD F-150 pickup, AM/FM, air, tilt, cruise, automatic. $4050. Call 697-8044.

1983 CHEVY Silverado. Blue, new tires, new paint, new interior. Would have to see to appreciate. $6250. 682-9804.

1980 CHEVROLET Silverado ½ ton pickup, loaded, 56,000 miles, above excellent condition. $2,995. 697-8755.

1978 DODGE van, 318 standard transmission, captain chairs, in good running condition. $2500. 697-3542.

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1967 FORD pickup. One owner. Runs good. Great for student. $600. Call 699-4719 or 694-3270

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OVER-FINANCED? Lost job? Divorced? Need someone to assume your loan? We have pre-qualified buyers through our company to assume loans. 697-0323.

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One Mack Kill truck, three Mack Vacuum truck. Call 915-758-9215.

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1987 TOYOTA 4 X 4. Alloy wheels, automatic, air, AM/FM cassette, tilt wheel. Beige paint, low miles. Excellent condition inside and out. Adult driven. $11,800. Call 697-4051 for Tim.

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1985 FORD F-150 Super Cab 4 x 4 XLT. Power steering power brakes, tilt, A/C, rear bench, dual tanks and more. $7,500. Call 697-7097.

330 4-Wheel Drive Vehicles

1983 BLAZER, K-5 Silverado, black & silver. One owner, 55,000 miles. Wholesale priced at $5750. 699-0102.

1982 BRONCO XLT 4x4 - 63,000 miles, cruise, electric windows, AM/FM cassette. 688-1147, 563-5658 after 5:30.

1974 CJ5. Soft top, 32,000 actual miles, new tires. Tip top condition, $3250. 684-0824.

1984 4X4 BLAZER, 56,000, all power. New 12-15 tires. New Pioneer Super tuner, 305 V-8, $8000. 687-2803.

340 Motorcycles

1980 200 TWIN STAR Honda with two helmets. Needs tune up & tags. 6813 miles. Sacrifice $275. 108 West Shandon, 686-0280.

1986 HONDA Shadow 1100 in mint condition. Runs great! $2700. Call 756-2461, Stanton.

1986 HONDA Interceptor 500 - excellent condition, 2,400 miles, 2 helmets, and luggage. $2,000. Philip, 683-5705.

1985 YAMAHA 600XT, 420 actual miles, Excellent condition. Street legal. $1500. 699-0578, after 5.

1983 HONDA 1100 Super Sport, Red, Excellent condition, 11,000 miles. $1250. 699-0243.

1981 GPZ 1100 KAWASAKI, 17,000 miles, $1200. Please call 694-1254. Can be seen: 47018 Harvard.

1971 BMW R75/5 - low mileage, excellent condition. $900 or offer. Call 697-9555.

LIKE New Honda Magna: 10,000 Adult miles. Many extras, $1650. Call 694-2729.

345 Campers and Trailers

TERRY'S Trailers. We have all sizes Utility and Equipment Trailers for sale and rent. 1310 S. Big Springs. 688-5198.

11' CABOVER Camper. Sleeps 6, air conditioned, self contained, extra clean. 4 mounted hydralic jacks. $800. Call 699-1683 or 697-0908.

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1981 HURRICANE 20' deck boat with V-8 inboard/outboard Mercruiser, hummingbird depth finder, power steering, downrigger, top, cover and tandem axle trailer with chrome wheels. 684-6216.

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HYDRA SPORT bass boat, 17', 115 hpMercury outboard motor, 12-24 volt, 40 lb. thrust trolling motor, $2500. 694-6501. 4408 Roosevelt.

1977 ARROWGLASS Javalan, 115 Mercury, fish finder, dilly trailer, $3500. Call 697-4437.

360 Boats and Motors

19' BAJA Jet Boat. 403 Olds - Berkeley pump. Needs new upholstery. $2500 or best offer. Phone 684-5470.

QUACHITA flat bottom, 25 hp Mercury outboard with bass seats and trolling motor. Many extras. $1250. 697-2613, 682-1587.

370 Airplanes

1978 TURBO Arrow III, Intercooler, Full IFR, Dual KX170B, KRB6ADF, KT76A Trans., KN62ADME, KMA20 Audio Panel, Auto Control, IIIB, 1600TT, 170SMOH, New prop, New Turbocharger, Part 135 maintained, Recent Annual & Paint. Always Hangared, and based in dry climate area. No Damage History. (915)687-0333 or (915)682-5229.

1980 PIPER Dakota (235 hp) 1192 total time, 4-89 annual. No damage. IIIB auto pilot (2 King 170B) King ADF, DME, transponder, audio panel. Rich Air Company 563-2033.

PIPER Cherokee 180, 770 SMOH, Bendix radio, DME, TXP. $18,500. Call Fred 563-4409.

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390 Auto Parts and Accessories

1978 MONTE Carlo. Selling all parts very cheap. See behind Tower Road Cafe (On I-20 & Midkiff).

PARTING Out four door 1981 Cougar. Electric velour seats. C-4 Transmission. Doors and other parts. Also, 1959 Ford Pickup, automatic transmission. 3519 W. Illinois, 699-7160.

405 Garage/Yard Sales

WE BUY GOOD USED FURNITURE!
JOHN'S FURNITURE & SWAP SHOP
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2910 W. WALL
DAVE'S TRADING POST
Buy - Sell - Trade - 697-2488
New & Used furniture and appliances. Now in stock 3 used stack washer and dryer sets. Refrigerators, gas & electric ranges, dinettes, bedding, 2 used sleepers, sofa sets, chest of drawers, 6 used bedroom sets, down draft air conditioner. Too much to list.
OPEN MEMORIAL DAY!

TRADE Village Flea Market: 2905 Rankin Hwy. Antiques, jewelry, snack bar, rooms available. Open Friday, Saturday. Sunday: 9 - 6.

CRIB, dressing table, infant clothes and toys. Microwave and cart. Queen headboard with frame, yard tools, kitchen and bath items. Thursday - Saturday. 3903 Roosevelt.

GARAGE Sale at Church of God, 5300 Thomason. Friday 8:00 - 5:00, Saturday 8:00 - 1:00. Behind church in gym.

3526 SEABOARD. Bicycle, baby clothes & furniture, clothes, stove top & oven, ski equipment, couch, toys, miscellaneous. Thursday & Friday.

STORAGE Sale. Too many things to list. Prices - cheap, need to clear out. Open 8 am. Corner of Carter & 'I' Street.

ANTIQUE quilt, mirror, tops. Gun case, rattan bar and stools, rattan dining set, six chairs, color TV, captain chairs, hammock, desk, glassware, crafts, collectibles, lots more. Saturday, June 3. 8:45. 2302 Cimmaron. No Early Sales!

3019 FREDNA PLACE (off Dengar). Friday & Saturday, 9 - 4. Adult clothing, baby items, recliner, some furniture.

BIG GARAGE SALE
Rained out last time
Open again Thursday, 9 - 4
Little bit of everything!
Baby items, lamp fixtures, maternity clothes, miscellaneous.
1 Mile East on County Rd. 132 off Rankin Hwy

GARAGE Door opener, TV, lamps, baby walkers, booster seats, freezer, water cooler, play pen, weight bench and weights, wood shutter, bicycle, dinette set, book shelve, pictures, skateboard, table, NEC 3550 Printer, used carpet. Men/ women/ childrens clothes and shoes, toys and games, miscellaneous. 2310 Gulf, Thursday to Saturday.

2502 NEELY. Thursday - Saturday 9-6. Electric fans, fluorescent light fixtures, picnic coolers, 3 phase electric motors, six man raft, sprinklers, radio equipment, sporting goods, furniture, area rugs, household goods, clothes, shoes, jewelry, portable dishwasher and gas range.

GARAGE Sale starts Thursday Only, 8AM. Porch swing, drapes, dishes, shutters, sheets, good clothing, knick-knacks, miscellaneous. Reasonably priced, no checks. 1307 W. Kentucky.

YARD sale behind 3409 Andrews Highway. Baby bed, table, desk, cradle, changing table. Wednesday - Saturday.

TWO FAMILIES plus. Motorcycle, boats, car, furniture, books, clothes, fishing equipment and miscellaneous. Thursday - Saturday 9 - 5. 3324 Haynes (in back).

MULTI-family garage sale 310 South Weatherford Corner of Weatherford and Kentucky 7 to 5 Thursday - Saturday Appliances, hardware, tools, glassware, cloths, stereo, furniture, lots of miscellaneous.

SINGER
Repossessed sewing machine. Does Everything....button holes, sews on buttons, monograms, etc. Sold for $629, now $178 cash.
See At Your New Singer Store!
20A Village Circle
(Village Shopping Center)

410 Miscellaneous Sales

2000 GALLON gasoline tank with electric pump and on skids. Motorcycle and trailer. Excercise bench. 683-2543.

ICECREAM/ YOGART machine. Six year old Taylor. Excellent working condition. $4700. Phone 694-4066.

SANDRA'S THRIFT SHOP, 3414 Thomason. Garage sale items at garage sale prices. Furniture, appliances, glassware and ceramics, silk flower arrangements, tool sets, miscellaneous.

USED CARPET, commercial and residential, vinyl, used pad. Camper shell. Wheel chair, like new, $150. Warehouse full. 2215 West Florida #96 or 682-5532.

SALVAGE & Surplus Building Supplies. Solid doors, $20; ½" wafer board, $5; windows, $20 and up; also plumbing and electrical supplies. West Texas Largest Surplus Building Materials Center. 3016 W. Front, 689-6586.

HAS YOUR WATER GOT YOU BOTTLED UP?
I have a new system that brings clean water to your tap. For only 3¢ per gallon, now who can beat that? No bottles to carry, no filters to change, Just give me a call, I can arrange.
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4 ROUNDTRIP Fun Fare tickets, Midland Ontario, California, (LA area) Departs June 17th, returns June 24th. $456. Call 697-2512, after 1 pm.

4 Michelin 205 x 75 x 14 tires, $100; Shop vacuum, $10; Bumper hitch, $20; Heavy old bathtub, $10. Call 694-6037.

DOUBLE Bed and frame, $35. Weights and bench, $20. Junior golf clubs and bags, $45. 683-8186.

OIL Of Mink. ½ Off of retail. Call 699-5901

MANUAL hospital bed, wheelchair (extra wide). Both one year old. Call 682-1472.

4 Dinette chairs new $25 ea. Drapes 84x65 $25. 1-way draw drapes, 88x81 $20. 3519 W Illinois 699-7160.

ENCYCLOPEDIA Brittanica Set 88 Version, black leather bound, oak bookcase. $1200. 699-1347, message.

AUSTRALIA - round trip airline ticket from Midland in August. $1000. Call Weekdays only 335-4544 for details.

GARDEN Tractor, International Cub, $475. Sears upright freezer, $150. Call 683-8178.

MOVING Must Sell - Big Screen TV, 45" Zenith, beautiful picture quality, 1 year left on extended service agreement, $1500. Pioneer stereo cassette tape deck and turn table, Technics AM/FM tuner, equalizer, amplifier with 2 JBL speakers. $500 Call 687-5332 or 697-7233.

TELEPHONES - for home or office. Tandy, two-line, multi-feature, less than one year old. Four at $40 each, one or all for $160. 687-2101 weekdays.

NINTENDO with 10 games and 19 inch color TV. All for $400. 9' X 15' trampoline, $150. 685-0835.

12' TRAMPOLINE, one year old, $200 firm. Call 683-5189 or after 5, 694-1418.

2 ROUND trip tickets to Orlando, Florida. Regularly, $575, selling for $400. 699-4719 or 694-3270.

ONE DAY ONLY!
Thursday, June 1st!
4716 ERIE
8 am - 4 pm
Everything goes!
Furniture, baby clothes, assorted household items, lots of miscellaneous.

415 Miscellaneous Wanted

WANTED to buy or trade old or new baseball cards. Will pay top price. After 6, 362-8446.

420 Good Things To Eat

SEAFOOD. FRESH & FROZEN. SHRIMP, LOBSTER, KING CRAB, AND MUCH MORE. TRY OUR ITALIAN SHRIMP SAUCE. CAPTAIN FR...NK'S SEAFOOD. 1528 OLIVER. 682-3883.

FRESH picked blackberries and turnip greens. $1.50 - ½ pint, $2.50 pint. Call 563-3521 for directions or delivery.

430 Household Goods

GOOD used appliances. Whirlpool, GE, Maytag & more. Guaranteed 30 days. Call 687-0823.

USED washers, dryers, freezers, refrigerators, cook tops, built-in ovens, stoves. 30 day warranty. Trade-ins welcome. 682-5553, 700 S. Pecos.

USED washers and dryers for sale. Also buy non-working washers and dryers. Call 694-5350.

GLASS table without chairs, chrome and glass, like new. Two recliners, $50 a piece. One loveseat, $100. Commercial freezer, excellent shape, asking $250. 686-9224.

USED washers, dryers, stoves, refrigerators and TVs. Guaranteed. $75 and up. Call Gary at 686-8702.

BABY BED, $95; dryer, $50; refrigerator, $200; desk and credenza, $100; changing table, $65. 694-4417.

WE need good used furniture and we pay extra. Call Jake's New And Used for estimate. 1409 N. Big Spring. 683-3443.

USED CARPET. 128 yards, earth-tone, $2.00 per yard with pad. 694-4050, after 5.

WHIRLPOOL Washer & Dryer, $200. Sears (Open Home Desk), $100. Call 687-5752, leave message.

BILL'S New & Used Furniture. We would like to buy your used furniture. Call 687-5966.

FREEZER, Sears Coldspot 19.5 cubic foot upright frostless, white. Good working order. $269. 2200 Bedford or Call 684-4347.

SOFA, beige, good condition, $250. 72" Long. Call 683-2553.

430 Household Goods

CARPET - 37 yards, used, wool, loop twist. Antique white. Professionally cleaned, $125 cash. Call 682-7438.

ALMOND Colored Upright Freezer for sale. Very reasonable. Please call 685-3745.

HEAVY dark wood table and 6 chairs with upholstered seats. Hand carved legs. $249. Call 694-5527.

GENERAL Electric Continuous Clean stove. Stainless steel top, only 6 month old. Also dishwasher and washing machine. 697-0193.

MOVING boxes for sale. Assorted sizes. Will sell all or part. Call 697-1420.

COUCH, 2 chairs, Vase & Son antique piano. Call 694-8498.

GOOD SELECTION
of used refrigerators, side by side, top and bottom freezers, used washer, dryers, and ranges completely reconditioned and guaranteed for 6 months. We buy working and non-working appliances. We make service calls.
Wood & Son Appliance
2420 West Front
687-1224

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ONE twin sized bed set, Ortho-deluxe, almost new, $100. Call 685-3029.

See Today's "TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY" on page 2B
682-6222
Reporter-Telegram Classified

NAVY sectional sofa, $350; Day beds with table, $200; baby bed, $75; 2 orange wing back chairs, $175. 699-5888.

COOK Stove, range hood, refrigerator, double sink with garbage disposal. Call 699-7926.

KING size waterbed complete with heater. Seven piece dinette, excellent condition. Five piece dinette. Game table. King size bedspread. Double recliner. Bedroom suite, four pieces. Water distiller. Exercise bicycles. Regulation pool table. Six chairs - no table, upholstered, pecan. ETC. Call 697-1911.

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BUY, Sell, Trade. New and used furniture and appliances. Call 682-9395, seven days a week.

SECTIONAL queen sleeper couch, good condition, paid $1100 new, three years old. $250 or BO. All wood dinner table and large coffee table, over sized chair, $10 each. 689-9806.

WICKER Baby cradle, $100. Baby swing, $25. Infant car seat & cover, $20. Baby sling, $25. 682-1769.

KING size waterbed, night stand and chest of drawers. $200 firm. Call 686-0033.

KINGSIZE waveless waterbed, bookcase headboard, six storage drawers underneath. $200. 699-0665.

REDECORATING Sale. Buff, cinnamon, and green floral Trellis print couch, loveseat and matching tablecloth. $350. Call 699-4823 after 6.

440 Firewood

"TERRY'S FIREWOOD" Mesquite - $105. Oak - $125. Cut to order. Call 694-8646, 687-0906.

450 Sporting Goods

JIM'S Golf Club Repair. Regrip $3.25; Reshaft $12.50; Refinish $16.50. Custom Clubs. Low prices. 3115 Haynes, 694-1334.

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USED exercise equipment. Treadmills, rowers, weight machines, etc. Save $. 697-3622.

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POOL Table - One piece slate, regulation size. In great condition, $500. Call 694-0197 after 6 pm.

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GOLF clubs, brand new. McGregor, Jack Nicklas model. 3 iron through pitching wedge, $195. 685-7484 8 AM - 5 PM weekdays.

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460 Antiques and Art

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PIANO - 1908 Lester upright grand, dark wood, good condition, $400. Call 684-4287 9 am - 4 pm only.

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PIANO - Mid-size (Gulbranson), good condition. $750. Violin-full size, (Karl Knilling) with deluxe carrying case, like new. $400. 697-4813 after 5.

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200M Lens 80-210 for 35mm camera (srew in mount), carring case included. Call 683-5947. $75.00

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495 For Free

FREE kittens. 2½ months old. 2 solid white and 1 tiger type. Call 697-3450, after 5 pm.

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500 Pets and Supplies

AKC Shih Tzu puppies. Mother and Dad on premises. Call 694-4864, or 694-7687.

AKC COCKER Spaniel puppies, champion bloodline, tri-colored, shots, $100. 694-4930.

AKC LHASA APSO puppies, 11 weeks old. 1 female, 1 male. Ready now! Adoption fee $100. Call 682-5346 or 683-0856.

NON-REGISTERED Weimaraner. 6 months old, male. $50. Call 689-9362.

AKC BASSETT Hound Puppies. Tri-colored, six weeks old. Only three left. Call 694-7240.

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KEMVALSHOF Rottweilers - 1 male, 2 females. Show quality pups. Champion sired with imported Dam. Written guarantee. 699-1473

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LOVABLE Cougar Cubs for sale, makes perfect pets. Exotic cat den. Call 652-8525.

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"DOG DAYS OF SUMMER"
presented by the
Midland Christian Women's Club
Greentree Country Club
Tuesday, June 6, 1989
11:30 am - 1:30 pm
Cost is $10
Program:
"Who's In The Doghouse?"
by Virginia Talbot & Delores Judd, S.P.C.A.
"Tailwagging Tunes"
by Judy Stone, outstanding musician/ soloist
"Something To Howl About"
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Reservations Essential by Monday, June 5
Call Phyllis 694-5600 or Genell 683-3717
Free Nursery available for luncheon at Northwestern Baptist Church.

AKC Registered Cocker puppies. 1 male, 2 females. Buff and white, $100. 694-0907 or after 5 - 697-8244

REGISTERED Persians for sale. 5 Generation papers plus, call 697-3441 after 5 pm.

AKC GERMAN SHORTHAIR POINTER puppies. 6 weeks old, 3 males, 1 female. Champion parents. 563-0212 after 6 & weekends.

PERSIAN kittens 3 white males, 1 blue smoked female, 6 weeks old. Call 687-5478 or 684-8264.

REGISTERED 4 month old female Rat Terrier, loves kids, dog house included. $100. Call 563-9131.

14 WEEK Old Blue Heeler for sale, $125 firm, serious inquiries only. Call 684-0985.

DOGHOUSES. Four sizes. Dependable building materials. Always at your service. Andy's Lumber Company, 682-8294 or 682-1801.

AKC BOXER Pups: 6 Weeks old, have shots, brindles and fawns. $200. Gardendale, 362-7904.

AKC COCKER Spaniel Puppies, 1 male first shots. Buff colored, $100. Call 699-4206.

LAST chance. AKC old English sheepdog puppies, 4 months old, $25.00. 694-7148.

AKC registered Dashchund puppies, black and tan, $125. Call Big Lake 1-884-2698.

AKC SHELTIE Puppies: Beautifully marked, 8 weeks old, shots and wormed. Call 694-9480.

505 Livestock and Poultry

ARABIAN Horses for sale. Reasonably priced. Call 366-6594.

FRESH cut baled Alfalfa Hay for sale. Call 756-3682 in Stanton.

HUNTER Jumper/ English Prospect, AQHA 5 year old 16 hands Sorrel Gelding. Green broke. (915)394-4275.

FRESH Cut Alfalfa hay for sale. Take a child fishing, new load of catfish. 683-8114 or 683-6805.

12 MARCH - May, Two year old Bugs Alive race bred, been in training 4 months. Excellent race, barrel, halter, cutting horse prospects. 1 - Zevi three year old AAA Stallion. Contact Ben Wester, 699-1878, 682-1808.

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Mary has a varied background including 10 years as a single parent which helps her to understand the many different needs that people have.

According to Mary, some of the best features of Westpark Apartments include: happy residents, great location, sparkling clean pools, covered parking, 1-2- & 3 bedroom apartments in a variety of floorplans, and 24-hour maintenance. Mary says, "...our residents call it home without the hassle."

To get acquainted, call 687-4514.

Shelby Concotelli

Oakridge Apartments **4400 N. Holiday Hill Rd.**

Shelby Concotelli has managed apartments in Dallas, Garland and now in Midland since 1981. Shelby is employed by Alamo Property Management and invites everyone to get acquainted with Oakridge Apartments. Oakridge, she says, "...offers the benefits of a contemporary community...seclusion and the freedom to live as you like where you have all the privacy of the country with easy accessibility to the city."

The many amenities at Oakridge plus pool parties, Holiday Cheer, and $100 resident referral bonuses make it an obvious choice if you're looking for a sophisticated apartment community.

According to Shelby, the ultimate goal for the Oakridge staff is to provide quality customer care for Oakridge's quality customers. Call us at 699-7435.

Erin Roberts

Midland Elms **3601 Andrews Hwy.**

Midland Elms resident manager is Erin Roberts. She has been with Benchmark Properties for 1 year. Midland Elms is a member of The Midland Apartment Association. Erin believes the residents are top priority and does everything she can to make her community a happy one.

Midland Elms offers wonderful amenities including 2 wading pools, 2 tennis courts and a large sparkling swimming pool. The long term residents of Midland Elms enjoy a newsletter reminding them of barbeques, pool parties, Early Bird Rent Payment and residential referrals.

The residents are friendly and are a part of a big family that enjoy each other and their home at Midland Elms. Give Erin a call at 694-9655 to join the "Family" at Midland Elms.

Guy McKenzie
Diana Urrutia, Shea Wood

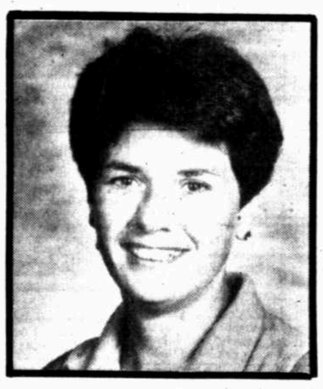
The Junction **1902 N. Midland Dr.**

The staff at The Junction Apartments is Guy McKenzie, Resident Manager; Shea Wood, Assistant Manager; Diana Urrutia, Leasing and Neva Ellison, Weekend Leasing, (Not pictured).

The Junction offers many social activities, 24 hour maintenenace, 24 hour courtesy officer and is convenient to Loop 250, highways and downtown. They also have a beautiful pool area, gazebo and a clubroom available for residents.

At least once a month the Junction has a get together for the residents, continental breakfasts, barbeques, pool parties, Hawaiian Luau's to name just a few. The newsletter helps residents get to know one another and reminds them of current activities.

For the best apartment value for your dollar, and $100 off a 2 bedroom apartment, call the caring staff at The New Junction 699-5168.



Diane Holmberg

Garden Court Apartments **2301 N. Pecos**

Diane Holmberg is the resident manager of Garden Court Apartments located at 2301 N. Pecos (just off Neely) close to downtown Midland.

Diane moved to Midland 1½ years ago from Denver, Colorado with her husband, John, a division order analyst for Texaco, and their 16 month old daughter, Allison. Diane has been involved in fundraising events for Junior Achievement and the American Heart Association.

According to Diane, residents of Garden Court enjoy the quality environment and the overall convenience to shopping, various leisure activities, downtown and Claydesta. Garden Court offer amenities including fireplaces, walk-in closets, built in bookcases, washer and dryer hookups, tennis courts and a swimming pool. Many of the apartments have private yards which are ideal for people with pets and those who desire a touch of privacy on the outside.

A newsletter keeps residents informed of complex activities, resident referral programs, move-in specials, senior citizen discounts and other interesting news from this U.S. Shelter property.

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LEASE or sale. 4 bedroom, 3 bath, 2 garage on cul-de-sac. Excellent neighborhood. $1000 monthly, $1000 deposit. Selling price, $108,000. Call 697-8340.

EXECUTIVE Home in Old Midland, 4 bedroom, 2½ bath, 2 living area. $1100 monthly. Agent 687-2558.

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$200 MONTHLY, water paid, $100 deposit. Two bedroom, stove, refrigerator, carpet, mini-blinds. No pets. Rear house, 909 West Kentucky. 699-2569.

CENTRAL Location: 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, dining room, range, laundry, central heat/ air, $525. 685-3327.

DUPLEX: Two bedroom. 3310 Douglas, $275 Monthly. Deposit required. 682-8286, 694-2153, 682-2005.

CUSTOM three bedroom, two bath. Cul-de-sac. One owner. Very clean. $860. 694-9911.

JULY Home - Wydewood: Fresh executive 3 bedrooms, 1¾ baths, vaulted ceiling, fireplace, double garage. 685-3327.

EXECUTIVE Four bedroom, two bath home. Large den, formal dining, sunroom with hot tub. Excellent location on cul-de-sac. $1000 Monthly. Call Dave Walker Realtors 694-7444.

1802 W. WASHINGTON. 2 bedroom, Security deposit required, $325 monthly. 683-5161.

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HORSES! Corals! 5 minutes down town. 4 bedroom, 2 living. Bowie, $700 monthly, deposit. 683-5966.

DUPLEX: 1650 Square feet. Three Bedroom, two bath, fireplace, covered parking, Haynes Street. 697-3038.

TWO BEDROOMS, one bath. Close to Senior Citizen Center, $250 monthly. Deposit required. 682-0977, 683-7872.

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DUPLEXES: washer, dryer, carport. 4809A Cuthbert, two bedroom with fireplace. 4805B Cuthbert, one bedroom. 697-2639.

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RENT Or Sell. Three bedroom, one bath, 4620 Commanche or 4710 Commanche. Deposit. 683-3998.

3511 THOMAS, 3 bedroom, 1½ bath, $425 plus $200 deposit; 1212 W. Ohio, 2 bedroom, 1 bath, $295 plus $200 deposit; 1212 W. Ohio - rear 1 bedroom apartment, $115. Call 694-6037.

NICE two bedroom, carport, backyard fence, freshly painted. $250 Monthly. 3221 Delano. Call 682-5798, 683-9408.

1521 S. DALLAS. Three bedroom, security deposit required. $355 monthly. Call 683-5161.

EXECUTIVE townhouse: three bedroom, 2½ bath two story, approximately 2,000 square feet, two car garage, $750 a month. Talk to Willa Dean Berry, Dene Kelly Realtors Apartment Placement, 687-2384, evenings 683-5450.

THREE bedroom, two bath, two car garage. $570 a month. Call after 5, 687-3533.

THREE bedroom, one bath, garage, stove, refrigerator, mini-blinds. 4604 Comanche. $325. $200 deposit. 694-5527.

NICE 2 bedroom duplex, first months rent ½ price. $240 monthly. 2128 Mitchell. Call Sarah 684-6822 or Brian 684-5729.

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Canyon Creek — 5244 N. Loop 250

Canyon Creek's resident manager is LuAnn Fonteno. Although new to Canyon Creek, she has worked in the Midland/Odessa area for the past 2 years. Prior to her arrival in Midland, she worked in the property management & marketing fields in the Houston area for 7 years.

Canyon Creek is an active member in the Apartment Association on both a state & local level and a member of the Midland Chamber of Commerce.

The professional, friendly staff at Canyon Creek cares about their residents. Residents enjoy living in a clean, quiet atmosphere and take pride in their plush landscaping, 2 swimming pools, clubhouse and many other extras.

The monthly newsletter informs residents of activities that are planned each month including: happy hours, pool parties, cook-outs and covered dish parties. The Social director for children has a wide variety of activities for them as well: bowling, movies, seminars on safety, arts & crafts, and various field trips.

Early Bird Contest, Resident Referral Contest and Buddy Bucks all just a few of the extras the residents enjoy at Canyon Creek. Call LuAnn for your tour of Canyon Creek 699-7246 and enjoy affordable living.

LuAnn Fonteno

Midland Village — 2433 Whitmire Blvd.

Michelle Smith is the manager of Midland Village at 2433 Whitmire. Midland Village is managed by Epoch Managment Corp. Michelle has been in property management for 5 years. She is also a licensed Real Estate broker. Midland Village is a member of the Midland Apartment Association and a member of the Midland Chamber of Commerce.

Midland Village is famous for it's friendly, family oriented atmosphere. The quiet surroundings include a large duck pond as well as a fishing pond.

Midland Village offers activities for adults as well as the children that live there. Bingo, movies, pool parties, etc. and when you renew your lease you receive new apartment accessories. The monthly newsletter informs residents of special events, residential referrals and lots of fun reading.

Michelle says, "We are a warm, friendly community where everyone knows one another. Whether you are single or are married with children, you have a family here in the community!" Let Michelle show you how you can be a part of this wonderful lifestyle. Call 683-9726.

Michelle Smith

Hyde Park — 3329 W. Wadley

V.E. McFarling is the resident manager of Hyde Park. He has been at Hyde Park since it's opening in 1977. Professionally managed by Benchmark Properties Hyde Park offers much to it's residents.

Plenty of inside storage, large spacious 3 bedroom apartments with some of the largest closets in town.

Hyde Park is beautifully landscaped and offers tennis & volleyball courts, a playground for the children and a weight room and sauna. Another feature is the large laundry, only 25¢.

Call 697-4149 for your preview to fine living at Hyde Park.

V.E. McFarling

Sierra Paseo — 3417 N. Midland Dr.

Debbe Harrell is Leasing Consultant at Sierra Paseo, 3417 N. Midland Dr. Sierra Paseo is owned & managed by Borden & Company. Debbe was formerly with Westpark Apartments before joining the friendly staff at Sierra Paseo.

The prestige & convenience of Sierra Paseo is enjoyed by the resident. Amenities include: 2 pools, a weight room, and tennis courts.

Read all about the volleyball tournaments, the pool parties and cook-outs in the monthly newsletter.

Debbe is a professional who enjoys her job as a leasing consultant. She will be eager to show you the 5 floor plans available, tell you about the 24 hour maintenance, and show you around this family oriented community. Call her today at 697-2242 so you can get on the "Fast Track" at Sierra Paseo.

Debbe Harrell

Thornwood Apartments — 2601 North "A"

Janna Weyandt is the local manager of the Thornwood Apartments located at 2601 North 'A' Street. She has been the on-site manager of the property for the past 4½ years under the direction of Trammel Crow Residential Services. Janna is active in the community and currently serves on the Board of Directors of the Midland Apartment Association and the Midland Chamber of Commerce M-Squad.

Janna feels the large floor plans found at Thornwood is the primary reason so many people choose Thornwood as their apartment home. Recreational facilities such as tennis courts, a volleyball court, basketball court and swimming pool are widely used by all residents.

The entire management staff is dedicated to providing personalized service and 24 hour maintenance to this small community. A monthly newsletter is published to keep all residents informed of parties, summer pool activities and resident referral programs.

Thornwood Apartments may very well be the place you'll find the greatest neighbors in Midland. Call Janna and her staff today at 682-5381 and find out what's in store for you at Thornwood Apartments in Midland.

Janna Weyandt

625 Houses Unfurnished

LARGE TWO bedroom house. Close to downtown. 804 West Michigan, $400 available June 1st. Call 684-0805.

2307 HAYNES. Duplex, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, living/ dining combination, fireplace, kitchen built-ins, utility room, central heat & air, double carport. $525. 687-0035.

419 WEST NEELY, Duplex, 2 bedroom, 1½ bath, huge master, living/ dining combination, fireplace, ceiling fans, kitchen built-ins, refrigerator, central heat & air, utility room, covered double carport, small enclosed backyard, $350, $150 deposit. 687-0035.

EXECUTIVE HOME FOR LEASE

Executive home near Goddard and Emerson available June 30th. 2823 Emerson Place. 3600 sq ft. 4 bedroom, 2½ baths, formal living and dining, paneled den with fireplace and wet bar, huge game room, all built-ins, ceiling fans, sprinkler system, garage door opener. Must see to believe, $850 plus $300 deposit. Barragan Property Management, 687-0035.

WESTSIDE, 2705 W. Kentucky. Two bedroom, 1 bath, carport, refrigerated air, stove, $300 monthly, deposit $150. Call Below Real Estate, Odessa, 366-4558.

THREE Bedroom, 1½ bath; new carpet, new paint, $400 plus deposit. Call 694-7371 or 694-2832.

625 Houses Unfurnished

TWO BEDROOMS, 1 bath, 1500 square feet, total electric, refrigerated air, 8 foot fenced backyard, 2301 West Cuthbert. Close to Hospital & shopping centers. $425 monthly. Call Carol Gordon 458-3217, Stanton, 682-6204.

2 BEDROOM, 2 bath duplex. $330 a month, $200 deposit. 414 Marianna. Call 694-3941 after 4 pm.

LOVELY 3 bedroom, 2 bath home in "Old Midland", 1206 Bedford, 2 minutes from downtown. Great family neighborhood, $800/mo. If interested call 685-3562. REFERENCES REQUIRED.

SMALL 3 bedroom house in Midland. Stove and refrigerator furnished, $260 per month. Deposit and references. Call 333-4497 for appointment.

NICE three bedroom, one bath, central heat and air, stove, refrigerator, microwave. $400 a month. Call Willa Dean Berry, Dene Kelly Realtors Apartment Placement 687-2384, evenings 683-5450.

TWO BEDROOM house, 2209 West Kentucky, (Near Dennis the Menace Park). $225 monthly, $125 deposit. 697-0614.

4511 ROOSEVELT, Clean, brick 3 bedroom, 1½ bath, $450 monthly plus deposit. Action Realty, 694-4814.

625 Houses Unfurnished

$300 WATER paid. $100 deposit. Like new, no pets. Refrigerator, range. 911 W. Kentucky. 699-2569.

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Westside and Northwest Locations. Ref. air. Fireplaces. Fresh paint. Water paid. $450 - $550 per month.

694-9663

ONE bedroom duplex, four blocks north of Midland High. Stove and refrigerator furnished, carpeted, evaporative air conditioning. No pets please. Call 682-0605.

LARGE one bedroom duplex. New paint, carpet. Water paid. $200 monthly. 682-5629 after 6 pm.

IDEAL for couple or small family. Large two bedroom brick, refrigerated air, garage, fenced. Deposit required. $325 monthly. 712 W. Storey. 682-5629.

FOR LEASE. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 living areas. 1850 square feet. Lee/ Rusk. $600 monthly. 686-9807 days, 683-0020 nights/ weekends.

THREE bedroom, 1½ bath, central air, storage building, stove, refrigerator. Henderson School. $450 monthly. 699-4100.

3806 CRESTLINE. Available July 1st. Four bedroom, three bath, double garage with openers. $1200 monthly. Call 563-0107 between 8 am & 5 pm.

625 Houses Unfurnished

FOUR BEDROOM, two story, ½ acre yard. $350 monthly. Available July 1st. Call 685-0502.

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TWO Bedroom, one bath, furnished including washer & dryer, garden privileges. Greenwood district. Call 684-5920.

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665 Business Property, Offices For Rent

OFFICE space rental: Downtown location, approximately 3500 sq ft, covered parking. Call 687-1664.

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RUIDOSO. Lovely three bedroom, two bath cabin, fully equipped, $75 per day. 694-2482 or 684-6989.

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690 Oil and Gas Leases

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710 Open Houses

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FHA non-qualifying assumption, low down. Three bedroom, 1½ baths, brick. West Mercedes Drive. After 5:30 pm 694-7954.

GREENTREE. By owner. Three bedrooms, two living, 2½ baths, study, paneling. Sprinklers, covered patio. 6300 Driftwood, 2585 square feet, $137,500. 694-1945, 699-7546.

BY OWNER: large corner lot. Two bedroom, 1 bath, fenced, garage, utility area, central air/ heat, ceiling fans, refrigerator, stove, washer/ dryer. $33,000. 8 - 5 688-4876, after 5 694-3321.

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$45,000
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ASSUMPTION

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BY OWNER. Assume 9¾% ARM. $1,100 down, $1,100 a month. Clean 4 bedroom, 2 living area, nice yard. Plantation Hills - Santa Rita school. 682-9117.

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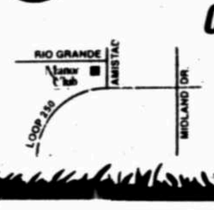

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