

Kay Hutchison of Dallas is getting off to an early start in her campaign for state treasurer.

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Midland High's Doug McCutchen is one of four finalists for the Duncanville head coaching job.

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Search for 'godfather' spreading

Local officers surprised by nature of killings

By PATRICK CRIMMINS
Staff Writer

Discoveries that Mexican drug dealers practiced killing rites to protect them from investigators quickly became the talk of Midland's law enforcement community. Some officers were surprised, while others confessed that drug-related murders are not unusual.

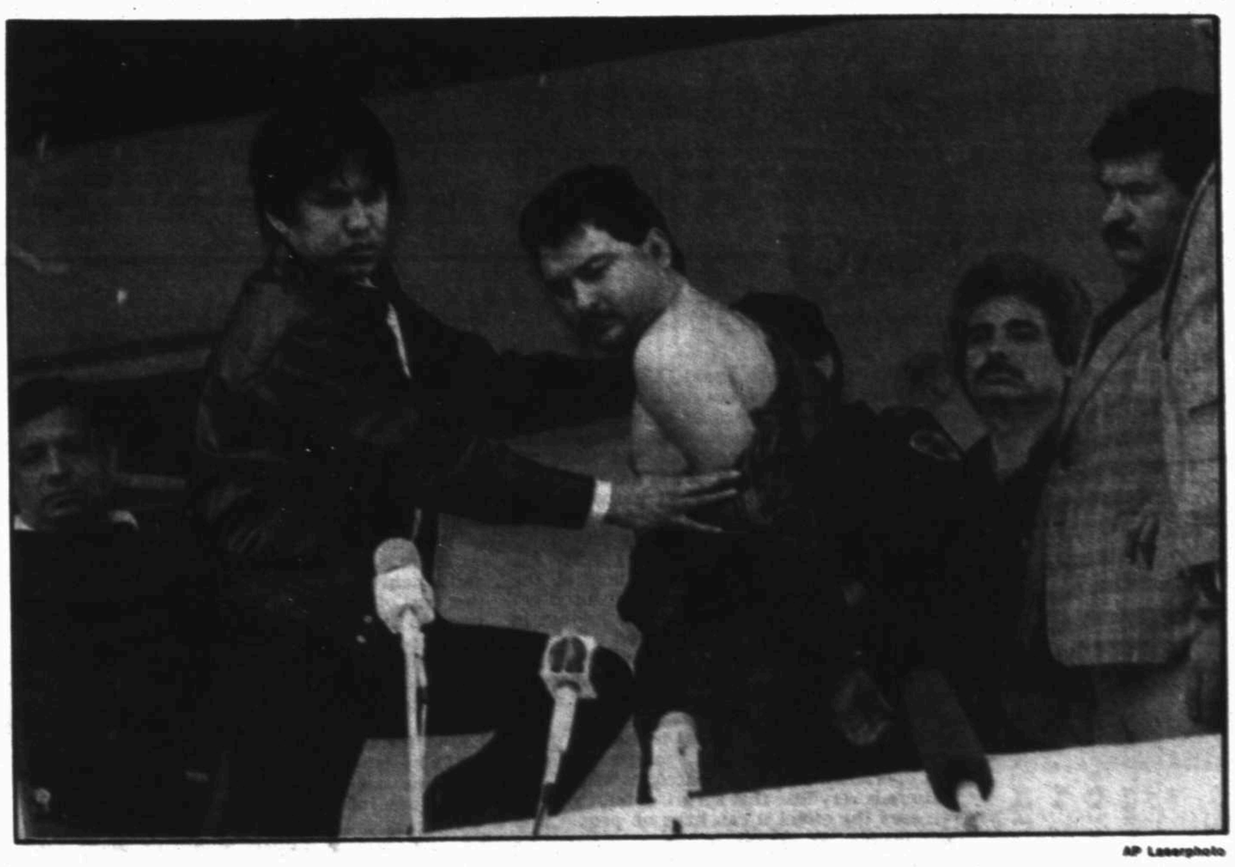
Details of the crimes seemed otherworldly: more than a dozen persons, including a missing University of Texas pre-med student, a young boy and a police officer, were sacrificed and mutilated by the cult members near the border town of Matamoros. They believed the horrid rituals — which included boiling blood and body parts — shielded them from law enforcement agencies, according to investigators.

"Really, I've never heard any intelligence on anything like that before," said Sgt. Larry Bledsoe of the Midland police narcotics unit. "It is not uncommon that murders are drug-related, but this situation, with the rituals, is very uncommon. We have never encountered anything like that."

Bledsoe said officers have received intelligence on Cuban religions — such as the "Santeria" mentioned in the investigation of the Matamoros killings — but only about telltale symbols such as tattoos.

The officer who heads the police intelligence and narcotics unit said at first he found the reports of the killings unbelievable.

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AP Laserphoto

A Mexican police officer, left, pulls a shirt from the shoulders of Elio Hernandez Rivera, a suspect in the Matamoros ritual killings, to show suspected cultic markings.

Cuban leader, 'witch' may have fled into U.S.

MATAMOROS, Mexico (AP) — Authorities conducted an international manhunt today for the "godfather" of a drug-smuggling voodoo cult that allegedly sacrificed and mutilated at least 12 people to make its members invulnerable.

U.S and Mexican authorities were searching for Adolfo de Jesus Constanzo, a Cuban who police said orchestrated the ritual slayings on a remote ranch outside of this Mexican border town.

Constanzo is believed to have fled into the United States with Matamoros resident Sara Maria Aldrete, a 24-year-old, 6-foot-1 brunette described by Texas Attorney General Jim Mattox as the "witch of the operation."

A wanted poster issued by the Cameron County Sheriff's Department in Texas described her as "extremely dangerous. Use caution."

In Miami, television station WPLG reported Wednesday night that Metro-Dade police have been alerted that Constanzo was believed to be heading toward the Florida city.

Also Wednesday, in a manner not seen in the United States, Mexican police individually displayed four of five detained suspects in front of scores of media representatives, who subjected them to a barrage of questions.

"We killed them for protection," said suspect Elio Hernandez Rivera, 22 of Matamoros.

He added that he shot one victim and decapitated another.

Police pulled at Hernandez Rivera's shirt and jacket to show scars on his shoulders and back. One was shaped like an arrow, which authorities said signified he was authorized by the cult to make human sacrifices that were intended as protection from police, bullets or other threats to their drug-smuggling operation.

Hernandez Rivera did not comment on the scars.

Among the group's victims exhumed Tuesday were a Mexican policeman, a federal police volunteer, a 16-year-old boy and Mark Kilroy, a 21-year-old University of Texas premedical student who disappeared March 14 in Matamoros while on spring break.

Mexican police believe two victims were executed as revenge for a drug deal that went bad. Hernandez Rivera said some were killed out of vengeance rather than as sacrifices.

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'Child Lures' includes program on Satanism

By BRIAN PEARSON
Staff Writer

Even kindergarteners need to be aware of satanic cults and other demonic organizations which use and abuse children.

Jeff McKissack stood in front of a class of Rusk Elementary School kindergarten pupils this morning and explained a poster of an evil-looking hooded figure standing before a row of candles. Above the figure were the words, "Magic Ritual."

McKissack, after demonstrating a disappearing act using sponge balls, pointed out that some magic tricks can be dangerous — and even deadly.

As part of Child Lures, a safety awareness program being presented this month at all Midland Independent School District campuses, McKissack includes lessons on satanism and the occult.

The higher the age group, the stronger the dose of information given to the students, said McKissack, who has brought the program to 15 MISD schools so far, including Midland High School and all three junior high schools.

McKissack said that although incidents of cult killings, such as the ones discovered in Matamoros, Mexico this week, aren't widespread, children need to be aware of the possible dangers of being lured into a cult or being the victim of one.

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Yippie dies

A neighbor Wednesday evening found Abbie Hoffman, 52, dead in his New Hope, Pa., apartment. An autopsy will be performed. Please see related story, Page 2A.

Can Wright's advisers minimize the damage?

By VIC OSTROWIDZKI
Hearst Washington Bureau

WASHINGTON — Speaker Jim Wright's advisers are mapping strategy aimed at controlling damage they expect to result from the ethics committee's report into powerful Texan's personal finances.

A source said the group, led by Reps. Martin Frost and Jack Brooks, both Texas Democrats, and Rep. Steny Hoyer, D-Md., will urge Wright to make a national televised address to rebut the charges, now expected to be seriously critical.

The source said final decision on how to deal with the report will not be made until after its release, which could come as early as Friday. The ethics panel is expected to decide that Wright, third in line of succession to the presidency, violated House rules.

Democratic sources said the committee will contend that Wright's wife Betty was paid $18,000 for little work, that 76 separate bulk sales of a book he wrote in 1984 evaded limits on outside income and that a Fort Worth business partner who provided benefits to the Wrights had a "direct interest" in a variety of issues before Congress.

The sources added that the committee has concluded that $100,000 in benefits paid by Fort Worth developer George Mallick to the Wright's, including the salary, amounted to improper gifts.

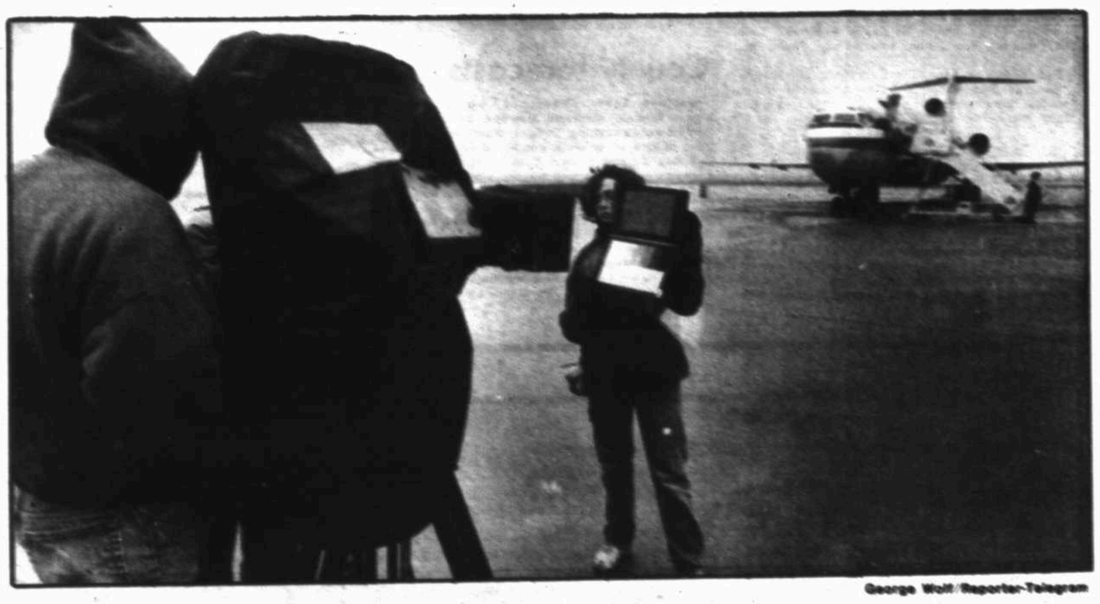
Committee counsel Richard Phelan has argued that Mallick had the direct interest in many pending bills because of his vast real estate and oil and gas holdings.

House rules prohibit members from accepting more than $100 a year in gifts from anyone with a direct interest in legislation before Congress.

In anticipation of potentially damaging findings, Wright's defenders decided in a series of meetings that continued through Wednesday to:

- Paint the case as purely a political vendetta, fueled by jealousy over the speaker's legislative successes.

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George Wolf/Reporter-Telegram

Lights, action ...

A crew member braves this morning's cold, damp weather to conduct a "camera check" before filming a scene for the upcoming TV-movie, "Everybody's Baby: The Rescue of Jessica McClure." The California-based crew was in Midland today to film various locations for the movie, which is to be aired May 21.

Bush outlines ethics plan, won't address speech fees

By MATTHEW C. QUINN
Hearst Washington Bureau

WASHINGTON — President Bush outlined his long-awaited plan for toughening federal ethics rules Wednesday but put off a politically touchy recommendation on whether members of Congress should be stopped from accepting outside speaking fees.

Addressing the annual convention of the American Society of Newspaper Editors, Bush said his ethics plan would "ensure a government as honest as the American people."

Bush's program would impose new standards for members of the executive branch, Congress and the judiciary in an effort to set up what Bush called "equitable standards across all three branches of government."

Bush told the editors: "The American people are troubled when they hear of officials in every branch of government, at whatever level of government, who show a brazen contempt for the letter or spirit of the law."

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INSIDE TODAY

PEOPLE: Kevin Costner takes film about Lt. John Dunbar, frontier soldier, "very personally" in his directorial debut. Costner is also playing the lead role in "Dancing With Wolves." — 7B

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Weather

Cloudy tonight, 50 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms, low in the middle 40s. Details on Page 2A.

Service

Delivery	682-5311
Classified Ads	682-6222
Other Calls	682-5311

NCNB Texas forecloses on former FNB property

From Staff Reports

NCNB Texas has foreclosed on Republic of Texas Properties Inc. to assume ownership of the banking center at 303 Wall Ave., formerly the First National Bank Building.

NCNB Texas, the major tenant in the building, today released a statement saying bank operations would not be affected by the foreclosure of the building, and the bank would remain at the same location it had enjoyed for more than three decades. It was also stated that tenants would not be adversely affected by the foreclosure.

Republic of Texas Properties is a wholly owned subsidiary of the now-bankrupt First RepublicBank Corp. The holding company acquired the building in 1987 for $50 million from Eagle Properties Ltd., a group of Permian Basin businessmen who had purchased the building from First National Bank.

Partners in Eagle Properties included: General Partners, Tom Brown and Buddy Brannum and Charles Perry, Gene Sledge, Carl Lawrence, Jimmy Davis and Clint Hurt.

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WEATHER SUMMARY



Strong chance for showers noted

From Staff and Wire Reports

Cloudy skies and a 50 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms are in the forecast for tonight, according to the National Weather Service at Midland International Airport. The low will be in the middle 40s and winds will be out of the southeast at 5-15 mph.

Friday will see decreasing cloudiness and warmer temperatures with the high near 70 degrees. Winds will continue out of the southeast at 10-20 mph.

Wednesday's high of 55 was 44 degrees cooler than the record high temperature of 99 set for that date in 1972. The overnight low of 44 was 16 degrees warmer than the record low temperature of 28 set for this date in 1957.

STATE

Scattered showers and thunderstorms were forecast across Texas tonight and Friday.

A strong upper level storm approaching the Texas Panhandle from New Mexico was expected to trigger thunderstorm activity and a weak upper level storm was crossing extreme South Texas, triggering precipitation in that area.

It was to be mostly cloudy tonight and partly to mostly cloudy Friday.

Lows tonight will be mostly in the 50s, ranging from near 40 in the Panhandle to the mid 60s along the lower coast.

Highs Friday will be in the 70s and 80s over most of West Texas except in the Panhandle where readings will be in the lower 60s, in the 60s and 70s in North Texas and in the 70s and 80s across South Texas.

Showers and scattered thunderstorms covered much of the state at dawn today. They were reported in the Panhandle and in portions of North Texas and South Texas.

Early morning temperatures were in the 40s and 50s except in South Texas where readings were in the 60s and 70s. Extremes ranged from 39 at Dalhart to 70 at Brownsville.

Other early morning temperatures around the state included 40 at Amarillo, 50 at Wichita Falls, 52 at Fort Worth, 54 at Waco, 52 at Austin, 50 at San Antonio, 51 at Houston, 56 at Corpus Christi, 47 at San Angelo, 42 at Lubbock, 45 at Midland and 51 at El Paso.

Midland statistics

FORECAST

Tonight: Cloudy, 50 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms, low in the middle 40s, southeast winds 5-15 mph. Friday: Decreasing cloudiness, high near 70, southeast winds 10-20 mph.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS

Yesterday's High	55 degrees
Overnight Low	44 degrees
Sunset today	8:16 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:22 a.m.
Precipitation	
Last 24 hours	.03 inches
This month to date	.03 inches
Year to date	1.90 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES

6 a.m.	48	6 p.m.	48
7 a.m.	48	7 p.m.	47
8 a.m.	49	8 p.m.	47
9 a.m.	51	9 p.m.	46
10 a.m.	51	10 p.m.	46
11 a.m.	52	11 p.m.	45
noon	53	midnight	46
1 p.m.	53	1 a.m.	46
2 p.m.	54	2 a.m.	45
3 p.m.	54	3 a.m.	45
4 p.m.	53	4 a.m.	45
5 p.m.	49	5 a.m.	44
		6 a.m.	44

Extended forecasts

Saturday through Monday

West Texas: Considerable cloudiness Saturday and Sunday with a slight chance of a a shower or thunderstorm, except partly cloudy far west and Big Bend. Fair Monday. Cooler Sunday east of the mountains, then warmer Monday. Highs Panhandle mid 60s Saturday, lower 60s Sunday and lower to mid 70s Monday. Lows around 40 each day. Highs South Plains near 70 Saturday, upper 60s Sunday and mid 70s Monday. Lows from the lower to mid 40s. Highs Permian Basin and Concho Valley upper 70s Saturday, near 70 Sunday and around 80 Monday. Lows from the mid 40s to near 50. Highs far west from near 80 to the mid 80s each day. Lows around 50. Highs Big Bend in the mid 70s to upper 80s mountains to the mid 80s to lower 90s along the Rio Grande. Lows from around 40 mountains to the mid 50s to near 50 river valleys.

North Texas: Chance of showers, thunderstorms Thursday. Partly cloudy Sunday and Monday. Lows 50s Saturday, 40s Sunday and Monday. Highs 70s.

South Texas: Mostly cloudy through Sunday, chance of thunderstorms. Partly to mostly cloudy Monday. Lows ranging from the 50s north to the 60s south. Highs 70s north to the 80s south.

Texas area forecasts

West Texas: Showers and thunderstorms becoming less numerous tonight, but a few showers will linger in Concho Valley early Friday. Decreasing cloudiness from the northwest becoming partly cloudy and warmer most sections Friday. Lows tonight in 40s except lower 50s Concho Valley and Big Bend. Highs Friday from the lower 60s Panhandle to near 80 far west with mid 80s near the Rio Grande.

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albany,N.Y.	53	40		clr
Albuquerque	74	42		clr
Anchorage	50	33		cdy
Atlanta	63	43		cdy
Atlantic City	54	34		clr
Baltimore	56	32		clr
Boise	69	44		clr
Boston	52	35		cdy
Buffalo	52	32	.11	cdy
Casper	58	28		cdy
Charleston,S.C.	56	47		clr
Chicago	51	29		rn
Cincinnati	58	36	.07	clr
Dayton	55	30	.15	cdy
Denver	55	31		cdy
Detroit	43	28	.20	cdy
Flagstaff	66	29		clr
Grand Rapids	42	26	.07	cdy
Great Falls	64	33		cdy
Honolulu	84	69		cdy
Indianapolis	55	28	.02	cdy
Jackson,Miss.	68	44		rn
Kansas City	60	37		cdy
Las Vegas	85	57		clr
Little Rock	61	38		cdy
Los Angeles	66	60		cdy
Louisville	60	43		cdy
Memphis	63	38		cdy
Milwaukee	45	26		rn
Mpls-St Paul	46	30		clr
Nashville	61	33		cdy
New Orleans	65	58		rn
New York City	57	41		clr
Oklahoma City	62	49		cdy
Omaha	55	33		clr
Philadelphia	58	34		clr
Phoenix	93	72		clr
Pittsburgh	55	34	.08	cdy
Reno	73	37		clr
Richmond	59	33		clr
St Louis	63	36		cdy
Salt Lake City	64	39		clr
San Diego	64	60		cdy
San Francisco	62	53		clr
Sioux Falls	54	35		cdy
Spokane	67	39		clr
Syracuse	53	24		clr
Topeka	62	37		clr
Tucson	90	60		clr
Tulsa	65	48		cdy
Washington,D.C.	58	39		clr
Wichita	64	38		cdy

County forecasts

Midland, Ector, Glasscock, Upton, Reagan, Crane, Gaines, Andrews, Dawson, Borden, Martin and Howard counties: Tonight, cloudy with a 50 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Low in mid 40s. Southeast wind 5 to 15 mph. Friday, decreasing cloudiness and warmer with high near 70. Wind south to southeast 10 to 20 mph.

Sterling, Coke, Irion and Tom Green counties: Tonight, cloudy with a 50 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Low in upper 40s. Southeast wind 5 to 15 mph. Friday, decreasing cloudiness with a 20 percent chance of morning thunderstorms. Warmer with a high in the lower 70s. Southeast wind 10 to 20 mph.

'60s radical Abbie Hoffman found dead

NEW HOPE, Pa. (AP) — Abbie Hoffman, the 1960s radical who inspired one generation and outraged another in the troubled days of protest and Yippie pranks, has died at his home.

He was 52.

Hoffman, who wrote the books "Revolution for the Hell of It" and "Steal This Book," was found dead in his home Wednesday evening, said Solebury Township Police Chief Richard Mangan.

He was fully dressed and under the covers of his bed.

Michael Waldron, Hoffman's landlord and neighbor, found him and told police Hoffman had been depressed about an auto accident in which he suffered a broken leg last June.

But Mangan said no evidence suggested suicide. An autopsy is planned for this afternoon or tonight, the coroner's office said.

Waldron went to the two-bedroom apartment after a friend asked him to check because she had not been able to contact Hoffman by telephone, District Attorney Alan Rubenstein told The Philadelphia Inquirer.

He said Waldron looked through a bedroom window and saw Hoffman in bed. He went inside after he couldn't wake Hoffman by tapping on the window.

Hoffman's death shocked those who knew him.

"Oh, God. I'm stunned. He was brilliant," Dr. Timothy Leary said. The LSD guru then added he needed time to collect his thoughts before he could comment further.

"Abbie Hoffman was an American legend," Leary said later.

Gerald B. Lefcourt, Hoffman's long-time attorney, remembered him as a humorous man devoted to correcting what was wrong with society.

"He threw money on the (American) stock exchange floor in the late '60s and was able to show in that satirical event, when hundreds of people on the stock exchange on Wall Street chased flying money on the floor, how silly it all was," Lefcourt said from his New York City home.

"It's the end of an era," said Hoffman's 49-year-old brother, Jack, from his Framingham, Mass., home.

"He was 52 years old and I think he gave up. ... Maybe he was tired. I know he was disappointed in the young people of today. He didn't feel he was getting through to them. He was disenchanted."

Just last week, Hoffman, who criticized college campuses in recent years as "bastions of rest," told a Vanderbilt University audience that he was saddened by the interest today's young people have in the 1960s.

"Nostalgia is a sign of middle-age," he told them during an appearance with Leary. "We're reminiscing about our youth. When you see young people nostalgic for a youth they didn't even experience, it's a little sad. They're supposed to be out making one for themselves."

Hoffman was writing a book when he died, said his publisher, John Oakes.

"He was somebody who stayed true to what he believed in unlike so many of his contemporaries who sold out and became just what they detested when they were 20 years old," said Oakes.

A native of Worcester, Mass., Hoffman rose to prominence with the Chicago Seven, a group of radicals who stood trial on charges of conspiring to disrupt the bloody 1968 Democratic National Convention.

The others were Thomas Hayden, Jerry Rubin, David Dellinger, Reynard C. Davis, Lee Weiner and John Froines.

VOODOO

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Mattox said the ranch apparently was used as a drug-smuggling base, and members were smuggling about 1,000 pounds of marijuana a month into the United States.

At least one victim was kidnapped in the Texas border city of Brownsville within the last month, and up to three may be U.S. citizens, officials said.

Constanzo killed Kilroy, said one of the arrested men, Serafin Hernandez Garcia, 22, a U.S. citizen from Brownsville.

Constanzo apparently introduced a sort of voodoo or black magic to the area, said Oran Neck, the U.S. Customs chief agent in Brownsville, just across the Rio Grande.

The ritual "has overtones of a religious cult that has been exported out of Cuba and Haiti as 'Santeria,' " Neck said, based on feathers and other evidence of rituals found at the ranch and the Matamoros home of the woman being sought with Constanzo.

The four suspects said they followed Constanzo's orders to kidnap people.

Asked if he regretted the slayings, Hernandez Rivera said, "Yes, but it's too late."

Another of the men, David Serna Valdez, 22, of Matamoros, said he did not know about murders when he was recruited into the cult.

"They first told me they only killed animals. I did not really believe," said Serna Valdez. He said he was an agronomy student at Cuidad Victoria.

Felipe Flores, spokesman for the Mexican attorney general's office, said victims' brains were cut out and put on a fire, mixed with blood, herbs, rooster feet, goat heads and turtles.

Cameron County Sheriff Alex Perez said cult members removed some victims' vertebrae for use in necklaces.

Contrary to officials' earlier assertions, no evidence of cannibalism was found, Neck said.

The five suspects were detained pending the filing of formal charges of murder, kidnapping, drug smuggling, criminal association and possession of illegal firearms, said Jose Silva Arroyo, narcotics supervisor for the Mexican Federal Judicial Police.

REACT

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"It is hard to believe," said Lt. Hank Norton. "We do get intelligence but not on this type" of activity. "I've never heard of it before."

Art Van Dorn, commander of the Permian Basin Drug Task Force, said drug-realted homicides are so common "nothing surprises me anymore."

"It just emphasizes the effect narcotics trafficking has on citizens," Van Dorn said. "It is something we need to get a handle on.

"I haven't heard of anything on ritualistic killings," he continued. "There are killings all the time connected with trafficking, and this is not the first time you have seen torture killings in Mexico. The DEA agent was tortured to death," he said, referring to the murder of Drug Enforcement Administration agent Enrique Camarena. "But this is the first time I have seen any ritual angle to it."

Van Dorn also said it was likely the cult members, who were members of a marijuana smuggling operation, also were narcotics users.

"There is very litte that surprises me," he said. "I've seen the effect it can have on people, and these people are deeply involved in narcotics trafficking. They are also very brutal."

Midland Sheriff Gary Painter said wild stories from area towns are as old as the border itself.

"We've heard of stuff in Mexico for a long time, people being killed," Painter said. "A lot of it is people who work for the drug lords. They will use them until they are through with them and then they are killed."

The sheriff said law enforcement is aware of narcotics traffickers' ties to voodoo — especially those from the areas he refers to as "the islands" — West Indies lands such as Cuba and Haiti.

"There is a very strong tie to the supernatural, and witchcraft, that sort of thing. You get into that part of the area, like in Haiti there is a lot of worship and voodoo," he said.

Members of the cult were importing about 1,000 pounds of marijuana a month into the United States, Texas Attorney General Jim Mattox told reporters Wednesday.

Some of that illegal weed may have been bound for the Midland area, Painter said.

"There is some of that that comes this direction," he said. "It is difficult to say how much, since these people distribute to all points."

The ringleader of the cult believed responsible for the slayings, Cuban Adolfo de Jesus Constanzo, likely used the slayings to frighten followers, officers said.

"He is deranged enough that he pulls this kind of stunt," Painter said. "It puts fear in people, and they will do anything he says. It sets up a regime for him."

Narcotics, and not voodoo or cultism, should be blamed for the killings, the sheriff said.

"Anytime people are involved in narcotics, other people are going to die," he said.

Van Dorn, whose officers work in 14 West Texas counties including border areas, agreed with Painter.

"I've seen so many murders involving drugs, and they never make any sense. Nothing people can do to each other surprises men when they are addicts," he said.

But the day after details of the murders became public — and reporters touring the killing shack furnished with bloody cauldrons and the smell of decomposed flesh — Norton may have summed up the feelings of most.

"This is bizarre," the lieutenant said. "I don't really know how to say it. It doesn't fit into anything, it doesn't accomplish anything.

"They are very sick people."

AWARE

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In the Matamoros incident, a satanic cult of drug smugglers are accused of brutally sacrificing 12 people, including a 21-year-old University of Texas student, in beliefs that they could gain the devil's protection from police and bullets.

McKissack said that in light of the killings, he doesn't plan to alter his program, which also addresses concerns such as abduction and murder, molestation and incest, and child pornography and prostitution.

"The cases are isolated," he said of cult killings. "We don't want people to think it happens everywhere. We try to educate people but not scare them to death."

McKissack said he has been surprised by the knowledge MISD students have of satanic cults and devil worship.

"I've had second-graders when they see my poster they yell 'devil worship' and 'satanism,' " he said.

McKissack said the children apparently learn about the occult from afternoon talk shows which air while their parents are still at work.

"The kids are learning probably more than the parents," he said. "A lot of kids have a lot more savvy nowadays than they did a year or two ago."

But while teaching elementary pupils about satanism usually involves a more low key approach, the junior high and high school students get a grimmer glimpse, McKissack said.

"I teach that it can happen anywhere, but it doesn't happen everywhere," he said. "We need to educate but not fascinate."

He said he tries to teach junior high pupils that getting involved in devil worship or a satanic cult is not a game, a fad or fun. And, it's difficult to get out of a cult, he added.

At the high school level, McKissack also explains the three types of satanic worship: religious, self-styled and cults.

The first, and probably least dangerous, involves simply believing in a satanic bible, burning candles, chanting and other rituals, he said. The second involves a person or group adapting many aspects of satanism into their own religion and can include animal sacrifice, grave desecration and vandalism, he said.

He said the third, and most dangerous, are the cults, which sometimes sacrifice humans and usually have ties to drugs.

"The cults in America are much more sophisticated," McKissack said, comparing satanic groups here with the one discovered in Matamoros.

Those cults sometimes play on the rebelliousness of youth to lure new members or even victims, he said.

McKissack said that since he began his programs in MISD, he has heard of at least one and possibly two practicing satanists in Midland but doesn't know the extent of their activities.

Hermila Pena, mother of a Rusk kindergartener who saw McKissacks' program, said she welcomes the program and dreads the possibility of children getting involved in satanism.

"It happens all the time," said Ms. Pena, who recently moved here from Austin. "I don't feel so bad about it here in Midland."

Rusk Principal William Sherman considers the satanic portion of McKissack's program as essential as other parts.

"It's one of the dangers along with many other things," Sherman said. "We have to protect children from every danger we see.

"People are vulnerable to a lot of things because they are trusting."

ASNE

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Bush got a warm reception from the 1,000 editors, spouses and guests registered for the convention. Presidents traditionally trek to the annual meeting in an effort to mold public opinion.

Gerald Warren, editor of the San Diego Union who served as deputy press secretary in the Ford and Nixon White Houses, commended Bush for using the occasion to "deliver a speech of substance" on government ethics. "I was struck by his comfort level. He's always at ease, even with tough questions," Warren said.

Ronald Reagan, said Warren, had served up "lots of one-liners but not much substance" in his appearances before the group. And it was only after Richard Nixon left office, Warren said, that he put in a "relaxed" performance before the group.

James Squires, editor of the Chicago Tribune, noted that the ASNE members, in a question-and-answer period, were tougher with Bush than with previous presidents.

For instance, one editor asked Bush if he thought former White House aide Oliver North is an "American hero." Bush said yes and cited North's Purple Heart in Vietnam. Another editor asked if Bush would detail his role in the Iran-contra affair once North's trial in U.S. District Court here is over. Bush said, "I think I've given a full accounting."

A third questioner pressed Bush to tell why "it took so long for the government to move on the Alaskan oil spill." Bush defended his actions but conceded his administration "might have moved faster" to cope with the March 24 disaster.

gress under a special-prosecutor law that now applies to the executive branch.

Although a bipartisan ethics commission appointed by Bush shortly after he took office recommended that members of Congress be barred from accepting honoraria, or outside speaking fees, Bush did not include that proposal in his package Wednesday.

Bush's ethics package consists of an executive order as well as legislation sent to Capitol Hill and a review of existing policies. The president promised during the 1988 campaign to make ethics in government a top priority.

Included in Bush's package are a ban on outside income for political appointees in the executive branch, expanded government-wide financial disclosure requirements and a proposal to put members of Con-

WRIGHT

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■ Have William Oldaker, Wright's lawyer, continue his meetings with House Democrats to answer charges the panel is expected to make against the speaker.

Oldaker was permitted to attend committee meetings at which Phelan presented his case in detail to members. Last week Oldaker began briefing selected House Democrats and a few key lobbyists on the speaker's defenses against the charges.

Frost said that the Oldaker effort was designed to let members know what "the ethics committee is most seriously examining. We want to present what the speaker's positions are, rather than have them (Democratic lawmakers) just read the newspaper."

■ Have Wright, the top elected Democrat in the nation, tend to business as usual.

■ Enroll as many influential lobbyists with Democratic Party ties in a public relations campaign to defend the speaker.

■ Appeal to as many Democratic members as possible to back Wright publicly. The House Hispanic Caucus did just that last week.

Rep. Albert G. Bustamante, D-Tex., said the caucus sent Wright a telegram expressing its members' appreciation for the speaker's dealing with "us in a fair and equitable manner." The telegram assured Wright of the group's "confidence (in his innocence) and commitment."

The telegram was cosigned by 11 House members, including House Democratic Whip Tony Coelho, Edward R. Roybal, Edward Torres, and Matthew G. Martinez, all of California and E "Kika" de la Garza and Solomon P. Ortiz of Texas.

As the panel neared the end of its 10 month investigation, Wright on Wednesday delivered a personal counterattack against the ethics panel's expected adverse report.

With his power and leadership role on the line, Wright argued that the book royalties he received from sale of "Reflections of a Public Man" were exempt from outside income limits.

He also noted that Congress has never sought to examine the "appropriateness of a spouse's employment and that House rules only require members to specify the source of their wife's income."

Wright said that prior to their marriage in 1972, his wife had worked for Congress but quit her position because she wanted to avoid any appearance of impropriety.

The speaker also insisted that the ethics panel could not charge that benefits received by him from Mallick constituted improper gifts from a person with a "direct interest" in legislation.

"Read Advisory Opinion 10," Wright suggested to reporters. "It clearly applies only to people who are lobbyists. Mallick never once in all the years of our relationship has asked me to vote on any single piece of legislation, for or against."

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Agents hold aging dissident who visited North Korea

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Prominent South Korean dissident Moon Ik-hwan, left, and traveling companion Yoo Woh-ho, center, are led away from a Northwest flight from Japan Thursday by a South Korean intelligence agent. Moon was arrested upon his return from a visit to North Korea.

SEOUL, South Korea (AP) — Intelligence agents arrested a dissident leader aboard a plane today as he returned from reunification talks in communist North Korea and police rounded up about 800 radicals who protested the arrest.

About 20 officials of the Agency for National Security Planning, South Korea's main intelligence agency, boarded a Northwest Orient flight from Tokyo and arrested Rev. Moon Ik-hwan on charges of violating national security laws. Moon's companion, Yoo Won-ho, was also arrested.

Moon was led down a stairway on to the tarmac after agents pounded on one of the plane's door, demanding it be opened. The 71-year-old dissident was quickly driven away in a black car as intelligence agents ringed the area.

About 4,000 riot policemen ringed Kimpo airport to prevent radicals from greeting Moon and arrested about 60 dissidents and students who yelled slogans and unfurled banners after sneaking into the terminal.

Moon created a major political controversy in the south by making a secret visit to North Korea last month to meet with communist leader Kim Il Sung to discuss ways to reunite the divided Korean peninsula.

The government ordered a major crackdown on dissidents and the visit threatened to stall peace talks between the two Koreas.

South Koreans cannot visit the north without government permission.

Thousands of radical students staged violent protests in at least five cities in support of Moon, clashing with riot police when they were blocked from marching off campuses. Police said they had no figures on how many students took part, but Korean press reports said about 10,000 students protested at 23 colleges nationwide.

Police detained about 700 radicals who tried to get to Yonsei University in Seoul for a rally to welcome Moon, police said. Another 50 students were arrested when about 1,000 protesters marched out of the campus peacefully and police armored vans fired tear gas.

Students at four other colleges in Seoul hurled firebombs and rocks at police who fired tear gas and hurled rocks back in clashes around the campuses.

Tamil bomb, Sinhalese retaliation kill 25

COLOMBO, Sri Lanka (AP) — Minority Tamil extremists blew up a hotel in northeastern Sri Lanka today, killing 20 Sinhalese, military officials said, and angry Sinhalese retaliated by hacking five Tamils to death.

Tamil rebels set a time bomb to blow up the hotel, and the blast occurred at a time mostly male Sinhalese were out on streets nearby buying sweets to celebrate the New Year, the officials said, speaking on condition of anonymity.

Officials said hundreds of Indian troops patrolling the region were rushed to the area to prevent further ethnic violence and imposed a curfew.

The blast in Trincomalee occurred a day after the beginning of a cease-fire that the government called to coincide with the Tamil and Sinhalese New Year that begins today according to a local lunar calendar.

According to government spokesmen, 26 militants of the Marxist Sinhalese People's Liberation Front surrendered their arms on Wednesday, giving themselves up at temples and government offices converted into reception centers for rebels who give up violence.

After today's blast, angry groups of Sinhalese congregated near the hotel in Trincomalee, a multi-ethnic port city about 145 miles northeast of Colombo, and stabbed and killed five Tamil men on a busy central street.

Tamil rebels on Wednesday ambushed an Indian army patrol in northern Sri Lanka and killed at least seven soldiers shortly after the government's cease-fire took effect.

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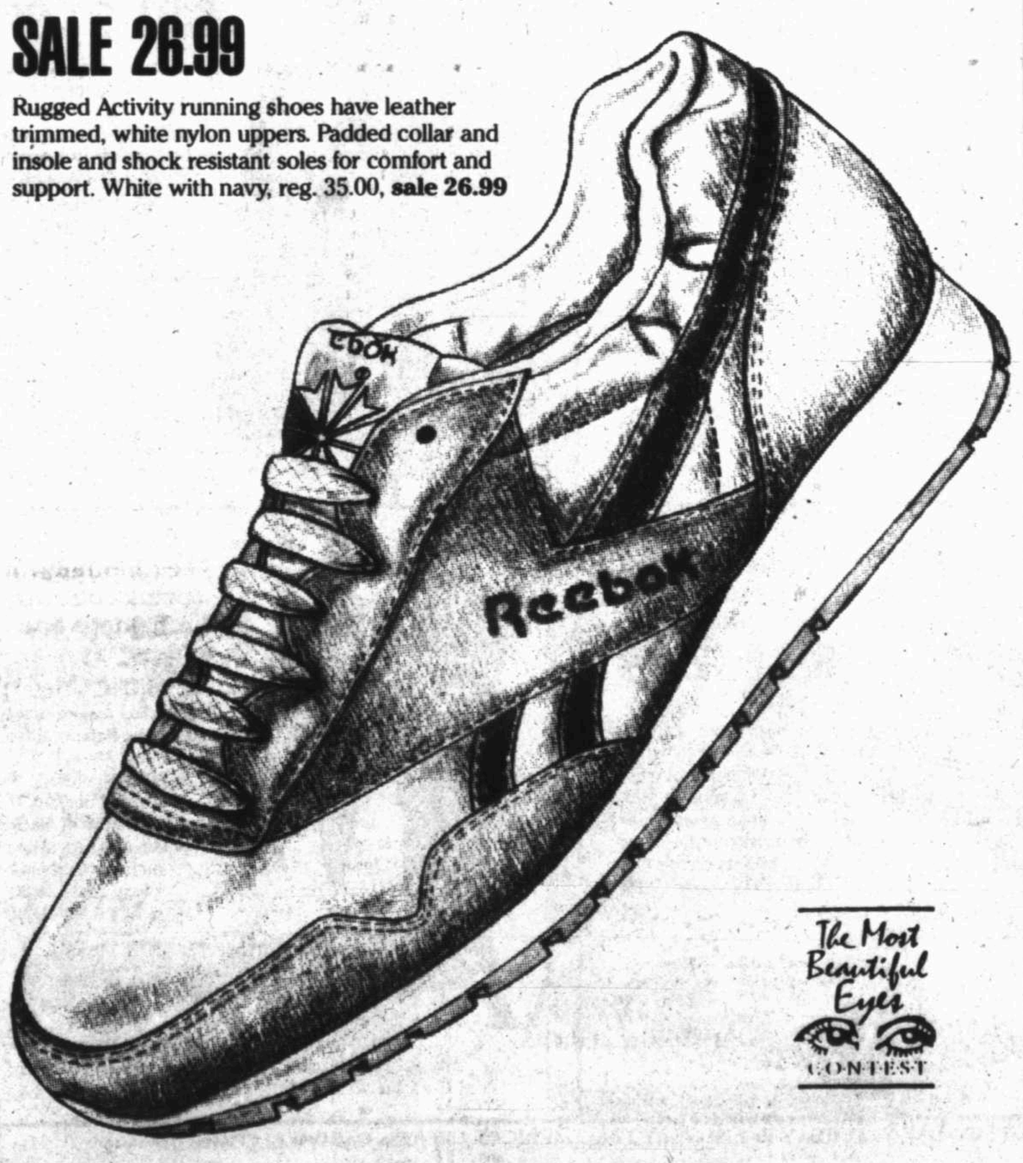
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East Germans press aging leadership for reforms

By GIRARD C. STEICHEN
Associated Press Writer

BERLIN — East Germany's aging Communist leadership is under increasing pressure as disappointment grows over its refusal to follow Mikhail S. Gorbachev's lead on economic and political reforms.

The Soviet president has gained popularity in East Germany, particularly among young people, who often are seen wearing "I like Gorbi" buttons.

Interviews and conversations across East Germany during a recent two-week period indicate resentment is mounting and that even Communist Party officials have grown impatient and disillusioned with the government's rejection of Gorbachev-style reforms.

"The senile old men are doing everything they can to stop the flood of new ideas from Moscow," said a 22-year-old student at East Berlin's Humboldt University.

The East German leader, Erich Honecker, is 76 years old and his Politburo deputies also are in their 70s.

Many East Germans also are becoming increasingly frustrated with the government's continued hardline approach toward dissent, the gap between the economic successes reported in the state-run media and the realities of the marketplace, and severe restrictions on travel to the West.

On the Berlin-Leipzig Express one recent day, East German passengers turned away from the window as the train passed the barbed wire, gun towers and steel barriers at the Berlin Wall.

"IT IS SIMPLY not possible emotionally to confront this division and isolation all the time," said a 35-year-old man.

"You try not to think about it because it is an obscene symbol of your own powerlessness. But you never really succeed. It's always there in your mind even when you don't see it."

According to West German government statistics (none are made available in East Germany), at least 750,000 people have applied to leave East Germany. In a rare public demonstration, more than 600 people protested recently in Leipzig over the government's refusal to grant them exit visas.

Exit visas are especially difficult for highly trained East Germans, such as doctors, engineers and scientists.

"I speak two foreign languages and it looks like I'll never get out of the country to use them," said a 27-year-old East Berlin engineering student.

"We don't all want to leave. If they would let me travel I'd come back. This is my home."

The government has made clear it has no intention of taking the Berlin Wall down, contending it protects East Germany from "plunderers" and those aiming to disrupt "stability and peace in Europe."

"This is ridiculous, cynical cant," said another East Berlin student. "Anyone with eyes can see that the binoculars and rifles are pointed East."

THE GOVERNMENT also has banned several Soviet publications and films because of the growing public popularity of Gorbachev's reforms.

Lutheran Church bulletins advocating a dialogue with the government over reforms have been censored and security authorities have cracked down on human rights groups.

While the party's leaders continue to insist that such reforms are unnecessary, many lower-level party members, intellectuals and workers insist that Gorbachev's experiments should be tested.

Gorbachev's policies, which are known as glasnost and perestroika and call for openness and some decentralization in political and economic life, have been hailed by dissidents as the first good thing to come from the Soviet Union in decades.

"For many (in the party leadership) the changes are coming too fast," said a party official in East Berlin, speaking only on condition of anonymity.

"But many in the party ranks believe these ideas would prove useful."

Government intransigence appears to be having an effect on party membership.

Neues Deutschland, the Communist Party's newspaper, reported in January that more than 3,000 people had left or had been expelled from the party in East Berlin over the past year.

Stefan Heym, one of East Germany's best-known authors, said Gorbachev's changes in the Soviet Union appear to have caused a rift in the party's upper echelons.

"THERE SEEM TO be differing views about what should be done," he said.

However, one of the party's chief ideologues, Otto Reinhold, made it clear in a recent article in the state-run media that East Germany has no plans to follow the Soviet Union and other Warsaw Pact allies with reforms any time soon.

"There are those who believe that we have to change the way the economy is led, to expand the market and to create competition," Reinhold said.

"We on the other hand, believe the best way is to build step by step on a system that has proven successful for us."

East Germany has one of the most prosperous economies in the Warsaw Pact and its citizens enjoy among the highest standards of living in the region. But the economy is slowing down, and East Germans complain of shortages.

"There's a terrific new gas oven in my kitchen but no valve to connect it to the gas lines," said a middle-aged man from Dresden. "I've been looking for this valve for four months."

Owners of some of the private business establishments that are permitted say strict government regulations continue to hamper enterprises that can produce many goods and services that East German consumers want and are ready to pay more for.

At a popular private nightspot in Leipzig, the restaurant's operator scanned the crowded tables and the line of people outside waiting to get in.

"We are in a daily battle with the authorities just to keep going," he said. "The system is designed to make it as difficult as possible to prosper."

189 people have died trying to scale Berlin Wall

BERLIN (AP) — More than 5,000 East Germans have made it safely over the Berlin Wall since it went up in 1961 and 30,058 others have fled into West Germany at other border areas, according to the August 13 group in West Berlin.

But 189 people are known to have died while attempting to flee, said Horst Schumm, deputy director of the group, which monitors human rights in East Germany.

The latest fatality at the Berlin Wall was a 22-year-old man who was shot and killed by border guards Feb. 6 as he tried make it over the top with a ladder.

Another East Berlin man was killed recently when he fell to his death from the platform of his homemade hot air balloon. On March 10, East German border troops wounded one of three men during an escape attempt.

East German leader Erich Honecker, who supervised construction of the Berlin Wall after it was ordered built by Communist Party chief Walter Ulbricht in August 1961, said this past January that the wall "will still be standing in 50 years and even in 100 years if the reasons (for its existence) are not set aside."

Many students lose themselves in geography

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) — In a 1984 geography test, 20 percent of Kentucky's college students couldn't find the Ohio River on a map. Many of them thought the Appalachian mountains were in Europe.

But fourth- through eighth-graders at a recent contest knew that Ecuador was the world's leading producer of bananas and that the Great Victoria Desert is in Australia.

Ninety-seven pupils competed in the geography contest for the chance to represent Kentucky at the National Geography Bee in Washington on May 19.

The winner, 13-year-old Joe Wong of Conkwright Junior High School in Winchester, admitted his final question was relatively easy.

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Residents surrounding Fernald plant live under cloud of fear

By BETH GRACE

ROSS, Ohio (AP) — Death and illness have become a preoccupation for Doris Clawson, who lives with her husband Marvin in a farmhouse four miles north of a uranium processing plant with a history of pollution.

"Look at this list," Mrs. Clawson said, offering a worn, handwritten log of relatives, friends and neighbors who have died of cancer or been diagnosed. The list, on both sides of a sheet of notebook paper, chronicles the deaths since 1959 of 62 people and illnesses of 13 within 1¼ miles of the plant.

"This is just a tiny bit of what's gone on. There's my mother's name. She's had colon and rectum cancer. She lives right next to that place."

Mrs. Clawson, 59, often has worried about her own death during three bouts with cancer in the past 27 years. She and her husband, also 59, blame the Feed Materials Production Center in Fernald for many of the cancers and related deaths in the area since the plant was built in 1951.

Mrs. Clawson has had three operations herself, including a mastectomy in 1983, and surgeries to remove cancer in her lymph nodes and throat. She lived on the family's 214-acre farm on the plant's west side until she married in 1954. The Clawsons moved into their farmhouse in 1959.

The plant, owned by the U.S. Department of Energy on 1,050 acres 18 miles northwest of Cincinnati, is one of 16 nationwide that produce materials for nuclear weapons. Several plants are in various stages of shutdown while health and safety problems are investigated; DOE wants to close Fernald by 1994.

Workers are worried that production could end sooner. The union's contract, ratified in December after a two-month strike, requires only a two-week advance shutdown notice. Prospects for the 1,000 workers are bleak.

"People who have left here and looked for other jobs have been told outright that they won't be hired because they're a risk," said David Day, head of the Fernald Atomic Trades and Labor Council, a coalition of 14 unions. "You know, they hire them today and 20 years from now, they'll have cancer because they worked here."

DOE and the plant's former operator, National Lead of Ohio Inc., first came under public fire in 1984, when officials announced that 300 pounds of mildly radioactive dust had leaked from the plant four times that year. The government has since acknowledged that at least 395,000 pounds of radioactive uranium oxide dust and other pollutants has leaked from the plant since 1951.

Last year it admitted in court documents that department officials had told NLO to continue production without regard for environmental laws.

Westinghouse Materials Co. took over the plant Jan. 1, 1986.

State officials and environmentalists also are concerned about the effect on drinking water of more than 550,000 tons of radioactive waste stored at the plant, some of it from the Manhattan Project. The plant rests above the Great Miami River aquifer, a regional water supply that spans half the state.

The Ohio Department of Health has taken 143 requests from people within 10 miles of the plant who want their wells tested. None of the 70 tested has shown radioactive contamination, said department spokesman Scott Golden.

In addition, an organization called Fernald Residents for Environmental Safety and Health has filed a $300 million lawsuit against NLO on behalf of 14,000 people who live and work within five miles of the plant. A federal judge ruled in February that NLO would be liable if a jury decides the plant caused emotional distress and falling property values. The suit is pending.

Hamilton County plans to reassess property values next year. Robert Grauvogel of the auditor's office said, "Funny as it seems, there is no evidence to indicate that property values have been severely hurt."

Marvin Clawson has never worked at the plant or suffered ill effects, but he has become adamant in his criticism of the plant and its operators.

"There have been massive radiation releases from that place and nobody told us nothing until 1984. They dropped a bomb on us. It's been a 40-year continuous bang," he said. "What kind of government have we got?"

DOE has launched a 10-year, $5 billion cleanup of surface uranium contamination. Site manager Jim Reafsnyder said the cleanup is proceeding well but much work remains to improve the plant in the eyes of the public.

Wildlife coexists with nuclear weapons plant

AIKEN, S.C. (AP) — The best-kept secret at the top-secret Savannah River nuclear weapons site is the expanse of wilderness that is home to two endangered species along with alligators, fish and other wildlife.

The government-owned nature preserve coexists with the giant reactors that, when operating, produce key components for the nation's nuclear weapons.

Alligators glide through mist-shrouded swamp waters. Red-breast sunfish ply the blackwater streams. Yellow rat snakes slither up long-needle pine trees.

The tranquility of nature barely a stone's throw from the reactors seems out of synch with the nature of the work that goes on at the Savannah River site.

"A lot of people think it must be desolate, but it's not. In some ways it's thriving," said Frances Close Hart, head of the Columbia, S.C.-based Energy Research Foundation, a strong critic of the plant's nuclear production activities.

Public attention to the Savannah River site, situated just south of this small city, has focused on the safety of the three reactors. The concrete structures, each casting identical profiles against the wooded backdrop, are the nation's only source of tritium, which is needed to make nuclear warheads. The reactors have been shut down for nearly a year, and feverish work is under way to get them back in operation.

Two endangered species can be found on the grounds: the wood stork and the red-cockaded woodpecker, plus the protected American alligator, which recently was taken off the national endangered species list but is still considered threatened.

Animals and plant life at the site are studied by teams of scientists from the on-site Savannah River Ecology Laboratory, which is run by the University of Georgia under contract with the U.S. Department of Energy.

Michael Smith, the lab's director, said in an interview that the site's status as a high-security area isolated from the public makes it a unique outdoor laboratory. In 1972, the site was designated a National Environmental Research Park.

"It's a large area where animals can ... be free of human interference," he said.

The reactors were built in the early 1950s and are situated near the center of the circular-shaped federal reservation, which abuts the Savannah River and the Georgia border on its southwestern edge. The site encompasses 300 square miles — about equal in size to New York City — and is 17 miles across at its widest point.

Much has changed in the four decades since the government took over the land.

■ Cotton fields that once dotted the land are gone. In their place are vast stretches of Loblolly pine trees that the U.S. Forest Service harvests and replants in an operation that site officials say earns $2 million a year for the Treasury.

■ Whole towns have disappeared. Among them is Ellington, whose residents were uprooted to enable the government to isolate the weapons complex from the civilian population. Some former residents today live in New Ellington, just outside the site boundary.

■ Stretches of cyprus and tupelo trees have been killed off by the effects of heated water discharged from the reactors' cooling system into creeks that feed the swamplands.

With the cypruses went the spotted sunfish that inhabited the tree-lined swamps, Smith said. In their place now are red-breast sunfish and dramatically higher numbers of mosquito fish, which thrive on the altered vegetation, he said.

Scientists on the site are still studying the effects on wildlife from the reactor's hot-water discharges, Smith said, adding, "It is not a settled issue."

But on balance, Smith says, the presence of radioactivity and toxic wastes has not hurt the site's wildlife and ecosystem. The 34 million gallons of high-level solid waste are placed in yellow steel boxes, buried in trenches and covered with four feet of soil.

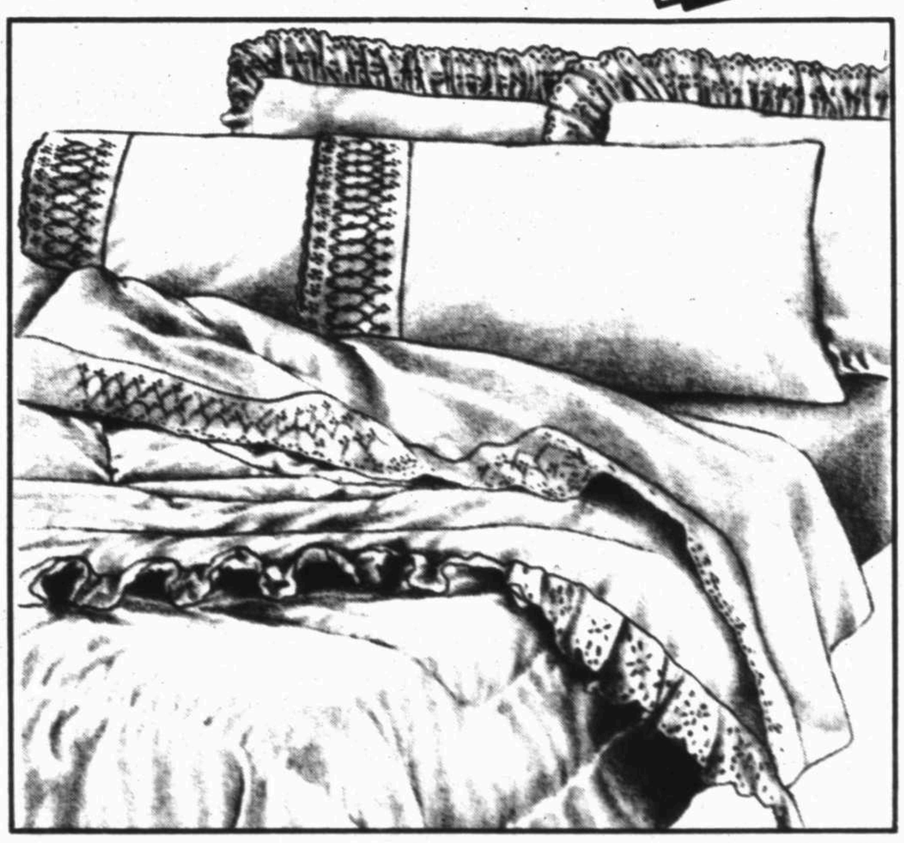
"In general, the animals have benefited," Smith said, many because they are isolated from human predators.

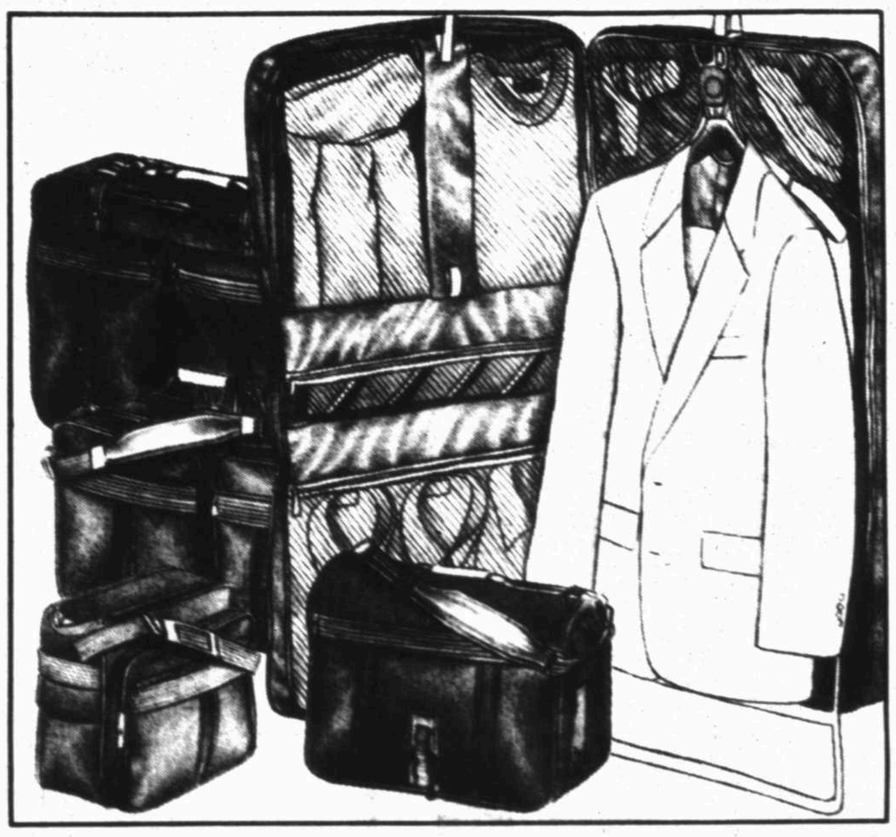
The American alligator population, for example, has prospered. Its numbers in Park Pond, a manmade lake into which hot water from the reactor is discharged, have almost doubled over the past 10 years, to about 400, Smith said.

White-tailed deer, which numbered fewer than 100 in the early 1950s, have multiplied so quickly that a limited number of local residents are brought onto the site for a hunt once a year. The deer population has been stabilized at about 2,500, Smith said.

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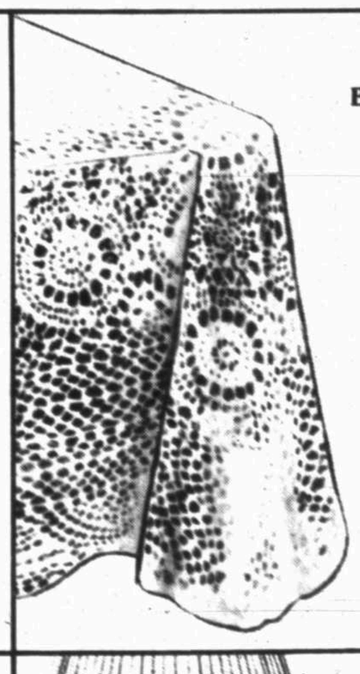
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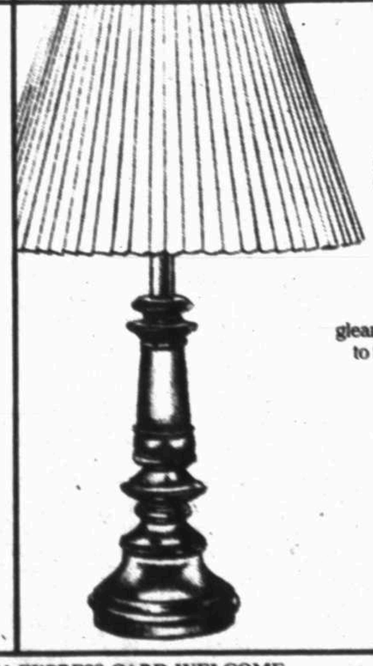
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WORLD in brief

Beirut shelling resumes on war's anniversary

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — Syrian and Christian gunners battled across the capital's dividing Green Line today, blasting harbors and residential districts as French envoys tried to arrange evacuation of the wounded to a hospital ship.

The shelling complicated the task of an Arab League mediation panel seeking to enforce a cease-fire and open the way for constitutional reforms that could end the sectarian conflict.

The civil war, which entered its 15th year today, has claimed more than 150,000 lives.

Police said at least four people were killed and 10 wounded in a fierce bombardment of residential districts this morning.

In addition, four soldiers were killed during the night by shells that hit the presidential palace in suburban Baabda and the Defense Ministry in neighboring Yarze. Police said the palace and defense ministry came under attack again today.

The casualties brought the overall toll to 200 killed and 687 wounded since the latest fighting broke out March 8 between the mainly Christian units of army commander Gen. Michel Aoun and an alliance of Syrian soldiers and Druse militamen.

Israeli police open fire

BETHLEHEM, Occupied West Bank (AP) — Israeli police and soldiers shot and killed five Palestinians and wounded at least 15 today in two clashes in occupied West Bank, hospital officials said.

Most of the casualties occurred in the village of Nahalin, where Israeli border police killed four Palestinians and wounded at least 15 while trying to make arrests before dawn, the hospital officials said.

Israeli troops opened fire on rioters in nearby Bethlehem and killed at least one Palestinian, hospital officials said. Another resident reportedly died of wounds from an earlier clash.

Israeli military officials confirmed just one Palestinian died and four were wounded in the raid on Nahalin.

Czar's grave uncovered?

MOSCOW (AP) — A well-known Soviet screenwriter and former policeman says he unearthed the remains of murdered Czar Nicholas II and the czar's family a decade ago and wants to give them a proper burial, the Moscow News reported.

Geli Ryabov told the newspaper he was convinced he had found the remains of the last of the Romanovs in a pit in Sverdlosk in the Ural mountains by the number of corpses, the type of wounds and dental prostheses he found.

The bodies had been hidden to keep the burial place from becoming a shrine for monarchist pilgrimages, Ryabov said.

Moscow News published his account in its latest edition Wednesday, along with a photo of a blackened skull the paper said Ryabov identified as being that of Nicholas II.

"The conviction ripened in me that I must find out and tell people the truth about the execution and burial of the Romanovs," Ryabov told the newspaper.

In July 1918, soldiers acting on Bolshevik orders took Nicholas and 10 others, including a 14-year-old boy and six women, into a basement in a Sverdlosk house and shot them. Nicholas, born in 1868, was forced to abdicate in March 1917 as revolution swept Russia.

Until now, Moscow News said, investigators assumed they could not find the bodies because the remains were reportedly dropped into a mineshaft where they dissolved under a layer of acid, leaving only meager traces including buttons, some jewelry and a cut-off human finger.

Concorde to be repaired

SYDNEY, Australia (AP) — British engineers headed for Australia today to install a new rudder on a British Airways Concorde jet that lost part of its tail while trying to set speed records on an world-circling journey.

The Concorde was flying at about 1,500 miles per hour from Christchurch, New Zealand, to Sydney on Wednesday when a large chunk of the tail fin disintegrated at about 40,000 feet over the Tasman Sea, the airline said.

Spokeswoman Katherine Wilson said specialists due in Sydney today would "work through the night" to repair the damage so the plane can leave on the next leg, Perth in Western Australia, on Friday as scheduled.

In London a company spokesman, speaking anonymously in keeping with British custom, said spare parts left London on Wednesday with two engineers.

The three-week journey started in London April 1 with 100 American passengers including commentator William F. Buckley who each paid $39,000 to travel supersonic for 38,343 miles.

Reformer runs for post

CIUDAD JUAREZ, Mexico (AP) — A self-styled reformer candidate will represent Mexico's ruling party in this summer's mayoral election.

Jose de Jesus Macias Delgado, 40, defeated two other contenders Tuesday in the city convention of the Institutional Revolutionary Party, or PRI. He garnered 83 percent of the vote in the nine-hour convention.

Soviets probe charges of brutality against troops

MOSCOW (AP) — Officials are investigating charges of brutality in Soviet Georgia and specifically whether soldiers were armed with shovels in a clash that killed 19 protesters, the Foreign Ministry said today.

"The troops were not supposed to have those spades," ministry spokesman Gennady Gerasimov said. If the investigation finds they beat the protesters with metal shovels, "there is a question of whether these people should be punished or not."

The chief of the republic's Communist Party, Djhumber Patiashvili, offered to resign after accepting responsibility for Sunday's clash in the central square of Tbilisi, the capital of Georgia.

Patiashvili said he did not expect fatalities when troops were ordered to break up the pro-independence demonstration. He said troops were armed only with nightsticks and shields.

Gerasimov justified the decision to clear the square, saying, "We should take into account the situation which evolved, since endless meetings lasted for five days and they all but paralyzed the work of enterprises, and people also attempted to penetrate the territory of government institutions."

On the streets of Tbilisi, a city of 1.2 million 900 miles south of Moscow, groups of activists were passing out leaflets and spreading rumors, the Defense Ministry newspaper Red Star said today.

Some leaflets claim that more than 19 people died Sunday, said an editor at Akhalgadra Kommunisti, the Georgian Communist youth newspaper.

The Communist Party daily Pravda said picketers were calling on workers in Tbilisi to strike. But Zirab Zomidze, an editor at the Gruzinform news agency, said all enterprises were working today and that only the university and some schools were disrupted.

Foreign reporters have been barred from traveling to Georgia.

A curfew remained in effect in the city and alcohol sales were restricted, Gerasimov said.

Foreign Minister Eduard A. Shevardnadze, who is a Georgian and served as the Georgian party chief from 1972 to 1985, attended a meeting of Georgian party leaders today. No details of the meeting were released.

Shevardnadze met with 200 Georgian nationalists, human rights activists and strike organizers for almost three hours on Wednesday in a debate Gerasimov described as "rather sharp." Nationalists demanded resignation of the government and a special session of the Georgian Parliament to consider secession.

Syria apologizes for copter attack on two Soviet vessels

MOSCOW (AP) — Syrian helicopters fired rockets at two Soviet naval vessels in the Mediterranean, and Syria apologized for the raid that injured at least seven sailors, the Foreign Ministry said today.

The attack occurred Tuesday morning near the Syrian port of Tartus, spokesman Gennady I. Gerasimov said at a news briefing.

"Two helicopters with Syrian markings attacked two Soviet auxiliary vessels with rockets, namely a sea tugboat and a divers' boat in the Mediterranean Sea," Gerasimov said.

According to an initial probe, the attack was a result of "erroneous actions of one of the Syrian helicopters," Gerasimov said.

He did not say what type of helicopters were involved or further describe the Soviet vessels.

The Soviets provide Syria with much of its military equipment.

Gerasimov said seven Soviet crew members were injured, one critically. The military newspaper Red Star identified the critically injured man as E. Shkitchenko and said, "there is little hope to save him."

"The Syrian side expressed regret at the accident and offered its official apology," the spokesman said.

The Soviet media played down the incident with Syria, its staunchest ally in the Middle East.

The attack was first reported in a three-paragraph story in Red Star.

The official Tass news agency carried a two-paragraph dispatch on Gerasimov's remarks.

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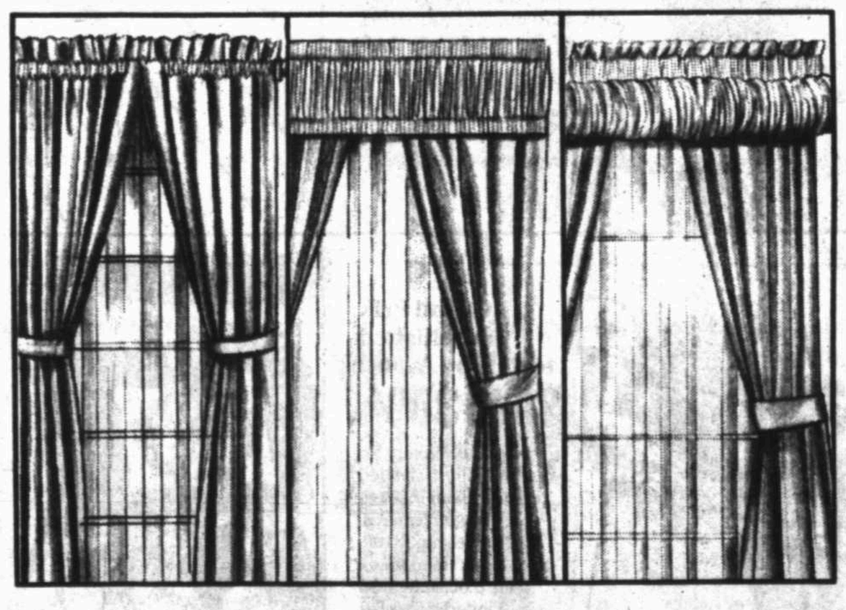
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San Antonian honored for Peace Corps work

WASHINGTON (AP) — In the barrios near Bicol National Park, people don't see the connection between deforestation of virgin timberland across the Philippines and the greenhouse effect.

But Peace Corps volunteer Michael C. Bainum says his presence in the upland community of Tigman in the Philippine Islands, sweating for 1½ years over terraced cropland and planting trees, has convinced them change is necessary.

In a small way, Bainum says he's brought attention to the fragility of the Earth's ecosystem to a corner of the Third World.

On Tuesday, the attention was on Bainum, when first lady Barbara Bush honored the 25-year-old from San Antonio as one of three recipients of the 1989 John F. Kennedy Peace Corps Volunteer of the Year awards.

Wearing a "barang," the formal shirt of the Philippines, Bainum received a plaque featuring a West African fabric denoting special events, intended to symbolize a celebration of nature and the Peace Corps' global concern for a "living, vibrant environment."

Also singled out were Mary Monique Slater, 27, of St. Louis, Mo., who is serving in Mauritania, West Africa, and Charles Campbell Rhoades, 27, of Arvada, Colo., who is serving in Equador.

Each represents one of the Peace Corps' three overseas regions, and was selected for work to prevent and correct environmental degradation.

"Both the president and I feel that the Peace Corps is not only the best, but the very best of us," Mrs. Bush said during a ceremony in the ornate Indian Treaty Room of the Old Executive Office Building.

Mrs. Bush also said the Peace Corps is the "best dollar of foreign aid we give."

Outgoing Peace Corps director Loret Miller Ruppe said the volunteers' work is "truly making a difference" in protecting the fragile planet Earth for future generations.

Bainum, a Duke University graduate with a degree in public policy studies, said that when he arrived at Bicol National Park, he wondered: "This is a park?"

Years of illegal logging, cutting of firewood, and rampant squatting had desecrated the public land so much it resembled a mud bog, the Peace Corps said.

Bainum's assignment called for him to help the 100 families in the village grow more food while attempting to reverse the deforestation under a government program that contracted with farmers to help replant the tropical forest.

The Peace Corps said Bainum has been "credited with using a combination of his organization, motivation and fluent language skills in communicating to people how their actions affect the environment."

He helped establish tree nurseries, planted demonstration gardens, constructed compost pits, surveyed forests, advised farmers on crop rotation practices and the use of organic fertlizers.

He also initiated adult education classes on the importance of forest protection, while serving as the driving force behind the creation of an environmental learning center.

Bainum has since moved into Naga City, a community of 100,000, and as he nears the end of his second year and plans to extend his contract for another six months.

The Philippines originally had 28 million acres of forested lands; now only 2 million acres of virgin timberland remain, along with 10 million acres of second-growth forest.

With just one-third of the country's originally forested land now covered with trees, the results have been soil erosion, flooding, more distinct hot periods and rainy seasons, the loss of wildlife, and sediment washed into the ocean that now covers the coral reefs, Bainum said.

A graduate of Robert E. Lee High School in San Antonio, Bainum says he joined the Peace Corps because he was interested in grassroots organizing.

"I wanted to learn a little bit more about the seven-eighths of the world's population that doesn't live at the standard we have," he said.

Class researching lives of war dead

By RHONDA MORAN

WEST COLUMBIA, Texas (AP) — It's been 20 years since John Nevels, a Brazoria 19-year-old, was killed in action in Vietnam four months before he was to come home.

That was before West Columbia Junior High School students were born, but thanks to an idea of history teacher Laurie Kincannon and the cooperation of Nevels' family, the students have come to know the young man who died serving his country.

Kincannon is taking 65 students to Washington, D.C. in June to visit the Vietnam Memorial, the U.S. Capitol, Arlington National Cemetery and the offices of the FBI.

When she visited the Vietnam Memorial two years ago, she was stirred by the sheer number of names engraved on "The Wall."

"I didn't know any of them, and I was glad in a way, but knowing that each name represents a person who died really got to me," she says.

So when the school agreed to let Kincannon take a group of students to Washington this year, she began thinking about how to make the trip as meaningful as possible for them. That's when she came up with the project she calls "Vietnam Remembered."

"We are asking to hear from people who lost friends and loved ones in the Vietnam War," Kincannon explains, "so the kids will know a little bit about the people whose names appear on The Wall."

She is asking for letters, copies of photographs or any other biographical information that might help with the project, which has a deadline of May 1. A weekly newspaper ran a story about the project, and John Nevels' family is among those who have responded so far.

Shortly after the article appeared, Nevels' half-brother, Louis Parker of Brazoria, contacted Kincannon by phone to find out more about Vietnam Remembered.

"He said his mother had read about the project and wanted John included, but even though it had been 20 years since he died she just couldn't write the letter," Kincannon says. "So she had asked Mr. Parker to do it."

Parker wrote a two-page letter about Nevels, describing a boy who grew up in Wild Peach and liked riding horses, occasionally participating in rodeos.

"It was from this activity that (John) earned the nickname 'One-Jump John,'" Parker wrote. "The steer came out of the chute, jumped one time, and Johnny fell off.'"

Nevels attended school in West Columbia and was a member of the Future Farmers of America. He raised turkeys for the Brazoria County Fair, and once caused an uproar at home when he used the window screens off the house to build a pen.

As the Nevels' only son, John was exempt from the draft, but the young man volunteered to serve.

"When Johnny decided to go into the Army, the family tried to talk him out of it," Parker wrote. "But he wanted to serve his country and experience being on his own and growing up. From the time he went to boot camp until he was killed, he sent almost all of his money home with the hope of one day owning some land, and building a home on it."

The rest of Nevels' story is told with a clipped newspaper photo of him in uniform and an article headlined, "John Nevels is killed in Vietnam."

Parker also sent photos of Nevels, the many medals he won and a copy of the Army's letter to Nevels' parents, dated a month after his death, which described how he died.

Kincannon has been deeply moved by the story of John Nevels' life and death. "When I read this, I felt like I knew Johnny Nevels. It's amazing how attached you get," she says.

When they visit The Wall, the students will have a memorial service and place special wooden wreaths beside the names of the soldiers they have come to know. The wreaths will have the soldiers' names and will read, "Honored by West Columbia Junior High School."

After the service, the students will be in contact with the soldiers' families, Kincannon says.

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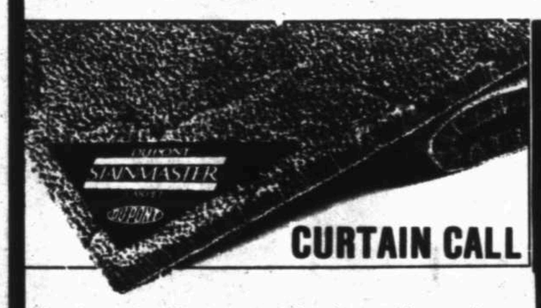
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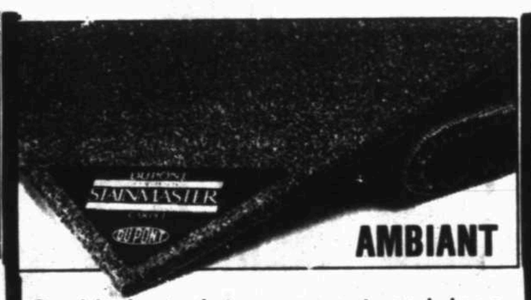
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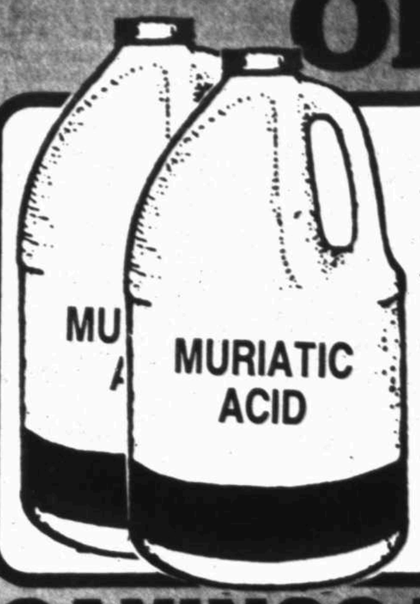
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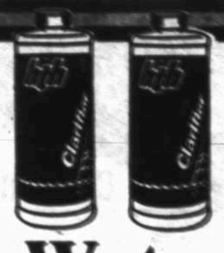
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U.S. overlooked it when Contras ran drugs, panel says

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Reagan administration undermined its own war on drugs, as it "delayed, halted or interfered" with operations that jeopardized support for its policy in Central America, a Senate panel reported today.

The government looked the other way, according to the report, when law enforcement agencies learned that drug traffickers were protected and aided by some U.S.-supported Nicaraguan Contras, members of the Honduran military, Panamanian strongman Manuel Antonio Noriega and Bahamian officials.

The 437-page report was prepared by the Senate Foreign Affairs subcommittee on terrorism, narcotics and international operations, whose chairman, John F. Kerry, D-Mass., held a series of public hearings last year on international drug trafficking.

In the most glaring examples of what the committee found to be a two-faced policy during the Reagan years, the report said:

■ While reports of Noriega's drug activities were mounting, the U.S. government ignored the evidence as the Panamanian strongman promised to help train Contra rebels and offered use of Panamanian units to strike targets inside Nicaragua.

The late CIA Director William Casey justified his failure to raise the narcotics issue in a 1985 meeting with Noriega, the report said, on grounds "that Noriega was providing valuable support for our policies in Central America, especially Nicaragua."

■ The Drug Enforcement Administration apparently ignored trafficking allegations against Noriega because the now-indicted strongman also cooperated in DEA operations. But the DEA was fooled, the report said, when Noriega used his close relationship with the agency "to share DEA information with traffickers."

■ "When a former Honduran military officer who has assisted the United States in the Contra war ... became involved in a 'narco-terrorist' plot to kill the elected president of Honduras, high officials of the U.S. government interceded in an effort to get his sentenced reduced."

The Honduran military, which the report said "consistently supported U.S. policies in Central America," included elements that "protected the cocaine trade," the report said.

■ The Drug Enforcement Administration opened its first Honduran office in 1981 and closed it two years later for "budgetary reasons," even though the resident agent there found Honduran waters were used for drug shipments. After the agent was transferred to Guatemala, he continued to spend 70 percent of his time dealing with the Honduran drug problem, the report said.

■ The government had evidence of numerous drug links involving the anti-Sandinista rebels, including participation in trafficking by individual Contras: use of Contra air strips by traffickers; and the hiring of four airline companies, "owned and operated by narcotics traffickers, to supply humanitarian assistance to the Contras."

"Even after the State Department was acknowledging there were problems with drug trafficking in association with Contra activities on the Southern Front, the Justice Department was adamantly denying that there was any substance to the narcotics allegations," the report said.

Fliers who could have taken bomb on jet identified

WASHINGTON (AP) — Federal investigators have identified several passengers who may have unwittingly carried aboard the bomb that blew up Pan Am Flight 103 over Scotland on Dec. 21, a Bush administration official said today.

CBS-TV news reported Wednesday that suspicion for having planted the bomb was focused on a member of the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine-General Command who is a relative of Hafez Dalkamoni, who CBS said reportedly set up the network that carried out the attack.

An administration official knowledgeable about the investigation disputed the CBS account that investigators believe the passenger who unwittingly carried the bomb was Khalid Jaafar, a young American-Lebanese college student returning to Michigan from Frankfurt for the Christmas holidays.

FBI agents have questioned Jaafar's parents at the family-run gas station in Detroit but the parents insist he was not involved.

The official said Jaafar was only one of several passengers suspected of unwittingly bringing the explosive aboard. "And no one in the Popular Front is talking," said the official, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

The network said many of the leads in the case are coming from a member of the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine who is cooperating with investigators.

It said the Popular Front has its headquarters in Syria but the investigation has uncovered evidence linking the Pan Am bombing to Iran.

The London Daily Telegraph reported investigators have narrowed the number of people suspected of having been duped into carrying the bomb aboard to between three and five American passport holders.

Bill would beef up safety panel

WASHINGTON (AP) — A bill that would give more teeth to the Consumer Product Safety Commission and let it do business at less than full strength is making progress in a House committee but faces business opposition.

The bill, sent to the Energy and Commerce Committee on Wednesday by a subcommittee, would specify a quorum of two when there are only three members on the commission. It has the support of major consumer groups.

Currently, the commission has five authorized members and the quorum is three. In recent years Congress has appropriated money for only three salaries, so when there is a vacancy — as there has been since January — the two remaining members can do nothing.

Some Republicans on the commerce, consumer protection and competitiveness subcommittee sought to sidetrack the bill, sponsored by Chairman James Florio.

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Cavazos setting pace for athletes

Secretary of Education Lauro Cavazos is saying what should have been said at the national level all along: That where college is concerned, academics must be the priority and sports must remain, essentially, extracurricular.

That stance places Cavazos in direct opposition to some, such as Georgetown University basketball coach John Thompson, who has complained that a proposed new National Collegiate Athletic Association rule setting entrance standards for athletes receiving athletic scholarships discriminates against minority students from lower socio-economic backgrounds. But the education secretary, who is on leave as president of Texas Tech University while serving with the Bush administration, is correct to make clear the point that the purpose of college is higher education, not sports.

Noting that "some kids are almost illiterate when they leave high school," Cavazos said universities should work with high schools to make education the priority for those students hoping to play college sports.

No doubt Cavazos will be subjected to the wrath of those who still believe that a university's greatest moments occur on the gridiron or the basketball court, but it's well past time for someone in a position of authority to speak plainly about what Cavazos termed this nation's "education deficit." That deficit is real and threatens to undermine the integrity of university education.

No one is saying that professional sports teams can't begin recruiting from sandlot talent, if they so choose, or that physical talents are not as worthwhile a pursuit for those who may not be up to the academic rigor of college. But lowering entrance standards for college athletes is a slap in the face of athletes who crack the books with diligence and actually earn degrees they can use in a profession later on.

Cavazos put it succinctly: "We should not bring them in if they cannot graduate."

He's absolutely correct and it's nice to hear someone with the courage to tell the truth.

LETTERS

HALT's legal complaint

Regarding Vern Martin, Mark Dettman and Jeff Hinkley opposing open complaint and discipline records for the State Bar and accusations by some of "sore loser" or "sour grapes" complaints against lawyers, this is a smokescreen by the Bar concealing the real issue that lawyer discipline is a miserable failure, and consumers of legal services are immeasurably harmed.

Reports to HALT (An Organization of Americans for Legal Reform) describe specific misconduct and/or negligence by lawyers, many having tried the grievance system only to have their complaint dismissed as "frivolous," without a thorough investigation and hearing. These are the same people we depend upon to be jurors, who are considered "frivolous" when complaining about a lawyer!

The Bar considers many complaints only "inquiries," omitting them from the numbers reported.

The grievance hearing I attended was a farce. If it were not so serious, it would be humorous. Although the Probate and Ethic Codes require it, the panel did not enforce on estate lawyers the requirement for complete accounting for estate funds, the exact contents of the safety deposit box, return of personal papers, nor delivery of the deceased's belongings from the lawyer's office! That was a professional trade association at work, protecting its own. If any discipline was given for these serious breaches, it remains a secret.

This case, and thousands of similar cases, are evidence the system does not work. Such can be expected of lawyers unrealistically expected to discipline their friends, co-workers and members of the same brotherhood. Bar self-discipline is a conflict of interest evidenced in more than 90% of complaints, and large numbers of "inquiries," where lawyers are protected by the Bar. Consumers feel betrayed by a state government which fails to protect consumers of legal services.

Mssrs. Martin and Dettman said lawyers should be able to sue people making a complaint in good faith, but failed to mention pending bills which would prohibit anyone from suing a lawyer for barratry or exempting lawyers from the Deceptive Trade Practices Act. No state law protects ordinary citizens' reputations until proven innocent, and lawyers must be no more privileged by law than the general population.

Georgia Kubiak
Texas State Coordinator
HALT

Abortion's big business

It is difficult to know where to begin in response to Scot Northern and Jane Hellinghausen of Planned Parenthood. They claim they represent a pro-family organization. Yet Margaret Sanger, their beloved founder, referred to marriage as the "degenerative institute" and asserted that "the most merciful thing a large family can do to one of its infant members is to kill it." "Pro" must mean something different to them than to me.

They also claim they do not want any child to be born into a family that does not want it. This is said as if some moral high ground had been taken. Who doesn't desire to see all children born to parents who love and cherish them? But to draw the conclusion that we must therefore allow these children to be destroyed is insanity!

Also hidden in this argument is the assumption that if we eliminate all the unborn who are not wanted, child abuse will disappear. This archaic reasoning was used extensively in the late '60s and early '70s by pro-abortion advocates. But the events that have followed the Roe v. Wade decision have proven what a tragic lie that is. Child abuse is up dramatically; child pornography is a national shame; euthanasia and infanticide are rising.

Planned Parenthood, our latest "pro-family" group, believes the 1973 Supreme Court decision was a victory for women. Yet how many women and girls are not with us today because the "fundamental right" to abortion is deemed more sacred than the right to life? No, what happened was not a victory for life, but life was declared cheap and now dealing death is profitable!

The heart of the matter is "reproductive services" and abortion are big business and Planned Parenthood has a huge financial stake at hand. Meanwhile we continue to murder over 4,000 children each and every day. God have mercy on us all!

Jerry Smith
Midland

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Thursday, April 13, the 103rd day of 1989. There are 262 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On April 13, 1970, the crew aboard Apollo 13, four-fifths of the way to the moon, told Mission Control: "We've got a problem here." A tank containing liquid oxygen had burst, crippling the spacecraft. The story ended happily four days later when the crew splashed down safely in the Pacific.

On this date:

In 1598, King Henry IV of France signed the Edict of Nantes, which granted rights to the Protestant Huguenots.

JACK ANDERSON

U.S., Cuba battling over airwaves

WASHINGTON — Cuba is using monstrous radio transmitters to crowd American stations off the air and the U.S. government is poised to escalate the war of the airwaves.


Jack Anderson

The State Department is spending up to $7.5 million to test a project called TV Marti, a U.S. television station beamed into Cuba from a balloon floating over Florida. U.S. officials know that Fidel Castro could retaliate by launching an assault via the airwaves on private American broadcasters. At the very least, Castro has the technology to keep the U.S. TV signal from ever reaching Cuban homes. In that case, TV Marti would be a multi-million-dollar waste.

The State Department has been broadcasting radio signals to Cuba since 1982 on Radio Marti. The plan is for the new TV Marti to give Cubans a dose of commercial television, including soap operas, movies and news.

Broadcast experts both inside and outside the U.S. government told us that Cuba has the technology to deflect any American signals beamed onto the island. Castro has never interfered with Radio Marti, but the U.S. government knows that if he is pushed too far, he can render TV Marti useless.

The TV venture could be more than a boondoggle. Broadcasters are worried that Castro could retaliate by stepping up his interference of commercial radio in the United States.

Radio broadcasts from Cuba can be picked up on the AM band in South Florida. But some of the more powerful Cuban signals are interfering with U.S. stations. Radio Taino, Cuba's tourism station, already clouds radio reception in the United States from Florida to Minnesota. One small, family-oriented station, WRFM in Hialeah, Fla., may be forced out of business because the Cubans smother its broadcasts. The station's operator, Adib Eden Jr., is losing his advertisers because they don't want to spend money on messages that will never break through the Cuban interference.

"It feels frustrating trying to serve the community with decent programming — passing along family values to the people — and being obliterated by a strong signal from another country like Cuba," Eden told our associate Scott Sleek.

The Cuban interference reached its peak in March, then tapered off last week. But the assaults have always come sporadically and could occur again.

U.S. measurements show that the Cuban station operates at more than a million watts — many times stronger than any station in the United States. The State Department has politely asked Cuba to let up. Eden wrote to Secretary of State James Baker asking him to put more pressure on Cuba to stop its radio war.

Critics who fear reprisals from TV Marti say that some members of Congress are pushing the program simply to curry favor with Cuban Americans who fled from Castro. But supporters of the project say the same complaints were raised about Radio Marti when Congress approved it in 1983.

Rep. Dante Fascell, D-Fla., a TV Marti backer, thinks the United States should be prepared to reimburse American broadcasters for losses if Castro seeks revenge.

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JUST A BREEZE — At this writing, 11 past and present Defense Department officials and contractors have been fingered by the "Ill Wind" probe into Pentagon procurement. But the contracting rip-offs continue.

Our sources inside the Defense Department say that, particularly in the subcontracting business, fraud remains the order of the day with millions of dollars worth of cases unresolved.

An insider with access to confidential information told us the "Ill Wind" disclosures have produced a flood of whistleblowers. Investigators have turned up other frauds on their own. But there are not enough military and civil investigators to handle the tips. As a result, the time from the first report of a rip-off to its resolution is well over a year.

Many of the cases awaiting investigation are only worth tens of thousands of dollars, and those petty cases have stretched out the backlog. Even the probes of possible multi-million-dollar frauds are dragging, our sources say.

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NUNN'S FUTURE — The John Tower controversy could boost the presidential stock of Sen. Sam Nunn, D-Ga. He led the fight to defeat Tower's nomination for secretary of defense. Political observers are now talking about Nunn as presidential material in 1992.

Nunn is undecided, but some Democrats think he is the most viable choice. They need a candidate who has a good track record on defense issues and Nunn fits the bill as chairman of the Armed Services Committee. The Democrats also need a nominee who could lure middle-class white voters, especially in the South, and Nunn is their best hope there.

But for now, Nunn seems more concerned about his current job. His role in the Tower affair alienated some Republicans in the Senate, and that will make it hard for him to tackle issues such as budget cuts and Pentagon procurement reform.

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



ART BUCHWALD

Lorenzo may not want to fly Eastern now!

I never like to give advice to Frank Lorenzo, but this is important. Whatever he does in the next few months, I suggest that he hold off for a little while before flying on Eastern Airlines. I hear that his former employees are dying to have him as a passenger.


Art Buchwald

"Hi. My name is Frank Lorenzo and I have been waiting for an hour to purchase my Eastern ticket for Miami."

"You're not THE Frank Lorenzo?"

"Yes, I am."

"Sorry, but this position is closed. I'm taking my break."

"See here, my name is Frank Lorenzo and I have been standing in line for three hours. The other clerk went to lunch just as I got to the head of the line. I have a reservation for Miami."

"I don't see your name in my computer."

"It has to be there. I made my booking three weeks ago."

"Just a minute, I'll call my supervisor. Dolly, I have Mr. Frank Lorenzo, the humanitarian, at my counter and he's under the impression that he has a reservation for Miami.... I see. Thanks.... Mr. Lorenzo, there was a booking for you, but the flight is oversold or canceled, whichever explanation you'd rather believe.

"We can get you out at 2 in the morning on an Eastern Express commuter flight, which makes intermediate stops in Buffalo and St. Paul, Minn., for gas and fresh pillows."

"This is ridiculous. I demand to be put on the next flight to Miami."

"We can't do that, Mr. Lorenzo, but since we have caused you such inconvenience, we are going to give you two coach tickets to Cambodia. Please sit down on one of those hard metal seats over there until your flight is called."

"I want to speak to the station manager."

"I wouldn't if I were you. He still has blisters on his feet from the time he picketed the airline. Here is your boarding card. You have seat number 59-B."

"Welcome aboard, Mr. Lorenzo — 59-B is the seat in the washroom."

"What do you mean the washroom?"

"You requested a non-smoking seat and this is the only one left. Please don't put any refuse in the wash basin."

One hour later: "Mr. Lorenzo, would you care to eat? We have poached Styrofoam, Southern fried plywood and crepes Ueberroth."

"Where did this food come from?"

"It's left over from since the days when you were managing the airline. Now that the employees own 30 percent of the operation, we're using up whatever we find in the warehouse. Would you like a blanket?"

"I can't sleep in the washroom."

"You should have seen where we slept during the strike."

"I demand to speak to the pilot."

"It's not such a great idea. If he knew you were on board he'd fly this plane to Cuba and leave you there on standby."

Five hours later in the Miami terminal: "My name is Frank Lorenzo and all my bags have been lost."

"I can't believe it. This is the first time Eastern Airlines has lost anyone's luggage since I have been working here. Why don't you fill out this lost luggage form telling us who you suspect? Could it be someone you do business with? What about enemies who may have offloaded the baggage as a vicious prank? Please don't forget to include the names of any disgruntled employees, who wouldn't hesitate to throw your bags under the wheels of a moving 747."

"This airline is a mess."

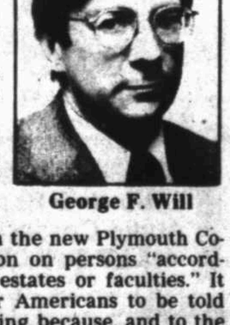
"Isn't it the truth. Nothing like this would have happened in the good old days when you were running Eastern."

Art Buchwald is a columnist for Los Angeles Times Syndicate.

GEORGE F. WILL

By grace of your faculties you pay taxes!

WASHINGTON — What a difference a word can make. The middle of April — tax time — might be less lacerating if we used a delightful anachronism and spoke of having our "faculties" assessed rather than our incomes taxed.


George F. Will

Taxing incomes was originally spoken of in America as taxing individuals' earning "faculties," as in the new Plymouth Colony's taxation on persons "according to their estates or faculties." It would flatter Americans to be told they are paying because, and to the extent that, their faculties are substantial. And saying so would teach a moral truth: Generally people prosper, and pay more taxes, because of reasons for which they cannot claim responsibility.

Our faculties are bestowed by our parents, through DNA and nurturing, and by society, through schooling and the culture. Sorry, you who are particularly vain about your rugged individualism. Life would really be rugged if social reality reflected your self-congratulatory ideology of lonely, unassisted accomplishment. But it does not.

The principle on which progressive taxation rests is that those who make the most money get the most from society not merely in terms of money but also in "faculties," and thus owe a proportionately larger debt. As Turgot, finance minister of the much maligned Louis XVI, told him: "The expenses of government, having for their object the interest of all, should be borne by everyone, and the more a man enjoys the advantages of society, the more he ought to hold himself honored in contributing to those expenses."

In the United States, the income tax was not, needless to say, enacted out of a sense of honor. It was passed by a political movement confident that its members would not pay it. In fact, it was a tax to cut taxes (counting tariffs as taxes).

After the Civil War, regional and class interests (the manufacturing North and the affluent commercial class) converged to produce reliance on tariffs for the lion's share of federal revenues. The income tax was advocated as a painless (for 99 percent of the population) way of paying for lower tariffs that also would reduce the cost of the common man's consumption. And so it was, briefly.

The income tax enacted in 1913 taxed personal income at one percent and exempted married couples earning less than $4,001. A graduated surtax, beginning on incomes of $20,000, rose to 6 percent on incomes of more than $500,000. The $4,000 exemption expressed Congress' conclusion that such a sum was necessary to "maintain an American family according to the American standard and send the children through college." It was about six times the average male's income.

But as quickly as Americans could say "Sarajevo," war caused government expenditures to soar and international trade (and tariff revenues) to shrink. By 1919, the minimum taxable income had been reduced to $1,000 and the top rate was 77 percent.

Nevertheless, at tax time in 1939, only 3.9 million Americans had to file. Six years later, 42.6 million did. War turned the class tax into a mass tax. The Cold War and, even more important, the welfare state would keep it that way.

Shortly after the income tax was enacted, Sen. Elihu Root told a friend that they both might go to jail for failing to master the tax form, but jail would "be an intellectual center, for no one understands the Income Tax law except persons who have not sufficient intelligence to understand the questions that arise under it."

Complexity increased and the principle of progressivity was largely vitiated by the practice of writing arcane loopholes into the law. By the mid-1960s a senator complained: "The first nine pages of the Internal Revenue Code define income; the remaining 1,100 pages spin the web of exemptions and preferences."

The web was spun primarily for two reasons. Wrinkles in the code were Congress' way of legislating social policy without appropriating public funds. And the idelogy of individualism — the myth that incomes reflect rugged individual attainment, not socially conferred and shaped "faculties" — made Americans weakly committed to the principle of progressivity. So weakly that it was virtually abandoned in 1986 in the name of reform.

The strong — wealthy, high achieving, socially competent individuals — contribute much to society because they have benefited much from society. So they should pay a lot of the upkeep of the civilization that confers as well as rewards their faculties. But that notion may itself be an anachronism in a nation that seems to believe that taxation, with or without representation, is tyranny.

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Stanford physicists pop their corks after catching some Z's

Associated Press

Physicists popped champagne corks after a $125 million atom smasher made its first Z particle, a milestone in the quest to "understand what's in the mind of God" by studying the birth of the universe and the makeup of matter.

"I'm happy, with relief and joy," said Burton Richter, 1976 Nobel laureate in physics and director of the Stanford Linear Accelerator Center, 30 miles southeast of San Francisco.

Richter said scientists drank champagne Wednesday after confirming one Z particle was produced Tuesday by the 3-mile-long Stanford Linear Collider after an almost two-year delay.

While Z particles are incredibly tiny, they are the heaviest known fundamental particle of matter, weighing the same as 100 protons, the positively charged particles in the center of atoms. They can be thought of as "heavy light" because they are a heavier version of photons, particles that carry light.

Discovered by European scientists in 1983, Z particles are so heavy they could have existed naturally only for an instant after the "big bang" — the incomprehensible explosion scientists believe formed the universe up to 20 billion years ago.

Stanford's collider is designed to mass-produce Z particles by smashing together electrons — negatively charged particles that make a television picture — and their antimatter counterparts, called positrons. Mass production of thousands of Z particles will take months, Richter cautioned.

The scientists at the European Laboratory for Particle Physics (CERN) found the particle by using a collider in which protons are smashed against the antimatter counterparts called antiprotons.

Since 1983, hundreds of Z particles have been produced at different kinds of particle smashers at CERN and at Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory near Chicago. Those machines produced some Z particles but mostly other products of atomic decay.

The Stanford collider and one being built at CERN's lab in Geneva are to produce mostly Z particles.

Temperatures approach 1 million-billion degrees at the tiny collision point inside Stanford's machine, coming close to re-creating conditions that existed in the first one-tenth of one-billionth of a second after the big bang, said California Institute of Technology physicist Alan Weinstein.

"We're doing this to try and understand more about the physical universe: the fundamental building blocks of matter and the forces that hold those building blocks together," Richter said.

The collider will let physicists "peer deeper into matter and look back at what the universe was like nearer and nearer to its beginning," he added.

The particle, Stanford physicist Michael Riordan said, is "the key to understanding the birth of the universe. It helps us understand the forces that bind matter together and make it decay" radioactively.

Richter said last year that "what we're really after is trying to understand what's in the mind of God."

The collider's successful creation of its first Z particle is a triumph for American physicists and for Richter.



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Thyroid treatment doesn't faze first lady



Barbara Bush

WASHINGTON (AP) — Barbara Bush says she feels fine after a radioactive thyroid treatment and will continue life as usual except that she can't hold her grandchildren or puppies in her lap or kiss anyone for 72 hours.

Looking fit after a reception with the Queen of Sweden, Mrs. Bush told reporters Wednesday, "I feel wonderful.'

That morning the first lady underwent a common procedure for her recently diagnosed Graves disease. She drank a radioactive iodine solution to deactivate her thyroid gland, which was producing excess levels of hormones.

Talking to a handful of reporters after standing in a half-hour receiving line and speaking at the reception, she complained that news coverage of her health was overshadowing the issues she wanted to focus on, such as Queen's Silvia's work on behalf of the disabled.

"Will you stop it?" she implored the reporters.

She jokingly pretended to be infirm, staggering up to the reporters and leaning on the arm of her press secretary. Then she told the group, "I could Indian wrestle any one of you to the ground."

She said she swam a mile Thursday and Monday and played tennis on Wednesday, and hoped to keep exercising to keep off the 21 pounds that the disease had caused her to lose.

In reference to the weight loss, she said, "I like half of my disease. In fact I love half of it."

She said she had wanted to wear an eye patch or arrive in a wheelchair just to tweak the press, but her press secretary nixed the prank.

During a two-hour visit to Walter Reed Army Medical Center, Mrs. Bush sipped the radioactive solution through a straw, and said it tasted like water.

She also had her eyes examined and they were found to have no damage from the disease, which had caused some eye irritation, she said.

Her condition can cause the eyes to keep opening and water, "so it looks weird," Mrs. Bush said.

She anticipates no aftereffects from the radiation treatment, except an eventual slight neck pain, she said. The doctors also told her not to hold her dog's new puppies or her 11 grandchildren for 72 hours, because their thyroids are small and more susceptible to any effects of radiation.

Mrs. Bush said doctors led her to believe that was just a precaution and may have been "almost an old wives tale."

The Bushes canceled a weekend trip to Kennebunkport, Maine, but aides said it was unrelated to Mrs. Bush's condition, resulting instead from visits by family members to Washington this weekend, as well as the president's desire to stick around while budget talks are nearing conclusion with Congress.

Mrs. Bush's press secretary Anna Perez said the first lady joked throughout her visit to the hospital.

After the radiation treatment takes effect and deactivates her thyroid gland, probably in two to three months, Mrs. Bush will have to take daily medication to maintain adequate hormone levels, said Ms. Perez.

For several weeks, Mrs. Bush has been taking methimazole to block production of excess hormones and will continue to take it until blood levels of thyroid hormones fall below normal levels.

She then will switch to a thyroid hormone replacement supplement, Ms. Perez said.

Congressional hunger panel says pact should aid Sudan

Hearst News Service

WASHINGTON — A congressional delegation that has just returned from Sudan claimed Wednesday that it struck an accord between warring factions in the drought-plagued nation that should allow emergency food shipments to move more freely to those in need.

Rep. Mickey Leland, D-Texas, who is chairman of the Select Committee on Hunger, and Reps. Michael McNulty and Gary Ackerman, both New York Democrats, optimistically predicted the agreements would prevent the type of mass starvation that claimed the lives of an estimated 250,000 Sudanese last year.

At the same time, the congressmen glumly acknowledged that thousands of Sudanese are still destined to starve to death this year. They also criticized the United Nations for moving too slowly in getting help from western Europe and Japan to expand a $133 million famine-relief program, financed primarily by the United States.

Food relief workers from a variety of private organizations are racing to get food into Sudan — primarily into the southern part of the country where the fighting and the hunger is greatest — before the rainy season starts in May.

The food-delivery agreements, negotiated during a 12-day tour of Africa by the congressman involved Sudanese rebel leader Col. John Garang and Sudan Prime Minister Sadiq Al-Mahdi.

The warring factions agreed to remove land mines from at least eight so-called "corridors of peace" — roads used to move food. Garang, who recently rejected a U.N. call for a month-long cease fire in the war, also agreed that rebel troops will not attack food delivery vehicles as they have done in the past.

Leaders of the neighboring nations of Kenya and Ethiopia agreed to assist in food deliveries by expediting travel permits for relief workers, removing visa restrictions and hastening customs clearances.

The government in Khartoum in the predominantly Moslem northern part of Sudan and the rebels in the south, representing people who, for the most part, are Christians or animists, have used starvation as a weapon during a six-year-old civil war.

"There are going to be problems, but the fact of the matter is that prior to now there was not free passage of food," McNulty said. "Over the next four to six weeks, we'll probably get tens of thousands of metric tons of food into southern Sudan and tens of thousands of people will be alive who would have starved to death."

Despite the problems of moving food into an area that remains at war, the congressional members said the new agreements between Garang and Sadiq will help.

But Ackerman noted that " people are going to die no matter what we do."

Leland added: "You know that things are really bad in Sudan when people keep leaving the country to go to Ethiopia in search of food."

U.N. officials have said that they intend to get as much as 170,000 metric tons of food into Sudan before the rains begin. But the congressional delegates said they doubt the relief efforts will be that extensive.

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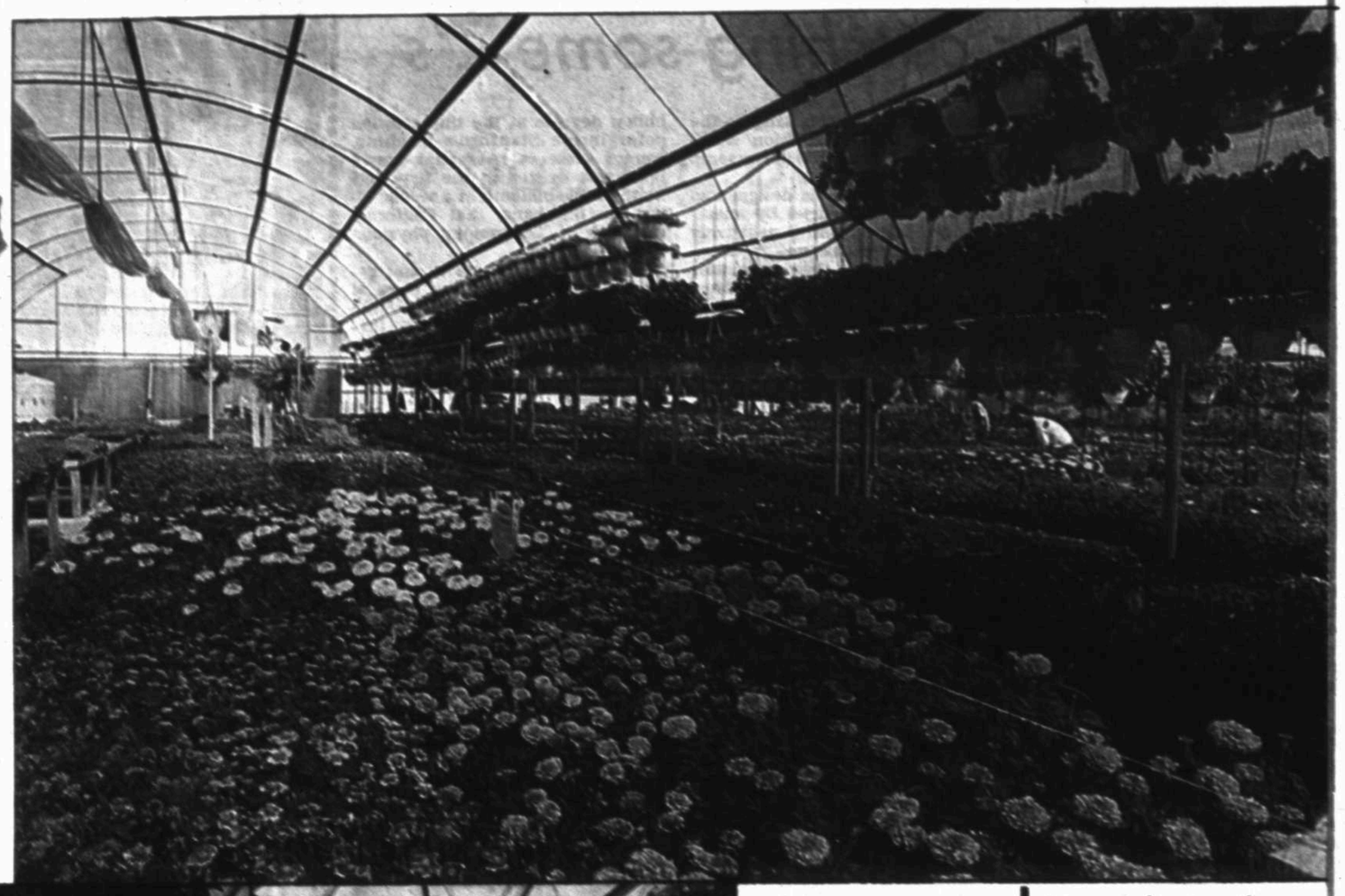
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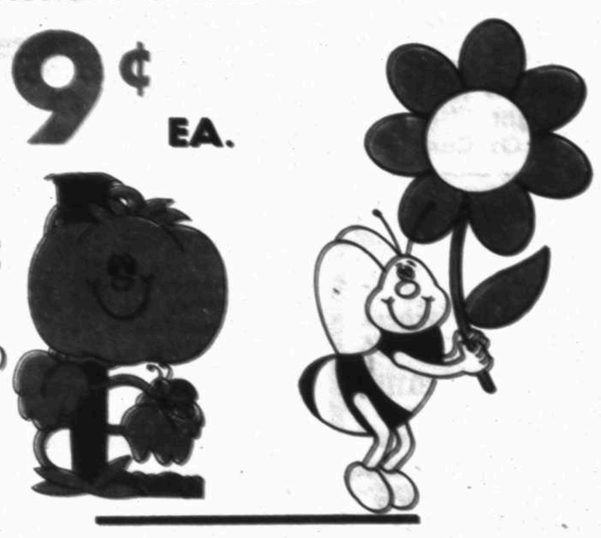
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UTPB budgeted $14.8 million under plan

By JAMES CULLEN
Reporter-Telegram Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — The University of Texas of the Permian Basin would get $14.8 million in the next two years under a spending plan the Texas Senate approved Wednesday.

The Senate unanimously approved a $46.7 billion two-year budget for state government Wednesday that would spend 10.5 percent more than the 1989 budget level and includes $27.9 billion in general revenue, a 13.2 percent increase over the 1989 level.

While the budget does not require a tax increase, Sen. Kent Caperton, D-Bryan, Senate Finance Committe chairman, said $400 million in health and human services spending depends on a cigarette tax increase of 7 cents per pack that would generate $160 million plus $280 million in federal matching money.

Caperton and Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby said the cigarette tax makes sense, not only to generate revenue but also to discourage smoking, but Hobby said he does not see how it can be enacted in the face of Gov. Bill Clements' opposition.

"Our goal was to get a budget that was affordable, yet which meets the critical needs of Texas," Caperton said. "If a cigarette tax is not an option it's going to be very tight but I think we can make it."

Education was the top priority, taking $16.3 billion in general revenue funds. Of that amount, $10.9 billion went for public schools, an increase of $605 million, or 6 percent.

The Senate earmarked $400 million in aid for poor school districts. "Clearly that amount won't resolve all the disputes raised by Edgewood vs. Kirby," Caperton said, referring to the lawsuit by poor school districts challenging the state's method of financing public education.

"It is a step in the right direction," he said. "In the judgment of the Senate Finance Committee it is the best that can be accomplished within the current revenue outlook."

Higher education would get a $700 million increase, including a restoration of a 5 percent cut in December when the Legislative Budget Board balanced its budget recommendations with revenue that was then certified as available.

UTPB would get $14.8 million over the biennium, down from the 1989 spending level of $15.38 million, but the Senate would give the school $1.4 million more than the House Appropriations Committee included in its budget proposal for UTPB.

The Senate budgeted $175,000 for the Center for Energy and Economic Diversification as a new item at the Odessa campus.

The higher education budget includes $34 million for remedial education and $5.3 million for minority recruitment and retention. It also earmarks $10.6 million to improve the level of funding in South Texas higher education.

Midland College would get $5.5 million annually from the state, a 17 percent increase from 1989 levels. Community and junior colleges got a 28.3 percent overall increase in general funds. Universities would get a 14.6 percent overall increase in general revenues.

Faculty members would get pay raises averaging 7.1 percent each year, based on merit, Caperton said, but he noted that will still leave Texas below the national average for faculty salary.

Health and Human Services also would get a $5.4 billion general revenue budget, a 13 percent increase over 1989 levels.

The Senate bill would not close any mental health centers, as the Legislative Budget Board draft proposed. It also would increase the number of caseworkers to investigate reports of child abuse and family violence, as Caperton noted the agency currently is unable to investigate one-third of reported cases due to lack of staff.

State employees would get a $350 million wage and health benefits plan to be developed by a subcommittee that Sen. Gonzalo Barrientos, D-Austin, will head.

"This budget is not an overly generous one," Caperton said. "Sometimes this Senate has been criticized for being a little bit overly generous in allowing fat to enter into the budget...Anyone who scrutinizes this budget will find it is a lean one."

The Senate easily defeated the only floor amendment by Sen. Craig Washington, D-Houston, to earmark $200,000 annually to help death row convicts carry their appeals to the U.S. Supreme Court. Opponents argued the help was available elsewhere.

The House Appropriations Committee is expected to take its bill to the House floor April 20.

Candidates speak out on issues

By JANE MARLER DEES
Staff Writer

City Council candidates condensed their philosophies into two-minute sound bites Wednesday at a gathering of Republican women.

Almost all the candidates spoke — in alphabetical order — against raising taxes and in support of budgetary constraints and the importance of crime prevention.

District 1 incumbent Bill Williams and District 2 candidate the Rev. Bill Palmer were not able to attend the function.

District 2 candidates Jose Cuevas Jr. and Robbyne Fuller spoke first.

Cuevas said the city will be in need of business experience and that he can deliver it.

He said he has taken his restaurant from a fledgling three-man operation into a business that registered more than $1 million in sales last year.

"I'm committed to do everything I can for my district and the city of Midland," he said.

Mrs. Fuller said her "reasons for running are genuine."

She noted that her key platform issues include economic development and diversification, promoting tourism, neighborhood development, bettering relationships between City Hall and city employees and fiscal responsibility.

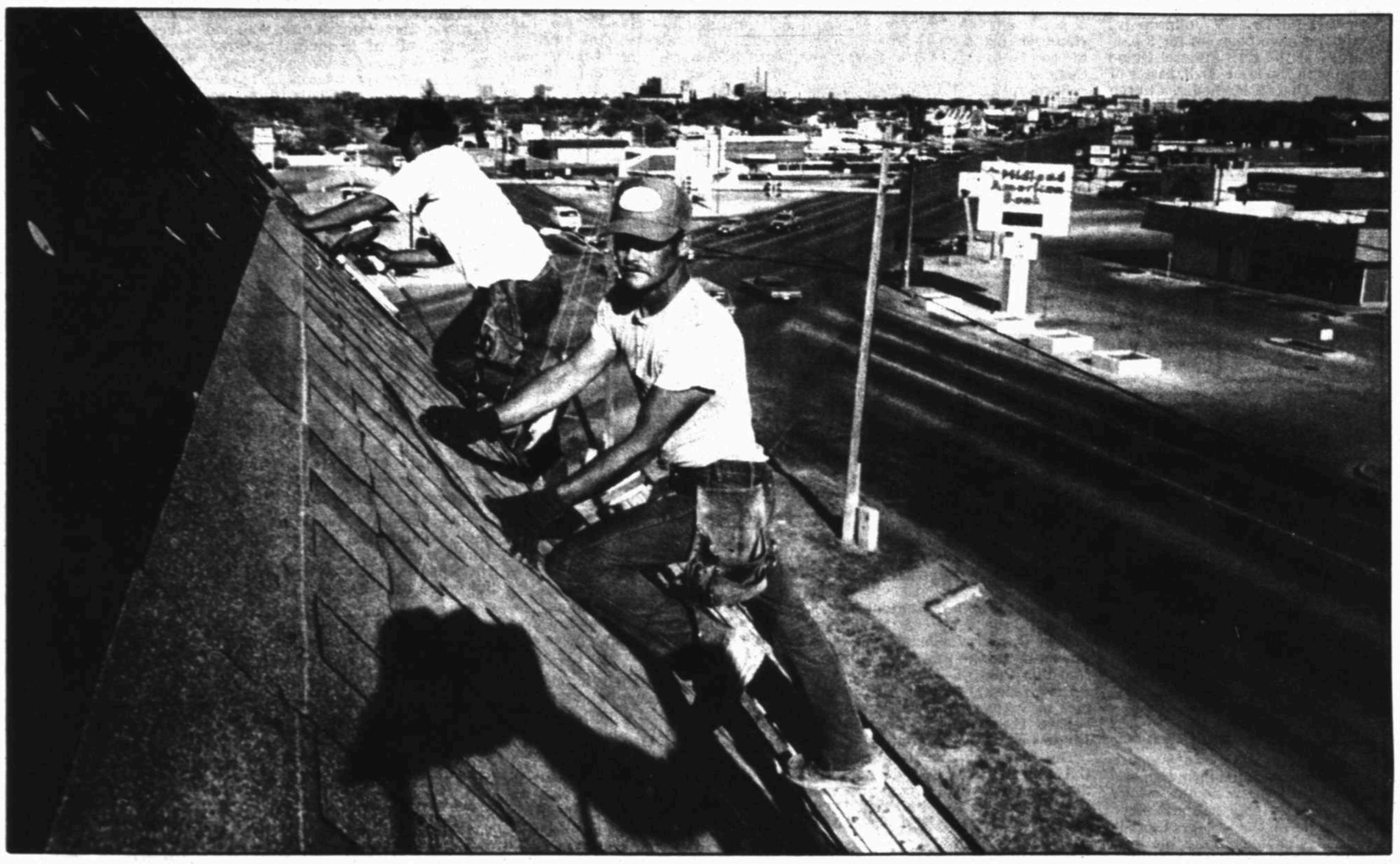
Two of the five running for at-large seats will be elected May 6. The field includes Grier Brunson, John Castro, J.D. Faircloth, Leslie Hinds and Hugh White III.

Brunson, a fourth-generation Midlander, said priorities have changed since the days he spent with his grandparents on their ranch in Glasscock County.

He said he believes it's time to "remember old-fashioned Midland values."

Those values include tightening fiscal expenditures and "leading by example."

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George Wolf/Reporter-Telegram

On the roof

Sam Williams, forground, and Gus Sorola, working for Stanley Roofing, get a bird's-eye view of Midland as they apply shingles to the roof of Memorial Christian Church, located Andrews Highway and Cuthbert.

Woman wins $15,000 in suit against Odessa Albertson's

By ED TODD
Staff Writer

A 79-year-old Andrews widow who was given the wrong medication for treatment of anxiety in May of 1987 by an Albertson's supermarket pharmacy in Odessa has been awarded $15,000 in damages by a federal jury in Midland.

The woman, Bernice Lisenbee, had sought $150,000 in actual damages in the jury trial presided over by U.S. District Court Chief Judge Lucius D. Bunton.

Mrs. Lisenbee claimed that Odessa internist Dr. V. Ramesh Babu had prescribed for her Ativan, an anti-anxiety drug. However, exactly what tablets the pharmacist used to fill the prescription remained in dispute even after the lawsuit was resolved in federal court this week.

"That was the whole difficulty of the case," said Steve Hershberger, a Midland lawyer who represented Mrs. Lisenbee in the lawsuit. "They couldn't say positively what the medication was because it's gone. They gave her something, and we don't know what it was," he said. "And they (Albertson's) don't either."

The woman briefly took the medication but ceased taking the tablets after she "started feeling pretty bad," Hershberger said. She started having cardiac arrhythmia — irregular heartbeats.

"I was pleased simply because Midland federal juries tend to be conservative," said Hershberger, who practices law in Odessa. "We are happy simply because they (jurors) believed our version of the events. Under the circumstances, we're happy."

However, Richard Bonner, an Odessa lawyer who represented the defendant, Albertson's, in the litigation, was not wholly in agreement with Hershberger.

"We admitted we made a mistake," Bonner said. "We misfilled a prescription."

But Bonner said that the medication mistakenly given Mrs. Lisenbee was Diethylstilbestrol — a female hormone, estrogen.

"It was our position that there was no medical proof that there was any adverse reaction from her taking the drug," Bonner said. "The drug given the woman was Diethylstilbestrol. And that's exactly what it was."

Bonner said an Albertson's pharmacist confirmed that, but Hershberger was not convinced. And the jury, Hershberger said, did not determine what medication mistakenly was given the woman.

"I think by their verdict, the jurors said, 'We basically don't know what the medication was,'" Hershberger said.

However, court records reflect that Babu's Ativan prescription filled by Albertson's on May 13, 1987, was labeled Delatestryl — a male sex hormone, testosterone, which comes in liquid form.

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Lawyer announces her intention to run for state treasurer

By JANE MARLER DEES
Staff Writer

As a television reporter in the early 1970s, Kay Bailey Hutchison used to cover the state Capitol.

Now she wants an office there.



Hutchison

Wednesday, the Dallas attorney and small businesswoman announced she will run for State Treasurer in 1990.

At this early stage, her platform hinges on three broad issues: no new taxes, tighter controls on budgetary spending and attracting new businesses to Texas.

Although the state's economy will not fully recover until the banking, thrifts and oil industries do, the Republican woman says Texas can earn money with some shrewd financial planning.

Mrs. Bailey, a former Dallas bank director and senior vice president and general counsel for First RepublicBank Corp., now NCNB Texas, supports use of "electronic fund transfers" (EFT), she told reporters at a Midland County Republican Women's Club luncheon Wednesday.

If EFT were implemented more fully, Texas' debts and credits would be paid or collected via computers — not the mail.

The move would allow the state treasury an opportunity to soak every drop of interest from funds sitting in its coffers.

"We could earn millions while the money was sitting there waiting to be paid out," she exclaimed.

If elected, Mrs. Bailey says she would hope to assist getting the banks and thrifts back on "an even keel" via the State Treasurer's guaranteed seat on the state's Banking Board.

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Apartment manager says outcome of rape victim suit to be discussed

By JULIE HILLRICHS
Staff Writer

Local apartment managers weren't commenting this week on a $1 million jury award presented to a 36-year-old Odessa rape victim whose apartment complex neglected to provide adequate security.

However, at least one person acknowledged that security will be the "hot topic" of future discussions in light of the outcome.

"It's definitely something we're going to have to take a serious look at," said a Midland apartment manager, speaking on the condition of anonymity.

Clusters Apartments manager Cindy Inman "couldn't begin to comment on the matter," following discussions with the Dallas-based management firm that owns and operates that complex at 4415 Northcrest Drive, she said.

Chaparral Apartment managers also refrained from comment, saying they would first have to discuss the situation with their management company headquartered in Tulsa, Okla.

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32 students to compete in spelling bee

From Staff Reports

A total of 32 students from four West Texas counties have spelled their way through tough preliminary meets to earn the chance to compete in this Saturday's Regional Spelling Bee sponsored by the Midland Reporter-Telegram.

Registration for the bee will begin at 8:30 a.m. in the Midland College Fine Arts Auditorium.

The winner — chosen from a group of fourth through eighth graders in public and private schools in Midland, Glasscock, Upton and Martin counties — will go on to Washington, D.C., to compete in the 62nd Annual Scripps Howard National Spelling Bee May 28-June 3.

American Airlines is providing air fare to the nation's capital, the Reporter-Telegram is paying for hotel accommodations and Scripps Howard is arranging tours and awarding prizes worth more than $14,500. The winner also will receive a 32-volume set of The New Encyclopedia Britannica, $50 cash and a first place trophy.

A Random House Dictionary, $25 cash and a second place trophy goes to the runner-up.

Other prizes include a Webster's Ninth New Collegiate Dictionary, $10 cash and trophy to the third place finisher; a Webster's Thesaurus and trophy for fourth place; and the World Almanac and Book of Facts and trophy for fifth place.

Students honed their word skills with the 1989 Words of Champions to prepare for the preliminary competitions held earlier at the individual schools.

The Louisville Courier Journal in Louisville, Ky., organized the first bee in 1925 with nine newspaper sponsors participating. Scripps Howard acquired the rights to the competition in 1941.

A total of 182 newspapers representing 48 states, the District of Columbia, Guam, Puerto Rico, Mexico and the Virgin Islands hosted local bees in preparation for last year's competition.

The Reporter-Telegram was among 12 new newspaper sponsors to join the bee in 1988.

Arts on Parade

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sponsored by Arts Assembly of Midland, the fifth annual Celebration of the Arts began April 11 and runs through May 14. Actual Festival Days are May 6-7 at Midland Center, Centennial Plaza and the Courthouse Lawn. COA's Preview Reception, honoring Mary Griffith, is set for May 5 at Midland Center. The Assembly is Midland's umbrella organization for the arts. Events listed below include those occuring during the celebration time period which are sponsored by the Assembly as official COA events and those being staged by member organizations. For more information on any event listed here, call the Assembly, 687-1149, or the organization sponsoring the event.



THURSDAY, APRIL 13

— 6 p.m.: Prelude Party, Midland-Odessa Symphony, Barn Door Restaurant, Odessa, for reservations call the Symphony Concert Line, 563-5269, ADMISSION CHARGED and RESERVATIONS REQUIRED.

— 8 p.m.: Midland-Odessa Symphony & Chorale's Master Season Concert No. 5 — "An All Beethoven Evening," 8 p.m., Lee High School Auditorium, call 563-5269 for more information, ADMISSION CHARGED.

— 8 p.m.: Neil Simon's "I Ought to be in Pictures," presented by Midland Community Theatre, Davis Theatre I, Theatre Midland, 2000 W. Wadley Ave., for reservations call 682-4111, ADMISSION CHARGED.

DEATHS

Abe Johnson

Abe Johnson, 56, of Midland died Wednesday at his home.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday at Macedonia Baptist Church with Rev. O.J. Archie officiating. Burial will follow at Fairview Cemetery with Jackson Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.



Johnson

Johnson was born Oct. 3, 1932 in Moody. He married Mattie Marie Johnson on Nov. 1, 1969. He was a Midland County deputy sheriff, a custodian in the Midland public schools and a veteran of World War II.

Survivors include his wife; five daughters, Sandra Johnson, Connie Johnson and Shirley Johnson, all of Waco, and Patricia Johnson and Merlisa Brown, both of Midland; three sisters, Urelene Freeman, Nora Lee and Nancy Givens, all of Denton; one brother, Cornelious Johnson of Waco and six grandchildren.

During World War II he served in the Air Force in the South Pacific from 1941-44. During the Korean War he served as a medical supply officer in the First Cavalry Division from 1951-53. They moved to Midland from Lubbock in 1948 where he practiced podiatry until 1984 when he retired.

He served on the Podiatry Board of Examiners for four terms, and was president of the Texas Podiatry Association from 1958-59. He also was a member of the Midland Shrine Club, was a Mason and belonged to the Suez Temple.

Survivors include his wife, Virginia Yoder Johnson of Midland; one son, James Harvey Johnson, D.V.M., of College Station; two daughters, Mrs. Steve (Bunny) Williams of Stephenville and Mrs. Pat Creighton of Rosanky; one brother, Theodore E. Johnson of Bossier City, La.; one sister, Geraldine Patchin of Reno, Nev.; four grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

The family requests memorials be directed to Hospice of Midland, P.O. Box 2621, Midland, Texas, 79702.

A.V. Johnson Jr.

Services for Dr. A.V. Johnson Jr., of Midland have been set for 3 p.m. Saturday at the Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with Dr. James Bell, pastor of the First United Methodist Church in Post, officiating. Interment will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park with Ellis Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Johnson died Wednesday afternoon at his home.

He was born Jan. 15, 1916 in Balmorhea. He graduated from Kanawha College in West Virginia in 1936. He later graduated Cum Laude from Illinois College of Podiatry in Chicago in 1939.

Thelma Pipkin

Thelma Alice Pipkin, 73, of Eastland died Wednesday morning at an Abilene health care center.

Funeral services were to be held at 3 p.m. today at Bakker Funeral Home Chapel in Eastland, with burial to follow at the Eastland Cemetery.

Born July 27, 1915, in Blue Ridge W.Va., Mrs. Pipkin and her husband, James T. Pipkin, lived in Midland from 1950 to 1960. He died in 1987.

She is survived by her son, James H. Pipkin of DeSoto; daughter, Mrs. Jeannie Owen of Eastland; brother Charls Hickman of Tyler; and five grandchildren, one great-grandchild and several nieces and nephews.

The family asks that memorials be sent to the West Texas Rehabilitation Center in Abilene.

Suits against Monahans council, school certified as class-action

By JULIE HILLRICHS
Staff Writer

The League of United Latin American Citizens apparently has won a first-round contest with the Monahans City Council and Monahans-Wickett-Pyote Independent School District.

Earlier this week, the two government bodies agreed to class-action certification of two lawsuits filed by LULAC seeking to change the at-large method of elections to single-member districts.

An Aug. 7 trial date in federal court in Pecos has been set for the lawsuit against the school district. The lawsuit against the city is expected to be heard Sept. 11.

Midland attorney Ted Kerr, who represents the Monahans-Wickett-Pyote ISD, said today that the school district decided to agree with the contention that the litigation is class-action.

By class-action, Kerr means that all Mexican-Americans residing in the district now and in the future will be considered members of the class. And whatever judgment is entered in the suit will be be binding on the class, he said.

"I think it's becoming more and more routine," Kerr said of the school board's decision not to contend the class-action certification during a regular meeting Tuesday night.

City Council members also met in executive session Tuesday to discuss the lawsuit, according to City Attorney John Stikels, who declined to elaborate on the discussion.

"After the session, the City Council decided not to contest the class action certification," Stikel said.

LULAC attorney William Garrett of Dallas could not be reached for comment this morning.

LULAC claims in the lawsuits filed Feb. 23 in U.S. District Court in Midland that the at-large method of electing city council and school board members dilutes minority votes.

The suits were filed in conjunction with another against the Midland City Council seeking to change two at-large positions to single-member districts.

In 1984, the city of Midland reached an out-of-court settlement with LULAC and the Black Advisory Council resulting in the creation of four single-member district positions with the mayor and two council members elected at large.

SUIT

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Keith Richmond, Albertson's pharmacy manager who in court admitted that an Albertson pharmacist had misfilled the prescription, had identified the tablets in the bottle as Diethylstilbestrol, the female hormone, estrogen, before the bottle and tablets were discarded.

However, Babu, who had examined the tablets in May of 1987 after Mrs. Lisenbee experienced side effects, said in a deposition that he "could not determine what they (the tablets) were."

Hershberger said the internist had checked his edition of the "Physicians' Desk Reference" and still could not identify the tablets.

But if the tablets which Mrs. Lisenbee mistakenly took for Ativan were the female hormone Diethylstilbestrol, then it "shouldn't cause any problems because it is an estrogen," said Babu, who had prescribed other medications for the woman, who had complained of bronchial asthma, anxiety and indigestion — dyspepsia. "I wouldn't expect taking a female hormone such as Diethylstilbestrol to cause any type of permanent problem."

Hershberger said he was "pleased with the victory" for his client. "It was difficult for us because the medicine wasn't there. We would have called a toxicologist to testify. But all of the ones we talked to, none would testify unless they knew what the medicine was."

RAPE

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The victim sued the owners and operators of Winwood Apartments in Odessa after she was sexually assaulted at knife point in August 1985, alleging that the assailant entered the apartment through a patio door that landlords failed to repair despite requests that it be fixed.

None of the apartment managers contacted Wednesday by the Reporter-Telegram would speculate on the adequacy of their own security systems despite the fact that most advertise round-the-clock patrols.

Jurors ruled in a 10-2 verdict that Benchmark Properties Inc., which operates about 3,000 apartment units in the Midland-Odessa area, failed to use ordinary care in contributing to the sexual assault.

A company involved in the construction of Winwood and the victim were cleared of any wrongdoing.

After hearing four days of testimony, the all-male 70th District Court jury deliberated more than nine hours before awarding the victim $956,000 in damages on Monday.

The victim was awarded $100,000 for past physical suffering, mental anguish, emotional distress, shame, embarrassment and humiliation, $25,000 for future sufferings, $3,000 for past medical and psychological care and $3,000 for future care.

She also received $825,000 in "additional damages."

LAWYER

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However, the state must not put all hopes of recovery on the oil industry and cited higher education as Texas' greatest tool of economic diversification.

In the future, Texas should hope to diversify via the high technology and defense industries, she added.

She supports the "people of Texas" who have voted to allow pari-mutuel wagering and believes it could mean big dollars for Texas.

Mrs. Bailey said it was merely a coincidence she is running for the only other major state office occupied by a woman, Ann Richards.

While maintaining she has nothing against Ms. Richards — herself eyeing the governor's race — Mrs. Bailey believes Republicans can nab all the chief offices in 1990 and orchestrate a Texas recovery as a political "team."

Mrs. Bailey was the first Republican woman elected to the Texas House of Representatives from Houston's 90th District in West University and Bellaire.

After serving two terms, she was appointed by former President Gerald Ford to the vice chairmanship of the National Transportation Safety Board.

Prior to that, Mrs. Bailey graduated from the University of Texas Law School and worked as a news reporter in Houston.

She chaired the Texas Women for Bush-Quayle and Texas Women for Reagan-Bush, served on the State Republican Executive Committee and is married to Ray Hutchison, former State Republican Party Chairman and a member of the Texas Legislature.

In addition, Mrs. Bailey has served on the State Treasurer's Asset Management Advisory Committee and as president of the UT Law School Alumni Association.

Bill would make taking officer's weapon felony

AUSTIN (AP) — The House approved a bill making it a felony to take or attempt to take a peace officer's weapon.

The bill by Rep. Bill Blackwood, R-Mesquite, would make it a third-degree felony to disarm or attempt to disarm an officer. The offense would be punishable by two to 10 years in prison and up to a $5,000 fine.

Icelandic parliament oldest

Iceland's Althing is the world's oldest surviving parliament, says National Geographic.

WEST TEXAS IN BRIEF

Group formed to help small business owners

From Staff Reports

Owners and operators of small businesses in the Permian Basin are invited to join in the free "Small Business Network."

It's designed to provide a support group for ideas, information, assistance, and morale-building through monthly meetings.

First meeting of the new group is being held today at 7:30 p.m. in Room 104, Occupational-Technical Building at Midland College. There's no cost to join or attend.

"Large companies and organizations often have all types of support, but the small business owner-operator frequently doesn't know where to turn, can't attend national meetings, and doesn't have any others in the area who understand his business or his problems," noted Dr. Jerry Jones, chairman of Midland College's Business Studies Division and director of the college's Business and Economic Development Center.

"Through our various small business seminars, we've noted there is a need for those involved to spend time together...and to continue to obtain more information."

Speakers for the first meeting will be attorneys Bill Morrow and Shane Stokes, discussing the legal aspects of business operations.

Future monthly meetings will have guest speakers to discuss small business management, record keeping, tax information, accounting, research, sales, marketing, advertising, and personnal management.

Jones said there will be a question and answer period during each meeting.

Drivers killed in 2 accidents

A 26-year-old Pecos man and 42-year-old Lamesa woman were killed Wednesday in separate one-vehicle accidents in the Permian Basin, the Department of Public Safety reported.

Ray Lee Gonzalez of Pecos suffered fatal injuries in an accident about 3:15 p.m. Wednesday, which occurred 13 miles west of Odessa on Interstate 20. He was driving a two-door 1975 Toyota west bound on the intersate when he ran off the south side of the road, then overcorrected and overturned at least twice on the center median, according to the DPS report.

Gonzalez was thrown from the car and pinned underneath it. He was pronounced dead at the scene by Ector County Justice of the Peace Manuel Valles, according to the DPS.

In the other accident, Judith Morton Barron of Lamesa was driving a 1980 Chevrolet pickup truck south on State Highway 349 in Martin County when the truck went off the left side of the road, then overcorrected. The vehicle skidded, then rolled over, throwing the woman from the vehicle.

She was pronounced dead at the scene by Martin County Justice of the Peace Shirley Scoggins, according to the DPS report.

Neither victim was wearing a seat belt, the DPS reports said.

Exercising while pregnant improves self-image, stress

Exercising while pregnant seems to improve self-image, relieve tension and decrease the common discomforts of pregnancy such as lower-back pain, says the Reebok Aerobic Information Bureau. It says a study of 845 pregnant subjects reported in The Physician and Sportsmedicine found that the more consistently the pregnant women exercised, the more they reaped benefits.

Man enters plea in tax case

Midland oil-field pumper Robert Cleon Brown, who allegedly owes the Internal Revenue Service more than $64,000 in back income taxes, on Wednesday pleaded guilty in U.S. Magistrate's Court to intimidating and impeding an IRS collections agent in carrying out her duties on Feb. 21.

Brown, 54, is to be sentenced at 9 a.m. on June 5 by U.S. Magistrate Robert Sykes, who could sentence Brown up to one year in prison and fine him $100,000.

Brown elected to tender his guilty plea to Sykes rather than to appear before U.S. District Court Chief Judge Lucius D. Bunton.

The federal prosecutor, Assistant U.S. Attorney Tom Beery, noted that the IRS had notified Brown on several occasions to pay his back taxes from 1983 through 1987, but Brown had declined to pay.

Subsequently, the IRS seized the Brown house at 4303 N. Parkdale Drive and had planned to auction the house to gain back taxes.

Brown was indicted last month for allegedly assaulting Lelia Pando, an IRS tax collections agent, after she, upon the consent of Brown's wife, Phyllis, had entered the house to show the residence to two prospective bidders.

Youths win clean-up contest

The Boys and Girls Club of Midland won first place in last Saturday's Glad Bag-A-Thon, which was sponsored by Keep Midland Beautiful and was geared at cleaning up the city.

Approximately 25 groups helped clean up the railroad right-of-way.

The winning team filled more than 25 bags of trash.

Free drinks were supplied by Refreshments Vending and pizza was donated by Pizza Hut, Dominos and Pizza Inn.

At the conclusion of the event, Union Pacific provided a brief train ride to participants from the Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, Campfire Girls and the Boys and Girls Club.

COUNCIL

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"I'll be responsible and I will be held accountable," Brunson said.

Castro believes his experience at the helm of a $4.5 million budget at Southwestern Bell will equip him with the business acumen needed to be a council member.

"We need to stop increasing taxes, buckle our belt and get tough," he said. Castro also advocates changing the meeting hours of the city council to an afternoon-night setting.

Colony Energy Vice President J.D. Faircloth is "concerned about the tremendous loss of leadership" resulting from incumbents who've opted not to run again.

Faircloth, a certified public accountant, said he has unique financial and managerial experience that would help him as a council member.

"Council must (continually) ask itself, 'Do we need it now? Can we afford it without raising taxes?'

"I will not vote for any measure that will reduce our police and fire protection," Faircloth added.

Priorities on his agenda, if elected, would include taxes, City Council priorities, the budget and crime.

Leslie Hinds says his experience as principal of four Midland Independent School District campuses, director of MISD personnel and as a real estate and oil investor give him the needed mix of experience a council-member must possess.

"I've voted for every bond issue that would make the city grow," Hinds said.

Hinds has been a Midland resident for more than 30 years.

"We can live in Midland...while maintaining or cutting our level of taxes," claimed Hugh White III, the last of the at-large candidates to speak Wednesday.

White's chief priorities, he said, are crime prevention and protection from fires.

"We can't keep spending and taxing and spending and taxing. We can have effective government with no new taxes," White said.

The City Council election is slated for May 6. Absentee voting begins April 17 and ends May 2.

SPELLING BEE 1989

The Reporter-Telegram will sponsor the 1989 Regional Spelling Bee April 15 at Midland College.

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

This daily column on words, their spellings, meanings and origins will be published through April 14. These words are typical of those used in bees but may not necessarily be used in competition.

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rapport — (noun) "Rapport" is a relationship characterized by harmony, conformity, accord or affinity. If you have a good "rapport" with someone, you get along with the person very well, or you feel a sense of closeness to that person. "Rapport" is a French word meaning a relation, connection or ratio and can be traced to the Old French word "rapporter" meaning to bring back. Because of its origin, "rapport" is not spelled the way it sounds. When pronouncing "rapport," remember the "t" is silent.

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

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Ethel Merman, the Broadway singing star, died in 1984.

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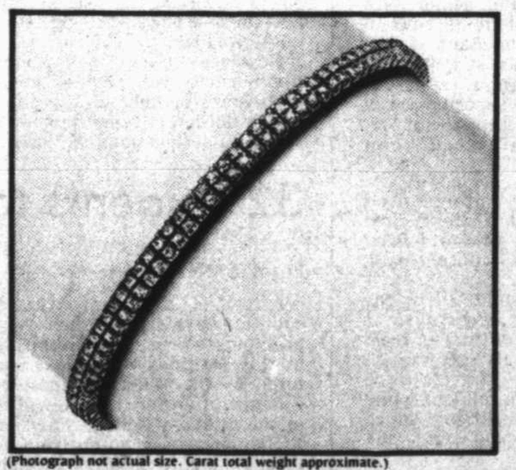


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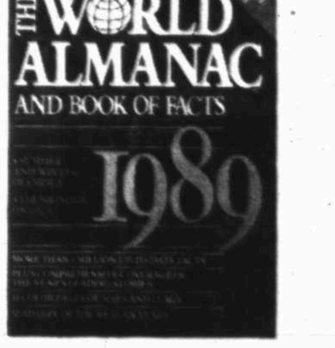

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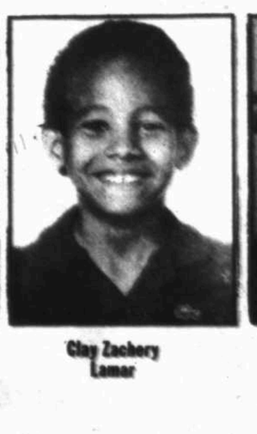

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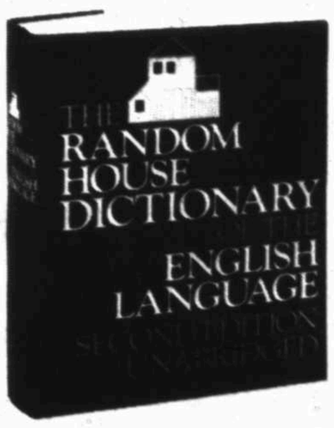
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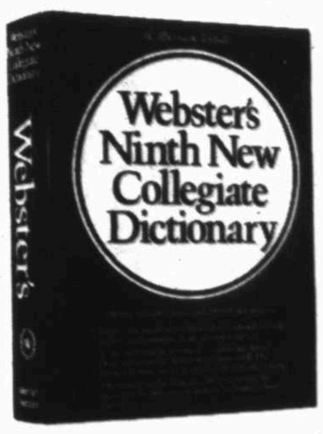
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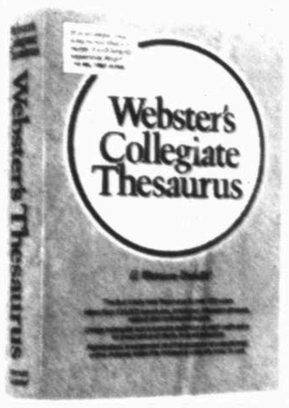
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b. 5th Place Trophy

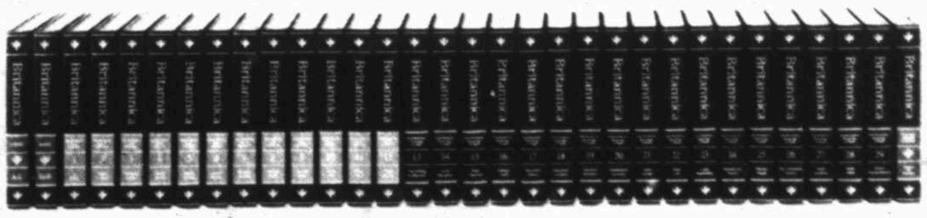
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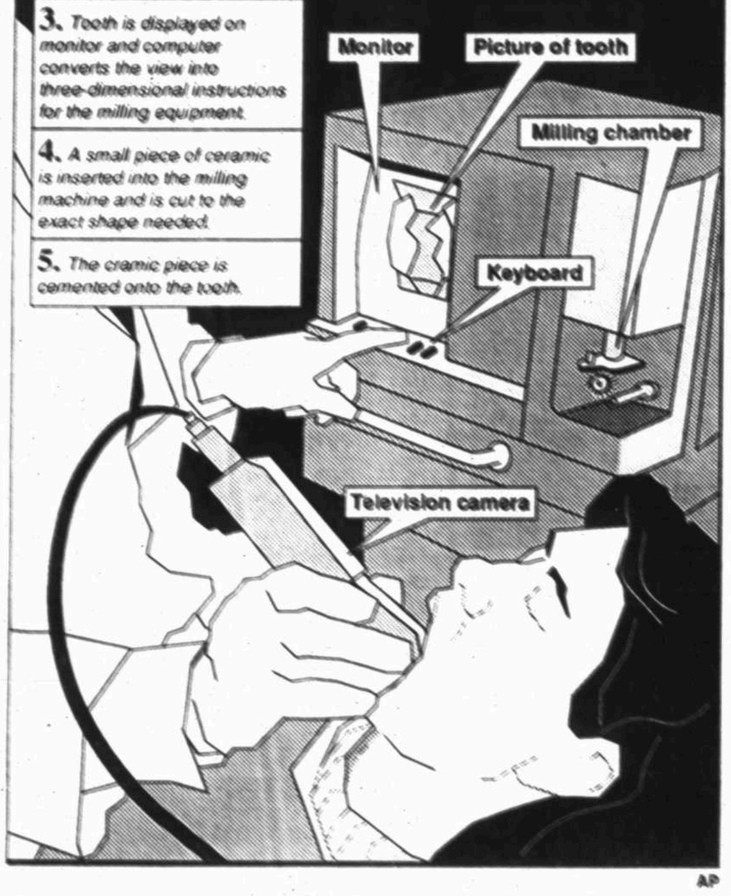
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Dental Design

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AP

Study shows cheeseburgers not all bad

By LEE SIEGEL

IRVINE, Calif. (AP) — A scientist found cancer-fighting fatty chemicals in cheese and grilled ground beef, but says it's no excuse for people to go stuff themselves on cheeseburgers.

"People should be reassured to know there are things in food that prevent cancer," said microbiologist Michael Pariza, who conducted the research as director of the University of Wisconsin's food safety research institute.

But saturated fats and cholesterol also found in beef and cheese have been linked previously to heart disease and some cancers.

So "we're certainly not suggesting that people go out and chow down on cheese and hamburgers," Pariza said recently during the American Cancer Society's science writers' seminar.

He said fears of cancer-causing substances in food were aggravated by recent reports of Alar in apples and aflatoxin in grain, as well as a 1986 Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory study that found well-done fried and broiled hamburgers contain chemicals that cause cancer and mutations in rodents.

Pariza said his findings show that "in many foods there are good substances that may counteract the effect of bad substances. That's why it's a good idea to eat a balanced diet."

His study found varying amounts of the cancer-inhibiting fatty acids — called CLA, or conjugated linoleic acids — in hamburger and natural and processed cheeses. Highest levels were in Cheese Whiz sandwich spread, followed by grilled hamburger.

Pariza, worried about public reaction to his study, said that two men whose wives are dying of cancer called him and "wanted to know if their wives should eat more Cheese Whiz." He told them no.

American Heart Association spokesman Howard Lewis also expressed concern people might overinterpret the research by eating too much cheese and meat.

To prevent heart disease, the group recommends a balanced diet of fresh fruit and vegetables and foods low in cholesterol and saturated fat. Those include low-fat cheeses and lean meat trimmed of excess fat, Lewis said by phone from Dallas.

"If you eat a high-fiber, low-fat diet, the health benefits far outweigh the benefits of any CLA you can get through eating a lot of beef and cheese," said Dr. Vincent DeVita Jr., former National Cancer Institute director.

Dr. John Laszlo, the cancer society's senior vice president, defended the quality of Pariza's research. He said it raises the possibility that CLA someday might be given to people to help prevent cancer. Pariza emphasized much more research is needed to learn if that would work.

Pariza's discovery that CLA in hamburger can inhibit cancer "illustrates what an oversimplification it is to make pronouncements about diet and cancer," Laszlo added.

At the time of the 1986 report that hamburger contains chemicals that cause cancer in mice, scientists said the risk to humans was unknown. But as a precaution they recommended against cooking meat well-done.

Pariza's early studies also found carcinogens in cooked meat, but a few years ago he found a crude extract from grilled hamburger that was able to inhibit skin cancer in mice exposed to a potent cancer-causing chemical.

In his latest research, he purified and identified CLA in extracts of cheeses and grilled hamburger.

One group of mice was given CLA and a second group received none of the substance. All the mice were later fed a strong doses of a cancer-causing chemical.

This was repeated weekly for four weeks, and the mice were killed after 20 weeks. Mice that received CLA and the carcinogen averaged two tumors in the forestomach, compared with five tumors in mice that got only the carcinogen.

CLA has been known for 50 years, and occurs naturally in human blood and mother's milk and in most animal products, Pariza said, adding that his research revealed its cancer-fighting properties.

He theorizes CLA inhibits cancer by blocking damage to chromosomes, or basic hereditary information in all cells, caused by chemicals called oxygen-free radicals.

Risk of bleeding stroke high in men with low cholesterol

BOSTON (AP) — The risk of bleeding strokes is significantly higher than usual among men who have very low cholesterol levels but high blood pressure, a recently study published concludes.

The research found that men with blood cholesterol levels under 160 were three times more likely than those with higher cholesterol levels to suffer bleeding strokes. But this increase appeared to be explained entirely by a substantially higher risk in those with high blood pressure.

The researchers said the findings should not be taken as an excuse to stop trying to lower cholesterol to prevent heart disease.

Of the 350,977 men studied, 3,986 had unusually low cholesterol levels — under 160 milligrams per deciliter of blood, and diastolic blood pressures above 90, which is considered to be elevated. In this group, there were nine bleeding strokes, a rate that works out to 23 strokes for every 10,000 men.

By comparison, among men with low cholesterol but low blood pressure as well, there were just under two bleeding strokes per 10,000 people, the same as for all men with low blood pressure.

The men with low cholesterol levels did not face any unusual risk of strokes resulting from blood clots inside the brain. These are more common than bleeding strokes.

The men with low cholesterol also had a sharply lower risk of dying from all kinds of cardiovascular disease. For those with cholesterols between 140 and 160, there were 46 cardiovascular deaths per 10,000 people, compared with 83 cardiovascular deaths for the total group.

The study was based on the Multiple Risk Factor Intervention Trial. The latest analysis, by Dr. Hiroyasu Iso and colleagues at the University of Minnesota, was published in today's New England Journal of Medicine.

Fish oil seems to relieve some diseases, doctor says

BOSTON (AP) — Fish oil's ability to lower the body's production of two substances that cause inflammation may explain why it sometimes seems to relieve arthritis and other diseases, researchers recently reported.

The researchers studied the effects in the blood when nine healthy people took 18 fish oil capsules a day for six weeks.

"We found a very dramatic reduction in the ability of their white blood cells to make tumor necrosis factor and interleukin-1," said Dr. Charles A. Dinarello, who reported his study in the New England Journal of Medicine.

"This is the first time that any dietary manipulation has been shown to change the production of these inflammatory compounds."

Doctors have long noticed that Eskimos and others who eat lots of oily ocean fish have less heart disease than other people. They also are less likely to get arthritis, juvenile diabetes and other diseases that involve overactive inflammatory responses.

Some studies suggest that fish oil supplements can lower blood cholesterol, protecting the arteries from damaging buildups.

Dinarello, a researcher at New England Medical Center in Boston, said the latest work implies that fish oil also protects the heart by reducing inflammation in the arteries that may lead to thickening of the artery walls.

Ten weeks after they stopped taking fish oil, the volunteers' production of interleukin-1 had fallen 61 percent and tumor necrosis factor had dropped 40 percent.

Dinarello cautioned that the study did not include a comparison group, and said other kinds of oil supplements could have similar effects.

Human teeth smaller, dentists say

DENVER (AP) — Our teeth are about half the size of those of Neanderthal man, according to the Academy of General Dentistry.

The academy says that shrinkage in the past 100,000 years is the result of a change in diet and food preparation. In Neanderthal times, man's staple of raw animal flesh had to be ripped and ground with the teeth.

Teeth were still vital for tearing, milling and grinding in the Ice Age. But when cooking was introduced, large teeth were less essential.

In the last 1,000 years, agricultural developments significantly changed food preparation and diet, resulting in a decrease in meat consumption and an increase in carbohydrates.

Dr. John C. Brown, president of the academy, says customs also contributed to the decrease in teeth size. In India, stones were used to grind grain, which added abrasive particles to the already coarse grain. Aborigines pounded the bodies of small animals they ate, adding bone particles to the meat. American Indians prepared food in hot sands, creating abrasives.

"Today, food is more refined," says Brown, "but eating hard fruits and vegetables, apples, carrots and celery is necessary and beneficial to the teeth.

Modern Plastic Surgery

by Sylvan Bartlett, M.D., ASPRS

A BUSINESS DECISION

It is a fact of life in the business world that a person's appearance can be every bit as important as his or her ability. In fact, one particular study shows that employers, when presented with sets of "before-and-after" photographs of middle-aged men, preferred those without jowls, baggy eyelids and wrinkles. Only three years ago, a very prominent daily business newspaper featured an article of the advantages that corporate executives experienced when they underwent plastic surgery. Many found that their stalled careers got back on track. Of course, this is not to say that a person can experience business success based on looks alone. However, if he or she qualifies to get ahead, an improved appearance may well help. In such cases, undergoing plastic surgery may be as much a business decision as it is a cosmetic one.

In addition to an analysis of the anatomical goals of the patient, the surgeon considers your personal goals and general attitudes. These will be carefully considered to determine the most advantageous course to be followed. This column has been presented in the interest of better public awareness of the benefits and limitations of plastic surgery. SYLVAN BARTLETT, M.D., 5030 E. University, Suite C-104 in Odessa. 367-3383 or 563-3110. Office hours: Mon.-Fri. 8-5. "Member ASPRS".

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Ex-Exxon employee says he never saw captain drink on job

WINNSBORO (AP) — A former Exxon employee said he never saw the skipper of the Exxon Valdez supertanker take a drink while he worked with him and also said the oil company should share some of the blame, according to a copyright story.


Birdsong

Wayne Birdsong told the Winnsboro News that he never saw Hazelwood take a drink in the 20 years he worked with him. But that relationship ended six years ago, so conditions could have changed, Birdsong added.

Birdsong said he believes that tanker crew reductions by Exxon have impeded the safe operation of the tankers. "I'm sure Exxon would disagree, but I feel the cuts in the crew size have affected the safety, especially under certain conditions," he said.

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Regular routine for a tanker crewman is to work 50 to 60 hours with no more than a hour's sleep at a time, Birdsong said. But once at a port area, preparation for docking took six to eight hours.

During his 40 years of service aboard Exxon tankers, Birdsong was a quartermaster and navigator. When Hazelwood came to Exxon and was undergoing training as a third mate, Birdsong assisted.

Exxon's largest tanker went aground March 24 on a reef near the Valdez, Alaska, port, dumping 10.1 million gallons of crude oil into Prince William Sound. Authorites estimate the cleanup cost at $200 million.

Hazelwood was charged with drinking while on duty in connection with the incident and is accused of turning over control of the tanker to an uncertified third mate.

An extradition hearing is set for May 5 in New York.

Caucus backs elected TDA post

AUSTIN (AP) — The Mexican American Legislative Caucus and San Antonio Mayor Henry Cisneros have joined the debate over Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower's job, saying they want to keep the post an elected one.

"The majority of Texans will not stand for any efforts to take away their right to vote," said Rep. Juan Hinojosa, D-McAllen, chairman of the caucus.

Hightower, a two-term Democrat, has become highly controversial in recent months.

Having earlier angered the chemical industry by imposing strict new pesticide regulations, he also has angered some cattlemen by leading the effort to sell hormone-free beef to European markets.

The Texas Farm Bureau recently urged that the elected post be abolished and a commission of gubernatorial appointees be placed over it.

Hinojosa, joined at a news conference Wednesday by other lawmakers and Cisneros, noted that the Mexican-American caucus represents nearly one-third the votes needed in the House to pass the Texas Department of Agriclture bill that already has won Senate approval.

The Senate bill, he said, "will keep that power (to pick the agriculture chief) in the hands of the people instead of letting it slip into the control of a privileged few."

Chemist certain he produced cold fusion

DALLAS (AP) — The co-developer of a University of Utah cold fusion experiment submitted to intense scrutiny by his peers, and concluded he was certain it was a way to tap the energy of the stars.


Pons

Chemist B. Stanley Pons told 7,000 people attending a meeting of the American Chemical Society on Wednesday that an experiment conducted at room temperature produced energy from nuclear fusion, but that exactly how it works on a molecular level is still not clear.

"It's absolutely sure in my mind that what we've seen (is nuclear fusion)," said Pons. "We cannot explain the data in any other way."

Pons received long-distance support just as the discussions began. Scientists in the Soviet Union announced they had duplicated the Utah experiment and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology said it had applied for patents involving cold nuclear fusion.

But a physicist and other experts who sat beside Pons during a panel discussion said they remained unconvinced that the Utah experiment was fusion.

Harold P. Furth, director of the Princeton University Plasma Physics Laboratory, said with barely contained contempt that world-class physicists will not take the Utah findings seriously until the precise process involved is explained and demonstrated with control experiments.

Furth said that some experts believe the energy detected in the Utah experiment is actually a chemical reaction that is not understood.

Another panel member, University of Texas chemist Allen J. Bard, said he had an open mind on the experiment, but added: "It is unprecedented to see chemical reactions produce nuclear reactions. The verdict is still out."

Two weeks ago, Pons and co-investigator Martin Fleischmann of the University of Southampton in Britain announced they had achieved fusion using ordinary laboratory equipment at room temperature.

The announcement stunned and confused researchers around the world, some of whom have spent more than 25 years and millions of dollars trying to develop controlled nuclear fusion.

Pons and Fleischmann said their experiment used a rod of palladium and a coil of platinum immersed in a beaker of "heavy water," in which ordinary hydrogen atoms are replaced by deuterium, a heavier isotope of hydrogen. When electricity was applied to the coil for about 100 hours, it forced deuterium atoms into the palladium until the atoms fused, producing energy in the form of heat, Pons said.

He said the device made four watts of energy for every watt used.

Pons said he is enlarging the experiment and if the process still works, then cold fusion may provide a dramatic new energy source.

Pons admitted he was not sure how the experiment causes fusion and exactly what role each of the chemicals play in producing energy.

Furth said physicists will not take the work seriously until a control experiment is conducted using ordinary water instead of deuterium oxide, also called "heavy water."

Pons announced earlier that he conducted such an experiment with ordinary water, and it did not produce the radiation or energy effects.

In Italy, meanwhile, Fleischmann presented more details of the experiment at an international conference in Erice, Sicily, but many scientists there said they were skeptical.

"I'm warning people — don't sell your oil well yet," said physicist Steven Jones of Brigham Young University in Utah.

Fusion, the energy process that fuels the sun, the stars and the hydrogen bomb, holds promise of becoming the ultimate energy source.

The fusion of atoms in only 1/250th of an ounce of deuterium would give an energy equivalent of 300 gallons of gasoline, and deuterium can be extracted from the oceans for only pennies per gallon of seawater.

Furthermore, fusion fires burn without the pollution produced from fossil fuels, and fusion creates hundreds of times less radioactive waste than do atom-splitting nuclear power plants.

Elsewhere, the Soviet news agency Tass reported that Soviet scientists duplicated the Utah experiment and reported achieving nuclear fusion at room temperature. The Soviet scientists planned more research on cold fusion, Tass said.

MIT said it has applied for patents involving cold nuclear fusion based on the theoretical work of Peter L. Hagelstein, a university researcher who a decade ago pioneered what eventually became the world's first X-ray laser.

The disclosure comes less than a week after other MIT scientists said they were unable to duplicate the Utah experiment and raised doubts about the Utah claims.

Earlier this week, scientists from Texas A&M and Georgia Tech announced that they had achieved a reaction using equipment modeled on the Utah experiment.

Hospital company's profit-sharing OK'd

EL PASO (AP) — The El Paso County Medical Society has approved El Paso Healthcare Systems' new method of sharing profits with doctor-partners.

About 140 of the city's 660 doctors are limited partners in the company, which owns two hospitals, two medical laboratories and three walk-in clinics.

Until April 1, doctor-partners got a cut of profits based on referrals to the hospitals and labs.

But the company changed the 11-month-old distribution method after the state medical association said it appeared to violate ethical guidelines. Now, the doctor-partners get shares of profits based solely in their investments.

The county medical society's board of censors issued a statement Tuesday saying the new method complies with the Texas Medical Association's ethics guidelines.

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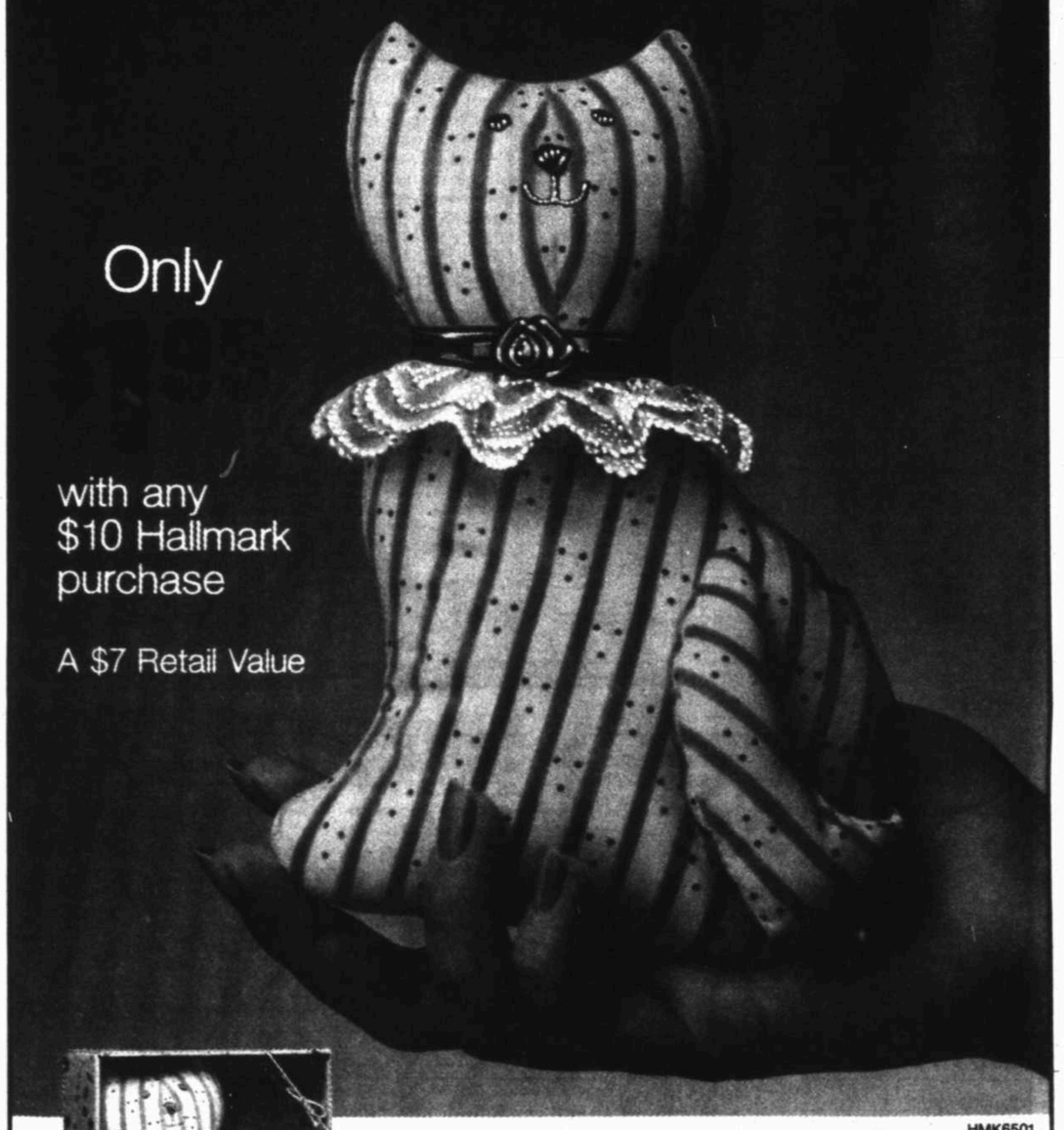
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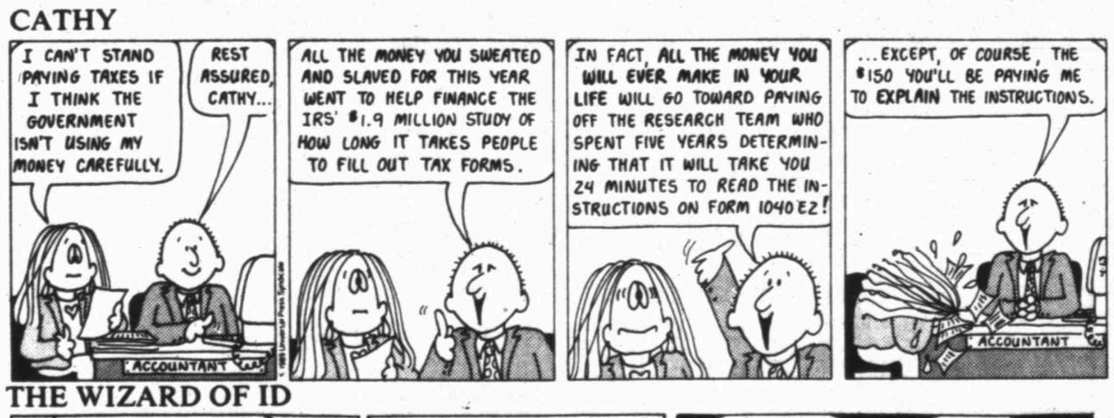
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HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Short trips will benefit both business and your personal relationships. No spectacular money gains are seen until November, when you could receive a real windfall. You should have little trouble reaching your goals where work is concerned. Concentrate on your main objectives. Honor your family obligations and your fortunes will rise.

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ARIES (March 21-April 19): Allow nothing to stand in your way today. You will enjoy good luck in a new love relationship. Reserve some time for acquiring specialized knowledge through study and research. Diversify your investments.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Go ahead and expose a secret fear to the family circle. Loved ones offer reassurance. Better communication will solidify family ties. Your ability to concentrate improves and so does your cash flow.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Savor a victory, but do not use it as an opportunity to push others around or you will pay the consequences. Travel and romance go hand-in-hand today. This is not a good day to take risks.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Those in authority see that you are doing a good job. New rewards are on the way. Someone may come into your life, turning everything topsy-turvy. Your loyalty wins you big bucks.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): You have never feared higher-ups before so do not give in now. A very good day for revealing your thoughts. You will end up in the driver's seat if you hold your ground.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Get serious about acquiring specialized knowledge. Partnerships prosper. Now is not the best time to change jobs. Act aware of your worth and important people will take notice. A promotion is possible.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Loved ones are willing to help you in any way they can. Do not try to force decisions on them or you could have a rebellion on your hands.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): An important financial matter deserves your personal attention. You find a new relationship both challenging and fulfilling. Your gift for bringing opposing parties together is a tremendous asset. Use it.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Repay a few favors before going off for the weekend. Your travel plans may have to be altered due to unexpected developments. Do things that have a noble purpose. Generosity wins admiration.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan 19): Your emotional detachment works to your advantage in a family matter. Relax and let others see you as you really are. New eating habits help you gain weight. Watch the scale.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Be more self-reliant and you will be able to achieve almost anything you desire. Sometimes you say things that you do not remember saying later on. Check your records if challenged.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Those in psychology or other types of counseling enjoy special success now. Focus on earning a newcomer's trust. Your eye for color serves you well today.

GOREN BRIDGE

BY CHARLES GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF

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ARE YOU A WINNING PAIRS PLAYER?

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♡ 8 6 2
◇ K 8
♣ 7 5 4

WEST
♠ 6
♡ Q J 10 9 7
◇ Q J 10 9
♣ 9 8 2

EAST
♠ Q 10 8 7
♡ 5 4
◇ 7 6 4
♣ Q J 10 3

SOUTH
♠ J 4 3
♡ A K 3
◇ A 5 3 2
♣ A K 6

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 ◇	Pass	1 ♠	Pass
2 NT	Pass	3 NT	Pass
Pass	Pass		

Opening lead: Queen of ♡

Do you think you are one of the country's great duplicate stars, just waiting to be discovered? Test yourself by covering up the East-West cards then decide how, after the lead of the queen of hearts, you would play three no trump on this holding, and why.

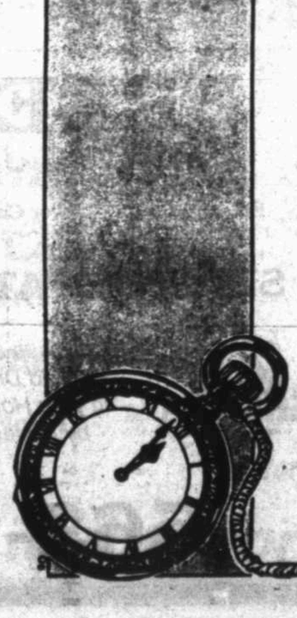
Your jump bid to two no trump is classic—19 points and a square hand. Note that North had no way to suggest a four-spade contract in standard methods; a new suit or a spade rebid would have shown an unbalanced hand.

West leads the queen of hearts, and there's no point to a hold-up play. You have eight fast winners, and any extra tricks you make will have to come from the spade suit. If you were playing rubber bridge, you would take the safety play of cashing a high spade and then leading to the jack. That nullifies any 4-1 split. Do you make the same play at duplicate?

Chances of a 3-2 split are about 68 percent, and two times in five you will find a doubleton queen, giving you about a 27 percent chance of scoring five tricks in spades. It might seem that, since a 4-1 break will crop up about 28 percent of the time, you should take the safety play.

However, in 40 percent of those cases, you will find either a singleton ten or queen, which still allows you to make your contract, reducing the danger of a 4-1 distribution to about 17 percent. And since you will make the same number of tricks as those declarers who land up in a spade contract, that feature doesn't come into consideration. So cash the ace-king of spades and go down like everyone else who specializes in pair events.

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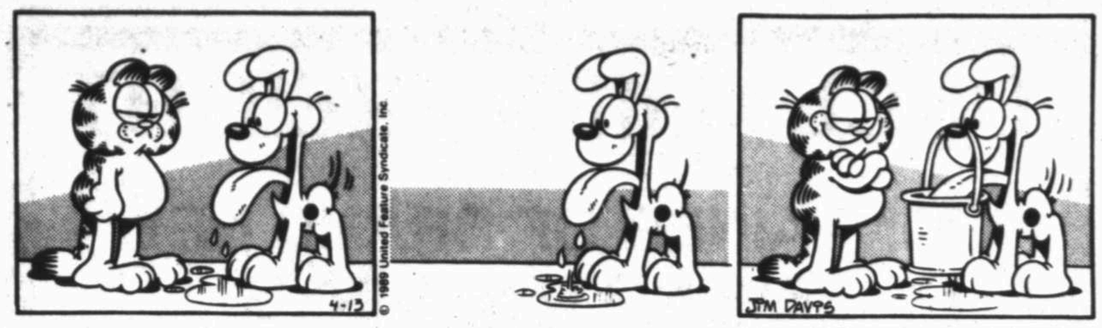
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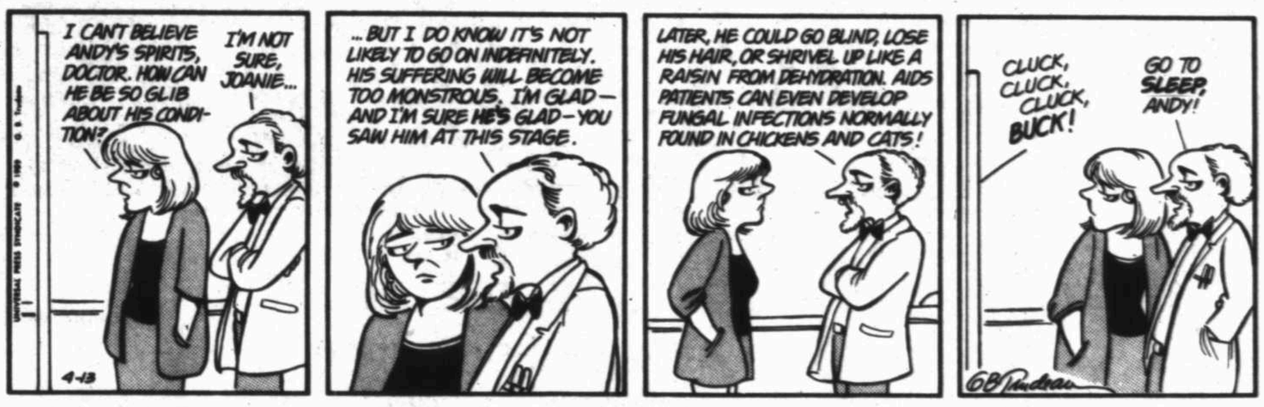


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PEOPLE

Kevin Costner sticks to his guns about story of soldier assigned to frontier post

RAPID CITY, S.D. (AP) — Actor **Kevin Costner** says he's making his debut as a director because he wants to make sure a frontier film being shot in South Dakota this summer is done correctly.

"I take it very personally what this movie should be," Coster said Wednesday, while touring the state for filming locations.


Costner

Costner also will play the leading role in "Dancing With Wolves," which tells the story of Lt. John Dunbar, who is assigned to a frontier post in the 1860s. Dunbar and an Indian man both go through changes while learning to understand people of an unfamiliar culture, an official of the film production company has said.

Hollywood studio officials and others in the film industry have suggested many changes in the movie, Costner said. But he said as director he wants to tell the story the way it should be told, without making changes just to ensure the film is a financial success.

"This is not so much a movie of how the West was won. It's more about how it was lost," Costner said.

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Tom Smothers


Dick Smothers

NEW YORK (AP) — When **Tom Smothers** reflects on his battles with the CBS censors and the network's cancellation of his comedy show, he can't help but smile.

"It hurt us a lot at the time, but I'd say CBS' firing us and all the publicity we got from that probably added 20 or 30 years to the life of the Smothers Brothers," said the elder Smothers in May's McCall's.

In the same article, brother **Dick** credited the team's longevity to their continued close association despite ups and downs in their other relationships.

"What I have with Tommy is a prior commitment. This is my brother from the day I was born," he said. "Tommy has been part of my life with every person. He knows everything about me."

Agreed Tom: "We are brothers first. If there's any anxiety about me from the women in Dick's life, they put that on themselves, because I'm No. 1 in his life."

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LONDON (AP) — **Princess Anne** and her husband, **Mark Phillips**, are 1,000 miles apart and are still silent on rumors of a rift in their 15-year marriage.

The 38-year-old princess carried out a typically busy day of public engagements Wednesday, starting with the opening of a body scanning unit at Wycombe General Hospital and ending at a gala premiere of the American movie "Three Fugitives" to benefit the Save The Children Fund.

Her 40-year-old husband left for Spain on Tuesday, and visited the April fair in Seville on Wednesday.

Royal Navy Commander **Timothy Laurence**, 34, whose letters to Anne touched off the wave of speculation, remained out of sight Wednesday at Windsor Castle where he was on duty as an aide to **Queen Elizabeth II**.

Rumors of trouble in the princess' marriage have circulated since 1981. The latest round began Thursday when The Sun tabloid, Britain's top-selling paper with a circulation of 4.2 million, reported it had received four letters sent to Anne and stolen from her briefcase.

Buckingham Palace late Saturday identified the letter-writer as Laurence after a Sunday paper said it would do so. Tuesday, The Sun quoted unidentified friends of Laurence's as saying he "is besotted with Princess Anne and believes she loves him, too."

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AUSTIN (AP) — A University of Texas diving team member died of a brain hemorrhage after collapsing in a campus dormitory, officials said.

Joseph Ogden, a sophomore, suffered a ruptured blood vessel in his brain Monday while visiting a friend on the fourth floor of Jester West Dormitory, said Marsha Walker, spokeswoman for Brackenridge Hospital in Austin.

Brackenridge surgeons managed to stop internal bleeding, but damage from the rupture was extensive, Ms. Walker said. Ogden was pronounced dead at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday.

Odgen, who transferred to UT this semester from the University of Arkansas, was kept on life support Tuesday. His organs were donated to people in Austin and Dallas, Walker said.

UT diving coach **Mike Brown** said the death shocked team members. "He was a good spirit and a lot of people were close friends with him."

Odgen lived in Houston and graduated from Hammond High School. He had dual citizenship in the U.S. and Brazil.

He won the South American championship in 10-meter platform diving in 1988 and was to represent Brazil last summer in the Olympics in Seoul, South Korea. Odgen did not compete in Seoul because of lack of funding.

In January, he decided not to return to Arkansas, where he dived for 1½ years and was a Southwest Conference finalist.

Because Ogden transferred to UT in January, he had to sit out one year to establish eligibility, Brown said. A teammate said Odgen had always wanted to dive under Brown's coaching.

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HOUSTON (AP) — An 18-year-old Florida man and a 67-year-old Texas man remained in intensive care after surgeons at Methodist Hospital performed a domino transplant.

Mike Fisch of Hollywood, Fla., who suffered from cystic fibrosis, received a donor heart and lungs Wednesday in the first domino transplant performed in Houston, said Brenda Blake, spokeswoman at Methodist Hospital. Fisch's healthy heart was transplanted into **Byron Owen** of Frankston.

A domino transplant is a rare procedure used to obtain a heart for transplanting from a living donor.

Owen was suffering from congestive heart failure, Ms. Blake said.

Both were listed in critical condition in the intensive care unit at Methodist late Wednesday, Ms. Blake said.

In the domino transplant at Methodist, Fisch allowed his heart to be used by Owen while he received a heart and two lungs from a donor, Ms. Blake said.

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LOS ANGELES (AP) — Singer **Anita Baker** captured three awards for her single and album "Giving You the Best That I Got" and **Michael Jackson** was honored for his hit "Man in the Mirror" at the third annual Soul Train Music Awards.

Vocalist **Al B. Sure!** was named best new artist and **New Edition**'s "Heart Break" won album of the year at the awards ceremony Wednesday.

Evening TV Schedule

THURSDAY APRIL 13, 1989

	KMID (2) Md/Od CABLE 3	KOSA (7) Odessa CABLE 8	KTPX (9) Odessa CABLE 9	KPEJ (24) Md/Od CABLE 14	FAM Family CABLE 4	WTBS Atlanta CABLE 7	SIN (45) Spanish CABLE 10	WGN Chicago CABLE 11	ESPN Sports CABLE 12	KOCV (38) Odessa CABLE 13	HSE Sports CABLE 20
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4:30	"	Night Court	People's Court	DuckTales	"	Beaver	"	Fun House	One	3-2-1 Contact	"
5:00	Cosby Show	Jeopardy!	News	Airwolf	Bonanza: The	Alice	El Tesoro	Facts of Life	Sports Trivia	Sesame Street	Basketball: Or-
5:30	ABC News	CBS News	NBC News	"	Lost Episodes	Day at a Time	Noticiero	WKRP	SportsLook	"	lando All-Star
6:00	News	News	News	Star Trek	Our House	Andy Griffth	Senora	Cheers	SportsCenter	Humanities	Classic
6:30	Wheel-Fortune	Lose or Draw	USA Today	"	"	Sanford & Son	"	Night Court	SpeedWeek	Newsleaders	"
7:00	The Return of	48 Hours	Cosby Show	Black Sheep	Movie: "King	NBA Basket-	Amandote	Soul Train Mu-	Drag Racing	MacNeil/	Sports Talk
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4:00	Yogi Bear"	"	Kids Inc.	"	"Sylvester"	"	Dance Party	Can't on TV	the Window"	Praise the	"
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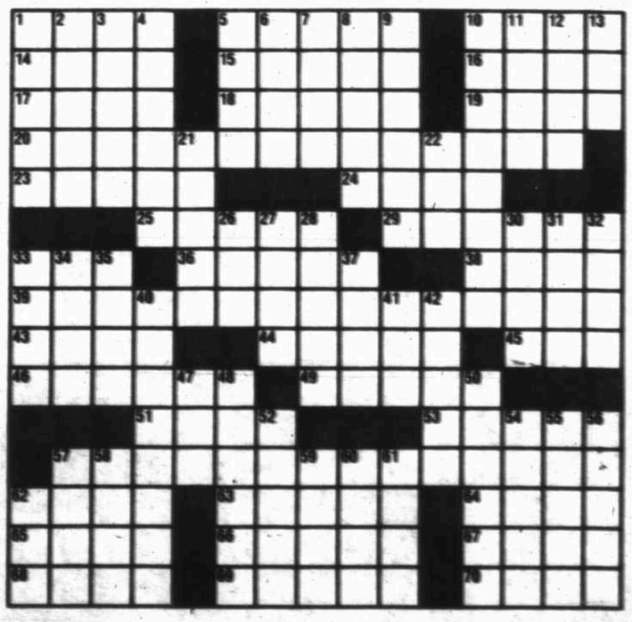
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De la Garza seeks emergency relief for farmers, ranchers

WASHINGTON (AP) — The chairman of the House Agriculture Committee is asking the administration to authorize emergency relief to farmers and ranchers in drought-sticken areas of the country, including the Rio Grande Valley and Texas Panhandle.

Rep. Kika de la Garza said he is concerned "farmers will be compelled to plant crops, knowing there's not enough moisture to germinate the seed, let alone produce a harvest, in order to qualify for government support programs."

Agriculture Secretary Clayton Yeutter has "broad discretionary authority" to help farmers and ranchers coping with the drought, and can provide emergency feed assistance under last year's emergency drought relief bill, said de la Garza.

"First and foremost, the secretary should do all he can under the authority given him to help affected producers," the Mission Democrat said Wednesday. "I urge him to make emergency livestock disaster declarations where the current situation and the long-term prospects warrant."

Farmers in some parched Texas Panhandle counties have lost up to 80 percent of their winter wheat crop, while ranchers in the Rio Grande Valley are burning thorns off prickly pear cactuses as a last resort for feeding their cattle, members of Congress say.

But President Bush's special assistant for agriculture, Cooper Evans, said in an interview this week that farmers will have to make do with existing programs, although they may be inadequate for addressing the pockets of severe drought in Texas and elsewhere.

De la Garza said that under the 1988 disaster act, the agriculture secretary has the authority to provide a variety of feed assistance to livesock producers.

He said the secretary could donate grain owned by the Commodity Credit Corp., sell corporation-owned grain to producers at 50 percent of local market prices, and reimburse producers up to 50 percent for such costs as transporting feed or livestock to other grazing areas.

De la Garza said Yeutter could even authorize partial reimbursements to producers for the costs of burning prickly pear cactus to make it suitable for animal feed.

"The condition of the winter wheat crop, early planted corn and other crops is of great concern, especially in terms of its potential financial impact on individual farmers," de la Garza said. "The plight of livestock producers whose pastures failed to receive much-needed moisture this past winter to revitalize them is also of great concern."

Fraternity violates hazing policy by having student wear Nazi uniform

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — A Trinity University fraternity violated the school's hazing policy by allowing a Jewish pledge to dress in a Nazi uniform, a school official says.

Coleen Grissom, dean of students, said in a memo Wednesday that the 36-member Triniteers social fraternity, founded in 1936, violated the policy by allowing fresham Andrew Ellenthal to wear a Nazi uniform as part of pledging activities.

The dean was to announce sanctions and penalties to the Triniteers today.

The penalties could range from a revocation of the fraternity's charter to mandatory community service at some social agency or the fraternity could be placed on probation that would limit the number of pledges and social activities, according to Sharon Jones, director of public relations for Trinity.

"After careful reflection, I am convinced the Triniteers, in the incident involving Andrew Ellenthal's wearing of a Nazi uniform, violated Trinity University's hazing policy," the memo stated.

"While Mr. Ellenthal claims he did not resist the wearing of the uniform and, in fact, asserts that the selection of a Nazi uniform was partially his idea, my judgment is that, within the context of pledging, such claims and assertions are suspect," Ms. Grissom said.

The memo stated that pledges are under "considerable pressure to perform, to conform and to please. The constraints and pressures upon a pledge are subtle, yet profound; they are the result of peer pressure and a desire for acceptance and approval."

Ellenthal declined to comment on the memo.

Ms. Grissom said she reached the decision after meeting behind closed doors with fraternity members, the club's faculty adviser, David Middleton; director of student activities Pete Neville; and assistant dean of students Thurman Adkins earlier this week.

Middleton declined immediate comment on the ruling.

"Obviously, we're disappointed by the decision, and we're sorry it all happened," he said.

STATE IN BRIEF

Man's sentence extended because he sent newscaster threatening letters

HOUSTON (AP) — A man imprisoned since 1986 for threatening the life of a Houston newscaster was sentenced to an additional 15 years for continuing to send retaliatory letters to the woman.

Joseph Moses Cochran, 31, was convicted of retaliation against Melanie Lawson, an anchorwoman on Houston station KTRK-TV, after a daylong trial Tuesday in State District Judge Joe Kegans' court.

Ms. Lawson, who anchors the station's "Live at Five" broadcast, testified that she received a letter from Cochran last August in which he stated, "I want to kill you" and made other threats.

The letter contained drawings of a coffin and Cupid.

Defense attorney Terry Cornelius said Cochran "apparently just fell in love" with Ms. Lawson.

He said Cochran first contacted the anchorwoman in 1985 when he called her and claimed to have kidnapped a child as a ruse to meet her. He was jailed for making a false report.

Cornelius said as soon as Cochran was released, he began phoning Ms. Lawson and stopping by the KTRK studios in efforts to see her. He was convicted of retaliation in 1986 and sentenced to 10 years in prison.

Cyclists send petition to Clements

AUSTIN (AP) — Motorcyclists have presented a petition with 6,000 signatures to Gov. Bill Clements, urging him to veto a bill that would require motorcycle riders to wear helmets.

H.E. "Sundance" Mitchell, head of the Association of Independent Motorcyclists, said Wednesday that the riders hope Clements would study the issue despite his earlier statements that he would sign it into law.

"The governor will be signing a death warrant for some motorcyclists, not a safety measure as the proponents of the bill would have him believe," Mitchell said, adding that he believes studies have distorted the value of helmets.

"Helmet use has never prevented an accident, although they have been proven to cause serious injuries and death in many cases," he said.

President of Baptist network quits

DALLAS (AP) — A month after the failed sale of the Southern Baptist Radio and Television Commission's debt-ridden ACTS Network, Jimmy R. Allen, president of the Fort Worth-based agency since 1980, resigned his post.

Allen, a former Southern Baptist Convention president, said a new investor group has bid for ACTS and if the bid is accepted, he plans to become president and chief executive officer of the network.

"The Lord is looking over my shoulder and he will have something else for me to do," Allen said. But he added, for now, he needs to be "out of the process" until the new ownership deal is complete.

Ralph Tacker, president of DFW Uplink teleport and coordinator of the potential buyers, presented a bid to the commission Monday. But a second offer was made by a group headed by Robert Sivley of Video West Productions in Fort Worth and a third offer is pending.

All offers are believed to include $10 million up front, in addition to millions of dollars in air time for the Southern Baptists. The total could amount to at least $35 million, depending on the network's growth.

Death row inmates attempt escape

HUNTSVILLE (AP) — Two condemned killers who tried to crawl to freedom from death row are now in isolation cells.

James Edward Paster, 44, and Noble Mays, 35, were found early Tuesday in a narrow corridor that contains water lines and other pipes serving death row prison cells.

The pair never made it outside the death row compound that is part of the Texas Department of Corrections Ellis I Unit northeast of Huntsville, prison spokesman Charles Brown said.

Prison guards began their search for the inmates after an inmate count determined two prisoners were missing.

Paster was convicted and sentenced to die for being a paid hitman in a 1980 Houston slaying. The former rock singer who does Elvis Presley impersonations has said he once escaped from San Quentin prison in California by swimming to Alcatraz Island.

Mays is awaiting death for a 1979 robbery and stabbing death in Wichita Falls.

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McCutchen finalist for Duncanville post

By JIMMY PATTERSON
Sports Writer

Midland High School head football coach Doug McCutchen is one of four finalists hoping to be named the next head coach at Duncanville High School, officials confirmed late Wednesday.



Doug McCutchen

A four-person search committee flew from Duncanville to Midland Tuesday and interviewed McCutchen, Midland school Superintendent Dr. Joseph Baressi and athletic director Gil Bartosh.

Duncanville athletic director Bill Savage said the group plans to resume its interview process today and may make a final decision by Friday. The committee hopes to make a recommendation for a candidate to the school board as early as next Monday.

Dan Gandy left the Duncanville coaching job in February to take up the same position in San Angelo. Duncanville is a southwestern Dallas suburb.

"There are situations there that are very appealing," McCutchen said of the Duncanville job. "It's a one school town, enrollment is over 3,000 students and the coach has complete control over the junior high system and the entire football program.

"I don't know for sure that I would go, but it's an opportunity you have to look at."

McCutchen said if he is chosen, he expects to be notified by Friday.

Duncanville officials were tight-lipped about their selection process and refused to name any other candidates under consideration.

It is believed, though, that North Mesquite head coach Gary Childress, Bruce Bush of Alice and Mike Farda of Irving Nimitz are the other contenders.

Savage said as many as 40 candidates were considered "serious" applicants when the search began.

The Duncanville search committee consists of Savage, high school principal Lynn Dobbins, Superintendent Ed Stevens and the district's personnel director.

The Duncanville committee is so mum about the search that Savage at first even declined that the group had spoken to McCutchen.

"How these things get blown out of proportion, we don't get involved in all that," Savage said, meaning the committee would release no information regarding the search.

"Doug made an application and had good qualifications," Savage said. "And we're interested in good people. We checked him out and he has good references.

"We have interest (in McCutchen) but we also have interest in a number of other candidates," Dobbins said. "He is very impressive. From speaking to him and to others we spoke with, we can find nothing but good things about Coach McCutchen."

Superintendent Stevens did not return phone calls to the Reporter-Telegram Wednesday afternoon and could not be reached for comment Thursday.

McCutchen, Midland High's coach for five years, also confirmed late Wednesday that he was extended invitations to interview with two Houston-area schools but declined the offers. He also declined to name the schools that made him the offers.

Bartosh, Midland's AD, had little comment other than to say he felt McCutchen is looking for a better position primarily for the betterment of his family.

"I'm sure every coach looks at every opportunity for family purposes," Bartosh said. "He'd have to investigate any type of job that would be an advancement and he feels like this would be an advancement.

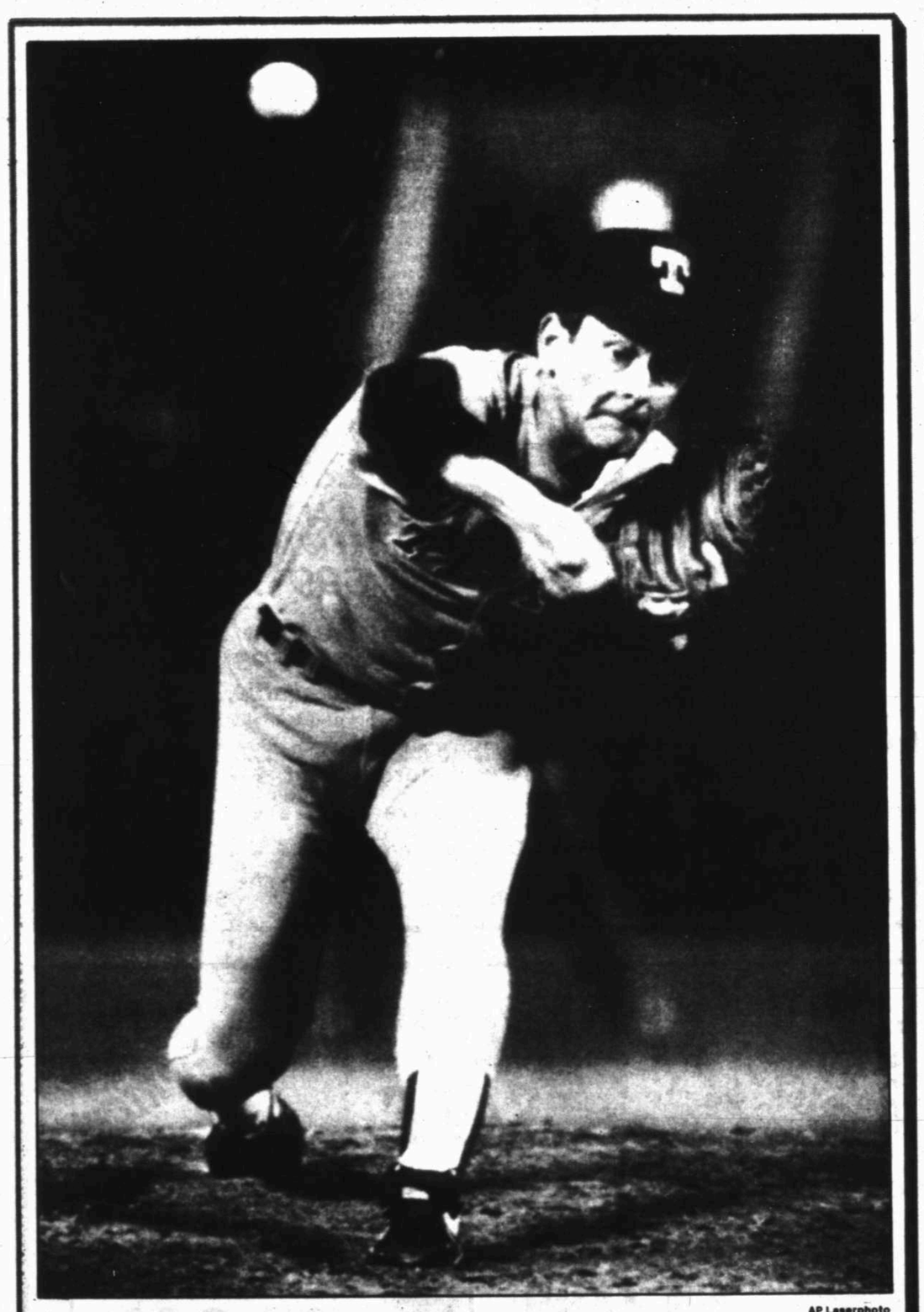
"When you have a coach of his calibre, you're going to have people contact you. He's one of the finest coaches in the state."

Bartosh said that should McCutchen be offered and accept the Duncanville job, a selection process would begin immediately for a replacement. Bartosh said, though, he "wouldn't want to speculate" if a replacement for McCutchen would come from within the local coaching ranks or from elsewhere.

"I'm really happy for Doug that he has all these opporunities," Bartosh said. "He's been real good for us the last five years and he speaks highly for the Midland program."

Duncanville high school enrollment figures were listed at 3,000 for the 1988-89 school year. The Panthers are in District 11-5A along with Dallas Carter, Dallas Kimball, DeSoto, Grand Prarie and South Grand Prarie.

The Panthers ended last year with a 7-2-1 record, runners-up in district, and first round playoff losers to Plano, 38-33.



AP Laserphoto

Fastballer Nolan Ryan fanned 15 and pitched an eight-inning, one-hitter as the Rangers continue baseball's best record.

Ryan just misses no-hitter

Texas pitcher fans 15, a new Ranger record

Associated Press

MILWAUKEE — Nolan Ryan had the stuff no-hitters are made of on a chilly evening at County Stadium, but an old nemesis stepped up in the eighth inning and slapped away the 42-year-old right-hander's bid for his sixth hitless game.

Milwaukee's Terry Francona singled in the eighth inning to break up the no-hitter, but Ryan still finished with 15 strikeouts over eight innings in the Texas Rangers' 8-1 victory Wednesday night.

"It was a classic case of staying with one pitch too long in one area," said Ryan, baseball's all-time strikeout leader, who didn't pitch the ninth inning after giving up only one hit.

"Francona's always been a tough out for me in the National League. I was trying to get ahead of him in the count and throw a strike low and away and I got it up a little bit. He's the type of hitter who's going to hit it where

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Reb golfers poised for move

By JIMMY PATTERSON
Sports Writer

Two weeks ago it didn't look too good.

Two weeks ago no one would've ever thought that the Midland Lee Rebels had a chance at a share of the crown in the District 4-5A golf race.

But that was two weeks ago.

Now, though, the tide has turned. The drives have been good and the ball is falling when it's supposed to.

The Rebels have come from 17 strokes out of first place following second round action in San Angelo to only nine strokes behind and going into final round play on their home course.

Lee is just six strokes behind second place Odessa Permian. And even though second place would be good enough to earn a trip to the regional tournament in Lubbock for the Rebs, none of the five members of the first team is thinking about second place.

"We can win it all," said Peter Harrington, a junior at Lee. "We made up eight holes in the Invitational, so I think we can make up nine."

Final round play will be held at Midland Country Club, site of the 1989 Midland Invitational Tournament in March. The Rebel team trailed San Angelo by eight strokes going into the final round at the MIT. They played well enough at the difficult course to tie the Bobcats and win a one hole playoff.

"It'll be difficult to pick up nine strokes on San Angelo, because they're such a quality team," Rebel coach Ronnie Stephens said. "Unless somebody has a blowout, though, we should be able to qualify for regionals.



Brian Adamcik/Reporter-Telegram

Midland Lee golfer J.J. King feels his team has what it takes to overcome the competition and earn a spot in the regional tourney.

"Our goal (last week) at Abilene was to pull Permian close enough to where we could catch them here.

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Permian girls favored again

By TERRY WILLIAMSON
Assistant Sports Editor

District 4-5A Track

The District 4-5A track clan will meet at Odessa's Ratliff Stadium Saturday to decide team champions and individuals who will advance to the Region I meet in Lubbock.

Today a look at the 4-5A girls competition by event; tomorrow a look at the boys.

Odessa Permian is a heavy favorite for the team championship with only San Angelo holding any other hope for claiming that title, but it is the individual events that holds the key for Region I. The top two in each event advance.

Going into Saturday's one-day run, here is how the girls shape up by event:

Shot Put: Midland High's Tracy Parker (41-7) will be uncontested in this event while in search of a second consecutive state berth. Second place could be a fight between Permian's Celeste Patterson (39-1) and San Angelo's Karen Cowley (36-3¾). San Angelo's Gail Allison is the best dark horse.

Discus: San Angelo's Amy Wilder (130-2) is the head on favorite with Midland Lee's Mary Ann Isom (113-3) the best pick for second with Odessa High's Amy Moore, San Angelo's Gail Allison and Odessa High's Gina Messman owning a shot at second.

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Rychel signs with Longhorns

By JIMMY PATTERSON
Sports Writer

They wooed him and wowed him for over a month, and Wednesday afternoon, University of Texas baseball officials got just what they wanted: Kevin Rychel's autograph on a sheet of paper saying he would attend the school and play for the Longhorn baseball team.

Rychel, the Midland High fastballer with speeds in the mid-to-upper 80s, is 7-2 this year, 3-2 in district, with an 0.96 earned run average.

"From what I've heard from other scouts," UT pitching coach Clint Thomas said, "he's the best in the west. We're really happy that he signed."

Rychel said he was contacted by Texas A&M and Baylor, as well as several minor colleges, but chose Texas because of its baseball tradition and what they said they could offer him.

"They said they could help me a lot with my pitching, help me get some new pitches, and with my form," Rychel said. "Texas A&M sounded good, but it just seems that UT is in the College World Series every year."

Rychel will join fellow District 4-5Aers Lance Grider and Scotty Pugh of Abilene Cooper. Grider is the league's other premiere pitcher and Pugh, a first baseman, was one of the most widely sought after high schoolers in the nation.

"It'll be good competition for them," Thomas said of signing the high school rivals. "They know each other and will hopefully come and play together."

The Longhorns also signed No. 1 Dallas-area hopeful Calvin Murray of W.T. White. Murray is the brother of former Texas A&M quarterback Kevin Murray.

The only concern expressed by Thomas was losing Rychel to the amateur draft.

"That's always a big concern for us," he said. "It gives (signees) a big boost in the draft to be signed by UT. But we go after the best we can get and hope we can land them and get them into school."

UT lost former Cooper pitcher Jason Satre to last year's amateur draft; after signing with the 'Horns, Satre opted instead to join the Cincinnati Reds' organization.

Rychel did not rule out the possibility of turning pro, should he receive a good offer once drafted in June.

"I've talked to a lot of scouts," Rychel said, "and they tell me I'll get drafted pretty high.

"My mom told me to do what I ever I wanted and not just to sign with Texas for baseball but for a good education."

Ex-LHS star now key witness in OU rape trial

By OWEN CANFIELD

NORMAN, Okla. (AP) — A party at the University of Oklahoma athletic dormitory turned ugly the night of Jan. 21 when three football players sexually assaulted a woman, another football player says.

Former Midland Lee grid star and track star Jimmy Fennell said Wednesday he saw former Sooners Bernard Hall, Nigel Clay and Glen Bell have intercourse with the 20-year-old woman, whom he said screamed for help and begged the men not to do it.

"She said, 'Please, no, don't do this. I've never been with a guy before,'" Fennell said.

His testimony came in the preliminary hearing for the three men, charged with first-degree rape. Hall and Clay also are charged with two counts each of providing liquor to a minor.

The hearing was scheduled to continue today, with testimony expected from university police and possibly the young woman who accompanied the alleged victim to the Bud Wilkinson House dormitory that night.

Fennell admitted he at first lied to authorities when he was asked about what happened in Clay's suite, but that he later told the truth at the urging of family and friends who told him it was the right thing to do.

Fennell said the woman admitted to him she was drunk, and said she did not resist when Hall led her to the bedroom after she came out of the bathroom. The woman had testified that she did not think she was intoxicated, and that she was grabbed and forced into the bedroom.

Prior to the alleged attack, Fennell said, Hall had told him "If we have to, we're going to take some from her." District Attorney Tully McCoy asked Fennell what Hall meant by "some," and he said sex.

Hall turned out the lights in the bathroom and led the woman into the darkened bedroom, Fennell said. A short time later, Fennell said, those in the living room — he, Clay, Keith Traylor and Bell — heard a scream and ran into the bedroom.

Traylor, another football player, contradicted a portion of Fennell's testimony when he took the stand later, saying he wasn't in the suite when the woman screamed.

Fennell said the woman told Hall "Take your hand off my mouth. I can't breathe. I'll do anything you want."

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Trivia Teaser...

Thursday's Question: The first televised sporting event involved which teams. Hint: it was held 50 years ago next month.

Wednesday's Answer: The St. Louis Hawks in 1958 and the Philadelphia 76ers in 1967 foiled the Boston Celtics' bid for 13 straight NBA titles.

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Area athletes remain undecided

By BILL GRIMES
Sports Writer

Andrews High School has several athletes earning significant attention from college recruiters, but there was no signing action on the first day that winter and spring sport athletes could ink national letters of intent.

Basketball players Gym Bice and Damon Clay, and discus standout Joe Don Finley are all undecided, according to their respective coaches.

Bice, a Texas Sports Writers Association all-state pick, said Wednesday that he had pretty much decided narrowed his decision to either Midland or Odessa College. The 5-11 guard said several Division I schools had contacted him, including Sam Houston St. and Hardin-Simmons, but that he would almost certainly go to a junior college if no nationally-regarded majors expressed interest.

Frank Bice, Gym's coach-dad, endorsed his son's decision.

"He keeps that dream (of major college ball) alive by going to a junior college, and there's not a better place to do it than the junior colleges in his own backyard. Junior colleges have risen to a level of competition that is very well respected, and we're pleased that he's getting the interest he has."

Clay, a 6-1 wing in high school who will probably play guard in college, has been contacted by a number of junior colleges, including Midland, Odessa, Alvin in southeast Texas, and Seminole (Okla.).

Finley, owner of one of the best discus throws in Texas this season, has been contacted by Texas, Arkansas, Alabama and UT-Arlington, among others. Andrews track coach Robert Crawford said Finley will probably pick the college that offers him the best scholarship package — since full track scholarships are rarely given.

"He wants to go Division I really bad," Crawford said. "It just depends on who will offer him the best partial."

Damon's not the only Clay getting some play from the recruiters. Former MC guard Louis Clay, Damon's older brother, is considering Central St. (Okla.) and Angelo St., while Brigham Young-Hawaii showed early interest, according to MC coach Reggie Franklin.

Another former Chap backup, guard Kevin Chaisson, is deciding between Florida International and Southwestern Louisiana, Franklin said.

MHS netters anxious for weekend

By BILL GRIMES
Sports Writer

One could excuse Midland High tennis coach Steve Hoover for breathlessly awaiting the District 4-5A tennis tournament, set for Friday and Saturday at the Odessa College Tennis Center.

In only his second year at the MHS net helm, Hoover thinks his Bulldogs have the potential to grab the lion's share of Region I berths from their district.

Start with the crack boys doubles team of senior Luke Morrow and Harper Essex.

How about girls singles standout Elizabeth Ameel, a junior?

Then there's the girls doubles tandem of senior Krissy Hall and junior Susan Johnson.

Hoover also thinks junior Leo Oei has a shot at advancing in boys singles.

The MHS mentor expects Morrow-Essex to be seeded first, Ameel first or second, and Hall-Johnson third.

But that third seeding is misleading, Hoover said. Though teams from Abilene Cooper and Odessa Permian have defeated Hall-Johnson already this season, Hoover is confident his girls can turn the tables on their more heralded competition.

"They're every bit the doubles team that Cooper has, even though they (Sheri Gilreath and Tracy Broyles) won the Austin tournament (in March)," Hoover said. "They lost to Permian (Mary Burien-Kaylene Steding) early when they had just started playing together, but I really believe we're better than they are."

Gilreath and Broyles are ranked among the top under 16 girls teams in the state, and have been playing together for several years.

Morrow and Essex look to have an easier road into the finals, which is all the farther anyone needs to go in order to reach the regional tournament.

"There's several teams capable of giving Luke and Harper a tough match, but I honestly feel we have the best doubles team in the district."

Ameel's main challenge could come from Allison Marsh of San Angelo Central, if Marsh is available. The Bobcat standout hasn't competed for the past several weeks.

Oei's task may be a little tougher, but Hoover said the junior has the ability to pull off a couple of upsets.

"He beat (defending 4-5A singles champ of San Angelo) Will Tankersley in the fall, but he just doesn't have the intensity that he needs all the time."

Incidentally, Tankersley may not defend his singles title, possibly playing doubles instead.

Whatever happens this weekend, Hoover is proud of his team.

"I expected them to improve this season, but they've gone beyond my expectations.

"They've really buckled down and worked hard."

Midland Lee's best hope for a regional berth is returning Region I qualifier Brian Bishop in boys' singles, but Bishop has had a disappointing senior season.

"Brian hasn't been real consistent this year," Rebel mentor Bobby Connell said. But Hoover has plenty of respect for Bishop's athletic skill.

"He's got more talent than anybody in the district," the MHS coach said. "It's just a matter of whether he's up to doing it."

Other Midland High participants are Joseph Baressi in boys singles; Chris Barnes and Phillip Allison in boys doubles; Tracey Hopkins in girls singles; and Jennifer Scoggin and Melissa Daniel in girls doubles.

Midland Lee's district squad is rounded out by Kevin Considine in boys singles; Les Stark-Al Sommers and Jason Gooch-Antwine Smith in boys doubles; Leslie Hobbs and Leslye Beck in girls singles; and Monita Poudyal-Tiffany Flournoy and Julie Shelton-Shannon Grainger in girls doubles.

Pistons drop Cavaliers in key race

By BILL BARNARD
AP Basketball Writer

Isiah Thomas only played 13 minutes, so he had plenty of time to ponder the status of the race for the NBA's best record.

"They might as well rest their guys because this race is over," Thomas said after the Pistons defeated the Cleveland Cavaliers 107-95 Wednesday night. "The thing about this team is that we can hurt you in so many ways. Every night it's a different person."

The Pistons improved their record to 58-18 and went 40 games over .500 for the first time in franchise history, while the Cavaliers, with the second-best record in the league, fell to 55-22. The team with the best record in the NBA gets homecourt advantage as long as it stays in the playoffs.

Pistons coach Chuck Daly and Cavaliers coach Lenny Wilkens, who have even more time on the bench than Thomas, were more cautious than the injured All-Star guard.

"It's not over," Daly said. "With (games against) New York and Cleveland coming up — bang-bang — things can change in a hurry. Cleveland may be the most talented starting five in the league. They're an outstanding team and well-coached."

"Who knows what will happen?" Wilkens said. "Detroit is in great shape, no question."

In other NBA games, it was Washington 111, Milwaukee 107; Charlotte 104, New York 99; Phoenix 109, Dallas 94; Los Angeles Lakers 107, San Antonio 100; and Utah 107, Denver 102.



B.J. Boudreaux



Greg Garner

'Dogs anticipating '90

By JIMMY PATTERSON
Sports Writer

The Midland High golfers may be too far out of the District 4-5A race this year, but next year — and the year after that — watch out.

With one week left in the league tour, Bulldog golfers are in fifth place, 28 strokes behind front-runner San Angelo Central, and 25 strokes behind second-place Permian.

That the Bulldogs are as close as they are is indeed a tribute to one thing: their youth. Three of the five starters on Midland High's No. 1 team are sophomores. Junior Ty Kretzinger and senior Kris Doan round out the team.

Sophomores B.J. Boudreaux, Randy Scharfenberger and Greg Garner are each in their first year on the squad.

"I have a feeling that we'll be the best around," Boudreaux said of his team's chances in the coming years.

Signs that MHS may well hold very good chances in the next year come from last weekend's action in Abilene. The Bulldogs shot a 311, the second lowest round of the day, following only Midland Lee's 309.

Garner was a bit more analytical when looking at the 'Dogs' chances next season: "I think we'll be in it if we don't blow it the first two rounds. It's going to be tough next year."

Midland High did not shoot well in the first two tour appearances this year at Odessa and San Angelo. After action at San Angelo, MHS was 34 strokes out of first.

Although Garner said next year would be difficult, he did not count out the 'Dogs chances Friday when the tour concludes at Midland Country Club.

"If everybody shot 75, that'd be 300," he said. "The only other team that broke 320 here (at the Midland Invitational in March) was Midland Lee. We've got so much talent on this golf team."

Scharfenberger was suffering from a flu earlier in the week and hopes to return in full strength tomorrow.

Boudreaux, with rounds of 83, 77 and 83 for a 243 total, is two strokes behind Kretzinger (83-81-77) for the team leadership. Doan is firing a three round 244 (80-86-78) Garner is at 244 (81-84-79) and Sharfenberger is in at 249 (87-85-77) going into the final round.

Despite his relatively low score, Garner is not happy with his game. "I can't stay away from the big numbers. Before district it was terrible, but since district's started, I began making 10 footers for pars.

"I'm capable of shooting under par. I've done it more than once."

As for Boudreaux, his main regret is that he says he should've started playing golf before his eighth grade year.

REBELS

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The attitude of the kids now is that they're going to win district. I knew I'd have a medalist (in Beau Brown, Lee's No. 1 golfer), but these kids have decided now that they all want to go to regionals."

The talk around the links is that Midland Country Club is despised by the San Angelo, Abilene and Odessa squads. Finishing the district tour on your home course is always advantage, but finishing at MCC could be just what it takes to push the Rebs over the top.

"Out here, it's all positioning," said Beau Brown, Lee's No. 1 golfer. "It's all you driving game. If you spray your driver, you're out if it."

"There's lots of trees," added Harrington. "If you don't place your drives well you're in a lot of trouble. And the greens are not in good shape either."

The Rebel golf team is led by Brown, a senior who is almost certain of a golf scholarship. Brown is currently tied with Permian's Ben Bangert for medalist honors. Brown has shot rounds of 76, 71 and 73 to give him a 220 total. His second round 71 at San Angelo was the single lowest score of any of the 69 other golfers during the district tour.

Also on the Rebel team:

■ J.J. King (76-79-77). Is only 12 strokes behind the co-leaders in the medalist race, in third place. A junior, Stephens says King is "the purest golfer on the team. He has the best swing and does very few things wrong in the game of golf." King has had five consecutive rounds in the 70s.

■ Brandon Armstrong (81-84-84). A senior, Armstrong says he's "not very happy" with his game. "You can always count on him to be right around 80," Stephens said.

■ Kelly Daviss (84-85-77). Another senior, Daviss is described by Stephens as reaching his peak. Last week's 77 was an eight stroke improvement over the previous week.

■ Peter Harrington (87-93-83). Harrington, a junior, said a putting problem, due to misreads, has bogged him down lately. Stevens, though, said even though Harrington isn't satisfied with his game he can usually be counted on for bringing in a good score.

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Lyons 2b	4	0	2	0	Valle
EWilms 3b	4	0	0	0	EMrtnz
Karkovic c	2	0	0	0	Quinn
Merullo c	1	0	0	0	
Totals	33	1	7	1	Totals

Chicago 000
Seattle 000

E—Williams. DP—Chicag
LOB—Chicago 7, Seattle 6.
Lyons, Brantley, Robidoux.

	IP	H
Chicago		
Long L,1-1	4 2-3	6 6
Rosenberg	1 1-3	2 1
Patterson	1	1 1
Pall	1	2 2
Seattle		
Hanson W,1-1	8	5 0
MJackson	1	2 1

HBP—Leonard by Patterso
8, 190.

Texas Le

First Half
Eastern Division

	W	
Jackson (Mets)		4
Shreveport (Giants)		4
Tulsa (Rangers)		3
Arkansas (Cards)		1
Western Division		
Midland (Angels)		3
El Paso (Brewers)		2
San Antonio (Dodgrs)		2
Wichita (Padres)		2

Wednesday's Game
El Paso at Midland
San Antonio 3, Wichi
Tulsa 6, Arkansas 4
Jackson 4, Shreveso
Thursday's Games
El Paso at Midland
Wichita at San Anto
Arkansas at Tulsa
Shreveport at Jacks

Sports Scoreboard

AL Boxes

Rangers 8, Brewers 1

TEXAS	ab	r	h	bi	MILWAUKEE	ab	r	h	bi
Espy cf	5	0	1	0	Gantnr 2b	4	0	0	0
Fletchr ss	3	2	1	0	Surhoff c	4	0	0	0
Palmer 1b	5	1	0	0	Yount cf	3	1	1	0
Sierra rf	4	4	4	2	Deer rf	4	0	1	0
Franco 2b	4	1	3	4	Braggs lf	3	0	1	1
Incvglia lf	4	0	0	0	Franco 1b	4	0	1	0
Petralli dh	3	0	0	1	Mayer dh	3	0	0	0
Buechle 3b	4	0	1	1	Polidor 3b	3	0	0	0
Kreuter c	4	0	0	0	Spiers ss	3	0	0	0
Totals	36	8	10	8	Totals	31	1	4	1

Texas	200 101 040—8
Milwaukee	000 000 001—1

E—Deer, Gantner. DP—Milwaukee 1. LOB—Texas 4, Milwaukee 5. 2B—Sierra 2. HR—Sierra (2). SB—Espy (4). SF—Petralli.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Texas						
Ryan W,1-0	8	1	0	0	2	15
McMurtry	1	3	1	1	0	0
Milwaukee						
Wegman L,0-2	6	7	4	4	1	4
Clutterbck	2	3	4	2	1	2
Knudson	1	0	0	0	0	0

T—2:55. A—7,590.

Indians 10, Bosox 6

CLEVELAND	ab	r	h	bi	BOSTON	ab	r	h	bi
OMcDwl lf	4	0	0	0	Boggs 3b	4	2	1	1
Browne 2b	5	0	1	0	Barrett 2b	4	0	3	0
Carter cf	4	2	1	0	Burks cf	5	0	2	1
POBrien 1b	2	3	2	0	Greenwl lf	5	1	1	1
Snyder rf	5	4	4	6	Rice dh	4	0	3	1
DClark dh	3	1	2	1	Evans rf	4	0	1	0
Medina dh	1	0	0	0	Essasky 1b	4	0	0	0
Jacoby 3b	4	0	1	3	Gedman c	4	1	1	1
Allanson c	4	0	0	0	Reed ss	1	1	0	0
Fermin ss	3	0	0	0	Heep ph	1	0	0	0
					Romero ss	1	1	1	0
Totals	35	10	11	10	Totals	37	6	13	5

Cleveland	020 301 031—10
Boston	103 000 002— 6

DP—Cleveland 2, Boston 2. LOB—Cleveland 6, Boston 7. 2B—DClark, Barrett 2, Boggs, Rice. HR—Snyder 2 (3), DClark (1), Gedman (1). S—Barrett. SF—Jacoby.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Cleveland						
Black W,1-1	5 1-3	7	4	4	2	3
Atherton S,1	3 2-3	6	2	2	0	2
Boston						
Boyd L,0-1	3	4	5	5	3	1
Gardner	3 1-3	2	1	1	1	0
BStanley	2-3	1	3	3	2	0
Murphy	0	0	0	0	1	0
Lamp	2	4	1	1	0	2

Boyd pitched to 3 batters in the 4th, BStanley pitched to 3 batters in the 8th, Murphy pitched to 1 batter in the 8th. PB—Gedman 2. T—3:03. A—19,210.

Yankees 5, Jays 3

TORONTO	ab	r	h	bi	NEW YORK	ab	r	h	bi
Moseby cf	3	1	0	0	RHndsn lf	4	2	1	2
Gruber 3b	3	1	1	3	Sax 2b	4	0	0	0
Barfield rf	4	0	0	0	Mtngly 1b	3	1	1	1
GBell lf	4	0	2	0	Balboni dh	4	0	0	0
McGriff 1b	4	0	0	0	Slaught c	4	1	3	2
Borders c	4	0	2	0	Brnkns 3b	3	0	0	0
Bnnly dh	4	0	2	0	GWard rf	2	1	1	0
Lawless pr	0	0	0	0	Jeffersn rf	0	0	0	0
Lee ss	4	1	0	0	Espnoz ss	3	0	1	0
Liriano 2b	3	0	0	0	Kelly cf	4	0	0	0
Totals	33	3	7	3	Totals	31	5	7	5

Toronto	003 000 000—3
New York	102 002 00x—5

E—Gruber, Musselman. LOB—Toronto 5, New York 8. HR—Gruber (2). SB—RHenderson 2 (8). S—Brookins.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Toronto						
Musselmn	5	3	3	1	3	2
TCastillo L,1-1	2-3	2	2	2	2	1
Stottlmyr	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
Wells	2	2	0	0	0	1
New York						
Candiaria						W,1-1
	8	4	3	3	2	8
Guterman S,1	1	3	0	0	0	0

WP—Musselman 2, Candelaria, Wells. Umpires—Home, Brinkman. First, Cooney. Second, Coble. Third, McClelland. T—2:46. A—17,934.

Orioles 5, Royals 4

BALTIMORE	ab	r	h	bi	KANSAS CITY	ab	r	h	bi
BAndsn cf	7	1	2	0	Wilson cf	4	1	1	0
PBradly lf	6	1	1	1	BJackson lf	2	1	0	0
Orsulak rf	6	1	2	0	Seitzer 3b	6	0	2	1
CRipkn ss	7	0	1	1	Brett 1b	5	0	2	2
Sheets dh	5	1	2	0	Trtabll dh	7	0	1	0
Devers dh	1	0	0	1	Tabler rf	7	0	2	0
Tettleton c	7	0	1	0	Eisnrch lf	6	0	1	0
Traber 1b	5	0	0	0	Boone c	7	0	0	0
Wthgtn 3b	6	0	2	1	FWhite 2b	6	1	2	0
Gonzals 2b	3	1	1	0	Wellmn ss	2	0	0	0
Meindz ph	1	0	1	0	Buckner ph	1	0	1	0
Schu 2b	0	0	0	0	Pecota ss	2	1	0	0
Totals	54	5	13	4	Totals	55	4	12	3

Baltimore	000 030 010 000 001—5
Kansas City	000 010 003 000 000—4

E—Gonzales, Gubicza 2. DP—Baltimore 2, Kansas City 1. LOB—Baltimore 10, Kansas City 12. 2B—FWhite, Tabler. SB—Brett 3 (6), Wilson (3), Orsulak (1). S—Orsulak. SF—Devereaux.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Baltimore						
Milacki	6 1-3	8	1	1	2	4
Hickey	2-3	0	0	0	0	0
Holton	1	4	3	3	1	0
Thurmond	0	0	0	0	1	0
Whitmsn	5	0	0	0	0	2
Olson W,1-0	2	0	0	0	2	2
Kansas City						
Gubicza	7 1-3	8	4	2	4	1
TGordon	6 2-3	4	0	0	0	10
Farr L,0-1	1	1	1	1	0	0

Holton pitched to 4 batters in the 9th. Thurmond pitched to 1 batter in the 9th. WP—TGordon,Holton. PB—Boone. T—5:07. A—20,261.

Angels 5, Athletics 0

OAKLAND	ab	r	h	bi	CALIFORNIA	ab	r	h	bi
Polonia lf	4	0	1	0	Dunng dh	4	2	2	1
DHedsn cf	4	0	1	0	McLmr 2b	4	0	1	2
Parker dh	4	0	0	0	DWhite cf	3	0	0	0
Lansfrd 3b	4	0	0	0	Parrish c	4	0	1	0
Hassey c	3	0	0	0	Joyner 1b	4	1	1	0
Steinbch 1b	3	0	0	0	Bichette rf	4	1	2	2
Jose rf	2	0	0	0	CDavis lf	4	0	1	0
Hubbrd 2b	1	0	0	0	Hoffmn ss	4	1	1	0
Weiss ss	3	0	1	0	Howell 3b	4	0	0	0
Totals	28	0	3	0	Totals	35	5	9	5

Oakland	000 000 000—0
California	000 021 11x—5

E—Weiss, Lansford. DP—California 1. LOB—Oakland 4, California 7. 2B—Parrish, Bichette. 3B—McLemore. HR—Bichette (2), Downing (2). SB—McLemore (2).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Oakland						
CYoung L,0-2	6 2-3	7	4	4	1	3
Burns	1 1-3	2	1	1	0	1
California						
McCaskill						W,2-0
	6	2	0	0	3	1
Minton	2	1	0	0	0	0
Harvey	1	0	0	0	0	0

T—2:36. A—24,650.

Mariners 9, Chisox 1

CHICAGO	ab	r	h	bi	SEATTLE	ab	r	h	bi
Guillen ss	4	0	0	0	Reynlds 2b	4	1	2	0
Gallghr cf	4	0	2	0	Griffey cf	3	1	1	0
Baines dh	4	0	1	0	Cotto cf	2	0	0	1
Caldern rf	3	0	0	0	ADavis 1b	3	3	1	1
Robids 1b	4	1	1	0	Leonard lf	2	1	1	1
Kittle lf	2	0	0	0	Brantly dh	4	2	2	2
Boston lf	1	0	1	1	Briley rf	4	0	3	4
Lyons 2b	4	0	2	0	Valle c	3	0	0	0
EWilms 3b	4	0	0	0	EMrtnz 3b	4	0	1	0
Karkovic c	2	0	0	0	Quinons ss-4	1	0	0	
Merullo c	1	0	0	0					
Totals	33	1	7	1	Totals	33	9	11	9

Chicago	000 000 001—1
Seattle	000 340 11x—9

E—EWilliams. DP—Chicago 3, Seattle 1. LOB—Chicago 7, Seattle 6. 2B—Briley 2, Lyons, Brantley, Robidoux. 3B—Reynolds. HR—ADavis (3).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Chicago						
Long L,1-1	4 2-3	6	6	6	3	2
Rosenberg	1 1-3	2	1	1	1	0
Patterson	1	1	1	1	1	0
Pall	1	2	1	1	0	0
Seattle						
Hanson W,1-1	8	5	0	0	2	6
MJackson	1	2	1	1	0	0

HBP—Leonard by Patterson. T—2:31. A—8,190.

Texas League

First Half Eastern Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
Jackson (Mets)	4	2	.667	—
Shreveport (Giants)	4	2	.667	—
Tulsa (Rangers)	3	3	.500	1
Arkansas (Cards)	1	5	.167	3
Western Division				
Midland (Angels)	3	1	.750	—
El Paso (Brewers)	3	2	.600	½
San Antonio (Ddgrs)	2	3	.400	1½
Wichita (Padres)	2	4	.333	2

Wednesday's Games

El Paso at Midland, ppd., rain
San Antonio 3, Wichita 0
Tulsa 6, Arkansas 4
Jackson 4, Shreveport 2

Thursday's Games

El Paso at Midland
Wichita at San Antonio
Arkansas at Tulsa
Shreveport at Jackson

Baseball Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Cleveland	5	2	.714	—	z-5-2	Won 1	1- 1	4- 1
Baltimore	4	4	.500	1½	z-4-4	Won 1	2- 0	2- 4
Toronto	4	5	.444	2	z-4-5	Lost 1	0- 0	4- 5
Milwaukee	2	4	.333	2½	2-4	Lost 2	0- 2	2- 2
Boston	2	5	.286	3	2-5	Lost 1	1- 1	1- 4
New York	2	7	.222	4	z-2-7	Won 1	1- 5	1- 2
Detroit	1	4	.200	3	1-4	Lost 2	1- 2	0- 2

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Texas	6	1	.857	—	z-6-1	Won 4	4- 1	2- 0
Minnesota	5	2	.714	1	5-2	Won 1	4- 2	1- 0
Kansas City	6	3	.667	1	6-3	Lost 1	6- 3	0- 0
Chicago	5	4	.556	2	z-5-4	Lost 1	0- 0	5- 4
California	5	4	.556	2	5-4	Won 2	5- 4	0- 0
Oakland	5	4	.556	2	z-5-4	Lost 2	4- 2	1- 2
Seattle	3	6	.333	4	3-6	Won 1	2- 1	1- 5

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Chicago	6	2	.750	—	z-6-2	Won 5	6- 2	0- 0
Philadelphia	6	2	.750	—	6-2	Won 3	4- 1	2- 1
Montreal	4	5	.444	2½	z-4-5	Lost 4	4- 2	0- 3
New York	2	4	.333	3	z-2-4	Lost 1	1- 1	1- 3
St Louis	2	4	.333	3	2-4	Lost 2	0- 0	2- 4
Pittsburgh	2	5	.286	3½	2-5	Won 1	1- 0	1- 5

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Cincinnati	5	3	.625	—	z-5-3	Won 1	3- 2	2- 1
San Francisco	5	3	.625	—	z-5-3	Won 2	2- 1	3- 2
San Diego	5	4	.556	½	5-4	Lost 1	3- 3	2- 1
Atlanta	4	4	.500	1	4-4	Won 1	1- 1	3- 3
Los Angeles	3	5	.375	2	3-5	Lost 2	0- 0	3- 5
Houston	3	6	.333	2½	z-3-6	Lost 1	3- 6	0- 0

z-denotes first game was a win

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Wednesday's Games

Cleveland 10, Boston 6
Minnesota at Detroit, ppd., rain
Texas 8, Milwaukee 1
New York 5, Toronto 3
Baltimore 5, Kansas City 4, 15 innings
California 5, Oakland 0
Seattle 9, Chicago 1

Thursday's Games

Cleveland (Yett 1-0) at Boston (Clemens 0-0), 12:05 p.m.
Minnesota (Rawley 1-0) at Detroit (Robinson 0-0), 12:35 p.m.
Oakland (Moore 0-1) at California (Abbott 0-1), 3:05 p.m.
Texas (Witt 0-0) at Milwaukee (August 1-1), 6 p.m.
Only games scheduled

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Wednesday's Games

Cincinnati 3, Houston 1
Chicago 3, St. Louis 2
Philadelphia 6, Montreal 3
Atlanta 5, San Diego 0
San Francisco 3, Los Angeles 1
Only games scheduled

Thursday's Games

New York (Darling 0-1) at Pittsburgh (Smiley 0-1), 12:35 p.m.
Houston (Clancy 1-0) at Los Angeles (Belcher 0-1), 3:05 p.m.
Atlanta (Lilliquist 0-0) at San Diego (Terrell 0-1), 3:05 p.m.
Only games scheduled

AL Leaders

BATTING (15 at bats)— Puckett, Minnesota, .440; Deer, Milwaukee, .435; Boggs, Boston, .414; Gaetti, Minnesota, .414; Tartabull, Kansas City, .407.

RUNS— McGriff, Toronto, 12; EWilliams, Chicago, 9; Puckett, Minnesota, 9; Sierra, Texas, 9; BJackson, Kansas City, 8; Greenwell, Boston, 8; PObrien, Cleveland, 8.

RBI— Hrbek, Minnesota, 10; McGwire, Oakland, 10; Parker, Oakland, 9; 5 are tied with 8.

HITS— EWilliams, Chicago, 13; Guillen, Chicago, 13; Baines, Chicago, 12; Boggs, Boston, 12; Gaetti, Minnesota, 12; Gallagher, Chicago, 12.

DOUBLES— Sierra, Texas, 5; BAnderson, Baltimore, 4; Barrett, Boston, 4; EWilliams, Chicago, 4; 11 are tied with 3.

TRIPLES— PBradley, Baltimore, 2; Reynolds, Seattle, 2; 17 are tied with 1.

HOME RUNS— Barfield, Toronto, 3; Greenwell, Boston, 3; McGriff, Toronto, 3; McGwire, Oakland, 3; Snyder, Cleveland, 3.

STOLEN BASES— RHenderson, New York, 8; Brett, Kansas City, 6; Kelly, New York, 5; DWhite, California, 4; Espy, Texas, 4; Gladden, Minnesota, 4.

PITCHING (2 decisions)— AAnderson, Minnesota, 2-0, 1.000, 1.29; McCaskill, California, 2-0, 1.000, 0.69; Stewart, Oakland, 2-0, 1.000, 1.98; Swindell, Cleveland, 2-0, 1.000, 1.17; Welch, Oakland, 2-0, 1.000, 0.56.

STRIKEOUTS— Ryan, Texas, 23; Candelaria, New York, 18; TGordon, Kansas City, 15; Moyer, Texas, 13; Clemens, Boston, 12; Morris, Detroit, 12; Swindell, Cleveland, 12.

SAVES— DJones, Cleveland, 3; 7 are tied with 2.

Sugar Ray Robinson

NEW YORK (AP) — Sugar Ray Robinson's career at a glance:

■ May 3, 1921, born in Detroit as Walker Smith Robinson Jr.

■ Oct. 4, 1940, wins first pro fight with second-round TKO over Joe Echevarria in New York.

■ Oct. 2, 1942, wins a 10-round decision in the first of his six brutal fights against Jake LaMotta.

■ Dec. 20 1946, wins the vacant world welterweight title with a 15-round decision over Tommy Bell in New York.

■ June 24, 1947, successfully defends welterweight title with an eight-round TKO of Jimmy Doyle.

■ Dec. 19, 1947, retains welterweight title with sixth-round TKO of Chuck Taylor.

■ June 28, 1948, decisions Bernard Docusen in 15 rounds to keep welterweight title.

■ July 11, 1949, decisions Kid Gavilan in 15 rounds to keep welterweight title.

■ Aug. 9, 1950, decisions Charley Fusari in 15 rounds to keep welterweight title.

■ Feb. 14, 1951, stops Jake LaMotta with a 13th-round TKO to win the world middleweight title. It is the last of his six fights against the LaMotta and the only one not to go to a decision.

■ July 10, 1951, lost middleweight title to Randy Turpin in London on a 15-round decision.

■ Sept. 12, 1951, regained middleweight title with 10-round TKO of Randy Turpin in New York.

■ March 13, 1952, retained middleweight title with 15-round decision over Bobo Olson.

■ April 16, 1952, retained middleweight title with third-round knockout of Rocky Graziano.

■ June 25, 1952, lost bid for world light heavyweight title in 14th-round TKO by Joey Maxim in New York. It is the only time he fails to go the distance.

■ Dec. 18, 1952, announced retirement.

■ Oct. 20, 1954, announced return to the ring.

■ Dec. 9, 1955, regained world middleweight title with second-round knockout of Bobo Olson.

■ May 18, 1956, retained middleweight title with fourth-round knockout of Bobo Olson.

■ Jan. 2, 1957, lost the middleweight title in a 15-round decision to Gene Fullmer in New York. It is the first of four classic fights between the two men.

■ May 1, 1957, regained middleweight title with a fifth-round knockout of Gene Fullmer in Chicago.

■ Sept. 23, 1957, lost middleweight title in a 15-round decision to Carmen Basilio in New York.

■ March 25, 1958, regained middleweight title with 15-round decision over Carmen Basilio in Chicago.

■ Jan. 22, 1960, lost middleweight title to Paul Pender in 15 decision in Boston.

■ June 10, 1960, lost bid for middleweight title in 15-round decision to Paul Pender.

■ Dec. 3, 1960, draws with Gene Fullmer in bid to win NBA middleweight title.

■ March 4, 1961, loses 15-round decision to Gene Fullmer in bid for NBA middleweight title. It's the last of four classic fights with Fullmer in which Robinson wins just once, loses twice and draws one.

■ Sept. 12, 1961, loses to Joey Archer in 10-round decision at Pittsburgh.

■ Dec. 10, 1965, announced retirement with record of 175 victories (110 by knockout), 19 losses (one by TKO) and six draws. Two fights were stopped for technical reasons with no winner declared.

■ April 12, 1989, dies in Culver City, Calif.

NL Leaders

BATTING (15 at bats)— Hayes, Philadelphia, .536; Butler, San Francisco, .455; Elster, New York, .455; MThompson, St. Louis, .444; ONeill, Cincinnati, .441.

RUNS— Hayes, Philadelphia, 11; RThompson, San Francisco, 10; WClark, San Francisco, 9; Walton, Chicago, 9; Dernier, Philadelphia, 8; GDavis, Houston, 8; LSmith, Atlanta, 8.

RBI— Guerrero, St. Louis, 12; Hayes, Philadelphia, 12; Mitchell, San Francisco, 11; 6 are tied with 8.

HITS— Butler, San Francisco, 15; ONeill, Cincinnati, 15; Hayes, Philadelphia, 14; TGwynn, San Diego, 13; WClark, San Francisco, 13.

DOUBLES— Doran, Houston, 6; Blauser, Atlanta, 4; Butler, San Francisco, 4; GDavis, Houston, 4; Reed, Cincinnati, 4.

TRIPLES— 15 are tied with 1.

HOME RUNS— Hayes, Philadelphia, 4; Daulton, Philadelphia, 3; Guerrero, St. Louis, 3; Mitchell, San Francisco, 3; Schmidt, Philadelphia, 3.

STOLEN BASES— TGwynn, San Diego, 5; Webster, Chicago, 4; GPerry, Atlanta, 3; Strawberry, New York, 3; 12 are tied with 2.

PITCHING (2 decisions)— 8 are tied with 1.000.

STRIKEOUTS— Hershiser, Los Angeles, 16; Whitson, San Diego, 16; Gooden, New York, 15; Sutcliffe, Chicago, 15; Hurst, San Diego, 14.

SAVES— MaDavis, San Diego, 4; MWilliams, Chicago, 4; Franco, Cincinnati, 3; Boever, Atlanta, 2; LaCoss, San Francisco, 2.

Sunland

SUNLAND PARK, N.M. (AP) — Here are the results of Wednesday's horse racing at Sunland Park racetrack. Races 1 and 2 were simulcast from Oaklawn Park; races 13-15 from Santa Anita; and races 16-18 from Garden State.

First — 6 furlongs; My Sister Sarah 5.40, 2.60, 2.10; Worth The Hurri 2.40, 2.20; Chancy Weather 2.20. T — 1:13.4.

Quiniela — $9.00.
Exacta — $8.80.

Second — 6 furlongs; Shes Mighty Too 34.30, 17.40, 11.80; Prize Hurricane 5.60, 5.60; Native Copper 4.40. T — 1:11.2.

Quiniela — $97.20.
Exacta — $6.60 and $3.40.
Trifecta — $1,579.60.
Daily Double — $250.60.

Third — 1 mile; Nostrum Place 4.40, 2.20, 2.10; Am A Hit Too 2.40, 2.10; Havakristy 2.10. T — 1:40.3.

Quiniela — $3.60.

Fourth — 350 yards; Real Special Jet 3.40, 2.80, 2.10; High Texas Dance 2.20, 2.20; Fancys Zevi 2.20. T — 18.16.

Quiniela — $4.80.
Trifecta — $20.00.
Daily Double — $8.40.

Fifth — 350 yards; Riverton 4.60, 3.80, 2.80; Kinnikin 12.00, 4.20; Six Yen 33.60. T — 17.96.

Quiniela — $20.40.
First Half Twin Super — $2,140.80.

Sixth — 5½ furlongs; Hot And Dry 16.40, 5.60, 3.80; Busted Choke 8.80, 6.40; Lien Lifter 3.60. T — 1:08.1.

Quiniela — $21.60.
Trifecta — $2,091.80.
Second Half Twin Super — No winner. Carryover — $9,484.00.

Seventh — 5 furlongs; Armed Response 28.20, 9.80, 5.00; Catonie Choke 3.80, 4.40; Chokamo entry. T — 59.0.

Exacta — $91.00.

Eighth — 5½ furlongs; Deamon's Double 6.60, 3.60, 3.20; Serna's Doll 4.60, 3.40; Seminole Queen 2.80. T — 1:08.4.

Quiniela — $15.80.
Trifecta — $148.80.
Big Q — $557.00.

Ninth — 5 furlongs; Conquering Wind 8.20, 4.80, 3.00; Aggie Special 5.80, 3.40; Strip N. Humbaba 4.80. T — 59.4.

Quiniela — $10.20.
Exacta — $32.20.

Tenth — 1 1-16 mile; Starland 4.20, 3.00, 2.40; Agudo 5.40, 4.00; Devils California 3.40. T — 1:47.2.

Quiniela — $8.60.
Trifecta — $48.20.

Eleventh — 6 furlongs; Watch My Hat 4.60, 3.60, 2.60; Cash Has Class 4.40, 3.20; Natees Spirit 7.80. T — 1:13.

Quiniela — $31.20.
Exacta — $7.80.

Twelfth — 6½ furlongs; Start Jumpin 14.40, 9.00, 3.00; Whiskey Day 5.00, 3.40; Trisca Decca 3.20. T — 1:18.4.

Quiniela — $55.00.
Trifecta — $497.80.

Thirteenth — 1 1-16 mile; Awesome Bud 6.80, 4.20, 2.60; Elite Regent 29.00, 6.80; Criminal Type 3.00. T — 1:42.1.

Quiniela — $65.00.
Exacta — $124.20.
Trifecta — $606.40.

Fourteenth — 1⅛ mile; Formidable Lady 16.60, 6.80, 4.20; General Charge 6.80, 4.80; Kelly 4.80. T — 1:50.3.

Quiniela — $28.60.
Exacta — $107.80.
Trifecta — $314.00.

Fifteenth — 1 1-16 mile; Hollywood Reporter 3.20, 3.40, 2.60; Fetzle Kettle 5.20, 3.80; Say Say Boom 3.20. T — 1:43.3.

Quiniela — $30.20.
Exacta — $46.80.
Trifecta — $206.40.

Sixteenth — 6 furlongs; Triple Lea 38.80, 7.80, 6.00; Furious Fire 3.80, 3.00; Fazesha 5.40. T — 1:12.

Quiniela — $98.60.
Exacta — $177.80.
Trifecta — $1,810.00.

Seventeenth — 1 mile 70 yards; Rebs Odyssey 12.00, 6.80, 5.60; Highest Ridge 4.40, 13.00; Young Partner 4.00. T — 1:45.4.

Quiniela — $26.60.
Exacta — $83.00.
Trifecta — $149.80.

NL Boxes

Reds 3, Astros 1

CINCINNATI	ab	r	h	bi	HOUSTON	ab	r	h	bi
Larkin ss	4	0	0	0	Young cf	4	0	2	0
Sabo 3b	5	0	1	0	CReids 2b	4	0	0	0
EDavis cf	4	1	1	0	BHatchr lf	4	0	1	0
Daniels lf	4	1	1	0	Forsch p	0	0	0	0
Bnzngr 1b	3	1	0	0	GDavis 1b	4	0	0	0
ONeill rf	4	0	3	3	Puhl rf	3	0	0	0
Reed c	4	0	0	0	Doran ph	1	0	0	0
Oester 2b	2	0	0	0	Ramrz ss	4	0	1	0
Rijo p	2	0	1	0	Caminit 3b	4	1	1	0
Collins ph	1	0	0	0	Trevino c	3	0	1	1
Dibble p	0	0	0	0	Rhoden p	2	0	1	0
Yngbld ph	1	0	0	0	GGross ph	0	0	0	0
Franco p	0	0	0	0	Yelding pr	0	0	0	0
					Andersn p	0	0	0	0
					DSmith p	0	0	0	0
					Agosto p	0	0	0	0
					Bass rf	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	3	7	3	Totals	33	1	7	1

Cincinnati	000 000 003—3
Houston	010 000 000—1

E—GDavis. LOB—Cincinnati 8, Houston 6. 2B—Caminiti, ONeill. SB—ONeill 2 (2), Oester (1).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Cincinnati						
Rijo	7	6	1	1	1	4
Dibble W,1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Franco S,3	1	1	0	0	0	1
Houston						
Rhoden	7	5	0	0	1	1
Andersen	1	0	0	0	0	0
DSmith L,0-1	0	1	3	2	1	0
Agosto	2-3	1	0	0	2	2
Forsch	1-3	0	0	0	0	0

DSmith pitched to 3 batters in the 9th. BK—Rijo. T—2:36. A—9,723.

Giants 3, Dodgers 1

LOSANGELES	ab	r	h	bi	SAN FRAN	ab	r	h	bi
Rndlph 2b	4	1	2	0	Butler cf	3	1	2	0
Griffin ss	3	0	0	0	RThpsn 2b	4	1	2	0
Gibson lf	2	0	0	0	WClark 1b	3	0	1	0
Murray 1b	3	0	0	0	Mitchell lf	4	1	1	3
Marshal rf	3	0	2	1	Mldndo rf	4	0	2	0
Shelby cf	3	0	0	0	Jurak 3b	3	0	1	0
Hamltn 3b	4	0	0	0	MWhms 3b	1	0	0	0
Valenzla p	2	0	0	0	LaCoss p	0	0	0	0
Scioscia c	4	0	1	0	Mnwrng c	2	0	0	0
Crews p	0	0	0	0	Uribe ss	3	0	0	0
MHtchr ph	1	0	0	0	Garrelts p	2	0	0	0
Searage p	0	0	0	0	Brantley p	0	0	0	0
JHowell p	0	0	0	0	Steels ph	1	0	0	0
					Hamakr p	0	0	0	0
					Speier 3b	0	0	0	0

Murphy homer leads Atlanta

Associated Press

Dale Murphy didn't consider it a demotion, just an alteration. It was the catalyst to the Braves' 5-0 victory over San Diego.

Murphy was moved from his customary cleanup spot in the Atlanta batting order to No. 2 Wednesday night. In his first at-bat in that unfamiliar slot, Murphy hit a two-run homer, his first of the year.

"It was just one game, one at-bat really," Murphy said after the victory that featured Tom Glavine's first career shutout, a six-hitter. "For me, this is a day-to-day thing. I just got to keep going out there working on it. Russ said before the game that he was going to try something different. It certainly was something different."

Manager Russ Nixon wouldn't admit to any long-range plans for Murphy as a No. 2 hitter.

"The idea was to get him out of the number four spot and the pressure of carrying the club," Nixon said of Murphy, who had no RBI in 27 at-bats.

Murphy had recognized his problems well before the switch.

"I've just been working on little things, I'm trying to stay back a little," he said. "I had a bad start, but I'm not really concerned about it; what's it been, seven or eight games? I don't think this is a carryover from last year."

In 1987, Murphy hit .226 with 24 homers and 77 RBI.

Cubs 3, Cardinals 2

At Chicago, two pitchers the Cubs acquired from Texas in a nine-player off-season deal held off St. Louis. Four double plays didn't hurt, either.

Paul Kilgus carried a 3-0 lead into the ninth. Vince Coleman reached on an error by shorstop Domingo Ramos and Tom Brunansky homered to make it 3-2 and knock out Kilgus. But Mitch Williams came on and ended the game by striking out Jose Oquendo for his fourth save and the Cubs' fifth straight victory.

"The four double plays helped, but that's my game," said Kilgus, 1-1 since coming to Chicago in the trade that also brought Williams. "I'd like to have had the shutout, but I fell behind Brunansky and I wasn't going to walk him. I threw it down the middle to see what would happen. He still had to hit it."



AP Laserphoto

Houston manager Art Howe and NL ump Gary Darling have a less-than-amicable talk during Wednesday's game in the Astrodome.

Reds 3, Astros 1

At Houston, Paul O'Neill's three-run double with none out in the ninth won it for Cincinnati.

Astros starter Rick Rhoden and reliever Larry Andersen had combined on a five-hit shutout through eight innings. Dave Smith came on in the ninth and Eric Davis led off with a single. He went to third when first baseman Glenn Davis made a two-base throwing error on Kal Daniels' grounder.

Phillies 6, Expos 3

At Philadelphia, Mike Schmidt, Von Hayes and Ron Jones homered in the third inning off former teammate Kevin Gross, who yielded four home runs, three doubles and a triple. Gross was traded to Montreal in the offseason.

Darren Daulton's homer in the second gave the Phillies a 2-0 lead and they boosted it to 5-0 in the third with the three solo home runs.

Giants 3, Dodgers 1

Kevin Mitchell hit a three-run homer off Fernando Valenzuela and Scott Garrelts earned his first victory as a starter in three years.

Mitchell's third home run and fourth of his career off Valenzuela came on a 3-0 pitch in the first inning.

NOLAN

(Continued from Page 1C)

Ryan raised his all-time strikeout record to 4,798 on a night when he didn't have his curveball. He stuck with his fastball and a changeup to keep the Brewers off-stride. His 15 strikeouts surpassed the Texas single-game mark of 14 shared by Bert Blyleven and Jim Bibby, the only two Rangers to pitch no-hitters.

"I've had better stuff. I think the key is that I got ahead and their guys are free swingers," Ryan said.

"I had a good change and they hadn't seen me. I think worked to my advantage. I was forutnate to get as far as I did without a curve."

Ryan, who has never pitched a perfect game, did not permit a runner until Robin Yount walked on a 3-2 pitch with two outs in the seventh. The walk came after Yount's catchable pop foul fell between two fielders.

Braggs walked on a full-count pitch in the eighth and Francona, just 1-for-14 this season, followed with a line-drive single to left field. Ryan's last no-hitter came on Sept. 26, 1981, for Houston against Los Angeles.

"Anytime you get that close you're disappointed," Ryan said.

"I would have loved to throw a no-hitter tonight. You can't take that approach. That's my attitude, if it happens, it happens.

"It's not something you can work toward. As many times as I've been in that situation, you have to be realisitic and not get caught up in it. The last six outs are always the toughest."

Francona said he felt awkward talking about the hit since the Brewers were beaten by seven runs.

"As far as the team went, it didn't have any bearing on the game," Francona said.

"You never want to get no-hit, but I'd rather help to drive in runs and have it mean something to our ball club.

"What's so impressive about him is that when I faced him in 1981, '82 and '83, he threw a hard fastball and breaking balls. Now he's throwing changeups or whatever. I'd like to give him more credit, except that we have to face him next weekend. Heck, he's Nolan Ryan."

Ryan, signed as a free agent in the off-season, was making only his second regular-season start in the American League since Sept. 29, 1979. Against Detroit last Thursday, he gave up seven hits and four runs in five innings and struck out eight without getting a decision.

AL Roundup

Orioles 5, Royals 4

Baltimore stopped a 15-game losing streak against Kansas City when Mike Devereaux hit a sacrifice fly in the 15th inning.

The Orioles had not beaten Kansas City since July 26, 1987. The Royals' winning streak was eight short of the major-league record for consecutive victories against a team, set by Baltimore against Kansas City in 1969-70.

Angels 5, Athletics 0

Kirk McCaskill and Greg Minton teamed on a three-hitter as California beat visiting Oakland.

The Angels, who downed Oakland 7-1 Tuesday night on Bert Blyleven's four-hitter, won consecutively against the Athletics for the first time since July 28-29, 1987.

Mariners 9, White Sox 1

Rookie Erik Hanson pitched eight shutout innings and rookie Greg Briley drove in four runs as host Seattle stopped Chicago.

Yankees 5, Blue Jays 3

New York ended its seven-game losing streak as Rickey Henderson's two-run single broke a 3-all tie in the sixth inning at Yankee Stadium.

The Yankees won for the first time since opening day and had been outscored 59-19 before beating Toronto.

Indians 10, Red Sox 6

Cory Snyder drove in six runs with two homers and two singles as Cleveland outslugged Boston at Fenway Park.

Snyder hit two-run homers in the second and fourth innings and had run-scoring singles in the eighth and ninth. The Indians won for the fifth time in seven games and Boston has lost five of seven.

Local girls golf teams finish 3-4

From Staff Reports

ABILENE — The Odessa Permian and San Angelo girls' golf teams finished 1-2 in the 1989 district golf tour, earning berths to the regional tourney in Lubbock.

Midland High finished 60 strokes out of second with a four-round team total 1,556. Midland Lee was fourth at 1,580. The Lady Bulldogs failed to pick up any ground on Central, as both teams shot 364s on the final day.

Permian had trailed Central by three strokes going into the final round. The Lady Panthers, though, shot a 349 to finish at 1,484, 12 strokes better than Central's second place finish.

TEAM STANDINGS
(Final round, Season total)

1. Odessa Permian, 349—1,484; 2. San Angelo Central, 364—1,496; 3. Midland High, 364—1,556; 4. Midland Lee, 381—1,580; 5. Abilene High, 375—1,820; 6. Abilene Cooper, 404—1,721.

MEDALIST RACE
(Final round, Season total)

1. Lisa Balch, San Angelo Central, 82—324; 2. Denise Morales, Odessa Permian, 83—344; 3. Tiffany Kennedy, Odessa Permian, 87—354; **4. Carrie Sutton, Midland Lee, 89—369; 5. Jennie Hyde, Midland High, 91—372;** 6. Linda Dulude, Abilene High, 82—376; **7. Amanda Koen, Midland High, 82—379;** 8. Danya Huling, San Angelo Central, 96—382; **9. Nicole Marburger, Midland Lee, 97—386;** 10. Julie Lay, San Angelo Central, 91—391.

Weather wrecks Angels — again

From Staff Reports

There was good news and bad news for Midland Angel fans Wednesday.

On the negative side, Wednesday's cool drizzle forced postponement of the Halos' scheduled series opener with the El Paso Diablos — the Angels' second washout in less than a week.

The good news for Angel fans is that all "Pack The Park" tickets for Tuesday or Wednesday will be honored during the remainder of the homestand, which extends through Sunday.

Wednesday's game will be made up as part of a doubleheader either Friday, Saturday or Sunday. The exact date of the twinbill was unknown at press time Thursday.

As an added treat this weekend, Milwaukee Brewers standout Teddy Higuera is slated to take the mound Friday for El Paso. Higuera has been with the Diablos as part of his rehabilitation from an arm injury.

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P205 75R14	55.12
P215 75R14	57.93
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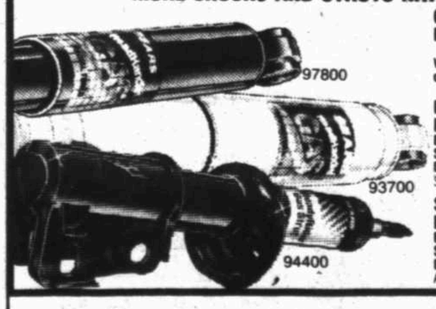
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Boxer Sugar Ray Robinson mourned by friends

By JOHN NADEL

CULVER CITY, Calif. (AP) — Sugar Ray Robinson is considered by many the best fighter, pound-for-pound, in boxing history. Those close to the former champion will remember him for a different reason.

Robinson died Wednesday, apparently of natural causes, shortly after being rushed to Brotman Memorial Medical Center. He was 67.

He had a 175-19-6 record including 110 knockouts in his 25-year career which ended in 1965.

"He was one of the finest human beings who ever lived, even a better person than a prize fighter," said Sid Lockitch, Robinson's business manager for 19 years. "He was charitable, he cared very deeply for children.

"That's why he started the youth foundation 20 years ago. It was a way to help the children, keep them off the streets."

Lockitch was referring to the Sugar Ray Youth Foundation in Los Angeles.

"Aside from the great fighter that he was, Ray was a profound humanitarian," said Phil Jefferson, the administrative director of the foundation. "He had a real concern for his fellow man, especially those who weren't as fortunate as he was.

"The foundation was a lifetime dream of Ray's, going back to his days in Detroit. We've reached at least 30,000 kids over the 20 years that we've been here. The foundation as well as the community owes a real debt to Ray. He left it as a legacy."

Although cause of death was not immediately available from the hospital, Robinson suffered from Alzheimer's disease as well as diabetes and high blood pressure, Lockitch said.

Robinson influenced boxers from Muhammad Ali to Sugar Ray Leonard.

"I idolized the man," Leonard said of Robinson, from whom he got his nickname. "Someone once said there was a comparison between Sugar Ray Leonard and Sugar Ray Robinson. Believe me, there's no comparison. Sugar Ray Robinson was the greatest."

"Generations of fighters copied his style, including Muhammad Ali," said Archie Moore, former light heavyweight champion and a friend for nearly 50 years. "Ali got a lot of his style from Robinson. ... We'll all miss him. I know I'll miss him."

Robinson fought his first fight on Oct. 4, 1940, at age 19, on the undercard of Henry Armstrong's welterweight championship loss to Fritzie Zivic, and he fought his last fight at age 44 on Nov. 10, 1965, losing a 10-round decision to Joey Archer.

In the intervening 25 years, the flashy fighter was involved in some of boxing's most memorable bouts.

More than anything, Robinson's record reflects the difference in boxing from his era to the present. Top fighters today are paid so much that they seldom fight more than two or three times a year, if that, and the thought of 100 fights in a career, much less 200, is unheard of.

Robinson was born on May 3, 1921 in Detroit, Mich., as Walker Smith Robinson Jr., and he was elected to the Boxing Hall of Fame in 1967.

"Sugar Ray Robinson was the man, along with Joe Louis," former heavyweight champion Larry Holmes said by telephone from Philadelphia. "Those two guys opened the door for the rest of us.

"Anytime you get into a conversation about old-time greats, those are the two people everyone talks about."

Even Louis, the renowned Brown Bomber and former heavyweight champion, once called Robinson "the greatest fighter ever to step into the ring."

Robinson won the vacant world welterweight title on Dec. 20, 1946, with a 15-round decision over Tommy Bell and never lost a fight to a welterweight the rest of his career.

Robinson also won the middleweight title, stopping Jake LaMotta in the 13th round on Feb. 14, 1951, in Chicago. That was the sixth time the two fighters had met, with Robinson winning five, and it was the only time they did not fight to the distance in one of the most brutal rivalries in boxing history.

By the time Robinson met LaMotta for the last time, he was almost 30 years old and his record already was 119-1-2, yet he fought on for another 14 years.

Another of Robinson's most memorable rivalries was against Gene Fullmer, whom he beat only once in four meetings.



Sugar Ray Robinson

JUMP

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High Jump: Abilene Cooper's Tammy Scott (5-4) and Permian's Stacey Tighe (5-2) appears to be the best while Jane McDow of Abilene High has a shot.

Long Jump: Permian's Tracy Bowser (17-5) and San Angelo's Stacie Cole (17-1) appear to have a lock on the two berths with San Angelo's Lilia de la Garza (16-5) hoping for a fall from the leaders.

Triple Jump: Cole (35-6) the favorite here with Bowser, Permian's Angela Garner and Lisa Crane and Lee's Keyshia Crisp battling for second. This is an event where a dark horse could emerge with at least three others in range.

3200: Odessa High's Estela Arroyo and Cooper's Jessica Temple are the only runners under 13 minutes, but Midland High's Myra Pina was a surprise in this event last year and again is in the field. Will Temple run in the 3200 or 800? That's the major question.

400 Relay: This is a key race in the point battle, so as expected, Permian and San Angelo are favored. Abilene High and Lee both are watching for a mistake.

800: Permian's Antionette Davila (2:26.31) hasn't been beaten this year by a 4-5A runner. That should make her a big favorite. Where Cooper's Temple fits in is a carryover from the 3200, leaving doubt as to second place.

100 Hurdles: Abilene High's Ernestine Pyle (15.39) and Permian's Dorley Patton (16.17) are favored, but Lee's Janice Samuels (16.23) is close enough to challenge.

100: Midland High's Annette Glover (12.27), a junior who hasn't run since the seventh grade, hasn't lost to a 4-5A opponent this year, but plenty are on her heels in Permian's Bowser (12.30) and Lee's Teresa Blaylock (12.62). Also the mystery of this event lies with Lee's Melody Miller, who has twice gained Region I advancement here. She hasn't run well this year, but she knows how to run in the big races.

800 Relay: This should be a three-team race with San Angelo (1:46.30), Permian (1:47.11) and Lee (1:48.00).

400: Permian's Tracy Lawrence (58.01, a Tall City Relays record) and the rest, including San Angelo's Kara Dierschke, but all others are over one minute.

200: Midland High's Glover (25.80) could get a push from Lee's Jamelia Lott (26.44) and San Angelo's Cole (26.56) and Lanouette (26.57). Lott has moved into major contention after the Tall City Relays.

1600: Odessa High's Arroyo (5:37.94) has been the best, but finished sixth in the TC last week while Lee's Marsha del Llano (5:51.71) placed second to throw her hat into the ring by improving nine seconds. Cooper's Temple should be in first or second while Odessa High's Ramirez has a shot if Arroyo doesn't return to form.

1600 Relay: What else is new? Permian (4:03.02) and San Angelo (4:06.75) have little competition.

Team Race: Expect Permian to win with outstanding depth with San Angelo finishing at least 20 points behind. Overall this is a weak year for girls track with only Wilder in the discus state ranked. Only the discus record seems to be in jeopardy.

Girls District 4-5A Records

Triple Jump: Diane White, Midland Lee, 39-9¾, 1985.
Long Jump: Diane White, Midland Lee, 19-9¾, 1985.
High Jump: Kerry Evans, Odessa High, 5-6, 1985.
Discus: Kelly Davis, Abilene Cooper, 130-0, 1981.
Shot Put: Lila Hines, Abilene High, 49-1¼, 1977.
3200: Claire Hardy, Midland High, 11:09.36, 1984.
400 Relay: San Angelo (Pace, Kelly, Cole, Bryant) 48.47, 1980.
800: Sandra Houston, Odessa Permian, 2:23.10, 1985.
100 Hurdles: Denise Jackson, Abilene High, 14.59, 1984.
100: Kasandra McDaniel, Odessa High, 11.63, 1988.
800 Relay: Abilene High (Perry, Alexander, Webster, Medearis), 1:43.74, 1987.
400: Sonji McIntire, Odessa Permian, 57.76, 1984.
200: Ethel Edwards, Midland High, 24.31, 1987.
1600: Claire Hardy, Midland High, 5:30.30, 1984.
1600 Relay: Odessa Permian (McIntire, Gamble, Ellis, Wilson) 3:59.92, 1985.

Catcher's book not good for ump

NEW YORK (AP) — Toronto catcher Ernie Whitt says umpire Joe Brinkman makes calls against the Blue Jays because he dislikes the team, according to Whitt's new book, "Catch."

"Brinkman hates our ballclub," Whitt wrote. "He's gone downhill as an umpire. And the scary part of it is he runs an umpiring schools. I thought he was pretty fair until the last couple of years, then I think he took on an attitude of 'I'm going to get you guys.'

"Umpires held grudges and there are a few crews that just don't like the Jays," Whitt wrote. "Joe Brinkman's one of them. If's gotten bad over the last two years, but Joe's attitude actually goes back to when Bobby Mattick was managing. All the umpires hated Bobby but Joe had his run-ins with Bobby Cox, too.

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Bush plan gets committee approval

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate Banking Committee on Wednesday unanimously approved President Bush's $90 billion plan for bailing out the savings and loan industry after rejecting an effort by the panel's chairman to dump the $50 billion immediate taxpayer portion of the cost onto the 1989 federal budget.

The 21-member panel voted 11-10 to establish a quasi-government corporation for issuing 30-year bonds to finance the government's share — as Bush wanted — instead of the on-budget alternative advocated by Banking Committee Chairman Don Riegle, D-Mich.

Democratic Sens. Alan Cranston of California, Alan Dixon of Illinois and Jim Sasser of Tennessee sided with all but one of the committee's nine Republicans in favoring Bush's plan over Riegle's.

But Riegle himself admitted he had lost enthusiasm for the proposal after Treasury Secretary Nicholas Brady repeatedly told Senate Democrats throughout Wednesday he would recommend that Bush veto the legislation if it swelled the budget deficit.

Sasser, who met with Brady throughout the day, said the administration's opposition would have made the effort to solve the S&L crisis "drag on for months."

"The secretary of treasury was absolutely adamant there would be a presidential veto and we would be back to square one," Sasser said.

Earlier, Brady wrote a letter to senators in which he didn't repeat the Bush veto threat, but did say the administration opposed Riegle's plan.

Rep. Charles Schumer, D-N.Y., the chief advocate in the House of such a plan, said he is holding off on proposing it after receiving a letter Wednesday from White House budget director Richard Darman, who said he would refuse to count all of the spending in 1989.

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EASTERN

Eastern buyout collapses

NEW YORK (AP) — Peter V. Ueberroth's vow to resurrect ailing Eastern Airlines crumbled along with the hopes of its striking unions when his $464 million deal for the carrier evaporated before it was a week old.

The ex-baseball commissioner announced the failure of his proposed takeover Wednesday after tumultuous negotiations between his aides and Eastern's parent Texas Air Corp. reached an impasse in federal bankruptcy court.

The judge moved immediately to attract other buyers.

"Our agreement with Texas Air is terminated, it's finished, it's over," Ueberroth said.

Ueberroth, who had described the deal as a historic opportunity for business-labor cooperation when it was announced April 6, said his investor group did not plan to make a new offer.

But Charles Bryan, head of Eastern's Machinists union, said in several television interviews today he thought Ueberroth was still in the picture.

"Peter Ueberroth has said (it's over) a couple of times in the past during these negotiations," Bryan said on the NBC "Today" show.

"He could very well come back, as well as many other possible buyers," Bryan said.

Employees would have owned 30 percent of the company in exchange for $210 million in concessions under the deal.

Ueberroth's dramatic entry as a bidder and just-as-dramatic departure injected new uncertainty into prospects for an airline that has been largely idled and losing millions of dollars since the Machinist union struck March 4. Its pilots and flight attendants joined the walkout.

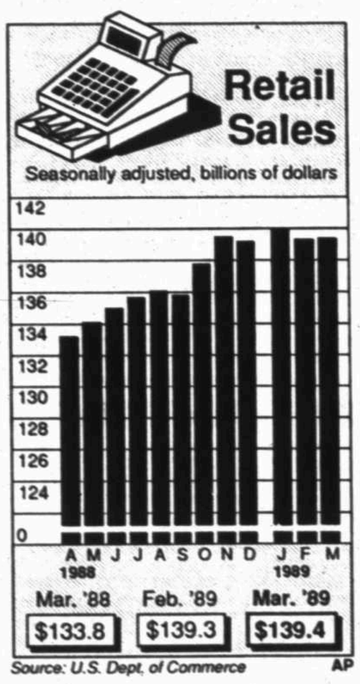
His withdrawal doused hopes among many strikers that a strong new leader had emerged to take control of an airline they claim has been butchered by Texas Air chairman Frank Lorenzo since he bought it three years ago.

"I'm disappointed to say the least," said Wally Haber, a Machinist union official in Eastern's home base of Miami.

"I can tell you right now, Mr. Lorenzo would have walked away in this deal with a lot more money than he put into Eastern Airlines. Obviously they've got some plans to milk some more out of Eastern."

The Air Line Pilots Association in Washington said the union was disappointed and the problems that caused the strike remained.

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Lorenzo puts blame on union

NEW YORK (AP) — Texas Air Corp. Chairman Frank Lorenzo told students at his alma mater that he hopes his refusal to let a trustee take charge of Eastern Airlines will benefit shareholders.

Lorenzo gave his reasons for the collapse of negotiations with Peter V. Ueberroth to Columbia University graduate students at a lecture Wednesday which was closed to the media.



Lorenzo

Ueberroth offered $464 million for the strike-saddled airline and the deal for a time seemed likely to go through, until talks broke down for good Wednesday over the issue of who would control the airline as it emerged from bankruptcy.

Eastern's unions demanded that the courts appoint a trustee but Lorenzo refused.

One student, Steve Mazzari, 27, said Lorenzo gave the audience a historical perspective on the Eastern troubles and then explained "why the Ueberrroth deal did not fly."

Lorenzo told the students he wanted to "'run the company until we can pay our shareholders,'" Mazzari said. "He said he was looking for the best deal in the interest of the shareholders. He thought hiring a trustee was not in their best interest."

"He blamed it (the collapse of talks) on the unions," said Michael Danitz, 27. "He felt he should have been running the airline in the interim. He felt he was better qualified being in the airline (business) than somebody who's a trustee of the court."

Another student who asked not to be identified said Lorenzo told them he planned to sell some of Eastern's assets "and that will be better for the shareholders."

About 100 protesters marched outside Uris Hall, where Lorenzo spoke for 20 minutes about the airline industry since deregulation and then answered students' questions for another 40 minutes.

One protester carried a sign that read, "Frankie smooth talk '59. Some things never change." Lorenzo was graduated from Columbia in 1961.

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Retail sales move up

WASHINGTON (AP) — Retail sales, held back by sluggish business at car dealerships and department stores, edged up a slim 0.1 percent in March after posting a sharp decline during the previous month, the government reported today.

The Commerce Department said sales rose to a seasonally adjusted $139.42 billion last month after falling 0.6 percent in February and jumping 0.6 percent in January. The figures are not adjusted to exclude the effects of rising prices.

For the third straight month, overall sales in March were held down by a decline in spending on autos, which account for almost one-fourth of the retail total. Car sales were down 0.1 percent in March after declining 2.5 percent in February and 1.9 percent in January.

It was the first time auto sales have declined for three straight months since July through September 1984, when the decreases were more pronounced.

Carmakers in recent weeks have launched a new round of incentive programs in hopes of luring customers back to showrooms during the prime spring selling season despite higher interest rates for loans.

Excluding the automotive category, retail sales last month still were up just 0.2 percent after holding virtually even during February and rising 1.4 percent in January.

Retail spending accounts for about one-third of overall economic activity and is closely watched as a measure of the economy's health. Many analysts are expecting an economic slowdown this year in response to an ongoing campaign by the Federal Reserve Board to push up interest rates and thus dampen demand and restrain inflation.

In the key category of department and other general merchandise stores, sales fell 1.2 percent in March to $15.6 billion after declining 1.5 percent in February.

In a separate report earlier this month, the nation's big retailers reported mixed March results, with giant Sears, Roebuck and Co. reporting strong sales under its new competitive pricing policy while other chains were less pleased with last month's showing.

Overall, sales of durable goods, "big ticket" items expected to last three or more years, were down 0.2 percent last month after plunging 1.7 percent in February.

Sales of non-durable goods, meanwhile, rose 0.3 percent in March after climbing 0.2 percent during the previous month.

Interim manager named

From Staff Reports



Strotheide

Mike Strotheide has been named interim manager of the Midland Chamber of Commerce. He currently serves as the chamber's small business development officer.

He will manage the chamber on an interim basis while a search is conducted for a new executive officer to succeed John Fowler, who has resigned to accept another position out of state. Steve Davidson, the chamber's chairman of the board, said a selection committee has been named to conduct a nationwide search. The committee will be headed by Joanne Langston, chairman-elect.

Strotheide, 43, joined the chamber staff April 1, 1988 as small business development specialist and assistmant manager of the economic development department. His organization management experience includes service as executive vice president of the Williston, N.D. Chamber of Commerce, and as a district executive for the Boy Scouts of America. Before coming to Midland, he was manager and investment executive with John G. Kinnard & Co. in Williston.

He holds a bachelor's degree in psychology from Minot State University and attended the Institute for Organization Management at the University of Colorado.

Jim Crider, manager of economic development, will continue in that post, reporting directly to the executive committee. This will enable the chamber to continue its focus on economic development and diversification, considered the top priority of the organization by its membership, Davidson said.



Texas tops in toxins

By BILL DAWSON
Hearst News Service

HOUSTON — Texas industries led the nation in releasing toxic chemicals into the environment and sending them to disposal facilities, according to new figures revealed Wednesday by the federal Environmental Protection Agency.

Texas' totals were the first, second or third largest in all categories in the EPA's first compilation of data under its new Toxic Release Inventory program.

Nationally, industries told the EPA they released more than 22.5 billion pounds of 328 designated chemicals to the air, land and water, or otherwise disposed of them, in 1987. That was the first year covered by an annual reporting requirement.

Industries in Texas accounted for almost 2.8 billion pounds –the greatest overall amount of any state and about 12 percent of the national total.

The list includes potential carcinogens, immediately poisonous substances, chemicals that can harm the environment, and others. Many experts stress, however, that total release figures do not provide enough information to judge levels of health and environmental risks.

The EPA estimated that 25 per cent of the companies nationally did not report. But the agency also said 95 percent of the 9.7 billion pounds of toxic substances released into the nation's streams and other surface waters was sodium sulfate, which it plans to take off the list because it does not pose significant hazards.

EPA Administrator William Reilly said in a statement that the new figures will help develop regulations, but don't show rates of release, concentration or actual exposure.

"It is likely that only a few facilities are exposing the public to toxic chemicals at a rate that could require immediate action," he said.

Linda Fischer, assistant EPA administrator for policy and planning, said at a Washington press conference that in sheer size, "The numbers are startling."

The figures, she said, "are unacceptably high and far beyond what we really thought was going to occur. We are producing too much toxic material in this country."

Another Texas bank insolvent

AUSTIN (AP) — The Commonwealth Bank, with deposits of about $55 million, was closed Wednesday, according to Texas Banking Commissioner Kenneth W. Littlefield.

The bank, located in Bellaire, had been a problem institution for several years, Littlefield said. He said deterioration of the bank's loan portfolio was a direct result of the staggering Houston economy.

The FDIC was immediately named receiver for liquidation and the manner in which it will proceed as receiver will be announced later, Littlefield said.

The bank became the 49th to fail this year in Texas.

MARKETS

Posted price hits $19.75

From Staff and Wire Reports

Both oil futures and posted prices headed higher today.

On the New York Mercantile Exchange, contracts for May delivery of West Texas Intermediate gained 8 cents to stand at $20.72 at midmorning. WTI gained 1 cent to close at $20.64 a barrel Wednesday.

At the same time, Fina Oil & Chemical, Marathon, Permian and Sun Refining and Marketing all raised their posted prices for WTI 50 cents to $19.75. The posted price was last at these levels fron July 14 to Aug. 20, 1987, when it was at $20 a barrel.

Traders attribute the strength in crude oil futures to unleaded gasoline, which appears to be driving world markets.

Motor fuel for May delivery reached a high of 71.2 cents a gallon before settling at 70.1 cents a gallon, up 1.1 cents. This was the highest close since Jan. 6, 1986, when near-month gasoline settled at $70.8 cents a gallon.

Analysts cite the $8-a-barrel increase in crude prices since last November as well as strong demand for gasoline and some promise of tighter supplies for the traditional driving season, due to begin in about six weeks, as boosting gasoline prices.

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- Previous Week $19.50
- One Year Ago $16.00

Dollar falls in active session

LONDON (AP) — The dollar fell in active European trading late this morning. Gold prices were little changed.

Currency dealers attributed the drop to rumors of the appointment of a new West German finance minister who reportedly wants to reduce or even eliminate a controversial 10 percent withholding tax on interest income.

They said that while the dollar is losing ground against most major currencies, it is active buying of Deutsche marks that is moving the market.

In Tokyo, the dollar slipped 0.05 yen to a closing 132.80. Later, in London, it was quoted at 132.55 yen.

Other dollar rates at midmorning, compared with late Wednesday:

— 1.8702 West German marks, down from 1.88575

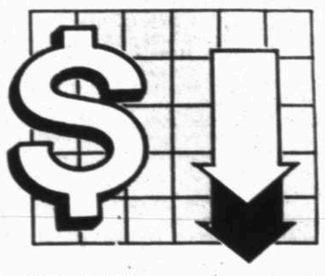
— 1.6565 Swiss francs, down from 1.6645

— 6.3330 French francs, down from 6.3690

— 2.1110 Dutch guilders, down from 2.1270

— 1,374.80 Italian lire, down from 1,381.00

— 1.1880 Canadian dollars, down from 1.18875



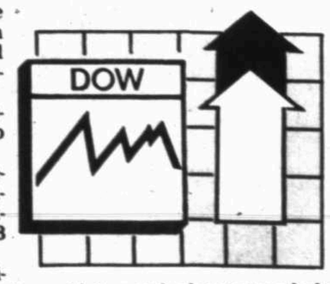
In London, one British pound cost $1.6994, slightly more expensive for buyers than late Wednesday's $1.6925.

Gold opened in London at a bid price of $387.75 a troy ounce, up from $387.25 bid late Wednesday. At midmorning, the city's five major bullion dealers fixed a recommended price of $387.80.

Silver was quoted in London at a bid price of $5.88 a troy ounce, little changed from Wednesday's $5.89.

Mild optimism boosts stocks

NEW YORK (AP) — Stocks rose again Wednesday in a session marked by takeover deals and mild optimism about the outlook for interest rates.



The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials rose 8.07 to 2,319.65, adding to its 9.71-point gain on Tuesday.

Advancing issues outnumbered declining ones by about 4 to 3 in nationwide trading of New York Stock Exchange-listed stocks, with 818 up, 618 down and 542 unchanged.

Traders were looking ahead to Friday's flood of economic reports, including widely watched ones on wholesale prices, merchandise trade, industrial production and factory use.

Any indication of a slowdown would ease fears of inflation and thus take pressure off the Federal Reserve to raise interest rates as a way of cooling off the economy.

BUSINESS IN BRIEF

Enron may sell stock in exploration unit

HOUSTON (AP) — Pipeline company Enron Corp. may sell up to 20 percent of the stock in its oil and gas exploration and production subsidiary, Enron Oil & Gas Co., according to Chairman Forrest E. Hoglund.

Hoglund said any sale, however, would not take place before next winter when natural gas prices are expected to increase, making the stock more valuable.

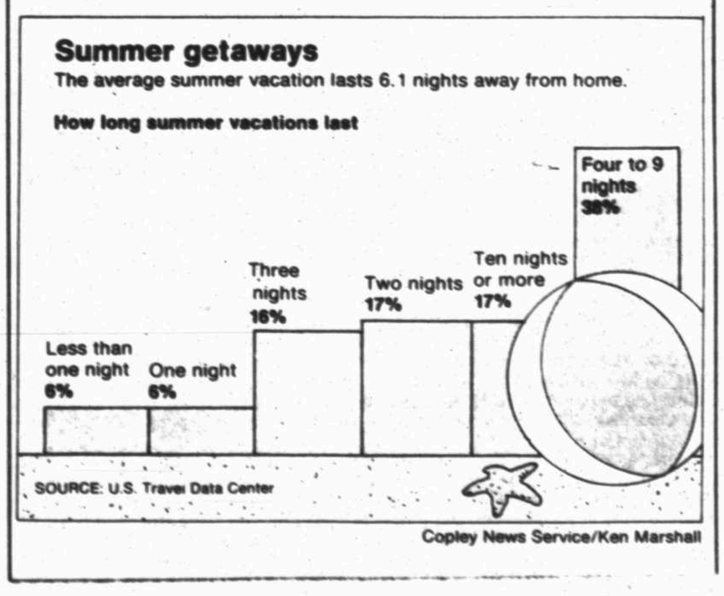
Although the Houston-based company has considerable long-term debt, Hoglund said the offering would not be used to reduce those obligations, but to demonstrate the value of the parent company's stock.

SmithKline, Beecham Group to merge

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — SmithKline Beckman Corp. and Britain's Beecham Group PLC announced they would merge and form the world's second-largest pharmaceutical company, but a Wall Street analyst warned that either firm could find itself a takeover target before the transaction is completed.

SmithKline and Beecham, which confirmed earlier this month they were negotiating on a merger, said Wednesday they would exchange stock and establish a pharmaceutical and health care giant with estimated sales of $6.7 billion.

BUSINESS TRENDS



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EXPLORATION HIGHLIGHTS

Amoco records two discoveries

From Staff Reports

AMOCO PRODUCTION CO., Houston, has completed two discoveries in Cochran County.

Amoco's No. 1 Mallet "O" was tested at 393 barrels of crude from Fusselman (Silurian) perforations 11,765 to 11,834 ft.

The well, scheduled as a 12,600 ft. wildcat, is 2.5 miles southeast of the Mallet (Fusselman) field, discovered in 1987. Amoco has requested a field name of Southwest Mallet for the discovery.

The second discovery is three miles northwest. The No. 1 C.S. Dean "A-92" was completed for 307 barrels of crude from Fusselman perforations 11,660 to 11,672.

Scheduled as a 12,000 ft. wildcat, the well opens the Southwest Dean field.



Cochran discoveries

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Plugback project reopens Runnels pay

A reentry project in Runnels County has reopened Dog Bend production in the Byers field.

WATCO ENERGY INC., Tyler, reentered the No. 2 Rohmfield, a former Jennings producer, testing it for a calculated absolute open flow of 562 Mcfd from perforations 3,460 to 3,464 ft. The interval was acidized with 1,000 gallons of acid.

Originally drilled to 3,911 ft., the well was plugged bck to 3,610 ft. with 4 1/2 inch casing set at 3,902 ft.

Formation tops, on ground elevation of 1,752 ft., include the King Sand at 2,176 ft., Palo Pinto at 3,220, Dog Bend at 3,400, and Gardner Lime at 3,880 ft.

Location is 2,094 ft. from south and 1,797 ft. from west lines of Section 155, ET&RR survey, 4.5 miles northeast of Ballinger.

Lea field producer flows 576 barrels

New Strawn production has been added to the Northeast Lovington field of Lea County, N.M. as **FORAN OIL CO.** completes activity in the area.

On potential test, the No. 1 State 12 "AA" flowed 576 barrels of 47.2 gravity crude, 648 Mcfd and no water on a 22/64 inch choke. Flowing tubing pressure was 680 psi and the well flowed from perforations 11,443 to 11,477 ft. The interval was acidized with 2,000 gallons of 20 percent NeFeHCL. Gas-oil ratio is 1,125:1.

Drilled to 11,930 ft., where 5 1/2 inch casing was set, the well was plugged back to 11,840 ft.

On ground elevation of 3,867.8 ft., formation tops include the Anhydrite at 2,164 ft., Salt at 2,230, Yates at 3,267, Seven Rivers at 3,356, Queen at 4,150, Grayburg at 4,694, San Andres at 5,000, Glorieta at 6,450, Tubb at 7,688, Abo at 8,340, Wolfcamp at 9,670, Pennsylvanian at 10,630, Canyon at 10,989, Strawn at 11,384, Atoka at 11,530, and Mississippian at 11,906 ft. Pay was topped at 11,443. ft.

Location is 1,980 ft. from south and 810 ft. from east lines of Section 12, T16s, R36e.

Mobil Oil continues drilling Winkler field

MOBIL PRODUCING TX & NM INC., Midland, continues activity in the Kermit (Yates) field of Winkler County, adding a new producer to the field.

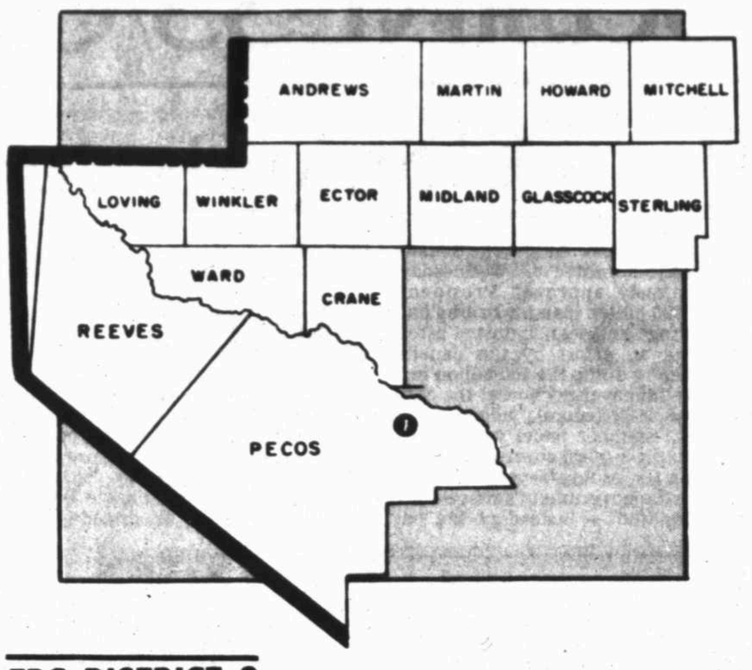
The No. 342 J.B. Walton was finaled for a calculated absolute open flow of 345 Mcfd from perforations 2,464 to 2,665 ft.

Total depth is 2,850 ft., where 2-7/8 inch casing was set, and the well was plugged back to 2,777 ft.

On kelly bushing elevation of 2,936.8 ft., formation tops include the Rustler at 799 ft., Salado at 1,014, Tansill at 2,255, Yates at 2,397, and Seven Rivers at 2,666 ft. Pay was topped at 2,464 ft.

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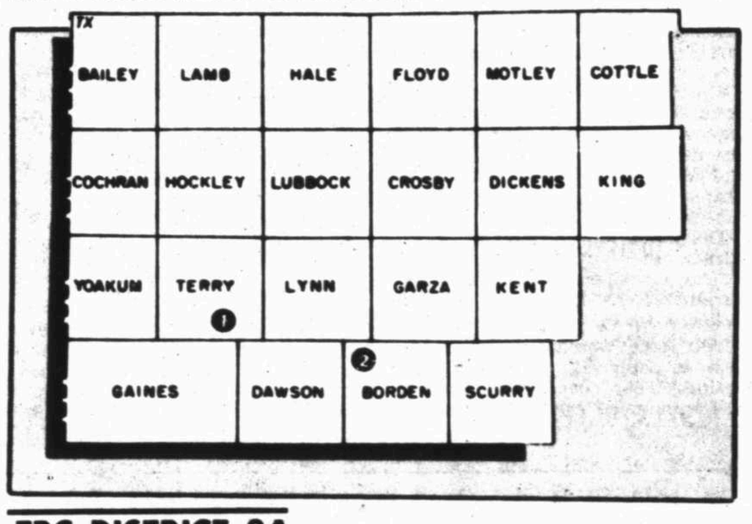
WILDCATS



TRC DISTRICT 8

■ **1. MIDLAND OPERATOR EYES PECOS PROSPECT.** Richards & Winkler, Midland, has applied to drill a 7,000 ft. prospect in Pecos County, four miles north of Bakersfield.

The No. 1-5 University "16" is 1,801 ft. from south and 2,175 ft. from west lines of Section 5, Block 16, ULS survey.



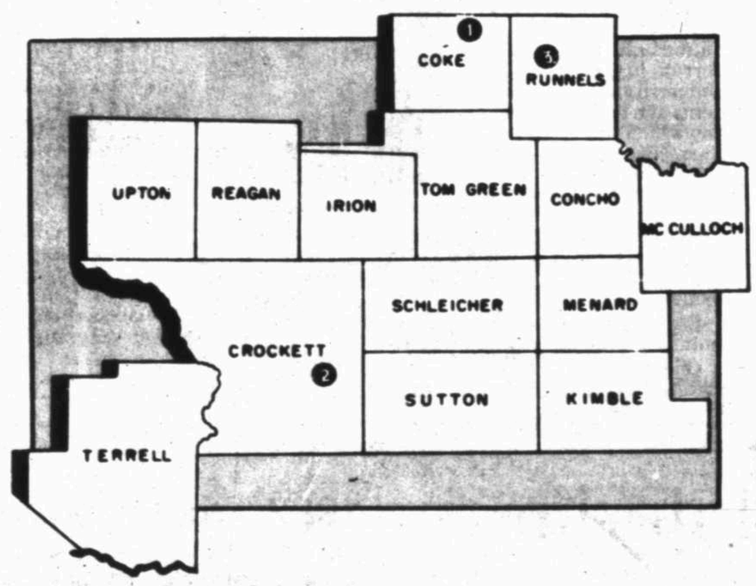
TRC DISTRICT 8A

■ **1. TERRY DRAWS WILDCAT LOCATION.** A 9,000 ft. wildcat is set for Terry County, 13 miles south of Brownfield.

J. Cleo Thompson, Dallas, will drill the No. 1 Cody Clayton 2,310 ft. from south and 660 ft. from west lines of Section 17, Block C-37, PSL survey.

■ **2. DALLAS OPERATOR EYES BORDEN PROSPECT.** J. Ingram Oil & Gas Inc., Dallas, has applied to drill a 9,800 ft. prospect in Borden County, 18 miles northwest of Gail.

The No. 1 Smith is 2,173 ft. from south and 2,040 ft. from east lines of Section 10, Block 32, EL&RR survey.



TRC DISTRICT 7C

■ **1. EXXON EYES COKE PROSPECT.** Exxon Corp. has applied to drill a 6,300 ft. prospect in Coke County, 4.5 miles southwest of Blackwell.

The test will be drilled as either the No. 2 C.H. Wylie or No. 21 Fort Chadbourne Gray Snad Unit. Location is 467 ft. from northwest and northeast lines of Alfred Dorsey survey 474.

■ **2. TWO STAKED IN CROCKETT.** Two 8,500 tests are staked in Crockett County, 10 miles southeast of Ozona. Both are in Block KL, TCRR survey.

Conquest Exploration Co., Houston, will drill the No. 8-26 Jean Scheuber "A" 470 ft. from north and 2,670 ft. from west lines of Section of the block, Abst. 5437.

The No. 1027 Jones Ranch "A" is 500 ft. from south and 1,500 ft. from east lines of Section 27, Abst. 3482.

■ **3. RUNNELS DRAWS WILDCAT LOCATION.** A 4,500 ft. wildcat is set for Runnels County, seven miles west of Winters.

Bobby Love Inc., Midland, will drill the No. 1 W.L. Hord 467 ft. from north and 1,784.28 ft. from west lines of Guion Gregg survey 82, Abst. 1254.

COMPLETIONS

TRC DISTRICT 8

ECTOR COUNTY

Andector (Ellenburger)
Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 462 South Fault Block Unit, 1522 fnl, 4381 fel, sec 17, blk 44, T-1-N, T&P, 4.5 nnw Goldsmith, Elev. 3187, TD 8550, PB 8130. Completed 3-15-89. Potentialed 3-28-89, producing 77 bopd, 106 Mcfd, 34 bwpd, gas lift. GOR 1377:1. Liner 5 1/2 inches 7563 to 8547. Perforations 8110 to 8120. Acid: 500 gals. 15 percent Ne. Formation tops: San Andres 3905, Glorieta 4970, Clearfork 5310, Tubb 5800, Base Permian 7580, Ellenburger 7785. Top of pay 8110.

HOWARD COUNTY

Howard Glasscock
Conoco Inc. No. 29 Belle Overton "A"; 890 fnl, 775 fel, sec 8, blk 32, T-2-S, T&P, 4 w Forsan, Elev. 2668, TD 2600, PB 2557. Completed 3-28-89. Potentialed 4-5-89, pumping 50 bopd, 1 Mcfd, 5 bwpd, 30.6 API. GOR 20:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 2600. Perforations 2186 to 2468. Acid: 1889 gals. 15 percent NeFeHCL. Frac: 12,247 gals. gel, 21,745 lbs. 16/30 sand. Formation top: San Andres 2390. Top of pay 2186.

MARTIN COUNTY

Spraberry (Trend Area)
Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co. No. 1 Glass "W", 560 fsl, 660 fwl, sec 23, blk 38, T-1-N, T&P, 20 nw Stanton, Elev. 2815, TD 9450, PB 9388. Completed 3-21-89. Potentialed 4-6-89, pumping 69 bopd, 58 Mcfd, 170 bwpd, 39 API. GOR 841:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 9437. Perforations 7714 to 9232. Acid: 5000 gals. 15 percent HCL. Frac: 180,000 gals. gel, 432,400 lbs. 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Upper Spraberry 7704, Lower Spraberry 8260, Dean 8980, Base Dean 9240. Top of pay 7714.

WARD COUNTY

Janelle Southeast (Tubb)
Chevron U.S.A. Inc. No. 3 Jno. Edwards et al "B", 2200 fnl, 3300 fel, sec 6, J.M. Andrews, 15 se Monahans, Elev. 2638, TD 6870, PB 6510. Completed 4-2-89. Potentialed 4-7-89, flowing 111 bopd, 275 Mcfd, 6 bwpd, 20/64 inch choke, FTP 100 psi. API 34.3. GOR 2477:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 6870. Perforations 5173 to 5214. Acid: 5284 gals. Formation top: Tubb 5152. Top of pay 5152.

Rhoda Walker (Canyon 5900)
Marathon Oil Co. No. 5 Cynthia Monroe "118", 330 fsl, 580 fel, sec 118, blk 34, H&TC, 8.4 s Pyote, Elev. 2631, TD 6804, PB 6700. Completed 1-18-89. Potentialed 4-6-89, pumping 37 bopd, 84 Mcfd, 360 bwpd. GOR 2270:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 6791. Perforations 5953 to 6784. Acid: 7900 gals. 7.5 percent NeFeHCL. Frac: 33,600 gals. gel, 74,500 lbs. 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Permian Evaporites 818, Delaware Mountain Group 5056, Lamar Lime 5056, Delaware Sand 5090, Cherry Canyon 5905. Top of pay 5953.

Kermit (Yates)
Mobil Producing TX & NM Inc. No. 342 J.B. Walton, 2406 fsl, 3005 fel, sec 18, blk 77, PSL, 7 nw Kermit, ELev. 2936.8 kb, TD 2850, PB 2777. Completed 1-27-89. Potentialed 3-24-89. CAOF 345 Mcfd. Casing 2-7/8 at 2850. Perforations 2464 to 2665. Formation tops: Rustler 799, Salado 1014, Tansill 2255, Yates 2397, Seven Rivers 2666. Top of pay 2464.

TRC DISTRICT 8A

BORDEN COUNTY

Reinecke
Union Oil Co. of California No. 224-R Reinecke Unit; 2267 fsl, 1672 fel, sec 59, blk 25, H&TC, 10 nw Vincent, TD 6795. Pumping 140 bopd, 362 bwpd, 43.1 API. GOR 2314:1. Casing 7 inches at 6785. Perforations 6785 to 6793.

GARZA COUNTY

H&L (Glorieta)
Hughes Oil Co. No. 3 Dessie Gordon; 1650 fnl, 330 fwl, sec 6, blk 8, H&GN, 8 ne Post, TD 3405. Pumping 6 bopd, 6 bwpd, 36.5 API. GOR TSTM. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 3405. Perforations 3345 to 3350.

YOAKUM COUNTY

Prentice (6700)
JCR Jr. Operating Co. No. 1-380 Prentice; 826 fnl, 467 fel, sec 380, blk D, J.H. Gibson, 12 ne Plains, TD 6900. Pumping 70.4 bopd, 26.7 bwpd, 27.5 API. GOR 1832:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 6900. Perforations 6558 to 6714.

Wasson
Shell Western Exploration & Production Inc. No. 3335 Denver Unit; 1300 fnl, 125 fel, sec 862, blk D, J.H. Gibson, 2 nw Denver City, TD 5271. Pumping 21.6 bopd, 675 bwpd, 33.2 API. GOR 741:1. Casing 7 inches at 5271. Perforations 4961 to 5193.

Shell Western Exploration & Production Inc. No. 3336 Denver Unit; 200 fnl, 1300 fel, sec 862, blk D, J.H. Gibson, 2 nw Denver City, TD 5285. Pumping 31 bopd, 509 bwpd, 33.2 API. GOR 2258:1. Casing 7 inches at 5281. Perforations 4964 to 5085.

TRC DISTRICT 7C

RUNNELS COUNTY

Byers (Dog Bend)
Watco Energy Inc. No. 2 Rohmfield; 2094 fsl, 1797 fwl, sec 155, ET&RR, 4.5 ne Ballinger, Elev. 1752, TD 3911, PB 3610. CAOF 562 Mcfd. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 3902. Perforations 3460 to 3464. Acid: 1000 gals. Formation tops: King Sand 2176, Palo Pinto 3220, Dog Bend 3400, Gardner Lime 3880. Plugback from Jennings formation.

SUTTON COUNTY

Whitehead (Strawn)
Statex Petroleum Inc. No. 9 Wes Hill; 3700 fnl, 3500 fel, E.J. Blakey survey 1, 15 sw Sonora, Elev. 2115, TD 9114, PB 9008. CAOF 4.1 Mmcfd. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 9081. Perforations 8213 so 8792. Acid: 3000 gals. Frac: 20,000 gals. Formation tops: Canyon 6743, Strawn 8210.

Statex Petroleum Inc. No. 8 Wes Hill "A"; 1015 fnl, 1284 fel, E.J. Blakey survey 1, 15 sw Sonora, TD 8940, PB 8838. CAOF 3.1 Mmcfd. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 8884. Perforations 7081 to 8473. Acid: 8000 gals. Frac: 173,000 gals. gel, 61,500 lbs. sand.

NEW MEXICO

CHAVES COUNTY

North Foor Ranch (Abo)
Plains Radio Broadcasting Inc. No. 4 Camel State; 1250 fnl, 1250 fel, sec 6, T9s, R27e. Potentialed 3-20-89, flowing 1.3 Mmcfd, 1/2 inch choke, FTP 190 psi. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 6520. Perforations 5104 to 5114. Acid: 1000 gals. 7.5 percent HCL. Frac: 17,000 gals. gel, 24,000 lbs. 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Anhydrite 200, Yates 234, Seven Rivers 330, Queen 840, San Andres 1325, Tubb 3970, Abo 4716, Wolfcamp 5472, Pennsylvanian 6100.

EDDY COUNTY

East Loving
Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co. No. 7 Pardue Farms "27"; 560 fnl, 560 fel, sec 27, T23s, R28e, Elev. 3036.1, TD 7508, PB 6260. Completed 1-16-89. Potentialed 3-11-89, flowing 576 bopd, 648 Mcfd, 22/64 inch choke, FTP 680 psi. API 47.2. GOR 1125:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 11,930. Perforations 11,443 to 11,477. Acid: 2000 gals. 20 percent NeFeHCL. Formation tops: Anhydrite 2164, Salt 2230, Yates 3267, Seven Rivers 3356, Queen 4150, Grayburg 4694, San Andres 5000, Glorieta 6450, Tubb 6788, Abo 8340, Wolfcamp 9670, Pennsylvanian 10,630, Canyon 10,989, Strawn 11,384, Atoka 11,530, Mississippian 11,906. Top of pay 11,443.

DEVELOPMENT WELLS

TRC DISTRICT 8

ANDREWS COUNTY

Andrews
Mobil Producing TX & NM Inc. No. 29 Elizabeth Armstrong; 882 fnl, 1475 fwl, sec 2, blk A-46, PSL, 2-1/4 nw Andrews, PD 9500.

Mobil Producing TX & NM Inc. No. 30 Elizabeth Armstrong; 560 fnl, 2543 fwl, sec 2, blk A-46, PSL, 2-1/4 nw Andrews, PD 9500.

MARTIN COUNTY

Phoenix (Grayburg)
Kindred Petroleum Co. No. 1 Woodward "A"; 1890 fnl, 800 fwl, sec 26, blk 36, T-3-N, T&P, Abst. 809, 6.5 n Lenorah, PD 4000.

WARD COUNTY

Ward Estes North
Chevron U.S.A. Inc. No. 275 E.W. Estes; 1785 fnl, 330 fwl, sec 29, blk B-19, PSL, 10 sw Monahans, PD 3140.

Chevron U.S.A. Inc. No. 276 E.W. Estes; 330 fnl, 330 fwl, sec 29, blk B-19, PSL, 10 sw Monahans, PD 3130.

WINKLER COUNTY

Emperor Deep (Yates)
Hillin-Simon Oil Co. No. 3 Cowden "37"; 853 fsl, 1650 fel, sec 37, blk B-5, PSL, 4 s Kermit, PD 2699.

Henderson
Hillin-Simon Oil Co. No. 3 Cummins "11"; 660 fnl, 2080 fwl, sec 11, blk 26, PSL, 4.5 nw Kermit, PD 3200.

Kermit (Yates)
Hillin-Simon Oil Co. No. 2 Clapp "37"; 660 fsl, 660 fel, sec 37, blk 26, PSL, .5 s Kermit, PD 3000.

TRC DISTRICT 8A

CROSBY COUNTY

Hoople (Clearfork)
Socorro Exploration Inc. No. 3 Suzannah Lindsay; 1640 fsl, 330 fwl, sec 1070, blk D-19, EL&RR, 5 sw Robertson, PD 4800.

HOCKLEY COUNTY

Levelland
Texland-Rector & Schumacher No. 9 J.J. Stallings; 440 fnl, 440 fel, Labor 9, League 30, Baylor CSL, 2 sw Levelland, PD 5000.

TRC DISTRICT 7C

TOM GREEN COUNTY

Bald Eagle (Ellenburger)
Oakhurst Oil Co. No. 1 Rust Estate; 2867 fnl, 3581 fwl, San Saba CSL survey 963, 13 n San Angelo, PD 7000.

UPTON COUNTY

Pegasus (Ellenburger)
Mobil Producing TX & NM Inc. No. 2101 Pegasus Ellenburger Unit; 1980 fnl, 1980 fwl, sec 37, blk 41, T-4-S, T&P, 18 se Odessa, PD 13,310. Deepen from Spraberry formation.

NEW MEXICO

CHAVES COUNTY

Foor Ranch
Fred Pool Drilling Inc. No. 4 Eastland State; 660 fnl, 660 fwl, sec 13, T9s, R26e, 15.5 ne Roswell, PD 5200.

EDDY COUNTY

Artesia (Undesignated)
Fred Pool Drilling Inc. No. 1 P.J. "B" State; 330 fnl, 2310 fwl, sec 11, T19s, R29e, 10 sw Loco Hills, PD 3500.

Nadine
LBO New Mexico Inc. No. 1 Tiffany; 1980 fnl, 660 fwl, sec 26, T19s, R38e, .5 n Nadine, PD 7500.

West Lusk
Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 12 Lusk Deep Unit "A"; 1660 fnl, 2300 fel, sec 20, T19s, R32e, 14 s Maljamar, PD 10,590. Reentry.

PLUGGED WELLS

TRC DISTRICT 8

CRANE COUNTY

Hamco (Tubb)
R.C. Banks No. 3 Lieurance; 7094 fnel, 990 fsel, sec 12, blk 1, H&TC, 20 sw Crane, TD 4100. Plugged 3-15-89. Oil well.

MARTIN COUNTY

Spraberry (Trend Area)
Oxy U.S.A. Inc. No. 1 Atchison; 1980 fnl, 660 fel, sec 20, blk 36, T-1-S, T&P, 2.5 sw Stanton, TD 8089. Completed 6-4-61. Plugged 2-16-89. Oil well.

STERLING COUNTY

Crandell (San Angelo 1450)
D&H Enterprises No. 1 Humble; 1845 fnl, 1792 fel,s ec 30, blk 11, SPRR, 10 se Sterling City, TD 1386. Plugged 3-30-89. Oil well.

Parochial Bade East (Glorieta)
HMH Operators Inc. No. 6 Ross Foster; 1650 fnl, 2310 fwl, sec 24, blk 22, H&TC, 8 w Sterling City, TD 2234. Completed 4-17-64. Plugged 2-14-89. Oil well.

Parochial Bade West (Seven Rivers)
HMH Operators Inc. No. 2 Roy Glass; 330 fsl, 330 fel, sec 20, blk 22, H&TC, 13 w Sterling City, TD 2455. Completed 9-22-65. Plugged 2-10-89. Oil well.

HMH Operators Inc. No. 3 Roy Glass; 990 fsl, 330 fel, sec 20, blk 22, H&TC, 13 w Sterling City, TD 1358. Completed 2-12-66. Plugged 2-13-89. Oil well.

Walter (Wolfcamp)
Tucker Drilling Co. Inc. No. 1 Collins Ranch "59"; 7000 fsl, 1800 fwl, sec 59, blk 17, SPRR, 16 nw Sterling City. Completed 2-16-83. Plugged 3-23-89. Oil well.

Tucker Drilling Co. Inc. No. 4 Collins Ranch "59"; 1980 fnl, 660 fwl, sec 59, blk 17, SPRR, 16 nw Sterling City, TD 6702. Completed 5-18-83. Plugged 3-20-89. Oil well.

Wildcat
Farmers Oil Co. No. 4 Claude Colins Jr. Estate; 4850 fsl, 5290 fel, sec 30, blk W, T&P, 8 e Sterling City, TD 1938. Completed 12-4-88. Plugged 12-19-88. Dry hole.

WARD COUNTY

Monahans
Shell Western Exploration & Production Inc. No. 314 Sealy Smith Foundation; 1980 fnl, 660 fel, sec 42, blk A, G&MMB&A, 2 ne Monahans, TD 5506. Completed 7-7-88. Plugged 3-14-89. Dry hole.

Monahans South (Queen)
Chevron U.S.A. Inc. No. 681 Hutchings Stock Association; 1315 fnl, 6847, sec 52, blk n, G&MMB&A, 1 s Monahans, TD 3185. Completed 11-11-66. Plugged 3-23-89. Oil well.

Chevron U.S.A. Inc. No. 708 Hutchings Stock Association; 1420 fsl, 2640 fel, sec 52, blk N, G&MMB&A, 1 s Monahans, TD 3350. Plugged 3-27-89. Oil well.

Chevron U.S.A. Inc. No. 872 Hutchings Stock Association; 692 fnl,4963 fel, sec 49, blk N, G&MMB&A, 3/4 e Monahans, TD 3207. Completed 8-6-70. Plugged 3-28-89. Oil well.

Chevron U.S.A. Inc. No. 958 Hutchings Stock Association; 9400 fsl, 5610 fel, sec 54, blk N, G&MMB&A, 2.5 se Monahans, TD 3208. Completed 2-9-73. Plugged 3-20-89. Oil well.

Chevron U.S.A. Inc. No. 695 Hutchings Stock Association; 1378 fnl, 8570 fel, sec 52, blk N, G&MMB&A, 1 s Monahans, TD 3210. Plugged 3-23-89. Oil well.

Sand Hills West (Devonian)
Chevron U.S.A. Inc. No. 70 W.A. Estes; 3960 fnl, 2970 fwl, sec 24, blk B-20, PSL, 10.5 ne Grandfalls, TD 6255. Plugged 2-21-89.

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Conquest Exploration Co., Houston, will drill the No. 8-26 Jean Scheuber "A" 470 ft. from north and 2,670 ft. from west lines of Section of the block, Abst. 5437.

The No. 1027 Jones Ranch "A" is 500 ft. from south and 1,500 ft. from east lines of Section 27, Abst. 3482.

■ **3. RUNNELS DRAWS WILDCAT LOCATION.** A 4,500 ft. wildcat is set for Runnels County, seven miles west of Winters.

Bobby Love Inc., Midland, will drill the No. 1 W.L. Hord 467 ft. from north and 1,784.28 ft. from west lines of Guion Gregg survey 82, Abst. 1254.

INVESTOR'S GUIDE

Reminders on dividend reinvestment regulations

By BILL DOYLE

Q. I am considering selling shares of utility company stock acquired in a dividend reinvestment plan and am trying to determine the "basis" — cost for tax purposes — I must use on those shares when I report the sale on my income tax return.

Through my ignorance, I did not "exclude" dividends of $186 in 1982, $220 in 1983 and $262 in 1984. But I did exclude $307 reinvested dividends in 1985.

Rather than reopen data for 1982, '83 and '84, when I paid tax on dividends, wouldn't it be simpler to report my basis as the total amount of reinvested dividends, less the $307 for 1985?



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A. Yes, indeed — not only simpler, but the correct way to do it. You could file amended tax returns back for only three years, so you can't change the '82, '83 and '84 returns.

Let's refresh readers' minds on this subject.

For the years 1982 through 1985, stockholders of utilities with "qualified reinvestment plans" were allowed to exclude and not pay federal income tax on up to $750 of reinvested dividends — $1,500 for married couples filing joint tax returns. The basis of shares acquired through dividends on which the exclusion was taken is "zero."

The basis of most reinvested dividends is the dollar amount of the dividends reinvested and used to buy more shares. For example, if you reinvested a total of $1,000 of dividends in an industrial company over a period of years, your basis on the shares thus acquired is $1,000. If you sell those shares the difference between that $1,000 basis and the proceeds from the sale is your profit or loss, which you report as a capital gain or capital loss on your income tax return.

Because you did not exclude dividends of $186 in '82, $220 in '83 and $282 in '84, your basis for the shares acquired through dividend reinvestment those three years is $688. Add that $688 to dividends you reinvested in other years — except for the $307 excluded in 1985 and you have the total basis of all shares purchased through reinvested dividends.

Q. My wife and I own stocks of four companies and are in the dividend reinvestment plans of each. The companies are holding all the shares acquired through dividend reinvestments, as well as several hundred shares purchased outright.

Should we take possession of the certificates for the shares and put them in our safe deposit box, or should we leave them with the companies?

A. My advice is to leave things as they are. With a dividend reinvestment plan, the company or its agent — usually a bank — holds your shares for safekeeping. You get a statement every time a dividend is automatically reinvested and you receive a year-end summary statement.

That's a handy arrangement and simplifies your record-keeping. Just be sure to save your annual statements, so you can keep track of your cost basis for tax purpose in case you ever sell. If you do sell, it's almost always better to do so through the company or its plan agent. That way, you usually save brokerage commissions and reduce selling costs.

Q. I would like to invest all my individual retirement account in stock of one company and be in the company's dividend reinvestment plan. Where can I accomplish that?

A. You need a "self-directed" IRA at a brokerage firm so you can buy and hold stock in the plan. Virtually all brokerages have such plans.

Participating in a company dividend reinvestment plan through a broker often presents a problem. Many brokerages flat-out refuse to allow self-directed IRAs to use company dividend reinvestment plans. Some brokerages claim it can't be done.

That's not true. It can be done, if the plan has a "split-share participation" provision — as most dividend reinvestment plans do. But brokers don't like that, because they don't get commissions on corporate dividend reinvestment plans. Check with a number of brokerages until you find one willing to accommodate you.

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Enron makes major offshore gas discovery

HOUSTON (SWN) — Enron Oil & Gas Co. has made a third major discovery in the Matagorda area offshore Texas. As a result of the discovery on Matagorda Island Block 620, combined with discoveries on Blocks 638, 604 and continued success in other areas, Enron expects to replace its full year production through reserves it has found in the first quarter of 1989.

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FCC may grant pricing latitude to AT&T

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Federal Communications Commission on Wednesday said it would consider whether there is enough competition in the long-distance market to give the American Telephone & Telegraph Co. more latitude in pricing.

A decision to unleash AT&T, if it came, would be a major change in federal regulation of the telephone industry. AT&T has always been considered a "dominant" carrier that could crush its competition if not restrained, and it has been tightly regulated.

But AT&T has said that since 1984, when it agreed under federal order to shed its local telephone companies, it no longer is the dominant force in the long-distance business.

Commissioner Patricia Diaz Dennis asked for the broad look at long-distance competition after the commission ordered AT&T to revise or stop offering its so-called Tariff 12 custom service plan for some of its major customers.

Dennis said she agreed with the FCC's order on Tariff 12, which gives AT&T 30 days to revise its plan, but that the commission had not addressed the larger issue of whether the long-distance marketplace was competitive today.

"It is the seminal issue in so many of the other issues we've looked at," she said in an interview.

FCC Chairman Dennis Patrick agreed and asked his staff to find a way to "determine exactly what kind of competition AT&T faces and then regulate accordingly," Dennis said.

AT&T spokesman Herb Linnen said that by agreeing to look at long-distance competition "this commission recognizes that the world is changing and it needs to take a hard look at the realities that face all those in the long-distance business ... rather than shaping public policies on realities that were prevalent before 1984."

In its Tariff 12 order, the commission said it found the plan was not widely available to other customers, and therefore illegal.

But AT&T will not have to stop serving its existing Tariff 12 customers, which include the General Electric Co., Du Pont Co. and Ford Motor Co. Instead, those customers can take service under the tariff until the deadline for revising or withdrawing the tariff.

The commission gave AT&T 30 days to implement changes or drop the tariff.

Tariff 12 integrates various voice and data services into packages to meet specific customer needs. Critics of Tariff 12 argue that AT&T is simply bundling basic phone services that are strictly regulated by the FCC, adding in a network management provision and then offering the package to large customers at reduced rates.

The effect would be to possibly undercut competitor's prices.

But the commission found that AT&T's basic phone services were not "like" the integrated services offered under Tariff 12. Therefore, AT&T, the commission said, was not offering price breaks to GE or Du Pont, for example, for the same services it provides non-Tariff 12 customers.

The commission also found that the Tariff 12 packages were "like" each other, so AT&T was not favoring one Tariff 12 customer over another.

Frequent flier sues to block shuttle sale

NEW YORK (AP) — Atlanta attorney Moreton Rolleston Jr., a frequent passenger on embattled Eastern Airlines, filed a petition with the U.S. Bankruptcy Court that was used as the basis for the judge's order in the case Wednesday.

Referring to Rolleston's petition, U.S. Bankruptcy Judge Burton R. Lifland ordered the parties involved in Eastern's Chapter 11 reorganization to show why he should not throw the airline open to all bidders — and include with it certain assets parent Texas Air Corp. has bought or transferred from Eastern since acquiring it in 1986.

Among other things, Rolleston's petition seeks to block the sale of Eastern's Northeast shuttle for $365 million to developer Donald Trump.

COLLAPSE

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Bankruptcy Judge Burton Lifland had sought unsuccessfully to salvage the deal after talks bogged down. But Ueberroth and Lorenzo walked out Tuesday night hours before a self-imposed midnight deadline, sources said.

After Ueberroth formally announced the deal failed, Lifland ordered David I. Shapiro, the court-appointed examiner overseeing the bankruptcy, to meet Friday with him, Eastern's creditors and union representatives.

The judge also ordered them to explain on Monday why he shouldn't invite other bids that would include major assets Eastern had owned before Lorenzo bought the airline for $676 million.

The order is based on a petition by a frequent Eastern passenger, Atlanta attorney Moreton Rolleston Jr., who seeks to block the proposed sale of Eastern's Northeast shuttle for $365 million to developer Donald Trump. Eastern has moved to have the judge allow the sale.

The petition also seeks to require that any purchase of Eastern be for $615 million; include all of its System One computerized reservation system, which it sold to Texas Air; and include aircraft transferred to sister carrier Continental Airlines.

Lorenzo put Eastern under bankruptcy court protection five days into the strike and has been trying to sell the airline since, but it was unclear late Wednesday whether he would accept new offers.

Takeover specialist Carl Icahn, chairman of rival Trans World Airlines, said after the Ueberroth deal collapsed that he remained interested in a possible. He didn't elaborate.

In addition, New York diamond dealer Willy Censor said he had formed a partnership with an unidentified foreign airline that he said could raise more than $250 million for a bid. Eastern attorneys declined to comment on whether the airline considered him a serious suitor.

Eastern President Phil Bakes told reporters the airline planned to reorganize by operating about half its pre-strike schedule of 1,040 flights daily with about half the pre-strike work force of 31,000.

The Ueberroth deal's collapse came less than a week after he said his group would acquire Eastern and a 19.9 percent stake in System One for $464 million.

The deal appeared almost assured Monday when Ueberroth won five-year labor commitments from the unions. But it began to unravel over their insistence that a court-appointed outsider run the airline regardless of whether Ueberroth's bid succeeded. Sources speaking on condition of anonymity said Lorenzo balked at that demand.

Lorenzo on Wednesday told Columbia University students he rejected the deal because the appointment of a trustee was bad for the airlines' shareholders, said student Michael Danitz, who attended the talk that was closed to reporters.

Also Wednesday, a federal judge in Miami ruled that pilots were within their rights to honor the strike. Eastern said it would appeal the ruling, claiming the pilot walkout was illegal.

PLAN

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If Darman carried out the threat, it would wreak havoc on efforts to meet the Gramm-Rudman budget deficit targets in 1990 and 1991, Schumer said Darman has the sole power to make that decision but said he was still looking for a way to circumvent him.

Riegle said his plan would avoid the "accounting and budget gimmickry" of Bush's proposal by reducing the interest costs of financing the bailout through direct Treasury borrowing at a savings of $4.5 billion to taxpayers over the next three decades.

Utah Sen. Jake Garn, the committee's ranking Republican, said he still has a "fundamental disagreement" over allowing the bailout costs to swell the federal deficit in apparent violation of a congressionally mandated reduction target that already has been exceeded.

All three versions — Bush's, the Senate panel's and one being put together in the House Banking Committee's financial institutions subcommittee — would use the $50 billion over the next three years to pay for the bailouts of some 200 insolvent S&Ls in 1988 plus 350 more that are insolvent or nearly so.

They also provide for an additional $33 billion — $300 million a year of it coming from the industry — to take care of thrift insolvencies expected in the 1990s, especially if interest rates continue to rise or the nation falls into a recession.

"The president asked us to move quickly and that's what we've done," Riegle said. "We've given him a strong bill with many streamlined reforms and changes that can prevent in the future a repeat of what's happened in the past."

Unlike changes made by the House subcommittee, the Senate panel's version retains Bush's proposal to double by June 1991 the required capital that S&L operators must have to qualify for federal deposit insurance.

Bush would not shut down institutions that fail to meet that standard then but he would prevent them from growing. Both Senate and House versions would allow undercapitalized thrifts to continue growing, but would restrict that growth primarily to home mortgages and consumer loans.

The House panel, which finished its third full day of drafting the bill, rejected Bush's measure to make S&Ls have the same minimum capital requirements as banks — $6 for every $100 of outstanding loans — voting 24-23 Tuesday to keep the current floor — $3 for every $100 in loans — but requiring for the first time that half that amount be in real money.

Both panels, however, have voted to phase out many of what critics call "smoke and mirrors accounting fictions."

Those accounting practices have allowed S&Ls to escape putting up their own cash or retained earnings by counting as capital such items as investments in non-thrift subsidiaries, "good will," their own borrowings and even losses on bad loans.

Bush would immediately end many such bookkeeping practices.

LORENZO—

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Lorenzo avoided the protesters by going through an underground entrance to deliver his lecture, which had been scheduled since November as part of the university's Distinguished Lecture Series.

Marie-Odile Taillard, chairwoman of the series, said Lorenzo had asked that reporters not be allowed to join the 250 to 300 graduate business students, who warmly applauded him at the conclusion of his lecture.

But not all the students were impressed.

"I went in there with a pretty bad impression of him and it didn't change," said one student, who asked not to be identified.

"He felt he was a scapegoat. He blamed everybody else for the situation. He seemed very unemotional," the student said.

Outside, striking Eastern pilot Harry MacLaughlin, 58, marched with other protesters as four security officers checked student identification cards at the building's front entrance.

"He's a brilliant person, a financial wizard," MacLaughlin said of Lorenzo. "But he treats his employees in a demeaning manner."

Danitz said one student asked Lorenzo what the students should do if they someday find themselves embroiled in a difficult labor situation.

"'If it's a non-union place, don't let them in,'" Danitz quoted Lorenzo as saying.

"He said if management is doing a good job, there's no reason for unions to come in," Danitz said.

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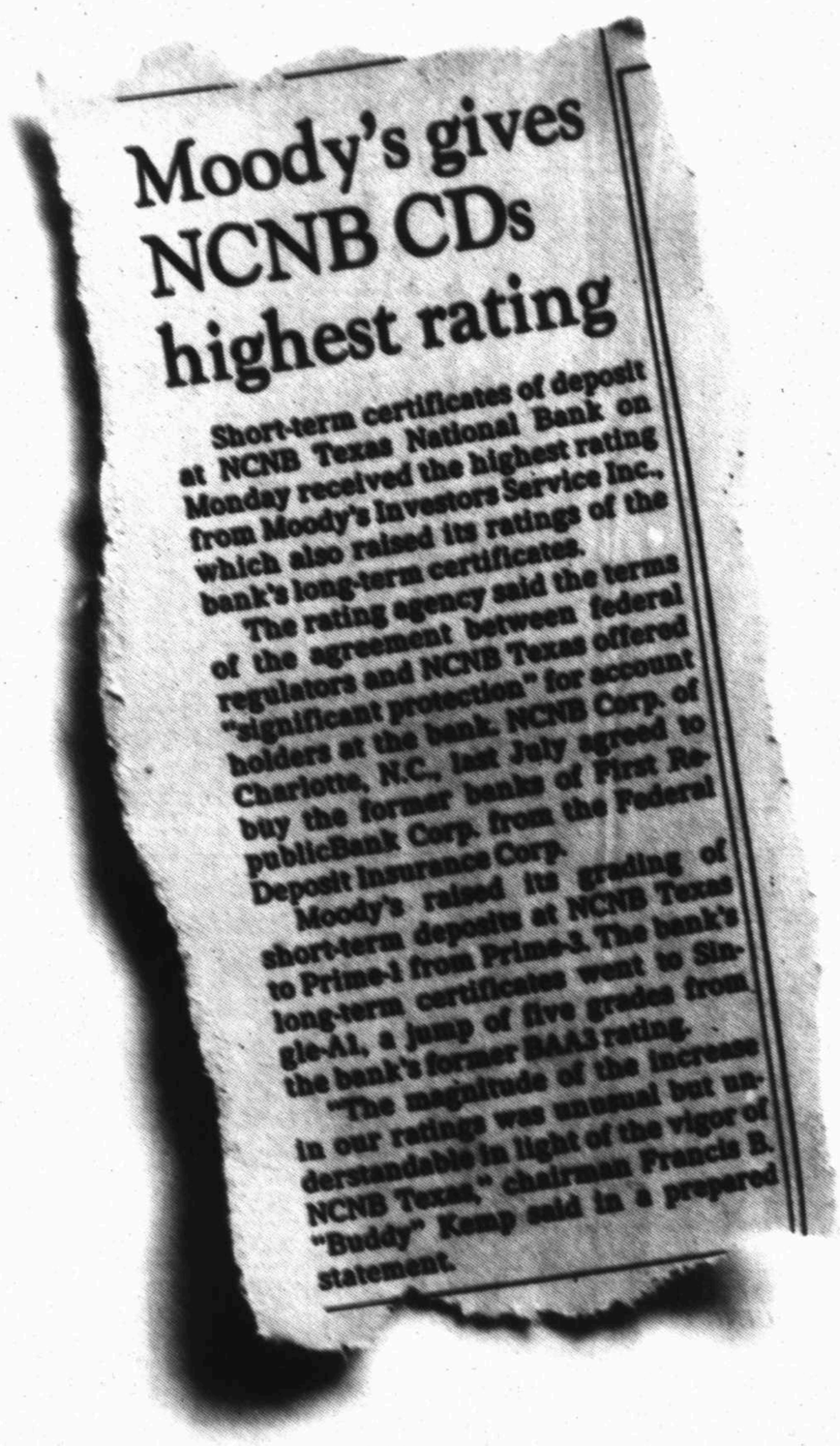


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Moody's raised its grading of short-term deposits at NCNB Texas to Prime-1 from Prime-3. The bank's long-term certificates went to Single-A1, a jump of five grades from the bank's former BAA3 rating.

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C—C

CBS	4.40	16	227	184¼	— ⅝
CIGNA	2.96	10	209	54½	— ⅛
CMS		En	8	255	25⅝	
CNW	.10e		8	2180	40⅜	+ ⅛
CPC	1.60	15	1255	55⅜	+ ⅛
CRSS	s	.24	21	7	33¼	
CSX	1.24	25	646	31¼	+ ⅛
Caesar	13	195	34		
CampSp	.92	21	2441	40¼	+ ⅜
CapCits	.20	19	55	400½	—2
CarPw	2.84	17	140	35¼	— ⅛
CartHw	9	22	8⅝		
CastlCk	16	1282	28		
Caterp	1.20	10	1520	59½	— ⅛
Centel	1.84	22	158	66⅛	— ⅛
CentEn	1.60		443	16	— ⅛
CenSoW	2.60	9	158	30¼	+ ⅛
CnllPS	1.76	9	118	20½	— ⅛
Chmpln	1.10	7	1132	31⅜	— ⅛
ChamSp	.20e	33	86	20⅝	
ChartC	.05e	4	109	5	
Chase	2.36	3	1179	35¼	— ⅛
ChmBnk	2.72	3	1254	34⅝	— ¼
Chevrn	2.80	10	1811	52⅜	— ⅜
ChrisCr	1.56t	34	454	31⅜	— ⅜
Chryslr	1.20	5	5064	24⅛	
CircleK	.28	15	5290	15⅜	+ ⅛
CirCty	.12	15	109	44½	— ⅛
Citicorp	1.48	6	2166	28⅜	— ⅜
ClarkE	17	269	36½		
Clorox	1.04	13	405	33⅜	+ ⅛
Coastal	.40	14	289	36½	+ ⅛
CocaCl	1.36	18	2444	51¼	— ⅜
Colec		76		⅛	
ColgP	1.48a	10	487	48¼	— ⅛
ColGas	2	15	264	36½	— ⅛
CmbEn	1		110	26¾	— ⅛
Comdre	9	769	18⅜		
CmwE	3	11	677	33⅛	— ⅛
Comsat	1.32	9	874	30	
ConsEd	3.44	9	251	46⅜	+ ⅛
ConsNG	1.76	17	865	40¼	
Conrail	1.20	7	272	32⅜	
CnStor	15	174	7⅝	+ ⅛	
Contel	2.08	15	725	52½	— ⅛
CntlCp	2.60		672	33½	— ⅜
CtData	725	622	21⅜	— ⅜	
Cooper		s	13	3182	28⅜	
CornGl	s	.80	10	3535	34	— ⅛
CrayRs	11	1656	53⅜	+ ⅛	
CwnCk		s15	896	51⅜	+ 1⅛
CumEn	2.20		1103	67½	+ ⅜
CurtW	1.60	10	1	54⅜	— ⅛

D—D

DPL	2.24	8	1279	25⅜	+ ⅜
DanaCp	1.60	10	247	40¼	+ ½
DataGn		470	16⅜	+ ⅛	
DaytHd	1.12	13	1039	46⅜	+ ⅜
Deere	1.20	14	346	52⅝	— ⅛
DeltaAr	1.20	9	1716	60⅜	— ⅛
DetEd	1.68		420	18⅜	
Digital	10	2067	97½	— ¼	
Disney	.48	19	1298	79	— ⅜
DomRs	3.20	9	362	41½	— ¼
Dover	s	.68	13	82	28⅜	
DowCh	3.20	7	3661	92⅛	+ ⅜
DowJns	.72	10	390	32⅛	— ⅜
Dresr	.80	19	268	37	— ¼
duPont	4.20	11	1819	104⅜	
DukeP	2.96	9	142	44½	— ⅛
DuqLt	1.28	9	82	17⅜	— ⅛

E—E

ERC	6	12	7⅜		
EastGF	1.40	13	458	u27¼	+ ¼
EKodak	2	11	1773	45⅜	
Eaton	s2	9	253	58⅛	— ⅛
Echlin	.70	15	775	17⅛	
EKCO	18	16	3⅛		
EmrsEl	1.12	13	818	31	— ⅛
Enron	2.48	21	490	41⅜	— ⅛
Ensrch	.80		1567	22¼	— ⅛
Ethyl	.48	12	181	23⅜	
Exxon	2.20	11	9573	42¼	+ ¼

F—F

FMC	10	589	35¼	+ 1⅛	
FPL Gp	2.20	9	689	29⅜	
Fairchd	.20	22	1709	15⅛	+ ⅜
Fairfd	38	22	6½	— ¼	
Feders	.40	19	389	16½	— ⅛
FedNM	.96	11	2919	68⅛	— ⅜
FnSBar		279	1⅝		
FtBkSy	1.64		313	20¼	— ⅜
FCapHd	6	423	10⅜		
FstChic	1.80	5	236	37½	— ⅜
Fintste	2.92	24	19	47⅜	+ ⅛
FstPa	11	169	13¼		
FtWach	1.52	10	117	42⅜	
FleetEn	.64	9	749	27⅝	+ ⅜
FlghtS	s.18	22	654	32¾	— ⅜
FlaPrg	2.56	10	81	34¼	+ ⅛
FlwGen	13	9	4	— ⅛	
Fluor	.16	27	532	23¾	
FthillG	.28	6	128	8¼	
FordM	3		47359	47½	+ ⅜
FrptMc	1.50a	9	7196	u36⅜	+ 3⅛

G—G

GTE	2.68	13	2005	45⅛	— ⅛
Gannett	1.08	17	1230	39¼	+ ⅜
GenCrp	.60	9	204	17¼	— ⅛
Genetch	72	672	17¼		
GnDyn	1	6	x260	54⅜	— ⅛
GenEl	1.64	12	3004	44⅜	— ⅜
GnHous	.24	21	14	11⅜	— ⅛
GnInst	.50	11	643	28⅝	+ ⅛
GnMills	1.88	18	1001	62⅛	— ⅛
GMotr	s	2.62e	6	4458	40⅜	+ ⅜
GM E	.96	15	709	46¼	+ ⅜
GPU	1.80	8	353	37⅜	+ ⅛
GnSignl	1.80	57	104	52¼	+ ⅛
Gensco	9	612	6½	+ ¼	
GaPac	1.40	9	1134	u45	+ ⅜
GerbPd	1.60	24	68	68⅛	— ½
GibrFn		124	15-32	+ 1-32	
Gillete	.96	15	2282	37⅜	— ¼
Glaxo				.56e	
		235000	2339	u23½	+ ¼
GldNug	5	267	17⅞		
Gdrich	2	7	1478	53	+ ½
Goodyr	1.80	8	363	47⅜	— ⅜
Grace	1.40	12	2139	32⅜	— ⅜
GtAtPc	.60	15	221	49¼	
GtNNk	1.12	6	855	39⅝	— ⅛
GtWFn	.76	8	1269	16	
Greyh	1.32	14	1742	33¼	— ⅛
Grumn	1	8	58	21¼	— ⅛
GtWst	.70	15	3398	50⅜	— ⅛
GtfStUt	23	597	8⅜	— ⅛	

H—H

Halbtn	1	33	1407	29⅜	— ⅜
Harlnd	.68	14	359	20	+ ⅛
Harley	8	125	27¾	— ¼	
Harris	.68	16	84	28¼	— ⅛
HeciaM	.05e	23	446	13¼	— ⅛
Heinz	1.44	16	424	50⅜	— ⅛
Herculs	2.24	18	145	46⅜	— ⅛
Hrshey	.70	12	383	27⅜	— ⅛
HewlPk	.34	16	1945	54	+ ½
Holiday	.7	244	33⅜	— ⅛	
Hmstke	.20	8	626	13¾	
Honwell	2.10		627	70¼	— ⅛
Hotlinv	1	80	31	8⅝	
HousInt	2.14b	9	587	63⅛	— ⅜
Housl		wi	94	52⅛	— ⅛
Houlnd	2.96	8	185	27¾	
Human	.92	12	753	29⅜	— ⅛

I—I

IRT	1.40	11	18	17⅛	+ ⅛
ITT Cp	1.48	10	2709	55¼	— ⅜
IdahoP	1.80	18	186	23⅜	
IdeaIB		61	2¼		
IllPowr	2.64	9	1252	14¼	— ⅛
ITW	.48	13	328	34¼	
ICI	4.61e	8	507	79⅛	
ICA	7	443	5	— ¼	
INCO	.80a	5	2723	29¾	+ ⅛
IngerRd	1.04	13	294	39	— ½
InldStl	1.40	6	461	41⅛	+ ⅛
Intrlke	1.50	11	6	39⅜	— ⅛
IBM	4.40	11	4687	109⅝	—1⅛
IntFlav	1.92	16	583	53⅜	+ ⅛
IntMin	1	15	252	41⅛	— ⅛
IntPap	1.48	7	1040	47¾	
Ipalco	1.72	9	607	22½	— ⅛

J—J

JRiver	.48	11	304	28⅜	— ⅛
JohnJn	2	16	964	92⅜	— ⅜
JohnInd	.50e	7	1	18⅝	— ⅛
Josten	.64	16	56	20	— ⅛

K—K

K mart	1.32	9	1286	37⅜	— ⅛
Kaneb		167	2¼		
KanGE	1.60	10	18	20	
KansPL	1.76	10	57	22⅜	+ ⅛
Katyln	12	30	22¼	— ⅛	
Kellogg	1.72	16	300	63¼	— ⅛
KerrMc	1.10	19	453	43⅜	— ⅛
KimbCl	2.60	13	847	62	— ⅜
KnghtR	1.22	17	261	46¾	— ⅛
Kroger		n45	889	10⅜	— ⅛

L—L

vjLTV		203	2⅛	— ⅛	
Learnl	.48	14	16	16⅜	
LeeEnt	.68	15	71	26	
Lehmn	1.31e		426	12¼	+ ⅛
Lilly	2.70	20	1750	104⅛	—1⅛
Lilly		wd	16	53	— ⅜
LincNtl	2.48	16	19	49⅜	
Litton	12	55	78⅜	+ ⅛	
Lockhd	1.60	4	1521	45⅜	
Loews	1	8	766	91¼	—1
LnStar	1.90	16	120	31⅜	— ⅜
LILCo	8	5989	15½	— ¼	
LaLand	1		43	34¼	— ⅜
LaPac	.92b	8	2010	31⅜	— ⅛

M—M

MCA	.68	25	1297	56¾	— ⅛
MDU	1.42	10	14	18½	— ⅛
MfrHan	3.28	2	513	35¼	— ⅛
Manvl	n		324	7⅛	
MAPCO	1	11	1478	u67⅛	+ ⅛
Marriot	.24	16	1644	31⅜	— ⅛
MartM	1.10	7	66	45	— ⅛
Masco	.48b	12	613	25⅜	+ ⅛
Maxus	.05e		10741	6⅜	— ⅛
MayDS	1.42	10	1053	38	— ⅛
Maytag	.90a	9	1689	19½	— ⅛
McDerl	1		504	18¼	
McDnl	.56a	15	1244	52⅜	— ⅛
McDnD	2.82	10	148	92¼	— ⅛
McGrH	.2	19	499	71⅜	— ⅛
McKes	1.44	14	327	32¼	— ⅛
Mead	.76	7	1947	37¼	+ ⅛
Mellon	1.40b		927	31⅜	— ⅛
Melvill	s	1.30	13	2285	39⅜	— ⅛
MercSt	.92	12	39	45¼	— ⅛
Merck	s	1.64	22	2498	66	— ⅛
MerLyn	1		12	420	27⅜	
MidSUt	.40e		9	2121	17¼	+ ⅛
MWE	1.56		10	64	18⅛	+ ⅛
MMM	2.60		13	1058	67¼	— ⅜
MinnPL	1.78		10	34	23⅜	— ⅛
Mobil	2.40		10	1773	49⅛	— ⅛
Monsan	3		12	515	95⅛	— ⅛
MonPw	2.76		12	33	34¾	
Morgan	1.66		7	4164	36⅜	— ⅜
Morton	.92		14	240	46¾	
Motorla	.76		13	5999	45½	+ ⅛

N—N

NCNB		1	12	739	34⅜	— ⅛
NCR	1.32		11	636	56⅛	+ ⅛
NIPSCO	.84		10	164	14	— ⅛
NL Ind	n	.60	10	540	22⅜	— ⅛
NWA	.90		20	7673	u90⅛	+ ⅛
Nalco	1.32		14	98	36⅛	— ⅛
NatFGs	1.26		10	24	18¼	— ⅛
Nll	147		18	+ ⅛		
NtSemi		1139	7⅜		
Navistr	7	1321	5⅛		
NevPw	1.52		11	120	19¾	
NEngEl	2.04			75	23	— ⅛
NwtMg	.60		15	182	39¾	— ⅛
NiaMP	1.20		10	479	11⅜	
NflkSo	1.32		9	1062	32¼	
Nortek	.10a		10	27	9	
NoestUt	1.76		9	147	19⅜	
NoStPw	2.12		10	83	31⅜	— ⅛
Nortrp	1.20		12	746	27⅜	— ⅛
Norton	2		11	157	44⅜	— ⅛
Norwst	s	1.48	8	169	36⅜	
Nynex	4.36		11	310	71⅜	— ⅜

O—O

OcciPet	2.50	21	1627	26¾	— ⅛
OhioEd	1.96	16	550	20⅛	— ⅛
OklaGE	2.38	10	76	32⅜	— ⅛
Olin	1.80	11	97	52¾	+ ⅛
ONEOK	.30e	22	48	22⅜	— ⅜
OrngCo	.02e	17	13	10⅜	— ⅛
OwenC	6	222	27	— ¼	

P—Q

PHM	.12	11	828	14	— ⅛
PPG	1.36	10	589	43¼	— ⅛
PSI	.20e	7	155	13⅜	+ ⅛
PacEnt	3.48	11	427	39¼	
PacGE	1.40	13	3729	17⅞	+ ⅛
PacTel	1.88	13	2393	35⅝	— ¼
Pacifcp	2.64	10	712	35⅝	+ ⅛
PanAm		8726	4⅜	— ⅛	
PanEC	2		618	21¼	— ⅛
Patten	.12	5	81	3¼	
Penney	2.24	9	408	52⅛	— ⅛
PaPL	2.86	9	106	34⅜	
Penwlt	2.40	34	341	129⅜	
Pennzol	3		140	84⅜	— ⅜
PepBoy	.11	21	1138	14¼	— ⅛
PepsiCo	.84	15	3144	44¾	+ ⅛
PerkEl	.68	13	400	22⅛	+ ⅛
Pfizer	2.20	13	1138	58⅜	— ⅛
PhelpD	2.40	5	1334	59¼	+ ⅛
PhilaEl	2.20	9	414	20¼	+ ⅛
PhilMr	4.50	12	4433	118⅝	—1⅛
Philpln	.52	12	231	19⅜	
PhilPet	.88	8	2637	23	— ⅛
Philcorp	.8	6	14⅜		
PinWst	1.60	260	423	14	— ⅛
PitnyBw	1.04	14	2305	44¼	— ⅛
Pittstn	23	1086	21⅜	— ⅛	
PlcrD	g.30		710	13⅜	+ ⅛
Polaroid	.60		1639	36⅛	— ⅜
PortGC	1.96	10	57	21⅜	
Primca	.28	6	1795	21	
ProctG	3.20	14	872	92¼	
PSvCol	2	9	128	20¼	— ⅛
PSEG	2.04	9	303	24⅛	— ⅛
PugetP	1.76	9	101	18⅛	
Pyro		29	8⅜	— ⅛	
Qantel	2	15	9-16	—1-16	
QuakrO	1.20	17	683	54⅜	— ⅛
QuakSC	.80	31	597	17½	
Quantm	3	3	714	50	— ⅛
Questar	1.88	25	74	32	— ⅛

R—R

RJR	Nb	1.63e	14	6119	85⅜	—1⅛
RLC		.20b	10	141	8⅜	— ⅛
RalsPur		1.65	12	166	83⅜	— ⅛
Ramad			1486	11⅜		
RangrO		.49	71	5⅜		
Raythn		2.20	9	564	67⅜	— ⅛
ReadBt			18	⅝		
ReyMtl		1.60	6	490	55½	— ⅛
Heico		.10	15	41	11½	— ⅛
HollyC	s	.32	10	46	38⅛	
HomeSh		27	1210	6⅛	+ ⅛	
HrsHar			3131	7⅝	+ ⅛	
HouOT		.09e		111	1¼	+ ⅛
ImpOil	g	1.80		144	44⅜	— ⅛
InstSy		6	3	1	— ⅛	
IntBknt		158	216	4⅜	+ ⅛	
Jacobs		1.57t	18	8	25⅛	— ⅛
Kirby		.10e	5	127	6⅜	
LdmkSv		.30	4	15	7⅛	
Lionel		21	304	6⅜	— ⅛	
Maxam		12	47	28	— ⅛	
Media		.40	110	107	34⅛	+ ⅛
MtchlE		.24a		81	13⅜	
NtPatnt		.02j		231	7¼	+ ⅜
NProc	2	.15e	11	3	39	
NY Time		.48	13	183	27⅝	— ⅜
NCdO	g	.20		4	16⅜	+ ⅛
OOkiep	1	.17e		52	9¾	— ⅛
PallCp		.48	19	120	29⅛	— ⅛
PegGld		.10e	15	277	11	+ ⅛
PhiLD		.16e	6	331	13⅜	+ ⅜
Pittway	1	.80	13	1	103¼	
PlyGem		.12	10	75	14⅛	+ ⅛
SterlSft			9	5⅜	+ ⅛	
TIE		233	1⅛	— ⅛	
TelDta		.26	91	1199	39	
Teleseph			70	1½	— ⅛	
TexAir		1592	12¼	— ⅜	
Thrlne		22	257	13	
TotlPet		.40	10	899	26½	+ ⅛
TwCty		8	67	7¼	+ ⅛
TubMex			393	4⅜	
Unicorp		.30		10	6	— ⅛
UFoodB		5	23	1⅜	
US Cell			239	28⅝	+ ⅜
UnvPet		47	61	4⅛	— ⅛
WangB		.16	26	446	8¼	+ ⅛
WshPst		1.84	19	47	222	+ ⅜
Wthlrd			19	2⅜	— ⅛
WDigitl		9	595	13¼	+ ⅛

MUTUAL FUNDS

AAL Mutual:
CapGr p 9.56 10.04
Inco
MuBd p 9.65 10.13

AARP Invst:
CapGr 29.40 NL
GinnM 14.68 NL
GenBd 14.57 NL
GthInc 22.82 NL
TxFBd 16.30 NL
TxFSh 15.08 NL

ABT Funds:
Emrg p 8.87 9.31
GthIn p 10.30 10.81
SecIn p 10.11 10.61
UtilIn p 13.48 14.15
AdsnCa p 15.77 16.26
ADTEK 9.48 NL
AdvntG p 8.94 9.34

AIM Funds:
Chart p 5.85 6.19
Const p 7.92 8.38
CvYld p 9.79 10.28
HiYld p 8.12 8.52
LimM p 9.68 9.85
Summit 7.28
Weing p 10.15 10.74

A M A Funds:
ClaGt p 9.36 NL
EMT p 12.95 13.60
GlbGt p 21.28 NL
GlbIn p 19.49 NL
GIST p 9.74 NL
GrPl p 19.48 NL
MdTc p 9.91 9.91
USGv p 8.48 NL

AMEV Funds:
AstAll 10.37 10.86
Capitl 13.25 14.48
CapAp 12.71 13.31
Fidcur 20.94 21.93
Grwth 17.26 18.86
HiYld 9.62 10.07
Specl 21.39 NL
TF Nat 9.82 10.28
US Gvt 9.39 9.83
AcornF 39.92 39.92
Afuture 10.51 NL

Advest Advant:
Govt p 8.18 8.18
Gwth p 12.70 12.70
Inco p 10.01 10.01
Spcl p 10.51 10.51
AlgrSCp p 13.80 13.80
AlgerG t 11.36 11.36

Alliance Cap:
Alian p 6.08 6.14
Balan p 13.36 14.14
Canad p 8.31 8.79
Conv p 9.36 9.90
Count p 16.34 17.29
Divid p 2.72 2.88
Govt p 8.10 8.57
HiYld p 7.96 8.42
Intl p 16.82 17.80
ICalTx 12.01 12.51
InsMu 9.28 9.67
MonIn p 11.38 12.04
Mortg p 8.65 9.15
MunCA 9.43 9.82
MuNY 8.72 9.08
NtlMu 9.36 9.75
Quasr 21.37 22.61
Survy p 13.52 14.31
Tech p 20.48 21.67

Altura Funds:
Grwth 11.38 11.38
Income 9.92 9.92

Amer Capital:
Cmstk 14.41 15.75
Corp 6.95 7.30
Entrp 11.57 12.64
Exch 71.97
FdMg p 12.19 12.80
Fd Am 11.15 12.19
GvSc p 9.76 10.47
Harbr 13.11 14.33
Hi Yld 8.43 9.04
Mun B 18.38 19.30
OTC 7.21 7.88
Pace 24.09 26.33
Provid 4.10 4.42
TEHY p 10.81 11.35
TxE I p 10.73 11.27
Ventr 12.81 14.00

American Funds:
A Bal p 10.90 11.56
Amcp p 10.88 11.54
AMutl p 18.66 19.80
Bond p 13.15 13.81
CapIB p 23.20 24.62
CapW p 14.57 15.30
Eupac p 26.94 28.58
FdInv p 15.71 16.67
Govt p 13.23 13.89
Gwth p 19.71 20.91
HI Tr p 13.86 14.55
Inco p 11.96 12.69
IntBd p 13.61 14.29
ICA p 13.86 14.71
NEco p 22.29 23.65
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Reservations about service charges listed

Copley News Service

When his waiter followed him into the restaurant's parking lot, Matthew figured he'd left too small a tip.

"He was waving the $10 bill I'd left on the table," said Matthew, who had just finished a $60 meal.

But the waiter didn't want more. On the contrary, he curtly informed the salesman that the restaurant doesn't accept tips. Instead, food servers collect their gratuities on the basis of a flat rate figured into the check's total before the customer sees it.

Extracting service charges from patrons in place of accepting their tips has become an appetizing practice in most Western European eateries and at some American cafes.

Mention the controversial idea to other waiters and their clients, though, and they get as flustered as if they'd found a fly in the soup.

"It would be horrible if control over gratuities shifted from the server to management," said Lorraine, a veteran waitress. "I earn my tips, so they should go directly into my pocket."

Norman, a plumber who was dining out the other evening, said he enjoys having "tipping power" over people who wait on him.

"If the waiter knows he's going to get a certain amount of money regardless of how hard he works, the level of service will drop. It's human nature," Norman said.

Evidence of the service charge's unpopularity aside, at least 8 percent of dining establishments currently use the service charge in place of tips — up from less than 4 percent in 1982 — it is estimated by the National Restaurant Association.



CNS Graphic

THE GROWING TREND reflects a desire by some restaurant owners to standardize the amount of tips declared by their employees, thus eliminating run-ins with the Internal Revenue Service over the contentious problem of unreported tips.

Restaurant analysts say there are a number of other good reasons for eliminating the tipping tray.

An editorial in Restaurant Business magazine, endorsing the service charge, noted that diners would no longer have to go through the mentally taxing ritual of figuring tip percentages, and that restaurant owners wouldn't have a full plate of paper work, keeping track of the different amounts of tips collected by individual employees.

Besides, tipping keeps servers "slaving away under an essentially feudal system," Zachary Citron, a restaurant consultant, wrote in The New Republic magazine.

Citron stressed that the service charge has successfully been in place in Europe since the postwar era, "when professionalism finally crept into service jobs."

But the idea was rarely broached in the restaurant industry until 1982, when the IRS instructed employers to keep track of their employees' tips, and set a minimum amount in gross restaurant receipts — 8 percent — that it would require waiters and waitresses to report as income from tips.

The IRS initiatives were spurred by suspected chronic tax-dodging by service personnel in the restaurant industry.

Even so, servers declared less than half of the estimated $5 billion in tips they earned in 1984, said an IRS spokeswoman in Washington, D.C. (The agency estimates that about 55 percent of the $8 billion collected in tips by restaurant workers was reported in 1987.)

MOST WAITERS assert that their average customer leaves a tip of 8 percent of the bill — the IRS minimum that servers must declare on their tax forms — even though surveys indicate that most diners tip between 10 to 15 percent.

Thus, even with the IRS guidelines in effect, many servers are still underreporting their tips.

That's logical, say restaurant industry consultants, who believe the tax system encourages dishonesty on the part of restaurant owners and their employees.

"You'd expect servers to report the lowest amount they could get away with, and that's exactly what has happened," said Peter Berlinski, editor of New York City-based Restaurant Business. "They're motivated by self-interest."

The government has since required employers to pay unemployment taxes and Social Security taxes on reported tips. As a result, the IRS maintains, some have collaborated with their employees in tax-dodging schemes.

"When an employee reports high rates of tips, the employer's tax rate goes up," Berlinski said. "So they're quite happy to see their people underreport as much as they can."

By establishing a standard service charge, he said, the traditional tax problems associated with tipping would evaporate.

Still, most restaurant owners believe their customers would regard a service charge with the same contempt as a side dish of cold spinach.

"It's not an accepted practice in this country," said William Seckinger, vice president of marketing for the Paragon Restaurant Group.

HE REFERRED to a recent survey commissioned by the National Restaurant Association. Only 22 percent of the restaurant patrons polled "would feel comfortable" having a gratuity appended to their bill by the restaurant's management. A majority of the respondents found the concept "highly undesirable."

Most restaurant industry observers adamantly opposed to the service charge nevertheless agree that the tipping game is in dire need of new rules.

Tipper's International — a nationwide union of restaurant patrons numbering 30,000 — believes that customers should never be obligated to pay for anything other than what they ordered.

"What irks me is that most of the people who receive bad service in a restaurant go ahead and leave 10 to 15 percent anyway," said John Schein, president of the Wausau, Wis., group. "They pay because they're intimidated by the system."

Schein rarely recommends stiffing a server — "unless they're not only incompetent, but rude and obnoxious, too" — but does advocate leaving tips that are commensurate with service.

Tipper International supplies its members with report cards they leave with their tips. A blue card congratulates the staff on good food and service, while a yellow card indicates complete dissatisfaction with the dining experience.

Schein noted that the practice of tipping can hurt a restaurant's business, whenever friction among the restaurant staff about who gets the tips boils over into the dining room.

Employees at most dining establishments — busboys, dishwashers, servers and cooks — are paid the minimum wage. Waiters and waitresses, however, are envied because they pocket the tips that provide the bulk of their incomes.

IF A WAITRESS doesn't spread the wealth by passing a percentage of the take to workers in the back room, she may soon find that her orders aren't being prepared as fast, and the busboys aren't cleaning off her tables as quickly.

One waitress confided that when her household budget is tight, she holds back some of the money she would typically pass on to her coworkers.

"In subtle ways, the busboys and the cooks indicate their displeasure with me," she said.

They're not likely to enjoy a full reconciliation any time soon.

CONSUMING INTEREST

Low-fat frozen dessert wins praise from ice cream lovers

By LINDA ANDERSON



Anderson

OK, all you waist-watchers and calorie-counters, here's what you've been waiting for. Now you can go to the ice cream store and indulge yourself with a third less guilt.

Baskin-Ribbons (at our house, sometimes refered to as Basket-Robbins) has just introduced three new flavors of what they call "Low, Lite'n Luscious" frozen dessert. It isn't quite ice cream (I suppose it's made with milk instead of cream), but it is sweetened with NutraSweet, which means it has no calories from sugar.

Well, of course we couldn't resist checking it out for taste, price and advertising accuracy. And since Baskin-Robbins sent us a press kit with three coupons for free pints, we checked out all three flavors: strawberry, chocolate chip and Jamoca Swiss Almond.

According to company information, the new dessert is "a line of sugar-free, low-fat frozen dairy desserts 100 percent sweetened with NutraSweet" with the "same creamy texture and rich taste of premium ice cream. It contains one-third fewer calories than regualr ice cream, is 97 percent fat free, low in cholesterol and sodium, and rich in calcium.

Jamoca Swiss Almond is said to be "Made with Jamoca (whatever that is — some kind of coffee flavor, I guess) and fresh almond pieces coated with chocolate sweetened with NutraSweet."

Chocolate chip is "A vanilla frozen dairy dessert loaded with chips, all sweetened with NutraSweet."

And strawberry contains "luscious chunks of real strawberries, also sweetened with NutraSweet."

For a pint of the dessert, it will cost you $2.70; per dip it's $1.16, which are the same prices as regular Baskin-Robbins ice creams.

The taste-test was a rousing success. In fact, none of the frozen dessert made it home — we tasted it right here at the office. (Hungry journalists make terrific taste-testers. And journalists are nearly always hungry.)

The reviews, however, were mixed. Everyone who tried the Jamoca Swiss Almond loved it (in fact, one copy editor polished off the pint by herself), but some of the taste-testers don't like coffee-flavored anything and so did not participate. Strawberry was said to be "wonderful" and "A-plus" and "tastes so good!" Chocolate chip was either "good" or "terrible," depending on who was doing the tasting. Some testers said the NutraSweet after taste was just tooevident in the chocolate chips-and-vanilla frozen dessert.

But everyone had at least one favorite, and several testers liked two, or all three. So if you are serious about watching your sugar intake but you just can't resist frozen desserts, you might check out some Low, Lite'n Luscious. Flavor selections are limited, but maybe if enough customers buy it, Baskin-Robbins will expand its flavor line.

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AT WIT'S END

Some parents never get old enough to see R-rated movies

By ERMA BOMBECK



Bombeck

With all the openness about sex in this country, we still have a major hang-up. No one wants to watch an R-rated movie with his mother.

I don't care how old you are or how old she is, there is just something about sharing all that intimacy that destroys the parent/child mystique. (This is the common belief that whatever generation you are in invented sex. Your birth was either divinely conceived or a science fair project that got out of hand. Watching Kim Basinger on the screen would give your mother disturbing dreams for the rest of her life.)

You don't want your mother to know that you know what she knows you already know. She doesn't want you to know that she has known it for years but didn't want you to know it.

The first time I watched a film with one of my sons in which a couple hit the sheets, for no apparent reason he leaned over and said, "Did Dad ever get the part for his lawn mower that he sent off for?" I whispered, "No." Then he said, "Did I tell you I'm taking Spanish next year?" I whispered, "Great." Then he said, "Did you want some popcorn or anything?"

I couldn't believe it. Here was a kid who was lucky to speak six words a year to me, and all of a sudden, in a dark theater in the middle of the movie, he had more phrases than a talking Buick.

Later, when he apologized for the sex scenes, I said, "I am not without some background material. After all, I've watched animals mate on PBS for years."

"That's different," he said.

"Unless you've seen two fruit bats mate, you don't know kinky."

I hadn't thought about the incident much until recently when my mother was visiting. She suggested we rent a movie, as she never gets to a theater. My mind raced wildly. "How about 'Sleeping Beauty'?"

"How about 'Body Heat'? I've heard so much about it."

It was the most stressful evening I have ever put in. Whenever there was a four-letter word, I had to be ready to cough. When heavy breathing and intimacy filled the screen, I turned to her and said, "So, did you finish your afghan?" When she didn't blink, I raised my voice and said, "Have you ever thought about getting a dog, Mom?" Most of the time I ended up prattling about how the battery burned out in my smoke alarm.

Why do we do it? I don't know, but there is something rather charming about one generation struggling to maintain an innocence. It keeps the mystique alive.

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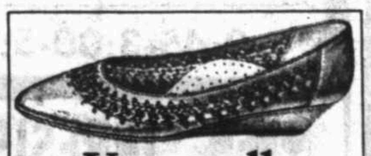
Jeeps prefered

Copley News Service

Career women are finding a sense of security, independence and confidence from something other than men. They're finding it from Jeeps. Seriously.

According to Terri Houtman of Chrysler Motors, 44 percent of Jeep drivers are women. Specifically, women are found behind 65 percent of all Wagoneers on U.S. roads.

One reason, she said, is that women are participating in sports that previously were male-dominated, such as camping, hunting, fishing, backpacking and boating.



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DEAR ABBY

Romeo's two Juliets stop five years of his deception

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN



Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: The letter from "Shocked in Colorado" prompts my first letter to you. I can top her bizarre tale of a double-dealing lover.

I met a handsome man in October 1983. "John" said he was married, so we had to be "careful." He was so charming, I couldn't resist him. John would come to my house for lunch and "whatever" twice a week. In December of '88, I happened to see his car pull into an alley behind a strange house. (By this time I had caught him in several small lies and had begun to mistrust him.) I obtained the address and phone number of this house. I called and a woman answered. When I asked for John, she acted so strange I knew he was there. To make a long story short, I called her again, and the two of us got together.

This is what we learned: John had been seeing her for five years, too — just three days longer than I. She gave him breakfast and I gave him lunch. He never called us by our names — he called us both "Luv." He took us to the same places out of town and had given us identical gifts and cards for the holidays. He'd phone us in the evening: He couldn't talk, but we could, so he'd tap on the receiver — two taps for "yes" and one tap for "no."

Abby, I gave this man five years of my life — so did she. I still hurt a little, but it's a relief not having to cheat and slip around anymore. Would you believe that this woman and I lived within a mile of each other? — RECOVERING IN ARKANSAS

DEAR RECOVERING: After writing this column for 33 years, I can believe anything. But, there's a lesson to be learned here. There is no free lunch. Or breakfast, either.

DEAR ABBY: In your answer to "Choking," who coughed, wheezed and got migraine headaches from the perfumed mail and samples of soap and fabric softener delivered to her home unsolicited, you said, "If the army of allergics were to join forces and do a little lobbying, they would create a stink no one could ignore."

Abby, there is an organization of people who are sensitive to perfumes and scented products — the Human Ecology Action League (HEAL). Though we are a non-profit organization and cannot "lobby," we provide information to legislators and to the members of HEAL chapters across the country.

Please inform your chemically sensitive readers that HEAL can help them. For information, they can write to: HEAL, P.O. Box 66637, Chicago, Ill. 60666. Please enclose a long, stamped (45 cents), self-addressed envelope. — LYNN IN EVANSTON

DEAR LYNN: HEAL was founded in 1977 by Dr. Theron Randolph, a Chicago physician. It provides a broad spectrum of information for people with allergies, including: lists of specialists in the field of environmental medicine, lists of non-toxic products and where to find them, and affiliated support groups nationwide. Moreover, HEAL lets allergy sufferers know they are not alone with a problem that's nothing to sneeze at. Gesundheit!

DEAR ABBY: My 14-year-old daughter, "Sara," was assigned to read your booklet, "How to Have a Lovely Wedding," for her phys-ed course on hygiene and homemaking. I thought you'd get a kick out of what happened when Sara overheard her older sister telling her father and me that she was going to announce her engagement soon.

Sara rushed to her room and grabbed your booklet to advise us of our "responsibilities." Then she proceeded to read aloud: "The groom's parents provide the bachelor party, pay the minister, etc. The bride's parents provide the torso." — SAN FRANCISCANS

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Abigail Van Buren is columnist for Universal Press Syndicate.

Men have rights to look foolish in aerobics class

By DAVID GRIMES
New York Times News Service

I read a story recently by a woman who is fed up with men in her aerobics class.

The writer, Susan Littwin, claims that aerobics classes are a "woman's domain" and that men are annoying, unwelcome intruders.

Littwin said she almost got into a fistfight with a "half-naked," middle-aged man who bumped into her during a workout, and she is also irritated by men who are out of step to the music, perspire too heavily and pin their locker keys to their shorts.

(The jingling apparently destroys her rhythm.)

"I'm highly annoyed by men in aerobics classes," Littwin wrote in The Los Angeles Times Magazine, "because, in my experience, men — with the exception of professional athletes and the Chippendales dancers — are not good at aerobics.

"Their movements are too big, too lumbering, too uncoordinated."

I find Littwin's comments highly offensive and insulting. She is also condescending and sexist, and I bet she can't throw a baseball very well, either.

If women can pump gas, drive trucks and interview football players in their locker rooms, there's no reason why men can't participate in aerobics classes.

And, besides, who's to say that virile, macho men can't do aerobics well? Look at Richard Simmons.

One of the great things about the sexual revolution is that a person's gender no longer prohibits him or her from engaging in activities in which he or she will look foolish.

Women are allowed to be cops, firefighters, soldiers and body builders. Who's to stop a man from wriggling into a pair of tights and jumping around with a bunch of women to the tune of "Wild Thing"?

The issue of whether men should or should not be allowed in aerobics classes probably won't generate that much controversy in places like, say, Ozona, Texas.

But I bet Littwin's article really frosted some leotards out in Southern California, where people take health and fitness at least as seriously as they take nukes, whales and weird food.

Look for men to stage demonstrations outside San Fernando Valley health spas while carrying signs that read "Stop Aerobics Discrimination!" and "Lumberers Have Rights, Too!"

Political candidates will be forced to take a stand on the issue of co-ed aerobics, and Congress and the Supreme Court may eventually get into the act, too.

Don't be surprised if Barbara Bush and Marilyn Quayle get into a highly-public disagreement about the issue: Barbara says men should be allowed into aerobics classes; Marilyn says they shouldn't.

Michael Dukakis will attempt to rehabilitate his career by allowing himself to be photographed while dancing in an all-female aerobics class in Boston.

Unfortunately, he will be wearing a dark suit and wingtips and will appear to be big, lumbering and uncoordinated.

David Grimes is a columnist for The New York Times News Service.

Wash fresh foods in plain water

From Staff Reports

Information from the U.S. Department of Agriculture advises consumers to wash fresh fruits and vegetables in plain water — not soap and water — to remove surface pesticide residues and other impurities.

"...USDA, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and the U.S. Food and Drug Administration — the three federal agencies with regulatory responsibility for foods — all recommend washing fresh fruits and vegetables with just plain water," said USDA Consumer Advisor Ann Chadwick. "We do not recommend washing food with soap. Soap residues are difficult to remove, and soap is not intended to be consumed."

Not only does washing with water help remove soil and other debris that may be hard to see, she said, "Washing with water also will help remove any existing surface pesticide residues. Thick-skinned produce may be scrubbed with a brush if desired."

For information on handling food safely, call the toll-free USDA Meat and Poultry Hotline at 1-800-535-4555.

Fundraiser planned

From Staff Reports

Southwest Collegiate Institute for the Deaf in Big Spring will present its annual fund-raising event Friday and Saturday at the school.

The schedule of activities includes:

- SWCID Archives Open House 2-4 p.m. Friday at the Resource Center of the Administration Building.
- Dutch treat dinner 5:30-6:45 p.m. Friday at the Brandin' Iron, Highway 87.
- SWCID Alumnus General Meeting 7 p.m. at the new SWCID Student Union Building, followed by a party at the Stampede on the Snyder Highway (Hwy. 350).

Saturday, events planned will be:

- Softball tournament, 8-11 a.m. at Cotton Mize Field at Commanche Trail Park.
- Registration for bowling tournament 10 a.m. at Highland Lanes in Highland Mall, Hwy. 87 at FM 700.
- Bowling tournament at noon, Highland Lanes.
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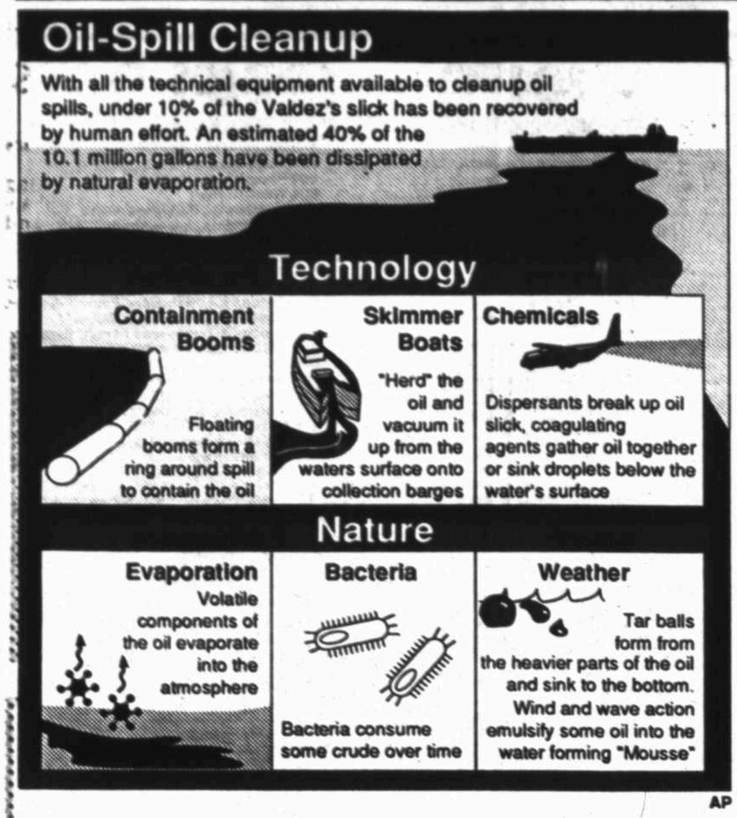
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AP

Meandering slicks nearing populous bird breeding area

VALDEZ, Alaska (AP) — Crews went on the offensive against the worst U.S. oil spill, but communities down the coast were on the defensive as meandering slicks neared one of the world's most populous bird breeding grounds.

"We are beginning a new phase," Department of Environmental Conservation Commissioner Dennis Kelso said Wednesday as fishermen were redeployed from protecting fish hatcheries to begin the long, tedious work of collecting oil from coves and inlets.

Crews were on the beaches of Naked Island in the heart of Prince William Sound, scooping up pools of congealed oil and scraping it from rocks. The shoreline was covered in oil following the March 24 grounding of the tanker Exxon Valdez, which sent 10 million gallons of oil into the sound.

"At first it was feeling kind of futile, but I'm starting to feeling like we're doing something now," said Bill Scheer, an unemployed Valdez cannery worker who has worked on the clean up for two weeks.

But farther west along the Kenai Peninsula, protective barriers were still going up as straggling patches of oil menaced the coastline and the islands north of Kodiak Island.

The herring fishery season set for this weekend in the Kodiak area will go on as scheduled, officials said, but samples will be taken of all fish caught and tested for contamination.

"The tips of the peninsula have been slimed for the past couple of days, but the worst that could have happened hasn't happened yet," said Jon Erickson, a spokesman at Kenai Fjords National Park.

Erickson said a thin oily sheen could be seen in Resurrection Bay on the parks' eastern border, and thick streams of oil "mousse" and tar balls reached the shoreline.

Fishing towns along the coast have spent three tense days waiting for the oil to hit land. Officials said that until all oil has broken up and swept to sea, changes in the weather could still throw crude ashore.

Officials also worried about citings of oil farther west, in the Chugach Islands and near the Barren Islands, one of the world's most populous bird breeding grounds.

Thousands of sea birds and otters have died as result of the oil slick, which coats fur and feathers with a poisonous goop that prevents the animals from staying warm and buoyant.

Larger patches of oil in Nuka Bay and Iailik Bay also continued to threaten the coast and islands.

"This is some of the most changeable weather in the world," said Marshal Kendziorek, a state cleanup coordinator. "If the wind shifts it could send it anywhere."

Under the wind conditions reported late Wednesday, the various pools and puddles of oil were reported to be breaking up and sinking.

Aerial surveys earlier showed significantly less oil on the water, the result of two days of high winds and rough seas.

The state, meanwhile, said it was postponing a June 27 oil and gas lease sale in Cook Inlet until a review of policy changes resulting from the Exxon Valdez disaster is completed.

In other developments:

■ President Bush said he still believes the federal government should not have taken over the cleanup effort, although he conceded it could have gotten involved earlier.

■ Interior Secretary Manuel Lujan complained that Exxon is not being as forthcoming as he would like in providing "up front" money for planning long-term environmental recovery from the spill.

■ Two consumer groups in Washington urged motorists to boycott Exxon in response to the spill and subsequent gas price increases. Exxon again apologized to consumers and said it hoped its cleanup efforts would show consumers it's a responsible company.

■ Gov. Steve Cowper signed legislation allowing the state to spend up to $20 million to pay immediate cleanup costs, which eventually will be repaid by Exxon. Cowper also said he will testify before Congress next week concerning the spill.

Stroke victim recovers just in nick of time

New York Times News Service

ALBANY, N.Y. — A state judge has withdrawn his permission for removal of a feeding tube from a stroke victim after the condition of the woman improved.

The woman, Carrie A. Coons, 86, of Rensselaer, who had been declared to be in an "irreversible" vegetative state, began talking and eating on her own over the weekend.

Mrs. Coons had been in a persistent unconscious state in an Albany hospital since November, a few weeks after suffering a stroke and cerebral hemorrhage.

She was the first New Yorker for whom a right-to-die petition was approved since the state's highest court last year authorized the removal of feeding tubes in cases in which the prior wishes of an incompetent patient could be proved.

But the judge who last week approved the petition, Justice Joseph Harris of state Supreme Court here, vacated his order Tuesday after a doctor testified that the woman had become alert over the weekend.

The doctor said that, when she was told of the legal quandary of which she had been the focus, she expressed ambiguity about whether she would want the feeding tube removed even if she lapsed back into unconsciousness.

Mrs. Coons' case has baffled her doctors, her lawyers and her sister, 88, who had sought approval for removal of the feeding tube but now said she was uncertain what to do.

Doctors who specialize in right-to-die cases agreed that the case was exceptional and should not necessarily have an undue influence on other families caught up in similar dilemmas.

They also said it illustrated that medical declarations involved in the cases were not infallible.

"It's a dramatic case. It shows you that you're basically never dealing with certainties here," said Dr. Ronald E. Cranford, a neurologist in Minneapolis who is a past president of the American Society of Law and Medicine and a consultant to a White House commission on right-to-die issues.

"What you are dealing with, though, is degrees of probability, usually very high degrees of probability."

Legally, the case is unique in New York State.

It is the first time a judge has thrown out an order allowing removal of life-sustaining medical equipment because the patient showed possible signs of recovery, said Tracy Miller, executive director of the New York State Task Force on Life and the Law.

Until Sunday, Mrs. Coons had neither spoken nor shown any signs of alertness for four and a half months.

Monday afternoon, her physician, Dr. Michael L. Wolff of Troy, visited her in the hospital after nurses reported that she had shown possible signs of recovery and had taken small amounts of food.

Teen says quarterback coached him to health

DENVER (AP) — An 18-year-old injured in a motorcycle accident says words of encouragement recorded by Miami Dolphin's quarterback Dan Marino helped pull him out of his three-month coma.

"I think Dan Marino is just the greatest football player there is, and the tape I got from him was really good encouragement," said Brent Doyle, who is preparing to leave the Mediplex Rehab Hospital in Thornton, a Denver suburb, on Friday, a day before his 19th birthday.

"He just said, 'You can snap out of it. Just keep up the hard work. Me and all the Dolphins are cheering for you 100 percent. If you get better soon you can watch the Dolphins, and you can watch me perform,'" Brent said Wednesday.

Don Doyle, Brent's father, said he played Marino's recorded message for his son daily, often two or three times, during Brent's coma.

"The first prognosis was really dim. They didn't give him much hope at all," the father said. "It's a miracle in my opinion."

Brent sustained serious head injuries last October when he lost control of his motorcycle while riding through the Rocky Mountains foothills west of Boulder.

"Maybe a day or two after the accident, a boy and a girl from work came up and I was thinking Brent was such a Dolphins fan, it sure would be nice to get something from Dan (Marino) to give him when he gets out of the hospital," the older Doyle said. "They heard me say this and pursued it."

Communication tapes reveal tense minutes on crippled jetliner

WASHINGTON (AP) — The jumbo jet had been in the air for only 16 minutes when mayday came crackling over the radio from United Flight 811 high over the Pacific: "We've gotta come back ... We had a bomb or something go off in the airplane ... trying to get back to the airport."

So began 25 of the most harrowing minutes in the life of Capt. David Cronin, his copilot, Al Salder and more than 300 other crew and passengers aboard the United Airlines jetliner last Feb. 24.

There was no bomb, although the pilots were all but certain one had exploded. But a 10-foot hole had ripped open on the side of the aircraft cabin, sweeping nine passengers to their deaths at 22,000 feet.

A glimpse of the drama was provided Wednesday when the Federal Aviation Administration released tapes of radio communications between Flight 811 and air traffic controllers in Honolulu.

For the most part Salder was believed to be at the microphone with Cronin fighting to keep the hugh Boeing 747 jetliner aloft, although FAA officials said it was unclear who was speaking during certain exchanges.

What was clear, however, is that more than once the pilots — as well as controllers monitoring and directing them — feared the jet would plunge into the Pacific. The pilots repeatedly sought to be assured they were being tracked by radar so a rapid water rescue mission could be launched if necessary.

The jet, bound for Auckland, New Zealand with 354 people aboard, was awaiting clearance to climb to a normal 30,000 feet cruising altitude and was only 16 minutes out of Honolulu when the tragedy struck.

"We're at, ah, mayday. We've gotta come back. We had a bomb or something go off in the airplane. Ah, we're making a one-eighty trying to get back to the airport," came the first emergency call from the cockpit.

Seconds later, the crew provided the first indication of the seriousness of the problem.

"We don't know what's going on. Ah, looks like we've lost No. 3 engine and we're descending rapidly, ah, coming back," the pilot reported.

NATION IN BRIEF

Prosecutor calls North's office 'den of thieves'

WASHINGTON (AP) — The prosecution portrayed Oliver North as working in a "den of thieves" while North defended President Reagan's advisers as "honorable men," even as they desperately tried to cover up the Iran-Contra affair.

Describing the frantic hours of Nov. 21, 1986, North testified Wednesday that he witnessed his boss, national security adviser John Poindexter, rip a presidential finding in two. The finding retroactively legalized a CIA-assisted November 1985 weapons shipment to Iran.

"Did you ever think, 'I'm in a den of thieves?'" prosecutor John Keker asked North, who was on the witness stand in his criminal trial for a fifth day.

"No, Mr. Keker. ... I never regarded that I was working in a den of thieves," replied North. "I honestly believed I was working for honorable men who were trying to do their level best ... to make this country a better place."

The same day that Poindexter tore up the finding, North's ex-boss, Robert McFarlane, reminded him to alter six memos to hide McFarlane's and, North thought, Reagan's knowledge of North's secret assistance to the Contras. North made the alterations, a year after McFarlane had first asked him to do so.

Contra aid plan debated

WASHINGTON (AP) — Lawmakers clashed today over President Bush's plan to sustain the Nicaraguan Contra rebels with $49.7 million in non-lethal aid, with opponents charging the package "hinges on winks, nods and handshakes."

The House debated the compromise plan, which would give the Contras additional food, clothing and medical assistance but would bar new money for weapons and ammunition to renew the battle against Nicaragua's leftist Sandinista government.

Congress was poised to approve the plan that was hammered out in weeks of negotiations between Secretary of State James A. Baker III and Democratic leaders of the House and Senate.

During debate on the House floor, Rep. Thomas Foglietta, D-Pa., cited the Democratic contention that continued support for the Contras would derail the diplomatic peace process.

Reactor reaches burial site

RICHLAND, Wash. (AP) — The world's first commercial nuclear reactor vessel reached its burial site after a 44-day voyage from Pennsylvania that took it down the Mississippi, through the Panama Canal and up the Pacific Coast.

The federal government decided years ago to bury the reactor from Shippingport, Pa., at the Hanford nuclear reservation in south-central Washington, said Department of Energy spokesman Tom Bauman.

"This is a one-time shipment only," Bauman said. "There are no plans to bring any other commercial reactors to Hanford."

The 1,000-ton pressure vessel completed the 8,100-mile waterborne portion of its journey Wednesday morning. Today it was to begin the 23-mile trip over land to a 40-foot deep burial trench in the center of the arid, sagebrush-covered reservation.

The reactor vessel was mounted on a 320-wheel trailer that was to be pulled off the barge and onto the Hanford site today.

50 LEGAL NOTICES

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DATED this 7th day of April, 1989.
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April 12, 13, 14, 1989

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