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# Stabbed man shoots 2

## Confrontation leaves 1 dead



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From left, police officers B. Hintz, C. Hine and D. Clark, a technician, stand next to the stabbing victim's car.

By Michael Kashgarian
Staff Writer

A Midland man is dead after he and his brother were shot by a man they attacked Sunday afternoon in the parking lot of an eastside convenience store, police said.

Pablo Lara, 19, of 2928 W. Louisiana Ave. No. 10, died about 3:25 p.m. Sunday at Memorial Hospital and Medical Center after being shot twice in the chest, hospital and police officials said.

His brother, Adrian Lara, 22, of 1917 E. Hudson Ave., was in satisfactory condition in the surgical unit of the hospital Sunday night, hospital officials said.

David Perez, 22, of 1403 Mulberry Lane, who suffered stab wounds to the stomach and to the back of his left thigh from the Lara brothers' attack, was treated and released from the hospital, hospital officials said.

Perez told police he had pulled up to Al's Grocery No. 2, 1306 N. Lamesa Road about 1:30 p.m. to purchase some gasoline for his brown Ford LTD. His wife and two small children were in the car with him.

The two brothers confronted him and a fight broke out, police said.

One or both of the brothers hit Perez and stabbed him, the report said.

When one of the brothers attempted to stab Perez in the chest, Perez's wife, sitting in the car, got a .22-caliber Derringer-type pistol and gave it to her husband.

He then shot both brothers, firing at least three shots, Perez told police.

Police recovered a gun from Perez' car. A folding knife, with a blade approximately 4 inches long, also was found at the scene.

An unidentified witness at the scene said a third

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## MONDAY NEWS WATCH

### Wild Well responds

HOUSTON — A project manager for Wild Well Control Inc. said Sunday he opposed Kuwaiti government plans to add firefighting teams to the American units that are extinguishing hundreds of burning Kuwaiti wells. On Saturday, Kuwaiti oil minister Rasheed al-Amiri said Kuwait's oil-field inferno was too big for four North American companies to handle. Al-Amiri said he planned to hire teams worldwide to try to put out more than 500 fires in seven months. "Well, that's the oil minister and he didn't sign my contract," said Pat Campbell, vice president of Wild Well Control.

### Combing clubs

PALM BEACH, Fla. — Investigators for both sides in an alleged rape at the Kennedy estate are roaming nightclubs trying to assemble a portrait of the woman who says she was attacked. Private investigators hired by the Kennedy family and police detectives have been talking to acquaintances of the woman, employees at her favorite nightclubs and those with her the night before the alleged assault. "The Kennedys have deep pockets and long arms — and they are doing everything they can to get out of this," said a local bar employee who has been dogged by Kennedy investigators.

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### Oprah doesn't care

The person who won a contest as a look-alike of Oprah Winfrey is a man. But Ms. Winfrey doesn't care. She plans to have him on her television talk show anyway. The contest, which was held by Ladies' Home Journal, invited readers who resemble a living celebrity to send two photographs and an essay telling what they admired in that person. The man, Jecquin Stitt of Flint, Mich., 32, will travel to Chicago in May to take part in the "Oprah Winfrey" show with eight other contestants. "We did not know this was a man," said Lisa Kovitz, spokeswoman for Ladies' Home Journal. "There was nothing in the entry form that asked for gender."



Winfrey

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## U.S. troops begin pullout to Iraqi DMZ

■ Announcement reflects administration's decision not to assist rebel forces.

N.Y. Times News Service

SAFWAN, Iraq — American forces have begun to pull back from the large area they have occupied in southern Iraq to a narrow buffer zone along the Iraq-Kuwait border, U.S. military officials said on Sunday.

A communique issued by the American military command in Riyadh, Saudi Arabia, said Iraqis who had fled to the American-occupied zone would be permitted to move into the new buffer zone as the pullback proceeds.

There they would be protected from possible attack by Iraqi government forces returning to reclaim the area the Americans had occupied.

Within several weeks, a U.N. force is to replace the Americans in the new zone, which will extend about six miles into Iraq and three into Kuwait.

The announced withdrawal comes seven weeks after American and allied forces swept into Iraq and defeated the army of President Saddam Hussein.

It reflects the Bush administration's decision not to assist rebel forces in Iraq by keeping military pressure on government forces and fulfills the U.N. resolution that ended the Persian Gulf war.

When the American withdrawal is complete, the United States will have given back a wide swath of southern Iraq, but it will continue to exert military influence in the north, backing up President Bush's warning that Iraqi forces must not hinder the relief opera-

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Joe D. Williams/Reporter-Telegram

*Real-world work*

Joe Guillen waters plants at Lanham's Nursery & Landscape Supply. Joe, an MHS student, is enrolled in a program that prepares special-education students for the business world. Story/1B.

## Experts: Old wells poison state water

SAN ANGELO (AP) — Oil wells that have been abandoned or neglected are to blame for poisoned water supplies and destroyed crops in rural West Texas, say environmentalists who want the government to intervene.

Hundreds of old wells have oozed toxins and drilling wastes that destroyed more than 2,500 acres surrounding San Angelo, bubbled onto some downtown streets and polluted the Concho and Colorado rivers and water wells.

"We don't know exactly what's going on beneath the surface, but we know it's bad," said Ralph E. Hoelscher, a Miles wheat farmer who has led West Texas' fight against unplugged wells.

Farmers say wide stretches of wheat, cotton, and alfalfa fields are now a salty white wasteland because of the well leaks.

Environmental experts said the region's problem with waste from hundreds of abandoned or unplugged wells may be a prelude to an abandoned well crisis that soon will touch almost every county in Texas.

An estimated 50,000 oil and gas wells have been abandoned in Texas, with tens of thousands more either uncounted or

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## VIPs routinely chance dying in plane crash

By John H. Cushman Jr.
N.Y. Times News Service

They fly to the next gig or the next game, to the next political rally or the next board meeting — another day, another town, and another ride in a corporate jet, chartered plane, helicopter or whatever other conveyance seems convenient, sometimes regardless of risk.

When their planes crash, the headlines name another musician, politician or athlete killed in an aviation accident: Will Rogers, Knute Rockne, Otis Redding, Hale Boggs, Rocky Marciano, Thur-

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## New study casts doubt on IUD research

N.Y. Times News Service

A new scientific study challenges the validity of medical research done more than a decade ago that was crucial in condemning the Dalkon Shield and other intrauterine contraceptive devices as dangerous.

While the new study does not go so far as to exonerate the Dalkon Shield specifically, it concludes that intrauterine devices in general do not increase the risk of pelvic infection. That finding directly contradicts the conclusion of the original federally financed study.

The latest finding, published in the current issue of The Journal of Clinical Epidemiology, is not meant to suggest a course of action by women. But it is certain to renew debate about the value of IUDs, which are now used by an estimated 1.5 million women in this country, or 3 percent of contraceptive users, less than half the number in 1982. The devices are placed in the uterus to prevent pregnancy, but scientists do not know precisely how they achieve their effect.

The American College of Obstetricians

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## A taxing time: '90 deadline cometh

By Jim Luther
Associated Press writer

WASHINGTON — The deadline nears. The IRS waits. The taxpayer panics.

It's a taxing time for all Americans, but especially for the millions who have waited until the last minute to file their 1990 federal tax returns — and for Postal Service and IRS employees who have to deal with the annual April 15 onslaught.

The Internal Revenue Service expects to receive 27 million returns at its 10 processing centers this week — nearly one of every four that will be filed this year.

Most people must file by midnight today, but several million will take longer.

The IRS said many of its offices and its toll-free telephone number — 800-829-1040 — would remain open into the evening to answer taxpayer questions. But don't expect instant service; repeated tries often are required in the best of times to get through to an IRS operator.

Many post offices, especially in metropolitan areas, will station clerks outside to allow motorists to drop off returns without leaving their cars.

In some areas, Tax Night has become a social event.

Outside the post office in Norfolk, Va., according to the Postal Service, WAFX radio "will have Abe Lincoln, a chief justice and Uncle Sam passing out stamps. Grandma will be cutting and passing out slices of apple pie and they'll also have live music and hot dogs."

The IRS will send volunteers inside the lobby of the Milwaukee Post Office to fill out simple returns and offer advice on the more complicated returns. Anyone in the Los Angeles basin will be able to determine the closest post office open until midnight by dialing a special number.

Postal authorities in New York City are opening all 21 windows in the James A. Farley Building for 24 hours

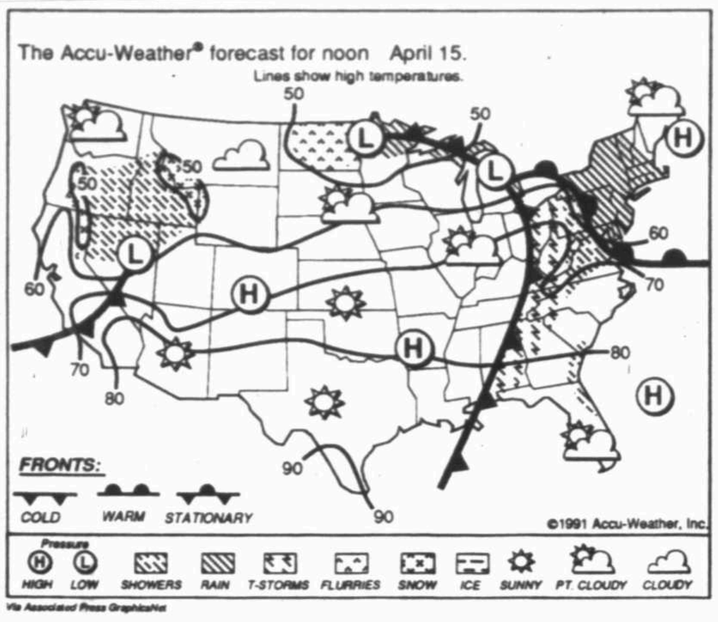
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Kim Chavira winces as H&R Block's Barbara Stevens gives the bad news about her taxes.

## WEATHER SUMMARY




Via Associated Press GraphicsNet

# Sunny skies forecast

Today's forecast calls for sunny skies with a high in the mid-80s and southwest winds 10-20 mph and gusty, according to the National Weather Service in Midland.

Tonight will be clear with a low near 50.

Tuesday is expected to be sunny with a high in the mid-80s.

After an overnight low of 42, Sunday's high was 78 compared with the record high for that date of 95 in 1935. The record low for today's date was 27 set in 1933.

**STATE**

Portions of North Texas began drying out Sunday, but flash flood warnings remained in effect for Southeast Texas and a freeze warning for the northwest Panhandle.

Skies were mostly sunny across West Texas with temperatures in the 60s and 70s.

But showers and thunderstorms continued across Southeast Texas ahead of a cold front that stretched from near Lufkin to Palacios and southward to the Gulf of Mexico. Behind the front, skies were clear as northwest winds brought drier air into the region.

Rain ended across most of North Texas except the extreme southeast part where clouds and light rain lingered and a flash flood watch remained in effect.

The North Texas forecast calls for sunny and warm today with a high in the mid- to upper 80s. Fair Monday night.

In South Texas, expect partly cloudy skies through today with highs in the 80s and 90s.

West Texas should have clear skies with a warming trend through Tuesday. Highs are expected mostly in the 80s today except for the 70s in the mountains.

**NATION**

Thunderstorms lingered Sunday over the South, snow and gusting winds whipped the Plains and the Upper Midwest and heavy rain raised lakes to record levels in northwest Louisiana.

The Gulf Coast from Texas to Florida enjoyed a summer-like weekend, with highs in the 80s for a second straight day.

Storms developing ahead of a cold front crept across eastern Texas and northern Alabama. Severe storms headed north from the Lower Mississippi Valley to Illinois, Indiana and western Ohio and east to Mississippi, western Tennessee and western Alabama.

Heavy rain saturated parts of eastern Texas and Louisiana.

A three-day deluge has dropped as much as 22½ inches of rain in northwest Louisiana, including more than 15 inches at Shreveport in Caddo Parish. About 1,000 houses and businesses were flooded in Caddo and nearby Webster parishes.

Wallace Lake, five miles south of the city, was expected to crest today at 158 feet, four feet above the record set in 1986 after Hurricane Bonnie hit Louisiana, the National Weather Service said.

More than 2 inches of rain fell at Lufkin in eastern Texas and more than an inch at Houston and at El Dorado, Ark.

Snow and sleet swept northwest Minnesota, eastern North Dakota and the northern Rockies. Gale warnings were in effect for Lake Superior and Lake Erie. Severe thunderstorms spawned at least four tornadoes, carrying large hail and damaging winds that injured three people in Austin and Dumas, Ark., and Fulton, Miss. Thunderstorm winds gusted to 80 mph in Little Rock, Ark.

Dry weather prevailed across the rest of the western half of the nation, with sunny skies from Southern California to west Texas.

*The Associated Press contributed to this report.*

## Midland statistics

FORECAST:
Today: Sunny, high in the mid-80s, southwest winds 10-20 mph and gusty.
Tonight: Clear, low near 50.
Tuesday: Sunny, high in the mid-80s.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

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| Yesterday's High | 78 degrees |
| Overnight Low | 42 degrees |
| Sunset today | 8:17 p.m. |
| Sunrise tomorrow | 7:19 a.m. |
| Precipitation: | |
| Last 24 hours | 0.00 inches |
| This month to date | 0.01 inches |
| Year to date | 2.08 inches |

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

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|---|---|---|---|
| 6 p.m. | 77 | 6 a.m. | 49 |
| 7 p.m. | 76 | 7 a.m. | 49 |
| 8 p.m. | 74 | 8 a.m. | 46 |
| 9 p.m. | 68 | 9 a.m. | 43 |
| 10 p.m. | 62 | 10 a.m. | 54 |
| 11 p.m. | 61 | 11 a.m. | 60 |
| midnight | 60 | noon | 64 |
| 1 a.m. | 57 | 1 p.m. | 68 |
| 2 a.m. | 53 | 2 p.m. | 70 |
| 3 a.m. | 52 | 3 p.m. | 74 |
| 4 a.m. | 51 | 4 p.m. | 75 |
| 5 a.m. | 49 | 5 p.m. | 76 |
| | | 6 p.m. | 77 |

## Area forecast

**West Texas:** Clear skies with a warming trend through Tuesday. Lows tonight in the mid-40s mountains and the upper 40s to lower 50s remainder of area. Highs Tuesday in the 80s areawide except lower 90s along the Rio Grande.

## Extended forecast

**West Texas:** Texas Panhandle, Wednesday through Friday fair and cooler. Highs lower 80s Wednesday cooling to lower 70s by Friday. Lows upper 40s Tuesday cooling to near 40 by Friday. South Plains, fair and cooler. Highs lower 80s Wednesday cooling to mid 70s by Friday. Lows lower 50s Wednesday cooling to mid-40s by Friday. Permian Basin, fair and cooler. Highs mid-80s Wednesday cooling to upper 70s by Friday. Lows mid-50s Wednesday cooling to near 50 by Friday. Concho Valley-Pecos Valley, fair and cooler. Highs upper 80s Wednesday cooling to upper 70s by Friday. Lows lower 60s Wednesday cooling to mid-50s by Friday. Far West Texas, fair. Highs around 80. Lows around 50. Big Bend region, fair. Mountains, highs lower 70s to near 80. Lows mostly in the 30s. Lowlands, highs mid-80s to mid-90s. Lows lower 50s to near 60.

## Texas temperatures

| | Hi | Lo | Ppn |
|---|---|---|---|
| Amarillo | 66 | 38 | |
| Austin | 84 | 63 | 1.16 |
| Beaumont-Port Arthur | 75 | 64 | 2.13 |
| Brownsville | 88 | 75 | |
| Bryan-College Station | 79 | 63 | 1.52 |
| Corpus Christi | 86 | 75 | .01 |
| Dallas | 78 | 60 | |
| El Paso | 73 | 45 | |
| Fort Worth | 79 | 59 | |
| Galveston | 76 | 70 | .17 |
| Houston | 75 | 65 | 2.18 |
| Laredo | 89 | 73 | |
| Longview | 76 | 62 | .56 |
| Lubbock | 74 | 40 | |
| Marfa | 67 | 27 | |
| San Angelo | 79 | 51 | |
| San Antonio | 84 | 66 | .94 |
| Victoria | 79 | 68 | .38 |
| Waco | 81 | 62 | .07 |
| Wichita Falls | 78 | 50 | |
| Wink | 79 | 36 | |

## Weather elsewhere

| | Hi | Lo | Prc | Otlk |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Albuquerque | 66 | 28 | | clr |
| Atlanta | 77 | 58 | | cdy |
| Atlantic City | 50 | 42 | .41 | clr |
| Baltimore | 47 | 44 | .21 | cdy |
| Boston | 49 | 37 | | cdy |
| Chicago | 69 | 48 | .42 | clr |
| Cleveland | 57 | 46 | .12 | clr |
| Denver | 54 | 30 | | cdy |
| Detroit | 57 | 43 | .28 | cdy |
| Flagstaff | 59 | 19 | | cdy |
| Indianapolis | 70 | 61 | .08 | clr |
| Kansas City | 57 | 43 | .88 | clr |
| Las Vegas | 61 | 48 | | clr |
| Los Angeles | 72 | 52 | | cdy |
| Louisville | 76 | 62 | .16 | clr |
| Memphis | 68 | 64 | 2.50 | clr |
| Milwaukee | 62 | 41 | 1.00 | cdy |
| Nashville | 74 | 63 | .56 | clr |
| New Orleans | 82 | 73 | | sn |
| New York City | 57 | 40 | .11 | clr |
| Oklahoma City | 67 | 52 | | cdy |
| Orlando | 86 | 67 | .08 | cdy |
| Philadelphia | 57 | 42 | .29 | clr |
| Phoenix | 83 | 55 | | clr |
| Reno | 64 | 32 | | cdy |
| Sacramento | 67 | 48 | | cdy |
| St Louis | 73 | 60 | .70 | clr |
| San Francisco | 60 | 50 | | cdy |
| Seattle | 54 | 46 | .02 | clr |
| Shreveport | 77 | 64 | 2.12 | sn |
| Spokane | 54 | 42 | | cdy |
| Topeka | 58 | 48 | .38 | clr |
| Tulsa | 68 | 56 | | clr |
| Wichita | 62 | 46 | | clr |

# PULLOUT: U.N. force soon to replace Americans

(From 1A)

tions being undertaken by several thousand American troops along the border with Turkey.

In the Kurdish area of northern Iraq, the United States has promised to protect and help care for hundreds of thousands of Kurdish refugees fleeing into Turkey as Iraqi forces reassert control over the rebellious region. Hundreds of thousands of refugees are also seeking to cross the border into Iran.

In Washington, Defense Secretary Dick Cheney said all American troops would leave southern Iraq within the next several days except for the buffer strip along the Kuwaiti-Iraq border.

"We are pulling back the refugees to make certain that they are inside the buffer zone themselves, those who do not want to stay in Iraq," Cheney said on the NBC News program "Meet the Press."

"There's one camp out to the west that's been operated by the Saudis that's just over the border into Iraq," he said. "We will provide protection for that camp until such time as new disposition is made of those refugees as well. But we are not going to leave refugees to the tender mercies of the Iraqis."

American officers in Riyadh were quoted as estimating that there were now at least 40,000 American troops, perhaps more, in southern Iraq, but they could not give a precise figure.

They said 10,000 to 15,000 troops would temporarily remain in the newly established demilitarized zone until the 1,440-member U.N. peacekeeping force is in place. All of the other American troops will pull back to Saudi Arabia for return home as soon as possible, the officers said.

The U.S. command said that American troop strength had dropped to 295,000 in the Persian Gulf from a peak of 540,000 when the war started on Jan. 17. About 5,000 American troops are leaving every day.

The roughly 11,000 Iraqi refugees at a camp here in Safwan will be inside the buffer zone.

In addition to those, others are expected to continue to seek sanctuary from Saddam's forces. Thousands of refugees may also be transferred to the buffer zone from a refugee camp at Rafha, west of here.

U.S. Army troops will provide food and protection for the refugees until the lightly armed U.N. observers and troops take their place in the border area.

No official timetable has been announced for the deployment of the U.N. force. But Army officials said they expected the U.N. force to take up positions within the next week or two.

The commander of the U.N. force, Lt. Gen. Gunther Greindl of Austria, held talks on Sunday in Kuwait with the emir, Sheik Jaber Ahmed Sabah, and was due to go on to Baghdad, Reuters reported.

He was then expected to assess his mission before setting up headquarters in Umm Qasr.

Refugees here fear that the United Nations will not be able to protect them from retaliation by Saddam's agents and troops. They have been holding daily demonstrations along the roadside here begging the American troops not to leave.

# STUDY: Finding contradicts original conclusion

(From 1A)

and Gynecologists said it was taking the new report seriously "because it appears to be good solid work and it apeared in a very good journal," said Dr. Harold Kaminetzky, an official of the group in Washington.

A committee will begin evaluating the report this week. "If the argument made is true, it will have profound significance on the use of IUDs in general," said Kaminetzky, whose group publishes Obstetrics and Gynecology, the journal in which reports of the original study appeared.

The latest report, using the raw data from the original study of more than a decade ago, was supervised by a researcher who had been a consultant to the Dalkon Shield's manufacturer, A.H. Robins Co. of Richmond, Va.

The researcher said in an interview that he waited all these years to respond to the original study because he was concerned he would be seen as biased in favor of A.H. Robins, as though "they had hired me to write this paper," and thus his statements "would not get a fair reading from scientists." He also said he was reluctant to publish while lawsuits concerning the shield were still going on.

In response to the newest study, the authors of the original research, known as the Women's Health Study, defended their work as valid.

The Women's Health Study, published in 1981, played a central role in the litigation that led A.H. Robins to seek protection under federal bankruptcy laws. The Women's Health Study was also cited in litigation against manufacturers of other intrauterine devices, leading them to withdraw most such devices from the American market and to reduce research in contraception.

A $2.5 billion trust fund, meant to compensate more than 100,000 women who have sought damages for health problems they attributed to use of the Dalkon Shield, was created when A.H. Robins was acquired by its present parent, American Home Products Corp. of New York. The new study could have some effect on the nearly 100,000 claims still being made on the trust fund, lawyers said.

Claimants who can prove causal injury are offered a non-negotiable settlement, but can reject it and seek a jury trial or arbitration. In such a proceeding, any new medical evidence, such as the latest study, could be cited, said Douglas E. Bragg, a Denver lawyer who represents women with claims against the Dalkon Shield.

Many experts have faulted the Dalkon Shield for its design, which differed from other IUDs in having a tailstring that could draw bacteria from the vagina into the uterus.

Based on a re-analysis of the original data, the authors of the new report concluded the Women's Health Study "showed an almost complete disregard for epidemiologic principles in its design, conduct, analysis and interpretation of results."

Two authors of the new report were Dr. Richard A. Kronmal and Dr. Coralyn W. Whitney, both members of the University of Washington's Department of Biostatistics, which other medical experts rate one of the best such departments in the country. The third author was Dr. Stephen D. Mumford of the Center for Research on Population and Security in Research Triangle Park in North Carolina.

Kronmal and Mumford emphasized in the report that they had been expert witnesses for A.H. Robins in court proceedings. Kronmal said he hired Dr. Whitney, who was a graduate student at the time the analysis was made in 1983.

Dr. Thomas J. Petrick, an official of Family Health International, a non-profit research organization in family planning in Durham, N.C., said he would "suggest that a third, disinterested party look at the same data."

When the Dalkon Shield was first marketed in 1971, there was no requirement that such devices be approved by the Food and Drug Administration, and critics have faulted the original studies evaluating the effectiveness of the Dalkon Shield. One criticism was that some patients in the trial used vaginal spermicide contraception along with the Dalkon Shield.

In 1974, the FDA asked A.H. Robins to remove the Dalkon Shield from the market because of reports of life-threatening septic abortions and other pelvic infections in some women.

Later that year, the FDA said A.H. Robins could resume sales under a system in which the company would have kept a registry of the names of patients, but the company declined to do so.

# WELLS: Waste problem may be prelude to crisis

(From 1A)

improperly capped, according to state regulatory officials.

They say Houston is home to about 14,000 oil and gas wells. Water quality experts fear abandoned wells there could pollute Lake Houston, the northeastern Harris County reservoir that serves as the city's source of drinking water. San Angelo officials have briefed Houston's health department on the problem.

"We could be sitting on a time bomb and not even know it," said Marilyn Byrd, chief of the department's bureau of occupational health, radiation and noise control.

"Within the next 30 to 40 years, it could get to a level where the water could be undrinkable," she told the Houston Chronicle. "The potential is there."

The Texas Railroad Commission, which oversees the state's well-plugging program, says more than 1,100 wells need immediate attention. They say fixing these highest-priority, polluting wells would cost about $4.9 million, seven times the amount of money in the plugging fund.

The state has $700,000 to fix problem wells abandoned by their operators. That's enough money to cover about 140 wells, but officials say the drill sites are continuing to age and deteriorate.

The state agency has pinpointed an additional 6,000 wells that need to be repaired soon — a project that would cost $33.7 million.

An estimated 1.5 million wells have been drilled in Texas since oil field activity began near Corsicana in the 1890s.

# PLANES: Busy travelers fly through hectic schedules

(From 1A)

man Munson and John G. Tower, to name just a few. The song "American Pie" memorializes the crash in February 1959 that killed Buddy Holly, Ritchie Valens and J.P. (The Big Bopper) Richardson.

Because they are busy and prosperous, prominent people often fly in planes not operated by major airlines. By doing so, accident statistics show, they increase their chances of crashing.

Sen. John Heinz and the band that played behind the country singer Reba McEntire are recent examples of busy travelers flying through hectic schedules who may not have fully understood the risks and who died in crashes.

On March 16, when eight members of the McEntre entourage were killed taking off from San Diego, they were on a plane owned not by the charter company they had paid to rush them to their next engagement, but rather by an airplane sales company.

The Federal Aviation Administration is investigating whether it was a violation of its rules for an air charter company to use a plane being flown as a sales demonstration in fulfilling a commercial contract to carry passengers.

When Heinz, a trained recreational pilot, booked the services of Lycoming Air Services to fly him around Pennsylvania during the April congressional recess, his staff, following Senate custom, requested a two-engine plane with two pilots on board, federal aviation investigators said.

As it turned out, the captain of the Piper Aerostar had flown just nine hours as pilot in command of that kind of airplane, and never before with a co-pilot, the investigators said. He had flown only 34 hours, and his co-pilot just 26 hours, in the past three months. While nothing in this violated regulations, aviation experts say the pairing of two pilots with little recent experience is worrisome.

When problems with the landing gear developed, the crew tried a difficult maneuver, allowing a helicopter to fly nearby to inspect their plane. The two craft collided, killing all five people on board and two children on the ground.

Incidents like these are a reminder that even though federal regulations have grown stricter and aviation has grown safer, crashes continue to plague the industry, especially outside the major airlines.

The risks of such accidents stem from many causes: older and smaller planes, less experienced pilots, fewer federal inspections and pressures brought by demanding customers who want to fly even when the weather is bad.

Despite the risks, many people still take a haphazard approach to selecting how to fly — not quite as random as hailing the next cab on the street, but often without much more research than a glance at the yellow pages.

Federal officials said the risks could be lowered if travelers took steps to check the credentials, experience and proficiency of those providing the transportation.

This could be done by buying the plane and hiring the pilots, a step taken by sports teams and big corporations. Or an agent could examine the credentials of the company or individual providing air transportation. Or the client might simply call the nearest office of the Federal Aviation Administration, which keeps records on every plane, every pilot and every aviation company in the country.

Michael Harrington, a senior official in the flight standards branch of the FAA, said the agency welcomed inquiries from people wondering if the company or individual providing air service to them was qualified.

"Folks should remember that the FAA is here," he said. "If there is some question, or you think there is a gimmick involved, call the FAA We are happy to respond. We haven't done a very good job of advertising that."

# TAXES: Most people must file by midnight

(From 1A)

today. In addition to selling stamps and envelopes, the Postal Service says, "to ease the pain of filing taxes, both Excedrin and Maalox will be in front of the building giving out free samples."

Five million or more couples and individuals are expected to escape the filing-deadline rush by getting an automatic four-month extension simply by mailing a Form 4868 before midnight. That form won't get you more time to pay whatever is owed; a check for the outstanding balance must accompany the form.

A two-month extension is available without asking for those whose home and main place of business are outside the United States and Puerto Rico.

Military personnel who served in the Persian Gulf area at any time since Aug. 2 have at least 180 days after today to file. Most have automatic extensions of up to 285 days and no penalty or interest will be charged on payments that otherwise would have been due today.

Those military taxpayers who are due refunds will begin earning interest today, even if they use the extension to delay filing for several months.

Those special breaks also are available to Red Cross workers, accredited journalists and other personnel who were in the Persian Gulf in what the law considers to be a role supporting the military.

The IRS estimates that once all the extensions have expired, a record 113 million couples and individuals will have filed returns for 1990.

In the most recent report on the filing season, the IRS reported it had received nearly 67 million returns through April 5 and had processed 86 percent of them.

Of those processed, 79.7 percent had qualified for tax refunds, averaging $902.

From the IRS perspective, one of the biggest success stories of the year has been that more than 7 million electronic returns have been filed. Those returns, sent directly into an IRS computer by authorized operators, result in fewer errors, considerably lower processing costs and much faster refunds.

The IRS offered these suggestions for last-minute filers:

- Check and recheck your math. You may round off to the nearer dollar.
- Be sure the return is signed; if it's a joint return both spouses must sign.
- If you don't itemize, be sure you claim the proper standard deduction for your age and filing status.
- Attach your W-2 forms and any supplementary forms or schedules.
- Use the gummed address label from your tax package. It reduces chances of a processing error and has no effect on whether your return is selected for an audit.
- Use the correct postage or the Postal Service will bounce the return back to you.

# ATTACK: No charges filed

(From 1A)

man, in addition to the Lara brothers, was involved in the attack. Police denied reports that a third man was involved.

An ambulance transported Perez to the hospital. The Lara brothers drove themselves there before the police arrived, officers at the scene said.

Police continued to investigate the incident Sunday evening. A motive for the attack has not been determined.

No charges had been filed Sunday evening.

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## The World

### ■ Georgians create powerful presidency

TBILISI, U.S.S.R. — In a bold step to assert its independence, the parliament of Soviet Georgia created a powerful new presidency on Sunday and elected its current leader to the post.

Zviad Gamsakhurdia, an anti-Communist leader and former political prisoner, was given the power to institute martial law and presidential rule, to revoke or grant citizenship and to declare war.

Sunday's action followed Georgia's declaration of independence from the Soviet Union on Tuesday. Gamsakhurdia said strengthening the leadership post showed the southern republic has "decided to accelerate the process" of creating an independent state.

The republic, in modifying its constitution to create the powerful presidency, has gone further than any of the other Soviet republics in moving toward independence.

### ■ Only 22 Iraqi planes remain, Iran says

NICOSIA, Cyprus — Iran's foreign minister on Sunday said 22 Iraqi warplanes remained on its territory from the Persian Gulf War, disputing Iraqi claims that more than six times that many aircraft were in Iran.

During the war, more than 100 Iraqi planes were flown to neighboring Iran, U.S. officials said. Some analysts believed they were flown across the border to escape U.S. bombing, while others believed the pilots had defected.

The official Islamic Republic News Agency, monitored in Nicosia, quoted Foreign Minister Ali Akbar Velayati as saying 22 planes were in Iran. Iraq's official news agency reported Saturday the number of planes in Iran was 148.

### ■ Carter, in China, calls for amnesty

BEIJING — Speaking to a small gathering of Chinese university students, former President Jimmy Carter warned on Sunday that China and the United States are facing a serious communications gap and called for amnesty for all non-violent Chinese dissidents.

"High-level visits between our two countries have almost ceased" in the aftermath of China's June 1989 crackdown on dissent, he told his audience of several hundred students and professors at the Foreign Affairs College, a training ground for diplomats. "A free and easy dialogue has become almost impossible. This situation is not in the best interests of either country."

In his speech, Carter warned China to expect its human rights policies to be "scrutinized" and "analyzed" by other countries, as a consequence of China's participation in various United Nation's human rights declarations.

### ■ Gorbachev heads for Tokyo to seek aid

TOKYO — Japan and the Soviet Union, seeking to overcome decades of mistrust, are expected to establish greater trade, technology, and cultural ties as the centerpiece to a visit this week by President Mikhail S. Gorbachev, officials of both countries say.

But the officials said they doubted that Japan would extend aid approaching the billions of dollars speculated upon in recent weeks, even if there is a breakthrough of some kind on the territorial dispute that has long blocked an improvement in relations.

"Economic cooperation is not something we give priority to at the moment," said Taizo Watanabe, the Foreign Ministry spokesman.

### ■ Guerrillas to remain in Nicaragua

MANAGUA, Nicaragua — Over United States objections, Salvadoran guerrillas have been permitted to remain in Nicaragua since President Violeta Barrios de Chamorro took office a year ago, and her chief minister says the policy has paid off by helping to move El Salvador toward peace.

Antonio Lacayo, the minister of the presidency, said the government's tolerance of the Salvadoran guerrilla leaders' presence had enabled him to negotiate the return in February of 17 surface-to-air missiles that had shown up in guerrilla hands in El Salvador late last year.

"We said if the missiles are not returned — right now — to the warehouses of the Sandinista Popular Army, we are going to change our conduct toward you," he said in an interview on Thursday.

*Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.*

# Tanker explodes, sinks off Riviera

## Experts work to avert ecological disaster in Mediterranean

GENOA, Italy (AP) — Rocked by one last explosion, a fire-ravaged tanker holding millions of gallons of oil sank Sunday off the Italian Riviera, and experts worked to avert an ecological catastrophe in the Mediterranean.

The Cypriot-registered tanker Haven appeared to have remained intact on the sandy sea bottom 1½ miles off the shore and it was believed most of the vessel's crude remained inside, officials said.

The tanker held nearly 42 million gallons of Iranian crude when it first caught fire Thursday. A Genoa port authority official, giving "an extremely rough" estimate, said 15 million gallons of oil may have burned. The official spoke on condition of anonymity.

A few hours after the tanker sank some oil came to the surface, but officials believed it was released as the tanker settled on the bottom, said an Environmental Ministry marine ecology expert, Eugenio Fresi. It was not immediately determined how much oil leaked.

Patches of oil have washed ashore on several stretches of beach along a 20-mile swath of the resort coast west of Genoa, and currents moved other slicks that one official described as "leopard spots" on the sea.

The tar reached shore within 40 miles of the French border Sunday, and could reach the principality of Monaco by Monday, according to Greenpeace, the international environmental organization. Monaco is about 90 miles southwest of Genoa.

Video pictures taken by underwater robots showed the tanker settled flat against the bottom.

At least six sailors were killed when the Haven exploded Thursday. Twenty-nine crew members were hospitalized with burns and smoke inhalation, 11 of them in critical condition.

Officials have theorized that sparks from cleaning equipment may have ignited gas pockets in the tanker Thursday.

Three more explosions rocked the tanker Saturday, and the final blast came on Sunday morning — 4½ hours before the Haven went under.

A joint statement issued by the ministers of civil defense and environment said the damage was "containable."

"Now we have to cross our fingers and hope that the crude still inside the tanker does not come out," they said.



AP Laserphoto

**Smoke billows from the sinking tanker, carrying with it nearly 41 million gallons of crude oil to the bottom of the Ligurian coast near Genoa, Italy, Saturday.**

# Thieves steal 20 van Goghs, then abandon them

AMSTERDAM, Netherlands (AP) — Two armed robbers stole 20 paintings by Vincent van Gogh on Sunday in the Netherlands' priciest art theft but abandoned the works less than an hour later outside a railway station, police said.

The haul from the Vincent van Gogh National Museum, which included the final version of his masterpiece "The Potato Eaters," was worth "hundreds of millions" of dollars, police spokesman Klaas Wilting said.

"Still Life With Sunflowers" and "Still Life With Irises" were among the other paintings. They are both part of separate series the Dutch painter did on flowers before his suicide in 1890, and other paintings in those series have broken art auction records.

Police said they did not know why the robbers left the works less than an hour after fleeing. Police found the paintings in two garment bags in the getaway car, parked at the Amstel railway station about 1½ miles away. There were no arrests.

"If you look at the way it was done, you would presume it was well planned, but if you look at the outcome, it looks like pure amateurish," said a police spokesman, Foeke Wagenaar.

Three of the paintings were seriously ripped, said Ronald van Leeuwen, director of the museum, which claims to have the largest and most varied collection of the 19th century impressionist's work.

One of the damaged works was the vivid, haunting "Wheatfield With Crows," which van Gogh painted in the French town of Auvers-sur-Oise about a month before his suicide.

The holdup began at 3 a.m., when one of two night guards heard a noise and was confronted by a pistol-wielding man wearing a ski mask, police said.

Police assume the gunman hid in the museum after it closed Saturday.

The robber ordered the guard to turn off the museum's infrared alarm system and then open the front entrance to admit a second man, the police said. One of the guards was locked in a room, and the other was held at gunpoint, police told a news conference.

The robbers spent two hours packing the paintings in the garment bags and then fled.

Wagenaar said the gunmen spoke English and sounded like they were American.

Van Leeuwen said the three ripped paintings were probably damaged when they were stacked and stuffed into the bags used by the the bandits.

The damaged works were: "Still Life with Bible," painted in 1885; "Still Life With Lemons, Pears and Grapes," painted in 1887; and "Wheatfield."

The museum director said the other 17 paintings not seriously damaged, but some had canvas tears.

"The Potato Eaters," van Gogh's poignant 1885 depiction of 19th century rural poverty in the Netherlands, was one of the museum's most valuable holdings.

The robbery was the latest in a series of thefts at the nation's extensive network of museums.

The government-operated museum does not insure its art holdings because of the priceless value of the Dutch art heritage, which includes tens of thousands of works.

## Scientist: Chernobyl worse than admitted

LONDON (AP) — The most senior scientist at the Chernobyl nuclear power station says the disaster claimed up to 10,000 lives, thousands more than Soviet authorities have admitted, a newspaper reported on Sunday.

The Independent on Sunday newspaper quoted Vladimir Chernousenko as saying the fatalities included miners and military men who died from exposure to radiation during cleanup after the accident.

He is the scientific director in charge of the 18-mile exclusion zone surrounding the power station and said he himself been given between two and four years to live because of his exposure to radiation. He said that, in part, prompted him to come forward.


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## Can You Pass An Opera Quiz?

1. An opera is
   (a) a country western show originating in Nashville
   (b) an abbreviation for a surgical treatment
   (c) a play set to music

2. An aria is
   (a) a fresh breeze
   (b) an elaborate hair ornament
   (c) an accompanied melody sung by a solo voice in an opera

3. A name that is synonymous with Italian Opera is
   (a) Mussolini
   (b) Corleone
   (c) Pavarotti

4. When an Opera singer sings a passage in a declamatory and rhythmically free style he
   (a) has forgotten his aria
   (b) is warming up his voice
   (c) is singing a recitative

5. A sextet is
   (a) a bawdy song
   (b) a hockey team
   (c) a musical composition for six voices

6. Mozart Composed
   (a) Italian Opera
   (b) German Opera
   (c) the sound track for Amodeus

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## The Nation

### ■ Rail freight unions threaten strike

Leaders of eight railroad unions with more than 150,000 members who have worked without a contract for three years have threatened to cripple the nation's freight lines with a strike. But the Bush administration is trying to head off the strike, which it says would severely jolt an already weak economy.

Railroad executives want Congress to halt a walkout within hours of a strike, which unions said would begin against one or more rail lines at 12:01 a.m. Wednesday. The administration is also urging swift action by Congress to settle the dispute.

Transportation Secretary Samuel K. Skinner said lawmakers should order the railroads and the unions to adopt staffing, wage and benefit terms recommended in January by a presidential panel. Leaders of three other rail unions with about 70,000 members agreed to similar terms in the last few days. The administration estimated that a two-week rail strike would cause 500,000 layoffs in industries relying on rail service.

### ■ Drug chief puts emphasis on treatment

WASHINGTON — When Bob Martinez, the new chief of national drug policy, was governor of Florida, he developed a reputation as a leader whose solution to the drug problem was to build more prisons and execute the worst offenders.

But in two weeks as director of the Office of National Drug Policy, he has been talking mainly about the softer aspects of the problem — treatment of addicts and the prevention of drug abuse through education.

In an interview last week in his office near the White House, Martinez said he had "a tremendous amount of interest in education and prevention" and wanted to "open up a very good dialogue with the treatment providers so that we can work together."

Martinez said that in his meetings with Bush about the drug post there had been no discussion about changing emphasis in the national policy or presenting a different image. "It wasn't a question of priorities," he said. "It was of winning."

### ■ Thieves make off with $2 million in gems

NEW YORK — Thieves broke into a Manhattan jewelry manufacturing company on Sunday and stole about $2 million worth of jewelry, the police said.

The burglars used a ceiling vent to gain access to the rear door of a walk-in safe in the sixth-floor offices of Bergman & Co. on 29th Street, said a police spokesman, Detective Joseph Gallagher. The address is that of the Fur Center Building.

Some sledgehammers that may have been used to break into the safe or gain entry to the building were recovered at the scene, and the company's telephone lines were cut, Gallagher said.

### ■ Yale club admits women; alumni bar door

NEW HAVEN, Conn. — The Skull and Bones club, one of the last all-male enclaves at Yale University, has voted to accept women, setting off a battle with angry alumni.

The 15 seniors in the secret society voted unanimously on Friday to admit women to the 150-year-old club, after deciding that the Skull and Bones alumni board had failed to provide leadership on the issue.

As a result, over the weekend, irate board members changed the locks on the Skull and Bones meeting hall, denying access to the student members and setting the stage for a showdown, members of this year's group said.

In a statement on Sunday, the current members called the board's lockout "both illegal and immoral" and promised to take action. An alumni board member reached by telephone declined to comment.

### ■ Sen. Byrd surpasses $1 billion goal

WASHINGTON — Last June, Sen. Robert Byrd of West Virginia slapped a price tag on the federal projects he hoped to cart back to his recession-racked home state by 1995: $1 billion.

"I'm trying to get the money as fast as the state can keep up with it," the chairman of the Senate Appropriations Committee promised at a dedication ceremony at Beckley, W.Va.

Four years ahead of schedule, the 73-year-old Democrat has surpassed his goal. Lists compiled by his office, plus a sampling of recent bills show he has funneled more than $1.06 billion in federal spending to West Virginia since 1989, when he abandoned his post of Senate majority leader and took the powerful helm of the Appropriations Committee.

Byrd's ability to obtain projects has even spawned a joke: "Did you hear that Washington's been given one of two new expansion baseball teams?"

"Yeah, and Sen. Byrd's just had the franchise transferred to West Virginia."

*Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.*

# Bush backs school reform package

WASHINGTON (AP) — After barely a month on the job, Secretary of Education Lamar Alexander has gotten President Bush's backing for a far-reaching package of reforms that include national student tests and experiments with radically new ways of running schools.

Bush, who pledged during his 1988 campaign to be the "education president," will unveil the school reform package at the White House on Thursday after a luncheon with governors, an administration official said Sunday.

The fast-track initiative will embrace some of the same education themes that Bush and former President Reagan have sounded before: expanding parental choice in education and improving literacy and job training programs for dropouts, displaced workers and other adults.

But it will also put Bush's stamp — and Alexander's — on some radically new ideas, including pressing ahead to develop a type of national student testing program, as a presidential advisory panel recently recommended.

Alexander is a former governor of Tennessee who was president of the University of Tennessee when Bush nominated him Dec. 17 to succeed Lauro F. Cavazos.

He won Bush's backing for his reform ideas within days of his March 18 swearing-in, said chief Education Department spokeswoman Etta Fielek.

The reform package is still evolving, Ms. Fielek said.

The package is intended as a blueprint to help implement the ambitious but broad education goals that Bush and the nation's governors set after an education summit in Charlottesville, Va., in September 1989.

Those goals include ridding schools of drugs and violence, drastically reducing the dropout rate and making American pupils the best in the world in math and science by 2000.

"There are four broad themes: better schools for the kids in school now; new schools for the students of the future; back to school for the adults; and then 'the other 91 percent,'" said Ms. Fielek.

"The other 91 percent" is a phrase coined by Chester A. Finn Jr., a Vanderbilt University professor and former Education Department research chief. It refers to the fact that youths spend only 9 percent of their lives in the classroom by the time they graduate from high school.

# Base-closing plan has both parties howling

WASHINGTON (NYT) — Sen. Arlen Specter talked to Defense Secretary Dick Cheney about military base closings on Friday and again on Saturday.

And he has an appointment with President Bush's chief of staff, John H. Sununu, to talk about it some more this week.

Specter, a Pennsylvania Republican who is working to keep the Philadelphia Naval Station and the Philadelphia Naval Shipyard open, is one of a number of Republican lawmakers normally loyal to Bush who feel they must now fight the administration.

"It looks like the Department of Defense is declaring war on Pennsylvania," Specter said at a news conference on Friday after learning that his state stands to lose nearly 13,000 military and civilian jobs at the two Philadelphia sites and two other installations.

On Friday, Cheney formally announced his recommendation to close 31 major military installations and 12 minor ones as well as scale back 28 others by 1997.

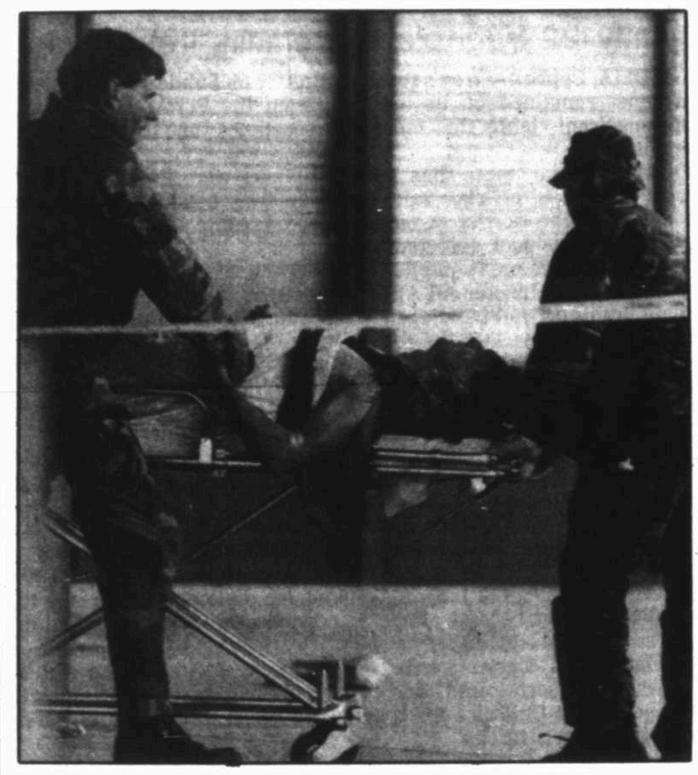
Unlike last year's base-closing plan, which was rejected out of hand largely because of stiff Democratic opposition, Cheney's new proposal has stirred up Republicans and Democrats alike.

Specter is not alone among concerned Republicans. Sen. Richard G. Lugar traveled home to Indiana to visit Grissom Air Force Base, which is scheduled to close with the loss of 3,200 military and civilian workers.

And Sen. Connie Mack, R-Fla., cited the American success in the Persian Gulf war and has vowed to fight "to maintain Florida's fair share of defense jobs." Florida will lose the Naval Training Center in Orlando at a loss of 17,000 military and civilian jobs.

Such strong opposition to the proposal from Republicans, combined with the scorn of Democrats like Sens. Edward M. Kennedy of Massachusetts and John B. Breaux of Louisiana, has put Cheney's plan in a vulnerable position as it goes to the commission for consideration Monday.

The House Armed Services Committee determined that this year 60 percent of the large bases recommended for closing are in Democratic districts and 37 percent were in Republican districts. Democrats hold 267 of the 435 seats in the House.



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*Wounded officer*

**A Portland, Ore., police officer is carried from a department store Saturday after being shot by a gunman as he and other officers tried to rescue two women hostages. The gunman was shot and killed by police.**

# Police face difficulties in Kennedy rape case

PALM BEACH, Fla. (NYT) — Two weeks after a woman said she was raped at the Kennedy estate here by William Kennedy Smith, the police have not charged him because they are having difficulty resolving a number of questions about what actually happened, investigators say.

There are reports that the 29-year-old accuser has offered somewhat different versions of the events at the estate in three interviews with the police, the investigators say. In addition, there are some discrepancies in the accounts provided by two friends of the woman who say they picked her up at the Kennedys' oceanside estate at 4:30 a.m. on March 30.

Amid questions raised about the absence of an arrest, legal experts here said the two-week lag between a rape accusation and the filing of charges is not unusual.

"When you have a situation where essentially no one witnessed it, you have to take your time," said Wendell M. Graham, a defense lawyer in Miami.

"It has nothing to do with the Kennedys being involved," Graham said in an interview on Sunday. "Two weeks is simply no time at all." Generally, he said, the interim is up to three weeks, though in a complicated case it could be a few months.

Among the questions being asked by the police and by Kennedy family investigators is who took an antique vase and a photograph of the Kennedys from the house that night.

Anne Mercer, a 32-year-old friend of the accuser, has said that after the woman called her from the Kennedy mansion saying that she had been raped and asking to be picked up Miss Mercer found the woman standing outside holding a vase and a photo. The accuser took the objects, Miss Mercer said, because "she wanted to prove she had been there."

But the first two official reports written after the accusation was made and based on interviews with the woman that afternoon, made no mention of the vase or the photograph. The reports, by the Palm Beach Police Department and the Palm Beach County Sheriff's office, were made public on Friday.

If the accuser took the objects to prove she had been at the Kennedy estate, why would she not mention them to the police?

Members of the extensive team of lawyers and private detectives hired by the Kennedys said they believe the vase holds an important clue to what happened. They said it may not have been the accuser who took it, but rather Miss Mercer's boyfriend, Chuck Desiderio, who drove with Miss Mercer to the Kennedy estate.

In 1979 Desiderio, who is 33, was charged with larceny in the theft of auto parts. Court records show that the case was eventually dismissed.

Desiderio works at Renato's, an elegant restaurant on Worth Avenue owned by his father. Last week the elder Desiderio became incensed when at least two of the three private detectives working for the Kennedys went to the restaurant to talk to his son.

Accounts of the confrontation differ.

Joe Mincberg, a criminal lawyer who is working for Miss Mercer, has said the investigators threatened Desiderio. If true, this would amount to tampering with a witness, a crime.


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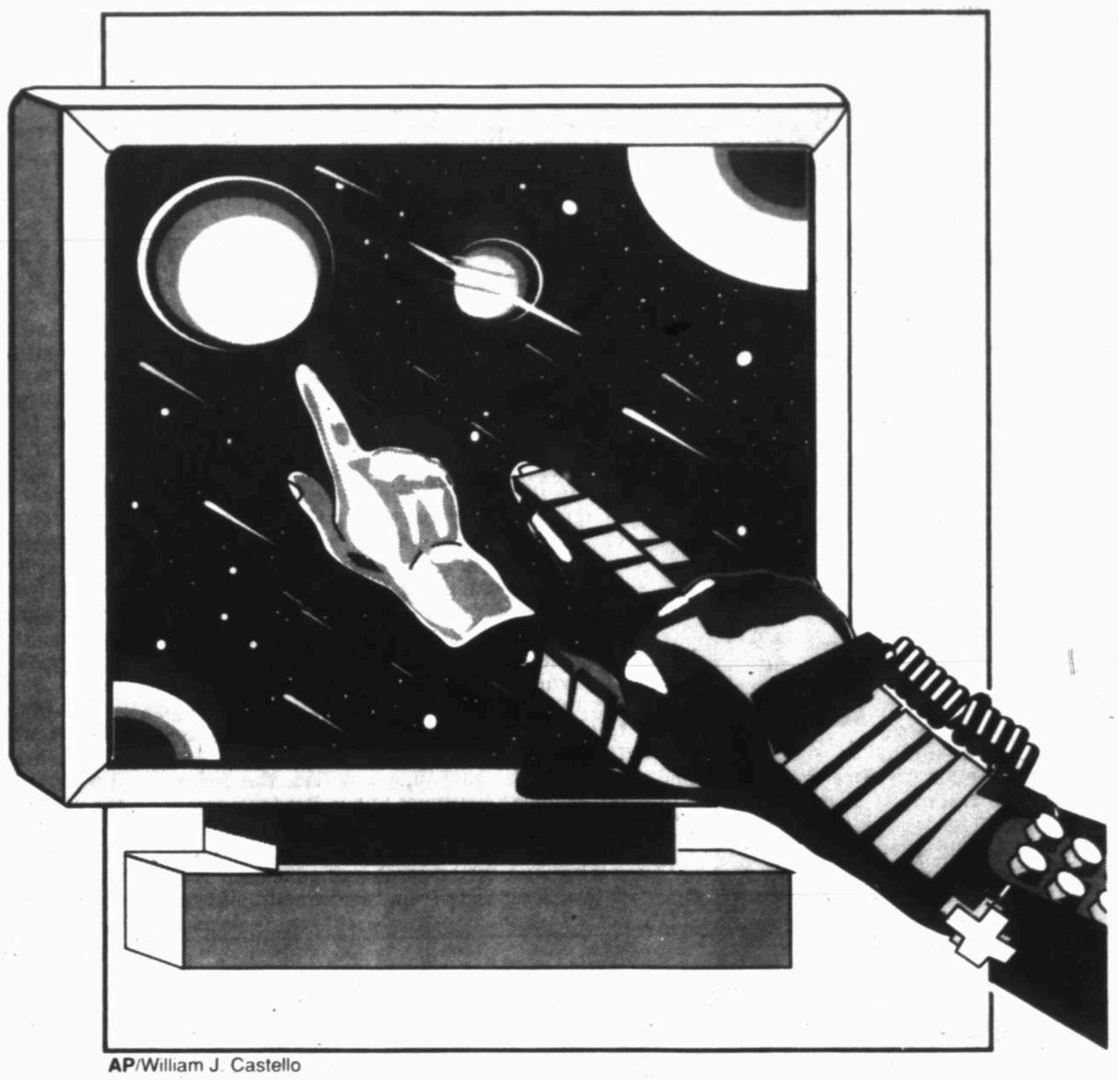
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# Scientists study link between computers, senses

**EDITOR'S NOTE: The concept of virtual reality, an imaginary world created by computer, is still in its infancy. But in a dark basement lab at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, some of the pieces are starting to come together. There scientists are studying the link between computers and human sight, sound and touch.**

**By Eve Epstein**



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CAMBRIDGE, Mass. (AP) — Call it the ultimate escape, a machine that would allow people to travel to another world without leaving home.

A science-fiction fantasy? Maybe. But scientists at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and computer companies around the country are perfecting components of such a machine in a realm of computer study they call "virtual reality."

The concept is to create an imaginary world that looks, sounds and feels real.

Some see possible practical applications. Architects, for example, could use the computer-generated sights and sounds to "build" a house so they could walk up stairs, see out windows and get a feel for their design before a single brick is laid.

Scientists say they have just begun to explore the link between computers and human sight, sound and touch, and have a long way to go before virtual reality can take users to a totally convincing computer-generated world. But the rudimentary pieces of the process are starting to come together.

**DAVID ZELTZER**, a professor at MIT's Media Lab, envisions it as a tool in tasks ranging from medical training to repairing spaceships.

Some speculate about the day when people from different continents can communicate and even "meet" for an hour or two in an imaginary world of their own creation, just by picking up the telephone and hooking into the same programs.

The concept of virtual reality has stirred interest in disparate circles, from military strategists to LSD guru Timothy Leary.

"It's going to break down barriers," Leary said in a telephone interview from California. "I can play tennis with someone in Moscow."

At MIT, work on virtual reality goes on in the Media Lab "snake pit," the nickname for a dark basement computer center that looks like a cross between a playroom and a graphic-design shop.

In one corner, students work with a black glove hooked to tiny fiber-optic cables. The glove has a twin image on the computer screen — a gray stick-figure hand — that allows the wearer to pick up, throw, and bounce geometric shapes around on the screen.

But, as Zeltzer explains, it is difficult to grasp the ball because human beings can't feel the screen object. The wearer of the black glove can see the screen image of a hand, but has no other sensory information to use as a guide.

**THAT'S WHY** Zeltzer and his colleagues are working on a "joystick" in another corner of the room. The stick, a metal rod hooked to a series of motors, gives people the "feel" of computer images.

The joystick guides a cursor, the arrow or small rectangle that points out where the user is on the screen. As the cursor hits the image of a teapot, the person holding the joystick suddenly feels resistance — the computer is pushing back. It's as if the cursor had hit a real, solid object instead of a picture on a screen.

Another image of geometric shapes bouncing like yo-yos on a string produces an elastic feeling in the joystick.

"Achieving full, convincing virtual reality is not one of our objectives," Zeltzer says. "The goal is to expand the interface so that dealing with computers is as natural as dealing with other people."

Virtual reality would open new ways for students to learn about medicine, for example. "We'd like to offer surgeons the option of training on a simulated patient," Zeltzer says.

Zeltzer isn't just talking about giving surgeons the chance to see a two-dimensional patient on a screen. He wants to design machines that would allow surgeons to feel as if they are cutting into skin — a computer cadaver of sorts. And if a skilled surgeon needed to teach doctors 3,000 miles away how to perform a procedure, he could do so with a telephone hookup, giving them a feel for the operation as well.

**WHILE ZELTZER** talks about practical applications, Jaron Lanier, a 29-year-old whiz kid and chief executive of a California firm that makes unusual high-tech clothing, talks excitedly about transporting people to other times and places.

"It's like entering a new planet," Lanier said in a telephone interview from his office at VPL Research Inc. in Redwood City, Calif. "We're just in the very earliest stages of it."

Lanier has designed eye goggles, or "eyephones," that create a three-dimensional computer image close to the eye. "It's constantly moving the world around as you move. It creates the illusion that you're moving," he says.

Lanier's products are not cheap. A pair of eyephones costs $10,600, gloves run to $8,800, and a full outfit, complete with body suit, costs $225,000. Lanier predicts the prices will come down.

Lou Ellyn Jones, whose husband works for VPL, has tried out some of the equipment. She described the experience as a little like going through Alice in Wonderland's looking glass.

"When I've worn the eyephones, I'm disoriented. It is like another world," she says.

**WEARING THE** eyephones and a glove, Jones has stepped into a virtual reality nursery — one of the rooms Lanier has programmed. The room comes complete with toys, other objects, walls and a floor and ceiling.

Once in the room, the laws of physics no longer apply. "It's like you're learning to walk again," Jones says.

Or learning to fly — through walls — with the flip of a hand. "Flying through the walls was the most disorienting to me," Jones says.

Disorienting indeed, especially since the wall looked convincing enough that Jones' instincts told her she should stop first.

# Brady lives with pain every day

**By Dan Freedman**
Hearst News Service

WASHINGTON — For James S. Brady, the bad news is that a ride on his horse Bernie sends pain surging through his partially paralyzed body.

But the good news is that the man who nearly died 10 years ago from a bullet intended for his boss, President Reagan, is riding a horse at all.

Occasional romps with Bernie are a measure of how far Brady has come since doctors sliced open the front of his skull to remove bullet fragments from a gun fired by John W. Hinckley Jr.

In a interview last week, Brady said pain has afflicted one part of his body or another almost every day since he was shot in March 1981.

But pain has not dampened his fondness for one-liner zingers nor his attempts to avoid bitterness and depression.

"Bitterness is essentially a negative exercise, as is self pity and all the metaphysical questions like, 'Why me, God?' " said Brady, his right eye slightly droopy and his lip slightly curled as a result of the paralysis. "Everyone passes through that phase. It's a waste of time."

**BRADY'S STRATEGY** is to "move on with life." He quotes one of his favorite humorists, Will Rogers, who said: "Even if you're on the right track, you'll get run over if you're standing still."

For Brady, who is 50, moving forward now includes joining his wife Sarah in a crusade for gun control. Through Handgun Control Inc. the Bradys have made about 300 speeches in the last two years in all parts of the country, trying their best to put a lid on the 60 million to 70 million handguns now in the United States.

Since a modest handgun control measure was informally named the "Brady Bill" two years ago, the issue has commanded the nation's attention.

Rep. Edward F. Feighan, D-Ohio, the bill's chief sponsor, recently quoted a Gallup Poll showing that "95 percent of the American people, including Ronald Reagan, support it."

The Bradys and their allies crossed a major hurdle last Wednesday when a House Judiciary subcommittee approved the bill, which would require a national seven-day waiting period to allow police to check the backgrounds of handgun buyers.

The bill got a boost from Reagan, who endorsed the bill in a ceremony marking the anniversary of the assassination attempt. It was a gratifying moment for Jim Brady. "I have known where his heart has been for some time," he said.

**BRADY ACKNOWLEDGES** that his own Republican ties prevented him from adopting a pro-gun-control position sooner. Reagan and President Bush both are lifetime members of the formidable National Rifle Association, which is leading the fight against gun control. The Republican Party has relied on gun owners' support as an ingredient of its political success in the past decade.

Because of his respect for the Reagan administration's position on the issue, Brady said he "never asked" Reagan to support handgun control.

But even before Reagan's public endorsement, Brady said, the former president "had told 'The Raccoon' to quote him."

"The Raccoon," in Bradyspeak, is his wife Sarah, the backbone of the Brady lobbying team. Brady refers to himself as "The Bear," referring to teddy bear silhouette, and many of his friends use that nickname, too.

The Bradys and their allies face powerful adversaries, including the NRA, in what is shaping up to be one of this year's major legislative battles on Capitol Hill.

"We're girding our loins for the fight," Brady says. Although he refers to it as "the National Rabbit Association" ("You know, chomp, chomp, chomp, what's up, doc?"), Brady does not underestimate or belittle the NRA. "Anybody who did that would be foolish," he said.

**IN THE** face of public sentiment, however, even the NRA has embraced an alternative to the Brady Bill that does not propose a waiting period but calls for a system to immediately check gun customers' backgrounds.

Despite his jovial manner, Brady acknowledges occasional bouts with "Mr. D" – his term for depression. Doctors whose occupational duties he describes as "making your head smaller" helped him through some tough times, as did his "speech terrorist" (therapist).

Although he mostly uses a wheelchair, Brady has been able to walk a few steps at a time for the past nine months. He's loathe to overdo it, claiming with a smile that after a quarter-mile of walking, "You'd find me face down with teeth full of cement."

Brady, who speaks slowly with some residual impediment, has felt comfortable making speeches for the past year and a half.

He and Sarah Brady live in a three-story townhouse with an elevator in Arlington, Va., across the Potomac River from Washington, D.C. Their son, Scott, 12, is a budding rock 'n' roll guitarist. Brady has a grown daughter, Missy, from a previous marriage.

Until Hinckley's bullet struck him, Brady was the consummate political aide. A native of Centralia, Ill., he started his career in 1961 as an intern to one of the Senate's Republican legends, Everett Dirksen of Illinois.

In the early 1970s, in the Nixon administration, Brady worked in the Department of Housing and Urban Development and the Office of Management and Budget.

**HE WAS** press secretary for Sen. William V. Roth Jr., R-Del. when he was hired to run press operations for former Texas governor John B. Connally's unsuccessful bid for the White House in 1980.

With Connally out of the race, Brady joined the Reagan-Bush campaign team and went to the White House as press secretary in January 1981. Brady continued to have an office at the White House after he was shot but his deputy, Larry Speakes, assumed his duties.

Of course, Brady's near-fatal head wound did much to change his view. "That would have hastened anyone's progression," he said.

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— James S. Brady


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## Economic gains still uncertain

Economic reports that a U.S. recovery is rolling appear to be quite premature. A weak global economy is working against it. And consumer confidence at home is still a question mark since most Americans still feel the bite of recession.

The German economy is now in a slow walk, and a Japanese expansion of more than four years has halted. Britain, Canada and Australia have been in a recession for months while Italy, France and Spain are close to the same stall. Eastern Europe is struggling to stay above water. Soviet leaders admit they may be on the verge of economic catastrophe. The Mideast economy is shaky in general, and Iraq's is a disaster. To top all the bad news, Washington and its economic partners may fail to win a new global trading accord.

The lack of foreign demand and a higher dollar could considerably dampen U.S. exports, a critical growth area. Thus, the U.S. recovery could quickly slide into more recession.

Meantime, new economic reports clearly show how much most Americans are still gripped by recession. About 20 percent of white workers and half the black labor force believe that a family member will be laid off this year. One-third of the nation is convinced that the economy is still the country's most pressing problem — above drugs and all other social issues.

The 6.8 percent unemployment figure appears to be low when one considers the many who are working part-time. Others are in lower-paying jobs, and even many of those with jobs are feeling insecure.

While some surveys report a surge of consumer confidence, the questions are whether the results are genuine and whether we may suffer because of the growing weakness of foreign economies.

We must have hope because that is a crucial part of consumer confidence, but at the same time we have to be realistic. That means proceed with financial caution.

## JACK ANDERSON

## EPA too close to those they regulate

WASHINGTON — It wasn't very long ago that Washington's two top environmental cops got a verbal whipping from one of Capitol Hill's most intimidating members of Congress. At least one of the cops apparently has a short memory.



Anderson

Rep. John Dingell, D-Mich., called a hearing to grade the performance of John Martin and John Barden. Martin is the inspector general for the Environmental Protection Agency, and Barden is his chief investigator. Dingell took the occasion to chew them out in public for failure to more aggressively pursue reported fraud and abuse by companies that do hazardous waste cleanup for the EPA.

The two should have taken that as a hint that Congress expected them to be more critical of the companies that work for the EPA. Barden has since taken a temporary job with an organization that represents the contractors he is supposed to be investigating. And the taxpayers are continuing to pay his $100,500 annual salary during this sabbatical.

Through a special government exchange program, Barden will spend two years working for the research and education foundation of the American Consulting Engineers Council, a trade association with many members who work under contract for the EPA. In addition to the non-profit foundation, ACEC lobbies Congress for measures to benefit its members. Recently the group lobbied for a measure to limit the liability of those contractors when they work for the EPA. Barden is not the first EPA employee to come through this revolving door. The head of ACEC is a former top EPA official.

Under the exchange program, the federal government continues to pay Barden's salary. Barden and Martin told our associate Scott Sleek that they see no problem with the new job because the research and education foundation is separate from the council's lobbying arm. And Barden thinks the experience will give him an inside look at how the private sector works.

We're just old-fashioned enough to think that a federal investigator shouldn't go to work for the people he is supposed to investigate simply so he can understand issues from their point of view.

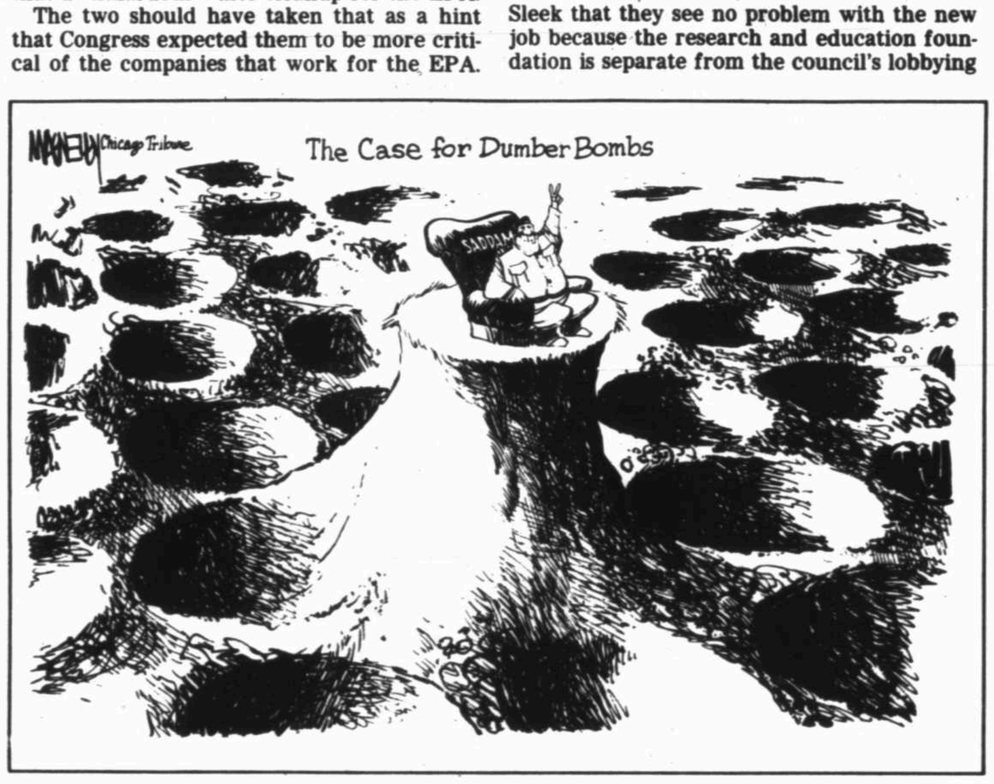
Barden's trip through the revolving door isn't likely to help his credibility on Capitol Hill. Barden and Martin first caught our attention in 1988 when they took an expensive trip to a convention in Hong Kong and then came back and told their investigators to curtail investigative trips because the travel budget was low.

Last December they were summoned before Dingell, whose own staffers had reported that Martin had a weak record of riding herd on the EPA's biggest contractors — particularly the ones working on the Superfund hazardous waste cleanup program. Dingell's staff also accused Martin's inspector general office of exaggerating the number of prosecutions that had resulted from their investigative work and for pursuing trivial matters instead of going after the big fish.

EPA's top 25 contractors have jobs with the government worth $8.6 billion, and Dingell questioned whether that was money well spent. The General Accounting Office also issued a report critical of the way the inspector general monitored the contracts. "Audit backlogs and inadequate audit follow-ups are serious problems at EPA because they increase the vulnerability of EPA's contracting dollars to waste, fraud and abuse and make the job of cleaning up the environment that much harder," the GAO said.

**MINI-EDITORIAL** — Don Dixon, one of many savings and loan looters, was recently sentenced to five years in prison. It seems like a small price to pay for bungling $41 million in loans from a thrift backed by the full faith and credit of the American taxpayers. Dixon's Vernon Savings and Loan collapsed with $1.3 billion in losses. And Dixon got five years. Adding insult to injury is the fact that even if Dixon had been sentenced to 500 years, that wouldn't have erased the debt. The punishment can never fit the crime in the S&L fiasco.

*Jack Anderson's and Dale Van Atta's column is distributed by United Feature Syndicate.*




## LETTERS

## Skateboard park would solve woes

The other day I was watching a skate video that showed an irate security guard in his golf cart racing up to a skateboarder and almost running over him. This image is played out over and over in real life: an adult, out of his mind with anger, yelling at a youth for skateboarding.

First we have to understand that having fun is one thing, but having fun at the expense of someone else is what causes problems.

Example: Skater Joe comes home from school one day and finds a group of skaters he doesn't know having a session on his backyard mini-ramp. On the surface this seems cool enough, but what if these same skaters make so much noise that the neighbor's complaints cause the police to force Joe to tear down the ramp. At this point Joe feels the same frustrations as the security guard.

Unfortunately, the neighbors and police are only dealing with the symptoms of the skateboarding problem. The sickness of skateboarding is the lack of safe and legal places to skate, forcing skaters to search out new places regardless of the consequences. As I have seen here in Midland, the consequence is often a ban on skateboarding.

There is nothing inherently wrong with skateboarding, so why are there so few legal places to skate? The answers most often given are two scary words: liability and lawsuit. However, a few years ago (1985) the U.S. Product Safety Commission reported that skateboarding, statistically, is safer than baseball, softball and bicycle riding. This is a fact and cannot be disputed. It is also a matter of record that virtually every civilian task force study of skateboarding has come to the same conclusion — the injury rate of the sport is reduced significantly where areas specifically designed for skateboarding are provided.

I also know that public parks are supported by taxes we all pay. Granted, our parks can't provide facilities for every sport that comes along, but with an estimated 10 million skateboards in the United States, failure to provide a safe public skatepark is, in my opinion, discrimination against a large number of taxpayers.

**Brian Greer**
**Midland**

## Adjusting traffic lights didn't help efficiency

I would like to know the name of the so-called "efficiency expert" employed by the City of Midland who changed all the traffic lights in Midland.

The lights were working just fine until "someone" decided to change them, but when you have to sit through three left-turn signals in order to turn left from Wall Street onto Andrews Highway, how can that be more efficient than the way the lights were before?

As the old saying goes, "If it ain't broke, don't fix it."

**Noreta Livergood**
**Midland**

## TODAY IN HISTORY

**Today In History**

Today is Monday, April 15, the 105th day of 1991. There are 260 days left in the year.

**Today's Highlight in History:**

In the early morning hours of April 15, 1912, the British luxury liner Titanic sank in the North Atlantic off Newfoundland, less than three hours after striking an iceberg. About 1,500 of the more than 2,200 people aboard died in the disaster.

Today's Birthdays: Actor Michael Ansara is 69. Country singer Roy Clark is 58. Actress Elizabeth Montgomery is 58. Actress Claudia Cardinale is 52. Rock singer-guitarist Dave Edmunds is 47.

Thought for Today: "If Patrick Henry thought that taxation without representation was bad, he should see how bad it is with representation." — The Farmer's Almanac.

## CHARLEY REESE

## What was Bush's goal in the Persian Gulf?

Saddam Hussein apparently made the same mistake many Americans did — he believed that George Bush's only objective was to get Iraq out of Kuwait.

Some high-ranking Iraqi officers captured in the war have been quoted as saying Iraq had no serious war plans because they believed a last-minute deal was going to be struck. This would explain the absence of chemical weapons in the Kuwaiti theater of operations. This would also explain the failure of Iraq to make a preemptive military move before we were ready.



Reese

If this is true, then Hussein made one incredible blunder. Thinking the only objective was to get him out of Kuwait, Hussein must have figured the troop movements, the U.N. resolutions, and Bush's rhetoric as just prebargaining posturing. He also was posturing. After all, according to Jordanian officials, Saddam Hussein had never intended originally to stay in Kuwait in the first place. He was after money and debt relief, not more sand.

Thus, if all Bush wanted was his withdrawal from Kuwait, Saddam no doubt thought he could cut a last-minute deal. That was a world-class mistake, though Saddam was no more naive than many Americans who also believed Bush's goals were the liberation of Kuwait and bringing peace and stability to the region.

No, it is now clear what Bush's true goal was and I'll give him credit — he pulled it off brilliantly, though the price was massive loss of life and bamboozling the American people.

Bush's goal was simply to establish a permanent U.S. military presence in the Persian Gulf, something the Gulf states had always resisted. To do that, Bush had to create more instability and at the same time deprive the Arab Gulf states of any alternative to American protection.

Thus, what Bush wanted to do is exactly what he did do — destroy Iraq's military power and its economic infrastructure. Iraq was the counterbalance to Iran, which the Gulf States fear. Now, Iraq can no longer protect them from Iran. Syria, which is allied with Iran, can't do it. Egypt, despite its manpower, is an economic dependent of the U.S. The Soviets, preoccupied with their internal problems, were discredited as an Arab ally.

That leaves the U.S. as the only protector of feudal monarchs who not only fear Iran but their own people. For them, Bush has created a situation in which they can either go along with the U.S. or face the loss of everything if the U.S. abandons them.

All that anti-Saddam rhetoric was just eyewash to justify the war. As you can now see, Bush doesn't care whether Saddam Hussein rules or dies. In fact, he obviously prefers Saddam in a weakened condition to either the Kurds or the Shiites, who would be allied closely with Iran. Bush left Saddam with sufficient forces to handle them and stood aside while he did it.

Gen. Norman Schwarzkopf, who like most military men is politically naive, inadvertently came close to spilling the beans when he said Bush over-ruled his recommendation to finish off the Iraqi army. That's why the White House reacted so harshly, forcing the general to recant.

The only unanswered question is whether Saddam blundered into Bush's hands on his own or was lured into the trap by the CIA. Either way, once Saddam was in Kuwait, Bush pinned him there with non-stop insults, refusals to negotiate, and sabotage of any and all Arab efforts to negotiate a withdrawal until the military was in place to wreck his army.

We could have destroyed all of the Iraqi forces but we didn't. We could have prevented the slaughter of the Shiite and Kurdish rebels but we didn't. To wreck both Kuwait and Iraq obviously means more instability, not peace and stability. Therefore to believe Bush really wanted peace and stability in the Gulf is to believe he's stupid, which he obviously is not.

*Charley Reese's column is distributed by King Features Syndicate.*

## WILLIAM SAFIRE

## See if you can get a handle on this language

Can You Handle This?

Accustomed to rapid advance, Gen. Norman Schwarzkopf showed he could beat a hasty retreat when he found himself in a controversy with the president.

"A poor choice of words" was what he called his use of the verb *recommend* in connection with the decision to end the ground war in Iraq after 100 hours, allowing some Iraqi forces to fight again against rebel troops. "I would change the word 'recommend' to say 'we initially planned,'" he explained in his apology.



Safire

President Bush forgave his Desert Storm commander with a Shakespearean phrase, "much ado about nothing," which may have been adapted from "great ado about many small matters" in Richard Hyrde's 1529 translation of a Spanish scholar's work on the instruction of Christian women. But a useful lesson — perhaps even a profound one — can be drawn from the brief Schwarzkopf-Bush contretemps, which has stirred particular interest among language mavens. (The plural of *maven* is *mavens*, not the Yiddish *mavenim* — it is now an English word, taking an English plural, so cut it out with the postcards.) That lesson is about the effect of subtle inflections and pronunciations on meaning, especially concerning dialect terms.

Here is the account given by Marlin Fitzwater, the presidential press secretary, of the conversation in the Oval Office on Feb. 27, 1991: "President Bush said to General (Colin) Powell: 'What about Schwarzkopf? Is he on board? Call him.' Powell walked over to the desk in the Oval Office and used the hot line to Riyadh (Saudi Arabia). He told the president: 'Norm says he can handle it. It's fine with him.'"

*He can handle it.* That was Fitzwater's report of what Powell characterized as Schwarzkopf's reaction. Were the words "I can handle it" actually used by the general in Riyadh? Let us assume, for the sake of linguistic analysis, that the Fitzwater report of the Powell report of the Schwarzkopf comment was a direct and accurate quotation, changing only the first person to the third person, and will not be contradicted by any recording to be released in the heat of future presidential campaign.

What does *I can handle it* mean?

"Print hides the voice," says Frederic G. Cassidy, chief editor of the Dictionary of American Regional English. "If I could have heard the gentleman *speak* it, I'd be more certain of what he really meant." One meaning, says the man from DARE, is "I can control something that needs control"; a quite different meaning, indicated by inflection, is "This hurts (my pride, dignity, sense of what I deserve), but I can accept it and not let my feelings show."

There may be another way of getting a handle on this. Let us go beyond general lexicography to a specific field in which the expression has gained particular meaning.

"Yes, the verb *handle* is used in the psychiatric profession," says Dr. Leah Dickstein, a psychiatrist in Louisville, Ky. "Psychiatrists often ask, 'Can you *handle* it?' about a specific problem, and patients say, 'I can *handle* it.' A synonymous expression used more often is *deal with*."

Intonation is all. A phrase's meaning is conveyed not by words alone, but by body language, inflection, emphasis and structures so deep as to be unfathomable to the shrinking deconstruction worker. The lexicographers all make clear that the recipient of meaning had to be there, on the line, hearing the subtle sound, to know what was meant. As early semio-semanticists liked to say, "It ain't what you say, it's the way that you say it."

*William Safire's column is distributed by New York Times News Service.*

# Michigan community bills itself as 'little Bavaria'

**EDITOR'S NOTE: Founded as a Lutheran mission to the Chippewa Indians in 1845, Frankenmuth, Mich., has its roots in Germany. Now the town is capitalizing on its ethnicity to promote itself as "Michigan's little Bavaria." And if some communities are suffering from the recession, business has never been better in Frankenmuth.**

**By David Goodman**

FRANKENMUTH, Mich. (AP) — There's really not much to see or do in Frankenmuth, in the way of natural scenery or outdoor recreation.

"We don't have a lake shore, we don't have a sea shore, we don't have any mountains, we don't have any ski lifts," concedes City Manager Charles Graham. "There's nothing here to attract people other than the man-made things."

Yet by dint of shrewd self-promotion, this city of 4,382 in eastern Michigan has transformed itself from a quiet farm community into "Michigan's little Bavaria," one of the state's top tourist attractions.

In a year when recession and war are depressing the tourist industry, business is booming in Frankenmuth. Stores are expanding and record business is predicted for 1991.

**"WE'RE VERY** convenient for a family to take a getaway weekend," says Annette Rummel, director of the Frankenmuth Chamber of Commerce. "It's an easy day trip that is very economical."

Sales are expected to rise 5 percent to 15 percent this year, she says.

Building on its heritage as an ethnic-German enclave, the community whose name means "courage of the Frankonians" has created an ambiance that now draws more than 2 million visitors a year.

They drive the 86 miles north from Detroit, or come from even farther afield, to eat one of the "world-famous chicken dinners" at Zehnders restaurant or the Bavarian Inn, tour the Frankenmuth Brewery or visit the many food and craft shops.

The community's German heritage dates from its establishment as a Lutheran mission to the Chippewa Indians in 1845. But its development as a tourist spot began just a few decades ago.

In 1959, Bavarian Inn owner William "Tiny" Zehnder was looking for a way to mark the expansion of his restaurant and decided to hold a festival, Rummel says.

**THAT JUNE** event has been held annually since and is expected to draw more than 100,000 visitors June 8-18.

Seeing the success of the festival, business people decided to build on the Bavarian theme as a way to attract more visitors, Rummel says.

"Everyone was German anyway," she says. "It was a natural."

How German is Frankenmuth?

"If you look in the phone book here, 60 to 70 percent are German last names," says Graham, who calls himself a relative newcomer after 11½ years in town.

In fact, German was a common spoken language in Frankenmuth until World War II, says Stu Lauterbach, curator of the Frankenmuth Historical Museum.

"Around '45, people stopped talking as much German in public, probably because of the war," he says.

**LAUTERBACH ATTRIBUTES** the long survival of the ethnic-German enclave to the early establishment of a saw mill and grain mill which, combined with the Lutheran church, gave it economic and spiritual self-sufficiency.

The first group of about a dozen settlers, led by the Rev. August Craemer, found their original mission obsolete, Lauterbach says.

"By the time they got over here, there were very few Indians left," he says. Instead, the newcomers and those who followed from the Mitel Franken region of Bavaria settled down to farm, log and make a new life.

That life was heavily church-centered. St. Lorenz Lutheran Church, founded in 1845 and now boasting 4,500 members, established a school that remains one of the nation's largest Lutheran schools with 651 students.

German was a language of instruction into the 1930s and has been revived as a second language for the last five years.

The social cohesiveness paid off in the late 1950s and '60s, when merchants set out to promote the town as a travel stop.

**"IT'S A** community that really works together," says Wayne Bronner, whose father, Wally, founded Bronner's Christmas Wonderland in 1945. Billing itself as the world's largest Christmas store, Bronner's is doubling its 25,000-square-foot floor space this year.

The store, which began as an offshoot of his dad's sign-painting business, now employs 350 people and carries 57,000 handicrafts and other gift items for its 2 million year-round customers.

Graham attributes the city's economic success to the business community's willingness to reinvest in itself and build toward future growth. The fact that merchants work closely together doesn't hurt, either.

Zehnders and the Bavarian Inn, for example, cooperate on promotional campaigns, even though they compete for business right across the road from each other.

It probably helps that Zehnders' owner Edwin Zehnder and Bavarian Inn owner William Zehnder are brothers.



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**Wayne Bronner, whose father Wally founded Bronner's Christmas Wonderland in Frankenmuth, Mich., in 1945, stands inside the store, which the family promotes as the world's largest of its kind.**

# John Gotti's driver shot in crime 'hit'

NEW YORK (NYT) — A man identified as John Gotti's personal driver and a confidant of the reputed mob boss and his son was gunned down Saturday night in what looked like an "organized-crime hit," the police said yesterday.

The man, Bartholomew Borriello, who was 47 and who was said to be a soldier in the Gambino crime family, was found at 7:30 p.m. in the driveway of his house in the Bath Beach section of Brooklyn.

He was lying next to his car and had been shot many times in the head and body, the police said.

There were no witnesses to the shooting, said Deputy Chief Emil A. Ciccotelli, commander of Brooklyn detectives.

Ciccotelli said it was too early to speculate on whether the killing was punishment for a breach of conduct by Borriello or a way of threatening Gotti, who the authorities say is the head of the Gambino family. "We're conferring with other agencies that may have been investigating him for other violations," Ciccotelli said.

# Mitchell, Foley get 'high marks'

**By Jill Lawrence**

WASHINGTON (AP) — Tom Foley and George Mitchell. They're nice, they're smart and they get the job done.

But as the 1992 campaign approaches, the nation's two most powerful Democrats seem unlikely to deliver the hard-edged partisan performance some in their

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party believe is needed to compete credibly for the White House and maintain Democratic strength in Congress.

"They feel responsible for running the country. So they do things that may be responsible but may not be politically useful," said Mark Mellman, a Democratic pollster who thinks House Speaker Foley and Senate Majority Leader Mitchell deserve generally high marks.

Congress returned last week from an Easter break and are grappling with domestic issues that will help shape public attitudes going into the elections. It's unclear whether Foley and Mitchell, both master negotiators with solid legislative accomplishments, will exploit those issues to the maximum advantage for Democrats.

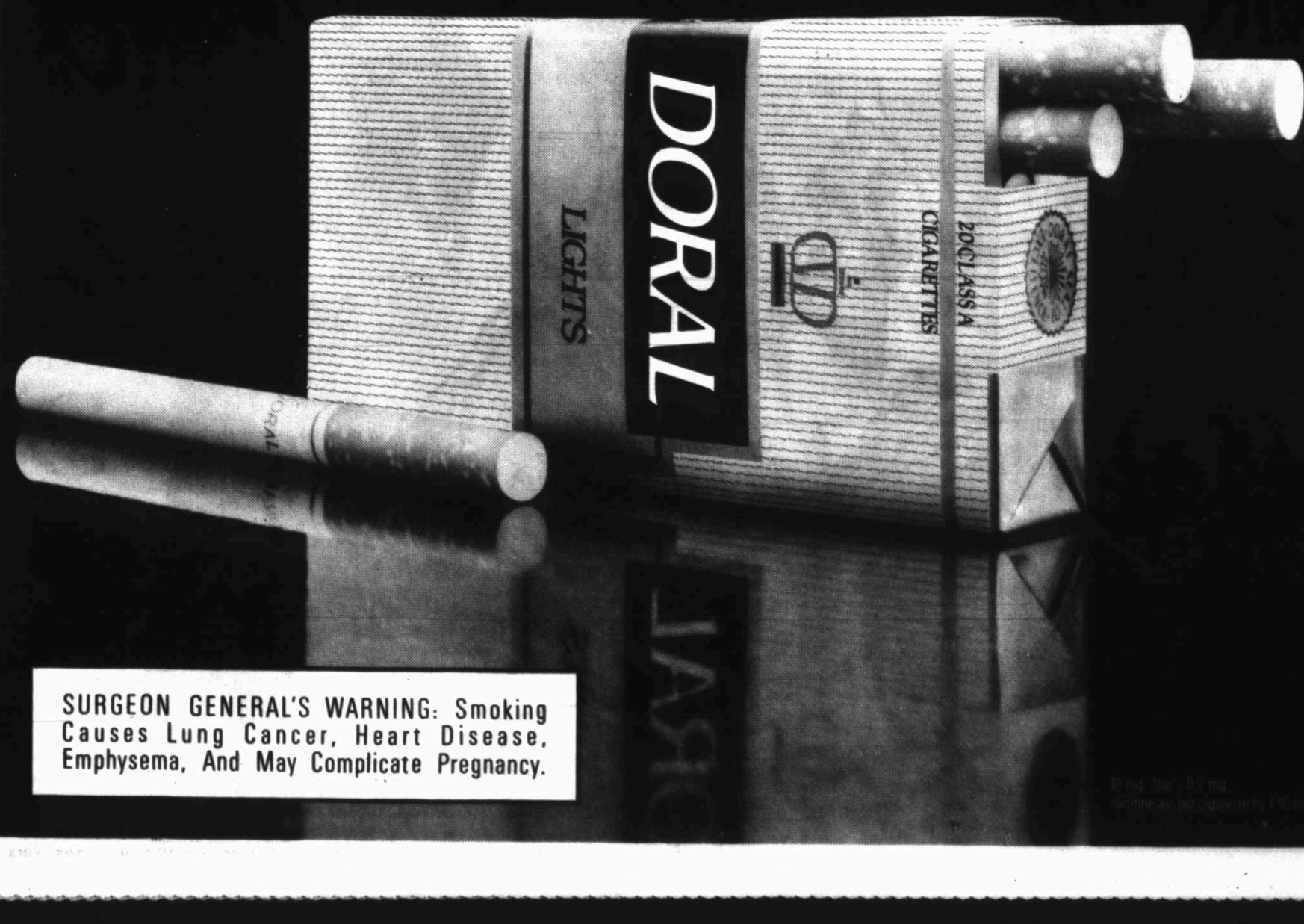
Mitchell said his paramount responsibility is to the country.

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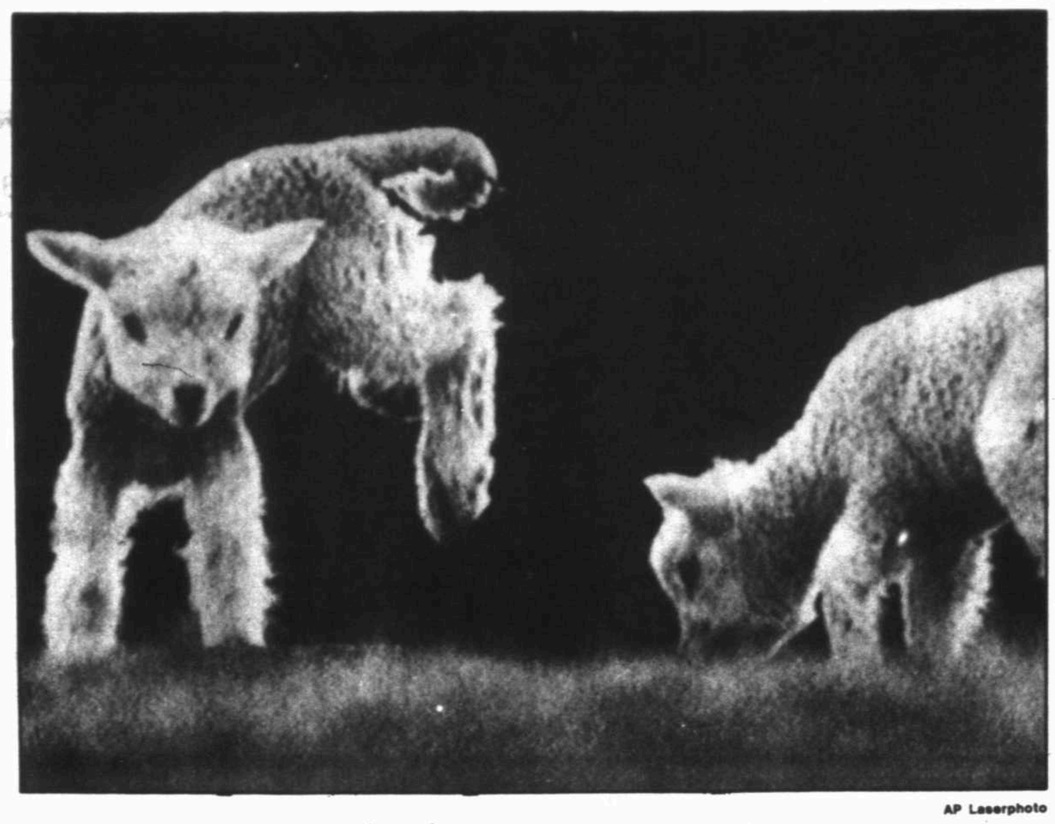
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**A young lamb kicks up its heels while grazing recently on a farm in East Parsinfield, Maine.**

# Closing decision came down to Lowry, Colo., Texas base

**Associated Press**

The recommendation to close Lowry Air Force Base in Colorado came down to a choice between Lowry and a base in Texas, Air Force officials said, but Aurora Mayor Paul Tauer says the decision was politically motivated.

The Air Force also said it didn't consider recent government reports that Lowry was the least expendable of five Air Force training bases in deciding whether the Colorado base should be closed.

A spokesman for Rep. Pat Schroeder, D-Colo., whose district covers Lowry, said, "We will certainly bring that up with the Base Closure (and Realignment) Commission."

Tauer reacted strongly to the Air Force's disclosure that Lowry lost out to Goodfellow Air Force Base in San Angelo, Texas.

"I think the reason Lowry was picked was because the other base it came down to was in Texas. ... That's where the president is from," said Tauer.

"That's the thing that I guess is frustrating to me, is that people who made the decision injected their own politics," he said. People in Aurora "are going to have to suffer because this decision seems politically motivated."

Air Force officials denied politics played a part in their decision.

"Political issues have never been mentioned in this process. Never," said deputy assistant secretary of the Air Force James Boatright.

Two strategic bases in Texas, Bergstrom Air Force Base and Carswell Air Force Base, were recommended for closure on Friday's "hit list."

Boatright said Lowry and Goodfellow were picked as the most expendable of five training bases. He declined, however, to say how close the bases ranked or what the deciding factor was.

But one factor that led to Lowry being placed on the Defense Department's closure list, released Friday, was that, unlike Goodfellow, it has no active runway. Another factor is Lowry's high real-estate value, which Goodfellow (a smaller base in a smaller city in a depressed real-estate market) probably can't match.

The 1988 base closure commission, in deciding which of five Air Force training bases should be closed, ranked Lowry as the least expendable. It recommended closing Chanute Air Force Base in Illinois, and that closure is under way. Just last year, the General Accounting Office, in a report on training bases, came to the same conclusion.

But the Air Force did not consider those findings in its decision.

"We were given a charge to start from square one, and that's exactly what we did," said Gen. Eugene Habiger.

Also, he said, "the world has changed so dramatically" in the last few years that those previous findings are less valid than they were.

The Air Force is down to about 30,000 recruits per year, compared with about 45,000 in 1988.

# LEADERS: Two Democrats don't cultivate high profiles

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"There's just no substitute for doing the right thing for the country, and the politics will take care of themselves," he said in an interview.

But is that enough at a time when the Democratic Party is groping for an identity, an agenda and a leader to counter a president whose popularity is sky-high due to the Persian Gulf War?

There are those who say no.

"We need to generate a body of new and independent thinking," said Rep. Robert Torricelli, D-N.J. "If the congressional Democratic Party is going to be the foundation for national political success, we must not simply react to administration proposals."

Lyn Nofziger, former political director of the Reagan White House, said there is such a thing as being too even-handed. "Being fair ain't no way to rowdy the troops," he said. "These guys are trying to lead by being reasonable men. I'm not sure that reasonableness is tantamount to leadership."

Most Democrats would not speak on the record. But there's a feeling among some that Mitchell and Foley gave away the store in dribs and drabs of compromise. One House Democrat said the pair would be great under a Democratic president but simply don't have "the strength of leadership to provide an alternative to a Republican president."

When Foley and Mitchell first succeeded Speaker Jim Wright and Majority Leader Robert Byrd, it was hoped that they would revitalize their party and even lead it back to the White House, either personally or by laying the groundwork for other candidates.

But Mitchell and Foley have not cultivated high profiles. They don't grandstand or speak in slogans or thrive on confrontation.

Foley, a conciliator by nature, gave an uncharacteristically partisan speech last month to the Democratic National Committee. But the harshest thing he said about President Bush was that he's not prepared to deal with domestic problems.

"I respect him," said Foley, always the gentleman. "But I think he is basically a man who believes that his task is to manage the status quo of the country."

Not exactly red meat.

The months ahead will be a difficult balancing act for Foley and Mitchell as Congress works on the proposals that could turn into laws, dead ends or live campaign issues.

The two have said they hope to improve the U.S. health care system, particularly for children and the uninsured. They also mention middle-class tax relief, energy policy, education reforms and investment in the nation's physical infrastructure.

But many of those things require money, and Congress is locked into a budget agreement that doesn't leave much room to move. The few ideas that don't cost money are marginal or risky.

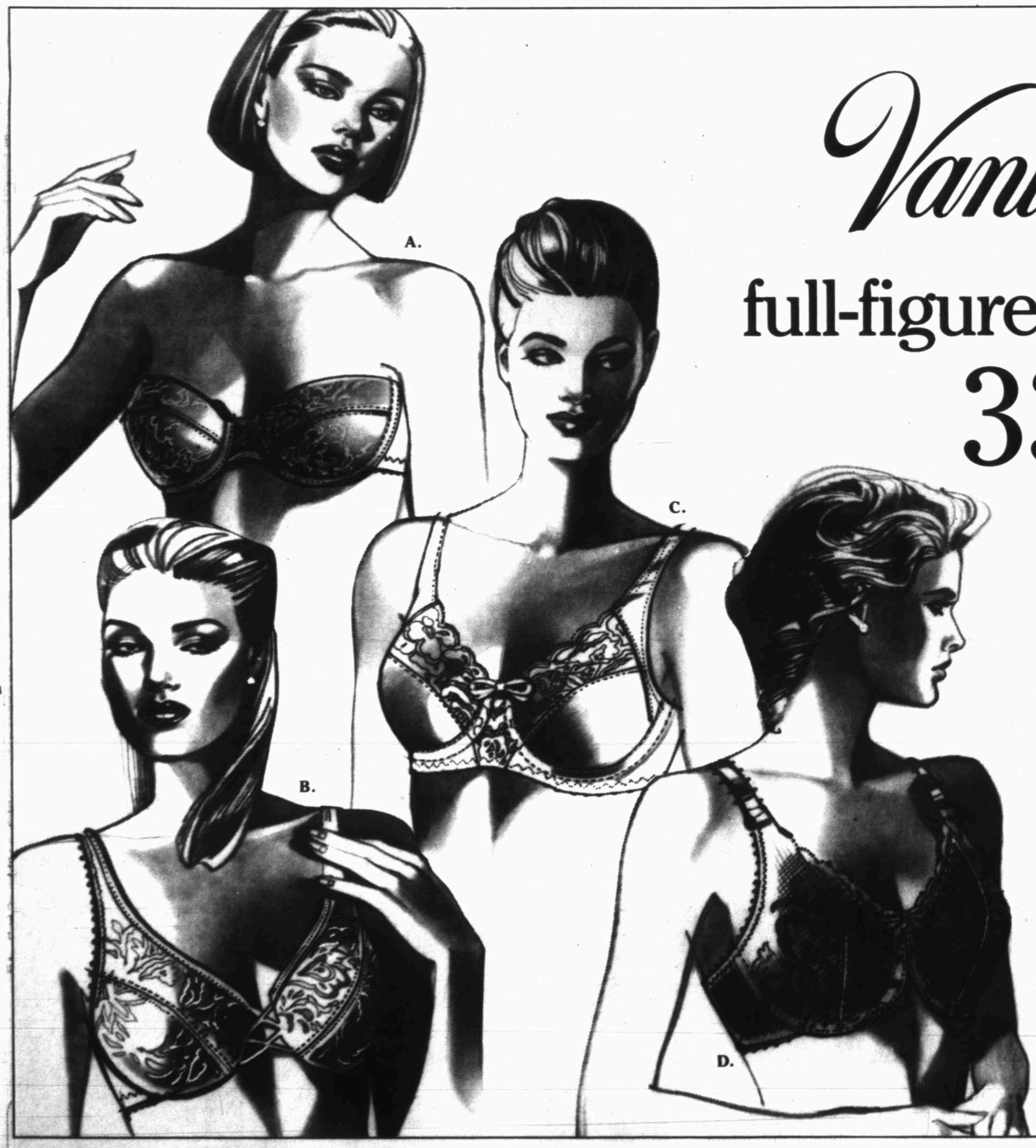
A bill guaranteeing job leave for family emergencies, vetoed last year by Bush and reintroduced this year as a top Democratic priority, hasn't grown into a cutting issue. A civil rights bill championed by Democrats, also vetoed by Bush and up again this year, could backfire if Republicans continue to successfully label it a racial quotas bill.

Foley and Mitchell can't be blamed for all of this, or for compromising if that brings results. Foley is "more interested in getting legislation than he is in getting an issue," according to an aide. That's also an apt description of how Mitchell prefers to operate.

In the last Congress, Foley and Mitchell guided passage of laws on the minimum wage, child care and rights for the disabled, as well as clean air; buried Bush's plan to cut the capital gains tax, and outmaneuvered the White House so successfully in budget negotiations that many Republicans repudiated the president's agreement to raise taxes.

Activist conservatives, according to political newsletter publisher Stuart Rothenberg, believe Mitchell "ate George Bush's lunch last year. They think George Mitchell did a terrific job against the White House."

So do many Democrats. "You have to look at their work product," media consultant Bob Squier said of the two congressional leaders. "They're doing pretty well."


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Jerry's Perfect Pets employee Cam Williams shows a kitten to ChasiD' Stapp, whose mother, Penny, looks on as friend Robert Phelan pets the cat.



Joe Guillen checks plants at Lanham Nursery to see if they need water. Guillen said he likes watering the plants in the greenhouse because it is quiet and peaceful most of the time.

# WORKING IN THE REAL WORLD

Getting a first paycheck is an exciting experience for any young person, but for students enrolled in the VAC program it means they have graduated into the "real world."

"I felt great about my first check," said Joe Guillen, 17, a junior at Midland High School. "I'm getting credit for this job during the week and I'm paid for working weekends."

Joe, who is employed at Lanham's Nursery & Landscape Supply, is participating in the school district's VAC (Vocational Adjustment Cooperative) program.

The program affords Joe and other students with special needs an opportunity to learn career skills within their range of abilities.

It gives the students a chance to ease into the real world before exiting school.

"I water plants and carry out things for people," Joe said. "I like working outdoors and indoors and especially with plants."

Joe said he also worked at Cattleman's Steak House, another business which has served as a training station for VAC students.

"But I like being around the plants and animals here," Joe said, noting the nursery — which also sells pets and pet supplies — had turkeys, goldfish in a pond, baby chicks and turkeys on hand.

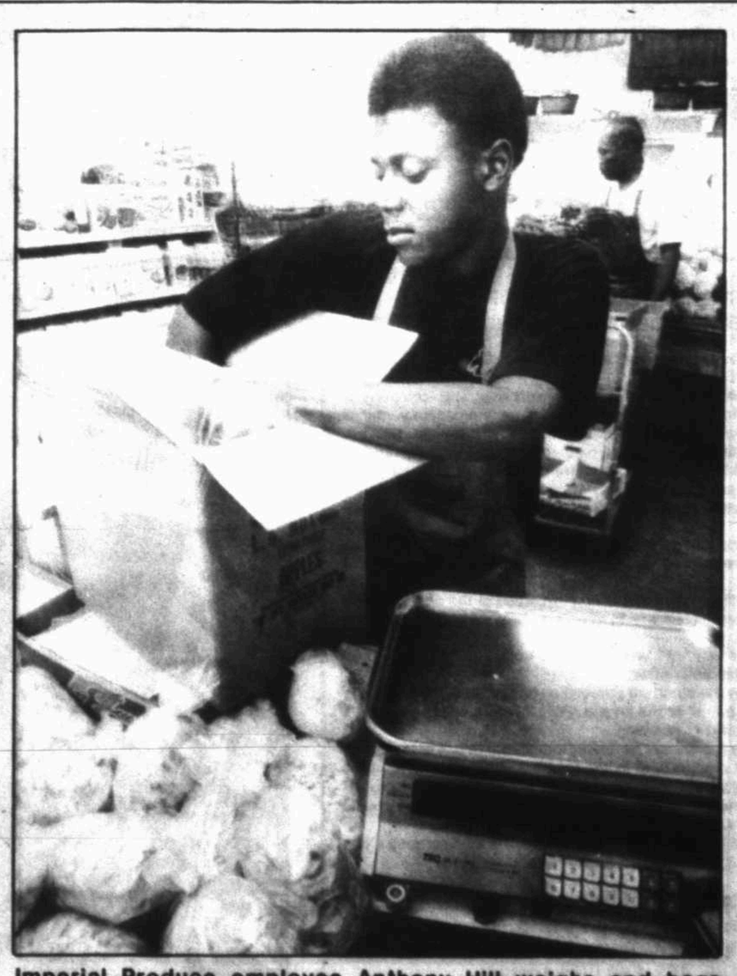
Another student who likes working with animals and fish is Campbell "Cam" Williams, 18, who spends his afternoons tidying up Jerry's Perfect Pets store and showing animals to customers.

"I do a lot of cleaning up and other stuff

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Patricia Olvera plays ball with a group of seniors during activity time at Courtyard Care Center as resident Mary Fields looks on.



Imperial Produce employee Anthony Hill weighs and bags dried apples when he is not bagging groceries.

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# Richards to sign finance-reform bill into law

■ Legislation goes back to court today for further review.

By Karen Potter
New York Times News Service

AUSTIN — Before the ink dries on Gov. Ann Richards' signature on the new $7.2 billion school finance law Monday morning, Texas will be back in court.

A state district judge is scheduled to convene a hearing at 9 a.m. to review the Legislature's progress and to determine whether he will allow the all-important flow of state aid to school districts to resume April 25.

Attorneys do not expect a decision on the constitutionality of the new law for several weeks.

Travis County District Judge F. Scott McCown has become a father to a son since he ordered the state two weeks ago to adopt a school finance plan that treats all 3 million Texas schoolchildren equally.

As leverage, McCown ordered a court-appointed expert to have ready on Monday an updated version of a previous court plan to redistribute state aid for the rest of the school year. But because the Legislature met the latest deadline and approved a new school finance law, most expect that the court plan will be shelved.

Attorney Rick Gray, who is representing a group of poor school districts who are plaintiff-intervenors in the Edgewood vs. Kirby lawsuit, said he wouldn't be surprised if McCown even granted the state's motion to extend the deadline until June 1.

That would give McCown ample time to set a hearing and to consider evidence on the constitutionality of the new law before any state aid payments actually would be halted.

Attorneys for the school districts involved in the seven-year-old lawsuit are expected to announce Monday whether they will challenge all or parts of the new law. Several spent the weekend poring over the language in the bill to determine if it meets the Supreme Court's mandate to design a system that gives all Texas schoolchildren equal access to education money regardless of where they live.

Members of the poorer districts Gray represents said they will challenge the law on the ground that it unfairly penalizes districts with large amounts of debt for facilities. But Gray said Friday he was not sure he would be ready on Monday to tell McCown of the group's legal position.

"My expectation is that we're not going to be in a position Monday to commit one way or another," Gray said.

The Mexican-American plaintiffs are expected to announce their legal position on the law's constitutionality on Monday, as are lawyers representing wealthy districts, including several in Tarrant County.

The state's wealthiest districts, which so far have not been parties to the lawsuit, may decide to launch a separate challenge of the new law. Jim George, an attorney for those districts, said Friday he had not yet read the bill and a decision has not yet be made.

Those super-rich districts will lose millions of property tax dollars under the new law, which also has an estimated price tag to the state of $7.2 billion during the next five years.

# WORK: VAC mainstreams special-education students

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that the other people I work with don't have a chance to get to until the evening," Cam said. "Sometimes, I take out an animal and show it to customers."

Cam said it was only natural for him to spend his time around animals since he has a "virtual zoo" at his home in the county. "I have dogs, cats, fish, chickens and even mice out in the shed," he said.

Cam, a senior at Lee High School, said he is looking forward to graduation this May and finding a full-time job.

"We try to give these students all the skills they need for life," said Sue Beasley, VAC instructor at LHS. "Any student who is eligible for special education services may be served through this program," she said.

The students may have a limited range of abilities due to physical or mental challenges.

"They may be visually impaired, have a speech impediment or are mentally retarded," Ms. Beasley said. "It's basically a three-year program, though students can stay in it until they are 21."

Students initially attend school until noon and work the other half of the day. During their senior year they usually attend school one hour on Monday and work 40 hours during the rest of the week.

Meeting at school one hour on Mondays provides a "lifeline" for students who may still need direction from their teachers said Chiba Bianchi, a VAC instructor at MHS.

**'We try to give these students all the skills they need for life.'**

— Sue Beasley, VAC instructor at LHS

"We want to make these students as independent as we can," she said. "And once they are hired they really earn their jobs. It's not a given."

The program is designed to provide a transition from the academic setting into the business world, according to Konnie Petteway, a VAC instructor at LHS. "Although the work stations are an extension of the school campus, they provide a real work environment which you just can't get in the classroom," she said.

Dealing with students who have special needs means the instructors have "more creative problems to solve," Ms. Bianchi said.

"But, our students are dedicated workers," Ms. Petteway said. "And all of our kids are taxpayers, not tax burdens."

The instructors said that their biggest concern with the program is a need for more businesses to volunteer to serve as work stations for the students.

"There are tax credits for employers who hire our students," Ms. Bianchi said.

"We need to develop new training stations and jobs for these kids," Ms. Petteway said. "You can never have too many jobs for the students to choose from."

"I think the VAC program is a really good thing," Joe said, noting that one the program's graduates is his boss.

Freddy Flores, a former MHS student, graduated from the program and has worked with Lanham's for five years. Now an assistant manager with the nursery, Flores said that he enjoys his management responsibilities.

"I really like managing and dealing with people," he said. "The best part of my job is keeping kids like Joe out of trouble."

"Who me?" Joe said, laughing. "Never."

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*VAC program instructors will host an Employer Appreciation Banquet 7 p.m. Thursday for employers participating in the program.*

*Employers interested in participating in the VAC program may call 689-1655 or 689-1142.*

# Waxahachie flap may lead to restrictions

WAXAHACHIE (AP) — If anything, Waxahachie residents are about as blase about the film industry as any Los Angeles denizen.

But when a Budweiser film crew blocked off the downtown area's prime parking spaces without prior notice, area merchants decided Hollywood had gotten a little too big for its britches.

Now the town known to many as Texas' Hollywood, is cracking down on the film industry.

On Monday, Mayor Joe Grubbs is expected to set up a committee to look into filming guidelines for the city.

Since "Bonnie and Clyde" was filmed here in 1968, hundreds of film projects have been shot around the city without objection. Since 1985 alone, about 300 commercials and 100 movies have been filmed here. But the Bud commercial created a furor in the community of 14,000 some 30 miles south of Dallas.

"I'm not against filming. I know it helps in the long run," said Ruth Almand, owner of Deeya Cosmetics & Gifts on the Waxahachie town square. "But if you lose a day of business, you never get it back."

Like many merchants, Mrs. Almand was hopping mad when the Budweiser crews snared not only her customers' parking spaces but hers as well. She had to park three blocks away from her store. During filming she sold but a greeting card the entire day, Mrs. Almand said.

County Judge Penny Redington was also upset when she found her space was blocked.

"I found a place to park and walked up to the courthouse, but was obviously in the way," Mrs. Redington said.

The Bud commercial's content was also a problem. Waxahachie is does not permit alcohol sales within its city limits.

Not all residents are upset with the filmmakers.

## DEATHS

### Evelyn McCarty Shaw

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla. — Memorial services for Evelyn McCarty Shaw, 81, a former Midlander, have been set for Friday at Chapel Hill Cemetery here with the Rev. Bill Henry officiating, under the direction of Blunt Mortuary.

She died of cancer at a hospice in Colorado Springs, Colo. on Saturday.

Mrs. Shaw was born Aug. 16, 1909 in Stamps, Ark. to Eddie Hassom McCarty and Nola Holley McCarty. She was a resident of Tulsa, Okla. from 1979 to 1989; Oklahoma City, from 1935 to 1950 and 1970 to 1979; Dallas from 1960 to 1970; and Midland from 1950 to 1960.

She retired from Texas Instruments of Dallas.

Survivors include a sister, Ruth Ford of Colorado Springs; a son and daughter-in-law, Steve and Gale Shaw of Colorado Springs; and two grandchildren.

Memorials may be directed to the American Cancer Society or Pikes Peak Hospice, 622 S. Tejon, Colorado Springs, Colo. 80903.

### Lowell Fox

Services for Lowell Fox, 81, of Midland, are pending with Ellis Funeral Home.

He died Sunday.

## LOCAL/AREA REPORTS

### Midland fatality

Staff Reports

A 24-year-old Midland woman died early Sunday morning in a one-vehicle rollover on Interstate 20 about 6.25 miles west of Midland, according to a Department of Public Safety report.

Justice of the Peace Keith Jobe pronounced Annette Garcia, of 3100 Caldera Blvd. No. 1117, dead at the scene.

She was driving a 1988 Ford pickup east on the interstate about 1:25 a.m. when she lost control of the vehicle, DPS said.

Ms. Garcia reportedly ran off the left side of the road, overcorrected to the right side of the highway, rolled twice and came to rest on the south service road, DPS said.

She was not wearing a seat belt and was ejected from the vehicle.

### Altercation

Assailants beat up two Midland men in the parking lot of a local nightclub early Sunday evening, sending one of them to the hospital, police said.

Kurt R. Duhar, 28, told police three men assaulted him and his cousin, Douglas A. Hurt, 31, in the parking lot of Bojangles, 3709 W. Wall Ave., about 2 a.m. after a short argument.

The victims knew the assailants, but only by their first names.

Hurt was transported to Memorial Hospital and Medical Center, where he was in satisfactory condition Sunday evening. Duhar sustained only minor injuries.

The assailants, who were believed to have been intoxicated, went to the victims' home about 30 minutes after the incident to apologize and offered to pay medical expenses.

### Arrest

Police arrested a Midland man in connection with a multiple stabbing attack on a man near the 200 block of N. Lee Street Saturday evening, officials said.

Gregory Eugene Webster, also known as Touche, was released from jail on a $7,500 bond, jail officials said.

He was arrested in connection with the stabbing of Larry Bledsoe, who suffered two wounds to the left chest, two stabs to the left buttocks, one in the right arm and three to the right knee.

Bledsoe was transported to Midland Memorial Hospital Saturday evening and released Sunday morning, police and hospital officials said.

Police received conflicting reports about the fight between the two men.

### Bond set

A 49-year-old man remained jailed Sunday evening in connection with the rape of a 67-year-old woman Saturday morning in south central Midland, officials said.

Police arrested Pomeroy Coleman, address unknown, about 7:50 a.m. and charged him with aggravated sexual assault and aggravated assault. Bond for each charge was set at $50,000, jail officials said.

The victim knew the assailant, police said.

The victim was transported to Midland Memorial Hospital, where she was treated and released.

### Odessa fatality

ODESSA — A 17-year-old Odessa woman died early Sunday morning in a two-vehicle accident, police officials said.

Odessa Justice of the Peace Dennis Bright pronounced Rachele Rene Thomason dead at the scene. Her body was sent to Lubbock for an autopsy.

According to police reports, Ms. Thomason, driving a 1990 Ford Mustang, was headed east on 8th Street about 2:22 a.m. when she was hit by Jason Dwight Waller, 17, driving a 1984 Chevrolet Camaro southbound on Grant Avenue.

Waller apparently ran a red light at the intersection, police said. No charges have been filed.

# *Students' science projects earn top honors*

The following are the first place winners from Midland in the 1991 Permian Basin Regional Science Fair. In addition to these winners, 51 other winners were named from the area, 180 students will receive second place awards, 213 students will receive third place awards, and 139 students will receive honorable mention:

Fourth grade chemistry: Steven Cummings, Burnet; and Nicholas Pagano, St. Ann's.

Fourth grade earth and space: Nicholas Collier, Anson Jones.

Fourth grade life sciences: Lindsey Martin, Anson Jones.

Fourth grade math and physics: Travis Vandergriff, Anson Jones.

Fifth grade chemistry: Kaley Conway, St. Ann's.

Fifth grade life science: David Kay, Fannin.

Fifth grade math and physics: Tyler Rhodes, Fannin.

Sixth grade chemistry: Stacy Allen, Washington; and Raymond Taylor, Washington.

Sixth grade earth and space: Sarah Hayes, St. Ann's.

Sixth grade life science: Stephanie Webb, Travis; Brian Cummings, South; and Katrina Maiman, St. Ann's.

Seventh grade earth and space: Phillip Parker, San Jacinto Jr.

Seventh grade life science: Russell Nix, Alamo Jr.

Seventh grade math and physics: Robert W. Prentice, San Jacinto Jr.

Eighth grade chemistry: Ryan Cochran, Alamo Jr.; and Christin Sutton, Goddard Jr.

Eighth grade earth and space: Susan E. Leibrock, Goddard Jr.

Eighth grade life science: Seema Mody, Alamo Jr.; and Laura Walton, Goddard Jr.

Eighth grade math and physics: Jodi Fulfer, Goddard Jr.; and Marcie L. Watson, Goddard Jr.

### Three die in accidents on New Mexico roads

SANTA FE (AP) — At least three people, including a Texas woman, died in traffic crashes on New Mexico roads during the weekend, state police said Sunday.

The victims were identified as Elizabeth C. Sollers, 77, of San Antonio, Texas; Edward Rodriguez, 32, of Espanola; and Marian Duran, 25, of Rio Rancho.

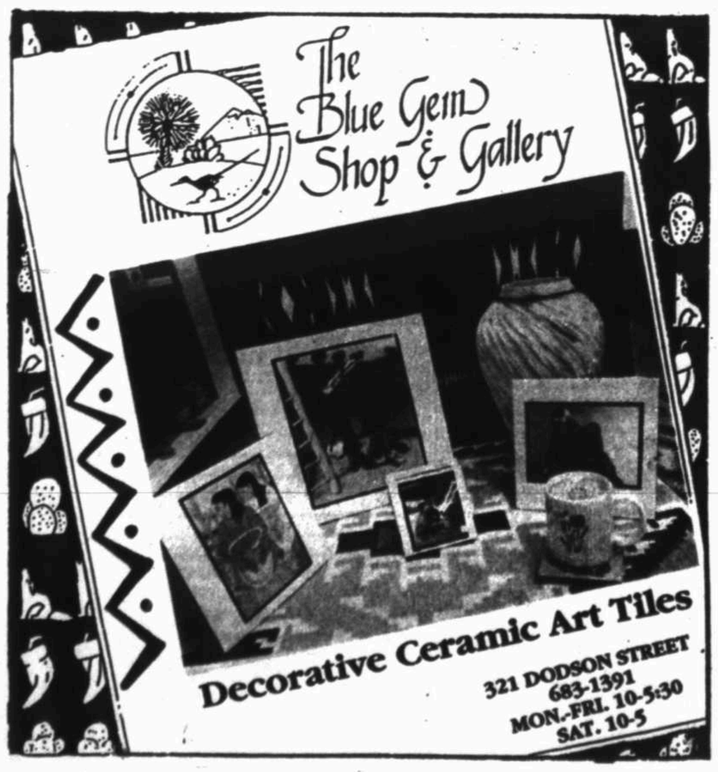

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The Commissioner of Insurance finds that pursuant to Article 21.28-A, Section 5, Texas Insurance Code, the company has requested and consented to the appointment of a conservator.

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# Boots and Coots 'stole my idea,' inventor says

**■ Flap underscores frustration of oilfield technicians and specialists who want to help fight wellhead fires in Kuwait.**

ALEDO (AP) — An oilfield safety specialist said Texas oil firefighters in Kuwait have stolen his idea and may have violated patents he holds on equipment and methods for putting out the infernos.

Watching a TV report last week, Doug Poole saw a team from Boots and Coots Co. move a pipe over a burning oil stream and shoot nitrogen into it, disrupting the interaction of oxygen and oil long enough to suppress the fire.

News accounts hailed the innovative technique and credited Boots and Coots for devising it.

But for 14 years, Poole has built and sold oil firefighting and prevention tools that work the same way.

"They definitely stole it," said Poole, president of Oilfield Safety Systems Inc. of Houston.

David Thompson, a Boots and Coots firefighter, said the idea has been around for 30 years.

The flap is one sign of how the high-dollar, high-rivalry world of oil firefighting has become even more intense with the opportunity and challenge of putting out 600 oil wells set ablaze by Iraqi troops retreating from Kuwait.

"Anybody that calls here with an idea, that idea goes in the trash can and that idea doesn't get relayed to Kuwait," Thompson said. "These guys over there have 70 years experience."

Poole said such intransigence is slowing down the firefighting effort.

"A hundred something wells would be out right now if I'd been on the first team over there," Poole said. "I have no problem making that statement."

The Kuwaiti oil minister, Rasheed al-Amiri, Saturday expressed frustration at the slow pace of progress in putting out the oilwell fires and said more fightfighters would be brought in.

In an interview at his ranch near Fort Worth, Poole said he expects to go this week.

His system, known in the industry as the Lizzy, is designed to be a part of the drilling rig. A spool, or small tube, is placed just below the drilling floor and connected to water and a 10,000-or 15,000-pound tank of extinguishing chemical.

If a pressure surge or blowout occurs, the Lizzy can shoot water or chemical into the oil or gas stream and in seconds snuff a fire like a finger to a candle wick.

Poole holds several U.S. patents for the method, system and Lizzy apparatus. Attorneys question whether the patents extend to the activities of U.S. firefighters in Kuwait.

But Poole seems more eager to get to Kuwait to prove the tool's worth than launch a patent fight.

"I made this offer that I'd go over and put one out for free," he said.

Backed by a Swiss company, Poole is negotiating to ship four Lizzy units to Kuwait. He recently broke with a Fort Worth company he had licensed to build some Lizzy units.

The device put out blazes at the blowout research center at Louisiana State University two years ago.

Since then, several energy companies have leased a Lizzy during dangerous drilling of horizontal wells in Texas and Louisiana. None has experienced a blowout during which the Lizzy had to be activated.

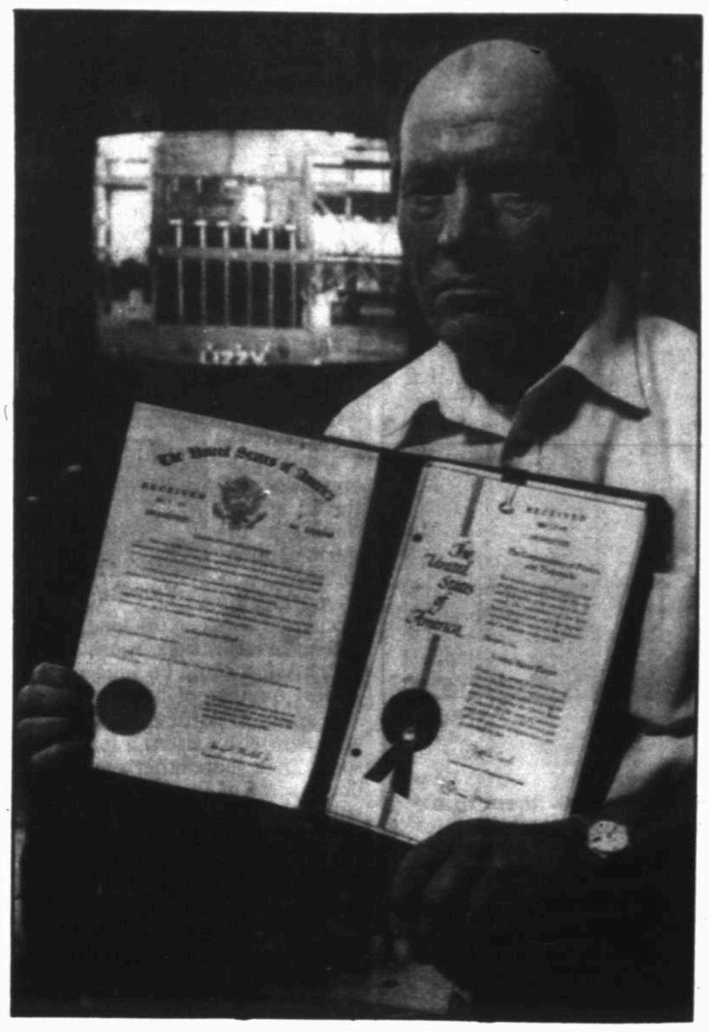
The Kuwait fires may be the best place for the Lizzy, which Poole named for his daughter, to prove itself, he said.

But, he said, its potential as a firefighting tool has been dismissed by well-known oil firefighters like Boots and Coots.

"They went over there and stayed three weeks and the news media said 'How come you haven't put out a well?' How'd they do it? Just the way I told them to do it," he said.

Thompson dismissed that suggestion.

"A bunch of people call and say it was their idea," he said, noting the company has been flooded with ideas and people seeking jobs.



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**Douglas Poole, the inventor of the "Lizzy" well spool and fire extinguisher, poses with the patent for the tool. The oilfield specialist says its a struggle to get Texas oilwell firefighting firms to honor that patent.**

# SSC's neighbors: There went our fine neighborhood

DALLAS (AP) — The superconducting super collider is almost a decade away from completion, but already is causing headaches for some residents of Ellis County.

Many of 50 houses purchased so far by the Texas National Research Commission to make room for the atom smasher's 54-mile underground ring stand vandalized, to neighbors' chagrin.

"We used to live in a fine neighborhood," said Perry Giles. "People had pride in it. Now it's turned into Beirut. It's all bombed-out looking."

Giles and others say the government should just tear down the houses instead of letting them stand, vacant and often torn up by vandals.

Some of them are boarded up. But residents complain that the vacant house are nothing but gold mines for thieves who make off with plumbing fixtures, carpet, air conditioning units and hot-water heaters.

"It's their responsibility to protect those houses," said Phil Purley, who lives near some of the vacated houses. "They don't have the right to leave them out there for vandals to break into. They're contributing to lawlessness."

Some residents are afraid the vandals won't confine themselves to the abandoned houses and will break into inhabited dwellings.

"It's scary. I'm scared to death I'll go home and find someone in my house," said Donna Chiles, who recently heard noises in the abandoned house next door to her home.

Residents say the houses, which will be joined by about 150 more in the next year, are also an eyesore.

"I know it's upsetting for the people to have to see it," said John Slonaker, acquisitions manager for the commission. "We want to be good neighbors. It's unfortunate that some people don't have more respect for property."

**'It looks like a ghost town. It's the most ragged-looking mess you've ever seen. People break in houses every time someone moves out.'**

— Monnie Bratcher, Ellis County resident

Last month, crews began boarding up the houses to reduce vandalism, Slonaker said. Commission officials drive by the houses daily to spot and report suspicious vehicles, he said.

The commission will decide within a month whether to demolish the homes or sell them and move them to other locations.

Meanwhile the residents of this county about 35 miles south of Dallas grow impatient.

"It looks like a ghost town," said Monnie Bratcher. "It's the most ragged-looking mess you've ever seen. People break in houses every time someone moves out."

## Thousands of troops return to Fort Hood

FORT HOOD, Texas (AP) — Months of arid desert duty behind them, thousands of soldiers returned to a soggy Texas Sunday, as the redeployment home from the Persian Gulf went into high gear.

An estimated 2,300 troops returned to the Central Texas base Sunday, and an additional 2,800 were expected Monday.

The chartered planes ferried soldiers from the 1st Cavalry Division, 2nd Armored Division and 13th Corps Support Command, who were eagerly greeted by fellow soldiers, loved ones and friends.

Hundreds of soldiers searched a beribboned Abrams Field House for their loved ones Sunday.

For the families of the soldiers, many of whom had been overseas for seven months, the day was one they had long prayed for.

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## Children's charity is flawed, FACES chief says

DALLAS (AP) — A charity for deformed children that uses entertainer Cher as its honorary chairwoman is being criticized for questionable spending tactics and misleading fund-raising methods.

The Dallas-based International Craniofacial Foundations Inc. solicits donations to benefit children with deformed faces. But a copyright story appearing in Sunday's editions of The Dallas Morning News said little of the charity's cash donations actually is spent on medical care for the children.

Contributors, a co-worker and even other charitable agencies have criticized ICF's founder, Marcy Rogers.

Priscilla Caine, executive director of FACES, a 20-year-old, Tennessee-based craniofacial charity, said three of her clients recently were turned down by ICF for financial help with surgery.

"One was told that the request for funds was on too short a notice, and two were told that ICF had no funds available," Ms. Caine said.

The agency says it provided $437,319 in support of medical care for patients in 1989 and 1990. But only $30,000 of that amount was spent during the period, the News reported.

"I think I can be criticized for not being a good money manager, because I have big dreams and I'm always trying to support the dreams," Ms. Rogers said.

As of last month, less than 40 patients have received direct monetary support during ICF's two-year existence.

## DEAR ABBY

# What songs other than Foster's are on the minds of campers?

DEAR ABBY: A few years ago, as part of a group of about 100 tourists, I found myself in Kiev, Russia, in a large dining hall. One member of our group, Gene, who was a wonderful organizer, initiated group singing in the spirit of international friendship. He circulated between the long tables and asked for suggestions as to which songs could be sung by the largest number of our group.



Van Buren

A group of Jordanians responded lustily with a stirring Jordanian song. Then some other groups, no doubt some of them Russian, contributed to the entertainment. We couldn't understand the words, but the spirit of nationalistic pride was evident in every measure.

When our turn came, we sang "America, the Beautiful," and a few others, which has me wondering — of all the folk and camp songs we have collectively heard, which are the most widely known among our entire population? — PEG NICHOLS, OLATHE, KAN.

DEAR PEG: A few that come to mind are: "Nothing Could Be Finer Than to Be in Carolina in the Morning," "My Blue Heaven," "Row, Row, Row Your Boat," "White Christmas," "Jingle Bells" and "Silent Night." (And for those who can't remember all the words, "La, la, la" is perfectly acceptable.)

DEAR ABBY: I recently attended a lovely wedding. That is, except for the ending when the priest pronounced the couple "man and wife." Almost every television and movie script is written the same way. It is very annoying; it sounds as if the woman has just been married, but the man is still single.

Abby, please publish this so that clergy and everyone else who perform marriage ceremonies will say, "I now pronounce you HUSBAND and wife" — instead of "man and wife." Or else, say, "I now pronounce you MAN and WOMAN," which would make them more equal. I work in a church and really think the words spoken at a wedding should be equitable for both partners. — JUDY WEAVER, DIACONAL MINISTER, UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

DEAR JUDY: I agree. Following a marriage ceremony, the appropriate pronouncement would be, "I now pronounce you husband and wife."

"I now pronounce you man and woman" would be appropriate only when spoken by a surgeon following a sex-change operation.

DEAR ABBY: Talk about a contradiction!

I pulled up behind a station wagon in traffic the other day, and on the bumper were three stickers that said: I AM PRO-LIFE, PREVENT CHILD ABUSE and HAVE YOU HUGGED YOUR CHILD TODAY?

And yet, standing up in the middle of the backseat was a preschool-age boy!

Abby, when will people get the message that one of the best ways to be pro-life, prevent child abuse and love your kids is to secure them into seat belts or child restraints?

Will we ever learn? — MAD IN ALABAMA

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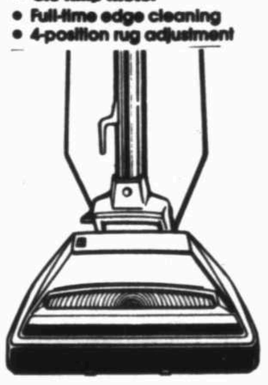
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# Woosnam Masters Augusta

■ A European takes the green jacket for the fourth straight year as Tom Watson's bid to repeat falls short.

**Associated Press**

AUGUSTA, Ga. — The little man won the big one.

For the fourth time in as many years, the green jacket of a Masters winner was draped around British shoulders Sunday, with 6-foot-3 Nick Faldo stooping over to adorn the 5-foot, 4½-inch frame of Ian Woosnam of Wales.

"He's a winner. He's proved it on the European tour and now he's proved it here," said Tom Watson, the slump-ridden 41-year-old who carried American hopes to the 72nd green of the Augusta National Golf Course.

It was there, after the exquisite pressure and back-nine drama this course seems to produce with such frequency, that the tough little Welshman finally outlasted the game but terminally erratic Watson.

A second double-bogey in nine holes — which went along with two eagles, a birdie and bogey — proved Watson's undoing on the 72nd hole.

And, coupled with a scrambling last-hole par from an area rarely visited by professional players, proved the making of the little golfer from Oswestry, a hamlet on the England-Wales border.

It provided him with a one-stroke victory over 25-year-old Jose-Maria Olazabal of Spain, made him the only man to win two American tour titles this year and solidified his claim to being — at least at this moment — the outstanding player in the world.

Although a relative unknown to U.S. audiences, the 33-year-old former amateur boxer supports his contention with impressive credentials.

Twice he's led the money-winning list, including last year. He's been a central figure on the European teams that have held the Ryder Cup since 1985.

He's won around the world, 26 times in all — in Hong Kong and Scandanavia, in Kenya and Kapalua, in Paris and Zambia.

Until this southern spring day, however, there was one hole in his record. He had not won one of golf's major titles — the Masters, U.S. and British Opens, the PGA.

He filled in that blank with an 8-foot second putt for par on the 72nd hole, a putt that finished off a far-from-routine par round of 72 and a 277 total.

■ **Complete scores from The Masters**/3C

"Obviously, a very tough day," said Woosnam, under attack from a half-dozen quarters over the final nine holes.

"All I had in my mind was to play steady. I feel a little bit lucky, but somebody has to win it," he said.

And, of course, somebody had to lose it.

That turned out to be Watson, the five-time British Open champion who alternated between scoring peaks and emotional troughs over the final nine holes, a stretch that produced three two-stroke swings from Watson to Woosnam, one three-stroke swing and, for Watson, the two double-bogeys and two eagles.

"Obviously, I'm disappointed. I missed some shots I shouldn't have missed today," Watson said.

One was a tee shot into the water on the par-3 12th hole. It produced a double-bogey that dropped him four shots off the pace.

He climbed back on the wings of eagles on Nos. 13 and 15, but made that last, telling, losing mistake on the final hole.

There, his tee shot went right, deep into the towering pines, eventually coming to rest in a bed of needles.

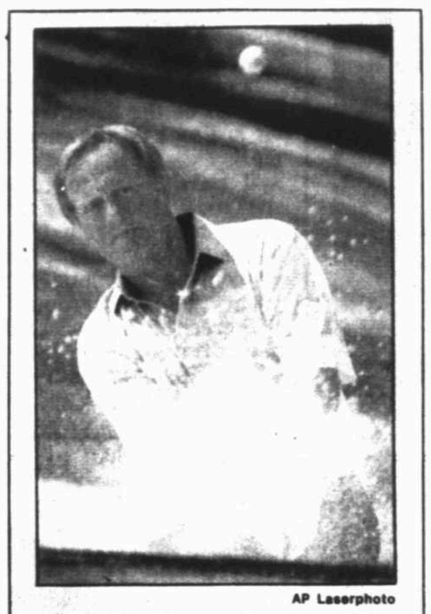
From there he hit into a greenside bunker and eventually finished on the ultimate low note, a 3-putt double-bogey.

It finished off a round of 73 and dropped him into a tie for third at 279 with Steve Pate.



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**Masters Champion Ian Woosnam reacts to the putt on the 18th hole that secured his first victory at a major tournament.**



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**Jack Nicklaus closed out the 55th Masters with a 76.**

# Bear goes quietly in final round

**Associated Press**

AUGUSTA, Ga. — Jack Nicklaus needed something good to happen on Sunday to move back into contention for a seventh Masters championship.

It didn't.

"I just never could pick myself back up again," Nicklaus said.

"I think I just used all my energy after what happened to me yesterday afternoon," he said. "I was terrible today. I just didn't have any get up and go."

Nicklaus, 51, played the first 45 holes of the Masters six under par. He gave those half-dozen shots back over the final 27, falling out of contention halfway through Saturday's third round to an even par 288 total for 72 holes, closing with a 76.

Nicklaus had birdied the seventh

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**MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL**

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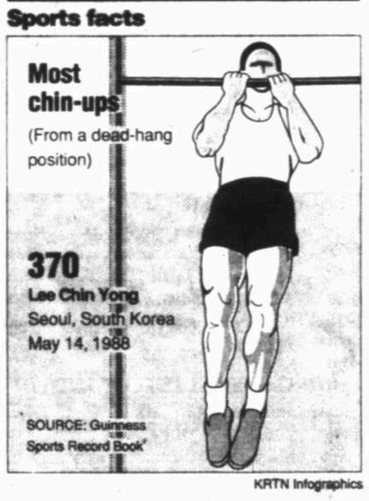
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### Sports Today

**TEXAS LEAGUE BASEBALL**

— Wichita Wranglers at Midland Angels, 7 p.m., Angels Stadium.

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### Phelps finished?

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — Digger Phelps will resign on Monday as coach at Notre Dame, according to a published report.

The New York Daily News reported in its Sunday editions that Phelps would announce his resignation at the South Bend campus after 20 years with the Fighting Irish. The News cited "a trusted college basketball source familiar with Notre Dame basketball."

There has been specualtion for months concerning the status of Phelps, whose Irish were a disappointing 12-20 last season. During the Big East tournament and the NCAA tournament, there were other reports that Phelps had coached his last game at Notre Dame.

### Meet Steve



Green

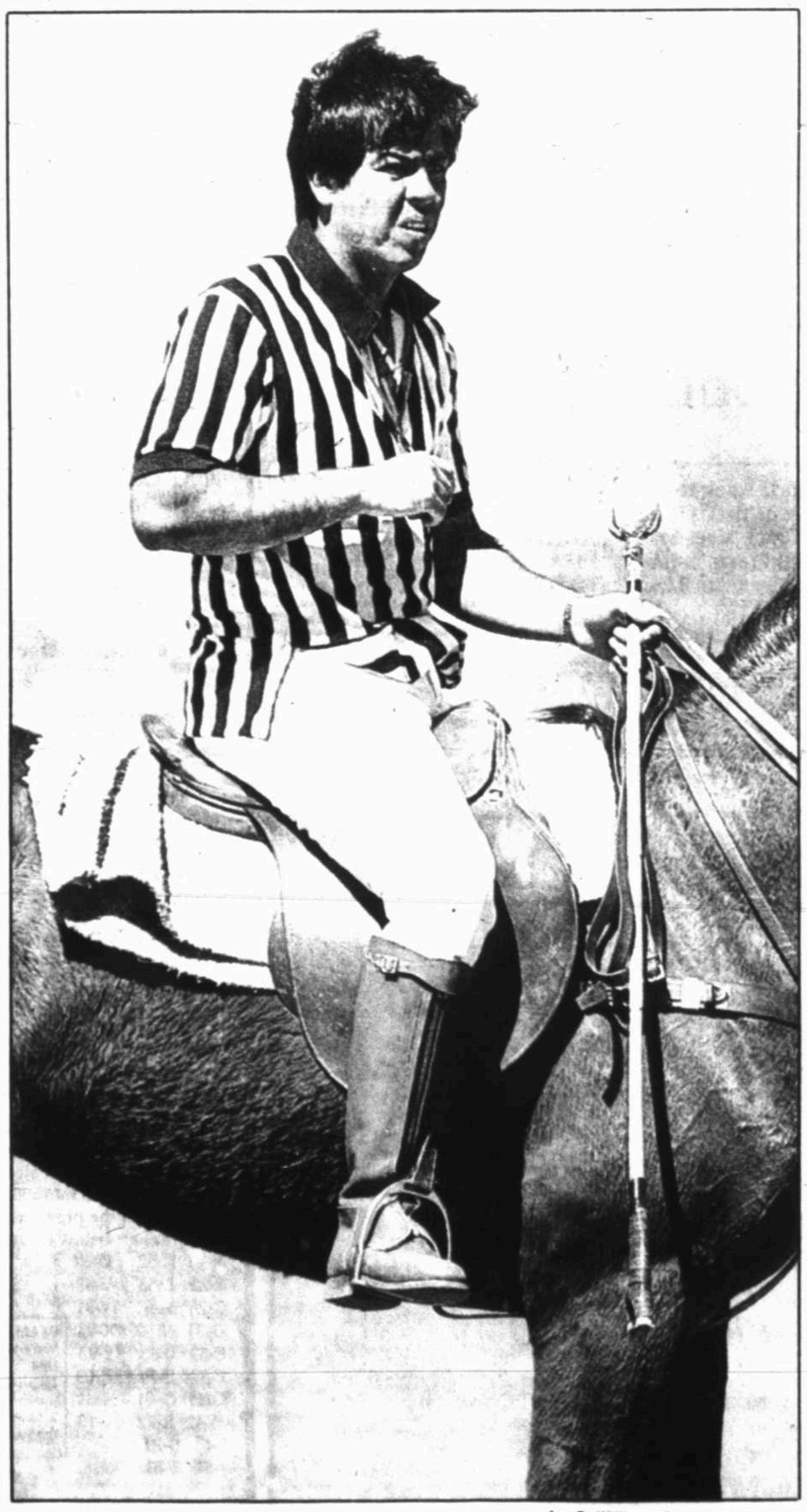
The Midland College Chaparral Boosters will host a "Meet Steve Green Night," 6:30 p.m. Monday at the MC Student Center's multipurpose room. There is no charge, and the public is welcome to attend.

Green was named MC's new head basketball coach in March.

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*Saddled up*

**World famous polo player Hector Galindo made an appearance Sunday at the Midland Polo Club.**

# Angels produce first Texas League victory

**By Terry Williamson**
Sports Editor

The eternal April dream for baseball's fans and teams is that first victory of the year and the Midland Angels found the Texas League win column Sunday night at Angels Stadium with a 6-4 win over the Wichita Wranglers.

"You know that first win is coming sooner or later, but you just don't know when," Midland second baseman Kevin Flora said after the victory that broke a season opening two-game losing streak to the Wranglers.

"Last year we won our first game then lost 10 in a row. You just never know. But it feels good to get that first one out of the way."

It was a power display on fireworks night by Tim Salmon and Mark Howie that produced the offense. Salmon connected for a wrong-field, three-run blast in the first inning and Howie hit a towering two-run shot to left in the fifth inning to break open a 3-3 game.

"You always wonder in this park when that first homer is coming, but I never thought it would be to right field," said right-handed hitting Salmon, who connected on a fastball from Wichita's Frank Seminara (0-1).

Salmon ended the night with three hits, including a double to go with his dinger. Howie also had a double. Midland recorded only nine hits, but six went for extra bases.

The only other Angel run came from back-to-back doubles in the eighth inning by Salmon and Damion Easley off of Wichita reliever Brian Wood.

But the Angel defense may get as many votes for the key to victory as the two impressive homers. The saying in baseball has always been that a team is as good as its defense up the middle.

Well, Flora, shortstop Easley and centerfielder Salmon were outstanding. Flora had two get-in-the-dirt-and-throw-you-out beauties. Easley shows that fluid release from shortstop that easily nails runners whether at first base or turning the double play. Salmon made two coming-at-me stabs on liners at the waist.

"I'm still feeling my way around in center. I played right field last year, so I'm still learning the position," said Salmon, who played at Palm Springs and Midland last year. "Our infield was really superb. They kept us out of trouble."

Flora, who played shortstop last season in Midland, countered, "I feel comfort-

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# Ryan protects lead; Rangers get first win

■ Kevin Reimer's three-run homer in the bottom of the first gives Texas the lead to stay.

**Associated Press**

ARLINGTON — The Texas Rangers finally beat up on somebody and Nolan Ryan finally beat the Baltimore Orioles.

Ryan and the Rangers ended embarrassing streaks Sunday in Texas' 15-3 romp over the Orioles.

Ryan beat Baltimore for the first time since April 20, 1976, scattering two hits in seven innings. He walked four and struck out nine in only his second triumph over the O's since throwing his fourth no-hitter to beat them on June 1, 1975.

Kevin Reimer's three-run homer in the first inning gave the Rangers a lead for the first time in nine games, including the final five games of spring training.

The Rangers entered the game batting .206 as a team, but pounded out 16 hits, including four by Rafael Palmeiro, who extended his hitting streak to five games. He is hitting .523 (11-for-21).

The Rangers got eight of their runs off reliever Jose Bautista in the sixth and seventh innings.

Ryan (1-1) got off to a shaky start, giv-

### American

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# AMERICAN: 'Jays trounce Brewers on Key's two-hitter

(From 1C)

ing up a three-run homer to Sam Horn in the first inning. But he settled down and allowed only Glenn Davis' third-inning single after that as the Rangers broke a season-opening four-game losing streak.

Reimer's 406-foot shot to right in the bottom of the first put Texas ahead 4-3.

"Horn's home run was a little bit of a wakeup call," said Brian Downing, who hit his first homer as a Ranger in the fourth inning, making it 7-3.

"When Kevin put a three-run homer in the seats, every one took a deep breath and gave thanks," Rangers manager Bobby Valentine said.

Ryan said that with the exception of the first inning, "I thought I pitched a pretty good game."

"It seems we get ourselves in a hole and never recover," Ryan said. "But I've seen teams go through streaks like this before. Hopefully, what you've seen is the longest losing streak of the season."

Ryan said he didn't give much thought to the drought against Baltimore because he spent nine years in the National League with the Houston Astros.

But before Sunday's victory, Ryan was 1-11 in 15 starts since his no-hitter against Baltimore. Lifetime, he is 6-16 against Baltimore.

**Blue Jays 9, Brewers 0**

TORONTO — Jimmy Key pitched a two-hitter and rookie Mark Whiten singled twice in a six-run second inning as Toronto beat Milwaukee.

At 5-2, the Blue Jays are off to their best start since the club's inaugural season in 1977.

Key (2-0) struck out five and walked two in recording his fifth career shutout and 21st complete game.

Don August (0-1) made his quickest exit ever, allowing six runs on six hits in one-plus inning.

Whiten and Greg Myers started the second with back-to-back singles and Manuel Lee's sacrifice loaded the bases when Whiten beat the throw to third. Mookie Wilson singled in and out of August's glove to drive in Whiten and Myers came home on a wild pitch.

Devon White, who had three RBIs, chased August with a two-run double to score Lee and Wilson before Julio Machado relieved, getting Roberto Alomar on a pop-up for the first out of the inning.

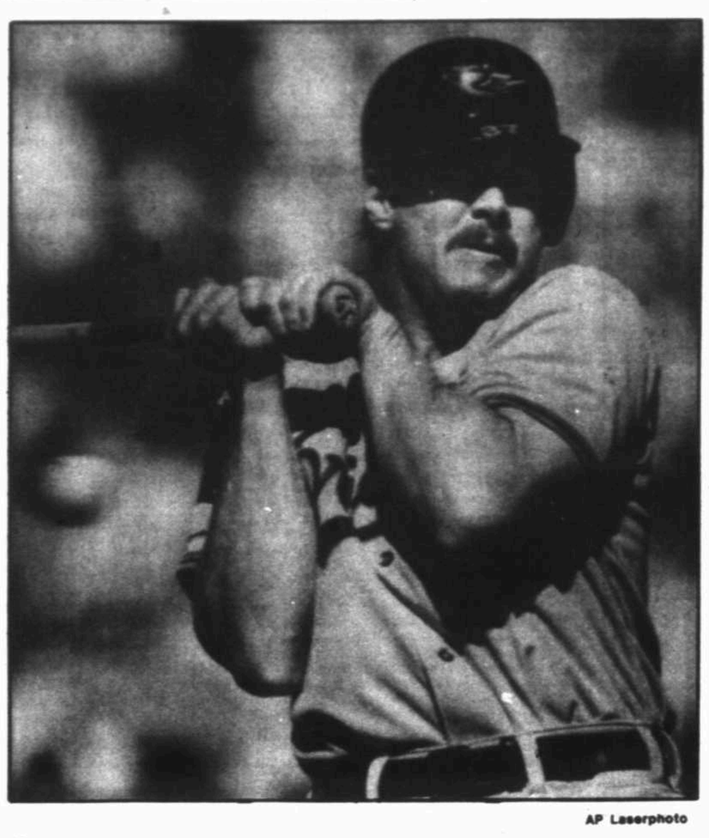
**Angels 9, Twins 4**

MINNEAPOLIS — Former Twin Gary Gaetti, booed at the Metrodome during the weekend, drove in four runs to help the California Angels beat Jack Morris.

It was also a big day for Luis Polonia. The diminutive outfielder had three hits, scored three runs and stole three bases as the Angels improved to 5-1. It equals California's best start even, also achieved in 1970 and 1974.

Polonia, who has an 11-game hitting streak dating back to last season, was not retired in his first four plate appearances.

He singled and scored to lead off the game, walked and scored in the third and drove in two runs with singles in the fourth and sixth innings. He hit .389 last season against Minnesota.



AP Laserphoto

**Baltimore slugger Glenn Davis reacts to a Nolan Ryan curve ball during the sixth inning in Arlington, Sunday afternoon. The pitch was called a strike.**

**Royals 5, Yankees 3**

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — Kirk Gibson hit two homers and drove in four runs and Mike Boddicker gave up no runs in eight innings as Kansas City beat New York.

Gibson, who signed as a free agent with the Royals over the winter, homered in the first and eighth innings. His last two-homer game was for Los Angeles at Chicago on July 14, 1988.

**Indians 6, Red Sox 0**

BOSTON — Albert Belle hit two homers and drove in four runs and knuckleballer Tom Candiotti pitched four-hit ball over seven innings.

Belle, who led the majors with 11 home runs in spring training after missing most of 1990 while in a rehab program for alcoholism, hit a two-run homer off Greg Harris (0-2) in the first inning.

**A's 7, Mariners 6**

OAKLAND, Calif. — Seattle blew a chance to halt Dave Stewart's 20-game April winning streak as Oakland rallied from a five-run deficit to beat the winless Mariners.

Mark McGwire's two-out single in the ninth inning off reliever Mike Jackson (0-1) drove home Dave Henderson from second base.

# BEAR: Winningest Master falls from contention at 10th

(From 1C)

hole on Saturday, and gained a share of the lead on the eighth fairway when Tom Watson bogeyed.

He had a birdie putt at the par-5 eighth on Saturday, stroked it, then raised his putter thinking it was in the hole. It lipped out, leaving him with a tap-in for par.

He bogeyed the ninth, double-bogeyed the 10th and wasn't in contention again.

"I sort of gave my round away," he said of the Saturday collapse. "It just took all the energy out of me.

"I knew I had to get a quick start today. I just never could pick myself back up again. It's the way it went. I obviously played that way on the back nine. I shot 39."

The gallery surrounding the 18th green still had a standing ovation at the end when Jack strolled to the green, where he missed a 10-foot par putt.

Some spectator tried to rattle Nicklaus on the 16th green. A man holding a sign that read "Rapture" was blowing an air horn as Nicklaus lined up an 11-foot birdie putt.

"I wouldn't even give him the satisfaction of talking about it," Nicklaus said. "He was trying to get me to miss the putt. He didn't succeed. I missed it myself."

Nicklaus went through the final round with three birdies and seven bogeys.

"I just didn't have much feel," he said. "I got a nice birdie at 2, then I had a little 105-yard shot at 3 and I hit it 115 over the green. I three-putted 4 where I had a 25-foot putt and left it six feet short. I just didn't have a whole lot of touch."

He said the par-3 seventh ended any hopes of recovering when he lipped out a 10-11-foot putt, ran it 2½ feet by the hole and missed for bogey.

# Astros cut Giants down to size, 7-2

**Associated Press**

HOUSTON — Ken Caminiti hit a three-run homer and Jimmy Jones pitched 7⅓ strong innings Sunday to lead the Houston Astros past the San Francisco Giants 7-2.

The Giants, who got 19 hits in a 16-2 victory over the Astros on Saturday night, didn't get their first hit until the fourth inning and didn't score until the eighth.

Jones allowed five hits and both runs, struck out six and walked three. He was a non-roster invitee to spring training and earned a spot in the rotation with a 3-0 record and 0.93 ERA.

John Burkett (0-1) gave up six hits and four runs in four innings for the Giants.

Craig Biggio, rested on Saturday, matched his career high with four hits on Sunday. He also did it on Aug. 15, 1990, against the Chicago Cubs.

Houston took a 4-0 lead in the fourth. Steve Finley doubled, Biggio singled and Luis Gonzalez doubled for the first run. After Ken Caminiti struck out and Ken Oberkfell walked, Karl Rhodes hit a sacrifice fly and Candaele hit a two-run triple.

Caminiti's first home run of the season came in the fifth inning off reliever Trevor Wilson, who has pitched in four of the Giants' six games.

## National

**Mets 7, Expos 1**

NEW YORK — Hubie Brooks and Rick Cerone hit two-run singles in the first inning and the New York Mets won in another walkover behind Frank Viola's five-hitter.

The Mets drew seven more walks, including Brooks and pinch-hitter Dave Magadan with the bases loaded in the seventh inning. In seven games, the Mets have walked 55 times, twice any other team's total in the majors.

Kevin Elster, making his first start since Aug. 3, 1990, hit a solo home run in the eighth as the Mets dropped Montreal to 2-5. The Expos were never three games below .500 last season.

Viola (1-0) struck out three and walked one in improving to 5-1 lifetime against Montreal.

**Cubs 6, Pirates 4**

CHICAGO — Stan Belinda walked Doug Dascenzo with the bases loaded to force home the go-ahead run in the eighth inning, and Chicago beat Pittsburgh.

Shawon Dunston opened the eighth with a single off Stan Belinda (0-1) and Gary Scott beat out a bunt single. Belinda walked Chico Walker and Dascenzo on 3-2 pitches to force in a run and Mark Grace followed with a run-scoring groundout.

Heath Slocumb (1-0) pitched 1 1-3 hitless innings for his first career victory and Dave Smith pitched the ninth inning for his second save.

**Braves 12, Reds 1**

CINCINNATI — Tom Glavine beat Cincinnati for the ninth time in 11 career decisions and Rafael Belliard had three hits and drove in three runs.

Glavine (1-0) allowed five hits in six innings, walked two and struck out six. Three relievers finished up as Atlanta sent the Reds to their third consecutive loss.

Greg Olson also had three hits for the Braves, who had 16 hits off four pitchers. Tom Browning (1-1) allowed four runs and seven hits in seven innings. Just two of the runs were earned as the Reds made three errors.

Don Carman allowed three runs without getting an out in the eighth and Tim Layana was tagged for five runs and six hits in the ninth.

**Cardinals 11, Phillies 7**

PHILADELPHIA — Felix Jose drove in four runs with a homer and a bases-loaded double as St. Louis beat Philadelphia.

Bryn Smith (2-0) allowed six hits and six runs in seven innings, but two of the runs were unearned because of two St. Louis errors. Lee Smith, who has saved the Cardinals' three victories, got the final four outs.

Dave LaPoint, signed by Philadelphia in spring training after the New York Yankees released him, made his first start for the Phillies and was ineffective.

**Padres 5, Dodgers 3**

LOS ANGELES — Ed Whitson pitched six strong innings and two errors by backup first baseman Stan Javier led to three unearned runs as the San Diego Padres beat Los Angeles.

Whitson (1-0) allowed three hits, walked none and struck out four, retiring his final 17 batters. Pat Clements pitched 1 2-3 inning and Craig Lefferts finished the five-hitter for his second save.

# ANGELS: James picks up the win with a solid performance

(From 1C)

able with what we have up the middle on defense. Tim and Damion are good athletes and I'm just trying to do what I can do. We can cover some ground."

Midland's Todd James pitched six innings to get his first victory. It was a good outing, getting touched only by a two-run homer by Wichita's Charlie Hilleman in the third.

The Wranglers got the other run off of James in the first without a hit as Brian Cisarik walked, stole second, moved to third on a wild pitch and scored on James' second wild pitch of the inning.

Doug Robertson pitched two shutout innings in relief and Mark Zappelli got the bullpen's first save of the year even though he allowed a run in a troublesome ninth. Zappelli finally got out of a bases loaded jam when he got Darrel Sherman to ground out to Flora to end the game.

The two teams play again today at 7 p.m with the Angels having sights set on evening the series.

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# Greenwood girls win title

**Staff Report**

The Greenwood girls track team used 159 points to win first place in the District 6-3A Track Meet Friday and will take eight team members to the regional meet, April 26-27 in Odessa.

Colorado City finished second with 115 points.

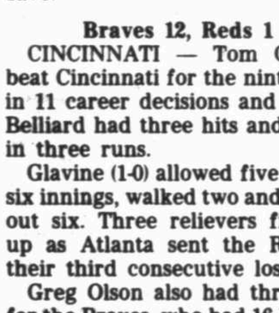
Greenwood's region qualifiers are Myrna Erivas, 800; 800 relay (Sacha Stanley, Tamara Baze, Kim Hunnicutt and Brandy Fowler); Gina Hodges, 1600; Fowler, long jump and triple jump; and Melinda Rose, high jump.

**Team Scores**

1. Greenwood, 159; 2. Colorado City, 115; 3. Crane, 94; Sonora 86½; Big Lake, 73½; Kermit, 48.

**Greenwood Scores**

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| Whitt c | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Diaz 3b | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Bell 2b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Pettis cf | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Totals | 31 | 3 | 5 | 3 | Totals | 36 | 15 | 16 | 14 |
| Baltimore | | | | | 300 000 000— 3 | | | | |
| Texas | | | | | 401 204 40x—15 | | | | |

DP—Baltimore 1, Texas 1. LOB—Baltimore 6, Texas 5. 2B—BAnderson (1), Palmeiro 2 (3), Sierra (3), Buechele (3), Pettis (1). HR—Horn (1), Downing (1), Reimer (2). SB—Pettis (2). CS—Reimer (1). S—Pettis.

| | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Baltimore** | | | | | | |
| Jeffcn L,0-1 | 2 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 3 | 1 |
| Kilgus | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| Bautista | 3 | 9 | 8 | 8 | 1 | 0 |
| **Texas** | | | | | | |
| Ryan W,1-1 | 7 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 9 |
| Gossage | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Jeffcoat | 2-3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Russell | 1-3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

JMRobinson pitched to 2 batters in the 3rd. HBP—by Bautista (Downing), by Kilgus (Buechele). WP—Bautista. T—2:59. A—24,084.

### Tribe 6, Red Sox 0

| CLEVELAND | ab | r | h | bi | BOSTON | ab | r | h | bi |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Huff cf | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Boggs 3b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Browne 2b | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Reed 2b | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Beerga 3b | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 | Grnwll lf | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Belle lf | 5 | 2 | 3 | 4 | JClark dh | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| SAlmar c | 5 | 0 | 3 | 1 | Burks cf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Jacoby 1b | 5 | 0 | 2 | 1 | Brnsky rf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| CJmes dh | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Qintana 1b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Fermin ss | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Pena c | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| TWard rf | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | Nhring ss | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 37 | 6 | 13 | 6 | Totals | 32 | 0 | 5 | 0 |
| Cleveland | | | | | 300 001 301—6 | | | | |
| Boston | | | | | 000 000 000—0 | | | | |

E—Browne (3), Jacoby (2), Nehring (1). DP—Boston 1. LOB—Cleveland 11, Boston 11. 2B—Alomar 2 (3), Jacoby (1), Greenwell (2). HR—Belle 2 (3). SB—Greenwell (1). CS—Alomar (1), Jacoby (1).

| | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Cleveland** | | | | | | |
| Candiotti W,2-0 | 7 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 9 |
| Orosco | 1-3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Olin | 2-3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| DJones | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| **Boston** | | | | | | |
| GHarris L,0-2 | 5 | 8 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 4 |
| Klecker | 1 2-3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| Hesketh | 1 1-3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Reardon | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 |

GHarris pitched to 2 batters in the 8th. T—3:11. A—33,348.

### Jays 9, Brewers 0

| MILWAUKEE | ab | r | h | bi | TORONTO | ab | r | h | bi |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Molitor dh | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | White cf | 5 | 2 | 2 | 3 |
| Rndlph 2b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | RAlmr 2b | 5 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Shffield 3b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Gruber 3b | 4 | 2 | 3 | 1 |
| Yount cf | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | JCarter dh | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Hmlton cf | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Olerud 1b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Bchette rf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Whiten rf | 4 | 1 | 2 | 2 |
| Brock 1b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Myers c | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| GVghn lf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | MLee ss | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Surhoff c | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | MWlsn lf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Spiers ss | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | | |
| Svsum ss | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | | |
| Totals | 28 | 0 | 2 | 0 | Totals | 37 | 9 | 13 | 8 |
| Milwaukee | | | | | 000 000 000—0 | | | | |
| Toronto | | | | | 160 000 02x—9 | | | | |

DP—Toronto 1. LOB—Milwaukee 3, Toronto 8. 2B—White 2 (8), Carter 2 (8), MLee (3). HR—Gruber (1). S—MLee.

| | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Milwaukee** | | | | | | |
| August L,0-1 | 1 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 0 | 2 |
| Machado | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 4 |
| Holmes | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 6 |
| Plesac | 1 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| **Toronto** | | | | | | |
| Key W,2-0 | 9 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 5 |

August pitched to 5 batters in the 2nd. WP—August, Machado 2. T—2:36. A—47,138.

### Royals 5, Yankees 3

| NEW YORK | ab | r | h | bi | KANSAS CITY | ab | r | h | bi |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Sax 2b | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | McRae cf | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Mttngly 1b | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Seitz 3b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Kelly cf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Brett 1b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Maas dh | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Trtabll rf | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Mulens lf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | KGibson dh | 4 | 2 | 2 | 4 |
| Nokes c | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Esnrich lf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Blwers ph | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | McRine c | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Leader pr | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Stllwell ss | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| JeBarfld rf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Pacota ss | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Leyritz 3b | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Howard 2b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Espnza ss | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | | |
| Hall ph | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 | | | | | |
| Velarde pr | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | | |
| Totals | 33 | 3 | 6 | 3 | Totals | 36 | 5 | 13 | 5 |
| New York | | | | | 000 000 003—3 | | | | |
| Kansas City | | | | | 400 000 01x—5 | | | | |

E—Boddicker. DP—Kansas City 1. LOB—New York 6, Kansas City 8. 2B—Mattingly (1), Nokes (4), Hall (1), Tartabull (3). HR—KGibson 2 (2). SB—Kelly (1). CS—Tartabull (1).

| | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **New York** | | | | | | |
| Hawkins L,0-1 | 6 | 10 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 0 |
| Monteleone | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Plunk | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| **Kansas City** | | | | | | |
| Boddicker W,1-1 | 8 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 |
| MDavis | 1-3 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| Montgomery S,3 | 2-3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

T—2:30. A—30,006.

### Angels 9, Twins 4

| CALIFORNIA | ab | r | h | bi | MINNESOTA | ab | r | h | bi |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Polonia lf | 4 | 3 | 3 | 2 | Gldden lf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| DHill 2b | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | Knblch 2b | 3 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| Gaetti 3b | 4 | 0 | 2 | 4 | Puckett rf | 4 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| DPrker dh | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | CDavis dh | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Parrish c | 5 | 1 | 2 | 2 | Hrbek 1b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Howell 1b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | Mack cf | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Felix cf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | Bush rf | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Vnable rf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | Ortiz c | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Schfield ss | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | Leius 3b | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| | | | | | Pgnzlo ph | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | | | | | Gagne ss | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| | | | | | Nrman ss | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 38 | 9 | 14 | 9 | Totals | 31 | 4 | 6 | 4 |
| California | | | | | 112 103 100—9 | | | | |
| Minnesota | | | | | 000 120 010—4 | | | | |

DP—California 2, Minnesota 2. LOB—California 8, Minnesota 5. 2B—Howell (1), Vnable (1), Knoblauch (1), Puckett (2). 3B—Mack (1). HR—Parrish (2). SB—Polonia 3 (4), Felix (1), Schofield (1). SF—Gaetti.

| | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **California** | | | | | | |
| Finley W,2-0 | 7 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 5 | 5 |
| Eichhorn | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| **Minnesota** | | | | | | |
| Morris L,0-2 | 5 2-3 | 13 | 8 | 8 | 2 | 6 |
| Bedrosian | 1 1-3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Wayne | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Aguilera | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |

Finley pitched to 1 batter in the 8th. HBP—by Wayne (DParker). WP—Morris. T—2:53. A—22,513.

### A's 7, Mariners 6

| SEATTLE | ab | r | h | bi | OAKLAND | ab | r | h | bi |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Rynlds 2b | 5 | 0 | 1 | 2 | Weiss ss | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Briley lf | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | Blkshp 2b | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| EMrtnz 3b | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | DHdsn cf | 4 | 3 | 3 | 1 |
| GrfyJr cf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | Cnseco rf | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| ADavis dh | 5 | 0 | 1 | 1 | Baines dh | 4 | 1 | 2 | 2 |
| OBrien 1b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Stnbch c | 5 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Buhner rf | 3 | 2 | 2 | 1 | McGwr 1b | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Valle c | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | WWhsn lf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Vizquel ss | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Riles 3b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Schefer ss | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Gallego 2b | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Totals | 32 | 6 | 8 | 6 | Totals | 33 | 7 | 8 | 6 |
| Seattle | | | | | 230 001 000—6 | | | | |
| Oakland | | | | | 004 002 001—7 | | | | |

E—Reynolds (1), Vizquel (2), Weiss (2), Gallego (1). DP—Oakland 3. LOB—Seattle 8, Oakland 9. 2B—Reynolds (2), DHendrson 2 (3), Baines (3). HR—Buhner (1). SB—Briley (1), Schaefer (1). CS—Gallego (1). S—Griffey Jr, Riles. SF—Briley.

| | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Seattle** | | | | | | |
| Hanson | 6 | 6 | 6 | 4 | 6 | 8 |
| Swan | 1 1-3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| MJackson L,0-1 | 1 1-3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| **Oakland** | | | | | | |
| Stewart | 5 2-3 | 8 | 6 | 6 | 5 | 5 |
| Klink | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Chitren | 1 1-3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| Atlison W,1-0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Chitren pitched to 1 batter in the 9th. WP—MJackson. T—3:21. A—26,949.

## Deposit Classic

**HATTIESBURG, Miss. (AP) — Final scores Sunday of the $300,000 PGA Deposit Guaranty Classic on the 6,280-yard, par-70 Hattiesburg Country Club course (a-denotes amateur):**

| | |
|---|---|
| Larry Silveira | 66-69-71-63—269 |
| Russ Cochran | 69-65-69-63—266 |
| Mike Nicolette | 65-65-68-68—266 |
| Fred Funk | 66-67-65-68—267 |
| Brandt Chamblee | 71-67-64-66—268 |
| Jerry Haas | 66-69-66-67—268 |
| Brad Fabel | 70-65-67-67—269 |
| Brian Watts | 65-68-69-67—269 |
| Dan Halldorson | 68-68-66-67—269 |

## Baseball Standings

All Times CDT

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**
**East Division**

| | W | L | Pct | GB | L10 | Streak | Home | Away |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Toronto | 5 | 2 | .714 | — | 5-2 | Won 1 | 5-2 | 0-0 |
| Cleveland | 3 | 3 | .500 | 1½ | 3-3 | Won 1 | 0-0 | 3-3 |
| Milwaukee | 3 | 3 | .500 | 1½ | 3-3 | Lost 1 | 0-0 | 3-3 |
| Baltimore | 2 | 3 | .400 | 2 | 2-3 | Lost 1 | 0-2 | 2-1 |
| Detroit | 2 | 3 | .400 | 2 | 2-3 | Lost 2 | 2-3 | 0-0 |
| Boston | 2 | 4 | .333 | 2½ | 2-4 | Lost 1 | 1-2 | 1-2 |
| New York | 2 | 4 | .333 | 2½ | 2-4 | Lost 1 | 0-0 | 2-4 |
| **West Division** | | | | | | | | |
| | W | L | Pct | GB | L10 | Streak | Home | Away |
| Chicago | 4 | 0 | 1.000 | — | 4-0 | Won 4 | 0-0 | 4-0 |
| California | 5 | 1 | .833 | — | 5-1 | Won 2 | 0-0 | 5-1 |
| Oakland | 5 | 1 | .833 | — | 5-1 | Won 4 | 5-1 | 0-0 |
| Kansas City | 4 | 2 | .667 | 1 | 4-2 | Won 1 | 4-2 | 0-0 |
| Minnesota | 2 | 4 | .333 | 3 | 2-4 | Lost 2 | 1-2 | 1-2 |
| Texas | 1 | 4 | .200 | 3½ | 1-4 | Won 1 | 1-4 | 0-0 |
| Seattle | 0 | 6 | .000 | 5 | 0-6 | Lost 6 | 0-3 | 0-3 |

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**
**East Division**

| | W | L | Pct | GB | L10 | Streak | Home | Away |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 5 | 2 | .714 | — | 5-2 | Won 2 | 5-2 | 0-0 |
| Chicago | 3 | 3 | .500 | 1½ | 3-3 | Won 2 | 3-3 | 0-0 |
| Philadelphia | 3 | 3 | .500 | 1½ | 3-3 | Lost 1 | 2-1 | 1-2 |
| Pittsburgh | 3 | 3 | .500 | 1½ | 3-3 | Lost 2 | 2-1 | 1-2 |
| St. Louis | 3 | 3 | .500 | 1½ | 3-3 | Won 1 | 0-0 | 3-3 |
| Montreal | 2 | 5 | .286 | 3 | 2-5 | Lost 2 | 0-0 | 2-5 |
| **West Division** | | | | | | | | |
| | W | L | Pct | GB | L10 | Streak | Home | Away |
| San Diego | 5 | 1 | .833 | — | 5-1 | Won 3 | 2-1 | 3-0 |
| Houston | 3 | 3 | .500 | 2 | 3-3 | Won 1 | 2-1 | 1-2 |
| Atlanta | 2 | 2 | .500 | 2 | 2-2 | Won 2 | 0-2 | 2-0 |
| Cincinnati | 2 | 3 | .400 | 2½ | 2-3 | Lost 3 | 2-3 | 0-0 |
| Los Angeles | 2 | 3 | .400 | 2½ | 2-3 | Lost 3 | 0-3 | 2-0 |
| San Francisco | 2 | 4 | .333 | 3 | 2-4 | Lost 1 | 0-0 | 2-4 |

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**

**Sunday's Games**
Cleveland 6, Boston 0
Chicago at Detroit, ppd., rain
Toronto 9, Milwaukee 0
California 9, Minnesota 4
Kansas City 5, New York 3
Texas 15, Baltimore 3
Oakland 7, Seattle 6

**Monday's Games**
Cleveland (Nagy 0-1) at Boston (Young 0-0), 10:05 a.m.
Chicago (Hibbard 1-0) at New York (Sanderson 1-0), noon.
Baltimore (Mesa 0-1) at Milwaukee (Bosio 1-0), 1:35 p.m.
Toronto (Stottlemyre 0-0) at Detroit (Terrell 0-1), 6:35 p.m.
Oakland (Welch 0-1) at California (McCaskill 1-0), 9 p.m.
Minnesota (A.Anderson 1-0) at Seattle (R.Johnson 0-1), 9:05 p.m.
Only games scheduled

**Tuesday's Games**
Kansas City at Boston, 1:05 p.m.
Texas at Cleveland, 1:35 p.m.
Chicago at New York, 7:30 p.m.
Toronto at Detroit, 7:35 p.m.
Minnesota at Seattle, 10:35 p.m.
Oakland at California, 10:35 p.m.
Only games scheduled

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**

**Sunday's Games**
St. Louis 11, Philadelphia 7
New York 7, Montreal 1
Atlanta 12, Cincinnati 1
Chicago 6, Pittsburgh 4
Houston 7, San Francisco 2
San Diego 5, Los Angeles 3

**Monday's Games**
St. Louis (DeLeon 0-1) at Montreal (Boyd 0-1), 12:35 p.m.
Philadelphia (Grimsley 0-0) at Chicago (G.Maddux 1-0), 6:05 p.m.
New York (Cone 0-0) at Pittsburgh (Z.Smith 1-0), 6:35 p.m.
Houston (Deshaies 0-0) at Atlanta (Smoltz 0-1), 6:40 p.m.
Cincinnati (Rijo 1-0) at San Diego (Hurst 1-0), 9:05 p.m.
Los Angeles (Belcher 1-0) at San Francisco (Black 0-1), 9:05 p.m.

## NBA Results

**National Basketball Association**
**By The Associated Press**

**EASTERN CONFERENCE**

**Atlantic Division**

| | W | L | Pct. | GB |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| y-Boston | 56 | 22 | .718 | — |
| x-Philadel | 43 | 35 | .551 | 13 |
| x-New York | 37 | 42 | .468 | 19½ |
| Washington | 29 | 49 | .372 | 27 |
| New Jersey | 24 | 54 | .308 | 32 |
| Miami | 23 | 55 | .295 | 33 |

**Central Division**

| | W | L | Pct. | GB |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| y-Chicago | 57 | 21 | .731 | — |
| x-Detroit | 48 | 31 | .608 | 9½ |
| x-Milwaukee | 47 | 31 | .603 | 10 |
| x-Atlanta | 42 | 36 | .538 | 15 |
| x-Indiana | 39 | 40 | .494 | 18½ |
| Cleveland | 30 | 49 | .380 | 27½ |
| Charlotte | 24 | 54 | .308 | 33 |

**WESTERN CONFERENCE**

**Midwest Division**

| | W | L | Pct. | GB |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| x-San Antonio | 52 | 26 | .667 | — |
| x-Utah | 51 | 27 | .654 | 1 |
| x-Houston | 50 | 27 | .649 | 1½ |
| Orlando | 28 | 50 | .359 | 24 |
| Dallas | 26 | 52 | .333 | 26 |
| Minnesota | 26 | 52 | .333 | 26 |
| Denver | 19 | 59 | .244 | 33 |

**Pacific Division**

| | W | L | Pct. | GB |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| y-Portland | 61 | 18 | .772 | — |
| x-LA Lakers | 56 | 22 | .718 | 4½ |
| x-Phoenix | 52 | 23 | .667 | 8½ |
| x-Golden State | 41 | 38 | .519 | 20 |
| x-Seattle | 40 | 38 | .513 | 20½ |
| LA Clippers | 31 | 47 | .397 | 29½ |
| Sacramento | 23 | 54 | .299 | 37 |

x-clinched playoff berth
y-clinched division title

**Sunday's Games**
Boston 115, New York 102
Minnesota 96, Philadelphia 86
Washington 101, Miami 96
San Antonio 109, Phoenix 101
Indiana 125, Detroit 107
Portland 139, Orlando 119

**Monday's Games**
Milwaukee at Chicago, 7 p.m.
Sacramento at Minnesota, 7 p.m.
Houston at Seattle, 9 p.m.
Dallas at LA Lakers, 9:30 p.m.

### Spurs 109, Suns 101

**SAN ANTONIO (109)**
Cummings 11-18 2-2 24, Elliott 3-10 8-10 14, Robinson 8-22 7-10 23, Anderson 12-17 1-1 25, Strickland 5-12 3-4 13, Green 2-6 2-3 6, Pressey 1-5 0-0 2, Wingate 1-3 0-0 2. Totals 43-93 23-30 109.

**PHOENIX (101)**
McDaniel 5-10 4-6 14, Rambis 0-2 0-0 0, West 7-9 1-1 15, Hornacek 9-23 0-0 20, Knight 12-25 3-4 27, Chambers 2-15 0-0 4, Lang 1-2 0-0 2, Ceballos 6-11 0-0 13, Nealy 1-2 0-1 2, Perry 2-2 0-0 4. Totals 45-101 8-12 101.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| San Antonio | 22 | 29 | 27 | 31—109 |
| Phoenix | 18 | 25 | 27 | 31—101 |

3-Point goals—San Antonio 0-1 (Strickland 0-1), Phoenix 3-11 (Hornacek 2-5, Ceballos 1-1, Chambers 0-1, Lang 0-1, Nealy 0-1, Knight 0-2). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—San Antonio 63 (Robinson 15), Phoenix 54 (McDaniel 8). Assists—San Antonio 27 (Anderson 7), Phoenix 18 (Hornacek 7). Total fouls—San Antonio 19, Phoenix 23. Technical—Phoenix coach Fitzsimmons. A—14,487.

### Celtics 115, Knicks 102

**NEW YORK (102)**
Walker 4-7 4-5 12, Vandeweghe 6-12 2-2 15, Ewing 12-22 9-9 33, Cheeks 1-3 2-2 4, Tucker 7-13 2-4 18, Oakley 3-4 0-1 6, Jackson 1-3 0-0 2, Starks 1-5 1-2 3, Quinnett 2-8 0-0 4, E.Wilkins 1-2 0-0 2, Mustaf 0-0 0-0 0, Grant 1-1 0-0 3. Totals 39-80 20-25 102.

**BOSTON (115)**
Gamble 10-17 8-8 28, Pinckney 2-4 0-0 4, Parish 8-15 7-9 23, Shaw 8-14 1-2 17, Lewis 8-15 4-4 20, McHale 4-14 0-1 8, Kleine 2-3 0-0 4, Brown 3-8 3-3 9, M.Smith 0-1 0-0 0, Wynder 0-0 2-2 2. Totals 45-91 25-29 115.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 29 | 26 | 23 | 24—102 |
| Boston | 37 | 26 | 31 | 21—115 |

3-Point goals—New York 4-12 (Tucker 2-5, Grant 1-1, Vandeweghe 1-2, Jackson 0-1, Starks 0-1, Quinnett 0-2), Boston 0-1 (Kleine 0-1). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—New York 40 (Oakley 7), Boston 56 (Parish 13). Assists—New York 27 (Cheeks 7), Boston 24 (Shaw 10). Total fouls—New York 21, Boston 22. Technicals—New York illegal defense, McHale, Oakley. A—14,890.

### Bullets 101, Heat 96

**MIAMI (96)**
Burton 6-14 2-2 14, Long 2-9 4-4 8, Seikaly 5-13 5-8 16, Douglas 10-20 6-10 26, Rice 6-15 1-2 14, Edwards 5-12 3-3 15, Davis 0-1 3-6 3, Kessler 0-0 0-0 0, Coles 0-0 0-0 0, Askins 0-0 0-0 0, Ogg 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 34-84 24-35 96.

**WASHINGTON (101)**
Grant 11-15 4-5 26, Williams 5-15 4-4 14, Ellison 1-4 2-4 4, Walker 2-4 0-0 4, Workman 2-4 3-4 7, Foster 5-7 2-3 12, English 1-8 0-0 2, Hammonds 5-10 5-7 15, Eackles 5-12 7-9 17. Totals 37-79 27-36 101.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Miami | 18 | 27 | 27 | 24— 96 |
| Washington | 25 | 18 | 26 | 32—101 |

3-Point goals—Miami 4-10 (Edwards 2-3, Seikaly 1-1, Rice 1-4, Long 0-2), Washington 0-3 (English 0-1, Williams 0-2). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Miami 54 (Seikaly 20), Washington 58 (Williams 10). Assists—Miami 12 (Seikaly 5), Washington 21 (Walker 6). Total fouls—Miami 26, Washington 33. Technicals—Burton, Walker. A—9,930.

### Wolves 96, 76ers 88

**MINNESOTA (96)**
Corbin 2-8 2-2 6, Mitchell 5-16 4-4 14, Breuer 6-15 0-0 12, Campbell 9-17 5-7 23, Richardson 3-5 0-0 6, Murphy 0-1 2-2 2, West 7-12 3-5 17, Spencer 0-3 0-0 0, Brooks 3-7 9-9 16. Totals 35-84 25-29 96.

**PHILADELPHIA (88)**
Anderson 12-22 3-3 27, Gilliam 7-16 2-2 16, Bol 0-1 4-4 4, Green 3-9 0-0 6, Hawkins 10-22 10-11 30, Mahorn 1-4 2-2 4, Turner 0-3 0-2 0, Williams 0-0 1-2 1, Oliver 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 33-77 22-26 88.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Minnesota | 22 | 34 | 21 | 19—96 |
| Philadelphia | 20 | 19 | 29 | 20—88 |

3-Point goals—Minnesota 1-5 (Brooks 1-3, Corbin 0-1, Campbell 0-1), Philadelphia 0-7 (Green 0-3, Hawkins 0-4). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Minnesota 50 (Breuer 13), Philadelphia 51 (Gilliam 17). Assists—Minnesota 21 (Richardson 5), Philadelphia 21 (Green 7). Total fouls—Minnesota 25, Philadelphia 21. Technicals—Mahorn, Philadelphia illegal defense. Flagrant foul—Mahorn. Ejection—Mahorn. A—14,164.

### Pacers 125
### Pistons 107

**DETROIT (107)**
Bedford 6-11 2-4 14, Rodman 5-9 2-2 12, Laimbeer 8-12 3-4 19, Dumars 6-16 0-0 12, Thomas 5-18 0-2 11, Hastings 1-3 0-0 2, Salley 6-11 1-2 13, Johnson 11-19 0-0 24, Henderson 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 48-99 8-14 107.

**INDIANA (125)**
Person 8-13 3-3 20, Thompson 8-13 2-2 18, Dreiling 1-4 0-0 2, Miller 6-13 11-11 24, M.Williams 4-11 7-8 15, Schrempf 8-13 6-6 23, Smits 5-8 1-2 11, Fleming 3-8 4-5 10, K.Williams 1-3 0-0 2. Totals 44-84 34-37 125.

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| Detroit | 20 | 33 | 24 | 30—107 |
| Indiana | 28 | 23 | 36 | 38—125 |

3-Point goals—Detroit 3-5 (V.Johnson 2-2, Thomas 1-1, Rodman 0-1, Hastings 0-1), Indiana 3-7 (Schrempf 1-1, Person 1-2, Miller 1-4). Fouled out—Thomas. Rebounds—Detroit 58 (Laimbeer 14), Indiana 42 (Thompson 14). Assists—Detroit 22 (Thomas 9), Indiana 31 (M.Williams 12). Total fouls—Detroit 31, Indiana 20. Technicals—Thomas, Laimbeer. A—14,192.

## NHL Playoffs

### Blues 3, Red Wings 0

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| St. Louis | 1 | 1 | 1—3 |
| Detroit | 0 | 0 | 0—0 |

First Period—1, St. Louis, Thomlinson 1 (Meagher, Brown), 7:00.
Second Period—2, St. Louis, Brown 2 (Quinn), 2:24.
Third Period—3, St. Louis, Lowry 1 (Sutter), 18:19.
Shots on goal—St. Louis 9-5-7—21. Detroit 9-8-6—23. Power-play Opportunities—St. Louis 0 of 4; Detroit 0 of 4. Goalies—St. Louis, Riendeau, 3-3 (23 shots-23 saves). Detroit, Chevaldae, 3-3 (21-18).

### North Stars 3
### Black Hawks 1

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| Chicago | 0 | 0 | 1—1 |
| Minnesota | 2 | 0 | 1—3 |

First Period—1, Minnesota, Wilkinson 1 (Bellows, Gavin), 11:49. 2, Minnesota, Bellows 3 (Smith, Gavin), 12:58.
Second Period—None.
Third Period—3, Minnesota, Bellows 4 (Gagner, Propp), 6:29 (pp). 4, Chicago, Brown 1 (Thomas), 15:51.
Shots on goal—Chicago 9-11-7—27. Minnesota 13-11-10—34. Power-play Opportunities—Chicago 0 of 4; Minnesota 1 of 7. Goalies—Chicago, Belfour, 2-4 (34 shots-31 saves). Minnesota, Casey, 4-1 (27-26).

### Flames 2, Oilers 1

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| Calgary | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1—2 |
| Edmonton | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0—1 |

First Period—1, Edmonton, Simpson 2 (Anderson, Huddy), 12:13.
Second Period—2, Calgary, Ranheim 2 (Suter, Fleury), 9:12.
Third Period—None.
Overtime—3, Calgary, Fleury 1, 4:40.
Shots on goal—Calgary 7-13-7-6—33. Edmonton 7-3-12—22. Power-play Opportunities—Calgary 0 of 2; Edmonton 0 of 3. Goalies—Calgary, Vernon, 3-3 (22 shots-21 saves). Edmonton, Fuhr, 3-3 (33-31).

## NL Boxes

### Astros 7, Giants 2

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| McGee cf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Finley cf | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| WClark 1b | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | Biggio c | 4 | 2 | 4 | 0 |
| Mitchell lf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | LGnztz lf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| MWlms 3b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Cmnitti 3b | 3 | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| Bass rf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Obrtrfll 1b | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Kmnedy c | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Rhodes rf | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
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| Brntley p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Dvdson rf | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
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DP—San Francisco 1. LOB—San Francisco 7, Houston 6. 2B—Mitchell (1), Finley (1), Biggio (1), Gonzalez (2). 3B—WClark (2). Candelaria (1). HR—Caminiti (1). CS—Biggio (1), Caminiti (1). SF—Rhodes.

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| Robinson | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Brantley | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| **Houston** | | | | | | |
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### Mets 7, Expos 1

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# YOUR HOROSCOPE

By Jeane Dixon

MONDAY, APRIL 15, 1991

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE:** "Keeping in touch" should be your motto. Key contacts will help you cement a highly lucrative business deal in August. Stay put and you will land a promotion or bonus by October. You are able to build a nest egg for the future.

**ARIES** (March 21-April 19): Be content to deal with your regular work. A raise is possible if you tackle even routine matters with enthusiasm. Romantic partner is very understanding now. Share a happy secret.

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20): Domestic and office tasks are a breeze today. Dig in — you can make any job look like child's play! Stop dwelling on old emotional wounds. Weigh your words when arguing with someone.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 20): Your special rapport with a friend or group is in the spotlight. Put a secret plan into action. Old pals will prove their loyalty again and again. You experience true peace of mind.

**CANCER** (June 21-July 22): Group activities are favored today. Cancel social plans and tend to business. Strong family ties will help you cope with any ups and downs at work. Give a stubborn attitude the boot.

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22): The pace quickens at work, placing extra pressure on you. Rise to the occasion — VIPs will be impressed. Reject friends' stockmarket tips. Your romantic star shines brightly now.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Office and household tasks go quickly today if you engage in teamwork. Remember to keep loved one's best interests at heart if you want your relationship to flourish. Put romance on hold.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): A desire to meet more people puts you on a new path this week. Banking matters require closer attention to detail. Your mate or partner could be pressuring you. Talk things over!

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 23-Nov.21): A sensitive day for financial matters. Be careful if asked to act as a go-between in a business deal. Some unexpected good news may involve travel to foreign shores. Pack a bag!

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Do not try to do it all alone today. Teamwork is favored and will help boost profits. Encourage seniors to participate in community projects. Refuse to let a family squabble get you down.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Influential people may be difficult to reach. Try a new approach. Become more self-reliant. Working on a research project could prove therapeutic. You have more strength than you realize.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Make the most of your work day by attending a group function. Refuse to be rattled by someone's temperamental ways. A friend's advice could save you hours of anguish. Cherish your friendships!

**PISCES** (Feb. 19-March 20): Welcome career or financial news is featured. Your ideas get a hearing with the right people. Make a new beginning! You appreciate your freedom more than ever now. Go slow in romance.

**TODAY'S CHILDREN** will have a lusty appreciation for fun and frolic! Their take-charge attitude makes them undisputed rulers of the playground. Other youngsters take their cue from these bold adventurers. Count on these Aries to be the life of any party. They love to perform magic tricks or tell rollicking stories. Their passion for the oudoors could lead to a career in environmental protection. They thoroughly enjoy hiking, camping and horseback riding.

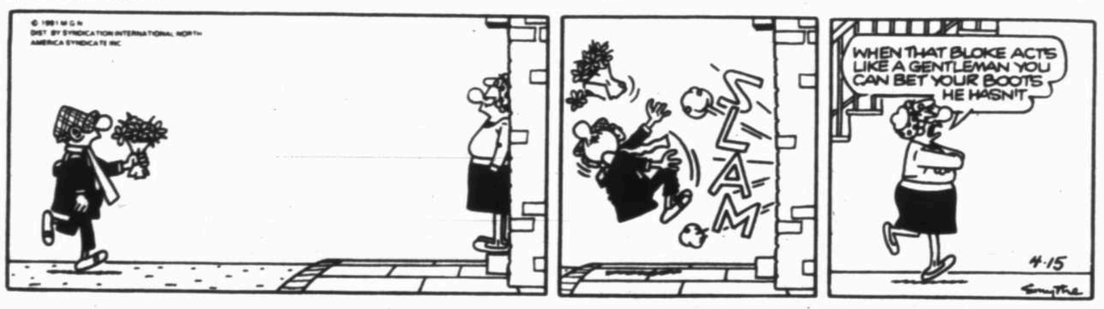
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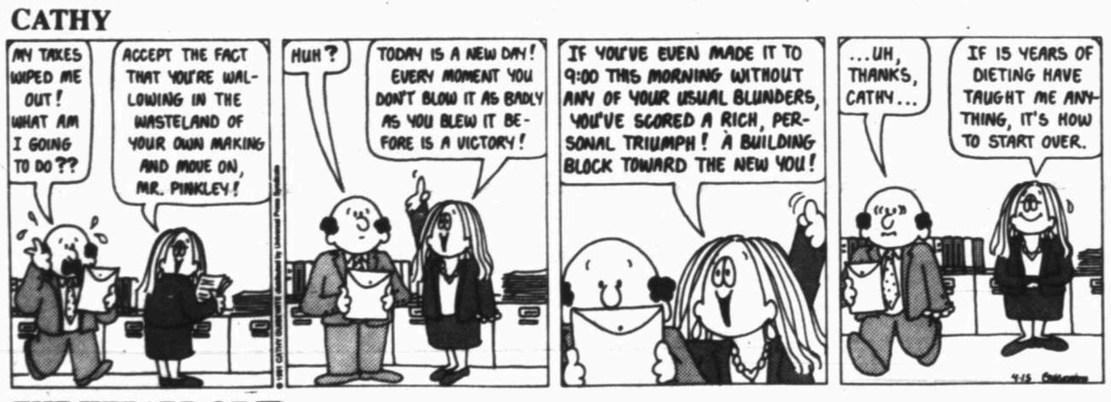

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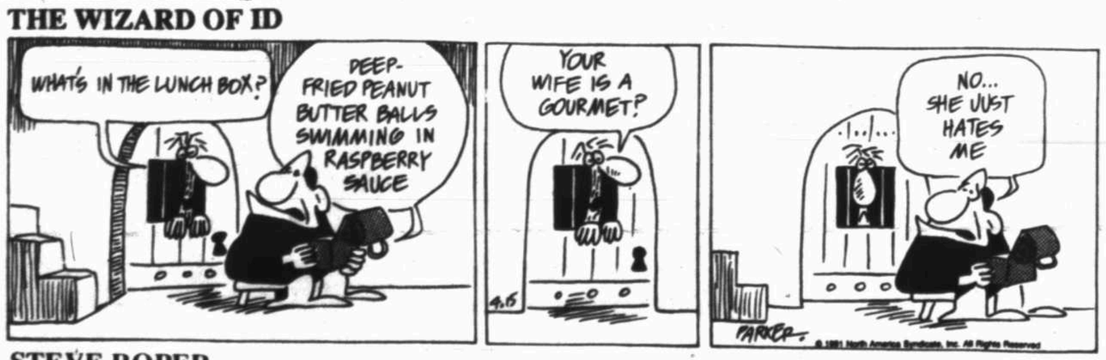

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THE WIZARD OF ID




STEVE ROPER




# GOREN BRIDGE

With Omar Sharif and Tannah Hirsch

**ANSWERS TO WEEKLY BRIDGE QUIZ**

**Q.1**—Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
**♠AQ ♡AK93 ◇764 ♣AQ105**
The bidding has proceeded:

| South | West | North | East |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 ♠ | Pass | 1 ◇ | Pass |
| ? | | | |

What do you bid now?
**A.**—With 19 points and a balanced hand, it's very tempting to jump to two no trump. However, that could lead to missing a superior game when your side has a 4-4 heart fit. Rebid one heart. If partner passes, we doubt whether we have the combined values for game.

**Q.2**—Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:
**♠K105 ♡AJ6 ◇A8 ♣AQJ93**
The bidding has proceeded:

| South | West | North | East |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 ♠ | Pass | 1 ♠ | Pass |
| 2 NT | Pass | 3 ♣ | Pass |
| ? | | | |

What action do you take?
**A.**—Partner's bid is forcing. However, don't play the same song again by bidding three no trump—you have already described a balanced 19 points. Tell partner of your three-card support by bidding three spades.

**Q.3**—Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
**♠Q10873 ♡85 ◇AQ109 ♣63**
The bidding has proceeded:

| West | North | East | South |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 ♡ | Pass | Pass | ? |

What action do you take?
**A.**—Admittedly you don't have much of a hand, but you don't win at bridge by letting the opponents play undisturbed at the one-level. Partner might have been forced to pass with a good hand because his major-suit holdings include length in hearts, but not in spades. Bid one spade. Since you didn't double, partner won't play you for a good hand.

**Q.4**—Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:
**♠J94 ♡K87 ◇652 ♣QJ72**
The bidding has proceeded:

| North | East | South | West |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 ♠ | Pass | 1 NT | Pass |
| 3 ◇ | Pass | ? | |

What do you bid now?
**A.**—Partner's jump shift is a game force and shows an unbalanced hand. Therefore, don't bid three no trump. Take a preference to three spades. On this sequence even die-hard four-card majorities must have at least five spades.

**Q.5**—Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
**♠8 ♡3 ◇Q109762 ♣KJ652**
The bidding has proceeded:

| North | East | South | West |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 ♠ | 2 ◇ | ? | |

What action do you take?
**A.**—In the Land of Oz you could double and everyone would pass. In real life, however, after you double either your partner or West is not likely to sit for it. Since you are not keen to hear either act, pass and hope for the best.

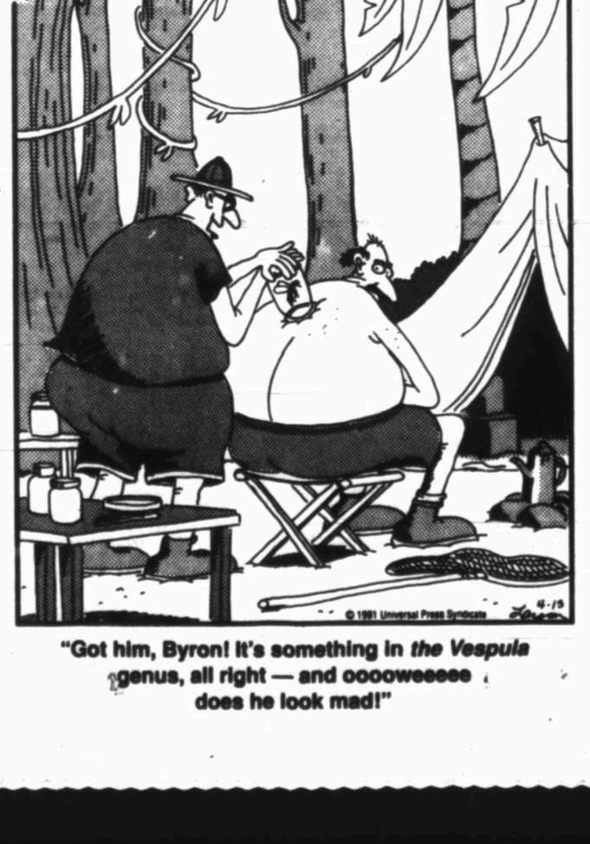
**Q.6**—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
**♠A ♡Void ◇AK9763 ♣AKJ1074**
The bidding has proceeded:

| South | West | North | East |
|---|---|---|---|
| 2 ◇ | 2 ♠ | Pass | Pass |
| ? | | | |

What action do you take?
**A.**—We would be prepared to play slam in whichever minor suit partner has length. The easiest way to accomplish that is to jump to six clubs now, asking partner for preference.

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THE FAR SIDE

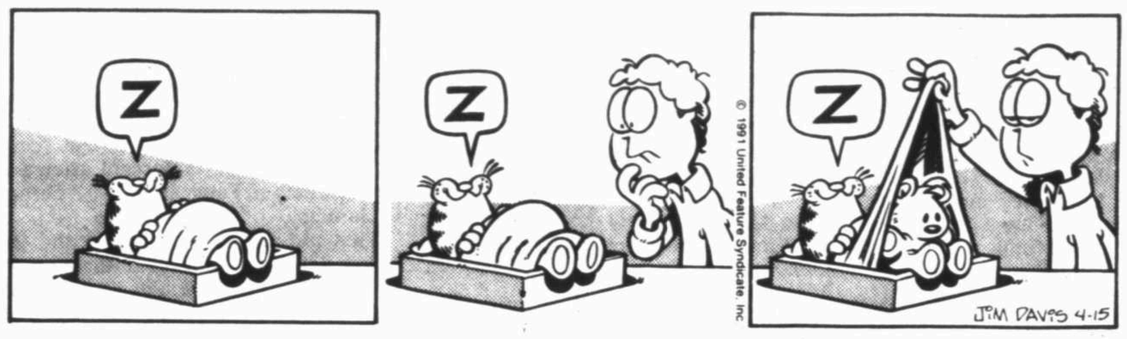


"Got him, Byron! It's something in *the Vespula* genus, all right — and oooowesese does he look mad!"

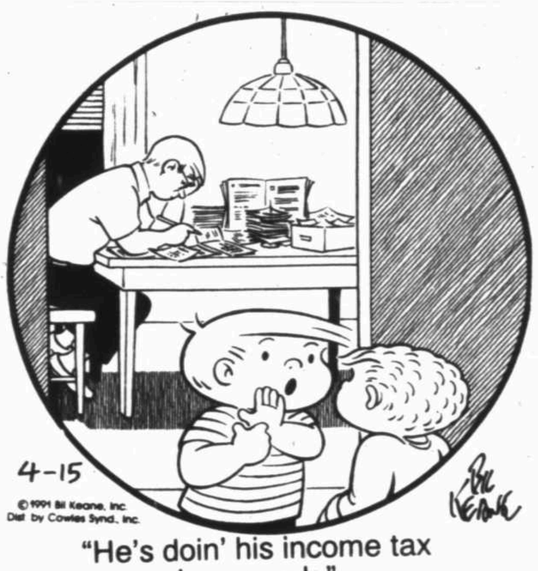
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FAMILY CIRCUS




"He's doin' his income tax homework."

DENNIS THE MENACE




"MY DAD SAYS MONEY TALKS. GUESS THAT'S WHY THERE'S SO MANY BANK TELLERS."

# TODAY'S TV SCHEDULE

**MONDAY APRIL 15, 1991** — Programs subject to change without notice

| | 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 (19) Spanish CABLE 10 | WGN Chicago CABLE 11 | ESPN Sports CABLE 12 | KOCV (38) Odessa CABLE 13 | HSE Sports CABLE 20 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 7:00 | Good Morning America | This Morning | Today | Muppets Chipmunks | Dinosaucers Littles | Leave-Beaver Bewitched | TV Mujer | Banana Splits Bozo | Nation's Bus. SportsCenter | Body Electric Reading | |
| 7:30 | " | " | " | | | | " | | | | |
| 8:00 | " | " | " | Menace Flintstones | Hazel Flying Nun | Little House on the Prairie | Movie: "El Charro del Ar- | " Bewitched | " World of Avia- | Sesame Street | |
| 8:30 | " | " | " | | | | | | | " | |
| 9:00 | Sally Jessy Raphael | B. DeAngelis Family Feud | Wheel-Fortune Concentration | Live -- Regis & Kathie Lee | 700 Club | Movie: "Love Boat: Hong | rabal" | Magnum, P.I. | tion SpeedWeek | Mister Rogers Sq. 1 TV | |
| 9:30 | | | | | " | | " | " | | | |
| 10:00 | Home | Price Is Right | Tell the Truth TrialWatch | Love Connect. Brady Bunch | Sheila Walsh Paid Program | Kong Affair" | Dulce Desafio | Geraldo | Getting Fit Basic Training | 3-2-1 Contact T. Old House | Body by Janis Hockey Week |
| 10:30 | " | " | | | | " | " | " | | | |
| 11:00 | Hard Copy News | Young and the Restless | Joker's Wild Closer Look | B. Hillbillies B. Hillbillies | Paid Program Am. Baby | Perry Mason | El Lobo Encadenados | News | In Motion Bodyshaping | Sewing La. Cookin' | College Baseball: Miami at |
| 11:30 | | | | | | " | | " | | | |
| 12:00 | All My Children | The Judge Bold, Bea. | Days of Our Lives | Benson It's a Living | Kane and Abel | Movie: "Travis McGee: The | Cristal | Major League Baseball: Chi- | Body by Jake Great Ameri- | MacNeil/ Lehrer | Florida State |
| 12:30 | | | | | " | | " | | | | " |
| 1:00 | One Life to Live | As the World Turns | Another World | Robert Tilton | " | Empty Copper Sea" | TV Mujer | cago White Sox at New | can Events LPBT Bowling | Lonesome Pine Special | " |
| 1:30 | | | " | " | " | | " | | | | " |
| 2:00 | General Hospital | Guiding Light | Santa Barbara | 700 Club | " | Tom & Jerry's Funhouse | Platavision | York Yankees | " | Austin City Limits | Pennant Fight Preview |
| 2:30 | | " | " | " | " | | " | " | " | | |
| 3:00 | Geraldo | Oprah Winfrey | Challengers Trump Card | Chip 'n' Dale Peter Pan | Batman C.O.P.S. | Flintstones Brady Bunch | Natacha | YoungSam DuckTales | USWA Wrestling | 3-2-1 Contact Mister Rogers | Ladies Pro Wrestling |
| 3:30 | " | " | | | | | " | | | | |
| 4:00 | Donahue | Growing Pains Night Court | Personalities People's Court | Tale Spin Tiny Toon | Popeye Popeye | Good Times Jeffersons | Cristina | Chip 'n' Dale M.A.S.K. | Reporters K.I.D.S. | Reading Sesame Street | South Atlantic Pro Wrestling |
| 4:30 | " | | | | | | " | | | | |
| 5:00 | Cosby Show ABC News | Jeopardy! CBS News | News NBC News | Highway to Heaven | Our House | B. Hillbillies Andy Griffith | Maria Noticiero Uni. | Charles Abbott | Sports Up Close) | " Sq. 1 TV | PKA Karate: Kick of '90s |
| 5:30 | | | | | " | | | | | | |
| 6:00 | News Wheel-Fortune | News Golden Girls | News Current Affair | Who's Boss? ALF | Scarecrow and Mrs. King | Happy Days Major League | De Mujeres | Jeannie Night Court | SportsCenter Jet Skiing | MacNeil/ Lehrer | Horse Racing Major League |
| 6:30 | | | | | | | " | | | | |
| 7:00 | MacGyver | Evening Shade Major Dad | Fresh Prince Blossom | Movie: "Blood & Orchids" | Beauty and the Beast | Baseball: Houston As- | En Carne P. Pobre Diabla | Major League Baseball: Phi- | Water Skiing: Pro Tour | Astronomers | Baseball: Houston As- |
| 7:30 | " | | | | | | | | | " | |
| 8:00 | Movie: "The Boys" | Murphy B. Design. W. | Movie: "She Stood Alone" | " | Beauty and the Beast | tros at Atlanta Braves | " Amor de N. | ladelphia Phillies at Chi- | Women's Volleyball | Shape of the World | tros at Atlanta Braves |
| 8:30 | | | | " | | | | | | | |
| 9:00 | " | Northern Exposure | " | Hunter | 700 Club | " Movie: "The | Portada En Vivo | cago Cubs | America's Cup '92 | Mythic Journey | " Stanley Cup |
| 9:30 | " | | " | " | " | | | | | | |
| 10:00 | News Cheers | News M*A*S*H | News Tonight Show | Arsenio Hall | Scarecrow and Mrs. King | Tin Star" | Movie: "El Charro del Ar- | News Man Under- | Baseball SportsCenter | Euro. Semanal Telecourse | Playoffs: Patrick Division |
| 10:30 | | | | " | | " | | | | | |
| 11:00 | Ent. Tonight Nightline | Sweating Bullets | " David Letter- | Party Machine Love Connect. | Beauty and the Beast | " National Geo- | rabal" | cover "The Strange | " Brickyard | Telecourse Telecourse | Semifinal -- New Jersey at |
| 11:30 | | | | | | | " | | | | |
| 12:00 | Into the Night | Mission: Impossible | man Bob Costas | Hawaii Five-0 | Beauty and the Beast | graphic Explorer | Cristina | Mrs. Crane" "Black Doll" | Auto Racing Indy 500 Film | Sign-Off | Pittsburgh Baseball |
| 12:30 | " | | | " | | | " | | | | |

| | SHOWTIME Mov/Spec CABLE 5 | TMC Movies CABLE 17 | DISNEY CABLE 18 | MAX Movies CABLE 21 | HBO Movies/Var CABLE 22 | TNN Country CABLE 23 | USA Variety CABLE 24 | NICK Children CABLE 25 | A&E Cultural CABLE 26 | KMLM (42) Relig CABLE 31 | TNT Turner Net CABLE 37 |
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| 7:00 | Jen's Place | Movie: "Honky Tonk" | Donald Duck Pooh Corner | Movie: "Tempest" | Movie: "Three Amigos!" | | Cartoon Express Cont'd | Insp. Gadget Heathcliff | Survival World Heroes | Dino K. Show Robison | Popeye Hour Cont'd |
| 7:30 | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| 8:00 | Roger Rabbit: Toontown | " | Umbrella Tree Dumbo | " | " | VideoMorning | " | Lassie Maya the Bee | Delvecchio | Rich Roberts Joy | Fraggle Rock Muppets |
| 8:30 | | " | | " | " | " | " | | " | | |
| 9:00 | Movie: "Lady In the Lake" | Movie: "Teenage Mutant | Movie: "Hero in the Family" | " Movie: "Mil- | Movie: "Haunted | " | New Mike Hammer | Eureeka's Castle | Fugitive | Larry Lea M. Hickey | Movie: "Her Twelve Men" |
| 9:30 | | | | | | " | | | " | | |
| 10:00 | " | Ninja Turtles" | " | lenium" | Honeymoon" | " | Divorce Court | Elephant | Avengers | K. Copeland | " |
| 10:30 | " | " | Puppies | " | Movie: | " | Divorce Court | Penner's | " | Answer | " |
| 11:00 | Movie: "Beaches" | "Meet Boston Blackie" | Lunch Box Music Box | " Movie: "The | "Looker" | Cookin' U.S.A. Cntry. Kitchen | The Judge The Judge | David-Gnome Little Koala | Legend of Valentino | C.S. Sussewell Harmon | Movie: "Remember?" |
| 11:30 | | | | | " | | | | | | |
| 12:00 | " | Confessions | Adventures of Sport Goofy | Long, Hot Summer" | Movie: "The Christmas | Top Card Be a Star | Chain Rea. Name Tune | Noozles Maya the Bee | " Shortstories | Behind Scenes J. Swaggart | " |
| 12:30 | " | " | | | | | | | | | Movie: "The |
| 1:00 | Movie: "Who's Harry | "The Phantom Thief" | Danger Bay Mirthworms | " Movie: | Wife" Movie: | Country Standard Time | Wipeout Lose or Draw | Todays Sp Lassie | Ellery Queen | Robison Ben Hinn | Bribe" |
| 1:30 | | | | | | | | | " | | " |
| 2:00 | Crumb?" | "The Chance of a Lifetime" | Raccoons Care Bears | "Norma Rae" | "Deadly Care" | Cookin' U.S.A. Top Card | Hollywood Sq. $25K Pyramid | Flipper Looney Tunes | Movie: "Darlings of the | 700 Club | " |
| 2:30 | " | | | " | " | | | | | " | " |
| 3:00 | OWL/TV Clay Feet | Movie: "Boston Blackie | Donald Duck Lose or Draw | " Movie: "Time | First Love Family Play- | Club Dance | Press Yr. Luck High Rollers | Heathcliff Yogi Bear | Gods" | Another Life M. Hickey | Movie: "Hercules, Samson |
| 3:30 | | | | | | | | | " | | |
| 4:00 | Jen's Place | and the Law" Movie: | Kids Inc. Mickey Mouse | Trackers" | house Movie: "Three | VideoPM | My Sister Sam Dance USA | Can't on TV Hey Dude | Fugitive | Praise the Lord | and Ulysses" |
| 4:30 | " | | | " | | " | | | " | | " |
| 5:00 | Robin Hood | "Stormy Monday" | Movie: "Dennis the Men- | Movie: "Pack of Lies" | Amigos!" | " | Cartoon Express | Get Pict Make Grade | Avengers | " | Gilligan's Isle Bugs Bunny & |
| 5:30 | " | | | | " | " | | | " | " | |
| 6:00 | Robin Hood | " | ace" Morris-School | " | " | " | MacGyver | Insp. Gadget Looney Tunes | Survival World Heroes | " | Pals |
| 6:30 | " | Picture Show | | " | Babar | Be a Star | " | | | " | " |
| 7:00 | Movie: "Beaches" | Movie: "Teenage Mutant | Avonlea | Movie: "Steel Magnolias" | Movie: "Indiana Jones and | On Stage On Stage | World League of American | Tax Time Sitcom Zone | Ten Seconds Shook World | Behind Scenes L.&E. Tripp | NBA Basketball: Milwau- |
| 7:30 | | | " | | | | | | | | |
| 8:00 | " | Ninja Turtles" Movie: "The | Movie: "Little Women" | " | the Last Crusade" | Nashville Now | Football | " | Miss Marple: Murder | Grant Jeffrey Jay Sekulow | kee Bucks at Chicago Bulls |
| 8:30 | " | | | " | | " | " | " | | | |
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# PEOPLE

## Oliver Stone to begin filming John Kennedy movie in Dallas

DALLAS — Director **Oliver Stone** says his new movie on the assassination of **President Kennedy** will be something like "Rashomon," a 1951 Japanese film that presents alternate views of a murder witnessed by different people.

"I think I'm going to try to present alternate scenarios, visual scenarios, dramatic compositions that can be alternate viewpoints like a 'Rashamon,'" Stone said in a recent interview.

On Monday, he begins five weeks of filming in Dallas, site of Kennedy's 1963 assassination.

Some local officials have expressed concerns that Stone might cast Dallas in a bad light. But Stone, who has won best-director Academy Awards for "Platoon" and "Born on the Fourth of July," said his movie "doesn't point the finger at Dallas."

He has filmed parts of two other movies, "Born of the Fourth of July" and "Talk Radio," in Dallas.

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NEW YORK — **Ella Fitzgerald** gave her first concert in six months and after intermission at Radio City Music Hall she received the "You're the Top" award.



**Fitzgerald**

It recognizes "outstanding achievement for sustaining the Cole Porter legend and for winning new audiences to appreciation of his genius."

"This is a thrill for me," said **Margaret Cole Richards**, the late songwriter's cousin who presented the large trophy. "Your music and your recordings set the standards for **Cole Porter's** music in the '50s."

Fitzgerald, who was in good voice through a long concert Saturday night, included a medley by Cole Porter. "Those songs never go out of date . . .," she said. "This is a beautiful night for me, this beautiful award, being with **Louis Bellson's** band and my trio and my audience from home."

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LONG BEACH, Calif. — After winning a pro-celebrity Indy car race, singer **Donny Osmond** said he likes life in the fast lane enough to consider entering more races.

"But I imagine it takes a lot of time and a lot of patience and training," he added after winning the event Saturday at the Toyota Grand Prix of Long Beach.

Osmond started the 10-lap race in the front row with actor **Craig T. Nelson**, star of ABC's sitcom "Coach." Osmond took the lead from Nelson in the first turn of the first lap and led the rest of the way.

Nelson bumped fenders with former Olympic gymnast **Bart Conner** on the initial turn, giving Osmond the edge.

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PALM SPRINGS, Calif. — Mayor **Sonny Bono** is selling his namesake Italian restaurant and tennis club.

"A restaurant is a full-time job, and so is politicking," explained Bono, owner of Bono's Restaurant since 1985 and mayor since 1988. "I originally came to Palm Springs to semiretire and I'm busier now than I've ever been in my life, including the time of 'Sonny and Cher.'"



**Bono**

In an interview in the Los Angeles Times on Sunday, Bono said he will sell the 5½-acre property, appraised at $3 million, to the owners of a neighboring hotel.

Some residents speculated that controversy over a Virginia Slims women's tennis tournament planned this year at Bono's complex also influenced the decision to sell.

"With two children in the household, he doesn't feel his wife has time to oversee the restaurant," said Marilyn Baker, who ran Bono's campaign. "And I think Sonny was very uncomfortable about having his feet held to the fire over the conflict of interest of the Virginia Slims tournament being held there."

**Frank Cullen**, a spokesman for the city, had said that an attorney had advised the city that the tournament could legally be held at Bono's complex as long as the city was not directly involved in promoting it.

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DETROIT — Wrecking crews knocked down the 143-year-old house owned by singer **Anita Baker** and her husband after local preservationists lost a court battle to keep the red brick building intact.

The demolition took place Saturday, a day after Circuit Judge **Sharon Tevis Finch** lifted a temporary order against razing the house. The preservation group Cityscape Detroit Inc. had sought the order.

The house, sitting on property that was part of a French land grant dating to 1707, was built in 1848. Over the years the building has been used as a fraternity house, speakeasy and restaurant.

Baker and her husband, **Walter Bridgforth**, bought the property for $575,000 last year and plan to build a recording studio there.

Baker won a Grammy earlier this year for best female R&B vocal performance for "Compositions."

*Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.*

# DAILY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

**Edited by Trude Michel Jaffe**

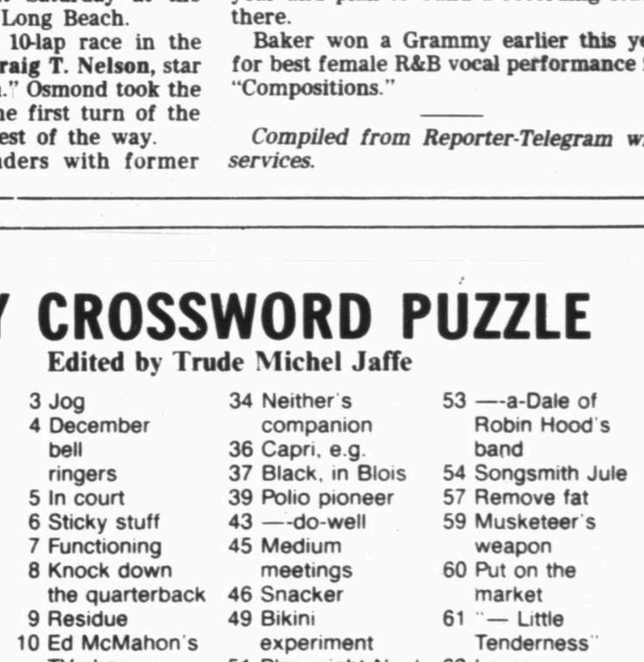
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# BUSINESS & OIL

MONDAY

## BUSINESS WATCH

**SPOT MARKET**
W.T. INTERMEDIATE
- Friday $21.48
- Previous Close $20.89
- One Year Ago $17.96

**POSTED PRICE**
- Today $20.25
- Previous Week $18.75
- One Year Ago $17.00

### Prices climb

NEW YORK (AP) — Oil prices surged late Friday to their highest closing price in two months, as traders scrambled to buy crude and gasoline before the futures market shut for the weekend.

West Texas Intermediate for delivery in May settled at $21.48 per barrel, up 59 cents, at the New York Mercantile Exchange. It was only the second time since Feb. 14 that crude for next-month delivery had settled above $21 per barrel, following Wednesday's close of $21.05.

For the week, the petroleum futures all moved higher, after gaining additional strength from industry statistics that showed U.S. supplies of crude, gasoline and home heating oil have fallen sharply.

For the week, crude oil gained $1.52 per barrel in New York.

Natural gas stayed weak. It settled Friday in New York at $1.376 per 1,000 cubic feet, up .1 cent for the day but down 2.4 cents for the week on contracts for delivery in May.

### IBM loss

NEW YORK (AP) — International Business Machines Corp. reported its first-ever quarterly loss, a $1.73 billion deficit caused by a new method of accounting for retiree benefits.

Though the accounting charge was expected and doesn't represent an actual loss of income, the computer giant also said its earnings were damaged by the worldwide recession. Sales of the company's computer hardware fell more than 17 percent in the quarter, far below analysts' expectations.

IBM said the loss translated to $3.03 a share, compared with a profit of $1.04 billion, or $1.81 a share, in the year-ago quarter.

### USX stock

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Two new issues of USX Corp. stock began trading on the New York Stock Exchange — one for Marathon Oil Co. and one for the parent company's steel business.

The exchange allowed trading of the shares pending an approval of the split by USX shareholders at a meeting next month in Houston.

### Stocks rise

NEW YORK (AP) — The stock market pushed ahead Friday, responding to favorable news on consumer prices.

But any hopes on Wall Street for an easing of the Federal Reserve Board's credit policy went unfulfilled by the time the market closed for the weekend.




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# Fed's move on interest rates awaited

■ With inflation under control but the nation still locked in a recession, everyone from President Bush to the man on the street awaits the Fed's next move on interest rates.

By Stefan Fatsis

NEW YORK (AP) — Will it or won't it?

With evidence that inflation is ebbing but unemployment climbing, economists, bankers, contractors and consumers are waiting to see when or whether the almighty Federal Reserve Board will lower interest rates.

Talk on Wall Street and in Washington has centered on the inner workings of the secretive group that charts the economy's future.

With the nation locked in a recession, many numbers-crunchers have been calling for the Fed to continue cutting interest rates to stimulate economic activity.

In "easing" monetary policy, the Fed can pump money into the nation's banking system. Because of the increased supply, banks then can lower the amount they charge each other for loans, which is known as the federal funds rate. Short-term interest rates in turn can be allowed to drop, making it easier for businesses and individuals to borrow money and stimulate the economy.

There's a catch: With lower interest rates comes a risk of higher inflation. An apparent split among Fed officials over whether to ease has kept a cut in the main discount rate on hold. The last reduction was Feb. 1, by 0.5 percentage points to 6 percent.


Greenspan

One faction, said to be led by Fed Chairman Alan Greenspan, favors easing monetary policy. The other evidently believes the government has done enough to help reverse the recession, and that any further easing will heighten inflation down the road.

But recent data seem to give the Fed's 12-member policy committee compelling reasons to ease, and if internal differences don't stop them, it could happen soon, economists said.

The latest and most significant dose of ease-inducing information was released on Friday, when the Labor Department said consumer prices fell in March for the first time in almost five years.

The 0.1 percent decline in the Consumer Price Index was attributed to a steep drop in energy prices. Taking away the food and energy categories, and "core" inflation rose just 0.1 percent after a 0.7 percent gain in February and 0.8 percent in January.

That put annual inflation at the consumer level at 2.4 percent through the first three months of 1991 — the lowest quarterly rate since 2.2 percent in July

The report appeared to satisfy one set of requirements for an ease: a minimal risk of exaggerating inflation. Other economic indicators seemed to fill the other requirement: a sluggish economy.

# TI, two other firms plan Singapore plant

Associated Press

DALLAS — Texas Instruments Inc. will build a $330 million microchip plant in Singapore as part of a joint venture with Canon Inc. and Hewlett-Packard Co.

The Singapore plant, to be known as TECH Semiconductor Singapore Pte. Ltd., should be operational by mid-1993, the company said Thursday.

Texas Instruments initially will own 26 percent of the plant, with Canon and Hewlett-Packard each owning 24 percent. Canon and Hewlett-Packard will be guaranteed 24 percent of the plant's production of memory chips.

The remaining 26 percent stake will be held initially by the Singapore Economic Development Board. During the next five years, TI will have the option to buy out the board, giving it a 52 percent stake.

The Singapore government also is providing a variety of tax incentives, including a tax holiday of unspecified duration, said Robert W. England, a vice president of TI's Semiconductor Group.

The company said each party's initial investment is slightly more than $20 million, with the remaining $250 million to be borrowed.

It is the third major new chip factory that TI has announced in the past two years in Asia and will give the company five Asian factories capable of producing circuits that are less than one-millionth of a meter wide.

## INTEREST RATES

"Jumbo" CDs

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| Community National Bank | 5.90 | 6.00 |
| First City Texas | 5.75 | 5.90 |
| Midland American Bank | 5.85 | 6.00 |
| NCNB Texas National Bank | 5.75 | 5.90 |
| Team Bank | 5.90 | 6.00 |
| Texas Commerce Bank | 5.65 | 5.70 |
| Southwest Federal Savings | 6.50 | 6.50 |
| Amwest Savings | 6.25 | 6.50 |
| Bluebonnet Savings | 6.25 | 6.25 |
| First Bankers | 6.20 | 6.25 |

April 14

# Penrod takes no position on Ensco bid

DALLAS (AP) — The board of directors of Penrod Holding Corp. Friday considered but did not take a position on a $100 million offer by Energy Service Co. to R.D. Smith & Co. for voting control of the oil rig company.

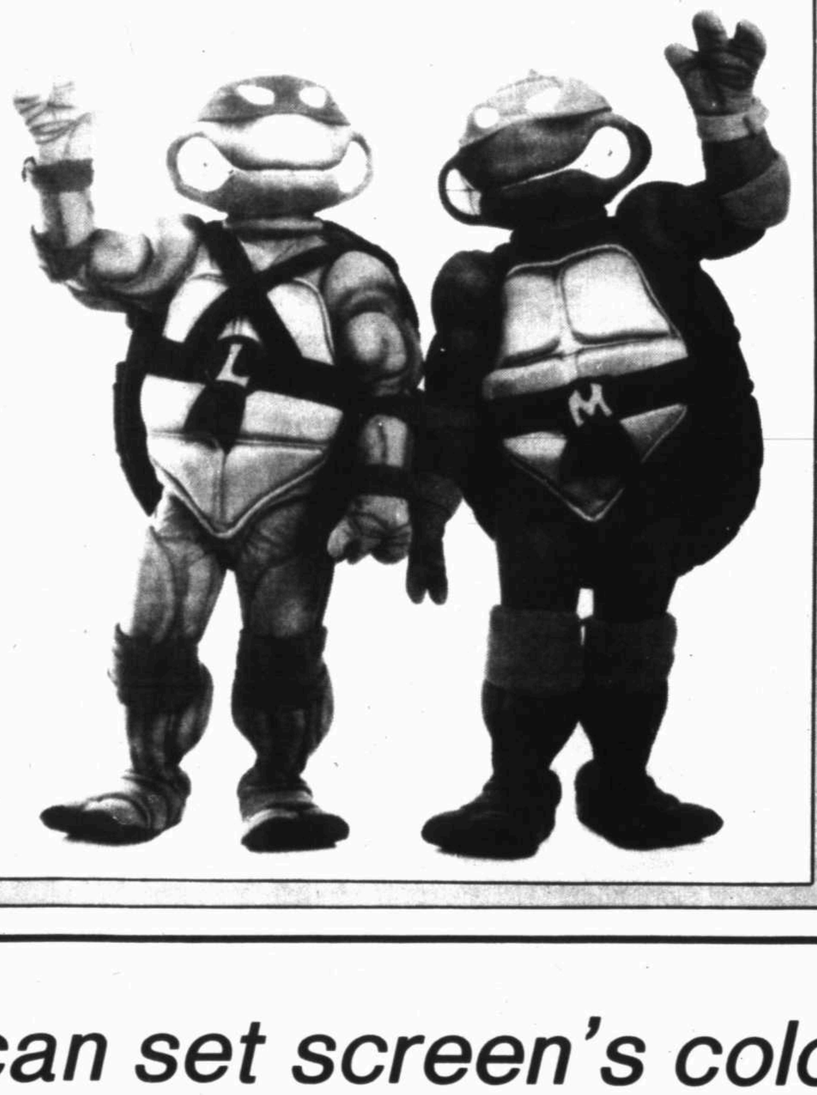
Energy Service, known as Ensco, and investors and trusts led by R.D. Smith have owned Penrod, which used to be part of the Hunt family oil dynasty, for about a year but have quarreled about how to run the company.

Ensco last week offered $8-a-share for 12.5 million of the Smith-led shares. Penrod stock has been recently trading at between $6.50 and $7.50 a share.

Ensco and various investment partnerships organized by Fort Worth investor Richard Rainwater control 58.6 percent of Penrod but only 50 percent of its voting stock.

Penrod's board of directors is comprised of only two people, according to a statement released by Penrod counsel Robert Issac. One director is affiliated with Ensco and the other is aligned with the Smith-led investors.

The deadline for the purchase offer is May 1.



## *Travelin' Turtles*

**Two of the Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles, Leonardo and Michaelangelo, will appear at Midland Park Mall Saturday in J.C. Penney court. The two will make five appearances — at 11 a.m. and at 1,3,5 and 7 p.m. The turtles will spend a half-hour visiting with their fans at each appearance. Fans can also have their picture taken with Michaelangelo during the day for $5 — part of which goes to Child Abuse Prevention Program of the Permian Basin. The Turtles' appearance is sponsored by the Mall Ambassador Board and is part of VIP Children's Day at the mall. The West Texas Association for Education of Young Children will also have a children's fair at the mall.**

Courtesy Midland Park Mall
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## COMPUTER NOTES

# *Config file can set screen's colors*

By Dennis Sever

**Q. I have recently discovered that I can set the color of my screen in dBaseIII+. Is there some way to set the colors I like to be the default without having to execute the set statement every time?**


Sever

A. Yes, there is.

There might be a file called CONFIG.DB in the directory where your dBase resides. You can edit this text file and set the colors to your preference. I prefer white text on a blue background.

My CONFIG.DB file has this entry:

COLOR=W/B

You might read your documentation regarding this file; you may find several interesting features.

**Q. We have a Novell network in our office. We generally have little trouble with it but recently one of our AT's has quit working with the network. The AT will load the IPX and the shell will connect, but when we login, the system hangs up and we have to reboot. We have tested the cable and replaced the network card. What has happened?**

A. I have encountered this same problem. Mine happened because my PATH was too large.

I tried expanding the environment space but that didn't help. So I wrote a batch file called GONET that reset my path to nil and then logged me in on the network. I also wrote a batch file called QUIT that logs me off the network and restores my PATH. I hope that your solution is this simple.

**Continuing the glossary with the C words.**

C - A high level programming language that allows programmers low level power.

Cache - A high speed storage device, usually memory.

CAD-CAM - (Computer Aided Design - Computer Aided Manufacturing) These terms refer to the advances in software and hardware that enable computers to assist in the design and manufacturing of many items.

CAI - (Comnputer Assisted Instruction) A term referring to the use of computers in educational activities.

Call - A temporary transfer of program control to a portion the program that is located in another area.

Canned Program - off-the-shelf software.

Cathode Ray Tube - (CRT) a video monitor.

Central Processing Unit- (CPU) The component of the computer that contains the circuitry to control execution of programs.

Channel - a path for carrying signals

Character String - a group of characters occupying contiguous memory.

Chip - a small piece of silicon that contains microscopic electronic circuitry.

Clip Art - pictures that are ready to use in software.

Clock - A device that generates periodic signals that the computer uses for control purposes.

COBOL - (COmmon Business-Oriented Language) an older high level programming language especially suited to business data processing.

Code - A term used by programmers to identify programming language statements. Also a term that identifies a set of rules to regard data by.

Collate - To combine a group of items into an ordered set.

COM1: - the asynchronous communications port on most MS-DOS microcomputers.

Compiler - A computer program that reads a source file an generates a machine language file as its output.

Computer - An electronic device that processes special electronic values in a variety of fashions.

Conditional Transfer - A transfer of program control that occurs when a certain condition exists.

Console - The human interface component of a computer.

Constant - A value that doesn't change during execution.

Control Unit - A portion of the CPU that selects the instructions and data for execution and evaluation.

Crash - A software or hardware failure that causes an abnormal termination of executing processes.

Cursor - A symbol on the visual display that indicates the position of the next message or command that will be entered.

Cybernetics - the academic discipline that seeks to incorporate the theories of communication and control into living organisms.

Cylinder - All the tracks that are the same distance from the rim of a magnetic disk.

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# Peace students study violence to understand and end it

By David Germain
Associated Press Writer

HAMILTON, N.Y. — An Arab, a Jew and a Quaker are arguing about the Persian Gulf War.

That's not an introduction to a bad ethnic joke. It's part of a serious study of war and peace by college students committed to understanding violence —so they can end it.

Peter Barsoom is an Arab American who supported U.S. military action to force Iraqi invaders from Kuwait. Dan Goldstein is a Jewish American who opposed the war. Michael Brown, who grew up as a Quaker, also opposed the war. The three argued the issue at Colgate University, where they are majoring in one of the nation's oldest peace studies programs.

"A lot of the reason the war came about is because people in this country let it happen by not being aware of our policies in the Middle East," says Goldstein, 21, of Eastchester, N.Y.

Barsoom countered that U.S. ignorance can't be blamed for a war started by Iraqi leader Saddam Hussein.

"It was naked, brutal aggression, a calculated move on his part," says Barsoom, 20, of East Brunswick, N.J.

Brown, 21, of Chapel Hill, N.C., takes the middle ground, saying "it was a little of both" — Saddam's aggression and the U.S. policy of policing the world — that led to war.

Campus war dialogue has become a gentler art than the violent college clashes during the Vietnam War. Among war opponents, the urgency to stop the violence is still there. But now it's channeled to a great degree into an academic discipline that sprang up mainly because of campus unrest two decades ago.

The first peace studies program was started in 1948 at Manchester College in Indiana. But it was the Vietnam-era anti-war movement that prompted the widespread creation of peace studies programs, including Colgate's in 1970.

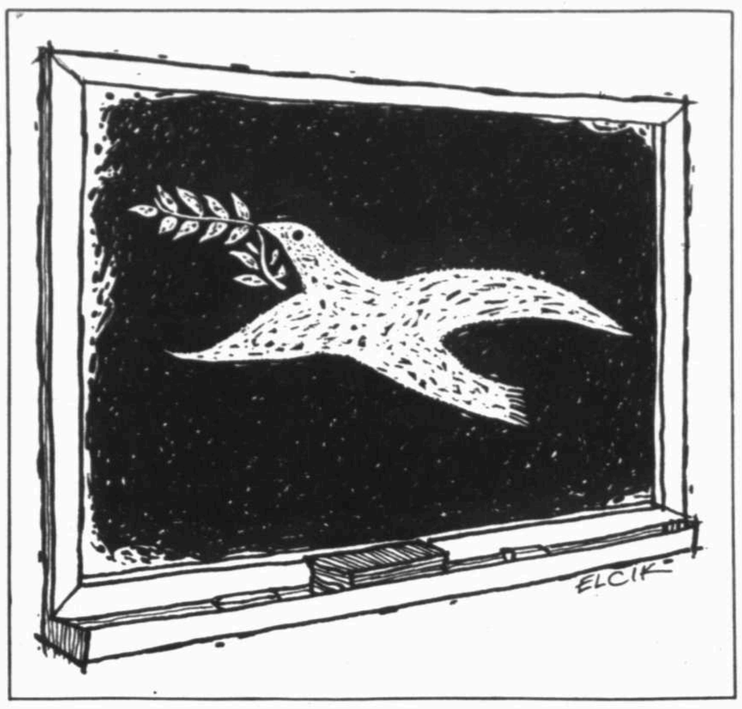
Other universities quickly followed, including Kent State in Ohio, prompted by the killings of four anti-war students by National Guardsmen, and Syracuse University in New York, prompted by a demand by striking students.

A second wave of colleges began peace studies programs in the early Reagan years, when U.S.-Soviet relations were ebbing.

About 200 U.S. colleges now offer peace studies.

Many students and faculty members say the fighting in the Persian Gulf made war a more shocking reality for them and solidified their commitment to non-violent resolution of conflicts.

"I'm against war on principle," says Michela Bowman, 19, of Northampton, Mass., a peace studies major at Colgate. "I see Iraq's invasion of Kuwait as a signal that there are Mideast problems and issues that need to be dealt with directly. Bombing people won't deal with them."



AP Illustration

"I don't like the idea of the United States as a police power whenever there's a problem in the world," says classmate Polly Peterson, 19, of Chatham, Mass.

Peace studies can help "provide non-violent solutions to what otherwise seem intractable situations," says Louis Kriesberger, a professor in Syracuse University's program.

Some scholars disagree, viewing peace studies as an overly optimistic discipline that fails to consider the subtleties of international relations. Such programs often are little more than lessons in consciousness-raising, says George Quester, a political scientist at the University of Maryland.

Quester, who once headed Cornell University's peace studies program, says that "if you show people how bad war is and emphasize that in the curriculum and seminars, then that's addressing the problem."

But, he adds, such programs offer little advice on how to actually prevent war.

Peace studies classes have been swamped by students since the Gulf crisis began in August 1990. At Colgate, classes that had 30 students a year ago have 40 or more now, says Nigel Young, the program's director. At Kent State, enrollment in peace studies classes has risen as much as 40 percent since the Kuwait invasion, says Karen Cunningham, who teaches in the program.

"With anything that's not at the forefront of our minds, an apathy appears until another crisis occurs," Cunningham says.

Peace studies students take jobs where they can work toward peaceful resolution of conflict. Many get jobs with the State Department or with churches, or become journalists, lawyers and teachers.

One peace studies graduate from Colgate works for the U.S. Embassy in London. Another joined the Marines. One present Colgate peace studies major wants to work for Greenpeace, the environmentalist group.

Most peace studies programs start with a core of courses with names such as "Movements for Peace and Social Change" or "War, State and Society." Peace studies cut across nearly every academic discipline, borrowing from international relations, political science, philosophy, economics and other subjects.

Students study such matters as modern anarchism, the writings of Thoreau, Gandhi and other philosophers of non-violent protest, the civil rights movement in the '60s, draft resisters during the Vietnam War, unions and strikes, the psychology of human aggression, nuclear weapons protesters, and the women's rights movement.

Despite their dovish stance, peace studies teachers and students say the Persian Gulf War has perversely benefitted their programs. The Vietnam War or World War II may be nearer in history than the Peloponnesian War or the Crusades, yet students view those modern wars as events dead and gone.

"There's a false expectation that those are things from history, that those are things that can't happen now," says Maire Dugan, director of the Consortium on Peace Research, Education and Development in Washington, D.C. "That's changed with the presence of a war, and a war that's threatening to them because of their age, because they might be drafted into it."

With the war over, peace studies scholars will examine how they can apply its lessons.

"Hopefully, we're putting structures in place now so the next time we can stop it before it happens," said Colgate's Bowman.

# One year later, Earth Day activists criticize Bush's environmental stand

By Paul Raeburn
AP Science Editor

NEW YORK — One year ago, 3,600 cities and towns celebrated the Earth while deploring the dangers it faces. Millions of Americans gathered for eco-fairs, speeches, music and clean-up projects.

And, environmentalists point out, George Bush went fishing.

The president is not a popular man among the eco-conscious these days. A year after the 20th anniversary of Earth Day, polls show a sharp jump in concern about the environment. But environmental activists say the message hasn't reached the White House.

"Looking at President Bush's environmental record overall, the president's grade is once again a 'D'," said the midterm presidential report card of the League of Conservation Voters.

Bush's environmental policy "is moving away from the promises of the '88 campaign and the progress of the first year toward the neglect and indifference that characterized White House environmental policy from 1981-88," said the league, a 20-year-old, non-partisan group that also grades the performance of members of Congress and supports pro-environment candidates.

"Yes, there's more to do," said Michael Deland, chairman of the President's Council on Environmental Quality. But Deland said the report reflected "political partisanship at its worst."

"I obviously am biased, as I clearly think the league is," he said. But "trying to look at it with some detachment, I'd give a good solid B."

No one disputes that public concern for the environment is higher than ever.

"You see it in poll after poll after poll, " said Denis Hayes, former director of Earth Day 1990, which planned many of last year's events. "Over the past two years, there's been a detailed shift. Now a huge number of people think that what they do matters."

The Earth Day anniversary festivities last April 22 symbolized the shift. Recycling and global warming were the watchwords. Despite the ritual invocation of the rainforests, endangered species and the ozone hole, most of Earth Day seemed to be about recycling, toxic wastes and the greenhouse effect.

Seventy-one percent of Americans polled for USA Today last year said they recycled newspapers, bottles or cans. Fifty-seven percent backed that with their wallets, saying they would pay more for groceries in recyclable packages.

The enthusiasm for environmental issues wasn't reflected at the ballot box, where most state environmental ballot initiatives were defeated in November. Environmentalists blamed uncertainty over the Persian Gulf crisis and successful lobbying by industry groups.

Yet the attitudes that fueled those initiatives persist. Sixty-nine percent of adults polled by the Marist Institute for Public Opinion in February said they would pay higher taxes to improve the quality of the environment, and 80 percent said the federal government ought to get more involved in the problem.

This year's 21st anniversary of Earth Day will be noted in passing, but without the publicity that attended last year's.

Many politicians seized last year's Earth Day as a painless opportunity to demonstrate concern for the environment. Bush ignored it.

"I am an environmentalist," candidate Bush declared during the 1988 presidential campaign. A centerpiece of that campaign was a television ad that featured film of debris swirling in the polluted waters of Boston Harbor.

But in a recent poll, 53 percent of adults questioned by CBS News and The New York Times said Bush "mainly just talked about" the environment, while 35 percent said he has "really made progress in protecting the environment."

Deland, not surprisingly, sides with the latter. He pointed to Bush's support for the Clean Air Act, legislation to control oil pollution and ozone-destroying chlorofluorocarbons, an environmentally sensitive farm bill and the president's tree-planting initiatives.

But critics insist Bush and his administration have become increasingly hostile to environmental concerns in their statements and their actions.

Last year, for example, Richard Darman, director of the Office of Management and Budget, dismissed environmentalists with a flip remark in a speech at Harvard University. "Americans did not fight and win the wars of the 20th century to make the world safe for green vegetables," he said.

T.S. Ary, head of the Bureau of Mines, told miners, loggers and others in March that he "doesn't believe in endangered species," except for the "ones sitting in this room." Environmentalists, he said, were "a bunch of nuts."

In its report card criticizing Bush's performance on the environment, the League of Conservation Voters criticized his energy plan, released in February.

"It focuses on increasing energy production in all the worst ways: offshore oil drilling, drilling in the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge and increasing our investment in nuclear energy," the league said.

"Clearly, there are two George Bushes on the environment," said former Arizona Gov. Bruce Babbitt, president of the League of Conservation Voters and a former candidate for the Democratic nomination for president.

"The first George Bush made a strong positive commitment early in his presidency to strengthen the Clean Air Act," Babbitt said. The second George Bush has failed to provide consistent leadership "on virtually every important national and international environmental issue," he said.

# Professor focuses on conflict

HAMILTON, N.Y. (AP) — Nigel Young's commitment to peace began during his boyhood in England 50 years ago, under the onslaught of Nazi Germany's bombs.

Young carried a gas mask and ran for cover when he heard the air raid sirens. As head of Colgate University's peace studies program, he was disheartened to see people in Israel and Saudi Arabia carting gas masks again. He found it ironic that in 50 years, the sound of the air raid sirens had not changed.

"It's been a dark century," Young says. "And yet some miraculous things have happened without war. Think of what happened in Eastern Europe."

Young and professors at about 200 other college peace studies programs in the United States devote themselves to educating students that disputes can be settled off the battlefield.

That realization is long overdue "in view of the danger that we might extinguish ourselves," says Young, 53.

Young was studying at Oxford at the peak of the Cold War in the 1950s.

As a graduate student in the 1960s at Northwestern University and the University of California at Berkeley, Young was among the pioneering scholars who developed peace studies into an academic discipline.

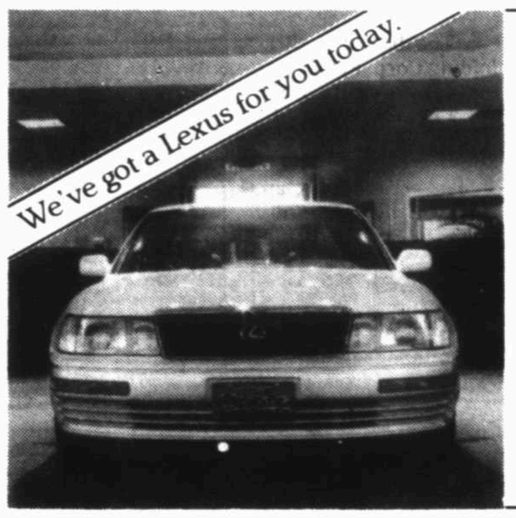
Young returned to England where he helped start a peace studies program at Bradford in 1972. He was its deputy head until 1981, when peace studies programs were proliferating after Ronald Reagan became president.

"The Reagan era was good for peace studies," Young says. "The dangers were getting worse."

Young did independent study until 1985, when he took over the program at Colgate.

While class discussion for the past six months centered on the Persian Gulf crisis, peace studies scholars view the war as simply the latest in a long line of clashes, Young says.

"We're teaching with the millennium in mind, or with a hundred-year time span," Young says.


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# Little Al Unser captures yet another Toyota Grand Prix

Associated Press

LONG BEACH, Calif. — The domination was nearly complete Sunday for Al Unser Jr. as he overpowered the rest of the Indy-car field and the downtown street circuit to win his fourth straight Toyota Grand Prix of Long Beach.

The second-generation driver trailed pole-winner Michael Andretti twice during the 95-lap, 158.65-mile event — the first lap and when he pitted the first time on lap 37. Otherwise, it was almost no contest for Unser, who earned his 16th CART victory.

The defending PPG Cup champion held leads of nearly 16 seconds over Andretti before the latter was knocked out of the race in a frightening and frustrating accident on pit road.

Unser made his second and final scheduled pit stop on lap 70 after building a 15.28-second advantage over Andretti. The leader's stop was clean and quick and he was back on the track as Michael completed his stop.

Andretti, who was second in last year's point standings, headed toward the pit exit and suddenly found Emerson Fittipaldi in his way. Andretti locked up his brakes but ran over the rear of Fittipaldi's car, flew into the air and came down sideways, crushing Fittipaldi's sidepod.

The 1.67-mile, 11-turn downtown street circuit was under caution during the second round of pit stops after John Andretti, Michael's cousin and the winner of the season opener last month in Australia, crashed when his rear suspension broke on lap 68. John was driving Midland's Hall/VDS entry, which is co-owned by Midlanders Jim Hall, Franz Weis, Jim Hall Jr. and Count Rudy van der Straten.

With the ensuing accident in the pits, the green flag didn't come out until lap 79. At that point, the only driver on the lead lap besides Unser was his Galles-Kraco teammate, Bobby Rahal, whose Lola-Chevrolet was right behind at the restart.

But Unser quickly pulled away, pushing the margin to 3.7 seconds after just one lap and easily keeping the lead between 1.9 seconds and the final edge of 3.89 the rest of the way.

# North Stars pull off first-round upset

Associated Press

## NHL Playoffs

BLOOMINGTON, Minn. — Jon Casey made 26 saves and Brian Bellows had two goals and an assist as the Minnesota North Stars beat the Chicago Blackhawks 3-1 Sunday night, winning their first playoff series since 1985 and becoming the first team in 20 years with a first-round upset of the NHL regular-season champion.

The North Stars won the best-of-7 series in six games and will meet the winner of Tuesday's St. Louis-Detroit game in the Norris Division finals beginning Thursday night.

The Blackhawks, who finished 38 points ahead of the North Stars, joined the 1971 Boston Bruins as the only No. 1 teams since the league's 1967 expansion to lose in the first round.

**Blues 3, Red Wings 0**

DETROIT — The St. Louis Blues, fighting for a small piece of NHL history, evened their Norris Division series at 3-3 on goals by Dave Tomlinson, Jeff Brown and Dave Lowry.

It was the fifth shutout this season for Vincent Riendeau, who handled 23 shots. The Blues had 21 shots on Tim Cheveldae.

**Flames 2, Oilers 1, OT**

EDMONTON, Alberta — Theoren Fleury scored a great breakaway goal at 4:40 of overtime as the Calgary Flames defeated the Edmonton Oilers to stay alive in the NHL playoffs.

The win evened the best-of-7 Smythe Division semifinal at 3-3 and forced a seventh and deciding game Tuesday night in Calgary. The Flames had trailed the Oilers 3-1 in the series.

# Spurs wade through injury-plagued Phoenix

Associated Press

## NBA

PHOENIX — Willie Anderson scored 25 points and Terry Cummings added 24 as the San Antonio Spurs averted a second-half collapse to beat the injury-plagued Phoenix Suns 109-101 Sunday.

David Robinson had 23 points and 15 rebounds.

**Celtics 115, Knicks 102**

BOSTON — Kevin Gamble and Robert Parish led a 17-6 run at the end of the third quarter, lifting the Boston Celtics within one game of the NBA's Eastern Conference lead.

**Bullets 101, Heat 96**

LANDOVER, Md. — Washington handed the Miami Heat its 12th consecutive road loss as Ledell Eackles scored nine points in an 18-5 fourth-quarter run.

**Timberwolves 96, 76ers 88**

PHILADELPHIA — Tony Campbell scored 23 points and Doug West added a season-high 17 as Minnesota snapped a seven-game losing streak. The Timberwolves, who led by 19 in the third quarter, had won just one of their previous 20 road games.

**Pacers 125, Pistons 107**

INDIANAPOLIS — Reggie Miller scored 24 points and the Indiana Pacers finished with the highest point total against Detroit this season.

**Trail Blazers 139, Magic 119**

PORTLAND, Ore. — Clyde Drexler had 23 points and 11 rebounds, then sat out the final quarter as Portland won its 14th consecutive game and clinched the homecourt advantage throughout the playoffs.

The Blazers tied a franchise record by making nine 3-pointers, including their first seven attempts. Their winning streak is the second-longest in the NBA this season.

# Razorbacks pummel Frogs with 14-hit attack

Associated Press

## SWC Baseball

FORT WORTH — Centerfielder Mark Johnson hit a home run with two runners on base in the second inning as Arkansas defeated Texas Christian 12-6 in a Southwest Conference matchup Sunday.

The Razorbacks (32-15, 7-8) collected 12 runs on 14 hits to hand the Frogs (27-17) their sixth SWC loss of the season against six victories.

Arkansas scored two unearned runs in the first inning. The Frogs came back to score four runs in the first, on a homer by Mark Rudis which put TCU up 4-2.

Arkansas scored six runs in the second inning, including Kirk Piskor's homer to put the Razorbacks up 8-4. The Razorbacks added one run in the fifth and three in the seventh to go up 12-4.

**Baylor 5-0, Houston 1-5**

WACO — Pinch-hitter Emile Sevadjian's two-out triple in the fifth inning helped power Baylor to a 5-1 victory over Houston in the first game of a Southwest Conference baseball double-header.

Ben Weber (6-2) threw a two-hit shutout in the nightcap as the Cougars took the victory, 5-0.

Baylor is 33-10 and 7-5 in the SWC. Houston is 28-14 and 5-7.

Mike Robison led off the Baylor fifth inning with Houston ahead 1-0 with a walk off Cougar starter and loser Vaughn Eshleman (4-3). Sevadjian, hitting for designated-hitter Sean Severide, hit a triple over Houston centerfielder Phil Lewis and the Bears took a 2-1 lead.

# Yesters win Green Tree Couples title

Staff Report

Grady and Marty Yester produced a 41 Sunday to win Green Tree Country Club's Couples golf tournament by seven strokes.

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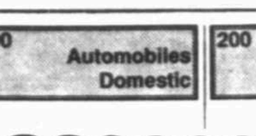

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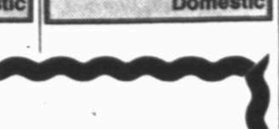

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Metro Inn Motel.

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NOW HIRING
Full-time waitpersons. All shifts. KETTLE, 4206 W. Wall, Apply in person. No phone calls.

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LOOKING For motorcycle mechanic. Experience necessary. Must have own tools. Apply Golden Suzuki Honda Kawasaki, 306 E. 2nd, Odessa.

CASHIER WANTED Apply at: 4401 W. Wadley in Midland. Some cashier experience preferable, honest, dependable and good with the public.

EXPERIENCED MIXER Drivers. Apply at 3101 West Industrial.

NOW Accepting Applications. ALL positions, full-time and part-time. Grandy's 3201 Andrews Hwy. 689-0078 Apply between 2 and 4 p.m.

PROVIDERS NEEDED
Provides house cleaning, cooking, and personal care for the elderly in the Midland Area. Part time, flexible hours, transportation and telephone required. Please call 561-8513 between 8 am - 5 pm, Monday - Friday ask for Jackie Gilmer. EOE

WANTED Food servers, dishwashers and service assistance. Apply in person only: Denny's Restaurant 3701 W. Wall.

DOMINO'S PIZZA now hiring delivery drivers. Part time, $4.25 per hour. MUST Be over 18 with valid driver's license and insurance. Call 699-5602.

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REPLYING TO A BLIND BOX NUMBER?
Address your reply to the Blind Box Number -(The Specific number in the ad you are replying to - for example A-3)
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P.O. Box 1650
Midland, Texas 76702

The Midland Reporter-Telegram cannot disclose the identity of an advertiser using one of our box numbers to anyone for any reason. This information is confidential. However,readers who are interested in positions offered, but who desire to avoid sending a resume to certain companies can do so. Address your reply to the specific box number in the ad and place it in another envelope along with a note listing the companies you do not want your reply to reach. If the advertiser is anyone on your list, we will destroy your reply.

Be sure to use the specific Box number listed at the end of the ad. Without this number, it is impossible to forward replies. Call 682-6222 if you have questions about the procedure.

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ASSEMBLER, Electrical/ Mechanical, minimum 2 years experience. Use of hand tools and ability to read blue prints required. Call 699-1400.

MANAGER or Managers Trainee for Truly Texas Store in Midland Park Mall. We are looking for hardworking, personable organized applicants who have have previous Retail experience. Send resume to Truly Texas, personnel, 800 Paloma Drive, suite 140, Roundrock, TX 78664.

## 312 Professional Help Wanted

**BAKER PERFORMANCE CHEMICALS**
A Baker Hughes company

**FIELD TECH CHEMIST**

Baker Performance Chemicals, a major international chemical supplier for the oilfield industry seeks a professional field tech chemist for the Midland/Odessa area

Requirements: B.S., B.A., or equivalent

Experience: Ability to relate to professional people, and ability to set and accomplish goals.

We offer attractive base salary, outstanding health and dental benefits., paid expenses, and growth opportunities.
Please forward your resume to:

**BAKER PERFORMANCE CHEMICALS, INC.**
**ATTENTION: JOSE' ENRIQUEZ**
**P.O. BOX 474**
**ODESSA, TEXAS 79760-0474**

**Computer Programmer**
Small company needs Systems Programmer to maintain and reprogram financial accounting and Oil & Gas applications written in Basic and currently operating on IBM System 36.
Applicant will also be required to handle accounts payable and assist CPA with Bookkeeping applications. Non-smoker only. Send Resume with salary history and requirements to:
Box C - 21, c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram,
P.O. Box 1650,
Midland, Tx. 79702.

## 310 General Help Wanted

ASSISTANT Manager needed experience preferred, for apartment community. Come by 3212 W. Wadley. No phone calls please.

AC SVC TECH
5 years commercial experience - Trane Centrifugal and recip & Carrier Centrifugal experience. Must have good driving record. Top pay. Credit Union, Medical Insurance, holidays, company truck. 214-406-3680.

BASKIN ROBBINS has openings for a few out going people, part-time positions. Reliable a must, Own transportation, flexible hours. Come by #4 Plaza Center location.

LA BODEGA RESTAURANT
now hiring bar waiter/ waitress
App'y in person
2700 N. Big Spring.

NOW Hiring 6 people for special telephone promotion for the Midland Angels. 40 hours, hourly pay plus bonus. 2 months work. Also need someone with economy car to deliver tickets part time. Apply in person only. 8:00 to 5:00. 8004 W. Highway 80 (Executone Building) See Chuck Dunton.

PART-TIME Retail sales help wanted for Truly Texas gift store in Mall. Applicant should be customer oriented, personable and energetic. Apply in person at Truly Texas Midland Park Mall.

HELP WANTED: All positions available. Apply in person. Long John Silvers, 900 Andrews Highway.

JANITORIAL Company now hiring janitors & housekeepers. Must have 2 years experience. Call between 9 am - 4 pm. 682-2963.

GROWING Janitorial Company now hiring operation manager. Call between 9 am to 4 pm. 682-2963.

CUSTODIAN
Midland Park Mall is seeking experienced, promising, individuals to join our housekeeping staff. 2 custodial positions are available for the night shift (1 full time and 1 part time). Minimum requirements: Basic knowledge and ability to perform custodial functions, at least 3 months of job experience. Applications available at Customer Service Center. Qualified Applicants will be called for an interview.
MIDLAND PARK MALL
4511 N. MIDKIFF
MIDLAND, TX 79705
EOE M/F

WOULD like to hire a responsible dependable sitter for summer months. Two girls ages 9 and 6, in my home. Hours 7:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Please call 685-3425, after 7 p.m.

NEEDING FULL-TIME HELP: 3 positions available. CASHIER, ATTENDANT, and General Duty. Apply in person RAINDANCE CAR WASH, 1103 Andrews Hwy.

## 311 Medical Help Wanted

MEDICAL TRANSCRIPTIONIST
Part time
Medical Transcriptionist with at least one year experience in physician dictation, type 80 wpm. Schedule very flexible. Competitive hourly wage. Send resume or call 915-756-3345.
Wanda Arencibia ART,
Martin County Hospital,
P.O. Box 640,
Stanton, TX 79782

PART TIME Dental Hygienist needed for growing family practise. Salary DOE. Please send resume to: P.O. Box 7822, Midland, 79708.

NEED RN DON. Wages competitive in this area. Benefits include paid vacation, 7 paid holidays. Seminole Nursing Center, 1-758-9401 ask for administrator.

PHLEBOTOMIST - Part-time mornings, 7:30 - 9:30 a.m., Monday - Friday. Send replies to: Box E-11 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

PHARMACIST - IV THERAPY/ STANDARD RETAIL. This career opportunity in Midland offers $50-55K plus aggressive bonus plan. We are an independent retail/ home health care agency seeking knowledgeable candidates with experience in retail and/ or hospital pharmacy setting. Motivated individuals encouraged to call 684-7587.

PART TIME RECEPTIONIST Job available in a doctor's office for alternate weekdays evenings and alternate Saturdays. Bring resume with photo to 1816 N. Midland Drive. 11 am - 12 noon.

## 311 Medical Help Wanted

*Courtyard Care Center*
EXPERIENCED
RN
DIRECTOR OF NURSING
Our beautiful 114 bed facility needs a Loving Experienced D.O.N,.
$36,000
Depending on background & experience
Full Benefits
Contact:
Betty Russell
3303 Sage
683-5403

DENTAL TECHNICIAN NEEDED
Crown and bridge lab, Top Salary for Top People. Send confidential resume to: P.O. Box 65309, Lubbock, Texas 79424 or call 1-800-7-CROWNS.

DENTAL OFFICE needs Dependable, Hardworking, Dental Assistant. Experience preferred, but willing to train the right person. Competitive salary, plus benefits. Send replies to: BOX I-07, c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

## 312 Professional Help Wanted

IDS Financial Services Inc., an American Express company. Hiring & training financial planners: salary, commission, plus benefits. Call 685-3889. EOE M/F

OIL & GAS ACCOUNTANT with at least 3 years experience. Must be knowledgeable of A/R, A/P, JIB's; a good tax background; and willing to relocate. Send resume and salary requirements to:
Controller
P.O. Box 6129
Abilene, TX 79608.

PROFESSIONAL Management company seeks experienced managers for rehab apartments in Midland/ Odessa. Must be marketing oriented, organized, detailed, self starters. salary commensurates with experience. Send resume to: BOX I-11 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

## 316 Clerical Help Wanted

**ACCOUNTING SECRETARY**
Immediate opening for individual with 3 - 5 years accounting secretarial experience. Requires Lotus 1-2-3 and WordPerfect 5.1 or equivalent. Other computer skills and aptitude a plus. Excellent benefit package. Non-smoker.
Send confidential resume to:
**ADOBE RESOURCES CORPORATION**
**300 W. TEXAS, SUITE 1100**
**MIDLAND, TX 79701**
**ATTN: PERSONNEL DEPARTMENT**

## 320 Sales Help Wanted

**SALES CAREER WITH MANAGEMENT OPPORTUNITIES**

WE OFFER:
- ✔ Excellent Base Salary
- ✔ Monthly Bonus Incentive
- ✔ Company Car
- ✔ Paid Business Expenses
- ✔ Established Territory
- ✔ Excellent Training

WE ARE LOOKING FOR:
- ✔ Pattern Of Success
- ✔ Prefer College Degree
- ✔ Dynamic Sales Personality

CALL RANDY USELTON AT (915) 362-2311
MON, TUES OR WED APRIL 15, 16 AND 17,
9:00A.M.- 4:00P.M.

## 312 Professional Help Wanted

NATIONAL Company has 2 openings for Finance Investigators - Skip tracers. Must have experience. Apply Bidco Corporation, 312 E. 2nd, Odessa.

BROWNFIELD CISD
Elementary Principal
Deadline 5/31/91
Qualifications: Master Degree, Mid-management and TTAS Certification. Successful elementary teaching and experience. Ability to implement effective school correlates. Contact John M. Dosher, Superintendent, Brownfield CISD, 601 Tahoka Road, Brownfield, Texas 79316.

CAREER OPPORTUNITY In a well established, teen oriented, dental practice for a highly motivated, creative and caring individual with good managerial abilities. Please contact by resume: Randall W. Bell, DDS, 2409 W. Illinois, suite B, Midland, Tx 79701.

ENTRY LEVEL SALES
Need someone to learn all aspects of our business. Must be able the make decisions, be of good moral character and eager to learn. Will be involved in all areas of sales and service. Sales experience preferred, but not necessary. I am looking for Aptitudes and personality. Many company benefits available. Unlimited potential for someone determined and hard working.
Call Jess Upham
915-687-2021
Equal opportunity Employer
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## 316 Clerical Help Wanted

**WE NEED**

**ACCOUNTING CLERKS**
Immediate Assignments Available
**TEMP TIME**
**687-1545**

EXPERIENCED ACCOUNTS PAYABLE CLERK needed for busy insurance agency. Computer knowledge necessary. Lotus 1-2-3 helpful. Please send resumes and salary requirements to:
BOX D-12, c/o
The Midland Reporter-Telegram,
P.O. Box 1650
Midland, Texas 79702.

V.I.P. TEMPORARIES. Call for Temp. or permanent jobs available now! No Fees. 686-9722.

We Need WORD PROCESSORS
TEMP TIME
687-1545

INSURANCE SECRETARY
Must have at least 2 years experience mainly rating and handling auto files. Word processing and computer knowledge very helpful. Salary DOE. Please respond with resume to:
BOX I-08
Midland Reporter-Telegram
P.O. Box 1650
Midland, Texas 79702

RECEPTIONIST needed for medical clinic. Medical experience and terminology preferred. Call 686-9708.

WORDPROCESSOR/Transcriptionist with good grammar skills. The ideal candidate will need working knowledge of medical terminology and be willing to learn more. Must type 75 words per minute, WordPerfect experience a plus. 8:00 to 5:00 Monday through Friday. Send resumes to P.O. Box 5383 Midland, TX, 79704.

ADMINISTRATIVE/ FINANCIAL SECRETARY
Requirements include experience as a financial secretary with heavy financial/ statistical typing, and good word processing and organizational skills. Experience with Word Perfect 5.0, Lotus and public company administration desirable. Send resume and salary history to:
BOX I-13
The Midland Reporter-Telegram
P.O. Box 1650
Midland, Texas 79702

## 316 Clerical Help Wanted

SECRETARY For one person office, Non-smoker, Oil & Gas and/or Bookkeeping experience. Must be neat, well organized self-starter, able to work on IBM PS-2. 682-6386.

## 320 Sales Help Wanted

TELEMARKETERS needed. Management position available to right person. No experience necessary. Good pay. Call 687-0047.

DAY and Evening sales. Full and part time positions. Top wages paid. Rapid advancement to management. 687-2320.

OVER 25 CALLS
Midland Lamp Shop placed a Midland Reporter-Telegram Classified Sales Help Wanted ad. "We received 25 calls on the first day and had the position filled before the end of the day", said Pat. Talk about CLASSIFIED RESULTS!!!
Contact our friendly Classified Consultants to help you fill your openings! 682-6222.

WANTED - Full time sales help. Call Paula's, 682-3021 or Ray's Big & Tall, 683-6920.

SALESPERSON Wanted: No experience necessary. Apply in person, Dotson Nissan, 3917 W. Wall, Midland. Ask for Doc.

MAKE Extra income selling hair & skin care products from your home part-time. 694-4316.

TELEPHONE FUND RAISERS needed. Solid local organization, full or part time, hourly or commission. Will train. Management possibilities. Contact Don between 1 - 4, Monday - Friday. 682-1247.

DO YOU want to be the best? Then we need you! Need highly motivated Sales people. High commissions and good benefits. No experience necessary. Will train. Apply in person only. 2510 E. 8th, Odessa.
Sun Chrysler Plymouth Dodge

$$EXTRA MONEY$$
Evenings, 5 - 10 pm, taking orders on phone. 713-332-9166.

EXPERIENCED
FURNITURE SALESPERSON
for our Midland Store. Management potential preferred. Call Glen Berry 332-8806 for an appointment. Resumes required.

STOP LOOK and Listen. Earn fantastic money. Let me show you how. Monday - Friday 9:00 to 5:00, Saturday 1:00 to 5:00 call for interview 694-3991.

SALESPERSON Needed for established local company. Knowledge of personal computers, networks, and oil and gas accounting is helpful but not required. Moderate monthly base plus commission. Potential annual income of $60,000 is expected. Submit resumes to BOX D-15 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

100 MILLION
Pair sold every week! 120 million Ladies will go "crazy" over our new ultra sheer "never run" pantie hose! (as seen on National TV) "awesome" 10 level pay plan! No competition. No cost to join. No large monthly quotes. Free response pack. Call
1-800-950-2337 ext. 8962

ROYAL OPTICAL
has an immediate opening for a part-time optical dispenser at our Midland location. No experience necessary, we will train. Must like dealing with people. Hourly wage plus commission.
Apply at Royal Optical
1 North Park Shopping Center
4706 N. Midkiff
Midland, TX 79701
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## 320 Sales Help Wanted

**$1800 GUARANTEE!**
**Leading Import Dealer Looking For Salespeople**
* 8 Deliveries Guaranteed $1800/mo.
* Must Be Well Groomed
* Strong Desire To Succeed
* Previous Sales Experience not required
* Demo plan
* Health Insurance Plan
**APPLY IN PERSON**
**MON.-FRI.**
**4040 W. WALL**
**MIDLAND, TX.**

**CAREER OPPORTUNITY**
**MEN AND WOMEN**
If you have enthusiasm, and ambition, this is an outstanding opportunity for you. We are expanding our operations and will select people for the following operations . . .
**SALES REPRESENTATIVES**
**(NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY)**
**$15,000 - $30,000**
**SALES MANAGERS**
**$25,000 - $50,000**
**WE OFFER**
- Professional Training
- Rapid Advancement
- Unlimited Earnings
- Excellent Benefits
- Incentives
- Luxury Awards

If you are ambitious and have a sincere desire to get ahead, we want to talk to you.
Call Darrell Reid, 915-694-8429, Monday and Tuesday for personal interviews (9 am to 6 pm).

TELEPHONE Ticket Sales for statewide fraternal organization. Experience and a good strong voice a plus. Day and evening hours available. $6 - $8 per hour. 682-0014.

## 335 Adult Day Care

LVN would like to provide a home and care for the elderly or disabled. 683-1304

## 340 Child Care

ATTENTION MOTHERS!!! Will babysit infants in my home. Trinity School vicinity. Call 697-7395.

LIMITED, Careful, Experienced, Learning Child Care. My Northwest home/ yours. Any hours/age. References. Reasonable. 697-8768.

I WILL Care for infants in my home. Experienced and registered. Call Sharon at 694-0765.

REASONABLE loving Christian child care. Loop 250 and Garfield. 0 - 3 years. Call 686-0921.

NOW OPEN: Rainbow Christian Day Care. Hourly, daily, 2 - 3 - 5 day programs. Transportation to and from school. 1009 W. Missouri, 683-5161.

WILL BABYSIT In my home, any hours, any ages. Experienced. Reasonable rates. Please call 682-4235.

LICENSED Child Care, my home, Dellwood area, 24 hour, 7 day week. Birth - 5. 694-0934, ask for Dean.

INFANTS ONLY! The most important decision you will ever make for the most important person in your life. Licensed. Please call Jan, 694-8024.

NOW OPEN. Babysitting Agency. Meeting your weekend and evening needs. Call 699-6323.

REGISTERED HOME has immediate openings, ages 18 months and older. Call 685-0071.

UP, UP AND AWAY Learning Center, now open. Located in Northland Shopping Center on Scharbauer and A. We will care for infants - 13 years. 687-2715.

BABYSITTER for 11 month old, in my home, nights. References and transportation required. Leave message, 694-5383.

CHILD CARE. A Home registered with the Texas Department of Human Services is not licensed, inspected, or otherwise regulated by the Department.

NEED MATURE DEPENDABLE Person to care for 9 month old in my home. 7:30 am - 5:30 pm, Monday - Friday. Non-Smoker. Own transportation and references required. Days 561-6816, after 6 pm 694-1629, Shelly.

NEEDED: Private sitter for 8 month old, starting in June. 7 am - 5 pm. Call 368-7800.

## 350 Business Opportunities

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UNLIMITED INCOME
It's real!
24 hour recorded message
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MAKE approximately $200/ day. No investment required. Need person 21 or older, club/ civic group to operate a Family Fireworks Center, June 24-July 4. Call: 1-800-442-7711.

REAL ESTATE OPPORTUNITY. Get your real estate license quickly! Short state accredited courses. Southwest College, 683-4555.

WESTERN Schools is offering classes to obtain/ update your real estate license; locally owned, 682-4045.

OPPORTUNITY to become financially independent in one to three years. Low capital. We will train. 694-4316.

CAREER Burnout? Get the facts on a serious alternative. 24 hour recorded message (915) 560-5234.

FREE One Hour Audio Cassette Tape. Hear one man's experience in changing careers for the better. Call recorded message 560-5286.

Old Company/ New Machines Candy/ Snack Vending Rte. for Sale. ANDY, 1-800-749-0044.

BE your own boss! GTE 2225 Pay Telephone Business. Excellent Income. Perry. 1-800-226-8016

HUB CAP ANNIE For Sale By Owner. No local retail competition. Contact Bill, 689-0293.

BE YOUR OWN BOSS, set your own hours, earnings are up to you. If interested 685-0587. Initial cost $30. 100% refundable after 1 week if not satisfied.

GOLD MINE. Need Investors to develop established mine in Southwest Colorado. 14 claims under lease. Reply to: P. O. Box 3443, Midland, Tx 79702.

VIDEO RENTAL BUSINESS FOR SALE. Supplying 5 stores, good supplemental income. Price - $40,000. For details call after 5 pm, 1-354-2465.

AAA LOCAL ROUTE - for sale. 1st time offer - Prime locations Low invest - High returns 1-800-749-9844

CALL NOW! Local Vending Rte. All Cash Income - SAM, 1-800-749-6800/ 24 hrs.

Safe & Secure Business
Own GTE pay Telephones
Call NEIL, 1-800-741-2051

## 400 Auctions

BALOG & BALOG Auctioneering For free brochures on upcoming auctions call (915)561-5133

## 405 Garage/Yard Sales

The Texas Bedding Law requires all second hand bedding to be sanitized by a licensed germicidal treatment operator and properly labeled before being offered for sale.

Good used Washer, dryer, baby beds, bunk beds, bedroom furniture, ALL STEEL File Cabinets, office desks and singer sewing machine. New and used evaporative air conditioners, dinettes and living room sets. All sizes of new and used bedding! Lots of misc.
JOHN'S SWAP SHOP
600 E. FLORIDA 683-7872

## 405 Garage/Yard Sales

MITCHELL'S New and Used, 3100 West Front, now takes consignment furniture, appliances, boats, cars, etc. Call 694-5701.

TRADE Village Flea Market. Indoor, 2905 Rankin Highway. Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

## 410 Miscellaneous Sales

ROYAL blue formal, size 3/4 with matching shoes and purse. Worn one time. Call 694-1925.

WEDDING GOWN: White satin with pearls and sequins, chapel length train, size 10. $400. Days, 570-1301, evenings, 684-8574.

## 410 Miscellaneous Sales

TREES
Large Red and Live Oaks
Guaranteed and Planted at Below Costs
Est. 1985
Big Tree Kompany
561-8123

YANKEE COUNTRY KITCHEN Candles, all fragances. Brass & Things, 3809 South Rankin Highway, Midland.

WANT TO BUY Costume Jewelry, Oriental Wood Sculptures. Personal collection. Daves Trading Post. 2910 W. Wall, 697-2488.

JUKE BOXES repaired, bought and sold. 78 and 45 rpm records sold. Antique Musical Apparatus, 2404 W. Wall, 684-6824.

RESTHAVEN Memorial Park, Fountain, Lot 84, Spaces 1 & 2, $695 each (worth $795). Call 1-362-6957.

RESTHAVEN Memorial Park, Devotion (old section), Lot 286, Spaces 1 & 2. $500 each. 1-332-3340.

ESTATE SALE
Diamond ring, ladies 2.75 ct. solitaire, excellent stone. Appraised for $24,000 plus. Will sell for $12,000. Call 685-3330.

REBUILT Vacuum cleaners, starting at $25, gouranteed 1 year, most brands. 1/4 mile South of I-20, at Rankin Highway Flea Market. Every Saturday - Sunday.

WHIRLPOOL Bath Tub, display models, drastically reduced. 563-1860

BASS FISHING. Enjoy fishing at out of the way fishing holes with an experienced guide. Transportation, fuel, boat and instruction are furnished. Leave Midland 5 a.m., return 6 p.m., $50 per day. 570-4206.

MOVING? Used Cartons and wardrobes. Excellent condition, .25¢ - $2.50. Call 686-8407.

CEMETARY ESTATE PLOT - 4 spaces, Resthaven Memorial - Garden of Hope. Super value. 699-8028.

NEW PRODUCT! Florescent desk top name ornament! Very unusual. For free sample, 1-800-243-1767. No obligations.

ROLEX, man's gold/ stainless steel watch; Beeman R-1 air rifle, 12 gauge pump shot gun, 30/30 Winchester. Call 682-6737, evenings.

## 415 Miscellaneous Wanted

DON'T THROW away that non-working portable color TV or VCR. It might be worth money. Call 697-1558 or 699-1454.

WE BUY Southwest Airlines Ticket Vouchers, please call
915-687-2237

WANTED ZZ TOP TICKETS For May 2 Concert in Lubbock. Call 694-2344 or 684-7804, David.

SEARS LAWN MOWER, $75. WHITES Lawn Mower, $35. Kitchenaide Portable Dishwasher $75. 684-6421

## 420 Good Things To Eat

CUSTOM PECAN SHELLING 50 Cents per pound. Will pick up and deliver. 682-4887.

★ DELICIOUS homemade decorated cakes for parties, weddings, etc. Reasonably priced. Call Mickie Perkins, 694-8445.

## 430 Household Goods

NEED good used furniture. Buy, sell & trade used furniture and appliances. Rowe's New & Used. 1211 S. Big Spring. 687-5966.

WE SELL, service, buy used washer and Dryers. Whirlpool, Kenmore, GE, Hotpoint. Call 682-5366/ 699-6123.

INSTANT cash for your working and non-working appliances. Call 559-2943.

REFRIGERATOR, Washer and Dryer, Freezer, Stove. Call 337-5026.

Solid Oak Executive Leopold Desk, $400. Call 689-8840, 5013 Canadian.

2 YEAR old gas range, white $150. Call 682-1065 after 5:00.

LARGE Microwave, $90. Blue rocker Recliner, $120. Old wine rack, $50. 6 drawer chest, $110. Fourties Buffet, $150. Must sell. Call 699-6123.

KING SIZED WATERBED, with mirror and shelves, six drawer underdresser, includes mattress and 3 sets of sheets. $150. 697-3571 after 5 pm.

MAYTAG washer and dryer, older model, but in good condition. $125/ set. Call 689-8333.

RIVERSIDE SOFA and Love Seat, slate blue. Like brand new, 4 years old. $575 for both. Broyhill Girls bedroom suite - Full size bed, chest and desk. $150. 699-0073.

GLASS TOP DINING Room Table, 4 chairs, excellent condition. $200. Call after 8 pm, 683-3430.

Nice Maple bunk or twin beds with four drawers, complete, $200 cash. Can be seen anytime after 6:30 p.m. at 4701 W. Illinois, Apt. D.

Double bed, night stand, 6 drawer dresser with mirror, 5 drawer chest of drawers, modern style, medium color wood finish. Good condition. $375. 682-5075.

200 YARD of carpet with pad. Earth tone color, good condition. $4 per yard. Call 689-7367 or 559-6375.

23" MAGNAVOX CONSOLE with phono am/fm-$150, Beige Lane recliner-$75, Occasional chair-$25, table lamps-$15 each. Call 682-1477.

Mrs. George Hanckock says "Everything that we advertise in The Midland Reporter Telegram - SELLS!!" She is very satisified with the results she gets using classified!

KINGSIZED WATERBED with sheets and 6 drawers, $200 or best offer. Stationary bike--make offer. 699-1656.

KENMORE washer and dryer, $300 for set; dinette set, $100; microwave oven, $75. Call 694-9389.

MAGIC CHEF 30" electric range, white/ black, 7 months old, excellent condition. $250. Call 683-5229.

SAVE MONEY! Make your own clothes. SEWING MACHINE, Viking 940, does everything, $350 firm. 682-5518.

CHEST TYPE Freezer, $75, Convienent Refrigerated Beer Dispenser, $100. Call 694-3321.

Like new dining table, dresser, and other furniture, very nice call 689-2933 for more information.

SOFA and love seat, $200; China hutch, $75; AM/FM stereo/ turntable, $25. Good condition. 687-4928.

THREE PIECE bedroom suite, headboard with mirror and light, dresser double mirror with 2 lights and hutch. Call 689-9427.

## 430 Household Goods

LARGE Bird Cage, $100; Small bird cage, $50; Wrought aluminum breakfast glass top table with 4 chairs, $250; Culligan refrigerated water dispenser, $50; Swinging wrought iron cradle, $135; Wrought iron bakers rack, $15. Lawn chairs and Chassis, $35 & $50; Emperor clock pit, $50. Portable antique sewing machine. 684-8556.

LIKE NEW Dining Room Furniture, 18th Century Rectangular Pedestal Table, 6 chairs, side board and mirror. Call 697-6148.

## 440 Firewood

DICK'S FIREWOOD. Spring Special. Oak, $100/ Mesquite, $85. Delivered. 1-453-2181, Robert Lee. Void after 4/30/91.

THE WOOD YARD. Oak, Mesquite, Pecan. 701 N. Fairgrounds. Call 686-8107 or 684-8918.

## 450 Sporting Goods

JIM'S Golf Club repair. Regrip $2.75; Reshaft $12.50; Custommade Clubs; Terrific Ladies Clubs; Lowest Prices - Best work! 3115 Haynes. 694-1334.

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