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More than 270 dead as earthquake jolts Northern California

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Earthquake survivors, lower right, comfort another motorist injured when a section of the Cypress Freeway in Oakland, Calif., collapsed during a Tuesday evening temblor.

By MARY McGRATH

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) — Aftershocks rumbled today as crews searched for motorists under an elevated highway collapsed by an earthquake that jarred Northern California, killing more than 270 people and injuring hundreds more.

The magnitude of the catastrophe emerged slowly as officials made contact with hard-hit areas, where many telephones were cut off. The quake Tuesday, 6.9 on the Richter scale, collapsed buildings across nearly 100 miles, as well as the San Francisco-Oakland Bay Bridge and at two spans in the Santa Cruz area.

Severed gas lines sparked fires, including one in San Francisco that burned a block of buildings, but all were out or under control today. As many as 1 million people were left without electricity and other services.

"The devastation is just horrible and we're just shocked," said Gov. George Deukmejian, who cut short a trade mission to West Germany. Lt. Gov. Leo McCarthy said damage would total "the better part of $1 billion."

In Washington, President Bush signed a disaster-relief declaration and said "we will take every step and make every effort" to help. Bush on Tuesday sent Transportation Secretary Samuel Skinner to assess damage.

State emergency services spokesman John Peterson said at least 272 people had died and 650 were injured. At least 253 people were killed when a mile of the upper level of Interstate 880, the Nimitz Freeway, in Oakland collapsed, said Dave Wilson of the state Office of Emergency Services.

"You could hear it crunching down — but you couldn't see anything. It was just a big white cloud," said Leroy FitzGerald. "You could hear people screaming for help."

Tractors, bulldozers and dump trucks were called out, and trucks and vans took bodies from the site this morning.

The quake, the nation's second deadliest, hit at 5:04 p.m. Tuesday along a segment of the mighty San Andreas Fault eight miles northeast of Santa Cruz and 75 miles south of San Francisco. At least four aftershocks were recorded, including one that measured 4.5 on the Richter scale.

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FEMA moving quickly to assess quake damage

WASHINGTON (AP) — Federal officials moved quickly today to try to assess the damage from Tuesday's disastrous California earthquake and prepared to speed aid to the region.

Grant Peterson, associate director of the Federal Emergency Management Agency, said officials planned to make an aerial survey of the region at dawn to get a handle on the extent of damage.

Meanwhile, a formal request by California Lt. Gov. Leo McCarthy for a federal disaster declaration will be hand-carried by FEMA officials to President Bush this morning for his signature.

"Once the president signs it, the money will start going directly to the area," Peterson said in an interview at agency headquarters.

FEMA has an emergency fund that can be used for a variety of purposes, including hotel accomodations for homeless people and as much as $10,000 per family for recovery assistance.

White House Press Secretary Marlin Fitzwater today toured FEMA headquarters in his capacity as chairman of the government's Interagency Committee on Public Affairs in Emergencies and said "they're doing an outstanding job in monitoring the situtation in California."

Shortly after the quake occurred, FEMA set up a disaster field office in The Presidio, an Army post in San Francisco, headed by regional director Robert Vickers.

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Relief efforts begin early in Texas

Associated Press

As the horror left behind by the San Francisco earthquake was becoming evident through national television reports early Wednesday morning, relief officials were scrambling to find blood and preparing to see what other help Northern California needs.

The Blood Center at Wadley in Dallas was preparing an emergency shipment of nearly 100 pints of blood to be sent on an early morning flight to Oakland, said a staff member who identified herself only as Diane.

She said several blood banks in California, and as far away as Alaska, were checking their available inventories and preparing shipments into the area, anticipating a great demand as medical authorities begin treating the wounded.

Sandra Pomeroy, a spokeswoman for the American Red Cross in Dallas, said a national hotline already has been designated for those who wish to donate money to help the earthquake victims.

She said staff members at the Dallas chapter planned to meet at 7 a.m. today for a briefing to discuss where to direct those looking for information on relatives in the affected area and to start thinking about whether volunteer workers should be sent from this area.

"We're expected a flood of phone calls and inquiries this morning," Ms. Pomeroy said.

Those wishing to reach the American Red Cross hotline set up for financial contributions to assist earthquake victims can call (toll-free) 1-800-453-9000.

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Freeze tonight would be month earlier than '88

By JULIE HILLRICHS
Staff Writer

A Canadian cold front is the culprit bringing below normal temperatures to the Permian Basin and a chance for the area's first freeze of the season, according to National Weather Service forecasters.

If the freeze materializes, it will come almost one month before the first freeze last year and the earliest in recorded history here.

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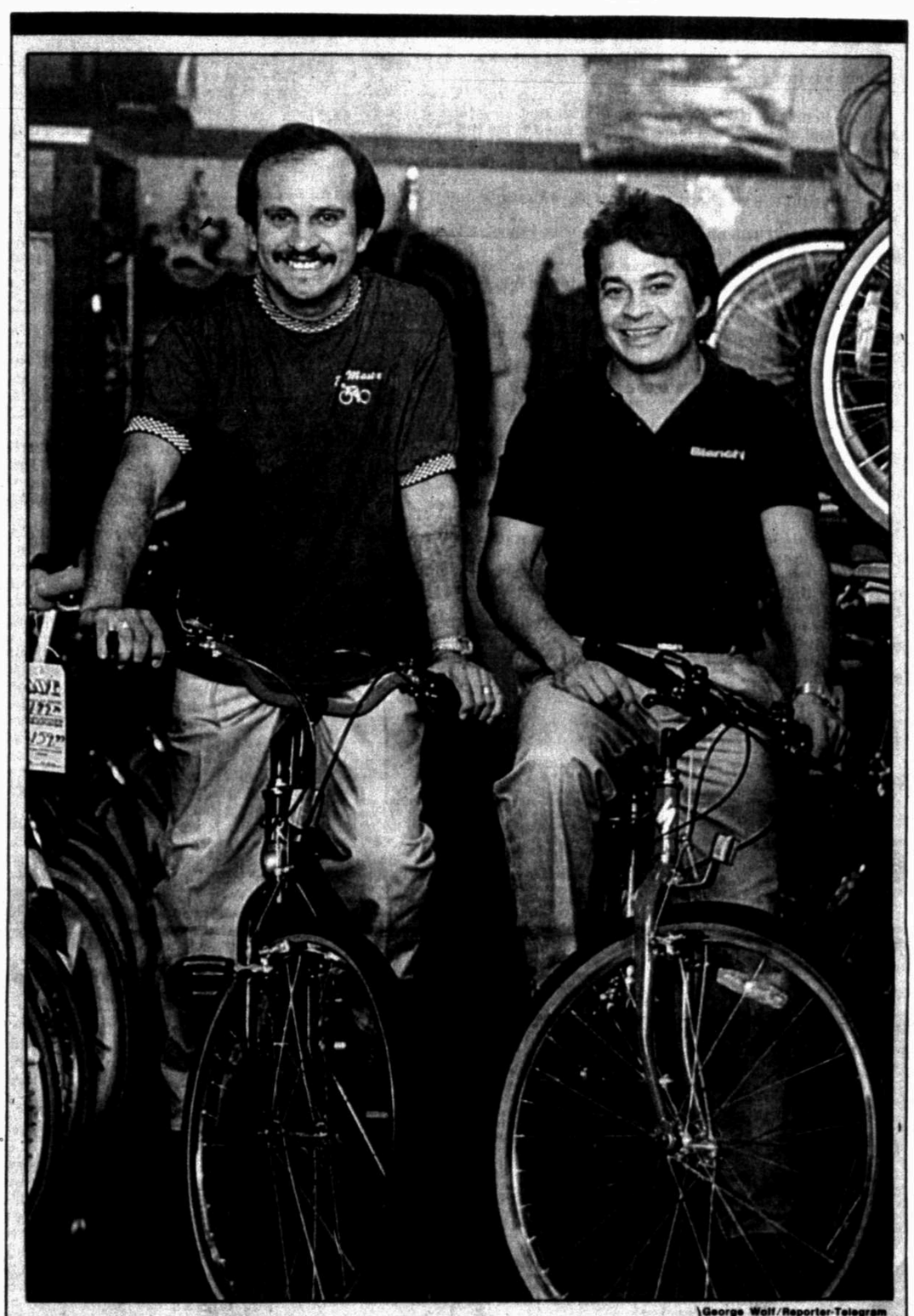

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David, left, and Rudy Diaz are members of Midland's Diaz family, which operates three retail shops in Midland and Odessa.

Hispanic firms buy success

Total sales top $20 billion

By CHRIS VAN WAGENEN
Staff Writer

Midland Hispanics

POWER ON THE RISE

The proportion of Hispanics in Midland's population is expected to more than double — to 44 percent of the total — in the next 35 years.

Businessmen inside and outside the Hispanic community are positioning themselves to capitalize on that booming market. Part Four of our five-part series examines their efforts to attract this emerging force.

David Diaz operates a borderline business — literally.

From Piedras Negras, Mexico, just south of Eagle Pass, Texas, Diaz and his brothers have been hard at work getting their first *maquiladora* operation off the ground.

Not that the Diaz family can afford the time — David, Ray and Rudy just make it. That's the cost of doing business.

Somewhere in between, the brothers operate two retail bicycle shops and an auto parts store.

"After the oil crunch we knew we had to branch out," said the younger Diaz, whose father, M.C. Diaz, bought the franchise rights and established a Western Auto Associate store at 301 E. Illinois, 16 years ago. "I suggested we look at a retail store."

A shrewd bargainer, Diaz said it took him a year to negotiate a contract for space in Midland Park Mall, the home of the first of two "Bike Master" stores.

"The more I looked, the more tasteful the market looked out there. ... Everything pointed to that mall. That store did so well we decided to experiment with a second one at Permian Mall (in Odessa)."

It, too, was a success.

Nationally, some 400,000 businesses are owned by Mexican Americans or others of Spanish descent — 64,000 are in Texas — according to Odessan Abel Quintela, former president of the U.S. Hispanic Chambers of Commerce.

And sales in the United States and Latin America?

"$20 billion annually," added Quintela. "We're making an impact out there."

According to the U.S. Population Reference Bureau, 300 million Spanish-speaking consumers will inhabit Latin America by the turn of the century — consumers who will require market-literate bilingual professionals.

"The U.S. already is weakening as a world power," observed Dr. Rudolfo de la Garza, director of the Center for Mexican American Studies at the University of Texas at Austin.

Garza believes the United States is threatened by the European Economic Community — the 12-nation federation that in 1992 will lift internal trade barriers, creating the largest free capital market in the world.

"Historically, this has been a nation of states and boundaries. ... Unfortunately, we live in a world economy that is moving away from all that," said Garza.

On that count, Hispanics already have made inroads into countries which the United States has generally ignored.

With the number of Mexican Americans or other people of Spanish descent who own businesses increasing at a rate of 38.3 percent per year, Quintela predicted more will be making the move to international trade.

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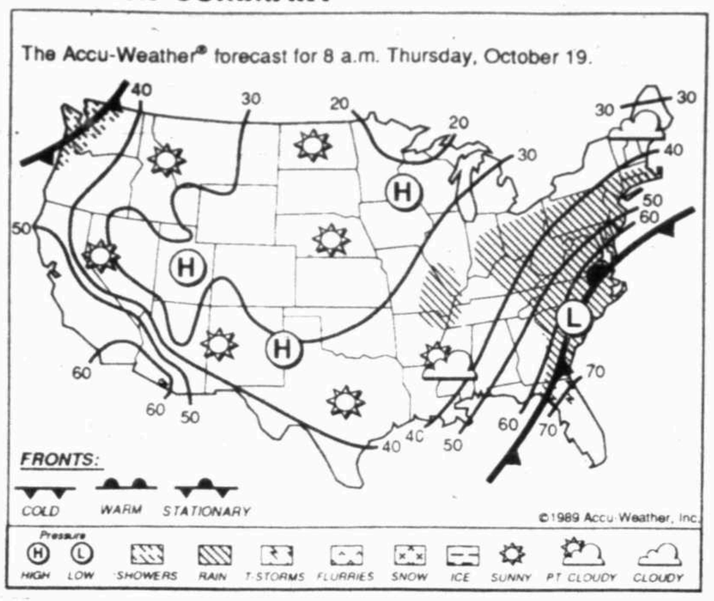

WEATHER

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Eddie Brite, an NWS meteorologist stationed at Midland International Airport, said a freeze warning is in effect tonight for the Panhandle, South Plains, Permian Basin and parts of North Texas.

The forecast called for decreasing cloudiness by noon today with a high only reaching into the mid-50s.

Lows tonight will be mostly in the low 30s with winds out of the east at 5 to 10 mph.

Highs Thursday will be in the upper 50s with sunny skies and winds out of the south at 5 to 15 mph.

According to Brite, the cold front extended early today from southwest Louisiana to along the upper Texas coast to the middle coastal plains westward to the Rio Grande plains.

A high pressure system was moving in a westerly to northwesterly direction, causing patchy fog just ahead of the cold front along the middle Texas coast.

Skies were mostly cloudy from North Central Texas westward to the High Plains and the rest of the state had clear to partly cloudy skies, Brite said.

As skies clear to the west, forecaster expect the chance of precipitation to rapidly decrease.

The area received only a trace of rainfall in the past 24 hours, which is far below the monthly average of 1.41 inches for October.

The annual rainfall total presently stands at 7.79 inches, according to NWS records.

Brite said the earliest freeze ever recorded in Midland took place Oct. 29, 1980.

It was 26 years earlier — Dec. 6, 1954 — when the city experienced its latest first freeze on record.

A closer look at weather records show the mercury dipped below 32 degrees for the first time on Nov. 19, 1984; Nov. 20, 1985; Nov. 11, 1986; Nov. 9, 1987; and Nov. 16, 1988.

Tuesday's high of 58 was 37 degrees cooler than the record high of 95 set for that date in 1964.

The overnight low of 44 was seven degrees warmer than the record low of 37 set for this date in 1968.

Midland statistics

FORECAST

Tonight: Clearing, low near 30, easterly winds 5-10 mph. Thursday: Sunny, high in the upper 50s, southerly winds 5-10 mph.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS

Yesterday's High	58 degrees
Overnight Low	44 degrees
Sunset today	7:13 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:55 a.m.
Precipitation	
Last 24 hours	trace inches
This month to date	trace inches
Year to date	7.79 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES

6 a.m.	42	6 p.m.	56
7 a.m.	41	7 p.m.	55
8 a.m.	41	8 p.m.	55
9 a.m.	43	9 p.m.	54
10 a.m.	46	10 p.m.	52
11 a.m.	49	11 p.m.	50
noon	50	midnight	49
1 p.m.	53	1 a.m.	47
2 p.m.	54	2 a.m.	46
3 p.m.	56	3 a.m.	44
4 p.m.	57	4 a.m.	44
5 p.m.	57	5 a.m.	45
		6 a.m.	45

Texas area forecasts

West Texas: Freeze warning tonight Panhandle, South Plains, Permian Basin and Concho Valley. Clearing and colder tonight with freezing temperatures most of the area. Sunny across the area Thursday. A little warmer most sections Thursday. Lows tonight 25 Panhandle to 38 far west and mid 40s Big Bend. Highs Thursday 56 Panhandle to 64 far west and mid 70s Big Bend.

North Texas: Freeze warning in effect tonight for northwest third of North Texas. Mostly clear west tonight, cloudy east. Cold with lows in the lower and mid 30s. Mostly sunny and cool Thursday with highs in the 50s.

South Texas: Clearing and colder tonight. Mostly sunny Thursday. Highs Thursday low 60s north to upper 60s south. Lows tonight mid 30s north to near 50 extreme south.

Extended forecasts

Friday through Sunday

West Texas: Fair and continued cool with temperatures below normal south through the period, warming to near normal Panhandle and South Plains Sunday. Highs Panhandle and South Plains near 60 Friday warming to the middle 70s on Sunday. Lows lower 30s to middle 40s. Highs Permian Basin and Concho Valley lower 60s Friday, warming to the middle 70s Sunday. Lows lower 30s to middle 40s. Highs far west lower 60s Friday to middle 70s Sunday. Lows around 40. Highs Big Bend middle 60s to near 70 mountains and mainly in the 70s along the Rio Grande. Lows middle 30s to near 40 mountains and mainly in the 40s along the river.

North Texas: Mostly sunny days and clear nights with a warming trend. Lows in the mid 30s Friday and in the 40s Saturday and Sunday. Highs in the lower 60s Friday warming into the 70s Saturday and Sunday.

County forecasts

Midland, Ector, Glasscock, Upton, Reagan, Crane, Gaines, Andrews, Dawson, Borden, Martin and Howard counties: Freeze warning tonight. Tonight, clearing and cold with a record low around 30. East wind 5 to 10 mph. Thursday, sunny and warmer with a high in the upper 50s. South wind 5 to 15 mph.

Sterling, Coke, Irion and Tom Green counties: Freeze warning tonight. Tonight, decreasing cloudiness and cold with a low in the lower 30s. Northeast wind 5 to 10 mph. Thursday, partly cloudy and warmer with a high around 60. Light and variable wind.

Red Cross shelter draws shocked crowd

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — A downtown emergency shelter drew a mixed group of about 100 stranded tourists, conventioneers and residents from nearby transient hotels who fled pitch dark streets looking for a safe place to spend the night.

No food or cots were available in the makeshift Red Cross shelter late Tuesday in the ballroom of the Moscone Convention Center, near the heart of the city's financial district and near major rail and bus terminals.

People ousted from their hotels or unable to reach them rested their heads on tables set for conventioneers. Others stretched out in corners trying to sleep.

An emergency power supply provided dim lighting in the underground convention center.

The Red Cross had no food to offer, but volunteers were trying to find some, combing nearby streets for any small market that might be open despite the lack of electricity.

"Once you (provide) food, everything else becomes secondary," said shelter manager Theresa Hull, adding that she hoped those foraging for food could at least buy some peanut butter and jelly for sandwiches.

Radio notices informed those seeking safe haven about the shelter, thought to be the city's only Red Cross outpost in the first night following the devastating quake. Others said they were directed there by police officers on the street.

The mood in the dimly lighted ballroom was one of shock as people recalled the wave of Earth movement.

"I thought it was a train going across the building," said Phyllis Shook, a tourist from Des Moines, Iowa. "It had a roar."

"We heard an explosion and it turned out to be concrete from the walls and windows blowing out," said Kim House, of San Jose, who was walking in the San Francisco's Tenderloin district with her fiancee when the quake hit.

"At first we thought it was a bomb and that's when all hell broke loose. People were running out the buildings."

Douglas Schmillen, a transient staying at hotel where the city refers the homeless, was lying on his bed when the tremor struck.

"The bed moved from one side (of the room) to the other," Schmillen said. "I didn't know if the walls were going to come down next."

Schmillen said he was evacuated from the hotel because of a gas leak and the lack of electricity.

Bob Witzgall, a conventioneer from Sacramento, said he was in the shower of his Union Square hotel room when the earthquake hit.

"It was scary. I couldn't get out of there fast enough," Witzgall said. "It started out as a little rumble, but it was pretty violent where I was."

Lack of electricity and fears of being stranded on the street all night sent Witzgall back to the shelter.

"I'm going to stay here until the power is back on and once it's back on, I think I'll get in my car and leave," he said.

Frank Odill, a Milwaukee visitor traveling with his wife, said he was grateful they did not have to spend the night in total darkness.

"At least here we've got power and light," he said, but his wife, Betty, was less able to see a bright side.

"I can't wait to leave," she said.

QUAKE

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The quake was felt in Reno, Nev., 225 miles to the northeast, and high-rises in Los Angeles, 350 miles south of San Francisco, shook.

"You could see dozens, huge booms of smoke going into the air," said Greg Higgins, who was driving near Santa Cruz. "It was complete pandemonium."

Forty buildings collapsed in Santa Cruz and Watsonville; Santa Cruz County emergency services coordinator Dina Phillips estimated $350 million in damage.

In Los Gatos, police Chief Larry Todd said many buildings had collapsed, and there were some reports of looting.

The California Highway Patrol reported a J.C. Penney building in downtown Hollister collapsed, as did a bridge on a nearby highway, CBS said.

The quake sent thousands of terrified office workers rushing into the streets of Oakland and San Francisco, and many remained stranded hours later.

"I've never been through anything like this in my life," said Mary Garcia, who works in Oakland's Clorox building. "I was on the 17th floor and the building just rocked and rocked. I was scared out of my mind coming down the 17 floors."

Authorities urged people to fill bathtubs in case water was cut off. San Francisco Mayor Art Agnos urged commuters to stay home today rather than taxing the transportation system, crippled by the closing of the Bay Bridge. A 30-foot section of its top collapsed onto the lower roadway, leaving three cars dangling between levels.

At least two bridges in the Santa Cruz area collapsed, highways leading out of the city were damaged, and mountain passes outside Santa Cruz were closed due to landslides and fissures in the road, the Highway Patrol said.

In San Francisco, at least eight people died, and looting and vandalism were reported in the city's major crack dealing area. "When the power is off, opportunists come out," said police Dispatcher Chris Curran.

Agnos asked the Army to help. National Guardsmen were being mobilized, including engineers, military police and medical workers.

Still, Agnos said, "The city is in reasonably good shape. We've survived this so far."

Sixty-thousand baseball fans were evacuated from Candlestick Park before the start of Game Three of the World Series. No major injuries were reported at the stadium, which sustained structural damage, and there was no word this morning on when the game would be played.

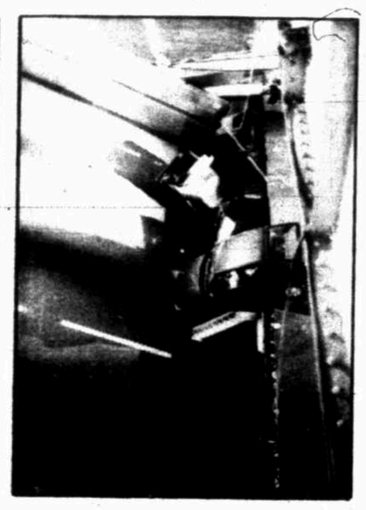
Fire engines and ambulances, sirens howling, picked their way through a darkened San Francisco. Headlights and an occasional office building running on emergency generators stood out. Buses were jammed and traffic was backed up.

Commuters were left with no major transportation routes east out of San Francisco because of the closing of the Bay Bridge, two other spans and the Oakland-San Francisco subway, which apparently was unscathed by the quake.

Tourist ferries gave stranded commuters free rides to the East Bay.

The Oakland Airport and San Francisco International Airport closed Tuesday but reopened this morning. San Jose International Airport never closed.

People walked around San Francisco, sat outside dingy hotels or on stoops and curbs, listening to radio reports of the disaster. Without power, there was no television. Restaurants and bars opened with candlelight.



A woman, left, is carried from the rubble of a Santa Cruz, Calif., office building that collapsed in the Tuesday evening earthquake. Elsewhere in the San Francisco Bay area, above, cars are wedged in the wreckage of Bay Bridge when a section of the top span collapsed onto the roadway beneath it.

AP Laserphotos

Santa Cruz historic area, near epicenter, severely damaged

SANTA CRUZ, Calif. (AP) — Police patrolled for looters in the historic downtown district today and hundreds of people who spent the night in shelters faced homes and businesses destroyed by the earthquake centered near here.

At least five people died in Santa Cruz and surroundings, said Dinah Phillips, the county's emergency services coordinator. Some officials put the local death toll from Tuesday's quake as high as 14, but that could immediately be confirmed. More than 200 were killed in the San Francisco Bay area.

Devastation also was widespread in Los Gatos, 40 miles to the northeast. Several blocks in the commercial old town district and two homes were destroyed, and 30 houses were knocked off foundations.

"Many buildings have collapsed. Damages are in the millions and millions of dollars," said Police Chief Larry Todd. There were no deaths, but about 25 people suffered injuries ranging from broken bones to heart attacks.

Gas and water lines burst and electricity was cut by the quake. Authorities said it could take up to 72 hours to restore power and water to Los Gatos.

Some looting was reported in Los Gatos' central business district, but no arrests were made, Todd said.

In Watsonville, dozens of people camped overnight in an open lot at a subdivision. Some 350 people stayed in six shelters in Santa Cruz and Watsonville, Ms. Phillips said. In Los Gatos, about 75 people spent the night in Red Cross shelters or at a high school football stadium.

Authorities were thankful for the relatively low death toll in the coastal Santa Cruz area, the closest to the earthquake's epicenter. The quake registered 6.9 on the Richter scale of ground motion.

"To have an earthquake of this magnitude, and to have as few fatalities as we've had, I think we were very lucky," Ms. Phillips said.

Two people were killed when a department store and a coffee sales shop collapsed in a downtown Santa Cruz shopping mall, she said.

Another person died in a traffic accident south of the city when the car struck horses that had gotten loose on Highway 1, Ms. Phillips said. One person died when a bakery shop collapsed in Watsonville, 15 miles south of Santa Cruz; an elderly nursing home patient in Santa Cruz died of a heart attack.

The cave-ins were among 40 buildings that collapsed in the two cities, she said. Preliminary damage estimates totaled $250 million to private property and $100 million to public property, she said.

The historic Pacific Garden Mall, a renovated downtown shopping center of gardens and brick walkways, suffered significant damage.

National Guard soldiers searched for victims in the rubble well into the night.

"Virtually all the buildings in the Pacific Garden Mall have structural problems and broken glass," said city spokesman Larry Pearson. "Many may need to be demolished and others need reinforcing."

Several buildings along a six-block area at the heart of the development crumbled during the temblor. Ford's, a downtown department store, sustained major damage and was the site of one death.

Twisted mannequins lay in the street atop a pile of broken glass. Sections of wall collapsed, spewing debris and dust.

FEMA

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Peterson said about 100 FEMA employees were on the scene, coordinating with state energency workers, and the agency has told its staff in areas as far away as Seattle, Wash., to remain on alert indefinitely.

Peterson said the agency was making a concerted effort to avoid the kind of criticism it faced after Hurricane Hugo devastated South Carolina last month.

During that emergency, Sen. Ernest Hollings, D-S.C. referred to the agency as "a bunch of bureaucratic jackasses" for its alleged slowness in responding to to needs of victims.

This time, Peterson said, FEMA is taking steps to fully inform the news media about its actions and avoid misunderstandings. 'We're not waiting to respond, we're responding right now," he said Tuesday night.

Peterson said the agency had found itself severely strained in South Carolina because Hugo already had hit the U.S. Virgin Islands and Puerto Rico.

Cheney orders military to join efforts to assist quake victims

WASHINGTON (AP) — Defense Secretary Dick Cheney said today U.S. armed forces have joined efforts to aid California earthquake victims.

The Pentagon chief said he had ordered the Directorate of Military Support to assist and coordinate relief efforts with the Federal Emergency Management Agency.

Cheney said damage to military installations from the quake, which hit the San Francisco bay area Tuesday night, was light to moderate. A structure collapsed at the Naval Air Station Alameda, causing two minor injuries.

There was other structural damage, power outages, disruption of water supplies and some broken gas lines, according to a Pentagon statement.

People injured in the quake are being treated at the Letterman Army Medical Center in San Francisco and at the Naval Hospital in Oakland. Fort Ord, near Monterey, is providing blood, the Pentagon said.

In addition, about 20 military police from the Presidio in San Francisco are helping local police to control traffic near the base.

Three naval vessels — the USS Lang, USS Kansas City and USS Flint — are also providing support. The USS Lang was moved from the Naval Station at San Francisco to help fight fires and helicopters aboard the other ships will give aid where necessary, the Pentagon said.

California Gov. George Deukmejian who was in Frankfurt, West Germany when the quake hit, is being brought back to the United States by Air Force jet.

Richards witnessed earthquake

HOUSTON (AP) — State Treasurer Ann Richards witnessed the first jolt of the earthquake that hit San Francisco and was forced out of her hotel room by an aftershock, an aide said.

"We're all a little tense but we feel like she's OK," Monte Williams, campaign press secretary, told The Houston Post.

Ms. Richards, a Democratic candidate for governor, was walking near down a San Francisco street when she saw a large granite building start swaying, according to a statement she released later.

There was panic in the streets, as people came running out of shops and stores, Ms. Richards reportedly said.

"All the power went off," Ms. Richards said in the statement. "People are out in the streets, and it looks like a huge parade is about to come down the street.

"It's really frightening. I'm glad I live in Texas where this kind of thing doesn't happen regularly."

Williams said he was on the phone with Ms. Richards about 8 p.m. Tuesday and she was relating her experiences during the quake when an aftershock shook the hotel where she is staying.

"They were going to get out and go back to the streets," Williams said of Ms. Richards and her aides.

Williams described Ms. Richards as being "very composed, but a little frightened obviously."

Ms. Richards, who was in San Francisco for a fund-raiser, was walking outside her hotel earlier in the evening when she saw a large granite building start to sway.

"She said, 'All I can think of is I'm not going to let that big granite building to fall on me,'" Williams recalled of his conversation with Ms. Richards.

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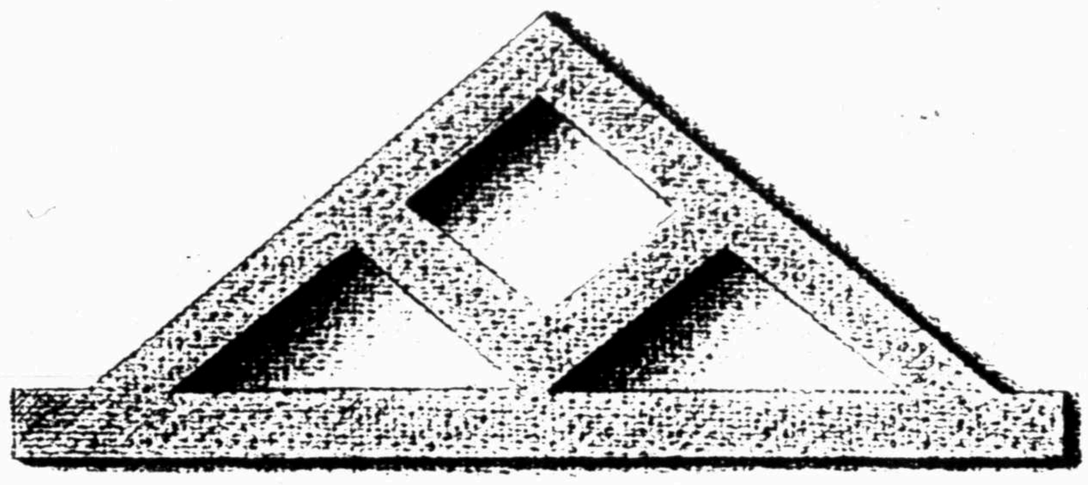

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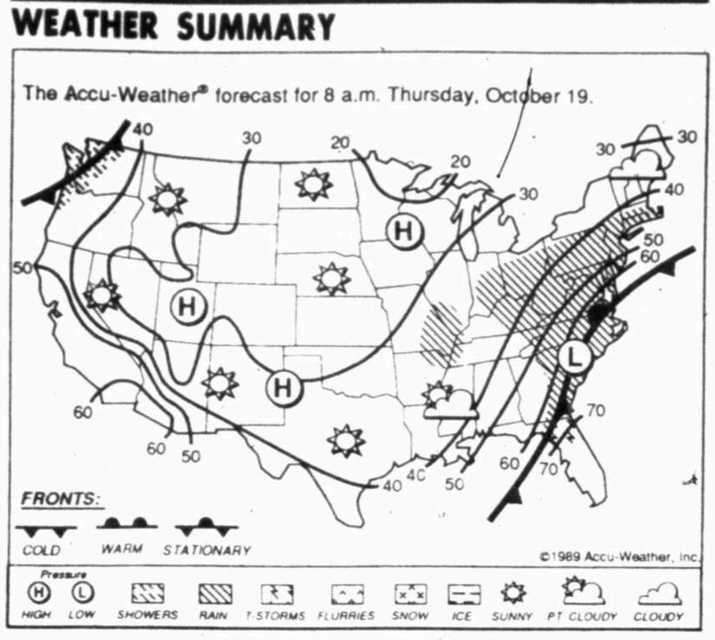

WEATHER

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Eddie Brite, an NWS meteorologist stationed at Midland International Airport, said a freeze warning is in effect tonight for the Panhandle, South Plains, Permian Basin and parts of North Texas.

The forecast called for decreasing cloudiness by noon today with a high only reaching into the mid-50s.

Lows tonight will be mostly in the low 30s with winds out of the east at 5 to 10 mph.

Highs Thursday will be in the upper 50s with sunny skies and winds out of the south at 5 to 15 mph.

According to Brite, the cold front extended early today from southwest Louisiana to along the upper Texas coast to the middle coastal plains westward to the Rio Grande plains.

A high pressure system was moving in a westerly to northwesterly direction, causing patchy fog just ahead of the cold front along the middle Texas coast.

Skies were mostly cloudy from North Central Texas westward to the High Plains and the rest of the state had clear to partly cloudy skies, Brite said.

As skies clear to the west, forecaster expect the chance of precipitation to rapidly decrease.

The area received only a trace of rainfall in the past 24 hours, which is far below the monthly average of 1.41 inches for October.

The annual rainfall total presently stands at 7.79 inches, according to NWS records.

Brite said the earliest freeze ever recorded in Midland took place Oct. 29, 1980.

It was 26 years earlier — Dec. 6, 1954 — when the city experienced its latest first freeze on record.

A closer look at weather records show the mercury dipped below 32 degrees for the first time on Nov. 19, 1984; Nov. 20, 1985; Nov. 11, 1986; Nov. 9, 1987; and Nov. 16, 1988.

Tuesday's high of 58 was 37 degrees cooler than the record high of 95 set for that date in 1964.

The overnight low of 44 was seven degrees warmer than the record low of 37 set for this date in 1968.

Midland statistics

FORECAST

Tonight: Clearing, low near 30, easterly winds 5-10 mph. Thursday: Sunny, high in the upper 50s, southerly winds 5-10 mph.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS

Yesterday's High	58 degrees
Overnight Low	44 degrees
Sunset today	7:13 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:55 a.m.
Precipitation	
Last 24 hours	trace inches
This month to date	trace inches
Year to date	7.79 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES

6 a.m.	42	6 p.m.	56
7 a.m.	41	7 p.m.	55
8 a.m.	41	8 p.m.	55
9 a.m.	43	9 p.m.	54
10 a.m.	46	10 p.m.	52
11 a.m.	49	11 p.m.	50
noon	50	midnight	49
1 p.m.	53	1 a.m.	47
2 p.m.	54	2 a.m.	46
3 p.m.	56	3 a.m.	44
4 p.m.	57	4 a.m.	44
5 p.m.	57	5 a.m.	45
		6 a.m.	45

Texas area forecasts

West Texas: Freeze warning tonight Panhandle, South Plains, Permian Basin and Concho Valley. Clearing and colder tonight with freezing temperatures most of the area. Sunny across the area Thursday. A little warmer most sections Thursday. Lows tonight 25 Panhandle to 38 far west and mid 40s Big Bend. Highs Thursday 56 Panhandle to 64 far west and mid 70s Big Bend.

North Texas: Freeze warning in effect tonight for northwest third of North Texas. Mostly clear west tonight, cloudy east. Cold with lows in the lower and mid 30s. Mostly sunny and cool Thursday with highs in the 50s.

South Texas: Clearing and colder tonight. Mostly sunny Thursday. Highs Thursday low 60s north to upper 60s south. Lows tonight mid 30s north to near 50 extreme south.

Extended forecasts

Friday through Sunday

West Texas: Fair and continued cool with temperatures below normal south through the period, warming to near normal Panhandle and South Plains Sunday. Highs Panhandle and South Plains near 60 Friday warming to the middle 70s on Sunday. Lows lower 30s to middle 40s. Highs Permian Basin and Concho Valley lower 60s Friday, warming to the middle 70s Sunday. Lows lower 30s to middle 40s. Highs far west lower 60s Friday to middle 70s Sunday. Lows around 40. Highs Big Bend middle 60s to near 70 mountains and mainly in the 70s along the Rio Grande. Lows middle 30s to near 40 mountains and mainly in the 40s along the river.

North Texas: Mostly sunny days and clear nights with a warming trend. Lows in the mid 30s Friday and in the 40s Saturday and Sunday. Highs in the lower 60s friday warming into the 70s Saturday and Sunday.

County forecasts

Midland, Ector, Glasscock, Upton, Reagan, Crane, Gaines, Andrews, Dawson, Borden, Martin and Howard counties: Freeze warning tonight. Tonight, clearing and cold with a record low around 30. East wind 5 to 10 mph. Thursday, sunny and warmer with a high in the upper 50s. South wind 5 to 15 mph.

Sterling, Coke, Irion and Tom Green counties: Freeze warning tonight. Tonight, decreasing cloudiness and cold with a low in the lower 30s. Northeast wind 5 to 10 mph. Thursday, partly cloudy and warmer with a high around 60. Light and variable wind.

Red Cross shelter draws shocked crowd

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — A downtown emergency shelter drew a mixed group of about 100 stranded tourists, conventioneers and residents from nearby transient hotels who fled pitch dark streets looking for a safe place to spend the night.

No food or cots were available in the makeshift Red Cross shelter late Tuesday in the ballroom of the Moscone Convention Center, near the heart of the city's financial district and near major rail and bus terminals.

People ousted from their hotels or unable to reach them rested their heads on tables set for conventioneers. Others stretched out in corners trying to sleep.

An emergency power supply provided dim lighting in the underground convention center.

The Red Cross had no food to offer, but volunteers were trying to find some, combing nearby streets for any small market that might be open despite the lack of electricity.

"Once you (provide) food, everything else becomes secondary," said shelter manager Theresa Hull, adding that she hoped those foraging for food could at least buy some peanut butter and jelly for sandwiches.

Radio notices informed those seeking safe haven about the shelter, thought to be the city's only Red Cross outpost in the first night following the devastating quake. Others said they were directed there by police officers on the street.

The mood in the dimly lighted ballroom was one of shock as people recalled the wave of Earth movement.

"I thought it was a train going across the building," said Phyllis Shook, a tourist from Des Moines, Iowa. "It had a roar."

"We heard an explosion and it turned out to be concrete from the walls and windows blowing out," said Kim House, of San Jose, who was walking in the San Francisco's Tenderloin district with her fiancee when the quake hit.

"At first we thought it was a bomb and that's when all hell broke loose. People were running out the buildings."

Douglas Schmillen, a transient staying at hotel where the city refers the homeless, was lying on his bed when the tremor struck.

"The bed moved from one side (of the room) to the other," Schmillen said. "I didn't know if the walls were going to come down next."

Schmillen said he was evacuated from the hotel because of a gas leak and the lack of electricity.

Bob Witzgall, a conventioneer from Sacramento, said he was in the shower of his Union Square hotel room when the earthquake hit.

"It was scary. I couldn't get out of there fast enough," Witzgall said. "It started out as a little rumble, but it was pretty violent where I was."

Lack of electricity and fears of being stranded on the street all night sent Witzgall back to the shelter.

"I'm going to stay here until the power is back on and once it's back on, I think I'll get in my car and leave," he said.

Frank Odill, a Milwaukee visitor traveling with his wife, said he was grateful they did not have to spend the night in total darkness.

"At least here we've got power and light," he said, but his wife, Betty, was less able to see a bright side.

"I can't wait to leave," she said.

QUAKE

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The quake was felt in Reno, Nev., 225 miles to the northeast, and high-rises in Los Angeles, 350 miles south of San Francisco, shook.

"You could see dozens, huge booms of smoke going into the air," said Greg Higgins, who was driving near Santa Cruz. "It was complete pandemonium."

Forty buildings collapsed in Santa Cruz and Watsonville, Santa Cruz County emergency services coordinator Dina Phillips estimated $350 million in damage.

In Los Gatos, police Chief Larry Todd said many buildings had collapsed, and there were some reports of looting.

The California Highway Patrol reported a J.C. Penney building in downtown Hollister collapsed, as did a bridge on a nearby highway, CBS said.

The quake sent thousands of terrified office workers rushing into the streets of Oakland and San Francisco, and many remained stranded hours later.

"I've never been through anything like this in my life," said Mary Garcia, who works in Oakland's Clorox building. "I was on the 17th floor and the building just rocked and rocked. I was scared out of my mind coming down the 17 floors."

Authorities urged people to fill bathtubs in case water was cut off. San Francisco Mayor Art Agnos urged commuters to stay home today rather than taxing the transportation system, crippled by the closing of the Bay Bridge. A 30-foot section of its top collapsed onto the lower roadway, leaving three cars dangling between levels.

At least two bridges in the Santa Cruz area collapsed, highways leading out of the city were damaged, and mountain passes outside Santa Cruz were closed due to landslides and fissures in the road, the Highway Patrol said.

In San Francisco, at least eight people died, and looting and vandalism were reported in the city's major crack dealing area. "When the power is off, opportunists come out," said police Dispatcher Chris Curran.

Agnos asked the Army to help. National Guardsmen were being mobilized, including engineers, military police and medical workers.

Still, Agnos said, "The city is in reasonably good shape. We've survived this so far."

Sixty-thousand baseball fans were evacuated from Candlestick Park before the start of Game Three of the World Series. No major injuries were reported at the stadium, which sustained structural damage, and there was no word this morning on when the game would be played.

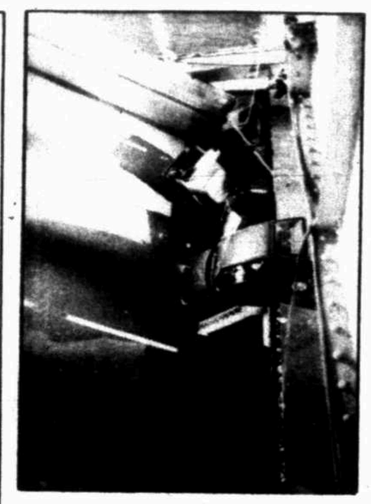
Fire engines and ambulances, sirens howling, picked their way through a darkened San Francisco. Headlights and an occasional office building running on emergency generators stood out. Buses were jammed and traffic was backed up.

Commuters were left with no major transportation routes east out of San Francisco because of the closing of the Bay Bridge, two other spans and the Oakland-San Francisco subway, which apparently was unscathed by the quake.

Tourist ferries gave stranded commuters free rides to the East Bay.

The Oakland Airport and San Francisco International Airport closed Tuesday but reopened this morning. San Jose International Airport never closed.

People walked around San Francisco, sat outside dingy hotels or on stoops and curbs, listening to radio reports of the disaster. Without power, there was no television. Restaurants and bars opened with candlelight.



A woman, left, is carried from the rubble of a Santa Cruz, Calif., office building that collapsed in the Tuesday evening earthquake. Elsewhere in the San Francisco Bay area, above, cars are wedged in the wreckage of Bay Bridge when a section of the top span collapsed onto the roadway beneath it.

AP Laserphotos

Santa Cruz historic area, near epicenter, severely damaged

SANTA CRUZ, Calif. (AP) — Police patrolled for looters in the historic downtown district today and hundreds of people who spent the night in shelters faced homes and businesses destroyed by the earthquake centered near here.

At least five people died in Santa Cruz and surroundings, said Dinah Phillips, the county's emergency services coordinator. Some officials put the local death toll from Tuesday's quake as high as 14, but that could immediately be confirmed. More than 200 were killed in the San Francisco Bay area.

Devastation also was widespread in Los Gatos, 40 miles to the northeast. Several blocks in the commercial old town district and two homes were destroyed, and 30 houses were knocked off foundations.

"Many buildings have collapsed. Damages are in the millions and millions of dollars," said Police Chief Larry Todd. There were no deaths, but about 25 people suffered injuries ranging from broken bones to heart attacks.

Gas and water lines burst and electricity was cut by the quake. Authorities said it could take up to 72 hours to restore power and water to Los Gatos.

Some looting was reported in Los Gatos' central business district, but no arrests were made, Todd said.

In Watsonville, dozens of people camped overnight in an open lot at a subdivision. Some 350 people stayed in six shelters in Santa Cruz and Watsonville, Ms. Phillips said. In Los Gatos, about 75 people spent the night in Red Cross shelters or at a high school football stadium.

Authorities were thankful for the relatively low death toll in the coastal Santa Cruz area, the closest to the earthquake's epicenter. The quake registered 6.9 on the Richter scale of ground motion.

"To have an earthquake of this magnitude, and to have as few fatalities as we've had, I think we were very lucky," Ms. Phillips said.

Two people were killed when a department store and a coffee sales shop collapsed in a downtown Santa Cruz shopping mall, she said.

Another person died in a traffic accident south of the city when the car struck horses that had gotten loose on Highway 1, Ms. Phillips said. One person died when a bakery shop collapsed in Watsonville, 15 miles south of Santa Cruz; an elderly nursing home patient in Santa Cruz died of a heart attack.

The cave-ins were among 40 buildings that collapsed in the two cities, she said. Preliminary damage estimates totaled $250 million to private property and $100 million to public property, she said.

The historic Pacific Garden Mall, a renovated downtown shopping center of gardens and brick walkways, suffered significant damage.

National Guard soldiers searched for victims in the rubble well into the night.

"Virtually all the buildings in the Pacific Garden Mall have structural problems and broken glass," said city spokesman Larry Pearson. "Many may need to be demolished and others need reinforcing."

Several buildings along a six-block area at the heart of the development crumbled during the temblor. Ford's, a downtown department store, sustained major damage and was the site of one death.

Twisted mannequins lay in the street atop a pile of broken glass. Sections of wall collapsed, spewing debris and dust.

Cheney orders military to join efforts to assist quake victims

WASHINGTON (AP) — Defense Secretary Dick Cheney said today U.S. armed forces have joined efforts to aid California earthquake victims.

The Pentagon chief said he had ordered the Directorate of Military Support to assist and coordinate relief efforts with the Federal Emergency Management Agency.

Cheney said damage to military installations from the quake, which hit the San Francisco bay area Tuesday night, was light to moderate. A structure collapsed at the Naval Air Station Alameda, causing two minor injuries.

There was other structural damage, power outages, disruption of water supplies and some broken gas lines, according to a Pentagon statement.

People injured in the quake are being treated at the Letterman Army Medical Center in San Francisco and at the Naval Hospital in Oakland. Fort Ord, near Monterey, is providing blood, the Pentagon said.

In addition, about 20 military police from the Presidio in San Francisco are helping local police to control traffic near the base.

Three naval vessels — the USS Lang, USS Kansas City and USS Flint — are also providing support. The USS Lang was moved from the Naval Station at San Francisco to help fight fires and helicopters aboard the other ships will give aid where necessary, the Pentagon said.

California Gov. George Deukmejian who was in Frankfurt, West Germany when the quake hit, is being brought back to the United States by Air Force jet.

Richards witnessed earthquake

HOUSTON (AP) — State Treasurer Ann Richards witnessed the first jolt of the earthquake that hit San Francisco and was forced out of her hotel room by an aftershock, an aide said.

"We're all a little tense but we feel like she's OK," Monte Williams, campaign press secretary, told The Houston Post.

Ms. Richards, a Democratic candidate for governor, was walking near down a San Francisco street when she saw a large granite building start swaying, according to a statement she released later.

There was panic in the streets, as people came running out of shops and stores, Ms. Richards reportedly said.

"All the power went off," Ms. Richards said in the statement. "People are out in the streets, and it looks like a huge parade is about to come down the street.

"It's really frightening. I'm glad I live in Texas where this kind of thing doesn't happen regularly."

Williams said he was on the phone with Ms. Richards about 8 p.m. Tuesday and she was relating her experiences during the quake when an aftershock shook the hotel where she is staying.

"They were going to get out and go back to the streets," Williams said of Ms. Richards and her aides.

Williams described Ms. Richards as being "very composed, but a little frightened obviously."

Ms. Richards, who was in San Francisco for a fund-raiser, was walking outside her hotel earlier in the evening when she saw a large granite building start to sway.

"She said, 'All I can think of is I'm not going to let that big granite building to fall on me,'" Williams recalled of his conversation with Ms. Richards.

FEMA

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Peterson said about 100 FEMA employees were on the scene, coordinating with state energency workers, and the agency has told its staff in areas as far away as Seattle, Wash., to remain on alert indefinitely.

Peterson said the agency was making a concerted effort to avoid the kind of criticism it faced after Hurricane Hugo devastated South Carolina last month.

During that emergency, Sen. Ernest Hollings, D-S.C. referred to the agency as "a bunch of bureaucratic jackasses" for its alleged slowness in responding to to needs of victims.

This time, Peterson said, FEMA is taking steps to fully inform the news media about its actions and avoid misunderstandings. 'We're not waiting to respond, we're responding right now," he said Tuesday night.

Peterson said the agency had found itself severely strained in South Carolina because Hugo already had hit the U.S. Virgin Islands and Puerto Rico.

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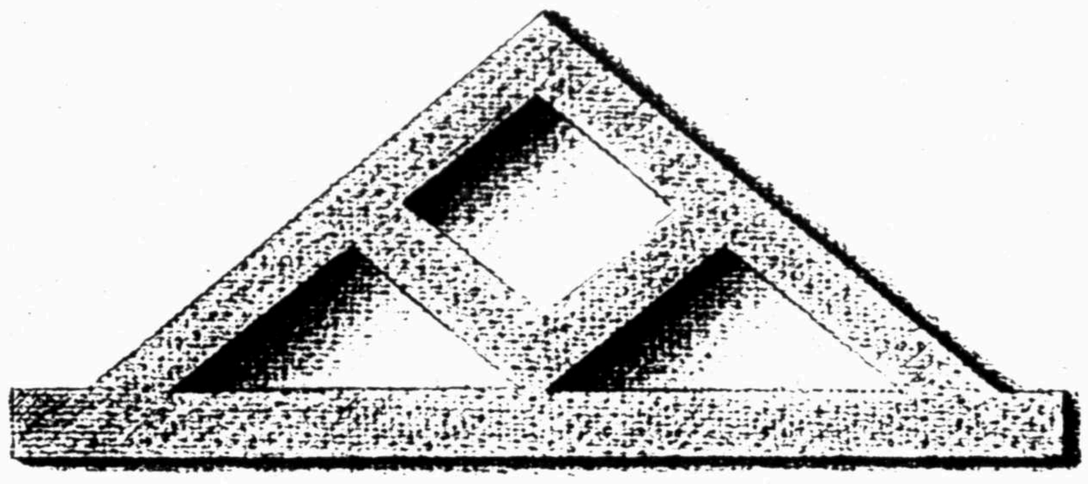

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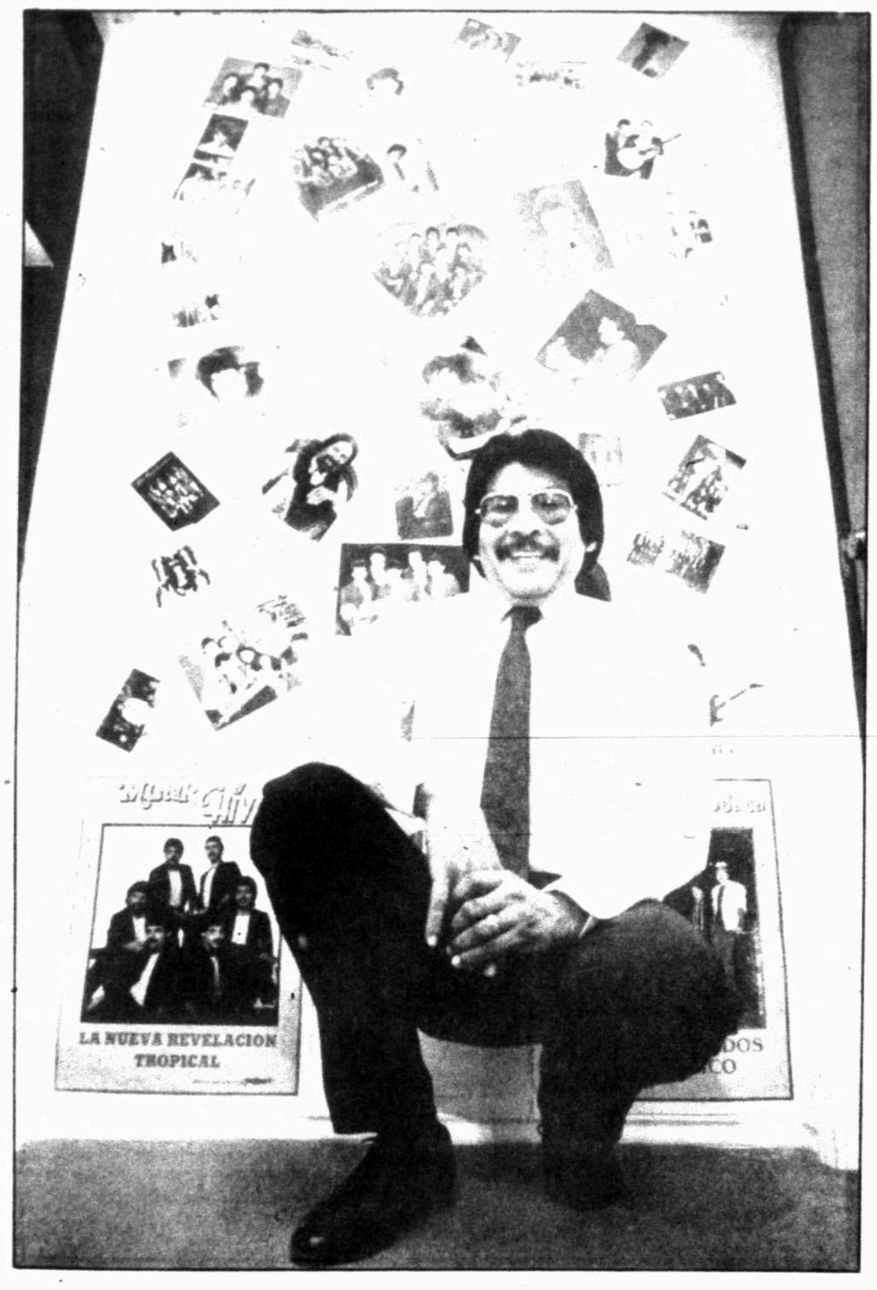

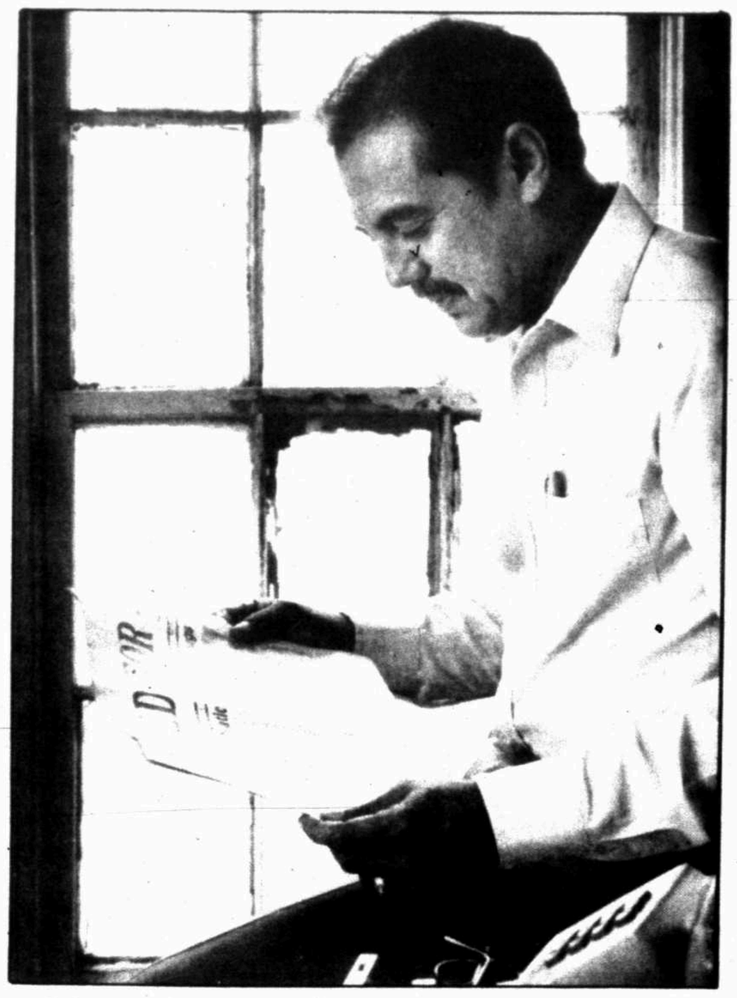

Odessan Manuel Orona, above, publisher and editor of *El Editor*, looks over an issue of his newspaper, a bilingual paper serving local Hispanics. Pete Almanza, left, station manager at KNDA/KOZA-AM in Odessa, shows off a wall of autographed pictures from various Hispanic artists. Almanza said advertisers are recognizing the buying power of U.S. Hispanics.

George Wolf/Reporter-Telegram

Advertisers court ethnic dollars

U.S. world's sixth largest Hispanic market

By CHRIS VAN WAGENEN
Staff Writer

$180 billion dollars in sales.

Hispanic buying power.

"If you classified U.S. Hispanics as a separate country, they would be the sixth largest (Hispanic nation) in the world," said Odessan Abel Quintela, former president of the U.S. Hispanic Chamber of Commerce.

Only Brazil, Mexico, Argentina, Colombia and Peru have more Hispanics living in this hemisphere than the U.S., according to Census Bureau reports just released this month.

For consumer products manufacturers, Hispanics — Mexican-Americans and other Spanish-speaking people — represent one of the fastest growing market segments, increasing at a rate five times the national population average, according to industry analysts.

To reach that market, Fortune 500 companies like Pepsi and E&J Gallo spent an estimated $550 million in 1988 on Spanish-language advertising alone, with plans to double their budgets by 1993.

Analysts believe such spending will continue to grow at a 25 percent annual clip.

According to Miami-based Strategy Research Corp., while Hispanics earn a third less than the average $32,000 per household, families tend to spend a larger proportion of their income on goods and services than all other ethnic groups.

Jose Cuevas, owner of Jumburrito Mexican Food Restaurants in Midland, concurred.

"One thing about Hispanic people, they pay in cash. You bring something into the neighborhood and they'll spend money there."

To get their message across, advertisers have taken to the radio and television airwaves.

But advertisers are hardly alone in their attempt to cash in on America's newest population discovery — a population that has been around since before the Pilgrims landed at Plymouth Rock.

For example, last year Hallmark Cards paid $300 million to purchase Univision, a Spanish-language television network.

Not to be outdone, New York City financier Saul Steinberg's Reliance Capital Corp., jumped in with its own venture — Telemundo — for about the same price.

And it hasn't stopped.

Last February, Warner Communication paid $1 million for a 20 percent stake in Vista, an English-language newspaper supplement.

Manuel Gallegos, a disc jockey at KNDA-AM in Odessa, spins *tejano* tunes as well as songs from contemporary artists. KNDA is a bilingual station.

George Wolf/Reporter-Telegram

Today, Vista, which is among 1,536 publications aimed at Hispanics, is carried in more than 25 newspapers nationwide.

Analysts now report that the Hearst Corp. and CBS are gearing up to enter the lucrative Spanish-language radio market, which has increased from 67 stations to 200 during the past 12 years.

In the Midland-Odessa area, there already are five Spanish/bilingual stations: KNDA/KOZA-AM in Odessa, KWEL-AM in Midland, KOYL-AM in Odessa and KOXI-AM, a Christian broadcasting station in Crane.

"The larger advertisers have been quick to pick up on the Hispanic market," remarked KWEL General Manager Bob Hicks, whose station serves a 12-county area.

He said Hispanic stations today attract advertisers such as General Motors, General Mills and Sears-Roebuck — companies which years ago shunned the same market.

KWEL — with a format including *ranchera*, *nortenia*, ballads and tropical music — also produces a daily talk show — *"Telephono de la Suerte."*

Hicks claimed the afternoon show is particularly popular among older Hispanics, who share their daily life experiences.

"We feel it's somewhat of an escape valve for a lot of them," he said.

In Odessa, KNDA/KOZA began simultaneous broadcasts last April from the city's largely Hispanic south side.

Formerly KJJT, the station was split to reach two separate audiences — one Spanish-speaking, the other bilingual, said station manager Pete Almanza. "We realized one station couldn't serve both."

KNDA, the bilingual station, brings to its audience a format that combines traditional *tejano* sounds with contemporary artists like Miami Sound Machine and Linda Ronstadt.

In West Texas, "the market is still AM for Hispanics," said Almanza.

Across the street, sister station KOZA is anything but English/Spanish contemporary. There, the disc jockeys speak Spanish only, playing a variety of sounds: *nortenia*, *ranchera* to *salsa* tropic sounds.

Like KWEL, the Odessa stations have their own full-time newsperson as well as "Panorama," a popular afternoon talk show that Almanza said deals with topics from health to education that affect all Hispanics.

"To a lot of these people, we're like a newspaper," he said. "We're their only source of information."

Well, not the only.

Bidal Aguero of Lubbock and Manuel J. Orona started *El Editor* — the free weekly bilingual publication — in 1981 for Hispanics who depend on a primarily Spanish-language paper.

"Midland is still considered the last frontier by a lot of Hispanics," said Orona, the paper's editor and publisher. "Now a lot of them are running their own businesses."

El Editor's popularity caught on during the boom, but then came the bust.

"A lot of our advertisers either cut back or went out of business then, but today there's a new business environment out there," Orona said.

During its first five years, Orona said the paper concentrated on Spanish-speaking readers living in Midland, Odessa, Fort Stockton, Pecos and Monahans.

"It's only been over the last two years that we decided to change our focus to include our English readers," he said.

Orona said he's seen a definite resurgence among Hispanics since he began publishing *El Editor*. He claimed many are moving here from other Permian Basin cities, where opportunities are greatly limited.

"Younger Hispanics are better informed today, compared to when I grew up," said Orona. "We're living in a media society. ... In my mind these Hispanics are living in a better world today," he said.

If not better, then certainly a changing one.

Management at KCHX-FM, known as FOXY, has targeted "yuppie" Hispanic listeners.

"As far as this station goes, we realized there wasn't one (in the market) out there that was addressing the needs of black or Hispanics," said FOXY station manager Mike Morgan.

While FOXY can hardly be considered a Hispanic/black station, it does cater to Hispanics using "Spanglish" — a combination of English and Spanish slang — remixes of recorded English tunes, according to program director Matt Santiago.

"And people who listen to it don't realize the mix of the two. ... In a nutshell, we're a strong contemporary station," he said.

FOXY also is the only station in the FM market that offers a Saturday morning *tejano* show.

"We don't necesaarily want to be known as the FM Hispanic station," said Morgan. "But we do understand those needs. When we came into this format, no one thought we'd make it."

"Now there's nine slices of the pie out there instead of eight."

GROWTH: Hard work paying off

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Quintela said it's time for the U.S. to start taking countries like Mexico seriously.

"Hispanics already are. ... We're buying and selling to these countries. ... We think, in that regard, that we can work with the U.S. in tapping these markets."

The Diaz family hasn't wasted any time.

According to David, nine months ago the family entered its joint-venture with a Taiwanese partner.

Today, their Mexican plant churns out thousands of stuffed animals that are bought in bulk by an international distributor, who in turn sells them to stores, hotels and airport gift shops.

"We don't do any of the marketing. ... We leave that up to the distributor. He sells our product to the United Kingdom, Mexico, South America and the U.S.," said Diaz.

Closer to home, Hispanics in Midland are making other progress, both as professionals and businessmen.

"Ten or 15 years ago, you could have counted the number of Hispanic businesses on one hand. ... That's not the case today. There's been tremendous growth," said Manuel J. Orona, publisher of *El Editor*, Midland's weekly bilingual Hispanic newspaper.

Orona said hard work on the part of older generations has opened a lot of doors that years ago were closed to Hispanics.

"It's beginning to dawn on a lot of them that education is the key. ... It never seems to hit home until you realize just how limited your skills are."

Ricardo Alvarado is one of those who created his own success.

A graduate of the University of Texas at El Paso and Texas Tech Law School, Alvarado today practices in both Midland and Odessa.

Growing up, Alvarado said there was never any question that he and his three older sisters would attend an upper-level institution.

In fact, his mother, a factory worker, insisted on it.

A specialist in criminal defense and personal injury claims, Alvarado said Midland is a city where an individual can still make an impact.

"Education is what equalizes people in society. ... If you're educated, it makes no difference what your ethnic background is," he said.

Certainly data from the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) bears out that assessment.

Since 1983, Hispanic employment has increased by 28 percent — three times the rate of other ethnic groups.

Unfortunately, the BLS also found a third of those workers were in low-paying positions, requiring intermediate skills as fabricators, laborers, sales and administrative support personnel.

Even worse was a report issued by the Aspen Institute Conference on Hispanic Americans and Business, which predicted basic manufacturing jobs will be all but eliminated by the year 2000, as more work is contracted out to Third World countries.

The conference strongly suggested that employers — critically affected by the quality of workers — should begin designing on-site technology training programs to supplement education deficiencies in the work place.

And while Hispanics continue to make up a major part of the Texas labor market, few are reaching upper-level management positions, despite strides made through affirmative action programs.

In fact, a Fortune 500/CNN Monelyline Poll concluded last spring that less than 1 percent of all corporate vice presidents were minorities.

The poll of 202 chief executive officers found that, while 42 percent remained fully committed to affirmative action, 59 percent planned no changes in their programs.

One-third of the respondents also said, of the minorities hired, many were placed in staff positions — the first area cut when a firm is squeezed for profits or restructured.

But CEOs also pointed out that the pool of potential minority job applicants remains alarmingly low. Most acute, they said, are shortages in engineering, computing and science, where minorities earn just 3 percent of the degrees.

U.S. Rep. Lamar Smith, R-Texas, a strong supporter of affirmative action, said — as far as seeking qualified minority candidates is concerned — the system is working.

"Most individuals I know don't like numerical quotas," said Smith. "To me; the correct approach isn't quotas, but encouraging the hiring of qualified minorities."

And, despite the fact that Hispanics will make up 22 percent of the work force by the year 2000, Smith realizes more has to be done, especially in Texas.

Some, like Midland's Diaz family, have done it themselves.

But they are hardly alone.

Sid Trevino, owner of Club Granada, is among hundreds of Midland Hispanic business owners. "Compared to the discrimination we faced 30 years ago, we've come a long way," he said.

Trevino, who came to Midland from South Texas in 1953, was the first Hispanic police officer the city hired.

In 1966, he opened Club Granada on the site of the former Diamond Horseshoe Restaurant, 3312 West Wall St. — a restaurant he said once banned both Hispanics and blacks.

"The bust just separated the men from the boys," said Trevino. "I'm paying my bills and doing all right."

Trevino's oldest, Gus, a former U.S. marshal, is an air traffic controller in nearby Lubbock.

Felipe Morales Jr., owner of Morales Insurance Agency, recalls being given the opportunity to enter the insurance business by a Galveston company in 1965.

"I was given the east and the south sides, which were 100 percent Hispanic and black," said Morales. "I remember I would work 12 to 16 hours a day knocking on doors until 11 p.m. at night."

In 1973, Morales opened his own agency, which today works with companies on employee benefit packages.

"A lot of the clients I had then are still my clients today, except now they own their own businesses. ... They helped me grow and I helped them grow."

Morales said he tells his children about that experience, which gave him the opportunity to study not just his own ethnic heritage, but other minorities as well.

Morales and his wife, Celia, also appreciate the value of education. She is attending Midland College, pursuing an education degree.

Their three children are success stories. Jerry is a general manager for a Lubbock restaurant; Cynthia Ann, a Texas Tech graduate with a degree in fashion merchandising, is now seeking a second degree in education from North Texas State University; Novert Anthony is a pre-law student at Southwest Texas State University.

"There's a big need out there for educated Hispanics," said Morales. "The opportunities are there. They just need to get the degrees. You can't blame the companies."

Celia agreed.

"It takes education and motivation to move ahead. ... That's what is going to make this community grow. ... Midland has changed a lot in just the last five years, but we have a long way to go."

Still, businessmen like Al Garcia, owner of Al's Grocery No. 1 and No. 2 on the city's southeast side, are astonished by the accomplishments of Hispanics in such a short time.

"When I came here in 1959 there was nothing. Now there are those who are lawyers, bankers and doctors."

Morales sees those changes as well.

"Everyone has their own opinion," he said. "But I'd have to say this city has been pretty good to us. ... I don't plan to leave."

THURSDAY: ***Many Hispanic families — after hard work and sacrifice — are claiming their share of the American dream.***

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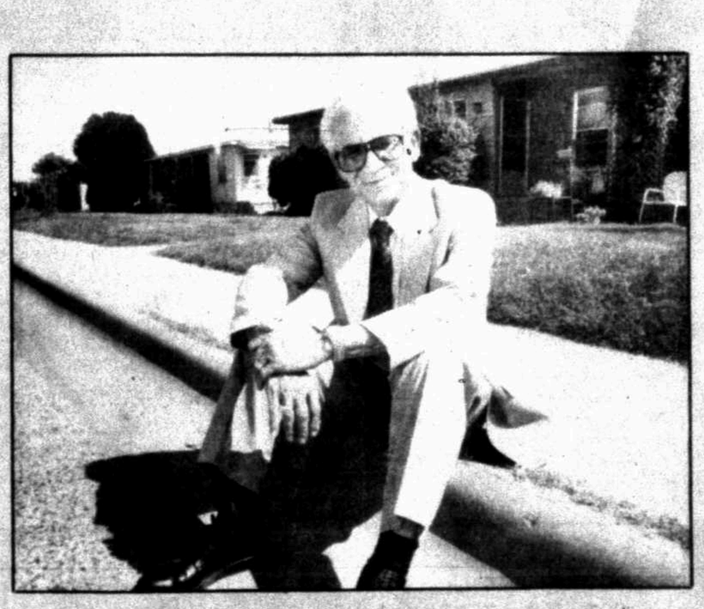
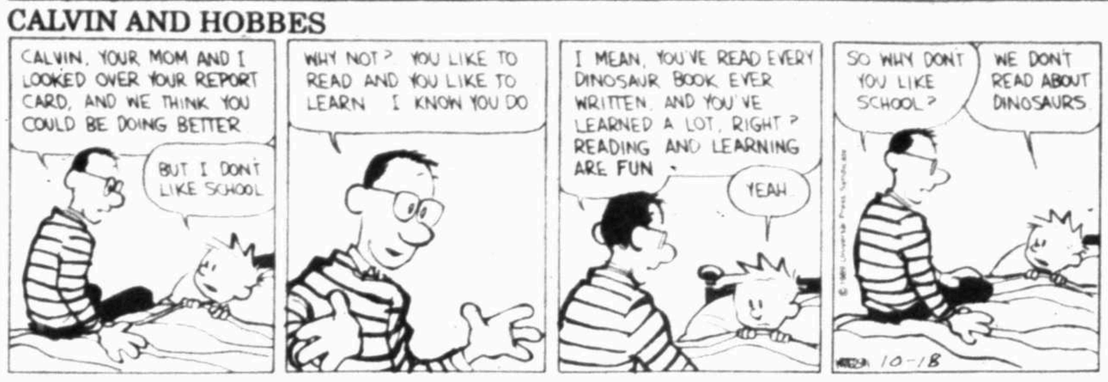


Felipe Morales Jr., who sees big things ahead for local Hispanics, conducts daily business, top photo, at his insurance office on North Big Spring. When he's not at City Hall fighting for his constituents, Jose Cuevas Jr., left photo, has his hands full as a restaurant owner. Ciro Sanchez, above, is king of this block, where he owns a string of homes. Sanchez said Hispanics have come a long way since the 1950s.

George Wolf/Reporter-Telegram

CALVIN AND HOBBES



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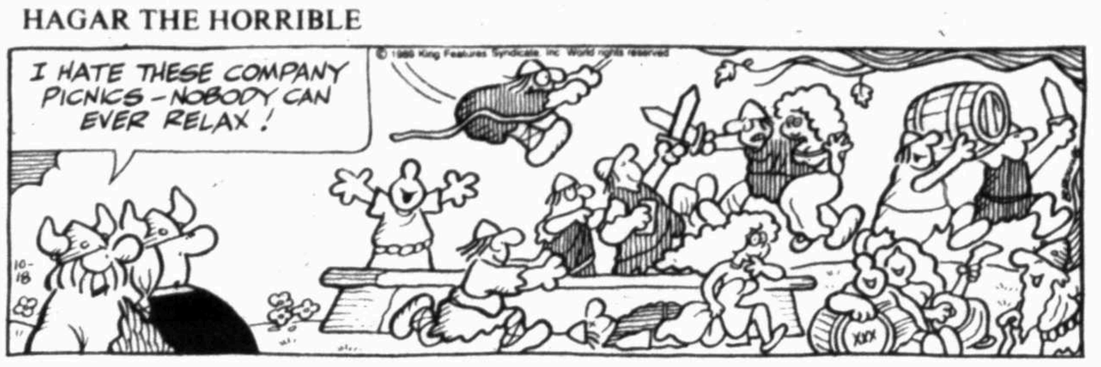

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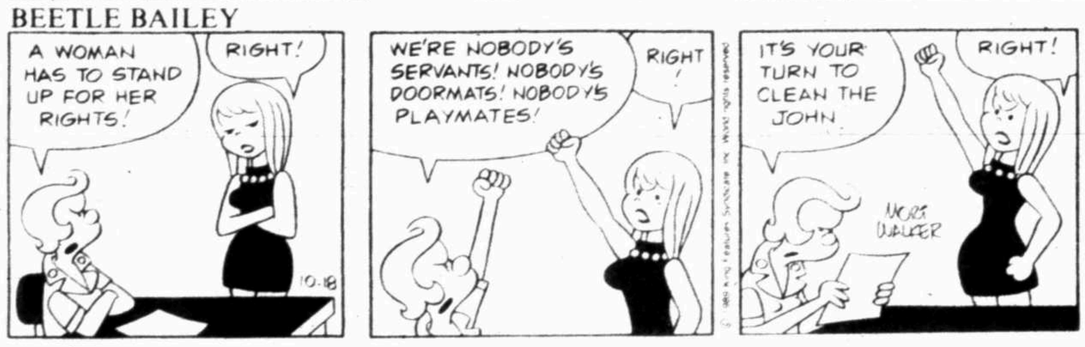

JEANE DIXON'S *your horoscope*

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1989

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Good luck will be active in your personal affairs and should prevent any serious problems. Your financial fortunes continue to fluctuate, improving just before the holidays. Prospects for employment are good if you persevere. Resist the urge to change jobs just for the sake of doing something different. Greater business success depends on your ability to break with tradition. The return of an old love could produce complications by summer. Know what you really want from a relationship. A questioning family member wants you to be happy.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: journalist Jack Anderson, novelist John LeCarre, artist Peter Max, actor Robert Reed, singer Jeannie C. Riley.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Do not be in too much of a hurry today. Attention to detail is critical when negotiating contracts. The opposition you have encountered recently disappears. A loved one is now in your corner.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): A breakdown in communications can be repaired; take the first step. New financial rewards are possible. Team up with someone whose skills complement your own. Reach out to potential customers.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Bridge the generation gap by becoming a better listener. Make sweeping changes. Eventually, others will realize their mistake. You look forward to spending the evening with someone special.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Financial affairs require careful handling. Discuss your position with experts; you will learn what steps to take. A long-term romance should work out nicely. Be more affectionate.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Recycling is the key to greater career and business success. Reword an old project. Pooling your talents will boost profits. You welcome an unusual opportunity to pursue romance.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Steer your way through a complicated program with caution. Others look to you for leadership. Move ahead with confidence and you will find success. People who like you let you know it.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Keep your wits about you today and you will emerge on top. Revive an old plan, but apply new techniques. You have an important friend in your corner. Romance takes on deeper meaning.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): The past may be recalled but it will not touch you. Being a pro-company employee pays off handsomely. A promotion or raise is in the offing. Look your best this evening. Romance beckons.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Have the courage of your convictions and this will be a red-letter day. Defend your ideals. A health matter should not be neglected. Make vacation reservations now.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): New people and interests add glamour to your life. Make certain you are properly remunerated for your creative and artistic efforts. Get in touch with someone who has been on your mind.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Look before you leap in business or romance. An argument will erupt if you insist on having your own way. Secret agreements can help advance your career goals. Protect your reputation.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): An unforgettable adventure may already be under way. Do not miss a single exciting moment. New business ties require a period of adjustment. Hang in there!

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READ THOSE CARDS

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	SOUTH	
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The bidding:

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Pass	2 ♣	2 ♡	Pass
2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

Opening lead: Three of ◇

Perhaps the attribute of an expert most difficult to describe is "table presence." It is a nebulous factor that enables him to place the opponents' cards accurately. This classic example arose in a rubber bridge game at New York's Cavendish Club.

The bidding was straightforward. As the cards lie, North would have done better to pass two clubs round to his partner. But then we might never have been party to some perfect card-reading.

Sitting South was Fred Chang. West got off to his side's best lead of a diamond, which removed an entry to the dummy prematurely. The seven of spades was run to West's queen, and the diamond return was taken on the table. Another trump finesse allowed declarer to pick up the king as West discarded a heart. Declarer now exited with a heart to the king, and back came a diamond.

After much thought, Chang found the winning line. He finessed the nine and, when that held, continued with dummy's master diamond, discarding a club from his hand. On the queen of hearts declarer sluffed another club. West won, but he was endplayed. He could not return a heart even if he had one because of the winners in dummy, and a club return was into declarer's major tenace. So all Chang conceded was two hearts and a trump!

Available for a limited time as a special offer is a two-for-one package of DOUBLES booklets. For your copies send $3 to "GOREN DOUBLES," care this newspaper, P.O. Box 4426, Orlando, Fla. 32802-4426. Make checks payable to "Newspaperbooks."

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You sold the fencing and frames and Fred's old fishing reel!

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THAT DAILY PUZZLER SCRAM-LETS® WORD GAME
Edited by CLAY R. POLLAN

1 Rearrange letters of the four scrambled words below to form four simple words.

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VOGER (6 7)
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One elder to another, "Anybody who can still do at seventy what they were doing in their twenties, wasn't --- --!"

4 Complete the chuckle quoted by filling in the missing words you develop from step No. 3 below.

2 PRINT NUMBERED LETTERS (1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9)
3 UNSCRAMBLE LETTERS

SCRAM-LETS ANSWERS
Dumbly — Shiny — Grove — Unlock — DOING MUCH
One elder to another, "Anybody who can still do at seventy what they were doing in their twenties, wasn't DOING MUCH!"

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"I'll bet it's very hard to learn to draw Chinese."

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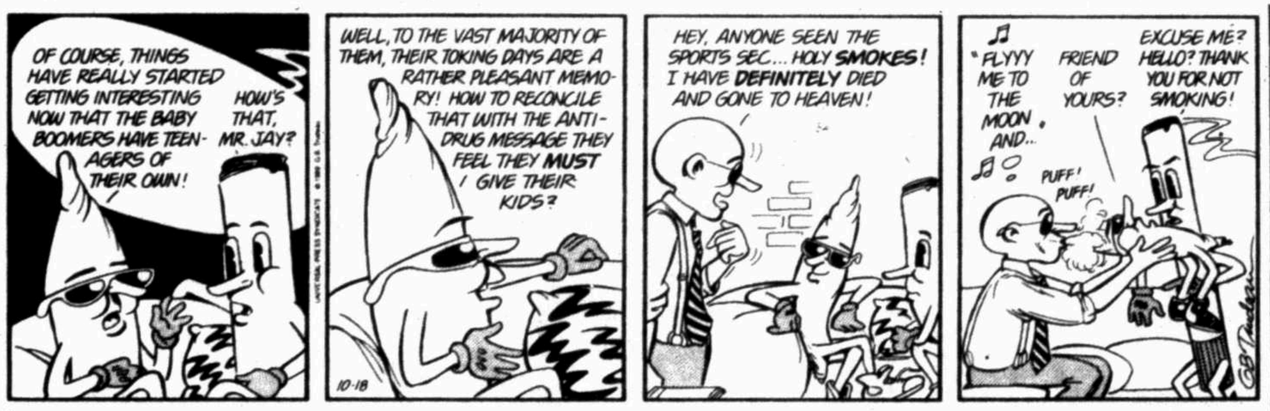

PEOPLE

Cosby tells students do him favor by studying and become somebody

AMARILLO (AP) — Bill Cosby told an audience of children how they could return the favor of his showing up at their school: "Study and become somebody."

"Remember what I did tonight for you," Cosby told about 50 Carver Elementary Academy second-graders before his performance Monday. "You're looking at a grown-up who could be home with his wife, sitting there watching 'Monday Night Football.'"

Cosby

The benefit show brought in $175,000 for the school, which opened this fall in an predominantly minority Amarillo neighborhood and stresses the use of computers to help youngsters learn.

Cosby had been enlisted to help by oilman T. Boone Pickens, whose company Mesa Limited Partnership last March contributed more than $400,000 to the school district and agreed to seek other donors. The district, struggling with a $7.3 million budget shortfall, had considered postponing the school's opening.

Cosby said he believes private financing of public education will become more common.

"I gave this up to come here and save your school," Cosby told the pupils in mock seriousness. "At least you could study and become something. I didn't come out here so that you guys could become nothing."

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ATLANTIC CITY, N.J. (AP) — Singer-actress Leslie Uggams says the portrayal of blacks on television has changed little since she starred in her own variety show in 1970.

Uggams said she would love to be in a series such as ABC-TV's "Life Goes On," which stars Patti Lupone as the mother of a family that includes a child with Down's syndrome. But dramatic series about black families are not being made, said Uggams.

Uggams

"It's hard to get a black television show — period," said Uggams, who is in town to perform at a casino. "Here we are talking about this, here in 1990. They want us to make them laugh all the time. That's the brainwashing — that nobody wants to see a serious show about blacks."

"Television is in its own special old-fashioned world," she said. "It's rare that they'll say, 'Oh, this will work with black people,' unless the part is written for a black actor or actress."

At age 17, Uggams became a television pioneer when she starred in bandleader Mitch Miller's "Sing Along With Mitch" in 1960. She also has appeared in the role of Kizzy in the hit miniseries "Roots" and "Backstairs at the Whitehouse."

"I'd like to do it all if I can," said Uggams. "How many black actors and actresses get the opportunity to practice their craft? You have to continually hone your craft — especially when the roles are so few and far between."

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FORT WORTH (AP) — Twenty-five years after the release of her "Up The Down Staircase," teacher turned best-selling author Bel Kaufman said obstacles in the nation's schools are even harder to climb.

"I think my book was a straw in the wind, but that wind has become a hurricane," said Kaufman, who was in Dallas on Tuesday to address more than 2,000 teachers at a training conference.

"Glue sniffing is now crack. The epidemic of stealing chalk is now armed robbery at knifepoint."

Her book about a young teacher's experiences in a tough city school topped best-seller lists after it was published in 1964. Kaufman, 78, has updated its preface for a 25th anniversary edition.

Last year, she left the safety of her Park Avenue apartment and took several assignments in New York schools as a substitute teacher.

"In my days as a young teacher, we had something called infractions," she told the Dallas teachers. "Do you know what they were? They were chewing gum in glass, whispering in assembly, going up the down staircase. Today our children are committing crimes, violent crimes."

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BANGKOK, Thailand (AP) — Prince Philip, the husband of Britain's Queen Elizabeth II, arrived in Bangkok for a two-day visit at the invitation of the Wildlife Fund of Thailand.

The prince, who is international president of the Worldwide Fund for Nature, has been accompanying the queen on her state visit to neighboring Malaysia. He took a side trip to Thailand to promote nature conservation.

He met Thailand's King Bhumibol Adulyadej on Tuesday afternoon, the British Embassy said. He also planned to meet the Thai prime minister and minister of agriculture.

He was to rejoin Queen Elizabeth in Malaysia today, the Embassy said.

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LAS VEGAS (AP) — The half-brother of actor Larry Hagman, missing for three weeks from his home in Texas, has been arrested on a charge of misapplying funds after police received a tip he was in this resort city.

Gary Hagman, 48, was arrested shortly Tuesday while attempting to retrieve a car that police had towed from a parking lot, Metro Police Capt. Paul Conner said.

Hagman, a Weatherford, Texas, attorney, was charged Oct. 2, a week after his wife, Linda, reported him missing.

Police would not go into detail about the misapplication charge, saying only that it was filed on a complaint from a Weatherford financial institution. Funds were missing from an account Hagman was handling, police said.

Weatherford Police Capt. Raymond Pritchard said two of his investigators went to Las Vegas after receiving a tip that Hagman was in the area.

The misapplication charge, a second-degree felony, carries a two-to-20-year prison term and a fine of up to $10,000.

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DALLAS (AP) — Guitarist Bob Mould said he spent a year working on his Minnesota farm trying to cope what he said was a painful breakup of Husker Du.

After nine years and eight albums, the three-man Minneapolis-based band that was a favorite with many critics and college radio programmers disbanded in early 1988.

"Only three people in the band really know why it broke up, and we all have our side of the story," said Mould, who will perform Friday in Dallas in support of his new album.

"It was always part of the chemistry of that band — there were certain elements of self-defeatism in there that I was getting real tired of: fear of success, fear of not being the hippest underground band. That's the price a lot of bands pay when they become successful..."

Evening TV Schedule

WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 18, 1989

	KMID (2) Md Od CABLE 3	KOSA (7) Odessa CABLE 8	KTPX (9) Odessa CABLE 9	KPEJ (24) Md Od CABLE 14	FAM Family CABLE 4	WTBS Atlanta CABLE 7	SIN (10) Spanish CABLE 10	WGN Chicago CABLE 11	ESPN Sports CABLE 12	KOCV (36) Odessa CABLE 13	HSE Sports CABLE 20
4:00	Donahue	Growing Pains	Trial by Jury	Chip 'n Dale	Batman	Munsters	Cristina	Chip 'n Dale	Pulling	Sq. 1 TV	Coach's Show
4:30	"	Growing Pains	People's Court	Jetsons	Batman	Good Times	"	Fun House	Racing	3-2-1 Contact	Coach's Show
5:00	Cosby Show	Jeopardy!	News	Highway to	Hardcastle	B. Hillbillies	Los Ninos	Charles	Baseball's Hits	Sesame Street	Coach's Show
5:30	ABC News	CBS News	NBC News	Heaven	"	Andy Griffith	Noticiero	WKRP	SportsLook	"	"
6:00	News	News	News	Mama	Our House	Jeffersons	Senora	Cheers	SportsCenter	Psychology	Ed Randall
6:30	Wheel-Fortune	Night Court	Current Affair	Andy Griffith	"	Sanford & Son	Rubi	Night Court	Sports	Euro. Jrnl.	NHL Hockey:
7:00	World Series	Peaceable	Unsolved Mys-	Hunter	Movie: "The	Movie: "Sup-	Rebelde	The Thorn	Spirit of Ad-	MacNeil/	Philadelphia
7:30	Baseball	Kingdom	teries	"	Lawless"	port Your Lo-	"	Birds	venture	Lehrer	Flyers at New
8:00	"	Movie:	Night Court	Movie:	"	cal Gunfigh-	Dulce Desafio	"	Billiards: 9-	One Plus One	Jersey Devils
8:30	"	"Trenchcoat	Nutt House	"Seems Like	"	ter"	"	"	Ball	"	"
9:00	"	in Paradise"	Quantum	Old Times"	700 Club	Movie: "Texas	Super Estelar	News	LPBA Bowling:	Van Cliburn	"
9:30	"	"	Leap	"	"	Across the	Noticiero	USA Tonight	Metroplex	Int'l Piano	Fishing
10:00	"	News	News	Love Connec.	Batman	River"	Aquí Esta	Newhart	Open	Competition	Coach's Show
10:30	News	M*A*S*H	Best of Car-	Arsenio Hall	Batman	"	"	Hill Street	SportsCenter	Painting	Bowl Classic
11:00	Cheers	Pat Sajak	son	"	Movie: "The	Movie: "Four	"	Blues	PGA Tour	Marketing	High School
11:30	Ent. Tonight	"	David Letter-	Movie: "The	Lawless"	for Texas"	"	East of Eden	Lighter Side	Psychology	Football: Mid-
12:00	Nightline	"	man	Brink's Job"	"	"	"No Juzgaras	"	Racing	Sign-Off	land Lee at
12:30	Hard Copy	Night Heat	Bob Costas	"	"	"	a tus Padres"	"	Baseball Mag		San Angelo

	SHOWTIME Movies 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	TBN Religious CABLE 31	TNT Turner Net CABLE 37
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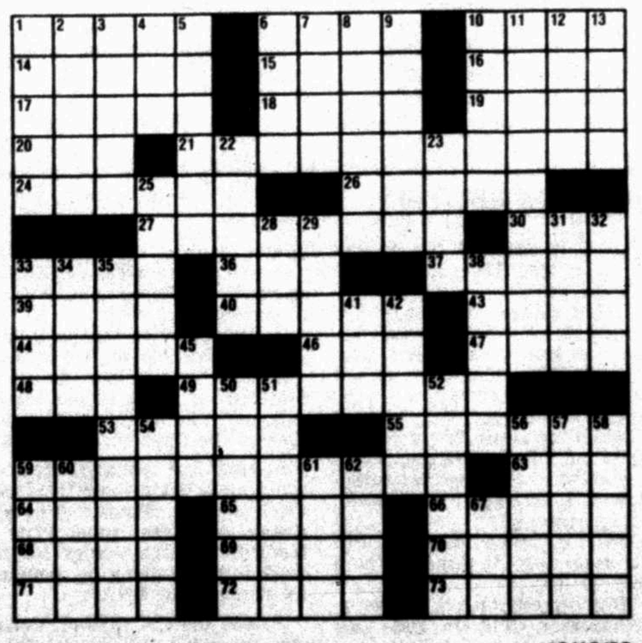

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U.S. must assist other drug 'victims'

Years before crack became the scourge of America, Bolivian peasants grew coca plants in the mountain gorges known as the Yungas. Some of the leaves were sent abroad to be processed into illegal cocaine, but mounds of them wound up in the marketplaces of the Bolivian city of La Paz.

The highland Indians were in the habit of chewing the leaves, along with a wedge of lemon, to help numb their hunger and the piercing cold.

The presidents of Bolivia, Peru and Colombia surely must understand that many Indians view coca as a medicinal plant that helps them survive their harsh environment. Now, with demand for cocaine and crack soaring in the United States and Europe, the peasants have come to see it as an export crop that helps ease their pain with money.

No doubt, that explains why presidents Alan Garcia of Peru, Jaime Paz Zamora of Bolivia and Virgilio Barco of Colombia, who met recently in Ica, Peru, think that solving the drug-trafficking crisis will take more than a military crackdown. The peasants, who find themselves whipsawed between drug outlaws, guerrillas and the government, need a substitute for their coca cultivation.

That is particularly true in Peru, where coca growers in the Upper Huallaga Valley pay money to the Shining Path, a violent leftist group, to protect them from a U.S.-financed coca eradication program.

By burning the fields, the government might make a dent in the drug trade. But it also might win a stronger peasant following for a band of vicious, fanatical Maoists.

The presidents of the three drug-troubled Andean countries decided at their meeting to invite President Bush to meet with them within 90 days. He has wisely agreed.

We hope he goes to this important summit armed with some concrete ideas for wooing the coca-growing peasants away from the drug traffickers and left-wing guerrillas.

There is no simple, quick fix for the crisis that is wracking these South American countries.

Still, the presidents of Colombia, Peru and Bolivia are on the right track by forming a united front in the drug war and by inviting Bush to join them.

Another View:

Stock prices volatile

Monday's stock market rebound dispelled fears, at least for the moment, of another collapse on the scale of Oct. 19, 1987. Still, the volatility of stock prices ought to be recognized in Washington as a signal that the long-term health of the economy demands structural reform of the federal budget deficit, which continues to overshadow every other measure of economic performance.

As the immediate cause of last week's plunge, analysts cite the failure of efforts to arrange financing for the $6.79 billion buyout of UAL Corp., parent company of United Airlines. But another underlying factor was the recent rise in interest rates, which clouded the outlook for corporate profits.

High interest rates are one of the harmful consequences of Washington's spending binge. Two years ago, when the Dow Jones industrial average plunged 508 points, the White House and Congress collaborated on a deficit-reduction package that turned out to be little more than an elaborate charade.

The deficit for the fiscal year that ended Sept. 30 was actually higher than that of two years earlier. And the prospect for the current fiscal year is more gimmickry designed to disguise the true dimensions of the deficit.

Because Congress failed to agree by Monday's deadline on a spending plan to meet the 1990 deficit-reduction target, President Bush signed an order that supposedly cuts outlays across the board by $16.1 billion. But the order was merely a paper exercise that will be superseded in the weeks ahead by an anticipated agreement between Senate and House budget negotiators. The final outcome will simply continue to paper over Washington's massive deficit spending.

The latest stock market scare will serve a useful end if it spurs action to reduce the burdensome debt borne by both the federal government and corporate America. Already there are signs that Friday's sharp drop in share prices may blunt the speculative takeover fever that has obsessed Wall Street, driving corporate debt to ominous levels without a corresponding increase in corporate productivity.

The first casualty is Donald Trump's $7.5 billion bid to acquire AMR Corp., the parent of American Airlines. Trump withdrew his offer Monday "in light of the recent change in market conditions." Transportation stocks, including AMR Corp., have been prime targets of leveraged buyouts and were among those issues hardest hit by Friday's drop.

One of the aftershocks of the market's nosedive is heightened pressure on the Federal Reserve Board which now may move to ease interest rates. A decline in interest rates and resulting drop in the value of the dollar could reinvigorate the economy — provided it does not ignite inflation or prompt more than a moderate reduction in the dollar's value.

Under Chairman Alan Greenspan, the Fed has adroitly pulled off this balancing act, in spite of the wide swings on Wall Street. Until Washington cleans up its fiscal act, however, the stock market's roller-coaster ride is likely to contain more terrifying suprises.

— The San Diego Union

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Wednesday, Oct. 18, the 291st day of 1989. There are 74 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Oct. 18, 1767, the boundary between Maryland and Pennsylvania, the Mason-Dixon line, was agreed upon.

On this date:

In 1685, King Louis XIV of France revoked the Edict of Nantes, which had established the legal toleration of France's Protestant population, the Huguenots.

In 1867, the United States took formal possession of Alaska from Russia.

In 1873, representatives of Columbia, Princeton, Rutgers and Yale Universities drew up the first rules for intercollegiate football.

In 1898, the American flag was raised in Puerto Rico shortly before Spain formally relinquished control of the island to the United States.

In 1931, inventor Thomas Alva Edison died in West Orange, New Jersey, at age 84.

In 1944, Soviet troops invaded Czechoslovakia during World War II.

In 1950, Connie Mack, the "Grand Old Man" of major league baseball, announced he would retire as manager of the Philadelphia Athletics.

In 1962, Dr. James D. Watson of the United States and Dr. Francis Crick and Dr. Maurice Wilkins of Britain won the Nobel Prize for medicine and physiology for their work in determining the double helix structure of DNA.

In 1968, the U.S. Olympic Committee suspended two black athletes, Tommie Smith and John Carlos, for giving the clenched-fist "black power" salute as a protest during a victory ceremony in Mexico City.

JACK ANDERSON

Markets taking problem in own hands

WASHINGTON — Five small supermarket chains in the United States and Canada have pledged to phase out all produce treated with can er-causing pesticides. For their trouble they have been lambasted by the very agency that is supposed to take the consumer's side — the Environmental Protection Agency.

Jack Anderson

Despite the EPA's sleepy record of pesticide regulation, it can't seem to stomach the idea of someone else doing the job. EPA Assistant Administrator Linda Fisher condemned the supermarket chains, saying that decisions about pesticides should be taken out of the marketplace and put back in the government where they belong.

But if marketplace waited for the government to act, it would wait a long time. The EPA has spent the last two years studying one of the pesticides that the supermarkets are worried about, although it had information 10 years ago that the pesticide could cause cancer.

The supermarket chains, like the public, simply got tired of waiting. "We've gotten to the point where the industry, the media and everyone else is making decisions on pesticides while the EPA is sitting around sucking its thumb," one independent research scientist who specializes in pesticides told our reporter Greg Moore.

The chains are ABCO Supermarkets in Arizona, Raleys in California and, Nevada, Petrini in California, Provigo Distribution Inc. in Canada and Bread and Circus in Boston. Their gradual phase-out of produce treated with cancer-causing pesticides will be a small ripple for consumers, but the announcement made a big splash in the grocery industry.

The Food Marketing Institute, the supermarket industry group in Washington, D.C., sent a menacing letter to its members warning them not to participate in the phase-out. The institute called the tactics "economic terrorism."

On the list of pesticides the stores want to phase out are ethylenebisdithiocarbamates or EBDCs. They are used on one-third of all fruits and vegetables grown in the United States. The EPA suspects something might be wrong with EBDCs, but the agency is taking its own sweet time figuring that out.

Evidence linking EBDCs to cancer was available as early as 1974. The EPA circulated a memo in 1979 reporting that tests of EBDCs on mice resulted in liver tumors.

In 1982, the EPA had closed meetings with the pesticide industry and decided to impose minimal restrictions on EBDCs. The Natural Resources Defense Council, a private environmental group, sued the EPA over the decision to lock environmentalists out of those meetings, and the EPA said it wouldn't do that any more.

But it wasn't until 1987 that the EPA agreed to reconsider the rules on EBDCs. It has been promising a decision since May.

While the EPA has been sucking its thumb, another study has turned up damning evidence about EBDCs. The National Toxicology Program in North Carolina released data in July showing that more than 90 percent of the rats who were fed EBDCs in an experiment developed tumors. The results are preliminary and are still being reviewed.

EBDC pesticides are made by four companies. They're waiting on the EPA too, and doing damage control in the meantime. The companies say they will reduce the number of crops treated with EBDCs from 73 to 13, but that is only window dressing. EDBCs are still used on major crops including wheat, tomatoes, potatoes, onions, grapes and sweet corn.

The makers of EBDCs have long maintained that most of the pesticide is removed by rain and washing before the fruit and vegetables pass anyone's lips. EPA officials told us they didn't know until last March that the residue reduction from washing could be significant, so now they're studying that too. Farmers have known about the washing theory for a long time. As usual, the EPA was the last to hear about it and may be the last to take a stand.

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SEX SCANDALS — Republicans in Washington are delighted to see that the Democrats have finally stumbled into a scandal that the public can understand — sex. Democrats like Jim Wright and Tony Coehlo resigned because of financial scandals, but the details are more than most people care to follow. To the GOP's delight, two Democratic congressmen are facing political annihilation because of sex scandals — Rep. Barney Frank, D-Mass., for his relationship with a male prostitute, and Rep. Gus Savage, D-Ill., for allegations of a Peace Corps worker that he assaulted her on a trip to Zaire. The two cases overshadow a Republican peccadillo — the case of Rep. Buz Lukens, R-Ohio, who has refused to resign after being convicted of having sex with a minor.

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MINI-EDITORIAL — Most of the data about the B-2 "Stealth" bomber is classified. Congress is slowly figuring out some of those secrets, like the fact that the B-2 probably can't go as far without refueling as its older and cheaper cousin, the B-1B. That's the kind of secret the brass hats at the Pentagon keep so no one figures out how dumb they are. It's called "national security."

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WILLIAM SAFIRE

Summit has come to mean more than highest

The summit used to be 'way up there, at the top, the peak, the zenith. From the Latin summus, "highest," the word offered a view that was breathtaking.

Winston Churchill was displeased in 1950 at what his friend Bernard Baruch called the Cold War (coinage claimed by Walter Lippmann but actually made by the Baruch speechwriter Herbert Bayard Swope). The British statesman recalled the cordial wartime meetings he had with Roosevelt and Stalin, and called for a "parley at the summit." Such a top-level meeting of a few leaders, he said, would better bridge the international gap than a gathering of "hordes of experts and officials drawn up in a vast cumbrous array."

William Safire

So started summit in diplolingo, followed in the late 1950s by summitry (on the analogy of telemetry) and summiteer (on the analogy of pamphleteer and profiteer). For more than a generation, this coinage and its derivatives held the definition to a meeting at the very top; with currency, however, the Churchillian coin has been debased.

President Bush has just met with the nation's governors for what was billed as an education summit; schoolchildren from Gorki held what Tass designated a youth summit; last year, President Reagan and congressional leaders held hands at what was labeled an economic summit to reduce the deficit; then delegations from New York and New Jersey met at the World Trade Center in Manhattan for what they insisted was a regional economic summit.

If a bunch of guys from neighboring states can call their subway series a summit, anything goes: conservationists in conclave call their motel brunch an environmental summit, and in the competition between Sony and Philips, Newsday reported: "Both the hardware and software people have discussed a possible 'summit' meeting later this winter to talk about alternatives to the Copycode technology."

We are reaching the point where you can hold a summit of nobodies in the basement. (Basements, by the way, have disappeared, along with cellars; these glitzy temples are now lower levels, ground floors and underground colonnades.) With the zing gone out of a parley at the summit, what's a poor Sherpa to do?

Apex sounds like a foaming cleanser; apogee is too often confused with apology and acme with acne; crest is toothpaste and zenith a laptop; crown is too royal; vertex would be good, the highest point (which is properly the turning point), but it would get spun into the middle of vortex. Big Two would offend multipolar bears and be derided as Big Toe. Pinnacle sounds too much like a card game.

How can the language cope with the lowering of summit? Same way, I suppose, that it did with the diminution of stars and great powers: we now speak of superstars and superpowers.

You clerks, drawn up in vast cumbrous array, can have your piddling little summit down the hall; I'll see the other world leader at the supersummit.

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Accused by Moscow, and by some American political figures, of failing to respond adequately to Soviet arms-reduction overtures, President Bush protested with a revealing figure of speech: "I think our handling of the Soviet account is pretty good."

Bush never served as an account executive in an advertising agency. He did, however, serve as director of central intelligence, and from that experience drew his Soviet account trope.

People who work for our Central Intelligence Agency refer to the organization as the Agency, or Langley, the Virginia town in which its headquarters are said to be situated, or the Company.

Daniel Schorr, when staking out the home of James Jesus Angleton for CBS in 1974, was invited inside by the counterintelligence chief. The orchid-growing counterspymaster, known within the Company as "Mother," picked up a phone during his interview and said, "Shalom." the Hebrew greeting meaning "peace." When the correspondent asked him why he had used that word, Angleton replied, "I have for a long time handled the Israeli account."

Did this use of account stem from the Company? I checked with Richard Helms, a former director of central intelligence, who was present at the creation of much spookspeak; he admits that connection may exist, but thinks that the sense of account to mean "assignment" came from advertising and may have been brought to intelligence by a former adman. "I used to be an ad salesman myself," he added, "for Scripps Howard."

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ART BUCHWALD

Mason secret weapon to get rid of Noriega

It was finger-pointing time in the Bush administration. Everyone was blaming everyone else for the Noriega fiasco. The president declared, "I'm not going to accuse anyone because it would be an admission that I had done something wrong. I'd like the 467th Damage Control Team to come up with a plan for getting rid of Noriega, now, but I don't want any footprints leading to the White House."

Art Buchwald

A group of worried staff members descended to the bowels of the Executive Mansion. They assembled in the Situation Room to carry out the president's order.

A policy aide was the first to speak. "Why don't we pass the word to the Colombians that Noriega really works for the U.S. Drug Enforcement Agency and is snitching to Bill Bennett on everything the cartel is doing? Then we let the Colombian drug barons take care of him, pronto."

"It's too risky," responded a general. "For all we know, it may be true. God knows who the DEA has on its payroll."

A CIA man said, "Suppose we give Noriega a fatal illness and then he finds out that the government won't pay for any of his health insurance?"

A White House staff member added, "We mustn't have any rough stuff. All the world is watching to see if we can get rid of Noriega in a kinder and gentler fashion."

"Couldn't we capture Noriega and drive him insane by making him share a cell with Zsa Zsa Gabor?" asked a National Security adviser.

The general said, "We can't. It violates the Geneva Convention."

Another White House staffer told the group, "Noriega is a man who likes money. Suppose we offer him Malcolm Forbes' yacht and the first three floors of Bloomingdale's?"

"That's not bad. But Noriega will want us to drop all charges against him in the U.S.," said the CIA man.

"No problem. If he pleads guilty, we'll give him 200 hours of community service making beds for Leona Helmsley."

"Wait a minute. I've got it," a young White House aide shouted. "Why don't we send Jackie Mason to Panama to work in Noriega's election campaign?"

"That's crazy," answered the general.

"Hear me out," the aide pleaded. "We'd drive Jackie around the country to warm up the crowd for Noriega. He could tell ethnic Panamanian stories like, 'How many Panamanian National Guardsmen does it take to screw in a light bulb? Two — one to screw it in and one to shoot it out.' Stuff like that. Pretty soon the whole country will turn on Noriega and he'll be booted out."

"Why would Noriega take Jackie to campaign for him?" the CIA man asked.

"Because Noriega can't win without the Jewish vote in Panama," a White House aide explained.

The NSC adviser agreed, "It does have merit. If Jackie can do a job for Giuliani, he can do the same for Noriega. Somebody get him on the phone."

The person came back in five minutes. "Jackie said he'd do it only if he can tell the truth about Panama."

"What's the truth?"

"That Panamanians couldn't dig a canal if their lives depended on it."

"Jackie said that?"

"Only as a joke. He wanted you to know that if he works for Noriega, he's going to tell a lot of good jokes about Central Americans."

"If he does, the Panamanians will kill Noriega," the CIA man stated.

"So?"

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WORLD

East German leader stripped of power

BERLIN (AP) — East German leader Erich Honecker was stripped of power today, ending 18 years of iron-fisted rule, as the government grappled with growing public demands for a freer society.

State news media said the Communist Party leadership replaced the 77-year-old Honecker with Egon Krenz, a younger, though orthodox party member who was believed likely to continue resistance to growing pro-democracy demands.

Honecker, who directed the building of the Berlin Wall in 1961, also will be relieved of his largely ceremonial post as head of state and as chief of the nation's military, the government-run news agency ADN said.

ADN said that Krenz, 52, a Politburo member in charge of security issues and government-run youth groups, already had taken over as the party chief and would be recommended for the posts as military chief and head of state.

The latter two require the approval of the nation's Parliament, and that is guaranteed by the strong central control of the government.

ADN said that Honecker asked to be relieved of his official duties for "health reasons." Honecker has reportedly been in ill health since a gall bladder operation in August.

Honecker had been under increasing pressure to resign after a wave of protests swept the country, and pro-democracy movements picked up growing support.

The decisions came after the ruling Politburo began meeting Tuesday. That meeting was followed today by a gathering of the 163-member Central Committee of the party, which must approve Politburo decisions.

Krenz has long been rumored to be the No. 1 choice to succeed Honecker and holds many of his hardline views.

However, Communist Party sources also said it was Krenz's decision to ask police to stop attacking demonstrators after authorities charged protesters and brutally beat them earlier this month in East Berlin and Dresden.

AP Laserphoto

A youthful protester holds up a poster of Soviet leader Mikail Gorbachev during demonstrations in Leipzig, East Germany.

The Central Committee meeting had been scheduled for late November or early December, but widespread public unrest had prompted speculation that it would meet sooner to discuss possible leadership changes.

Under East Germany's system, the power is in the hands of the ruling Politburo, which is dominated by hard-liners. But changes in top leaders require approval of the Central Committee.

Since early October, tens of thousands of people fed up with the tightly controlled society have taken to the streets to demand reforms including free elections and a free press.

Soviet lawmakers denied chance to defend editor

MOSCOW (AP) — Lawmakers in Parliament today were denied the chance to defend a daring editor who had been rebuked by President Mikhail S. Gorbachev and is in danger of being fired, one of the parliamentarians said.

It was the second time the group of lawmakers was kept from speaking in the Supreme Soviet legislature. Nikolai A. Kutsenko, a deputy from the Ukraine, said the group will submit a petition signed by 34 legislators charging Gorbachev with using "pressure tactics" that contradict his own reforms.

Kutsenko said leaders of the Supreme Soviet legislature decided not to permit the defense of Vladislav A. Starkov, editor of the weekly Arguments and Facts, to be raised at the legislature because they considered it an affair of the Communist Party rather than the government.

The tabloid was responsible for several sensational stories in the past year, including the first Soviet disclosure that dictator Josef Stalin imprisoned or killed as many as 40 million people. It was also the first Soviet publication to print excerpts of the memoirs of Nikita S. Khrushchev.

Kutsenko said he wanted to speak at this morning's session of the legislature but was told he could not have the floor by Gorbachev's handpicked vice president, Anatoly I. Lukyanov, and the chairmen of the bicameral legislature's two houses, Rafik N. Nishanov and Yevgeny M. Primakov.

The petition Kutsenko hoped to read on the floor of the legislature accuses Gorbachev of trying to discredit the weekly. He tried to be recognized at Tuesday's evening session, but was denied the floor by Lukyanov.

Gorbachev lashed out at selected Soviet editors at a closed-door Communist Party meeting Friday in an apparent attempt to regain a measure of control over the press, which has been carrying daily reports critical of the Soviet system and occasionally of its leaders.

The journalists, quoting their bosses who attended and asking not to be identified, said Gorbachev accused Starkov and other editors of seeking his political downfall when the nation is torn by economic crisis and ethnic strife.

Soviet journalists said chief party ideologist Vadim A. Medvedev has told Starkov he must resign and offered him a post at the state publishing committee, but that Starkov intended to fight to keep his job.

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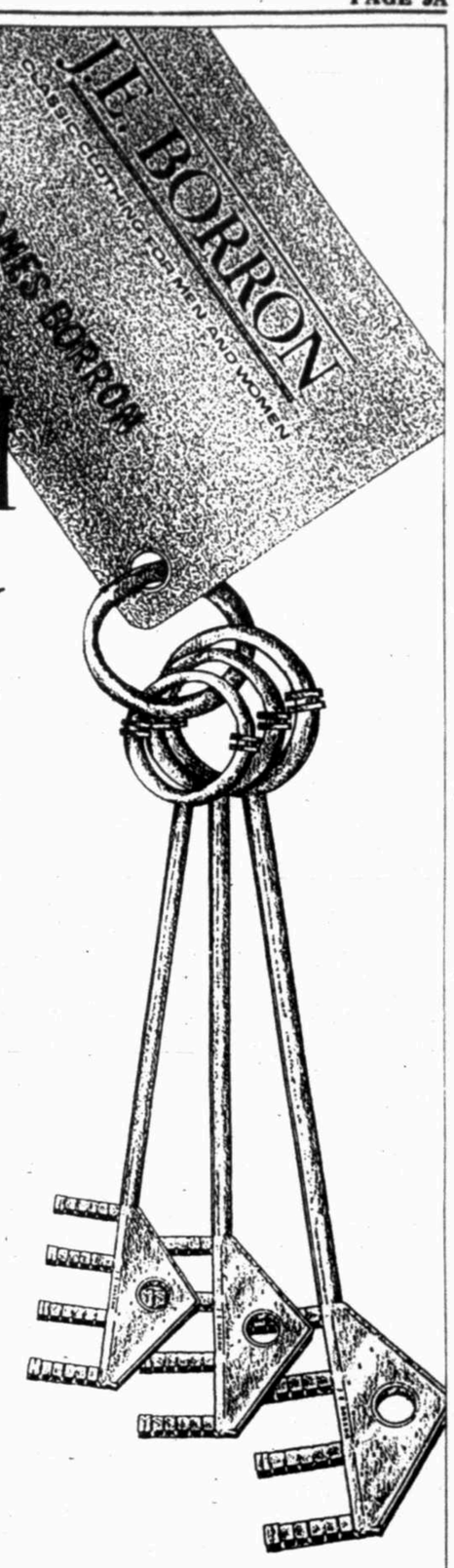

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Colombian judges strike against colleague's killing

BOGOTA, Colombia (AP) — The country's judges went on strike to protest a colleague's assassination and gunmen killed yet another journalist, the eighth news industry worker slain since the government launched its all-out war on cocaine barons.

An anonymous caller claiming to speak for drug traffickers took responsibility for Tuesday's killing of Hector Jimenez Rodriguez, a federal appeals court judge in the cocaine trafficking center of Medellin.

Hours later in Medellin, assassins gunned down radio journalist Diego Vargas Escobar in similar fashion, police said.

The slaying of Jimenez, 55, sparked a three-day strike by about 17,000 judicial workers, including most of Colombia's judges, to demand more protection from drug gangs.

Traffickers seek through murder, bombings and threats to force an end to the government's crackdown on Colombia's cocaine cartels, which was launched after the Aug. 18 slaying of presidential candidate Luis Carlos Galan, an anti-drug crusader.

Vargas Escobar, 54, was the eighth news industry worker slain since the crackdown began. A radio journalist said Vargas Escobar, who worked for the Medellin station La Voz de las Americas, had recently received death threats.

The journalist, who did not want to be identified for security reasons, said he did not know who made the threats.

In anonymous calls to radio stations last week, The Extraditables — alleged traffickers wanted in the United States — claimed responsibility for the slayings of two journalists in Medellin.

An anonymous caller told a radio station in Medellin that The Extraditables killed the judge in retaliation for the extradition of Colombian drug suspects to the United States.

Colombia has extradited four suspects since President Virgilio Barco initiated the crackdown, and The Extraditables have promised that they would kill 10 judges for every drug dealer extradited.

None of the 12 alleged top Colombian drug bosses wanted by the United States have been captured, but the government has seized millions of dollars in their alleged assets.

Jimenez was a federal appeals court judge for 20 years in Medellin. All federal judges in the city have handled drug matters, but it was not known whether Jimenez had any cases recently.

The court workers' union declared a 72-hour strike to demand more protection for the judicial branch.

Various figures are given on the number of judges slain in Colombia. The court workers' union says 221 court employees, including 42 judges, have been killed during the past 12 years, many of them by drug traffickers.

WORLD IN BRIEF

Deadlock broken in Salvadoran talks

SAN JOSE, Costa Rica (AP) — Leftist Salvadoran rebels and government negotiators broke a deadlock over truce conditions and agreed to meet again today for peace talks aimed at ending their country's decade-old civil war.

The talks nearly broke off after men firing automatic weapons killed the daughter of an army colonel in San Salvador Tuesday.

The Salvadoran government accused the rebels of the killing, but guerrilla leaders emphatically denied the charge.

Both sides later agreed to extend the two-day session another day in response to an appeal by President Oscar Arias of Costa Rica, who won the 1987 Nobel Peace Prize for his plan to bring peace to Central America.

IRA bombers may be let go

LONDON (AP) — The government appeared ready today to allow the release of at least three people convicted of 1974 Irish terrorist bombings and news reports said police investigators involved in the cases would be prosecuted.

The Home Office, responsible for law enforcement, announced Tuesday that it would not oppose an appeal by the so-called Guildford Four, who were imprisoned 14 years ago for the two fatal IRA bombings that targeted British soldiers.

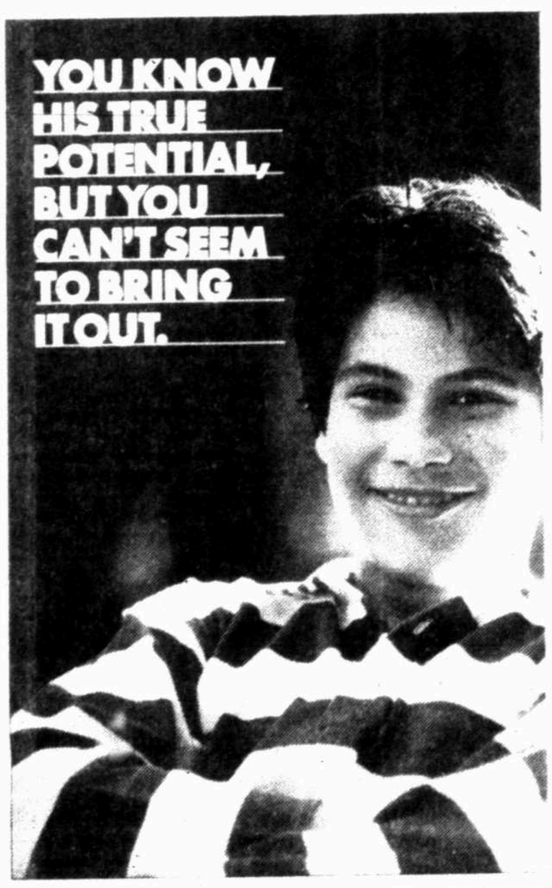
The three man and a woman have maintained their innocence since being convicted of murder and sentenced to life in prison. News reports said at least three probably would be released soon after a Court of Appeal hearing Thursday.

ANC may have role in talks

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — The Cabinet minister assigned to promote negotiations with black leaders says he's prepared to meet with freed African National Congress leader Walter Sisulu about the ANC's possible role in talks.

"If we want to get going, the fewer preconditions the better," Constitutional Development Minister Gerrit Viljoen said Tuesday.

He said the the outlawed guerrilla movement would have to demonstrate that it was committed to peaceful negotiations.



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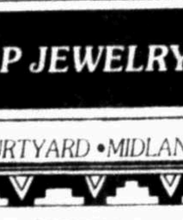

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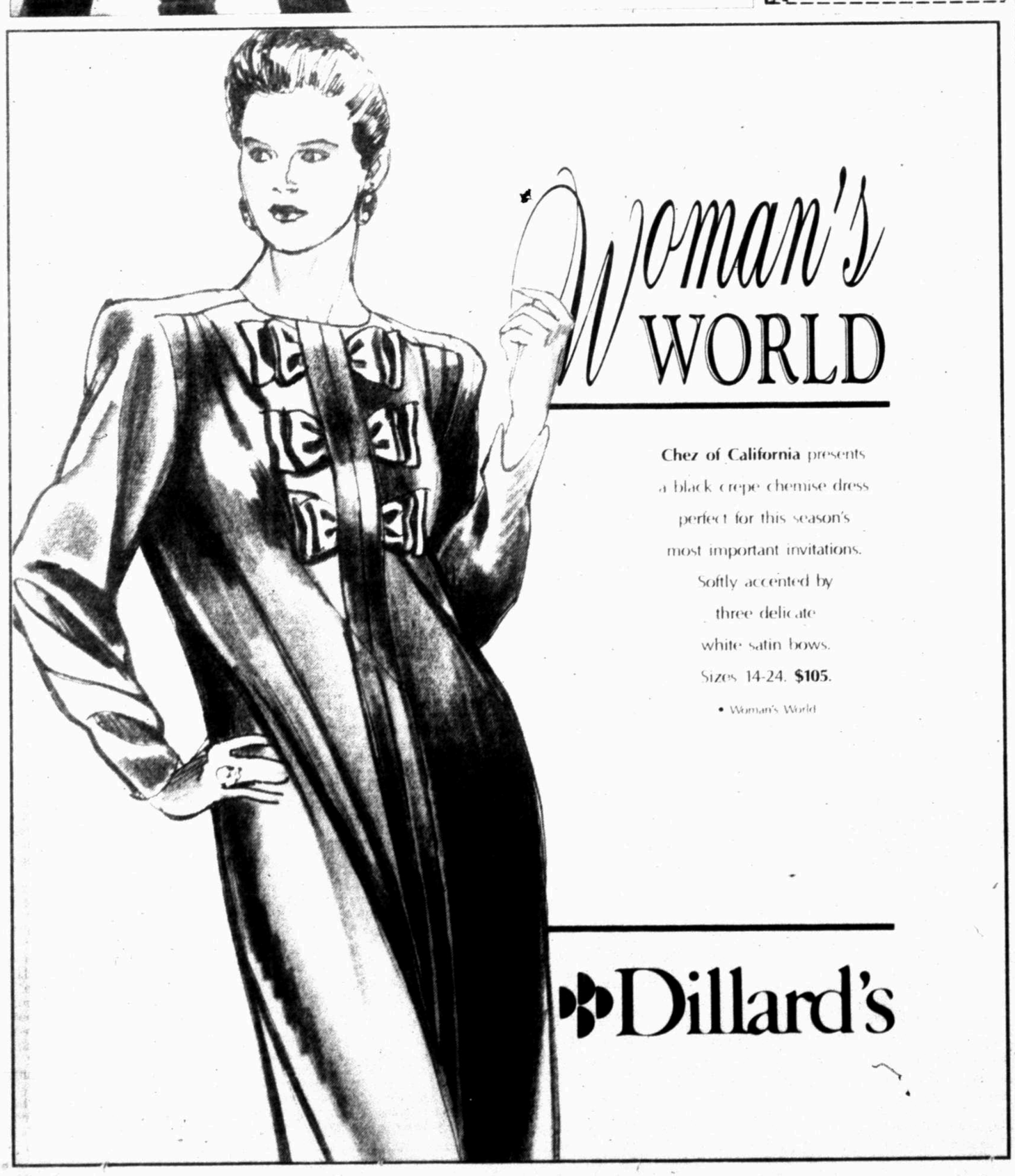
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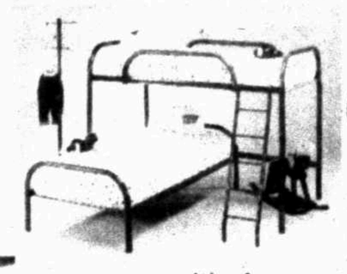
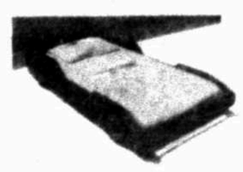
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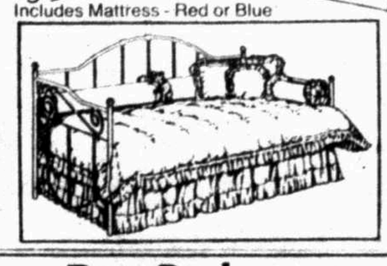
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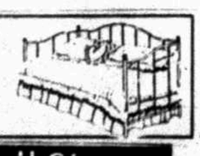
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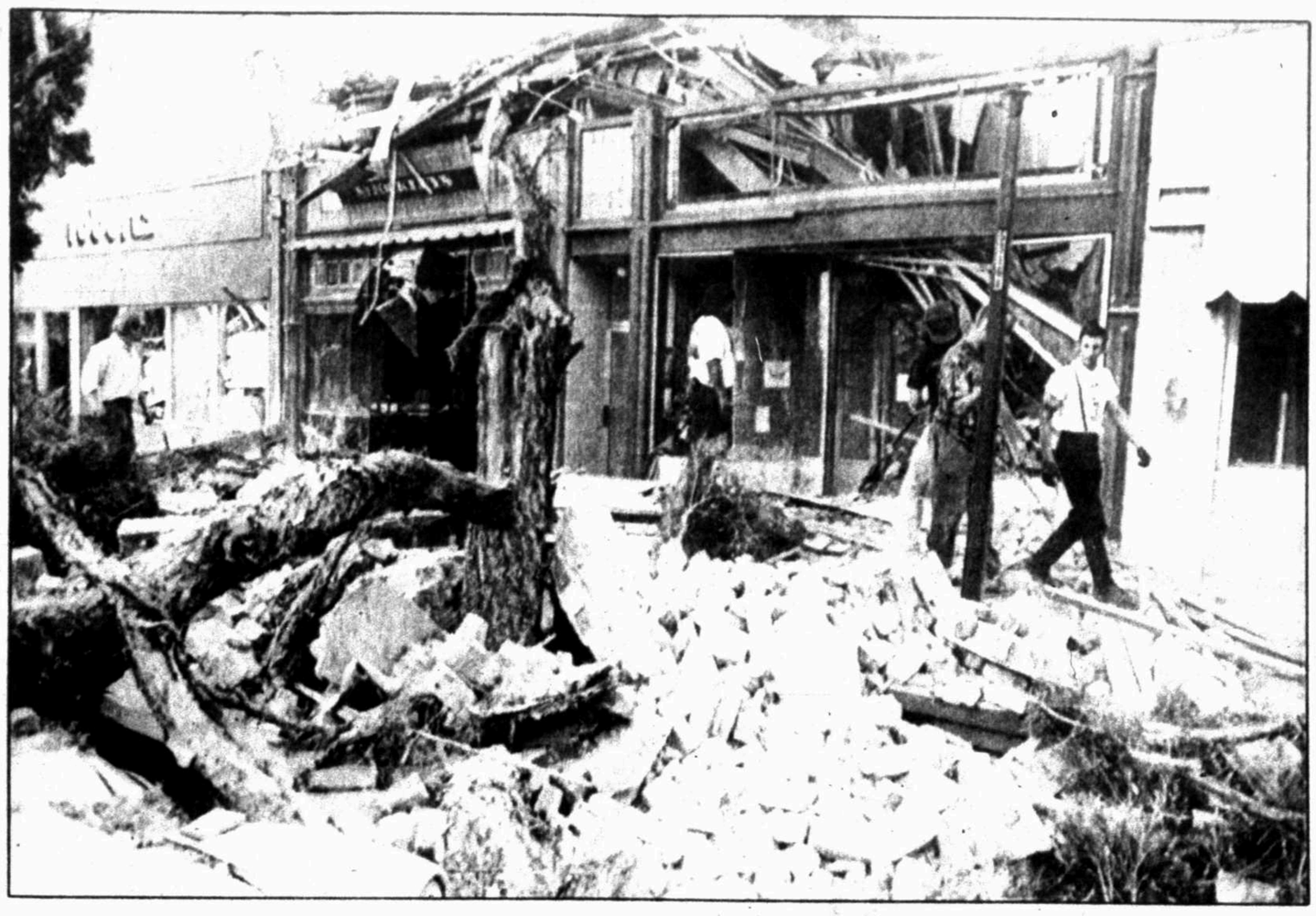


Disaster scenes

Residents of Santa Cruz, Calif., above, walk through the rubble of collapsed businesses in the town's central district following Tuesday's earthquake. The epicenter was located 10 miles from Santa Cruz and 75 miles from San Francisco. Many fatalities occurred when a double-decker six-lane freeway through Oakland, above left, collapsed, trapping cars and their occupants. At right, a man and woman are helped down a supporting column of the Cypress Freeway after bystanders helped them escape their car. Another earthquake hazard is fire, sparked by ruptured gas line. Apartments in San Francisco's Marina District, right, burned through the night.

AP Laserphotos

Midlander describes feeling tremors

By ED TODD
Staff Writer

Midlander Duaine Morphis, who had felt tremors of earlier California earthquakes in 1980s, was about 70 miles northeast of the epicenter of Tuesday's quake.

It imparts a feeling of helplessness, he said this morning in a telephone interview with the Reporter-Telegram.

"What are you going to do? Mother Earth is sinking. Where are you going to go?" Morphis said today from his hotel room in Hayward across the bay from San Francisco. "You are either facing the Grim Reaper, or it is close by."

Morphis, who is a 41-year-old field engineer for MCI Telecommunications, was pouring antifreeze in a friend's truck after the engine overheated when the earthquake hit at 5:04 p.m. California time.

Morphis said he wasn't terrified by the tremors. "We just felt the aftershock."

"We were far enough away from the epicenter that all we felt were some ripples," Morphis said. "I am pretty much in the sheltered end of it," he said of the earthquake's havoc. "It really didn't 'get' to me."

But in San Francisco, people were "scared" amid the death and rubble.

"There's a lot of destruction and dead people there," Morphis said. "This is pretty serious."

But in the morning after the earthquake, "the city is starting to get its ducks in a row."

Morphis surmised that California people, to survive in an earthquake-prone area, must develop some sort of "apathy" — a defense mechanism. The terror of earthquakes "happens to somebody else," or so some people reason.

Morphis, who is in California on a job assignment this week, said he "was in LA in '80, and they had some little old tremors but nothing of the magnitude and damage" of the Tuesday's earthquake that struck San Francisco.

While Morphis was far away from San Francisco when the earthquake hit, a young Swedish couple, who meticulously planned their visit to Midland and a tour of the United States, were minutes from the collapsing San Francisco-Oakland Bay Bridge when the quake hit.

"They had been on the bridge about that time (of the quake)," Helen McKim of Midland said of Magnus and Asa Oscarssen, the Swedish couple who were visiting Mrs. McKim and her husband, Texas Circuit Court Judge Ray McKim, until they caught an American West Airlines flight to Oakland about 1 p.m. Tuesday.

The McKims are related to the Swedish couple.

The couple arrived at the Oakland airport about 4 p.m. California time, picked up their luggage and rented a car. And, as Mrs. McKim was aware, they were en route to their hotel room in San Francisco by way of the two-tier Bay Bridge.

And after she learned of the earthquake, Mrs. McKim said she feared that the Oscarssen couple's exact timing would have placed them on the Bay Bridge at time of the earthquake.

"I had it pinpointed that they would be on the bridge at that time," she said today. "They would hit right in the middle in all the confusion on the (partly-collapsing) bridge."

"But there was a slight delay in picking up their (rent) car," said Mrs. McKim.

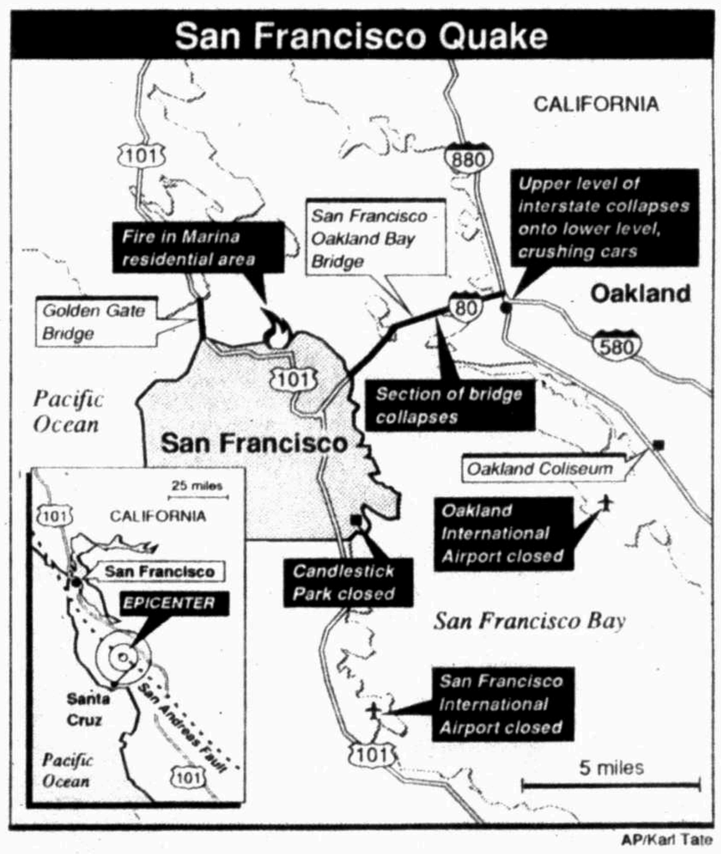
The couple had the consideration to call the McKims to report their safety.

" 'Oh, it was very bad,' " Mrs. McKim said Mrs. Oscarssen told her of the earthquake. "They were approaching the bridge" when the earthquake happened. "You talk about fate or whatever," Mrs. McKim said.

"We are just rejoicing. The couple had saved for two years to make this trip, everything was planned to the minute," Mrs. McKim said.

"They had pinpointed all the places they were going to see" after they arrived in New York on Oct. 3 and visited relatives in Toronto, and toured other cities such as New Orleans, Houston, Dallas, San Francisco and Hawaii, Mrs. McKim said.

But the San Francisco earthquake has "kind of changed their plans," Mrs. McKim said today.



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Temblor occurred on 'risky' fault line

N.Y. Times News Service

TOPANGA, Calif. — The earthquake that shook Northern California Tuesday night occurred on a segment of the San Andreas fault that geologists had identified two years ago as one of those most at risk of a major quake in the near future.

Officials with the California Division of Mines and Geology said Tuesday night the ground broke or ruptured along a 30-mile stretch in rugged mountain terrain north of Santa Cruz between Los Gatos and San Juan Battista.

The fault segment is one of those known as a seismic gap, a place where little significant earthquake activity has occurred relative to nearby stretches.

The segment that broke Tuesday night had not ruptured in recorded history whereas fault segments to the north and south broke in recent years, said Riley Geary, an analyst at the California Institute of Technology seismology laboratory.

The San Andreas fault is a 600-mile fracture zone where two great slabs of the Earth's crust press together.

One, carrying much of the Pacific Ocean and a strip of the California coast, grinds northwest about half an inch a year relative to the other, carrying most of North America.

Because the plates do not move smoothly along this part of the fault, strain accumulates, to be released in relatively earthquakes. Because this area had not had a quake in a long time, a great deal of strain had accumulated, Geary said.

According to the United States Geological Survey in Golden, Colo., Tuesday night's quake measured 6.9 on the Richter scale, a measure of ground motion as recorded on seismographs. The scale is logarithmic; that is, an earthquake measuring 7.0 on the scale is 10 times stronger than one measuring 6.0.

An earthquake of magnitude 2.0 is the smallest felt by humans. Earthquakes with a Richter value of 5.0 or higher are potentially damaging. A 7.0 is capable of causing widespread property damage and loss of life.

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Kate Hutton, staff seismologist at Cal Tech in Pasadena, Calif., looks over the seismology report from Tuesday's quake.

An earthquake above 8.0 is considered catastrophic, capable of killing thousands of people if it occurs near a populated area.

Meanwhile, seismologists around the state were looking for signs of aftershocks, smaller quakes that often occur after a major tremor. Scientists at Cal Tech reported one aftershock with a magnitude of 5.0, three of 4.0 or more and "dozens" between 3.0 and 4.0.

"The important thing from a scientific point of view is to catch the aftershocks," said Lucy Jones, a Cal Tech seismologist. She said "shock chasers," scientists with portable seismographs, have probably fanned out into the the Santa Cruz area from the U.S. Geological Survey at Menlo Park to measure continuing rumbles in the ground.

But telephone communications to Menlo Park, between Santa Cruz and San Francisco, had been cut off.

She said the quake had not reduced the chances of a another large earthquake, although it had released some of the accumulated strain in the area where it occurred. "Now one of them has happened there is one less we are expecting to happen," Jones said.

Several years ago, scientists at the Geological Survey examined dozens of fault segments to determine which were most likely to rupture, Geary said.

If a fault segment has not ruptured in recorded history, which began in the late 1700's in California, scientists dig trenches across the fault zone and, by dating rock strata, can determine when the segment last broke.

"For Northern California, this was the most likely candidate for a large earthquake," Geary said.

There is a slight possibility that Tuesday night's earthquake could serve as a trigger for a larger earthquake on nearby portions of the fault.

Associated Press

Here is a look at the earthquake that jolted Northern California on Tuesday.

THE QUAKE: The quake hit at 5:04 p.m. PDT and registered 6.9 on the Richter scale. It was centered on the notorious San Andreas Fault, about eight miles northeast of Santa Cruz and about 75 miles south of San Francisco. It was the sixth-most powerful quake to strike California this century and the most powerful since a 7.0 quake centered in Eureka in 1980. The tremor was felt as far away as Los Angeles, 400 miles to the south. At least four aftershocks of lesser magnitude followed.

CASUALTIES: More than 200 people were killed, making the quake the second deadliest in the nation's history following the 1906 San Francisco quake that killed more than 700.

Most of the deaths occurred a mile-long section of the upper level of Interstate 880 in Oakland collapsed onto the lower level, crushing people in their cars.

About 400 people were injured, mostly by falling or being hit by debris.

DAMAGE: Highways, bridges and buildings collapsed, fires broke out, plaster fell off buildings and ceilings and windows popped out of high-rise buildings. Power was knocked out to as many as 1 million customers in the Bay area and telephone service was disrupted.

In addition to the collapse along Interstate 880 in Oakland, a 30-foot section of the upper level of the San Francisco-Oakland Bay Bridge collapsed onto the lower level, closing the span.

A fire destroyed buildings in the Marina section of San Francisco and another fire damaged a section of downtown Berkeley.

At least two bridges in the Santa Cruz area collapsed and other highways leading out of the city suffered significant damage. In nearby Hollister, a bridge on Highway 101 collapsed and a downtown department store caved in.

GOVERNMENT RESPONSE: In Washington, President Bush said the federal government was prepared to send help. Transportation Secretary Samuel Skinner and Vice President Quayle headed to the area to assess damage, and the Federal Emergency Management Agency dispatched officials to Sacramento to help state workers handle aid paperwork. Military officials mobilized National Guard units to aid the rescue. Gov. George Deukmejian cut short a trade mission to Frankfurt, West Germany, and flew home on an Air Force plane.

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Residents willing to pay for extra officers, poll shows

Midlanders say they'd pay more taxes for increased protection

By PATRICK CRIMMINS
Staff Writer

Midlanders would be willing to give up city services and pay more taxes to hire more law enforcement officers, according to a poll released Tuesday by the Midland Crime Prevention Commission.

But most citizens also feel crime has not increased in their neighborhood, according to the poll, conducted by members of the Crime Prevention Commission.

The commission, whose members are appointed by the City Council, polled 300 Midlanders on Sept. 24 and 25. According to the commission, the poll has a margin of error of 5 percent.

More than half, 55 percent, of those polled said they would "accept increased taxes to pay for more police on patrol," according to the report. Twenty-six percent answered "no" to the question, and 13 percent answered "don't know."

"It is significant for Midland," said Nick Taylor, a Midland attorney who heads the commission. "We have a particularly conservative community that is less apt to want to pay more taxes. And, Midland has been very frugal when it comes to things like bond issues."

Midland police spokesman Cpl. Jim White said he has also heard a willingness to pay for more police.

"That has been told to me during the last year," White said. "Most people seem to be willing to do what they can to get more officers on the street."

Results of the poll will be given to Midland Mayor Carroll Thomas, members of the City Council, Midland County Commissioners, Midland Police Chief Richard Czech, and Midland County Sheriff Gary Painter, Taylor said.

Nearly half, or 49 percent, of those polled said they would be willing to do without city services "and putting that money into fighting crime." Thirteen percent refused to give up city services, while 32 percent answered "don't know."

A whopping 53 percent of those responding to the poll said they have "no idea" what their city services are. Twenty percent said they would be willing to do without "so many" street repairs, drainage construction, and street sweeping.

Fifteen percent of the respondents demanded more efficiency in city government. Responses included "no more big-shot raises," and "use the police better."

Taylor said he was encouraged by willingness of Midlanders to give up city services.

"That is a definite message that the citizens of Midland put a very high priority on their personal safety and their property," he said. "It shows they are willing to suffer a loss of something else in favor of crime prevention."

Fifty percent of those responding to the poll said more police and sheriff's deputies are needed to patrol the streets. Only 20 percent said no increase was needed, while 26 responded "don't know."

"I have to agree with that," White said.

Most Midlanders — 54 percent — have never reported a crime or suspicious activity to the police or sheriff's department, according to the poll. Forty-two percent report they have called one or both of the agencies.

"But that is a very good percentage of people reporting crime," Taylor said. "It shows a high percentage of citizen participation."

Said police spokesman White: "Since the crime rate has been going steadily up, I would think more people would be calling in."

Only 27 percent of Midlanders say they or a family member have been a victim of crime while living here. Seventy percent of those polled say they have not experienced crime in Midland.

"I think a lot of people are not reporting what has happened to them," Taylor said, adding that studies have shown the average citizen has a 94 percent chance of being a crime victim. "There is a certain innocence in this community. We've had almost an unabated rise in crime, a constant increase, but the citizens are not reflecting that."

Citizens were also asked if crime has increased, decreased, or stayed the same in their neighborhood.

Sixty-one percent said crime has remained the same, despite the fact police statistics show the rate of major crimes has been increasing in the city steadily.

Twenty-one percent said crime has increased in their neighborhood, while only 5 percent said crime has decreased.

"The increase is right," White said. "We have shown a steady climb in our theft and burglary rate."

Taylor hopes citizens will read the results of the poll, and perhaps lose some of their "innocence."

"The primary role of the commission is education of the public," he said. "It (the poll) is going to be valuable to the public to find out how much crime there really is."

Concrete plant owner seeking permanency

By RICK BROWN
Reporter-Telegram Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — A Midland concrete manufacturer that two years ago built a temporary plant in west Midland over objections from residents now is asking permission to make the plant permanent.

The Texas Air Control Board has set a Friday application deadline for people who want official status in contesting the request from Troy Vines Inc.

The change in status, proposed for the plant located at 7200 Andrews Highway, already has drawn opposition from two local residents, Clayton Carroll, 3104 Elm Drive, and Andrew Gilland, 3610 N. County Road 1247.

Without requests from the two Midlanders, the state board would not have scheduled a November 15 hearing in Austin on the proposed plant.

However, both men were unsure whether they could follow up their requests with money and time committments.

Carroll, who fears emissions from the plant would adversely affect his 9-year-old, asthmatic son, Bryce, said he would be unable to travel to Austin to take part in hearings.

And Gilland, a veteran of previous unsuccessful attempts to stop plant operations, said he likely would not take part unless signals from the air control board became more positive.

A group of west Midland residents spent as much as $12,000 for attorneys and an expert witness in their attempt to stop the Vines company from placing the plant at the Andrews Highway location two years ago.

But "people got so disgusted with the reception that we got that we thought it was just throwing money down the drain," said Gilland, who contributed $600.

Central issues in previous hearings revolved around whether the plant met state regulations, not whether it presented a hazard to neighbors' health.

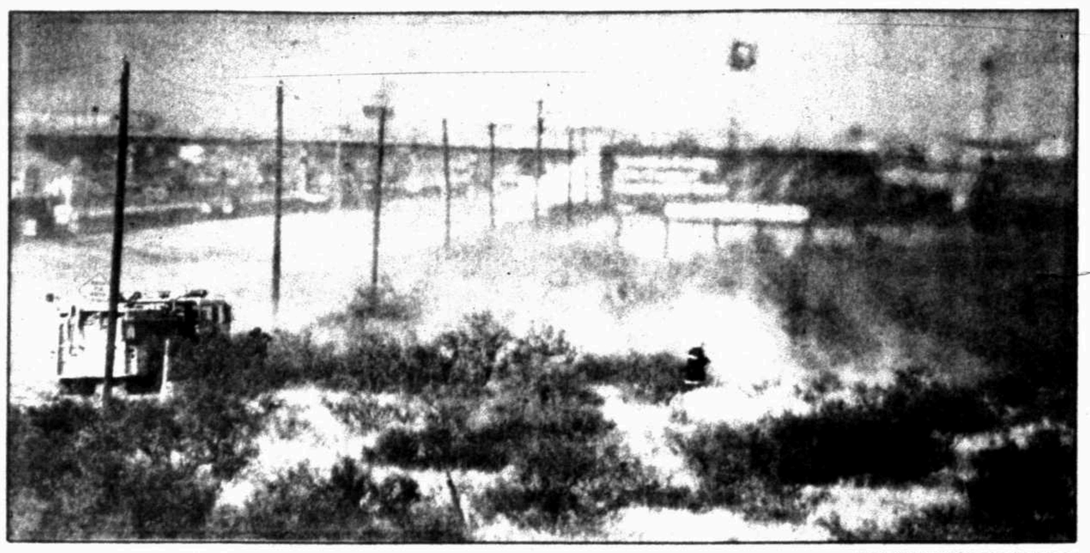
Repeated calls to company spokesman Jody Vines were not returned Tuesday.

A man who identified himself as a member of the Vines family said Tuesday that the company is using the plant to fulfill both residential and business contracts in west Midland. The man refused to give his name.

After all requests for official status in the case are entered, a hearings examiner, Cindy Hurd, will decide which will be granted during an October 30 pre-hearing in Austin.

Requests that are "faxed" — or sent to the board by facimile machine — are permitted so long as the applicant follows up with an original of the request sent by mail, she said Tuesday.

Receiving the status means the holder has legal rights in the case.



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Grass fire

A lone firefighter battles a grass fire just north of the Interstate 20 service road between Cottonflat Road and Midkiff Road. No injuries were reported from Tuesday's blaze, but heavy smoke caused police to briefly close one service road because of low visibility.

Southeast Midlanders ask board to locate junior high in their area

By DAVID MORRIS
Staff Writer

Southeast Midland residents called on the school board Tuesday to locate a proposed new junior high school in their neighborhood.

At a community meeting at Travis Elementary School, District 2 residents said the need for economic development in their area of town would justify building the new school there.

"I think the south side needs a new junior high school if they're going to build one," said Fred Norton, a Travis parent. "If you keep moving northwest, pretty soon the south and east side is going to be nothing. You can't build a town in one direction."

Superintendent Joe Baressi said it was too early to tell where the new school would be built. "Virtually all of our seven districts would like to have the new school," he said.

Midland's growth trends indicate a need for additional schools in the north and northwest area of town, he said.

Midland Independent School District long-range plans call for constructing a new junior high prior to the 1992-93 school year.

Joe Cummins, MISD long-range planning director, estimated a need for 25 additional permanent seventh- and eighth-grade classrooms in 1992-93. By 1995-96, Cummins said grades six and seven will require 49 more permanent classrooms than now exist. Currently, 15 temporary junior high classrooms are in use.

Cummins said a new junior high would require a 20-25 acre building site. MISD owns only one lot large enough to accommodate the proposed school, on Scharbauer Drive near Scharbauer Elementary School.

"I don't want you to get the impression that the only place we can put a school is on property we already own," Baressi said at the meeting. He said MISD has not completed a survey of available property for the proposed school's location.

Wilson Heidelberg, MISD auxiliary services director, said purchase of a 20-acre site could add $200,000 to the estimated $8 million cost of the new school.

Baressi said the school board probably will decide on the site in January or February of 1990. Cummins said a bond issue covering MISD building plans could be before Midland voters as early as May 1990. Total cost of all proposed building projects is between $15 million to $18 million, Cummins said.

District 2 trustee representative Adela Marmolejo said she was pleased with the outcome of Tuesday's meeting, attended by school board members, MISD administrators and about 40 community members.

"My community is taxpayers, too," she said. "We are growing in this part of town, too. It's time for my community to get something on this side of town."

Board President James Fuller said he supported the idea of putting the new school on the southeast side.

"We should take a very serious look at new facilities in this area, east of Big Spring," he said.

He added that the board would base its final decision on community input and urged people at the meeting to continue to speak out.

Community meetings are scheduled in each of the remaining single-member school board districts. The next one will be Nov. 6 in District 4 at 7 p.m. at Houston Elementary School, 2000 W. Louisiana Ave.

DEATHS

Fletcher Benbow

ODESSA — Services for Fletcher A. Benbow, 86, of Odessa, will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday at the Hubbard-Kelly Funeral Home. Graveside services will be at 1 p.m. Saturday at the Alexander Cemetery in Yoakum.

He died Tuesday in a local hospital.

He was born Feb. 20, 1903 in DeWitt County, and married Ruby Graham on March 29, 1931 in Lovington, N.M. She died June 9, 1987.

Benbow lived in Levelland for many years, and came to Odessa in 1947. He owned the Benbow Motel in Odessa, and was a Mason for 60 years. He attended New Mexico State College, and started the West Texas Gun Collectors Association.

Survivors include a daughter, Suzan Taff of San Antonio; a brother, R.B. Benbow of Yoakum; and two grandchildren.

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Probation given for check cashing

From Staff Reports

A 52-year-old Odessa man who cashed his dead mother's Social Security checks worth $9,099 was placed on probation for five years after he told the sentencing judge that he had "done wrong" and had repented.

"I know I did wrong," Kenneth Alford told U.S. District Court Chief Judge Lucius D. Bunton at sentencing Tuesday in federal court in Midland. "I'm remorseful for it. I think you should give me probation."

The judge did suspend a prison sentence and, in addition to placing Alford on probation for five years, ordered that he pay $9,090 in restitution to the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

Alford, who earlier had pleaded guilty to one of 10 counts of theft of the U.S. Treasury checks, said that he didn't "know why" he endorsed his mother's checks, deposited them in his bank account, and wrote checks on the account in 1987 and 1988.

"Opportunity sort of stared me in the wrong way," he said. "Since then," Alford said, "I've been saved. And I'm a good man — a good Christian man."

His attorney, Ray Moudy of Midland, told the judge that Alford "appears to have the support" of his wife and family. "I truly believe he is remorseful" and can make a "contribution" to his community.

Absentee voting opens

From Staff Reports

Absentee balloting opened today for Midlanders who want to cast ballots prior to the Nov. 7 election, said Texas Secretary of State George Bayoud.

Registered voters have until Nov. 3 to appear in person at the Midland County Election Administrator's office, 709 W. Washington Ave.

Absentee voting hours are from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Friday.

A 1987 state law relaxed absentee balloting requirements giving Texans the option of casting absentee votes in person without having to give a reason for doing so.

The Nov. 7 ballot includes 21 proposed state constitutional amendments and a county referendum to allow horse race betting in Midland.

Also appearing on the ballot are two city referendums that would give local police and firemen a 10 percent across-the-board salary hike.

A separate period began Sept. 8 for people to cast absentee ballots by mail. Those who vote absentee by mail must give a reason for not being able to cast their ballots on election day.

Historically, proposed constitutional amendment elections have yielded low statewide voter turnouts. But Bayoud said he hopes the in-person, absentee voting option will bring more people to the polls.

Of the estimated 12.3 million Texans eligible to vote, about 8.2 million are registered.

Wine testing planned

From Staff Reports

A wine tasting will be held beginning at 6 p.m. Thursday at Karen's Restaurant, 24th floor NCNB Building.

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Plainview woman sworn in as GSA deputy administrator

By PEGGY ROBERSON
Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON — Rebekah T. Johnson of Plainview was sworn in Tuesday as deputy administrator of the U.S. General Services Administration, the mammoth agency often described as "the nation's housekeeper."

The 31-year-old Ms. Johnson, a certified public accountant and financial management executive, worked as a volunteer for Bush in New York City during the 1987-1988 presidential primary season. After the Republican nominating convention, she became deputy political director for Bush and his running mate, Dan Quayle, in the Mid-Atlantic region.

Noting that she left "a very good job in New York City" to help Bush win the White House, Ms. Johnson on Tuesday said that it seems "a kind of appropriate conclusion to a cycle" to work in the federal government.

"I believe strongly in President Bush and his policies," she added.

Since February, Johnson has worked at the White House Office of Presidential Personnel, overseeing the political clearance of job candidates.

"That was exciting," she said, "but when they came to me with this offer, it was exactly what I thought I should do."

Ms. Johnson added: "There is nothing in the world I'd rather do than be on a horse in the middle of a cornfield in Plainview, Texas. ... I hope to be able to go home often."

Ms. Johnson will have major responsibilities at GSA overseeing its $8 billion budget and 20,000 employees.

GSA is the government's central management agency, setting federal policy for supply and service procurement, property management, telecommunications and automated data processing.

The agency also manages the construction of government buildings as well as government leasing, motor vehicle use and travel.

After graduating from Baylor University in 1979, Ms. Johnson joined the accounting firm of Arthur Andersen & Co. in Memphis, Tenn., where she was an audit manager.

She left Tiger Management Co., a New York City firm that primarily handled investment partnerships, in August 1987, to join the Bush campaign. She had been chief financial officer at Tiger since 1985.

STATE

Compensation hearing exclusion angers labor

By JAMES CULLEN
Reporter-Telegram Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — A split decision of the State Board of Insurance to exclude the Texas AFL-CIO from workers compensation insurance rate hearings outraged the labor federation's president Tuesday.

"I was not suprised that the workers got raped," said Joe Gunn, president of the Texas AFL-CIO. "I was just surprised that they did it in an open meeting."

Board members Richard Reynolds and Jo Ann Howard outvoted Chairman Paul Wrotenberry Tuesday as the three-member board decided not to admit the labor group as a party to the rate case.

Reynolds said labor's concern over job safety was not relevant to insurance rates, but Gunn said the insurance board's actions could affect employees statewide.

Wrotenberry said he was hesitant to exclude any group from the hearings, which are expected to run through the week.

The National Council on Compensation Insurance, which represents the insurance industry, had objected to labor's request that its representatives be allowed to cross examine witnesses in the case.

"The refusal of the state insurance board to allow the Texas AFL-CIO to intervene represents a serious breach of its obligation to deal with a creditable organization representing hundreds of thousands of Texas workers," Gunn said in a prepared statement after the board vote.

The insurance industry asked for a 34.9 percent rate increase. The Office of Consumer Protection, which represents the public, recommended a 17.5 percent increase and the insurance board staff recommended an 11.5 percent increase.

The new rates would go into effect Jan. 1, 1990.

The board voted unanimously to admit as participants the National Council on Compensation Insurance, the Office of Consumer Protection, the insurance board staff, the Texas Association of Compensation Consumers, the Texas Association of Business and the Texas Trial Lawyers Association.

Unlike the Public Utility Commission, which regulates telephone and electrical utilities, insurance rate intervenors are not reimbursed for their expenses.

Businessmen have complained about a 148-percent increase in premiums over the past four years, while some insurance companies have dropped the compensation lines, saying the business no longer is profitable.

Lawmakers have failed twice this year in attempts to reform the $3 billion system for compensating injured workers. They will try again in a special session that will start Nov. 14.

The business and insurance groups backed House bills that attempted to reduce the involvement of lawyers in the system, while the trial lawyers' association teamed with organized labor to block the business-backed bills and push for a Senate version that includes worker safety provisions and preserves the right to appeal workers compensation agency decisions to the courts.

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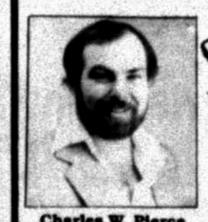
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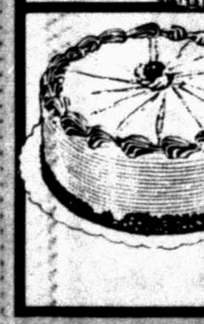

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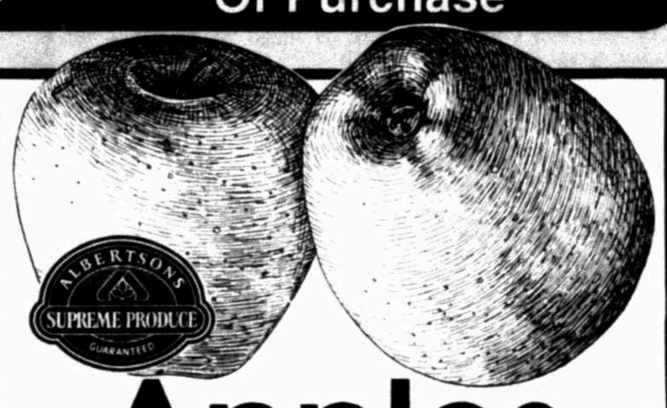

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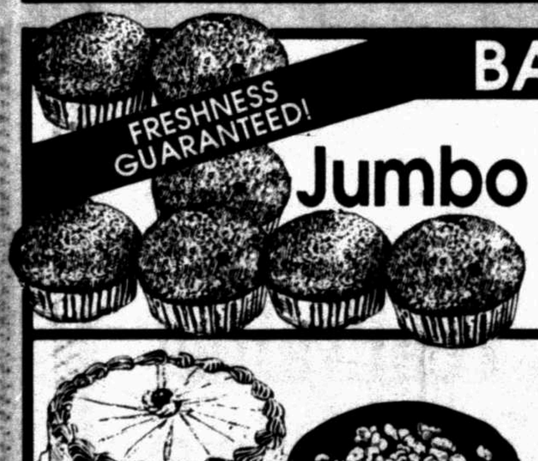

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Midland Independent School District seventh and eight graders will attend performances Wednesday through Friday.

Tickets to the Saturday performance are $3 per person. Each adult accompanied by a child 12 or younger will be admitted free of charge.

"Painting Churches," a heartwarming play about the Church family, will continue through Sunday. The play involves a daughter, a respected Post-Impressionistic painter, and her attempts to paint a portrait of her parents.

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Cost of the luncheon is $10 per person. Reservations must by made by calling 694-8413 by Friday...

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"**PLAYING WITH** Parents," a program for children up to 36 months of age and their parents, will be presented 10-11:30 a.m. Friday at Museum of the Southwest.

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Admission is free. The program was developed by Jim May of the Family Wellness Center and is presented by Junior League of Midland...

...**PERMIAN BASIN** Cook-Off will host its fifth annual "Feed for Need" beginning 11 a.m. Saturday at the Midland County Exhibit Building, Hwy. 80. Cook-off categories will include fajitas, chili, pork ribs, brisket and ranch cooking. A special category will allow any recipe.

There will be children's events from noon-6 p.m., food served 1-6 p.m. and a dance from 7 p.m.-midnight. The Chuck Wagon Gang will staff the serving line and the band West-Wind will provide the music. The public is invited to attend.

Admission is $5 for adults and $1 for children under 6 and adults over 65, and attending the dance is included in the admission cost.

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...**MIDLAND SOCIETY** of University Women will meet 10 a.m. Friday at 2512 Concord. Judge Barbara Culver will be guest speaker...

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More foods made for microwave

By KAROLA SAEKEL
N.Y. Times News Service

While home cooks explore and debate the merits and shortcomings of microwave cooking, no such doubts are plaguing the folks who bring us ready-to-eat soups, breakfast combos, "gourmet dinners" and instant everythings from popcorn to tuna sandwiches to milk shakes.

To the convenience-food industry, the victorious march of the microwave oven into the homes and workplaces of America has been an event little short of the Second Coming.

If you browse the aisles of any major supermarket looking for the squiggly lines that identify all microwavable items, you will soon discover that it would be a much easier chore to compile a list of convenience foods that are not suited to microwave cooking.

In fact, the "tidal wave of microwave" as Martin Friedman, editor of the authoritative Gorman's New Product News, calls it, has reached such proportions that some companies now deem it necessary to put an identifying symbol on products that can be prepared only by conventional cooking methods.

Even though mirowavable products haven't been around long (the first micro cake mix, for instance, was introduced by Pillsbury in late '86), we are already seeing the products' second generation.

ORIGINALLY, MANUFACTUERES rushed into this new market with pretty much the same foods they had previously sold as TV dinners, repackaged in materials suitable for either conventional or microwave cooking.

That spelled the end of the familiar compartmented aluminum TV-dinner tray (the Smithsonian Institution eulogized it by adding one to its exhibit of Americana in 1987), but it didn't end the turkey, dressing with gravy, buttered peas and whipped potatoes kind of meal Americans in a hurry have been eating since the mid-'50s.

With certain foods, this approach was successful. With others, there was some loss of overall appeal.

And in some instances, it simply didn't work. The big problem usually was texture rather than taste — sauced dishes (macaroni and cheese, chili, etc.) in which nothing is supposed to be crisp, generally did well, whereas mixed-texture foods (fried fish and chicken, meat pies, etc.) didn't.

The second generation of microwave foods consists of dishes that have either been newly created for the new cooking medium or extensively reformulated.

Megan McNichols of the Campbell Microwave Institute in Camden, Mass., quotes brownies and fried chicken as examples. Campbell (maker, among many items, of Swanson brand foods) actually withdrew its popular brownie from the market until a new formula was worked out; the fried chicken got an entirely different breading.

Friedman acknowledges that micro foods have come a long way in a short time, and he thinks they'll go a lot further. We are still, he says, in the black-and-white TV stage of this technology, but color's on the way.

THE TERM "susceptor film" may not be a household word, but almost everybody who is not living in a log cabin on the tundra knows that the microwave popcorn being marketed now is good stuff. It pops quickly and evenly — thanks to susceptor packaging.

The same technology is responsible for pizza with a crisp crust (Pillsbury was in the forefront here), crispy Belgian waffles (Campbell) and several companies' much-improved "fried" fish offerings.

Cookbook author Thelma Pressman, who works with both food manufacturers and companies such as Du Pont in developing new products from her Encino, Calif., test kitchen, says that susceptor film, a metalized substance, will continue to make vast improvements in the texture of micro food.

Used both in the bottom of packages and for variously named crisping disks to be placed over the food during microwaving, this film can control how much and where heat is directed.

Properly applied, this technology has the potential of reducing, if not eliminating, an all-too-common flaw of these foods: Tops or outsides of dishes are overcooked or dry while centers are still cool or underdone.

Quality aside, critics of micro convenience foods often point to the higher price of these items. Most of them do cost more than their conventional counterparts.

Also, in many instances, portions are small. This is true of most one-serving side dishes, and many low-calorie dinners are, to some degree, low in calories because there isn't all that much food there.

Layered pizza pie is 'sky-high'

By NANCY BYAL
Associated Press

Now this is serious pizza: six robust layers stuffed between two wheat crusts. It's the kind of homey knife-and-fork pie that inspires the soul. I'll bet it becomes your family's first request on pizza nights. And what a dynamite midnight snack for a teen slumber party.

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1 cup ricotta cheese
¼ teaspoon garlic powder
¼ teaspoon dried oregano, crushed
1 8-ounce can pizza sauce
2 4-ounce cans sliced mushrooms, drained
6 ounces sliced Canadian-style bacon
¼ cup sliced pitted ripe olives

Thaw dough. Sprinkle a 12-inch pizza pan with cornmeal. Halve dough; roll half to a 10-inch circle. Transfer to pan. Roll remaining dough to an 11-inch circle. Sprinkle dough on pan with 1 cup of the Swiss cheese, leaving 1 inch around the edge.

Drain spinach well; put on top of cheese. Combine ½ cup of the Swiss cheese, ricotta cheese, garlic powder and oregano; spread over spinach, leaving 1 inch around edge. Top with ¼ cup of the pizza sauce. Reserve ¼ cup mushrooms; place remaining mushrooms on top of sauce. Top with bacon.

Position the 11-inch circle of dough over filling. Moisten edges and crimp together, pressing to seal. Make eight 2-inch steam slits in top crust. Cover outer 2 inches of crust with foil.

Bake in a 400-degree oven for 10 minutes. Reduce temperature to 350 degrees; bake 1 hour more or until golden brown. Remove foil. Spread remaining pizza sauce on top. Sprinkle with reserved mushrooms, remaining Swiss cheese and olives. Bake 5 minutes more. Cut into wedges to serve. Makes 8 servings.

Garden vegetables in homemade soup

NEW YORK (AP) — It's harvest time for millions of Americans who tend backyard gardens. What do you do with all that zucchini, cauliflower, peppers and corn? One of the best ways to feature jewels from your backyard garden is in a warming soup.

This recipe for Backyard Garden Vegetable Soup, provided by the Campbell Soup Co., blends the flavors of zucchini, cauliflower, red or green pepper and corn in a base of condensed chicken broth and sliced onion.

If you don't have a garden, you can use produce from the local market. Make extra batches of this warming soup to share with friends and neighbors.

BACKYARD GARDEN VEGETABLE SOUP

2 medium onions, thinly sliced (2 cups)
2 tablespoons butter or margarine
2 teaspoons all-purpose flour
1 10¾-ounce can condensed chicken broth
1 soup can of water
1 cup sliced cauliflower broken into flowerets
½ cup whole kernel corn
½ cup chopped sweet red or green pepper
½ cup zucchini, cut in thin strips
Dash ground red pepper

In a 2-quart saucepan over medium heat cook onion in hot butter until golden and tender, about 15 minutes, stirring occasionally.

Stir in flour. Cook 1 minute, stirring constantly.

Gradually stir in chicken broth and water. Add remaining ingredients. Heat to boiling. Reduce heat to low. Simmer 10 minutes. Makes about 4 cups or 3 servings.

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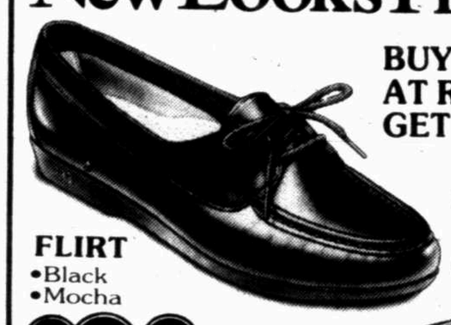
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Soup requires sporadic time

N.Y. Times News Service

Not everyone in a household wants to watch football games on Sunday. For those looking for an excuse to wander in and out, nothing beats cooking.

A slow-simmering soup is the perfect ploy for the less-than-dedicated television viewer. It requires sporadic attention, providing a reason to leave the television viewing room as often as the cook desires.

What makes the soup appealing is that by the time the games are over, dinner is ready. What makes it irresistible is that it also provides dinner for one weekday evening.

It is generally agreed that most hot soups taste better the second day, so if you are just looking for an excuse to cook, you can make this soup on Sunday for Monday and Thursday.

If you plan to serve the soup a second or third day, reserve some of the leftover liquid, which can be used to thin it.

If you are not going to use the soup at one meal, adjust the amount of sausage that is cooked.

SUNDAY BLACK-BEAN SOUP

1 pound dried black beans
½ pound bacon, preferably nitrite-free
3 cups chicken stock
1 to 2 tablespoons canola or corn oil
4 coarsely chopped carrots
3 coarsely chopped onions
3 coarsely chopped celery ribs
½ to 1 fresh jalapeno pepper or 1 3½- to 4-ounce can mild jalapenos, minced
3 finely chopped garlic cloves
1 teaspoon ground cumin
Salt to taste
1 pound spicy sausage
1 cup dry sherry
Juice from ½ to 1 lime
5 tablespoons chopped fresh cilantro, optional

To soak beans quickly, cover them with generous amount of water, cover pot, bring water to boil and boil 2 minutes. Remove cover and allow beans to sit in the liquid for one hour. Drain.

Meanwhile, slice meaty part of bacon from fat. Discard fat.

When beans are ready to cook, add meaty bacon to beans along with chicken stock and enough water to cover generously; cover and bring to a boil. Reduce heat and simmer.

In hot oil, saut'e carrots, onions, celery, jalapeno, garlic and cumin until onions are golden. When vegetables are ready, add to pot of beans. If there is not enough water, add more. Cook beans 1½ to 2 hours, or until tender. Season with salt, if desired.

Just before beans are ready, cook sausage; slice into small chunks.

Drain the bean mixture and reserve cooking liquid. Puree beans and vegetables, using some of the reserved liquid to make a thick soup. Return to cooking pot. Stir in sherry and lime juice. Add more reserved liquid, if necessary, and reheat to serve.

Divide sausage chunks among bowls, and spoon soup into each bowl. Sprinkle with cilantro.

If you want to make a complete meal out of the soup, either serve larger portions, add rice to the bowl to make a stew or round out the meal with some crusty bread.

DEAR ABBY

Teen's 'caring' girlfriend seems not to care for him

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I am an 18-year-old guy. I've been out with many girls, but the girl I now date is very special to me. She's 17. We've gone together for six months.

My problem lies in her current behavior. She says it would be better if we didn't see each other "for a while," as she has had some minor personal problems. She lost her cat — the cat just wandered off and was either stolen or just plain lost. Also, she needs more time to do her homework, help her mother, and try to comfort her girlfriend who just broke up with her boyfriend. Also, she needs her rest.

I realize that this shows that she is a very caring person, but are these reasons enough for her not to see me for a while? (I suspect there is another guy, but when I asked her, she said no.)

It's been a week since I've seen her, and I miss her. Should I call her? Should I wait for her to call me? What should I do? — CARING AND CONCERNED

DEAR C AND C: Face it. The girl wants to cool it, so don't call her. When someone gives you five reasons for something, chances are not one of those reasons is the real one.

Assume a "manly" posture and pretend she doesn't exist. Trust me. You've nothing to lose. Ask some other girl out. Write again in 90 days and let me know what's happening.

DEAR ABBY: When my children were younger, we ate our meals together at the kitchen table. Because of changing lifestyles and schedules (divorce, the teens working different hours, microwave ovens, etc.) our mealtime gradually evolved into taking our plates to the living room to eat on our laps in front of the TV.

Last week, I commented about how it was a shame we didn't eat at the table like "normal" people anymore. Everyone laughed, and said our eating habits ARE normal — that most families today do eat in front of the television. I argued the point, and they said, "Ask Dear Abby — she'll find out."

So what do you say — are we the majority or the minority? — SINGLE MOM IN TOWNSEND, WASH.

DEAR MOM: I'll try. Readers: Do you eat your meals together as a family at one table? Or do you eat in front of the television with your plates in your laps? Teachers: Poll your classes! Reply by postcard to: Dear Abby, P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, Calif. 90069.

DEAR ABBY: I am a grandmother who needs your opinion. Should I charge my daughter for baby-sitting my grandchild?

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My daughter tells me that I am the only grandmother she has ever heard of who charges for baby-sitting her own grandchild. Abby, do you think I'm wrong to charge?

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Fall: Feast at football parties

By CHARLES BRITTON
Copley News Service

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Football season parties, whether held at the stadium or in the family room, are perfect ways to entertain autumn guests.

There is something about fall that says it's time to have a picnic.

Maybe it's the way the days grow shorter, reminding us that if we are ever going to put that outing project together, we had better do it while the weather remains reliable.

Or maybe it's the fact that football season is upon us, offering us the possibility of sitting on hard stadium seats, shouting ourselves hoarse — and indulging in that most hilarious of all picnics, the tailgate party.

Compared to the standard picnic in the boscage, staying close to the car offers a lot of advantages. We don't have to cart the food very far, so we can indulge in more elaborate dishes than the standard sandwiches. Nowadays you can get portable grills, hibachis and even tailgate-size gas-fueled cookers. Of course, nothing stops you from cooking everything in advance in the classic style.

The picnic basket has returned with a few new features. Some have special openings to hold wine bottles with ease, while others come complete with bone china, cutlery and table linen. Coolers, chillers and ice buckets in dozens of sizes, shapes, weights and materials are stock items at every outlet, from Woolworth to Abercrombie & Fitch.

The nice thing about using a station wagon tailgate or a reasonable facsimile as your picnic venue is that you can bring along civilized folding tables and chairs. With nice flat surfaces to depend on, you can use real glasses and dishes, although the prudent still will look to plastic.

As a matter of fact, nothing prevents you from staying at home and serving your picnic on a patio table or in the family room while you watch the day's game on the tube. The food will probably taste just as good — well, almost — and if you don't tell, neither will I.

We have two menus for a tailgate party or picnic par excellence, the recipes for which come from the collection food stylist Suzanne Kimball. No more soggy sandwiches and store-bought salad. Our tablecloth will be graced by:

MENU ONE
Grilled Chicken Paillards
Bell Pepper-Sweet Onion Relish
Caponata
Lemon Pound Cake

MENU TWO
Marinated Pork Loin
Potato Salad with Green Beans and Olives
Cantaloupe
Selma's Cookies

Paillards of chicken — flattened boneless breasts — are delicious with the Bell Pepper-Sweet Onion Relish and require very short cooking time. Ideally, they would be done on the spot on a portable grill. But they are equally good prepared in advance and served cold.

The Caponata can be made as early as two or three days before an outing. An array of fresh fruit and classic lemon pound cake complete the menu.

The second menu calls for a marinated pork tenderloin that can be oven cooked and carried along to serve at room temperature or grilled on the spot; either way, it's hearty and delicious.

GRILLED CHICKEN PAILLARDS WITH ROSEMARY

8 to 12 boneless, skinless chicken breast halves
1 clove garlic, crushed
1 teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon freshly ground black pepper
2 tablespoons lemon juice
½ cup olive oil
1 teaspoon Dijon-style mustard
1 tablespoon fresh rosemary, finely minced, or ½ tablespoon dried

Place boneless breasts, 1 at a time, between sheets of plastic and pound with a mallet or rolling pin until quite flat.

Combine remaining ingredients in unbreakable container with tight lid that is large enough to hold all chicken. Spread or toss marinade over paillards, coating both sides. Refrigerate until picnic time. To cook, place on grill over hot coals, turning after 2 minutes. Check for doneness after another 2 minutes. Do not overcook.

Alternatively, cook paillards for same amount of time under hot broiler in your kitchen. Let them cool before wrapping for trip. Keep on ice.

BELL PEPPER-SWEET ONION RELISH

1 cucumber
½ teaspoon salt
2 red bell peppers, seeded and diced
1 large sweet onion, chopped
½ teaspoon freshly ground black pepper
6 tablespoons minced cilantro

Peel or score cucumber with fork. Cut in half lengthwise, cutting off and discarding ends. With teaspoon, scoop out seeds and slice thinly. Sprinkle with salt. Put in plate or soup bowl and cover with equal-size plate weighted down with something heavy (like bricks or the blender) while chopping peppers and onion. Press liquid from cucumbers and combine all ingredients. Chill.

CAPONATA

3 medium eggplants pared, cut into ½-inch dice
¼ cup coarse salt
½ cup olive oil
3 medium onions, sliced
3 cloves garlic, minced
4 stalks celery
½ cup tomato sauce
½ cup capers
12 green olives, pitted and chopped
2 tablespoons pine nuts
⅓ cup wine vinegar
3 tablespoons sugar
½ teaspoon freshly ground black pepper

Combine eggplant and salt in mixing bowl. Let stand, stirring occasionally, for 30 minutes. Transfer to colander and rinse thoroughly under cold running water. Squeeze eggplant dry with hands and drain on paper towels. Set aside.

Heat oil in heavy skillet and saute onions, garlic and celery. Cook for 5 minutes and add tomato sauce. Simmer, covered, over low heat for 10 minutes. Add remaining ingredients and eggplant. Continue to simmer until eggplant is very tender. Correct seasonings. Chill. Serve cold or at room temperature.

LEMON POUND CAKE

2 cups flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
½ teaspoon salt
1 stick butter or ½ cup vegetable oil
1 cup sugar
4 eggs
½ cup milk
1 tablespoon lemon juice
1 tablespoon grated lemon zest (yellow part of peel)
Confectioners' sugar (optional)

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Combine flour, baking powder and salt. Set aside.

In large bowl, cream butter and sugar. Add eggs 1 at a time, beating after each addition. Fold in flour mixture, milk, lemon juice and zest, mixing only enough to combine well. Pour into oiled and floured bread pan and bake until done — approximately 1 hour. Unmold and dust top with confectioners' sugar if desired.

This recipe appeared in Cook's Magazine several years ago.

MARINATED PORK LOIN

1 boneless center-cut pork loin, 3 to 3½ pounds, tied
6 cloves garlic
2 cups tawny port
½ cup dark brown sugar
½ cup soy sauce
2 tablespoons dry mustard
1 teaspoon hot chili oil or pinch cayenne

With sharp knife or skewer, poke holes all over roast at 2-inch intervals. Place in glass or plastic container.

Crush garlic and combine with rest of ingredients. Pour over pork and allow to marinate 1 to 2 days, refrigerated, turning occasionally.

To oven cook: Preheat oven to 425 degrees. Drain pork and reserve marinade. Put in small roasting pan and roast at 425 degrees for 20 minutes, turning several times to brown all sides. Reduce temperature to 375 degrees and roast 30 minutes longer until done. (Internal temperature at thickest part should be 160 to 170 degrees.)

Make sauce by placing reserved marinade in heavy saucepan and simmering until reduced to about ¾ cup. Strain and cool. If cooking meat at picnic, make sauce ahead from some of marinade and bring along in plastic container.

To grill: Build indirect fire in grill with dome cover. Pile coals about 4 deep around edges but not directly under where meat will be placed. If desired, when coals are red-hot, place 4 cups soaked and drained hickory chips on fire. Put meat on, cover grill and cook until thickest part of roast registers 160 to 170 degrees, about 45 minutes to 1 hour.

POTATO SALAD WITH GREEN BEANS AND OLIVES

3 pounds new potatoes, sliced or cubed
1 pound green beans, cut diagonally into 1-inch lengths
¾ cup olive oil
⅓ cup dry white wine
2 tablespoons wine vinegar
1 teaspoon Dijon-style mustard
1 teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon freshly ground black pepper
1 small onion, finely chopped
3 tablespoons parsley, chopped
2 teaspoons minced fresh thyme or summer savory
½ cup oil-cured black olives

Boil potatoes in salted water until tender, about 10 minutes. Drain.

Boil or steam beans until crisp-tender, about 2 minutes. Drain.

Combine oil, wine, vinegar, mustard, salt and pepper. Toss beans and potatoes with oil mixture while still hot. Add remaining ingredients and toss again.

Sweets made for Sweetest Day celebration

NEW YORK (AP) — Sweetest Day, Oct. 21, is for remembering those who have made you happy. Celebrate with these recipes from Hershey's Cocoa.

FUDGE CUT-OUTS

¼ cup butter or margarine, melted
½ cup cocoa
1¾ cups sugar
1 cup marshmallow creme
¾ cup evaporated milk
2 tablespoons butter or margarine
1 teaspoon vanilla extract

Line 9-inch square pan with lightly-buttered aluminum foil. In medium boil blend melted butter and cocoa until smooth; set aside. In heavy 3-quart saucepan combine sugar, marshmallow creme, evaporated milk and 2 tablespoons butter. Cook over medium heat, stirring constantly, until mixture comes to full boil.

Boil, stirring constantly, to 234 degrees on a candy thermometer (soft-ball stage) or until syrup, when dropped into very cold water, forms soft ball that flattens when removed from water. (Bulb of candy thermometer should not rest on bottom of saucepan.)

Remove from heat; immediately stir into cocoa mixture. Add vanilla; do not stir. Cool at room temperature 15 minutes without stirring. Working quickly, beat with wooden spoon just until mixture loses its gloss. Immediately spread into prepared pan. Cool.

Remove from pan to cutting board; peel off foil. Cut fudge.

HEAVENLY HEART CAKES

6 tablespoons butter or margarine, softened
¾ cup sugar
1 egg
½ teaspoon vanilla extract
1 cup all-purpose flour
⅓ cup cocoa
½ teaspoon baking soda
¼ teaspoon salt
⅔ cup water
Fudge Frosting (recipe follows)

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Line bottom of 13x9x2-inch baking pan with wax paper. In small mixer bowl beat butter and sugar until creamy. Beat in egg and vanilla.

In separate bowl, combine flour, cocoa, baking soda and salt. Add flour mixture alternately with ⅔ cup water to creamed mixture. Pour into prepared pan. Bake 15 to 20 minutes or until wooden pick inserted in the center comes out clean. Cool 10 minutes. Remove from pan; carefully peel off wax paper. Cool completely.

Cut with heart-shaped cookie cutter (3¼ inches in diameter). Spread top of each piece with frosting. Decorate as desired.

FUDGE FROSTING

3 tablespoons margarine
¼ cup cocoa
1½ cups confectioners' sugar
3 tablespoons milk
½ teaspoon vanilla extract

Melt butter in small saucepan over low heat. Add cocoa; stir until mixture is smooth. Pour mixture into small mixer bowl. Cool. Add confectioners' sugar alternately with milk, beating to spreading consistency. Blend in vanilla.

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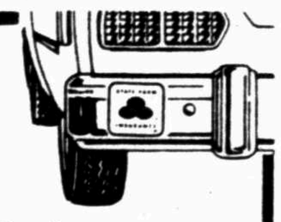
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Baseball takes back seat to Mother Nature

Fields examined today; Vincent mum on options

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — The World Series, the apple of the Bay area's civic eye, is in doubt in the wake of an earthquake that smashed San Francisco and Oakland just moments before the scheduled beginning of Game 3.

With over 200 dead, 400 injured and massive destruction throughout the area, the World Series became of secondary interest to communities that had been savoring the first-ever Bay area playoff for baseball's top prize.

Tuesday's game was ordered postponed by Commissioner Fay Vincent a few minutes after 60,000-seat Candlestick Park, site of the largest concentration of people at that time in the Bay area, was shaken by an earthquake that measured 6.9 on the Richter scale. The game was set back to tonight, but there was considerable doubt whether it could or would be played in the stadium on Candlestick Point. Baseball officials said an inspection of the stadium was their first concern, to determine if it is structurally sound for use by the San Francisco Giants and Oakland Athletics.

Because of the havoc caused by the quake — roadways collapsed, gas mains split and erupted in flames, and power was out — baseball didn't even have the luxury of saying the Series could be continued by moving it to the Oakland Coliseum across the bay. The physical status of that stadium was unknown as darkness descended on the area Tuesday night.

Since the first game was played in 1903, no World Series contest has ever been postponed except for weather. Even as two world wars caused cancellation of other pro and college sports, baseball continued despite rosters depleted by players serving military obligations.

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"There's going to be a full structural engineering check of the entire stadium. That means getting people from San Francisco Recreation and Parks, the county and major league baseball officials. We will do an in-depth structural examination of every section of this ballpark," Jorge Costa, vice president for stadium operations, said.

"The determination on what we'll do will be made as soon as we can do that examination. We have been trying to contact the necessary people. But we've been unable to get through to them.

"We lost all power in the stadium and all backup power. We lost all water, too. We've had earthquakes before, obviously, but not an earthquake of this magnitude."

National League president Bill White said there had been consideration given already to moving the Series to a neutral site if both stadiums prove to be unsafe.

"They're talking about warm weather cities," White said. "I think there's something in the rules covering alternate cities. No one knows at this point. This is the first time something like this has happened."

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AP Laserphoto

Members of the Oakland Athletics wander around the field minutes after the third game of the World Series was postponed.

Lady Coogs drop MHS into tie; Lee spikers lose in straight sets

By BILL PRICE
Sports Writer

Cast in the role of a spoiler after dropping a District 4-5A volleyball match Saturday at Odessa High, the Abilene Cooper Lady Cougars marched into second-place Midland High's gymnasium Tuesday night and played with a vengeance, downing the Lady Bulldogs 15-9, 15-11.

The loss puts MHS, now 6-3 in 4-5A and 11-8 overall, into a second-place tie with Abilene High, which defeated Midland Lee Tuesday 15-12, 15-9. In another 4-5A match, Odessa High beat San Angelo 9-15, 15-12, 18-16. League-leading Odessa Permian was open. In junior varsity play, MHS fared better with a 15-5, 15-12 win over Cooper.

"We have struggled a lot this year, but I knew we were capable of playing the way we did tonight," said Cooper coach Beth Wills, who saw her team fall to the Lady 'Dogs 15-5, 15-9 Sept. 23 in Abilene. "They gave us more free balls this time than they did the last time we played them. Of course, that may have been because we were hitting better tonight."

The Lady Cougars used strong hitting and serving throughout the match, and were paced by 1988 all-district player Holly McMillon, a 5-9 senior who recorded five kills and an ace.

"She probably played her worst match ever Saturday against Odessa, so I think that may have been some incentive for her to play well against Midland," Wills said. "She's a strong hitter and a good server too."

The match's scoring opened on McMillon's ace in the first game, and Cooper slowly but surely pulled away from MHS and built a 9-5 lead

Brian Adamcik/Reporter-Telegram

Midland High's Anita Montez bumps a ball in Tuesday's match.

by the time Lady 'Dog head coach Sonja Pittman called her first timeout.

The break did MHS little good, however, as the Lady Cougars scored three quick points when play resumed to built a seven-point bulge. MHS was able to salvage but two more scores before an ace by Cooper senior Kelly Huff ended the first set.

The Lady 'Dogs opened the second game with renewed vigor and opened a 2-0 lead with senior Effie Freeman serving. MHS ultimately lead 4-1 before Elisa Hubbard's kill gave the Lady Cougars the service. Cooper took full advantage of the possession, scoring five consecutive points to take a 6-4 edge.

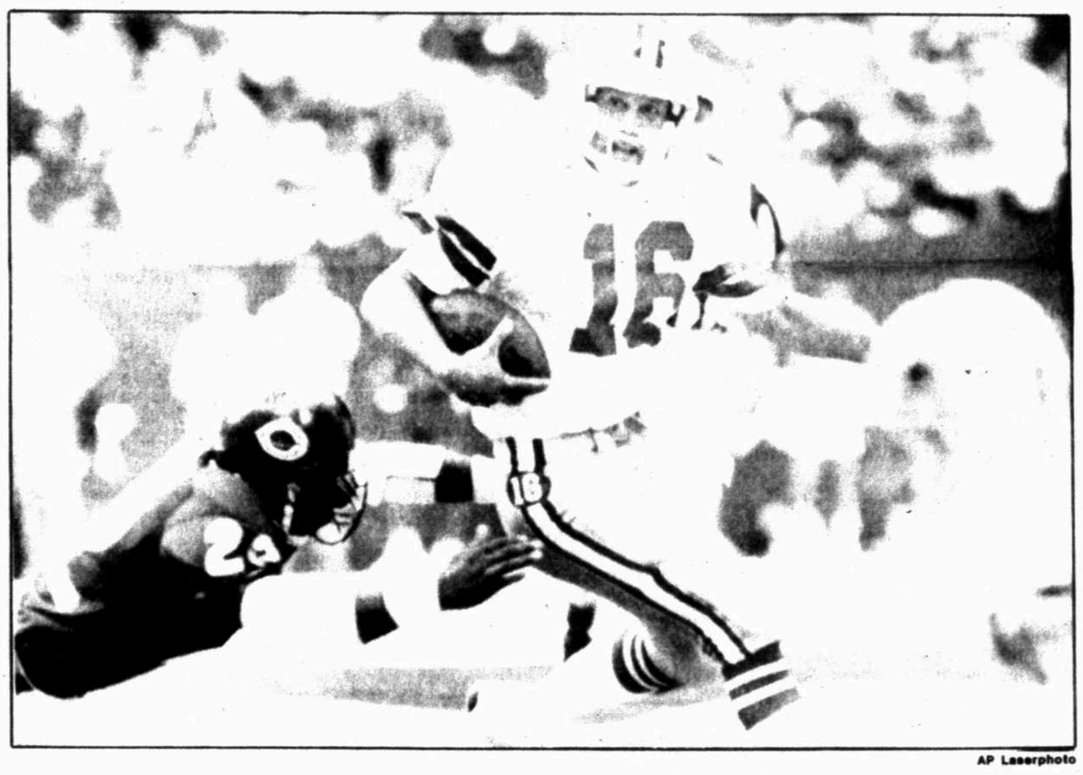
The Lady 'Dogs, led by the diving defensive play of 5-10 senior Cindy Offield, climbed back into a tie at 7-7. MHS, hoping to force a third game, went on top 9-7 but allowed Cooper to come back and tie the affair at 9-all. Again the Lady 'Dogs took the lead at 11-10, only to see the Lady Cougars go ahead for good at 12-11. Kills by McMillon and Huff sealed the win for Cooper.

"We may have put too much pressure on ourselves at the start of this year. But after Saturday, the pressure was off and we really began to play well. It's a little too late in the season, but it still feels good," Wills said.

"I think Cooper played a great match," Pittman said. "They are one of the best teams we have played this year, and I felt that way after we played them the first time. I don't think their record speaks for the quality of team they have.

"But anytime you're a front runner like we are, everybody's out to beat you. They are in a situation where they've got nothing to lose. And they're more aware of what we can do after beating them once.

"Maybe we allowed them to play better than they did in the first match, but I don't want to take anything away from Cooper."



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Disgruntled quarterback Steve Pelluer, shown in a 1988 photo, finally got his wish for a trade.

Cowboys continue to make deals

IRVING (AP) — If Jerry Jones ever tires of owning the Dallas Cowboys, he would be a good candidate for host on "Wheel of Fortune."

Since he bought the Cowboys in February, Valley Ranch has been a revolving door of management personnel and players.

When the NFL trade deadline loomed on Tuesday, the Cowboys' headquarters had all the activity of a stockbroker's office.

The Cowboys wheeled and dealed two players and a draft pick and in return got a player and four draft picks.

Holdout quarterback Steve Pelluer, a former starter who didn't get along with the new regime, was traded to the Kansas City Chiefs Tuesday for draft picks in the 1990 and 1991 seasons.

The Cowboys, who traded Herschel Walker to Minnesota last week for five players and seven draft picks, also picked up running back Paul Palmer from the Detroit Lions for a 10th round pick in 1990.

Just minutes before the trading deadline, the Cowboys traded running back Darrin Nelson, obtained in the Walker trade, to the San Diego Chargers for Minnesota's sixth round pick in 1990 and the Vikings' second round pick in 1991, activated by conditions in the Walker trade. Minnesota got a fifth round, 1990 pick from San Diego.

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TERRY WILLIAMSON

It's time for 7:30 p.m. kickoffs

The Midland High at Wichita Falls Rider game last Friday was a non-conference contest, but it should serve notice to the rest of District 4-5A. It's high time we moved high school football games to 7:30 p.m. starts.

Williamson

The MHS-Rider game was not over until 11 p.m. Rarely has a game anywhere with an 8 p.m. start been over before 10:30 p.m. Fans are beginning to complain, and with good reason.

There are several reasons why games are lasting so long. It started this decade when the clock was stopped every time a team made a first down. This rule forced longer games.

In itself, this is a good rule. It allows first down chains to be set and additional time for teams to run designed plays late in a game when the clock is running down without spending a timeout. It still does increase the length of a game.

Also, halftime performances have stretched to the 40-minute mark in at least three games this year. This was not the problem in the MHS-Rider game, however, since the Midland High band didn't even make the trip.

And this is not to say that band performances should be cut short. All those shows were worth the 40 minutes spent even though they go beyond the 20 minutes the UIL recommends for halftime.

Officiating had more to do with the length of the MHS-Rider game than moving chains or bands. Almost 200 yards were assessed in penalties. That's another area that can't be controlled.

But the fact remains that games across the state are getting longer and longer. This puts a burden on the fan who travels out of town for a contest when he knows he is going to be getting a late start home.

For years, this district has fought the 7:30 p.m. starts because of the distance involved between competing cities. One cry has been that fans can't get to a 7:30 p.m. game by leaving at 5 p.m. after work and we would lose a lot of those fans if we had the 7:30 p.m. starts.

It's been my experience, however, that only a few hit the highways after 5 p.m. Most leave in time to eat prior to the game. There are so few who travel out of town for football games who can't leave early that it is a huge minority.

The other excuse is that it might require kids to miss school with 7:30 p.m. starts. There is no city in the district which can't be reached by just missing the final period of the day, and most of the time that isn't required. Football actually misses less school days than most other sports under UIL directives.

Rather than placing a crackdown on bands, officials and cops chasing home irate fans late at night, let's move to 7:30 p.m. starts and make 95 percent of the fans happy instead of a 50-50 split on the issue.

It does not look like games are going to get shorter. For instance, Odessa High and Abilene Cooper (in a 35-31 game) played nearly to 11 p.m. Friday. The MHS-Lee game, the OHS-Lee game and the MHS-Lubbock Coronado contests were all closing in on the three-hour mark.

There seems to be no reason to stick to traditional 8 p.m. starts when it makes more sense for everyone involved to move to 7:30 p.m. MHS nearly got to see the sun rise before getting back from Wichita Falls.

Let's hope the District 4-5A Executive Committee doesn't let the sun set on this issue, or a lot of us are going to be seeing the sun rise before all is said and done.

Terry Williamson is sports editor of the Reporter-Telegram.

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TV Sports...

BASEBALL — World Series, Game 4, Oakland Athletics at San Francisco Giants, 7 p.m., ABC.

HOCKEY — Philadelphia Flyers at New Jersey Devils, 6:30 p.m., HSE.

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"We have five guys who are going to play in the most important game of their lives who don't even know where they are," — former North Carolina State University basketball manager John Simonds on the eve of the 1987 Atlantic Coast Conference tournament after finding out that some Wolfpack had been smoking marijuana.

Trivia Teaser...

Wednesday's Question — Who holds the major league record for hitting into double plays?

Tuesday's Answer — Paul McDonald was the lefty QB who finished up with the Cowboys after six years in Cleveland earlier this decade.

Trivia Teaser...

1953 — Woodley Lewis of the Los Angeles Rams has 120 yards in punt returns, including a 78-yard touchdown return, and 174 yards in kickoff returns in a 31-19 victory over the Detroit Lions.

1989 — Mike Adamle rushes for 316 yards as Northwestern beats Wisconsin 27-7.

1977 — Reggie Jackson hits three consecutive home runs, all on the first pitch, to lead the Yankees to the World Championship over Los Angeles in six games.

1980 — Jim McMahon of Brigham Young passes for 485 yards in a 70-46 victory over Utah St.

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Oakland Athletics pitcher Storm Davis takes a baby from the Candlestick Park stands following Tuesday's earthquake that rocked the San Francisco Bay area.

Quake puts Series in place for players

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — It was just a short time before Game 3 of the World Series and Terry Kennedy was playing catch on the sidelines.

The weather, for Candlestick Park, was just about perfect and a capacity crowd of about 60,000 was settling in for the first World Series game in San Francisco since 1962.

"Dusty Baker yelled, 'Earthquake!' But I thought it was a joke," Kennedy said. "I thought he was trying to break the tension."

But in an instant, the Giants catcher knew something was very wrong.

"I looked at the first base dugout and it was moving," Kennedy said. "Then I felt the ground rumble."

At about 5:05 p.m. PDT, a major earthquake hit the Bay area and Candlestick Park.

"I knew it was bad and the first thing I did was look for my wife," Kennedy said. "I spotted her and rushed over.

"A lot of players had their families here, mothers, sisters, brothers. I think everyone looked into the stands to see if they were OK."

The first major jolt lasted only about 10-15 seconds and there was no real time to panic.

The nearly 60,000 in the stands, and the Giants and A's on the field, were just stunned.

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A section in the upper stands in right field of Candlestick separated by about six inches, and several cracks ran down the concrete aisle and broke off. Some fans carried chunks of the stadium away as souvenirs.

"The people two to three rows in front of me had big pieces of metal several inches long fall on their heads," David Guzzetti, a city council member from Chico, Calif., said. "The light towers were just rocking back and forth. I couldn't believe it."

Oakland manager Tony La Russa was sitting in the dugout and thought at first the rolling motion "was the fans stamping" their feet.

"I heard (Giants batting coach) Dusty Baker yell, 'Earthquake!' " San Francisco catcher Terry Kennedy said. "I thought he was kidding and just trying to keep things loose.

"I knew something was wrong when I saw the first base dugout moving," Kennedy said. "My first thought was to look for my wife in the stands."

The catcher said the initial reaction by players of both teams was nervous laughter and remarks. But the seriousness of the situation became clear when the field started to rumble.

TRADE

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The picks for Pelluer were believed to be a third round pick in 1990 and a second in 1991 that might become a number one depending on the performance of the five-year veteran, who was a fifth round pick out of Washington in 1984. The Cowboys wouldn't confirm what they received.

Pelluer had been on the trading block all year and at one time nixed a deal that would have sent him to the Atlanta Falcons.

In the midst of the Atlanta talks, Pelluer changed agents from Joe Courrage to Leigh Steinberg, and the Falcons backed out when Steinberg tried to improve the deal tentatively worked out by Courrage.

On Tuesday, the Cowboys signed Pelluer, then traded him to Kansas City to beat the 3 p.m. NFL trading deadline.

Dallas coach Jimmy Johnson said the 1990 draft pick is "solid" and the 1991 selection depends on Pelluer's performance.

"Kansas City is where Steve wanted to play and it's a good thing for Steve and the picks will help us in the next couple of years," Johnson said. "The total package we got for Steve could be better than the one offered by Atlanta which included a player. It worked out well for us and it worked out well for Steve. He has new life with a team he wants to play for."

Pelluer, whose new contract terms were not disclosed, will practice with Kansas City this week but isn't expected to play against the Cowboys when Dallas tries to snap their winless streak this Sunday at Arrowhead Stadium. Instead, former Cowboys' quarterback Steve DeBerg will start for the Chiefs.

The Cowboys went after Palmer because Nelson said he didn't want to play in Dallas.

3rd game starters face delay

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Don Robinson and Bob Welch didn't expect to be pitching in Game 3 of the World Series today.

But then again, nobody expected what happened on Tuesday.

A major earthquake rocked the Bay area about 30 minutes before the start of Game 3.

"I don't know what I'm thinking right now," Robinson said. "I'm just glad to be alive. It could have been terrible."

For the remainder of the World Series, it will be hard to think much about baseball.

It was the worst quake in San Francisco since 1906, when the city was virtually wiped off the map.

Engineers were to determine if there would be a Game 3 tonight. There were some cracks in the upper deck in the outfield.

If Candlestick is determined to be safe, there will be a Game 3 and Robinson will pitch for San Francisco against Welch for Oakland.

"Whatever happens, this is going to be difficult," Welch said. "It appears a lot of people were hurt."

Oakland leads the best-of-7 Series 2-0. A team has never rallied from a 3-0 deficit. But all of a sudden, this World Series is more about rallying from tragedy and sorrow.

If the game is played, Robinson will go to the mound burdened by a sore right knee.

Robinson was mad when Manager Roger Craig chose Mike LaCoss to start Game 3 of the National League playoffs, but the manager was concerned that Robinson wouldn't make it very far.

That concern still exists.

"We'll wait and see what happens," Craig said. "I see no reason why he can't go out a throw 85 to 100 pitches. The one thing about Don Robinson is he's got the perfect makeup for a pitcher — he's a great competitor, and he'll battle you all the way."

Welch is 19-4 lifetime against the Giants, and 6-0 at Candlestick Park, marks registered when he pitched for the Los Angeles Dodgers.

"I think everyone will be affected by this for a couple of days," Welch said. "It was a great week for the Bay area and now it's gone."

Woman cherishes Landry letter

SHERMAN (AP) — Cornelia Hay says her love affair with football began in 1927.

"Sherman didn't win state that year, but we came close," Miss Hay, 79, said.

"That's when I started watching football."

Miss Hay, who taught at Sherman's Washington Elementary from 1944 to 1975 ("and loved it, just loved it"), says that — over the years — she saw many thrilling games.

But no game thrilled her more than the plain, white envelope that arrived in her mail Tuesday.

In it was a one-page letter from former Dallas Cowboys coach Tom Landry.

"Surprised? Yes! Why, I've loved football all my life. I have never been able to do much athletically, and I guess that's why I love it so," Miss Hay said.

She's rooted for many teams over the years — Texas University, Texas Christian, Alabama.

"Then, Dallas got professional ball."

And the Cowboys became her team.

"Tom Landry? I'll tell you why I like him: He's a good Christian man and a good football man. He knows what to do and just when to do it."

She liked him so much that when she wrote the Cowboy's Valley Ranch last year and they sent her a photograph of Landry, she tacked the picture on the front door of her apartment for all the world to see.

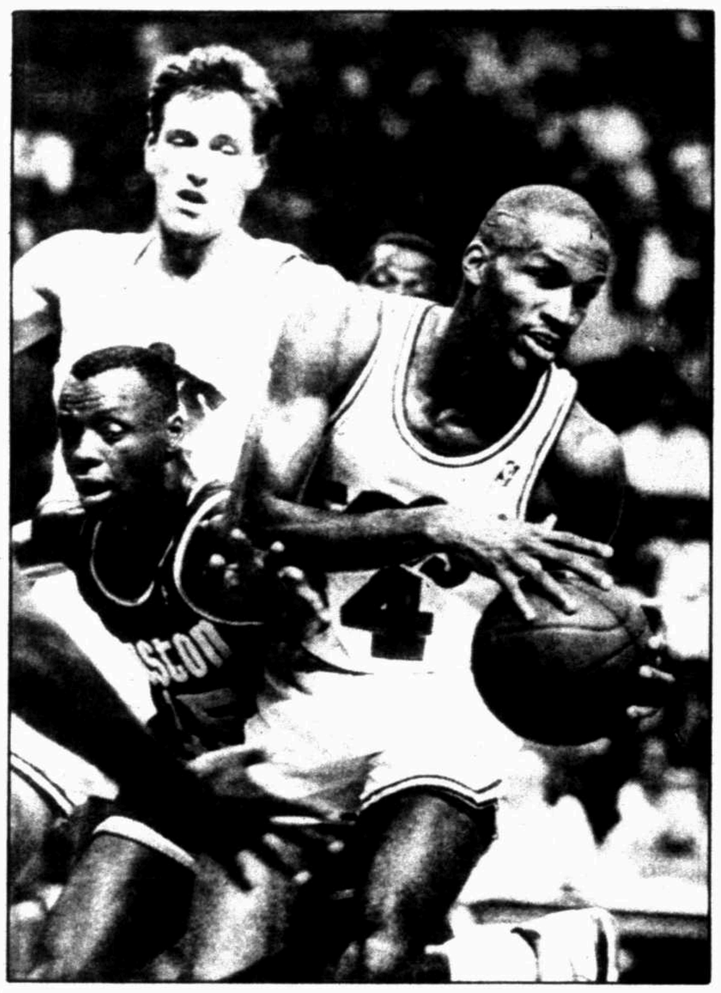
She didn't take it down when he was fired, either.

She was so upset by the firing that she wrote a poem and fired it off to this newspaper. It read:

"Tom Landry is high on Apartment 1A door,
Jimmy Johnson is flat on the NFL floor,
It is a humbling experience for the two J.J.'s
While trying to find answers to the NFL ways."

Miss Hay didn't know this, but Sherman resident John Dannel — a student of Miss Hay's "about 40 years ago" — mailed the poem to Landry.

"Thought you needed to know about Miss Cornelia Hay of Sherman, Texas," Dannel said in a note to Landry.



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Cleveland Cavalier guard Ron Harper pulls the ball away from Houston Rocket Mitchell Wiggins during NBA exhibition action.

Trio leads Cavaliers

RICHFIELD, Ohio (AP) — Ron Harper, John Williams and Mark Price combined for 22 first-quarter points as the Cleveland Cavaliers built a 15-point lead on the way to a 114-93 exhibition victory over the Houston Rockets on Tuesday night.

Cleveland (1-1) and Houston (1-2) each played without their starting center. The Cavaliers' Brad Daugherty is out because of an August foot surgery and the Rockets' Akeem Olajuwon has an injured calf.

Harper and Williams each scored eight points and Price had six, helping Cleveland to a 35-20 lead after one quarter. The Cavs led 58-42 at the half and moved ahead by as many as 35 during the third quarter.

Harper scored 14 of his 22 points in the third period including a fast-break dunk that gave Cleveland its biggest lead at 91-56.

Derrick Chievous led the Rockets with 15 points, but nine of those came in the fourth quarter, long after the game was decided. Tom Domako scored 12 of his 14 points in the fourth quarter, and Tim McCormick also finished with 14.

Craig Ehlo had 16 and Williams 14 for the Cavs.

MC golfers look west for tourney

From Staff Reports

Midland College golfers are looking toward New Mexico Friday for their second Western Junior College Athletic Conference action. The five conference teams are gathering in Roswell for the tourney hosted by New Mexico Military Institute on its own course.

After one WJCAC event, the Chaps are in second place behind leader Odessa College. Each competing college hosts one 27-hole event. Odessa had the first one in conjunction with its large Junior College Invitational last month at Mission Country Club. Midland College hosts its tournament Nov. 10 at Greentree Country Club, the last of the fall conference events.

MC's Andrew Coltart currently is the conference medalist leader by two strokes, but there are a number of golfers grouped closely behind him.

MC coach Delnor Poss is placing Coltart, Dean Robertson, C. J. Ebel, Mike Johnson, Mark Kochan, and Brad Wells in the field Friday. Robertson is sixth on the medalist list.

Teams receive five points for winning a tournament, four for second and down to one point for fifth place. Ties split the points. Currently the team standings are: Odessa College, 5 points; Midland College, 4; New Mexico Junior College, 3; New Mexico Military Institute, 2; and West Texas College, 1. Coltart has 105 strokes after the first tournament.

Quartet combines for Blue-Green win

From Staff Reports

The team of John Philbech, Doddie Redden, C.R. Moncrief and Bill Henry combined for a 124 to win the Second Annual Blues and Greens Tourney at Midland Country Club.

Two teams tied for second with the team of George Tope, Tom Welch, Carolyn Roden and Jim Hall winning a playoff.

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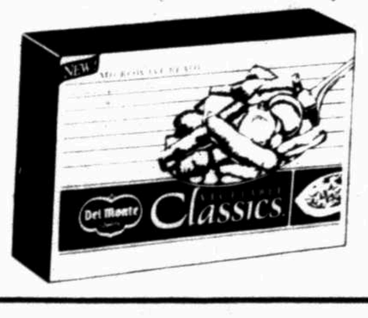

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West Texas Sports

Basketball...

The **Third Annual West Texas Basketball Shootout** will be held Nov. 10-11 at Howard College in Big Spring. Entry fee is $110 per team with a 16 team limit. Individual and team trophies awarded; first place team receives entry fee refund. Deadline for entries is Nov. 6. Contact Roy Green at 263-5655 or Willie Jones at 523-7371.

Odessa College basketball tickets are available weekdays from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the athletic director's office at the OC Sports Center. Season tickets are $45 for 10 home games and reserved seat tickets are for both men's and women's games. Call 335-6567...

Football...

University of Texas football film review with Texas coach James Blackwood every Tuesday following a UT game through Dec. 5 at 11:30 a.m. at Goodnight's Lounge in Midland Hilton. Lunch $7...

The **Midland High Booster Club** will meet at 7 p.m. each Tuesday throughout the football season. Meetings will be held at the Midland Youth Center.

Midland Lee Booster Club meets at 7:30 p.m. each Tuesday in the Lee Youth Center throughout the football season...

Red Raider Club breakfast set for 7 a.m. Oct. 20 at Green Tree Country Club. Texas Tech assistant coach John Paul Young will speak. Tickets $4. For more information, call 806-762-2000.

Rugby...

The **Midland-Odessa Mad Dog Rugby** team has begun practice for the fall and spring season. Anyone interested in playing rugby contact Bob or Phil at 689-8391, or Bob or Clint at 683-5158.

Golf...

The **R.K. Petroleum-West Texas Amateur Championship** is at Green Tree Country Club Oct. 28-29. Entry fee $100. Call 694-7726...

A **Night Golf Tournament** is scheduled for Nov. 3 at Hogan Park Golf Course. The two-person scramble will be played on nine holes and entry fees are $20 per person. Night-Lite balls will be provided. For more information, call 682-7891...

Soccer...

Season tickets are on sale for the **Permian Basin Shooting Stars** semi-professional indoor soccer team. The cost of all 12 home games, which will be played in Odessa's Ector County Coliseum, is $36. For more information, contact the Permian Basin Sports Club, P.O. Box 12681, 79768...

YMCA...

The **Big Bull Bench Press Contest** will be Nov. 11 at the Alamo YMCA. The event features eight weight classes beginning at 110 pounds. Weigh-in at 10:30 a.m. and competition at noon. For more information, call 694-2528...

The Second Annual **YMCA Race Walk** is set for an 8:30 a.m. start at Volunteer Park Oct. 21. Both 5K and one-mile races are scheduled. For more information, call Kathy Jensen at 682-2551...

Barbara Ayers of Austin will present the **Heel 'n Toe Race Walking Workshop** on Oct. 20-21. For more information, call Kathy Jensen at 682-2551...

Running..

Marathon Training Program for White Rock Marathon in December. Call 689-0646, 684-5531 or 682-2551...

The **Third Annual Red Hot Chili Pot Trot** is set for Oct. 21. The event features eight- and two-mile races, along with a four-mile race/walk. Entry fees received before Oct. 16 are $10, $12 before Oct. 20 and $14 on race day. For more information, call Alex Rose (694-4271) or Pat Cobb (683-9375)...

Clovis, N.M., Allsup's Road Races Oct. 28 half-marathon, 10-kilometer, 5-kilometer and one mile. Call (505) 769-2311, ext. 103...

The **MRT/YMCA Half Marathon Run and Relay Team Race** will begin at 8 a.m. Nov. 4. Entry forms are available at all YMCA facilities. For more information, contact the Central YMCA or call 682-2551...

Skiing...

The Flatlanders Ski Club has organized a trip to Laax/Flims, Switzerland for Jan. 26 to Feb. 3, 1990. Cost for roundtrip airfare from Midland to Zurich, ground transfers, seven nights lodging and seven buffet breakfasts is $995. Call Will Green at 683-2141...

Fishing...

The Open Striper Classic has been slated for Oct. 21 at **Lake Granbury**. For information or entry form, contact Doug Peacock at (817) 573-2711; Bob Jones at (817) 573-2468; or Bob Tunk at (817) 573-3470...

Motorcycles...

Sand Drags have been set for Oct. 22 at the Water Wonderland Motorcross track with motorcycle and ATV classes. For more information, call Tony Lamberti or Debra King at 563-3141...

Bike race...

Schwinn Bicycle Company's second annual **Indoor Bicycle Race** through Oct. 22 at Peyton's Bikes. Ride bike on Schwinn Velodyne indoor trainer. Course simulated 2.3 mile Tour de Trump Time Trial Prologue. Entry fee $2. Call 699-1718...

Radio Control Cars

Radio control car racing has been set for 6:30 p.m. Oct. 21 at 4600 Sinclair. Cars are 1/10 scale replicas of off-road racing cars. For more information, call 697-2723...

Volleyball

Friendship Coed Volleyball Tournament will be Nov. 11 at the UT-Permian Basin gym. Entry fee $75. call Dr. Steve Aicinena at 367-2316 or 368-5623...

Sports Scoreboard

Prep Statistics

Here are informal statistics of Class 5A and 4A Texas high school football after six weeks, as provided to The Associated Press by sportswriters and coaches from across the state.

CLASS 5A

RUSHING	Car-Yds
Session, EP Jefferson	126-1371
Strambler, Midland Lee	**167-1308**
Lyons, Arlington Lamar	159-1079
Brooks, WF Rider	160-1030
Wyche, Sharpstown	102- 970
Mitchell, DeSoto	105- 942
Adams, Spring Woods	140- 921
Westmoreland, Ama. PD	90- 849
Childers, Klein Oak	169- 847
Pickens, Hou. Northbrook	147- 839
Bennett, SA Holmes	115- 830
Warford, South Houston	140- 819
Lavender, Wichita Falls	118- 809
Donaldson, Lub.Coronado	130- 800
Moore, Cypress-Fairbanks	124- 774

PASSING	Cmp-Att-Int-Yds
Clements, Huntsville	112-191- 8-1551
Savoy, Houston Sterling	91-150- 6-1377
Roper, Aldine Eisenhower	92-188- 7-1318
Daniels, Keller	83-160- 7-1264
Allen, SA Jay	70-152- 4-1226
Ford, PA Jefferson	73-156-10-1185
Moreno, SA Harlandale	81-147- 8-1167
Lucas, Langham Creek	78-160-14-1151
Torres, Socorro	67-144- 9-1125
Ramirez, SA McCollom	65-131- 6-1099
Mitchell, Houston Memorial	76-173-12-1049
Onofre, SA Holmes	69-138- 6-1013
Balette, Conroe McCullough	71-144- 7- 975
Redeaux, Beaumont Central	51-116- 7- 973
Wernli, Round Rock	57-119- 1- 936

RECEIVING	TC-Yds
Harrison, PA Jefferson	39-691
Woodard, Houston Sterling	39-628
Flores, Laredo Nixon	39-556
Houston, Huntsville	38-729
Harris, Houston Forest Brook	36-464
Bierne, Conroe McCullough	36-445
Kyrish, Euless Trinity	34-428
Anagnostou, Pasadena	33-531
McGauhey, Langham Creek	31-431
Jackson, Richardson Pearce	29-379
Farias, SA Harlandale	28-344
Osborne, EP Del Valle	27-550
Perez, SA Harlandale	27-519
Andrews, Beaumont Central	26-441
Anderson, Humble	26-333
Adams, Houston Memorial	25-328
Moore, SA Roosevelt	24-387

SCORING	Pts
Session, EP Jefferson	116
Westmoreland, Amarillo PD	102
Brown, Hou Reagan	94
Cameron, SA Sam Houston	86
Strambler, Midland Lee	78
Miller, Willowridge	76
Lewis, Deer Park	72
Swinnea, Harlingen	72
Hill, Georgetown	72
Turner, South Garland	66
Marshall, Grand Prairie	66
Tealor, SA Highlands	66
Washington, Killeen Ellison	66
Broadnax, Seguin	65
Kirtley, EP Del Valle	62

TOTAL OFFENSE	Avg
Sherman	446
La Porte	442
Odessa Permian	**428**
SA Holmes	420
EP Jefferson	410
Houston Sterling	402
Amarillo Palo Duro	403
Houston Yates	402
Harlingen	395
Huntsville	393
Converse Judson	391
SA Sam Houston	388
Aldine MacArthur	380
Midland Lee	**380**
Lake Highlands	365

TOTAL DEFENSE	Avg
Dallas Carter	99
Amarillo Palo Duro	115
Dallas Roosevelt	123
Houston Yates	130
Fort Worth Dunbar	130
Houston Sterling	138
Converse Judson	139
Clear Lake	146
Houston Lamar	148
Mansfield	153
SA Clark	155
Dallas Spruce	157
SA Roosevelt	158
Willowridge	161
Alief Elsik	164

CLASS 4A

RUSHING	Car-Yds
Thomas, Willis	149-981
Palomo, SA West Campus	144-914
Johnson, Lubbock Estacado	141-870
Durio, Dayton	107-848
Godfrey, Tomball	119-819
Peters, Houston C.E. King	127-819
White, Allen	126-789
Walden, Magnolia	133-773
McDade, Ennis	120-763
Murphy, FW North Side	115-761
St. Romain, Cedar Hill	119-728
Kennedy, Terrell	99-718
Ramirez, Laredo Cigarroa	165-732
Nunn, Austin Travis	84-642
Milligan, Pflugerville	99-631

PASSING	Cmp-Att-Int-Yds
Armstrong, Athens	78-137- 5-1424
Rich, Cedar Hill	77-130- 10-1146
Pendgraft, North Dallas	53-106- 6- 870
Woodward, Highland Park	39- 90- 7- 867
Fay, FW Brewer	39- 93- 6- 865
Solomon, Henderson	35- 66- 2- 822
Butler, Brownwood	42- 75- 6- 783
Rumfield, Belton	42- 93- 1- 766
Payton, Levelland	45-105- 7- 761
Lee, Dallas Jefferson	39- 88- 4- 748
Ruelas, Mineral Wells	46- 86- 4- 736
Bedner, Conroe Oak Ridge	40- 78- 7- 701
Franco, Leander	40- 97- 4- 691
Hatfield, Lockhart	46- 79- 5- 675
Elrod, Granbury	49-106- 5- 651

RECEIVING	TC-Yds
Galban, West Mesquite	27-405
Lyons, Athens	23-511
Whitehead, Athens	21-441
Campbell, Brownwood	21-430
Talamantez, Pecos	21-419
Melton, North Dallas	21-333
Olivarez, Taylor	21-234
Erwin, McKinney	20-442
Ferguson, Belton	20-367
Gray, North Dallas	19-332
Nelton, Joshua	19-262
Wilson, Smithson Valley	19-251
Dudley, Henderson	18-485
Ross, Leander	18-332
Monroe, Katy Taylor	18-285

SCORING	Pts
Durio, Dayton	98
Smith, Belton	84
Sholars, Belton	76
White, Allen	76
Palomo, SA West Campus	71
Johnson, Lubbock Estacado	68
Thornton, McKinney	66
Tolden, El Campo	62
Kemp, Mayde Creek	62
Kennedy, Terrell	60
Whitehead, Athens	60
Vanous, Channelview	60
Dudley, Henderson	59
Johnson, Denison	56
Hunt, Jasper	56

TOTAL OFFENSE	Avg
Henderson	458
Jasper	430
El Campo	425
Dallas Jefferson	415
Kerrville	394
Dayton	392
Belton	390
Tomball	386
Terrell	368
Bay City	360
Mineral Wells	356
Cedar Hill	353
Willis	352
Lockhart	349
Mayde Creek	347

TOTAL DEFENSE	Avg
Bastrop	85
Bay City	103
Dallas Hillcrest	125
Dallas Madison	131
Dallas Jefferson	133
El Campo	149
A&M Consolidated	149
Waxahachie	158
Justin Northwest	162
Jasper	163
Dallas Adamson	167
Stephenville	168
Terrell	170
Del Valle	171
SA West Campus	174

Lee, MHS Statistics

District 4-5A Standings
Season

TEAM	W	L	T	PF	PA	Pct.
Odessa Permian	6	0	0	252	34	1.000
Midland Lee	5	1	0	174	76	.833
Odessa High	3	3	0	166	151	.500
Abilene Cooper	3	3	0	99	84	.500
Midland High	1	5	0	93	194	.167
San Angelo	1	5	0	69	198	.167
Abilene High	1	5	0	61	142	.167

Friday's Results

Midland Lee 61, San Angelo 0; Odessa Permian 48, Abilene High 0; Odessa High 35, Abilene Cooper 31; Wichita Falls Rider 35, Midland High 20 (non-conference).

District

TEAM	W	L	T	PF	PA	Pct.
Odessa Permian	3	0	0	148	27	1.000
Midland Lee	3	0	0	119	41	1.000
San Angelo	1	1	0	7	64	.500
Odessa High	1	2	0	76	106	.333
Abilene Cooper	1	2	0	62	45	.333
Midland High	0	2	0	27	83	.000
Abilene High	0	2	0	3	72	.000

Friday's Games

Abilene High at Midland Lee; Midland High at Abilene Cooper; Odessa High at San Angelo. All games at 8 p.m.

Saturday's Game

Dallas Jesuit at Odessa Permian, 2 p.m. (non-conference).

Midland Lee Statistics
(5-1)

Rushing

Player	Att	Yds	Avg	TD
Farris Strambler	167	1306	7.8	13
Dirk Kubicek	18	107	5.9	1
Tony White	9	106	11.8	1
Vince Henderson	47	106	2.3	2
Anthony Sims	14	76	5.4	1
Mantry Dedrick	16	70	4.4	0
B.J. Parrish	4	53	13.3	1
Reggie Webb	5	12	2.4	0
Mark Jacobs	2	-1	-0.5	0
Ty Chambers	1	-14	-14.	0

Passing

Player	Att	Com	Int	Yds	TD
V. Henderson	43	20	5	438	3
Farris Strambler	2	1	1	27	0
B.J. Parrish	1	0	0	0	0

Receiving

Player	Recp	Yds	Avg	TD
Greg Rich	7	178	25.4	1
John Valles	5	203	40.6	1
B.J. Parrish	4	49	12.3	0
Farris Strambler	3	29	9.7	0
Bennie Jones	1	11	11.0	1
Tony White	1	11	11.0	0

Punting

Player	Att	Yds	Avg
Jason Sever	22	718	32.6

Scoring

Player	TD	PAT	FG	TP
Farris Strambler	13	0	0	78
Arthur Donnelly	0	17	7	38
V Henderson	2	2	0	14
Greg Rich	1	2	0	8
Anthony Sims	1	0	0	6
John Valles	1	0	0	6
Bennie Jones	1	0	0	6
B.J. Parrish	1	0	0	6
Dirk Kubicek	1	0	0	6
Tony White	1	0	0	6

Midland High Statistics
(1-5)

Rushing

Player	Att	Yds	Avg	TD
James Lee	38	201	5.3	3
Patrick Mowles	41	151	3.7	3
Albert Ray	20	118	5.9	1
Brent Noisette	40	116	2.9	0
Will Sowders	26	110	4.2	1
Jason Stone	39	27	0.7	0
Major Williams	3	12	4.0	0
Eric Hemphill	1	2	2.0	1
David Worley	2	-8	-4.0	0

Passing

Player	Att	Com	Int	Yds	TD
Patrick Mowles	72	29	5	437	4
Jason Stone	56	25	7	412	2

Receiving

Player	Recp	Yds	Avg	TD
Brandon Oden	20	328	16.4	3
Albert Ray	7	121	17.3	1
James Woosley	6	117	19.5	1
Derrick Evans	6	90	15.0	0
Will Sowders	5	104	20.8	1
Michael Wright	4	87	21.8	0
Eric Hemphill	3	30	10.0	0
Brian Conaway	2	31	15.5	0
Brent Noisette	1	10	10.0	0

Punting

Player	Att	Yds	Avg
David Worley	24	734	30.6
Will Sowders	7	231	33.0

Scoring

Player	TD	PAT	FG	TP
James Lee	3	0	0	18
Patrick Mowles	3	0	0	18
Brandon Oden	3	0	0	18
Will Sowders	2	0	0	12
Albert Ray	2	0	0	12
Shane Barden	0	9	0	9
James Woosley	1	0	0	6

Transactions

BASEBALL
National League

LOS ANGELES DODGERS—Announced that Manny Mota, coach, will handle various organizational duties, and Joe Ferguson, coach, will be the team's press box coach. Named Gary Sutherland special assignment scout.

BASKETBALL

USA BASKETBALL—Elected Russ Granik Vice President of the Executive Committee. Re-elected Joe O'Brien to the Basketball Council. Elected Anne Donovan to the Basketball Council.

National Basketball Association

LOS ANGELES CLIPPERS—Signed Ken Norman, forward, to multiyear contract extension.

NEW YORK KNICKS—Waived Steve Babiarz, guard. Named Bob Salmi video coordinator.

PORTLAND TRAIL BLAZERS—Traded Richard Anderson, forward, to the Charlotte Hornets for Robert Reid, guard-forward.

Continental Basketball Association

CEDAR RAPIDS SILVER BULLETS—Signed Randy Anderson and Tom Domako, forwards. Acquired Orlando Graham, forward, from the San Jose Jammers for an undisclosed draft pick.

FOOTBALL
National Football League

ATLANTA FALCONS—Signed Darron Norris, running back, to their developmental squad.

CHICAGO BEARS—Signed LaSalle Harper, linebacker. Placed Jim Morrissey, linebacker, on injured reserve.

DALLAS COWBOYS—Traded Steve Pelluer, quarterback, to the Kansas City Chiefs for undisclosed 1990 and 1991 draft picks. Traded Darrin Nelson, running back, to the San Diego Chargers for the Minnesota Vikings' 1990 sixth-round draft pick and a 1991 second-round pick, a conditional selection in the Herschel Walker trade and San Diego traded its 1990 fifth-round pick to Minnesota. Acquired Paul Palmer, running back, from the Detroit Lions for a 1990 10th-round draft pick.

DETROIT LIONS—Signed Titus Dixon, wide receiver.

GREEN BAY PACKERS—Placed Shawn Patterson, defensive end, on injured reserve.

INDIANAPOLIS COLTS—Acquired Chip Banks, linebacker, from the San Diego Chargers in exchange for undisclosed conditional draft picks.

NEW YORK JETS—Signed, and waived, Carl Parker, wide receiver. Signed Philip Epps, wide receiver. Waived Sanjay Beach, wide receiver. Activated John Booty, defensive back, from injured reserve. Placed Michael Harper, wide receiver, on injured reserve.

PHILADELPHIA EAGLES—Announced that Mike Quick, wide receiver, will undergo knee surgery and miss the remainder of the season.

PHOENIX CARDINALS—Waived Andre Langley, wide receiver.

TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS—Placed Jamie Lawson, running back, on injured reserve. Re-signed Sherman Cocroft, defensive back.

WASHINGTON REDSKINS—Signed Mike Stenerud, defensive tackle. Released Anthony Allen, wide receiver. Released Tichard Stevens, offensive tackle, from the developmental roster.

Canadian Football League

TORONTO ARGONAUTS—Released Willie Snead, wide receiver.

HOCKEY
National Hockey League

HARTFORD WHALERS—Sent Al Tuer, defenseman, and Tom Martin, left wing, to Binghamton of the American Hockey League.

ST. LOUIS BLUES—Recalled Dave Richter, defenseman, from Peoria of the International Hockey League.

Tennis

TOKYO (AP) — Results Tuesday in the $627,500 Seiko Super Tennis tournament at the Yoyogi National Stadium:

Men
Singles
First Round

Dan Goldie, McLean, Va., def. Paul Chamberlin, Toledo, Ohio, 6-4, 6-4.

Grant Connell, Canada, def. Scott Davis, Largo, Fla., 6-3, 6-3.

Eric Jelen, West Germany, def. Kevin Curren, Austin, Texas, 4-6, 6-4, 6-4.

Carl-Uwe Steeb, West Germany, def. Patrick McEnroe, Oyster Bay, N.Y., 6-4, 6-2.

Andres Gomez, Ecuador, def. Hidehiko Tanizawa, Japan, 6-0, 6-2.

John Fitzgerald, Australia, def. Thomas Hogstedt, Sweden, 6-3, 6-2.

Henri Leconte, France, def. Toshihisa Tsuchihashi, Japan, 7-6 (7-2), 6-0.

Leif Shiras, Milwaukee, def. Tommy Ho, Winter Haven, Fla., 6-4, 6-2.

Andre Agassi, Las Vegas, def. Wally Masur, Australia, 6-3, 6-4.

Aaron Krickstein, Grosse Pointe, Mich., def. Slobodan Zivojinovic, Yugoslavia, 6-3, 6-7 (8-10), 7-6 (7-4).

Broderick Dyke, Australia, def. Jim Pugh, Palos Verdes, Calif., 6-3, 7-5.

Jakob Hlasek, Switzerland, def. Richey Reneberg, Houston, 6-7 (4-7), 6-3, 6-2.

ZURICH, Switzerland (AP) — Results Tuesday of the $250,000 European indoors women's tennis tournament (seedings in parentheses):

Singles
First Round

Karine Quentrec, France, def. Robin White, San Jose, Calif., 6-2, 5-7, 6-0.

Sylvia Hanika, West Germany, def. Katrina Adams, Chicago, 6-4, 2-6, 7-5.

Monica Seles (4), Yugoslavia, def. Emanuela Zardo, Switzerland, 6-1, 6-2.

Nathalie Tauziat, France, def. Manuela Maleeva (2), Bulgaria, 6-2, 6-2.

Helen Kelesi (7), Canada, def. Ann Henrickson, Mill Valley, Calif., 6-1, 3-6, 7-5.

Brenda Schulz, Netherlands, def. Jana Pospisilova, Czechoslovakia, 6-1, 7-6 (7-4).

Jana Novotna (5), Czechoslovakia, def. Laura Gildemeister, Peru, 6-1, 6-2.

Steffi Graf (1), West Germany, def. Patty Fendick, Sacramento, Calif., 6-3, 6-1.

LPBT Results

DESOTO (AP) — Standings Tuesday after the fourth round of the $30,000 Ladies Pro Bowlers Tour Metroplex Open at The Advantages Bowling, with names, hometowns, match-play records and 34-game pinfall totals (a-denotes amateur):

1, Carol Gianotti, Australia, 14-2, 7,746. 2, Lisa Wagner, Palmetto, Fla., 8-8, 7,695. 3, Leila Wagner, Annapolis, Md., 10-6, 7,624. 4, Jeanne Maiden, Solon, Ohio, 11-5, 7,546. 5 (tie), Jeri Edwards, Matteson, Ill., 6-8, and Dina Wheeler, Kansas City, Mo., 11-5, 7,466.

7, Linda Urbanek, Humble, Tex., 10-6, 7,479. 8, Alayne Blomenberg, Cranston, R.I., 10-6, 7,467. 9, Rene Fleming, Oklahoma City, 8-8, 7,437. 10, Nikki Gianullas, Vallejo, Calif., 10-6, 7,410. 11, Diana Davenport, Shreveport, La., 8-8, 7,282. 12, Michelle Mullen, Matteson, Ill., 7-9, 7,198.

13, Vicki Montgomery, Ravenna, Ohio, 7-9, 7,169. 14, Karen Ellingsworth, Des Plaines, Ill., 9-7, 7,160. 15, Dede Davidson, Southgate, Mich., 8-8, 7,153. 16, Wendy Macpherson, San Diego, 6-10, 7,147. 17, Lesha Readette, Gilbert, Ariz., 7-9, 7,109.

Tennis Poll

WICHITA FALLS (AP) — Here is the Texas Tennis Coaches Association weekly team tennis poll, following the sixth week of the regular season, as compiled by the Wichita Falls Times Record News:

1. Lubbock Coronado
2. Tyler Lee
3. Clear Lake
4. **Abilene Cooper**
5. Austin Westlake
6. Klein
7. Austin
8. Lubbock Monterey
9. Houston Memorial
10. Plano
11. **Midland High**
12. Wichita Falls
13. San Antonio Marshall
14. Round Rock Westwood
15. San Antonio Churchill
16. **Odessa Permian**
17. San Antonio Lee
18. Corpus Christi Carroll
19. **Abilene High**
20. San Antonio Clark

TV Ratings

The highest rated sports programs, according to arbitron ratings of 14 markets, for the period from Oct. 9-15 with network, rating and share (the rating percentage of households with televisions and the share is the percentage of households with televisons in use):

All Times Eastern

1, Oct. 15, World Series (Oakland vs. San Francisco), ABC, 8 p.m.-11:30 p.m., 18.0, 27.

2, Oct. 14, World Series (Oakland vs. San Francisco), ABC, 8 p.m.-11:30 p.m., 17.9, 31.

3, Oct. 15, NFL Football (various 14 markets), CBS, 1-4:30 p.m., 17.7, 41.

4, Oct. 9, Monday Night Football (L.A. Raiders vs. N.Y. Jets), ABC, 9 p.m.-12:15 a.m., 17.7, 30.

5, Oct. 15, NFL Football (various 8 markets), NBC, 1-4 p.m., 17.8, 39.

6, Oct. 15, NFL Football (various 13 markets), NBC, 4-7:15 p.m., 15.7, 33.

7, Oct. 9, NL Playoffs (San Francisco vs. Chicago), NBC, 3-6:15 p.m., 11.9, 29.

8, Oct. 14, College Football (Michigan vs. Michigan St.), ABC, 3:30-7 p.m., 6.6, 17.

9, Oct. 14, College Football (LSU vs. Auburn), CBS, 2:45-6 p.m., 4.0, 11.

Boxing

Oct. 19

At Trump Plaza Hotel and Casino, Atlantic City, N.J., Tim Witherspoon, Philadelphia, vs. Anders Eklund, Sweden, 10, heavys.

At West Berlin, Germany, Graciano Rocchigiani, West Germany, vs. Frank Tate, Detroit, 12, for Rocchigiani's IFB super middleweight title.

Oct. 20

At Resorts International, Atlantic City, N.J., Nigel Benn, England, vs. Jorge Amparo, Las Vegas, 10, middles.

At El Dorado, Reno, Nev., Eddie Rangel, San Antonio, Texas, vs. Jorge Martinez, Denver, 12m for Rangel's USBA bantamweight title.

Oct. 23

At the Forum, Inglewood, Calif., Juan Jose Estrada, Mexico, vs. Jesus Salud, San Diego, 12, for Estrada's WBA junior featherweight title; Kenny Bayamore, Washington, vs. Edward Parker, Houston, 12, super feathers; Jorge Paez, Mexico, vs. Edgard Castro, Miami, 10, feathers.

Oct. 24

At the Bismarck Civic Center, Bismarck, N.D., Virgil Hill, Bismarck, N.D., vs. James Kinchen, San Diego, 12, for Hill's WBA light heavyweight title.

NHL Summaries

At Uniondale, N.Y.

Minnesota	2	4	0—6
N.Y. Islanders	1	1	1—3

First Period—1, New York, LaFontaine 4, 6:52 (pp). 2, Minnesota, Gartner 3 (Musil, Murphy), 11:30 (pp). 3, Minnesota, Broten 2 (Bellows, Murphy), 18:40.

Second Period—4, Minnesota, Bellows 7 (Broten), 3:40. 5, New York, Volek 3 (Crossman, Norton), 8:35 (pp). 6, Minnesota, Gartner 4 (Modano, Murphy), 12:24 (pp). 7, Minnesota, Broten 3 (Gartner, Murphy), 18:07. 8, Minnesota, Gagner 3 (Donatelli, Murphy), 19:59 (pp).

Third Period—9, New York, Diduck 1 (Maloney), 2:53.

Shots on goal—Minnesota 11-17-6—34. New York 7-8-13—28.

Goalies—Minnesota, Casey. New York, Fitzpatrick. A—10,230.

At Pittsburgh

Toronto	3	1	1—5
Pittsburgh	1	3	3—7

First Period—1, Pittsburgh, Brown 2 (Lemieux, Coffey), 3:52 (pp). 2, Toronto, Daoust 1 (Reid, Franceschetti), 10:32. 3, Toronto, Iafrate 2 (Reid, Marsh), 12:19. 4, Toronto, Marois 4 (Ramage, Osborne), 18:38 (pp).

Second Period—5, Pittsburgh, Errey 3 (Johnson, Dineen), 10:51. 6, Pittsburgh, Lemieux 2 (Stevens, McBain), 14:21. 7, Toronto, Damphousse 1 (Fergus, Marois), 16:19 (pp). 8, Pittsburgh, Johnson 1 (McBain, Lemieux), 19:59.

Third Period—9, Pittsburgh, Gilhen 2 (Stevens, Zalapski), 16:26. 10, Pittsburgh, Lemieux 3 (Gilhen, Errey), 19:17 (en). 11, Toronto, Iafrate 3 (Shannon), 19:27. 12, Pittsburgh, Lemieux 4 (Johnson), 19:47 (en).

Shots on goal—Toronto 16-8-8—32. Pittsburgh 10-14-15—39.

Goalies—Toronto, Beeter. Pittsburgh, Young. A—15,249.

At New York

Chicago	0	1	2	0—3
N.Y. Rangers	2	0	1	0—3

First Period—1, New York, Turcotte 3 (Granato, Patrick), 4:26. 2, New York, Sandstrom 2 (Shaw), 19:19.

Second Period—3, Chicago, T.Murray 3 (Sutter, Thomas), 1:21.

Third Period—4, Chicago, Creighton 3 (Presley, Thomas), 1:13. 5, New York, Sandstrom 3 (Patrick, C.Wilson), 9:02 (pp). 6, Chicago, Gilbert 2 (T.Murray, Savard), 19:39.

Overtime—None.

Shots on goal—Chicago 6-11-9-3—29. New York 16-6-8-1—31.

Goalies—Chicago, Cloutier. New York, Vanbiesbrouck. A—16,668.

At Quebec

Calgary	1	2	5	0—8
Quebec	4	2	2	0—8

First Period—1, Quebec, Kimble 1 (Loiselle, Adams), 4:26. 2, Quebec, Leschyshyn 1 (Fortier, Dore), 7:31 (pp). 3, Quebec, Goulet 3 (Sakic, Marois), 8:29 (pp). 4, Calgary, Suter 2 (Gilmour, Mullen), 9:44. 5, Quebec, Stastny 2 (Jarvi, Petit), 15:03.

Second Period—6, Calgary, Otto 3 (Suter, Mullen), :24. 7, Calgary, Nieuwendyk 6 (Makarov, MacInnis), 8:13. 8, Quebec, Lafleur 5 (Brown, Cirella), 14:31 (pp). 9, Quebec, Stastny 3 (Dore, Brown), 14:58 (pp).

Third Period—10, Quebec, Cirella 1 (Stastny, Jarvi), 7:35. 11, Quebec, Brown 2 (Stastny, Jarvi), 11:27. 12, Calgary, Roberts 6 (Mattreos, Makarov), 13:27. 13, Calgary, Roberts 7 (Nieuwendyk, Makarov), 13:43. 14, Calgary, Peplinski 1 (Reinheim, MacInnis), 13:54. 15, Calgary, Gilmour 3 (MacInnis, Otto), 16:46 (sh). 16, Calgary, Reinheim 3 (Gilmour), 19:49 (sh).

Harrah's Odds

RENO, Nev. (AP) — Here are this week's odds on upcoming National Football League games and college football games involving teams in the Associated Press' Top 25:

NFL
Sunday

Buffalo 7 over New York Jets
Minnesota 7 over Detroit
Philadelphia 6½ over Los Angeles Raiders
Miami 3½ over Green Bay
Kansas City 9 over Dallas
Houston 9 over Pittsburgh
Cincinnati 6½ over Indianapolis
Washington 7 over Tampa Bay
Phoenix 2½ over Atlanta
Seattle 2½ over Denver
San Francisco 11 over New England
Los Angeles Rams 6½ over New Orleans
New York Giants 5½ over San Diego

Monday

Cleveland 1 over Chicago

College
Saturday

1. Notre Dame 7 over No. 9 Southern Cal
2. Miami, Fla. is idle
3. Colorado 43 over Kansas
4. Nebraska 21 over Oklahoma State
5. Michigan 11 over Iowa
6. Tennessee 5 under No. 10 Alabama
7. Arkansas 14 over Texas
8. Pittsburgh is idle
9. Southern Cal 7 under No. 1 Notre Dame
10. Alabama 6 over No. 6 Tennessee
11. Auburn 7½ under No. 14 Florida State
12. N. Carolina St. 8 under Clemson
13. Illinois 5 under Michigan State
14. Florida St. 7½ over No. 11 Auburn
15. Washington St. 6½ over No. 22 Arizona
16. Houston vs SMU, no odds
17. Penn St. is idle
18. West Virginia 34 over Cincinnati
19. Air Force 11 over TCU
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Buss looks into Padre sale

SAN DIEGO (AP) — Los Angeles Lakers owner Jerry Buss says he's "in the market for a baseball team" and will see about buying the San Diego Padres following owner Joan Kroc's announcement that she's selling the club.

"I probably will make a call (today) and throw my hat in the ring," Buss said after Kroc's statement on Tuesday that the franchise is on the block because she wants to spend more time with her family.

"There comes a time in everyone's life when you have to look at your priorities, and my first priority is my family," Kroc said. "So I intend to semi-retire from public life to maximize the quality time I have with them.

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Effective paint straining easy with metal screen

By AL CARRELL

It's always a good idea to strain paint that's been opened before to get rid of those lumps you can usually count on. Of course, you can pour the paint from one can to another through a strainer, or better yet, pantyhose. But here's another idea to try.

Cut out a piece of metal window screen the same size as the inside diameter of the paint can. Drop it into the can and allow it to sink to the bottom. As the screen sinks, it will filter any lumps or debris in the paint and, once it's all the way down, it will hold the stuff on the bottom of the can. If it needs help sinking all the way to the bottom, you can push it down as long as the screen is kept flat.

Dear Handyman:

I have a hint for unclogging drains for you. You always tell everyone when using the plumber's friend to close off the other openings like the overflow or other side of a double sink. I've found that sometimes it also helps to clamp off the lines to the dishwasher and the disposal as well. — S.Q.

A SUPER HINT — If you have seen evidence of mice in your house but you don't know how they are getting in, try this. Sprinkle a little talcum powder around places where you know they run and come back later to look for tiny little footprints that, hopefully, will lead you to their entrances.

Dear Mr. Carrell:

We've finally learned how to clean our roof windows. Instead of just using window cleaner and water, we put a little bit of spot preventer (normally used in your dishwasher) into the rinse. It really helps eliminate the spots on windows also, which used to be a real back-breaker for us. — N.N.

Q. Can I cut off the ends of some corrugated fiberglass panels with a circular saw? I want to use this material as a roof over part of our deck.

A. Yes, you can, and here's a handy tip. Use a plywood blade but install it in the saw backwards. This will give you a smoother cut. It's also best to clamp a board across the top to act as a fence and another board to span the underside. The fence guides the saw to insure a straighter cut and the board underneath braces the plastic to prevent it from chattering. Be sure to wear your safety goggles when you cut this stuff.

Dear Al:

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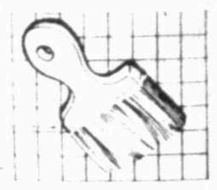

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Remodeling dilemmas eased with professional advice

For painting, papering or remodeling, it's a good idea to have the project evaluated by a professional.

By DEBRA LEE BALDWIN
Copley News Service

You dislike the idea of moving, but your house is just too small.

Why not stay put?

Even though your home is bursting with kids, you need room for an office or you want a second master suite for Grandma, you may be able to solve your dilemma with remodeling.

Begin by evaluating your needs and setting realistic goals. What exactly do you want to gain? More space, privacy or a better traffic flow? Determine your budget and decide how much of the work you can do yourself.

Once you know exactly what you want and can afford, call in the professionals. An architect can help you create a house that is a delight to live in. Choosing the right contractor is crucial.

If a major renovation is out of the question but you'd like to spruce up your home, consider enlisting the assistance of an interior designer, painter and/or wallpaper hanger; have a handyman fix whatever needs repair.

The addition of light can enhance the ambience of your home's interior. Consider adding skylights or a sun room, or consult a home lighting specialist.

There also are many resources for the do-it-yourselfer. New computer software can help you design your house, from floor plan to furniture placement. If you don't own a computer, there are kits that show you how to create scale drawings of interiors and their contents. Sources for these are bookstores and shops that specialize in home repair and improvement items.

PREPARATION

This is the fun part. Browse through books and magazines, snipping and clipping pictures of home interiors that appeal to you. Visit model homes at housing developments. Take along a notebook, and jot down specific materials, manufacturers and products.

Investigate what's available from suppliers of windows, doors, plumbing fixtures — anything you think might enhance your home's interior.

Find out what you're allowed to do, according to local permit requirements. Check codes and ordinances with your community's building department. Be sure to ask for guidelines that explain the permit process.

Be creative. Now is the time to consult an architect and/or interior designer; come up with several approaches to your goal. Don't assume the first solution is the best one. Draw a plan of your remodeling project — the more detailed the better. Use it as a springboard for discussion when you interview prospective contractors.

UP OR OUT?

Your options for remodeling include: staying within your home's footprint (foundation); adding a floor; adding on at one side. You'll need to evaluate which is best for your home's situation and your budget.

Adding a second or third floor is the most expensive and life-disrupting of your options. But it may be best if your home fills its lot or you don't want to sacrifice yard space. Going up also lets you take advantage of a view and make dramatic architectural changes — both inside and out.

If you have a large lot, you may be better off adding on laterally. You'll effectively improve the comfort and function of adjoining rooms. And, during construction, there will be fewer interruptions to your lifestyle.

HIRING A CONTRACTOR

The person who will be tearing into your residence and molding its reconstruction must be someone you can trust. A major remodeling project is more than just business.

"It compares to the relationship between doctor and patient," says one man who recently remodeled his home.

It's important to interview and carefully check the references of several contractors.

Also check licenses. Be wary of any contractor with a "pending case" against his license. It can indicate anything from an isolated problem to a series of abandoned jobs.

A remodeling contract should give a precise description of the work to be done and also should note work the contractor is not responsible for. It should specify a completion date, and may include a daily fine for work completed after that date.

PROGRESS OF THE PROJECT

Whether you've contracted for a one-room paint job or a second story addition, you'll want to set up regular meetings with the person in charge of the project. Review what has been accomplished and what will be done next. If goals are not being met, find out why.

Even the most carefully planned home remodels often require changes midstream.

"You may realize after the project is under way that an expansive wall needs one more window to break the monotony," says Better Homes and Gardens magazine. "Or, maybe you're dissatisfied with the quality of the materials and want to substitute a better product."

On a major remodel, be sure to get both the price and the nature of the change in writing.

"Give descriptions and exact dimensions and attach a revised blueprint or plan," says the magazine.

Remodeling an investment, experience

Start your improvement project by selecting a professional, reliable remodeling contractor, following these guidelines:

- Select a contractor from your local area who has become established in business. In order for their business to survive, they are compelled to perform satisfactorily in their workmanship.
- Ask for local references. Contact the references asking specific questions concerning all aspects of the builders performance. Take time to drive by and look at the finished projects.
- Call the Better Business Bureau.
- Obtain two or three bids. If one seems extremely high or extremely low, ask questions. The contractor with the lowest bid may not be using the same quality of materials, and workmanship as you desire.
- Solicit a remodeling contractor with workers' compensation and public liability insurance.
- Get everything in writing, including what the contractor will and won't do — such as daily clean-up upon completion of the job.
- Read the contract carefully. Whatever has not been written in the contract will probably not be furnished by the contractor.

Think through the project from beginning to end. If plans are required, approve them before work begins. Make sure materials are the style and quality you desire.

This information provided by Scott Casey Construction.

Heat pumps offer comfort year-round

If you're going to replace a home's central air conditioner next cooling season, this winter is a better time to consider buying a new one. You can usually save money by taking advantage of "off-season" manufacturer rebates or dealer incentives.

An even more cost-effective decision, according to the Edison Electric Insittute, the association of investor owned electric utilities, would be adding an "add-on" electric heat pump to your existing furnace for year-round comfort.

Electric heat pumps, which have been in use since the 1950s, save you money by using electricity only to relocate the air's existing heat, not to create heat. For each dollar you spend on electricity, you can get back up to three dollars worth of heat.

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If reliable air conditioning and high-efficiency heating are two essentials for your family's comfort, call your local electric utility and tell them you've decided you want more information about "add-on" heat pumps.

Insulate your home's sidewalls for additional comfort, savings

Were last winter's heating bills higher than you expected? And was there an uncomfortable chill in your home?

It's possible that underinsulated sidewalls may have been the cause. They can account for up to 30 percent of a home's total heat loss.

If your walls felt cold to the touch, you may need to add insulation for added comfort and savings this winter.

The best way to add insulation to sidewalls is to drill holes in the walls and blow in loose-fill fiber glass insulation. This requires the special equipment and professional skills of an insulation contractor.

To find a professional contractor, ask your utility company for suggestions, consult friends and neighbors and/or look in the Yellow Pages under "Insulation Contractors." Once you've chosen one, you should educate yourself a bit about what he's going to do to ensure that it will be done properly.

The contractor will carefully remove sections of your siding and drill small openings so that loose-fill fiber glass insulation can be blown into the stud spacing through a special insulation hose.

An opening is generally made for each four- to five-foot height, to ensure that the stud space is completely full. Blowing through a single opening in an eight-foot wall, for example, could leave some of your stud space with no insulation. In addition, keep in mind the following:

- Lower holes should be filled first. If they are not, they can mistakenly appear to be filled, and probably won't be insulated to the correct density.
- Make sure that the contractor hand packs insulation into the spaces which had been occupied by the nozzle of the insulation hose.

- Look for high-quality insulation materials, such as a blown-in fiber glass insulation. It offers outstanding thermal performance, is noncombustible, will not absorb moisture and will not rot or decay.

For more information about insulating sidewalls, write to the CertainTeed Home Institute, P.O. Box 860, Valley Forge, PA 19482 for a free copy of "What You Should Know About Blown-In Insulation."

Weatherizing home cost effective

More of your heating and cooling dollars escape through your home's windows and doors, per unit of area, than through any other part of your home, according to the Edison Electric Institute, the association of investor-owned electric companies. So even by properly insulating your home, you're still spending more on heating and cooling than you should be.

To help cut these losses, make sure your home is also weatherized. this means closing off energy-robbing air leaks around and through your home's windows and exterior doors.

For instance, heat passes through single-glazed (one pane of glass) windows 14 times faster than through a well-insulated wall. You can reduce these expensive losses by adding storm windows or installing double-pane windows to provide a valuable insulating space of air between the panes. And remember to add storm doors for the same insulation effect there.

After your windows and doors are covered, caulk and weatherstrip them. These are simple measures to overlook, but the energy savings they yield are surprising. Total heating or cooling loss due to insufficient caulking or weatherstripping can be as high as 30 to 40 percent of your monthly heating and cooling costs.

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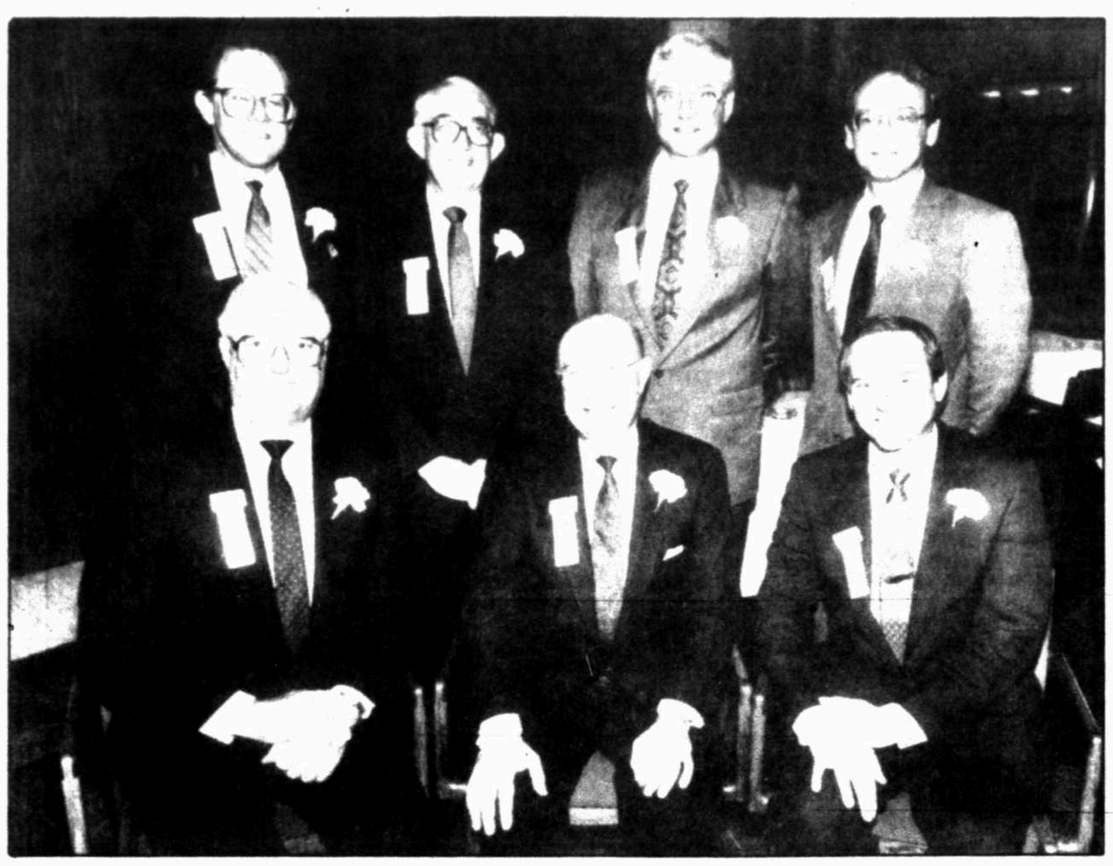

Executives of Conoco were honored Tuesday with a Wildcatters reception at the Petroleum Club. The firm's executives include, seated, from left, Harry Sager, Dino Nicandros and Mark Mosley, and standing, David Branch, Jim Patterson, John Ogren and Derryl Collins.

Brian Adamcik/Reporter-Telegram

Conoco head: oil industry improving

By JOHN PAUL PITTS
Business/Oil Editor

A healthy and more active oil industry is now rising from the ashes of the downturn, says Constantine S. Nicandros, president and CEO of Conoco Inc.

Nicandros who came to Midland Tuesday with a contingent of Cococo executives for a Wildcatters reception at the Midland Petroleum Club, told the Reporter-Telegram that he is optimistic that both oil prices and activity will increase in the coming years, and that Conoco is preparing to step up both its domestic and international exploration programs.

"Now is the time when we need to be spending more for exploration. For the first time we are seeing more prospects and opportunity than we have money for," said Nicandros. "To me that's a sign of healthy industry and I am encouraged by it." The colorful executive said recovery signs could be a function of "delayed pencil sharpening."

He gave the reopening of Conoco's Milne Point as an example of pencil sharpening. "We started the project in 1986 and shut it down within a couple of months when oil prices dropped. Our people went back, sharpened their pencils and found a way to cut the cost of a producing a barrel by 40 percent. Now we are open again."

For the future, Conoco is basing its economics on $17 oil and a other economic tests. "We think we are looking at $17 oil for the remainder of the year. Through 1993-94 we are adding $1 a barrel, and after that we are adding $2 per barrel. By the year 2,000 we think we will have $24 oil."

As for natural gas prices, the chief executive says he wouldn't be surprised if prices hit $2.50 per Mcf in 1990, if the right weather conditions prevail. He warned that natural gas would continue to be a seasonal market unless better methods of storage and distribution were found.

"We all keep hearing about this gas bubble, but it will probably disappear quietly and be gone before we become aware of it," he said.

Despite the conservative optimism about oil prices, Nicandros says a project must be able to survive for its life on $15 oil. "It must show a

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MARKETS

Energy futures decline slightly

From Staff and Wire Reports

Energy futures at mid-morning had declined only 6 cents to rest at $20.69 per barrel, reflecting the San Francisco earthquake had not affected the energy futures market.

On Tuesday, however, the energy futures market moved mostly higher, bouncing back after some modest losses in the previous session.

On the New York Mercantile Exchange, the November contract for West Texas Intermediate, the benchmark grade of U.S. crude oil, rose 16 cents to settle at $20.75 a 42-gallon barrel, after falling 30 cents on Monday.

Other contract months also rose.

Among other refined petroleum products traded on the New York Merc, the November contract for wholesale home heating oil rose 0.63 cent to close at 61.05 cents a gallon. The contract had declined 0.45 cent on Monday.

November unleaded gasoline, which fell 0.30 cent in the previous session, lost another 0.01 cent to 55.84 cents a gallon. But other contract months were higher.

CRUDE OIL

SPOT MARKET

W.T. INTERMEDIATE

- Mid-morning Quote $18.72
- Tuesday's Close $20.75
- Previous Close $20.60
- One Year Ago $14.60

W.T. SOUR

- Tuesday's Close $18.84
- Previous Close $18.71
- One Year Ago $13.17

SOURCE: NYMEX

POSTED PRICE

- This Week $19.75
- Previous Week $19.25
- One Year Ago $13.00

Dollar gains on Tuesday losses

NEW YORK (AP) — The dollar recovered from an early loss Tuesday and finished mixed in U.S. trading after falling against most major currencies in trading in Europe on news of a bigger-than-expected U.S. trade deficit.

Gold prices edged higher in New York after a mixed showing overseas. Republic National Bank of New York quoted a late bid for gold of $366.40 a troy ounce, up 60 cents from Monday's late bid.

EXCHANGE RATES

- 1.8520 West German marks
- 1.6227 Swiss francs
- 6.2960 French francs
- 2.0867 Dutch guilders
- 1,365.00 Italian lire
- 1.1755 Canadian dollars

The dollar dropped early in the day on news that the U.S. trade deficit widened in August to $10.77 billion when many traders were expecting a deficit of about $9.5 billion.

In Tokyo, the dollar rose to 142.25 Japanese yen from 140.75 yen at Monday's close. Later in London it edged up further to 142.35 yen. In New York, the dollar rose to 142.70 yen from 141.80 yen on Monday.

The dollar weakened against the British pound. In London, the British pound rose to $1.5835 from $1.5820 late Monday. Later in New York, the pound edged up to $1.57575 from $1.5750 late Monday.

On New York's Commodity Exchange, gold for current delivery rose 10 cents a troy ounce to $367.40.

Gold rose in London to a late bid of $367.75 a troy ounce, up from $366.50 bid late Monday. In Zurich, the metal fell to a closing bid of $366.90 from $367 bid late Monday. Earlier, in Hong Kong, gold fell 42 cents to close at a bid $366.66.

Silver for current delivery slipped 0.2 cent to $5.102 a troy ounce on New York's Comex. In London, silver rose to a late bid of $5.12 from $5.11 late Monday.

Market seesaw tips downward

NEW YORK (AP) — The stock market seesaw tipped downward again Tuesday as the Dow Jones industrial average lost nearly 19 points after briefly falling more than 60 points early in the day.

Speculators and program traders yanked around a market still deeply shaken by Friday's 190-point plunge and Monday's 88-point recovery in the Dow Jones average of 30 blue-chip industrial stocks.

Stock prices held up fairly well despite continued uncertainty surrounding a proposed buyout of United Airlines' parent company and a government report showing a bigger-than-expected trade deficit in August. The Federal Reserve helped by adding a modst amount of reserves to the banking system.

In a sign of the market's nervousness, stock index futures plunged shortly before noon, which briefly dragged the Dow Jones average 63 points below Monday's finish.

The average closed with a loss of 18.65 points at 2,638.73 with 224.07 million shares traded on the New York Stock Exchange, scarcely more than half Monday's volume.

Markets were calmer than on Monday, when the average swung through a 150-point range and trading was the heaviest since the week of the Oct. 19, 1987 crash.

"People are being cautious and wanting to see if this market holds together," said Dudley Eppel, a senior vice president at Donaldson, Lufkin & Jenrette Securities Corp.

MARKET IN BRIEF

NYSE issues consolidated trading October 17, 1989	
Volume in shares	256,667,230
Issues traded	2,002
Up	658
Unchanged	413
Down	931
NYSE Index	188.89 Up 0.87
S&P Composite	341.16 Down 1.69
Dow Jones Industrials	2,638.73 Down 18.65

AP

Langdon set to address WTGS meet

From Staff Reports

Langdon

Federal Energy Regulatory Commissioner Jerry Langdon will be one of the principal speakers Thursday at a West Texas Geological Society symposium on exploration.

Other speakers at the symposium which deals with exploring for subtle traps in mature basins include William L. Fisher, director of the Bureau of Economic Geology at the University of Texas and Grover Murray, a distinguished geologist and former president of Texas Tech University.

An estimated 300 to 400 geologists, landmen, engineers and operators from acrosss the nation are expected to be on hand for the symposium which has been described "packed full of information for those dealing with subtle, hard-to-find traps in a mature producing area."

"A lot of the big structural plays have already been made," said symposium chairman Ron Johnson. "All that remains in many areas are subtle traps — stratigraphic and small structures or a combination of the two." Such traps, however, are crucial to the full economic development of areas such as the Permian Basin.

Over 25 papers, ranging from geological interpretation to raising capital, will be presented at the meeting.

Quake halts Bay Area business

N.Y. Times News Service

LOS ANGELES — When the shaking stopped in San Francisco, so did business. And no one was sure how long it would take before the Bay Area's economy would be working once again.

Banks, utilities and other key businesses were operating on an emergency basis. Non-essential businesses were not expected to be functioning for days, if not longer.

California Gov. George Deukmejian and San Francisco Mayor Art Agnos urged Bay Area workers to stay home Wednesday.

"I am sure there are going to have to be a lot of adjustments, a necessity for a lot of businesses to operate on skeleton crews," Deukmejian told Cable News Network Tuesday night.

Pauline Sweezey, chief economist with the California Department of Finance in Sacramento, said it was too early to gauge the long-term effects of the disaster.

"We really have to worry about the toll on human beings, the dislocation and the damaged structures before we worry about the banks," Sweezey said.

Representatives of San Francisco-based banks said that despite damage to their offices, customer records were not lost.

Kathleen Shilkret, a spokeswoman in Wells Fargo Bank's Los Angeles office, said the bank backed up all of its customer information in both its Southern California and Northern California data centers.

"We have several data centers and one of them is in El Monte," she said. "It has backup for San Francisco."

All of Wells Fargo's automated teller machines were turned off Tuesday night by the company, Shilkret said. She was not sure when service would be restored.

Shilkret said that even if the ATM machines are down, Los Angeles customers would be able to conduct normal banking business at local branches.

California Federal Bank expects to be "fully operational (Wednesday)" in the Bay Area," spokesman John Kaufman said late Tuesday. "The majority of the branches we've heard from are reporting no damage."

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Housing starts plunge

WASHINGTON (AP) — Housing construction fell 5.2 percent in September to the lowest level of activity since the 1982 recession, the government reported today.

The Commerce Department said new homes and apartments were being built at a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 1.26 million units last month, following an even larger 6.2 percent drop in activity in August.

Analysts blamed the back-to-back declines on rising mortgage rates, with some warning that unless the Federal Reserve comes to the economy's rescue with lower rates, the country could topple into a recession.

Mortgage rates, which climbed as high as 10.22 percent in early September, have been falling slightly in recent weeks and now stand at 9.95 percent, according to the national survey by the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp.

The 1.26 million-unit pace was the most sluggish annual rate since new homes and apartments were being built at an annual rate of 1.17 million units in October 1982, during the depths of the 1981-82 recession.

For the year, construction has fallen in six months and risen in only three months. The level of activity for the first nine months of 1989 is running 6.2 percent below last year.

For September, construction of single-family homes fell by 2.1 percent to an annual rate of 971,000 units, the second consecutive month that single-family homes have been below the 1 million mark.

Construction of multi-family units was down an even sharper 14.1 percent to an annual rate of 292,000 units. The main sector in apartment construction, complexes with five or more units, fell to their lowest level since June 1982.

In a disturbing sign for the future, permits for new units dropped as well in September, falling 2.4 percent to 1.30 million units.

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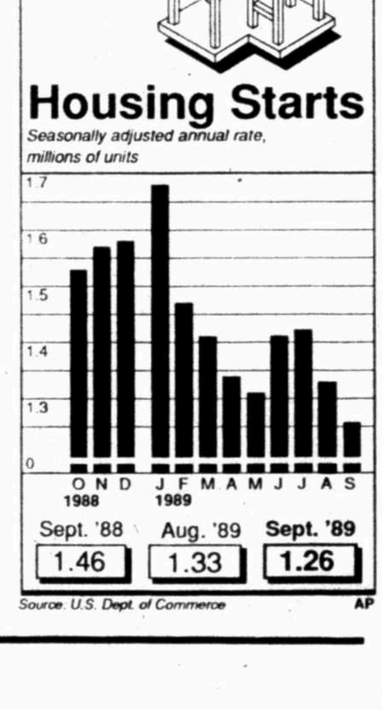

BUSINESS IN BRIEF

Parallel Petroleum reports record earnings

From Staff Reports

Parallel Petroleum Corp. announced that the company had record earnings of $98,613 for the nine months ended Sept. 30, 1989. This compares to a net loss of $11,345 for the same period in 1988.

The company also reported record quarterly earnings for the three months ended Sept. 30 of $37,334, compared to a net loss of $21,839 for the same quarter in 1988.

Parallel estimates future net revenues from its proved developed oil and gas properties, discounted at 10 percent, to be approximately $7 million as of Sept. 30, representing a 75 percent increase over year-end 1988 estimates. The estimated increase is the direct result of the company's purchase of certain producing oil and gas properties in the Permian Basin of West Texas during March 1989.

Accountants to hear investment broker

From Staff Reports

The Permian Basin chapter, National Association of Accountants, will meet Thursday at the Holiday Inn Country Villa beginning at 11:45.

Guest speaker will be Jim Trolinder, an investment broker and retirement specialist with Rauscher Pierce Refsnes Inc. His topic will be "The Medicare Catastrophic Act of 188 and Tax-wise Investments."

Cost of the luncheon is $12, and reservations can be made by calling 685-4692.

BUSINESS SCENE

Opening set for new yogurt store

By MELLA McEWEN

McEwen

A grand opening has been scheduled for November 1 for **YOGURT & MORE**, located in Town & Country Shopping Center between Major Video and Gloria & Millie's Large Fashions.

Owner June Briggs explains that the store will feature a wide variety of frozen yogurt and toppings as well as soups, sandwiches, baked potatos and a salad bar.

In addition, she has a large collection of teddy bears in all shapes and sizes — some even on cards.

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CRASS & ASSOCIATES has relocated to the United Bank Building at 1030 Andrews Highway, Suite 202, and expanded.

According to owner Linda Crass, she now operates a nine-office executive suite that includes a receptionist and answering service for a monthly rent of $150. The suite includes fax and copying machines, a lunch room, conference room and coffee bar. Tenants can also get word processing and bookkeeping services for an additional charge.

She explains that the service is aimed at independent professionals who don't need or can't afford a large staff, or small businesses just getting started.

The executive suite is in addition to her offering word processing, resume and secretarial services.

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San Antonio-based **UTOPIA SPRING WATER CO.**, which sells its water in the Pemian Basin, has begun offering the Multimix BeverageBar.

This refreshment center offers soft drinks, seltzer, sparkling water and hot or cold Utopia water.

It's designed for offices with 10 to 50 employees and takes up less than two square feet of floor space.

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TECHTRONIC DATA SYSTEMS, 407 N. Big Spring, has been purchased by Alan Shouse, formerly of Shouse & Kimbro CPAs.

The company was formed in 1979 by the merging of Permian Management Services Inc., which provided receivables management computer services, and Leescott Datasystems, which installed and supported turnkey systems in the oil and gas, wholesale distribution and general busines aras.

TDS provides computerized accounting services and systems to industries in the Permian Basin. Among its offerings are the Oil and Gas Accounting System (OGA$), usable on Digital Equipment Corp. computers.

Mella McEwen is a business/oil writer for the Reporter-Telegram.

Some 'bulls' unfazed by recent market

N.Y. Times News Service

NEW YORK — With a single question hanging on the lips of every investor — What now? — the inevitable parade of analysts and economists rushing forth with answers has begun.

For those with a rosier outlook, three days of hectic, up-and-down trading have not altered their basic conviction: that the market will keep climbing.

Many of their arguments are rooted in the belief that interest rates are falling in the long run. Lower rates traditionally chase some investors out of fixed-income securities and into stocks.

Lower rates also help the stock market by making it easier for companies to borrow money.

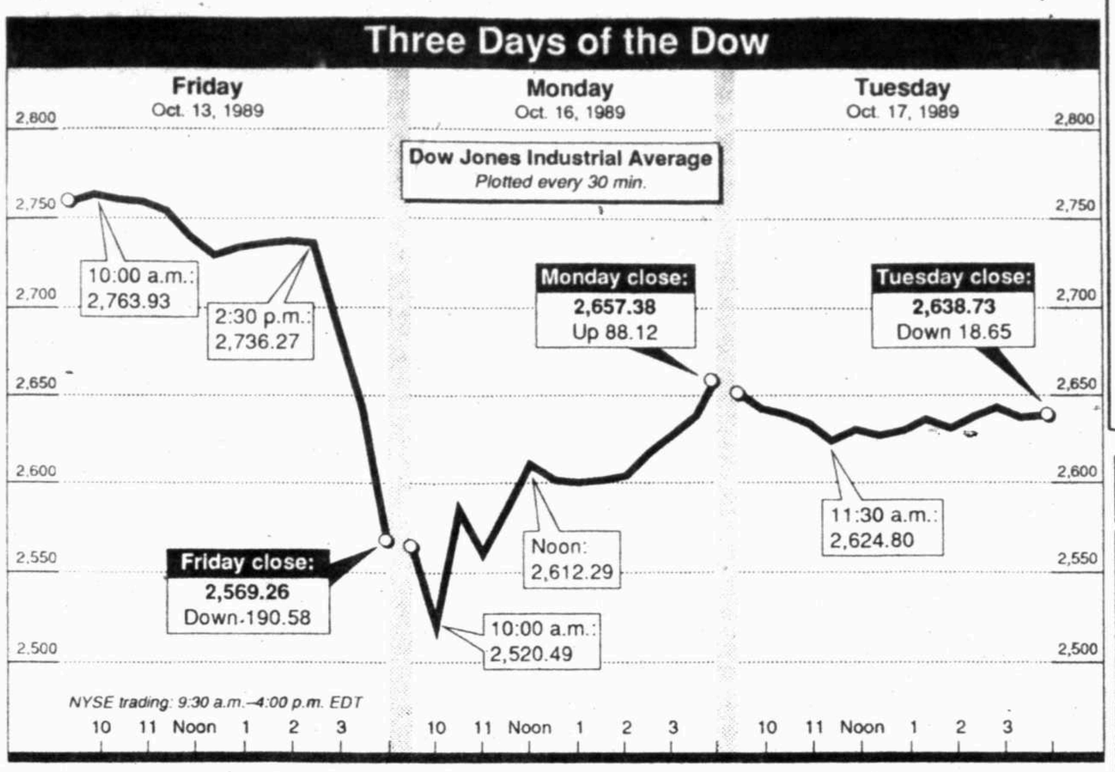
The more their "cost of capital" drops, the more able they are to undertake investments that raise corporate profits.

The bulls, many of whom work for Wall Street's best-known brokerage houses, acknowledge that their forecasts will probably not be borne out in the short term, and they look beyond Friday's upheaval, and even beyond the disappointing earnings that many prestigious companies like IBM reported for the third quarter.

"People are borrowing less," said Charles I. Clough Jr. chief investment strategist at Merrill Lynch.

The total level of domestic debt, including households, corporations and government, he said, is running at about $9.7 trillion, 8 percent higher than last year, but a far cry from the 14 to 16 percent growth rates of the mid-1980s.

"We're sort of unwinding the great postwar credit boom," he said. "The U.S. now has the lowest rates of growth of both money and credit in the last 20 years. The U.S. is moving from a borrowing and spending economy into a savings economy, and that's why interest rates are dropping."



The flurry of disappointing profits is partly symptomatic of that shift, he said, and is one reason why Merrill is advising its customers to be half invested in long-term bonds and half in stocks.

"There are large chunks of this economy that have been built up to service this consumer spending boom, and as it unwinds many sectors will see earnings weakness," he said. "But the long-term backdrop here is quite positive."

Low interest rates also convince Elaine Garzarelli, the director of sector analysis for Shearson Lehman Hutton Inc., that the Dow could end up between 2,850 and 3,100 within six months to a year — 8 to 18 percent above yesterday's close.

And she thinks it highly unlikely that the Dow will fall below 2,350, given the current levels of corporate dividends and earnings.

Her index of 13 key indicators, which was negative before the 1987 crash and turned positive in February 1988, now suggests that the market is flirting with historic lows, and thus presents a buying opportunity.

After the 1987 crash had shaken investor confidence, the market bottomed out on Dec. 4, 1987, at a price that implied that investors were virtually assured of getting at least 4.1 percent of their capital back in annual dividends.

Bell's earnings decline despite 'healthy' status

ST. LOUIS (AP) — Southwestern Bell Corp. said on Tuesday that two non-recurring events had caused a drop in third quarter earnings compared with a year ago.

The company reported earnings of $295 million, or 98 cents per share, on revenues of $2.2 billion for the quarter, compared with earnings of $323 million, or $1.08 per share, on revenues of $2.2 billion in the same period last year.

Southwestern Bell said a franchise tax refund it received in the third quarter of 1988 and a one-time adjustment to its revenues this year resulted the 8.7 percent drop in net earnings.

Earnings for the nine months were $796 million, or $2.65 per share, on revenues of $6.4 billion, compared with earnings of $755 million, or $2.51 per share, on revenues of $6.3 billion a year ago.

"Had it not been for the tax refund and the revenue adjustment, which were non-recurring events, net income for the third quarter would have increased over the same period last year," said Zane E. Barnes, chairman and chief executive officer.

'Bearish' traders say market has increased risks

N.Y. Times News Service

NEW YORK — Some money managers and analysts are reading the same tea leaves as their more hopeful colleagues but divining a decidedly different message: The stock market is unstable and will head down.

These doomsayers argue that the plunge is not an isolated incident but a signal that the underpinnings of the market have shifted as the economy worsens.

"I don't think a healthy market drops 7 percent in an hour and a half because of a minor event like the UAL deal," said Barton M. Biggs, managing director and chief international portfolio strategist at Morgan Stanley. He described the drop as "spooky."

And Richard Russell, editor of Dow Theory Letters, a market newsletter, said the public was using the past as a guide.

"In 1987, the only thing comparable was the 1929 crash, so everybody was getting ready for a depression," he said.

"Last week everybody looked back at 1987 and said it's only a 'correction' and the market will be back and go even higher. But the market rarely does the same thing twice."

Biggs declined to make any predictions about the market, but he did say the risks of investing in stocks have greatly increased.

"If the market goes up, you probably should sell stocks and buy bonds," he added. He said the added risks of stocks are likely to exist "not just for three weeks but for the next three years."

Other market professionals are even more pessimistic, and they put forward a host of reasons to support their positions.

Foremost among these is the perception that the takeover mania, which has fed much of the rise in the stock market for several years, appears to be cooling.

The recent difficulties in using high-risk "junk bonds" for financing buyouts and takeovers "will lower the number of future deals and lower the price an acquirer can afford to pay to complete a transaction," said Neil J. Weisman, a partner at Chilmark Capital Partners, a money management firm that manages $220 million.

e said more market scares are likely as completed leveraged buyouts continue to fall apart.

"Many of the leveraged deals are starting to unravel," he said.

"As the economy continues to slow, we expect to see a greater number of financial dislocations."

Weisman sees other troubling signs. The amount of free cash that corporations have on hand has been falling, he said.

He also believes that a nationwide decline in real estate prices has begun. That may induce consumers to spend less, he says, further slowing economic growth.

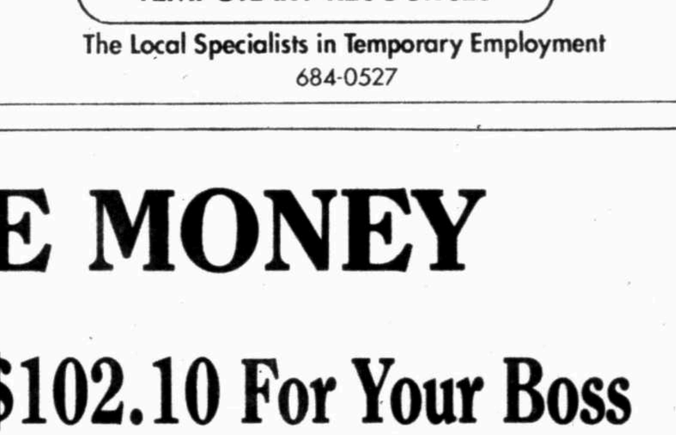
In addition to the buyout craze, many analysts say corporations are in for troubled times as inflation edges up to arou d 5 percent for 1989, the economy lows and corporate profits flatten or decline.

Despite an apparent accumulation of negative signals — the trade deficit, inflationary pressure caused by $20-a-barrel oil, and a rush into high-quality blue-chip issues by many institutional buyers — bearish analysts say some investors are not paying attention.

"You have to ask why the market ignored things regarding the flawed UAL deal," said Laszlo Birinyi Jr., head of Birinyi Associates, a New York investment management firm.

"And you have to ask if it is doing the same thing toward the economy and the corporate situation," he said.

TEMPORARIES OF THE YEAR



Left to right: Donna Robertson, Fran Hawke, Temporaries of the year: Victor Rubalcava and Lillie Williams, Patricia de Little and Vickey Banks.

Governor Clements designated October 8-14, 1989 as Temporary Help Week. Temporary Resources, a temporary employment service at 1008 W. Missouri, is honoring two employees in celebration of Temporary Help Week, stated Patricia de Little, President.

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Retailers cautious about holiday season

N.Y. Times News Service

Aloma Park hasn't felt very excited about Christmas shopping in years. And this holiday season is no exception. The problem isn't money. The 26-year-old attorney has more than ever to spend. But she doesn't know what she wants to spend it on.

"I don't like gadgetry. But the general merchandise hasn't been very exciting for a few years," she said. "I don't know what I'll buy."

She's got plenty of company.

Retailers and analysts sound downright wishy-washy about the coming Christmas season. And Friday's 190-point drop in the Dow Jones Industrial Average made the outlook even more uncertain.

Edward Weller, an analyst with Montgomery Securities in San Francisco, said a lot depends on whether the plunge continues.

At this point, no one expects to set sales records this Christmas. Most do expect modest growth. But they hem and haw when it comes to a discussion of particulars.

Some say there will be lots of sales and mark-downs. Others don't. Some say consumer electronics will be strong. Others say apparel. And no one agrees on this season's wild card — the continuing financial crisis with big retail chains owned by conglomerates like Campeau Corp., B.A.T Industries PLC and L.J. Hooker Corp. While most of these stores are back East, some say their fate eventually may affect retailers in the West.

And some say it won't.

"It could be great, it could be lousy," said James Nordstrom, co-chairman of Nordstrom Inc., the Seattle-based department store chain. "I don't know how it will turn out."

For retailers, the fourth quarter is crucial because it accounts for as much as half of a retailer's annual profits. Apparel alone can mean as much as 30 percent to 50 percent of total sales, depending on the type of store.

In the toy industry, Christmas brings in about 60 percent of the year's revenues.

Retailers are pushing new items in electronics, such as hand-held video game players. But mostly they are promoting basics — Barbie and G.I. Joe — and traditional gifts, from jewelry and perfume to crystal ornaments.

"I don't think there are going to be a lot of spectacular new items or hot items," said William M. Jacobs, senior vice president and chief financial officer of Pic 'N' Save, the Dominguez, Calif.-based chain of discount stores. "Generally there's just a solid underpinning of market strength for basic toys, apparel and gifts."

Retailers are especially cautious this year. They are keeping inventories lean and new products are at a minimum.

"Retailers are well-positioned for uncertain times," Weller said.

Besides, he added, "(when) the stock market went down 500 points (in October 1987), the rest of the economy yawned. I don't think this is an indication of financial panic."

But if the slide continues, it may hurt fourth-quarter spending and sales, said Thomas Tashjian, an analyst with Seidler Amdec Securities Inc. in Los Angeles.

Elizabeth Armstrong, an analyst with Prescott, Ball & Turben Inc. in New York, predicted sales growth, but a more modest increase than last year.

The stock market drop notwithstanding, consumer confidence is relatively healthy. The September consumer confidence index of the Conference Board, a non-profit business research firm in New York, remained at 115.4, higher than the 110.4 last September but unchanged from August and considerably below the 120.2 record high.

What's more, retailers have learned from the difficulties in 1987. Overly optimistic following a record Christmas in 1986, they overstocked and had to dramatically cut prices to meet sales expectations. In 1988, stores were more profitable because they were more cautious, a scenario expected in 1989.

"I would say that we are going to have a decent but generally restrained Christmas," said Kurt Barnard, publisher of Retail Marketing Report in New York. "The customer is more restrained than a year ago. He or she is older, with many obligations and essentially a shrunken discretionary buying power. They have mortgages to pay, auto payments to make. They have little babies that they didn't have a few years ago."

Stores begin planning their Christmas strategy in January. At Bullock's, meetings are held to go over what worked and what didn't the previous season while it's still fresh, said Kathleen Waugh, spokeswoman for Macy's South/Bullock's.

The display department buys ornaments and trim immediately and plans the next Christmas' decor. Gift buyers, who purchase goods in Europe or Asia, develop deals to provide their stores with exclusive gifts.

Fashion and other merchandise buying takes place in summer and fall. And ordering and reordering of highly popular items — such as this year's sound-activated dancing flowers — goes on right up to the fall.

In October, the stores begin the laborious process of installing garlands, trim and Christmas decor shops.

"The holiday season is so very important to retailers," Waugh said. "It is something that is watched and nurtured every step of the way."

But what goods will sell well and which won't remains a guessing game.

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QUAKE —

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Pacific Bell was experiencing widespread service problems and disruptions in the Bay Area, although officials still were working to assess the amount of damage on Tuesday evening.

"We've activated our emergency operating center in San Ramon where managers have gathered to assess the damage," said Charlene Baldwin, a spokeswoman in Los Angeles.

"Many problems (affecting) the phone system are due to the extraordinary number of people trying to call into the area," she said.

Pacific Bell has numerous central offices throughout the state. The company's core computer systems and phone switching gear are located in the central offices. There is not expected to be any service problems in Southern California.

In Silicon Valley, the area's technology center, computers went down after the quake.

At Amdahl Corp., a Sunnyvale-based manufacturer of mainframe computers, the computer systems went down for at least an hour and a half. Late Tuesday, the system was up on a backup mode, at about one-third of the speed, said Lance Zaklan, a software engineer.

United Airlines, with its third largest hub at San Francisco International Airport, said that its more than 130 scheduled flights had been canceled or diverted to other airports in California or Las Vegas.

"Our operations into and out of San Francisco International have stopped," said Sara Dornacker, a spokeswoman for United, which also has a major maintenance base in San Francisco. "The facilities, the terminal and the maintenance operation at the airport and the reservations center in downtown San Francisco were evacuated. Planes in the maintenance areas were moved out of the hangers and other planes were moved away from the gates to minimize any damages from aftershocks."

STARTS —

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The weakness last month was concentrated in the South and Midwest. Construction activity in the South plunged 15.6 percent to an annual rate of 477,000 units. Housing starts fell 3.4 percent in the West to an annual rate of 373,000 units.

However, construction in the Northeast rose a sharp 17.2 percent to an annual rate of 170,000 units. Housing construction was up 2.9 percent in the Midwest to an annual rate of 243,000 units.

CONOCO —

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bare minimum return at that price for the duration before we go forward," he noted.

While maintaining a strong overseas exploration, Nicandros says the U.S. remains the number one place to explore in the eyes of Conoco. He said the company would pursue opportunities in the deep Gulf of Mexico, Alaska and offshore California. But he also announced some surprise plans for domestic onshore.

"We are going to drill three really rank wildcats next year. We haven't decided where, but they will be really rank." Nicandros said that was a frontier commitment he felt Conoco should be involved in. He also said the exploration wing of the company would focus on some smaller targets next year.

Drilling in the Permian Basin should be about even with this year, he noted. Division Manager Mark Mosley noted that Conoco would drill approximately 45 wells in 1988 and expected to drill about the same number next year. Mosley also noted Conoco had six possible tertiary projects under review. "We won't start any next year, but should be ready to go in 1991 or 1992," said Mosley.

Asked why major oil companies had not capitalized on low drilling prices, which now appear destined to head upward again, to drill major tertiary projects, both executives explained that drilling was only a small part of the cost for CO

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PE Sales Last Chg.

A—A

AMR		8	14325	74⅛	+	⅜
ARX			107	4	+	⅛
ASA	3a		328	44⅝	+	⅛
AbtLab	1.40	18	1959	66⅛	+	1¼
AetnLf	2.76	9	2408	58⅛	+	1
AirPrd	1.32	11	159	45	+	⅛
AlskAir	.20	8	365	24⅛		
Alcan	s1.12	5	5085	22⅛	+	⅛
AlcoStd	.76	14	112	35⅛	+	¼
Alglas			23	15-32	+	1-16
AlgPw	3.08	10	66	38⅛		
AldSgnl	1.80	10	720	35⅝	+	¼
Alcoa	1.60a	6	3948	70⅜	—	⅛
Amax	.80	3	723	23⅛	—	⅛
AmHes	.60	8	1147	40⅜	—	¼
AmBrnd	2.44	12	1642	72¾	+	2
ACyan	1.35	14	2640	50	+	⅛
AEPw	2.40	10	553	30⅜	+	⅛
AmExp	.84	15	4464	37	+	⅛
AFamily	.28	17	2276	18	+	⅛
AHome	3.90	16	1195	103⅜	+	⅜
Amrtch	s2.92	14	533	63¼		
AmtGr	.48	13	4864	103½	+	4⅛
AmRlt	s1.52	2	27	8		
AmStor	1	25	278	57⅛	+	⅛
AT&T	1.20	21	13425	42¼		
Ametek	.64	18	143	14		
Amoco	s1.90	13	2909	49	+	⅛
AMP	1.20	16	323	44⅝	+	⅛
Anacmp		16	784	4⅛		
Anadrk	.30	28	367	33	+	¼
Anheus	.88	16	2950	41	—	¼
Anthny	s.44	10	102	15⅝	+	1
ArchDn	.10b	13	1922	30⅛	+	⅛
Armco	.20a	5	621	10⅜		
ArmWl	1.06	11	204	39½	+	¼
Asarco	1.60	6	708	33⅜	+	⅛
AshOil	1	13	112	38¼	+	¼
AtlRich	4.50	11	893	102½	+	¾
Atlas	s	25	1	15⅛	—	⅛
Augat	.40		31	12⅛	—	⅛
AVMCO	.40	13	24	24⅜	—	⅛
Avery	.56	15	150	29⅜	+	⅛
Avnet	.60	18	136	26⅜	—	⅛
Avon	1		1850	29½	+	1
Aydin		s10	2	18⅜		

B—B

BakrHu	.46	38	1484	22⅛	+	⅛
BallyMf	.30	14	434	20½		
BaltGE	2.10	10	560	31½		
BncOne	1.04	12	2424	33⅜	+	⅛
BkNY	2.12		1125	1351	45	
BnkAm	.45e	8	5274	32⅛	—	⅛
Bausch	1.16	17	245	60		
Baxter	.56	16	1638	22⅜	+	⅛
BellAtl	4.40	15	589	99⅜	+	⅝
BellSo	2.52	15	2074	53⅜	+	⅛
BenfCp	2.20	12	97	51⅜		
BngtB	s	s	443	2⅛	—	⅛
BethSt	.10a	5	2886	18⅛	—	⅛
Bewrly			4409	6⅛	—	⅛
BlackD	.40	16	580	20⅛		
BlckHR	1.28	18	214	34⅛	+	⅛
Boeing	s1.20	20	3181	58⅛	—	⅛
BoiseC	1.52	6	1107	41	+	⅛
Borden	s	16	1784	35	+	⅛
BostEd	1.82	11	322	19⅜	—	⅛
BrMySq	2	17	9524	51⅛	—	¼
BritPt	3.45e	10	709	57⅛	+	⅛
Broadln	.10	11	64	9⅜	—	⅛
BrwnFr	.56	24	1477	40¼	—	⅛
Brnwrk	.44	13	2552	15¼	+	⅛
BrlNth	n1.20	8	745	26½	—	¼
BrlRsc	.61e	69	3795	45⅜	+	⅛

C—C

CBS	4.40	18	452	197	+	1
CIGNA	2.96	10	844	63⅛	+	1⅛
CMS	En	9	2170	33⅜	—	⅛
CNW	.20a	8	392	33⅛	—	1
CPC	1.80	16	737	64⅛	+	⅛
CRSS	s.24	15	427	35	+	1⅛
CSX	1.24	9	312	33⅜		
Caesar		11	515	30⅜	+	⅛
CampSp	.92	464	602	46⅜	+	⅛
CapCits	.20	22	81	516	+	4
CarPw	2.84	19	267	43⅜		
CarrHw		16	177	9⅛	+	⅛
CastlCk		22	178	35⅛	+	1
Caterp	1.20	9	1562	58⅜	—	⅛
Centel	s1.24a	52	1342	62⅜	—	¼
CentEn	1.60		610	18⅜	+	⅛
CenSoW	2.60	11	147	35⅜		
CnlPS	1.80	10	47	23	—	⅛
Chmpln	1.10	7	1782	32¼	+	⅛
ChartC	.05e	4	20	4⅛	—	⅛
Chase	2.36		857	40		
ChmBnk	2.72		748	36⅜	+	⅛
Chevrn	2.80	17	6779	64⅛	+	¼
ChrisCr	1.56t	49	384	34½	—	⅛
Chryslr	1.20	4	1711	23¼		
CircleK	.14j	88	681	5¼	—	⅛
CirChy	s.08	15	257	24	—	⅛
Citicorp	1.62	6	3553	31⅜	—	⅛
ClarkE		13	179	38⅛	+	⅛
Clorox	1.24	16	565	42⅜	+	⅛
Coastal	.40	15	846	42⅜	—	⅛
CocaCl	1.36	20	2472	67⅛	+	⅛
ColgP	1.80	13	1497	63⅛	+	2¼
ColGas	2	18	426	44⅝	+	⅛
CmbEn	1		1233	28⅛	—	⅛
Comdre			6	343	8⅞	
CmwE	.3	11	1594	37⅛		
Comsat	1.32	10	230	35⅝	—	⅛
ConEd	s1.72	11	720	25	+	⅛
ConsNG	1.76	23	237	46⅜	—	⅛
Conrail	1.20	9	375	41⅜	—	⅛
CnStar		13	192	4⅜	+	⅛
Contel	s1.10	21	2317	32⅜	+	⅜
CntlCp	2.60		868	34¼	+	⅛
CtData			615	18⅜	+	⅛
Cooper	s1	14	381	34½	+	⅜
Cornin	s.80	12	1731	38½		
CrayRs		10	186	35½	+	¼
CwnCrk		14	82	48⅜		
CumEn	2.20		125	51⅜	+	⅛
CurtW	1.60	11	4	61½		

D—D

DPL	2.24	10	313	28⅛	+	⅛
DQE	1.28	11	211	22⅜	+	⅛
DanaCp	1.60	9	144	35⅜	+	⅛
DataGn			212	14⅛		
DaytHd	1.12	15	7450	60	—	⅛
Deere	1.40	12	793	57¼	+	⅛
DeltaAr	1.20a	7	1896	68⅛	+	⅛
DetEd	1.68		635	23⅛		
Digital		10	2840	88⅛	+	⅛
Disney	.48	26	3836	120½	—	⅜
DomRs	3.20	11	362	43	+	¼
Dover	.72	15	349	33⅜	+	¼
DowCh	3.90	6	3059	95⅛	+	1¼
DowCh	wi		6	64	+	⅜
DowJns	.72	16	255	35¼	+	⅛
Dresr	1	18	751	42⅜	—	¼
duPont	4.20	11	1535	115⅛	+	¼
DukeP	3.12	13	566	51¾	+	¼

E—E

ERC		10	2	10⅜	—	⅛
EastEn	1.40	13	242	31¼	—	⅛
EKodak	2	14	3592	44⅛	+	¼
Eaton	2	9	344	59⅜	+	⅜
Echlin	.70	14	343	15	+	⅛
EKCO		18	5	2⅜		
EmrsEl	1.12	14	695	35⅛		
Enron	2.48	31	289	51	+	⅜
Ensrch	.80		386	22⅛		
Entergy	1	10	1333	21¼	+	⅛
Ethyl	48b	13	1069	25⅜	—	⅜
Exxon	2.40	15	4375	45¾	+	⅛

F—F

FMC		10	226	42⅜	—	⅛
FPL Gp	2.28	10	589	32⅛	—	⅛
Fairfd		60	32	6	—	⅛
Fedders	.40	12	141	14⅜	+	⅛
FdNM	s.56	16	6857	42	+	⅛
FnSBsr			112	d 1	—	⅛
FtBkSy	1.64		1181	19	+	⅛
FCapHd		6	104	11¼	+	⅛
FstChic	1.80	8	386	42⅜		
FstInfo	3	27	1013	56⅜	—	⅛
FstPa		12	309	15⅜	—	⅛
FtWrth	s1.52	11	27	40⅜		
FleetEn	.76	8	54	24⅝	+	⅛
FlightSf	.20	27	41	44½	+	¼
FlaPrg	2.36	10	88	36⅛	+	⅛
FlwGen			115	4⅜	—	¼
Fluor	.16	26	2164	33⅜	+	1⅛
FthlBG	.28b	5	23	7¼		
FordM	3	5	3002	50	+	⅛
FrptMc	1.50a	9	465	30	—	⅛

G—G

GTE	2.92	17	3158	64⅜	+	⅛
Gannett	1.08	17	1908	41	—	⅛
GenCrp	.60	16	172	17¼	—	⅛
Genetch		248	1208	19⅜		
GnDyn	1	6	293	54⅜	+	½
GenEl	1.64	14	5991	56⅜	+	¼
GnHous	.24	18	32	10⅝		
Gninst	.50	13	1112	37½	+	¼
GnMills	2.20	18	979	69¼	—	⅛
GMotr	s3	6	3609	44⅜	—	⅛
GM E	.96	16	36	53⅜	+	⅛
GPU	2.20	9	542	42¼		
GnSignl	1.80	20	181	52¼	+	⅜
Gensco		9	335	8	+	¼
GaPac	1.40	10	3194	58⅜	+	2
GrbPd	s	20	787	46⅜	+	⅛
GibrFn			105	5-16	+	1-32
Gillette	.96	17	987	45½	—	⅛
Glaxo	1.02e	16	1485	22¼	+	¼
GldNug			311	26⅛	—	⅛
GldWF	s.16	12	981	29⅜	—	¼
Gdrich	2	6	487	48⅜	—	¼
Goodyr	1.80	12	1008	48¾	—	¼
Grace	1.40	14	1001	32⅛	+	⅛
GtAtPc	.70	15	1089	56½		
GtNNk	1.32	6	685	40⅛	+	½
GtWFn	.80	12	3165	21⅜	—	⅜
Greyh	1.32	12	604	31½	+	⅛
Grumn	1	8	119	19⅜		
GlfStUt		59	443	11⅜	+	⅛

H—H

Halbtn	1	50	644	38¼	+	¼
Hartrd	.68	15	199	22⅜	—	⅜
Harley		10	828	35¼	+	¼
Harris	.96	68	329	37⅜	—	⅛
HeclaM	.05e	265	538	13¼	+	⅛
Heinz	1.68	18	718	62⅜	+	⅛
Herculs	2.24	18	167	46½	+	⅜
Hrshey	.78	15	914	35⅜	+	⅜
HewlPk	.42	14	2560	48⅜	—	⅜
Holiday		25	2339	70¼	+	⅜
Hmstke	.20	27	1953	15½	+	⅛
Honwell	2.75		3205	79¼	+	1½
Hotlinv	1		27	8⅜	—	⅛
HousInt	2.14b	9	61	56¼		
HouInd	2.96	11	477	34½	+	¼
Human	1.04	15	1371	37¾	+	1⅛

I—I

IRT	s1.16	19	12	13⅜	—	⅛
ITT Cp	1.48	10	2839	59	+	⅜
IdahoP	1.86	13	116	27¼	+	⅛
IdealB			1316	2⅛		
IllPowr	1.32j		1561	17		
ITW	.60	15	379	42⅛		
ICI	4.68e	7	388	76⅛	+	1⅛
ICA			73	2⅛		
INCO	.80a	4	918	31⅜		
IngerRd	1.20	13	308	45¼	+	⅛
InldStl	1.40	6	364	37¼	—	¼
Intrlke	s	4	132	14⅜	—	⅛
IBM	4.84	11	8432	102⅝	+	⅛
IntFlav	1.92	18	222	62¾	+	⅛
IntMin	1	11	209	49	—	¼
IntPap	1.48	7	5257	51⅜	+	⅛
Ipalco	1.72	9	175	23⅝		

J—J

JRiver	.60	10	991	28	—	⅜
JohnJn	s1.16	18	4568	55⅛	+	⅜
JohnIn	s.50i	7	5	11		
Josten	.64	19	107	26¾		

K—K

K mart	1.64	9	1415	35⅝	—	⅛
Kaneb			2266	5⅜	+	¼
KCSou	1.08		97	49	+	1⅛
KanGE	1.60	12	7	22¼	+	⅛
KansPL	1.76	11	35	23¾		
Kellogg	1.72	18	1061	72⅜	+	1
KerrMc	1.32	15	270	47¼	+	¼
KimbCl	2.60	14	1008	67	+	⅜
KnghtR	1.22	12	211	51¼		
Kroger			535	16⅜	—	¼

L—L

LTV			407	1⅜	+	⅛
Learnl	.48	13	2	16⅜	—	⅛
LeeEnt	.68	19	4	31⅞	—	⅛
Lehmn	1.31e		313	13⅜	+	⅛
Lilly	s1.35	21	3537	63¼	+	1
LincNtl	2.48	18	118	54⅜	+	¼
Litton		12	272	85⅞		
Lockhd	1.80	17	283	46⅜	+	¼
Loews	1	10	1674	123⅜	+	1⅜
LnStar	1.90	14	1629	29¼	+	1⅛
LILCo	1		440	18⅛		
LaLand	1		1269	39	+	⅜
LaPac	1	9	1116	40⅞	+	1⅛
Lukens	1.20	8	31	30½		

M—M

MCA	.68	23	1027	62⅛	+	⅜
MDU	1.42	10	6	20¼		
MfrHan	3.28	4	694	40½	+	¼
Manville			307	9⅜		
Mapco	s1	12	686	35		
Marriot	.24	17	1582	36¼	+	⅛
MartM	1.35	8	141	50¼	+	⅛
Masco	.52	13	1027	25⅛		
Maxus			259	9⅞	+	⅛
MayDS	1.42	13	498	46½	+	1
Maytag	90a	12	2059	20⅜	+	⅛
McDerl	1		259	22¼	+	⅛
McDnl	s.31	17	6042	30¼	—	⅜
McDnD	2.82	15	713	69¼	+	⅜
McGrH	2	16	1206	65½	+	1⅛
McKes	1.44	15	136	35⅛	—	⅜
Mead	.88	11	2473	37½	+	⅛
Mellon	1.40b	7	398	31¼	—	¼
Mehvil	s1.30	15	x212	50½	+	⅛
MercSt	.92	12	42	45⅛	+	⅛
Merck	1.80	22	4287	76⅛	+	⅛
MerLyn	1	13	1403	28½	+	⅛
MWE	1.60	11	11	19⅜	+	⅛
MMM	2.60	13	2114	73	+	⅛
MinnPL	1.78	11	10	25		
Mobil	2.60	13	3203	57⅛	+	¼
Monsan	3.40	12	530	114	+	1¼
MonPw	2.76	12	58	38⅜	+	⅛
Morgan	1.66		2756	43	—	⅛
Motorla	.76	15	1084	57	+	¼

N—N

NCNB	1.20	13	782	49⅝		
NCR	1.32	11	528	57⅛	+	⅜
NIPSCO	.84	11	218	18	+	⅛
NL Ind	n.60	9	108	22⅜		
Nalco	1.32	15	132	42⅜	+	⅛
NatlFGs	1.34	13	45	24⅛	+	⅛
NII			228	15⅜	+	⅛
NtSemi			2147	7⅛	+	⅛
Navistr			7	1930	4⅛	+	⅛
NevPw	1.56	12	23	22¼	+	⅛
NEngEl	2.04	12	43	25¼	—	⅛
NwtMg	.60	43	416	39½	+	¼
NiaMP	.60j	200	2656	14		
NflkSo	1.44	10	1016	35¾	+	⅛
Nortek	.10a		71	6⅜	—	⅛
NoestUt	1.76b	10	298	21⅜	+	⅛
NoStPw	2.22	12	133	35¾	+	⅛
Nortrp	1.20		204	21⅜		
Norton	2	13	203	54⅜		
Nrwst	s.82	10	383	22⅜		
Nynex	4.36	13	794	79⅜	—	¼

O—O

OccidPet	2.50	29	2652	28½	+	⅛
OhioEd	1.96	15	847	21¾	—	⅛
OklaGE	2.38	12	176	35⅜	+	⅛
Olin	2	11	499	58⅜	+	⅛
ONEOK	.95e	24	163	28	—	⅛
OmgCo	.02e	25	5	9⅜		
Oryx	1.20		373	39	+	⅛
OwensC			6	2204	27⅜	+	¼
Oxford	.50	13	1	13	+	¼

P—Q

PHM	.12	7	102	16⅛	—	⅛
PPG	1.52	10	380	41⅜	+	¼
PSI	.60a	8	299	16⅜		
PacEnt	3.48	14	609	49¼	—	⅛
PacGE	1.40	11	7861	19⅜	—	⅛
PacTel	1.88	16	3617	45⅛	—	⅛
Pacifcp	2.76	12	1711	41	+	⅛
PanAm			2376	3⅛		
PanEC	2		695	26⅜	+	¼
ParCom	.70	18	2977	56½	+	⅛
Patten	.12	6	19	2¾		
Penney	2.24	11	782	65⅛	—	¼
PePL	2.86	11	119	40⅜		
Pennzol	.3	13	245	79⅛		
PepBoy	.11	17	1038	11⅜	+	⅛
PepsiCo	1	18	1665	59	+	½
PerkEl	.68		403	24⅜		
Pfizer	2.20	16	2602	68⅛	+	1⅛
PhelpD	3a	4	804	68⅛	—	⅜
PhilaEl	2.20	10	997	22⅛	+	¼
PhilMr	s1.37	17	12240	43¼		
Philpln	.60	14	218	23⅜	+	½
PhilPet	1	8	4465	24⅛	—	⅛
Phlcorp		6	61	13	—	¼
PinWst	1.60		488	12⅜		
PitnyBw	1.04	16	488	49¼	+	⅜
Pittstn	.20	18	48	18¼	+	⅛
PlcrD	g.30		4881	15⅜	+	⅛
Polaroid	.60		2035	46⅛	—	⅛
PortGC	1.96	11	226	22½	—	⅛
Primco	.28	8	1569	28⅛	+	¼
ProctG	3.60	18	3085	128⅜	+	1⅜
ProcG	wi		9	65	+	1
PSvrCol	2	12	49	24⅛		
PSEG	2.04	10	403	26⅛		
PugetP	1.76	10	113	21¼	—	⅛
Quantel			15	9-16	+	1-16
QuakrO	1.40	24	626	62⅜	+	⅛
QuakSC	.80	23	120	15⅜		
Quantm	3	2	x538	33½	+	⅛
Questar	1.88	28	210	36⅜	+	¼

R—R

RLC	.20b	8	201	8		
RalsPur	1.65	12	601	85¼	+	1⅜
Ramad			2262	9⅜	—	⅛
RangrO			50	1031	6	
Raythn	2.20	10	317	81⅜	+	½
RdgB	wi		88	1⅜	+	⅛
ReyMtl	1.80	6	1137	53¾	+	¼
RiteAid	.82	17	87	39	+	¼
Robins		15	357	33½	+	⅛
Rockwl	.78	8	842	23¾	+	⅛
RoHaas	1.20	10	1667	33		
Rohr		13	808	24⅜	—	⅛
Rorer	.80	20	942	41½	+	¼
Rowan			1901	8½	+	⅛
RoyID	s3.36e	6	3679	68½	+	⅛
Ryder	.60	12	1610	23¾	—	⅛

S—S

SCEcp	2.56	10	619	35⅛	—	⅛
SPSTec	1.20	21	2	52¼		
SFePCp			3451	20½	+	⅜
SaraLee	1.44	17	750	59⅜	+	⅛
SCANA	2.46	11	21	32⅜		
SchrPlg	1.80	19	1185	75	+	½
Schlmb	1.20	27	2291	42⅜	—	⅜
ScottP	.80	9	1014	47¼	+	⅛
Seagrm	1.40	13	319	84⅜	+	½
Sears	2	13	4183	39⅜	—	½
SecPac	2.28	7	1544	45		
ShellT	s2.25e	10	642	42¼	+	⅛
Shrwin	.70	13	412	32⅜	+	⅛
Skyline	.48	13	243	14⅜	+	¼
SmthBc			85	42⅜	+	⅛
SmtB	eq		5875	37⅜	—	⅛
Sonat	2	17	396	42⅜		
SonyCp	.27e	34	117	61¾	+	⅛
SouthCo	2.14	9	552	26⅜	+	⅛
SwBell	2.60	15	1009	56⅛	+	¼
SwtPS	2.20	12	197	28¼		
SquarD	2	11	153	51¾	—	⅛
SumCo	1.80	32	588	39⅜	+	⅛
Syntex	1.50	17	2976	44⅛	+	⅛
Sysco	s.20	23	1318	27¼	—	⅛

T—T

TECO	1.52	12	160	27		
TRW	1.72a	11	376	47	+	⅛
TacBt		34	80	11-32	—	1-32
Talley	.50	6	43	11⅜	+	⅛
Tandem		22	3865	24½	—	⅛
Tandy	.60	12	1144	45⅜	+	¼
TchSym		29	18	10¾		
Tektrnx	.60	29	350	18¾	+	⅛
Teldyn	4	13	59	353¼	+	1
Tennco	3.04	20	1430	59½	+	⅜
Tesoro			18	9⅝	+	⅛
Texaco	3a	11	3508	51¾	+	⅜
TexInst	.72	9	1206	35½	+	⅛
TxPac	.40	67	6	41		
TexUtil	2.92	8	754	32⅜	+	⅛
Textron	1	9	990	26⅜	+	⅛
TimeW	1	27	1120	134⅛	+	⅛
TmMir	1	14	507	37	—	½
Timken	.92	11	388	31⅜		
Tokhem	.56	22	27	19⅜	+	¼
Tosco	s.60	14	1176	19½	+	½
Transm	1.92	9	3596	42⅜	—	⅛
Transco	1.36		153	43½	—	⅜
Travler	2.40	10	3834	40½	+	⅛
TriCon	2.11		108	23¾		
Tribune	.88	18	347	54½	+	⅛
Trinova	.68	10	3110	25⅜	—	⅜
TucsEP	1.60	5	192	21¼	+	⅛

U—U

UAL	Cp	12	11256	196¼	—	1⅜
UGI	2.25	13	59	37⅜	—	⅛
UNClnc		7	66	6¾	—	⅛
USFG	2.80	11	1982	30⅛	—	¼
USG		3	367	3¼	—	⅛
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UnPac	2.20	13	258	74¾	+	⅜
Unisys	1	11	1547	18		
UBrand	.20	11	3	16½	—	¼
USWest	3.76	12	656	70⅜	+	⅜
UnTech	1.60	11	1868	53⅜	+	⅜
UniTel	2	30	955	77⅜	—	¼
Unocal	1.40	14	714	52¾		
Unocal	wi		10	26½		
Upjohn	1	19	6583	38⅜	—	⅛
USLIFE	1.40	11	102	44¼		

V—V

Varian	.26	9	32	23½	—	⅛
Varity		11	923	2¼	—	⅛

W—W

Wackht	.60	14	15	19	—	⅛
WalMrt	.22	26	2218	41⅜	—	¼
WarnC	.68	22	2034	63		
WarnrL	2.56	20	712	111	+	1⅛
WshWt	2.48	11	180	28⅛	+	⅛
WellsF	3.60	8	1129	81⅜	—	⅜
WUnion			963	15-16		
WstgE	2.40	10	2405	64⅜		
Weyerh	1.20	10	1670	28⅜	+	¼
Whrlpl	1.10	18	1096	28⅜	+	⅛
Whitmn	1.02	17	1913	30⅛	+	⅛
Whittk		n	3	20	10⅜	+	⅛
William	1.40		524	40½	+	⅜
WinDix	1.98	16	169	54⅜	—

Odessa insurance agent ordered to halt unfair or deceptive business practices

By JAMES CULLEN
Reporter-Telegram Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — An Odessa insurance agent was ordered by the state insurance commissioner to stop using unfair or deceptive business tactics or writing insurance policies that he solicited from Odessa city employees at a series of seminars.

State Insurance Commissioner A.W. Pogue issued an emergency cease and desist order to Royce Frederick Carrigan Jr. of Odessa, a licensed agent doing business as Integrated Financial Group, to stop untrue, deceptive or misleading statements about insurance, writing policies that he solicited during the disputed seminar, or writing any policies he took as a result of misrepresentations or omissions made at any time to prospective purchasers.

The order, issued Friday and made public Tuesday, was based upon an application by William P. Harbeson, a staff attorney of the State Board of Insurance, which stated that Carrigan conducted seminars targeted at Odessa city employees at the Holiday Inn Parkway in Odessa Sept. 26-30 after fliers were distributed that implied that group health plans would be discussed.

Four of the five policies discussed were individual health plans, the application said. Statements that implied that purchases of individual policies would enjoy special group rates violated the Texas Insurance Code, the report alleged.

The application alleges that Carrigan also violated the code with misleading statements about coverage, failure to disclose facts and implied benefits that were not a part of policies offered at the seminars.

Senate Bill 255, which the Legislature approved this past spring, authorized the commissioner to issue cease and desist orders without prior notice and hearing when he believes that unfair or deceptive trade practices are being committeed, unlicensed insurance activities are taking place or the alleged conduct is fraudulent or creates an immediate danger.

Fight, shooting erupts on Dallas bus

DALLAS (AP) — No one was injured when a violent fight erupted on a Dallas Area Rapid Transit bus between a group of teen-agers who had boarded the bus at the end of High School Day at the State Fair of Texas, authorities say.

Some of the passengers smashed windows and fired bullets through the crowded vehicle during the incident late Tuesday, witnesses said.

Gang violence was possibly to blame for the incident, police said.

"Based on what the bus driver said, we believe it could be gangs," said Dallas Police officer B.C. Wetton.

Youths also smashed windows on three other DART buses in the downtown area, police said. One driver was roughed up in one of the incidents.

Police said youths who had been left without rides or were ordered off the buses went on a violent rampage on a downtown street, kicking over newspaper boxes and scattering papers in the street.

Vincent Quintanilla, 32, told officers the shooting occurred after he picked up a load of teen-agers at the fairgrounds at 10:30 p.m.

"As soon as I left, everybody started fighting," Quintanilla said.

"Everybody was hollering, and one of the ladies said, 'This man wants to kill you and he's got a gun,'" Quintanilla added.

A group of girls rushed the front of the bus and one male youth hit his shoulder, nearly causing him to lose control of the bus, Quintanilla said.

One of the young people involved in the fight jumped off the bus in downtown Dallas, Quintanilla said, and started firing a pistol into the bus, forcing the driver and some remaining passengers to drop to the floor.

Summit site narrowed to to two cities

Hearst News Service

WASHINGTON — Houston and San Antonio are the only cities still under consideration to be the site of next year's international economic summit, a White House official said Tuesday.

The narrowing of prospects was made after an in-house study requested by White House chief of staff John Sununu. He recently received the staff report on possible sites for the meeting, an annual three-day gathering of the leaders of the seven major economic democracies.

Houston and San Antonio are being notified that the selection process is entering the final phase, the official said. The cities are being asked for presentations on what each can offer for the meeting.

Sununu is expected then to brief President Bush, who will choose the site.

"No city has a lock on it," the White House official said.

The White House staff has long favored San Antonio, believing the Alamo City is more picturesque than Houston, Bush's hometown. Houston's chances depend on Bush's affection for the city to which he moved in the late 1950s and has made his political base, aides said.

Some White House aides argue that a "Texas feel" is easier to come by in San Antonio, with the Alamo, River Walk and quick access to what one Bush associate has called "typical Texas spreads" just outside the city.

The cities have been the leading contenders for months, and word that either Houston or San Antonio will be chosen seems certain to intensify personal lobbying of Bush, his wife Barbara, and top aides by personal and political friends in the two Texas cities.

"They have been using the phone heavily," a Houstonian said of Bush friends who have called the White House to plead one of the cities' case.

Even Democrats, such as Rep. Albert Bustamante of San Antonio, have gotten into the battle.

"The odds (for San Antonio) are pretty tough," Bustamante said after a recent chat with Bush about the summit. "I'm afraid (Houston) is a couple of noses ahead of us."

Bush aides have said selection of a site is expected by the end of this month. The final review process will go over the same points that would be considered in picking a site for any large international meeting, White House officials said, and include housing, airport and security considerations.

The White House request for a final presentation comes at the same time that Houston is preparing its bid for the 1992 Democratic National Convention. Complete proposals for that meeting are due in Washington on Friday.

Preparation of the Democratic bid has been hampered because chances to land the economic summit seem brighter.

"We've got a lot of hoops to jump through" to win the Democratic convention, a party insider said.

9 people hurt when sheriff's department van struck by car

AUSTIN (AP) — Nine people were injured when a Travis County sheriff's department van carrying 13 prisoners from a correctional complex was struck by a car, authorities said.

Eight prisoners and the car's driver were treated for minor injuries and released from Brackenridge Hospital after the Tuesday crash.

Spokesman Curtis Weeks said the prisoners were being returned to the complex in Del Valle, east of Austin, after cleaning a park.

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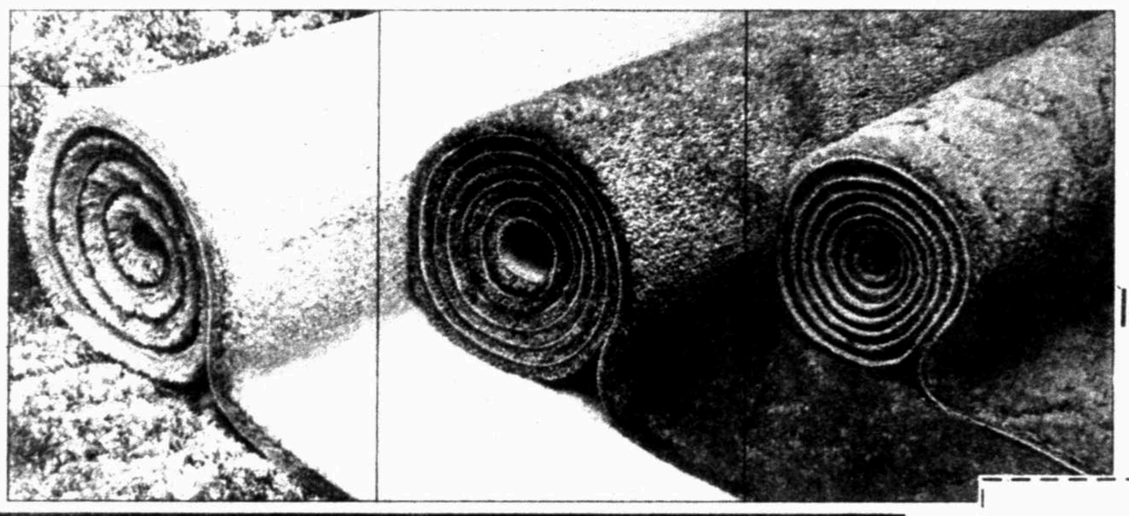

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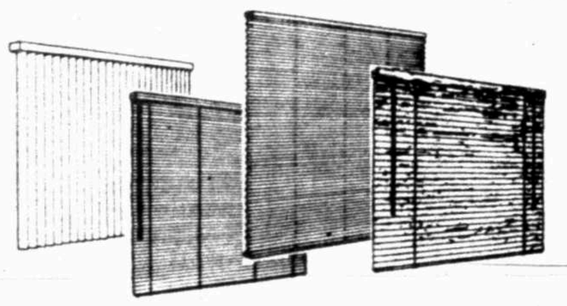

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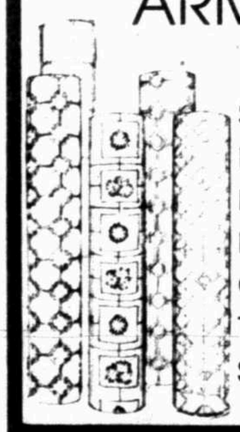

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Space shuttle Atlantis blasts off, starts Galileo probe

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — Space shuttle Atlantis thundered from its launch pad and darted between two storm systems today, starting the plutonium-powered Galileo probe on a twice-delayed, roundabout journey to Jupiter.

The 132-ton winged Atlantis with a crew of five lifted off at 12:53 p.m., riding a 700-foot column of flame out over the Atlantic on a five-day mission that anti-nuclear activists fearful of a Challenger-like accident were unable to stop.

Forecasters said early today there was a 60 percent chance of favorable weather at launch time but that an advancing cold front could bring thunderstorms. Weather was expected to worsen Thursday, before brightening this weekend.

Under launch-team rules, a second straight postponement today would trigger an automatic 48-hour delay, meaning Atlantis would be grounded until at least Friday.

"So we're going to go today — hopefully," NASA spokesman Joe McRoberts said this morning as the countdown clock ticked down.

Crews fueled up the shuttle a half million gallons of liquid oxygen and liquid hydrogen just after dawn. The Atlantis crew was awakened and headed to breakfast as officials monitored showers and cloudbursts around the Cape Canaveral.

AP Laserphoto

The crew of the space shuttle Atlantis go to board the spaceship. From left are Miss. Spl. Franklin Chang-Diaz, Shannon Lucid, Cmdr. Donald Williams, Miss. Spl. Ellen Baker and Pilot Michael McCulley.

NASA officials also had been concerned whether an Air Force control center in Sunnyvale, Calif., in the midst of Tuesday's earthquake zone, would be up and running to command the solid fuel rocket that sends Galileo into deep space once it leaves the shuttle's cargo bay.

They received assurances at the early morning meeting that the Consolidated Space Test Center at Onizuka Air Force Base would be ready.

"At this point, all systems seem viable and ready to support launch," said Pat Phillips, a Kennedy Space Center spokeswoman.

NASA's last opportunity to launch the space probe is Nov. 21, when Earth and Jupiter lose their favorable alignment.

"July 1991 would be the next Jupiter window," said Lennard Fisk, NASA's chief scientist. "So this present window is in a sense a do or die. It's expensive to keep a spacecraft on the ground, and the RTG (nuclear power pack) is running down."

The odds for launch Tuesday had been 80 percent favorable, but showers 20 miles out over the Atlantic failed to move away as expected and the shot was scrubbed.

The showers were in an area that Atlantis would have to pass through if an engine were lost shortly after liftoff and the shuttle had to attempt an emergency landing on a 15,000-foot runway near the launch pad. Rain could severely damage the vehicle's fragile fiberglass heat protection tiles.

Atlantis' commander on its five-day mission is astronaut Donald Williams. The others are pilot Mike McCulley and mission specialists Ellen Baker, Franklin Chang-Diaz and Shannon Lucid. They had been aboard the spaceship for three hours before Tuesday's postponement.

About 200 armed security guards again were on the alert for anti-nuclear demonstrators who had said they might try to halt the liftoff by infiltrating the launch area.

But that threat seemed to have diminished. No one attempted to breach security on Tuesday, and Bruce Gagnon, one of the protest leaders, said no attempts were planned for today.

He said the Florida Coalition for Peace and Justice, which he heads, had made its point Monday when eight members had themselves arrested for trespassing on the Kennedy Space Center.

Another was arrested several hours before Tuesday's planned liftoff when he crossed a space center boundary, and a 10th arrest was made Tuesday by the Brevard County Sheriff's office when a protester released a helium balloon shaped like a person less than an hour before the scheduled launch.

Sheriff's spokeswoman Joan Heller said William V. Carter, 36, of Reedsburg, Wis., was charged with trespassing in an orange grove some 10 miles from the space center for what he told deputies was an act of protest. Earlier Tuesday, security officers at NASA scrambled when a wild boar triggered a sensor device on space center property.

Summing up Tuesday, Gary Wistrand, deputy chief of center security, said, "There were no attempts (to infiltrate). It was a quiet day. Not even a minor traffic accident."

The activists, who last week lost a lawsuit to block the launch, oppose the space mission because Galileo receives electrical power from two nuclear generators fueled by 49.4 pounds of plutonium-238 dioxide. They contend an accident like the 1986 Challenger explosion could spread cancer-causing radiation over east-central Florida.

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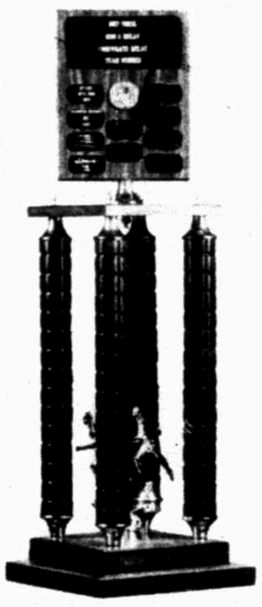

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Bush considers woman as surgeon general

WASHINGTON (AP) — Hispanic pediatrician Antonia Novello, described as "a ball of energy," is in line to become the next surgeon general and the first woman to hold the post, according to administration sources.

Novello

Novello, deputy director of the National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, is undergoing routine background checks before her formal nomination by President Bush, said the sources, who spoke Tuesday on condition of anonymity.

If nominated by Bush and confirmed by the Senate, she would succeed C. Everett Koop, the outspoken pediatric surgeon who stepped down last month after serving as surgeon general for seven years.

Novello's office said she had no comment.

Novello, 45, is a native of Puerto Rico. She graduated from the University of Puerto Rico and in 1970 from the university's medical school in the top 5 percent of her class. She is a pediatric kidney specialist.

She joined the National Institute of Child Health and Human Development in April 1986, where she is deputy director as well as coordinator for AIDS research. She also is a clinical professor of pediatrics at Georgetown University and a commissioned officer in the Public Health Service.

Novello is married to psychiatrist Dr. Joe Novello, who hosted a talk show on a Washington radio station and whose brother is Don Novello, the comedian better known as "Father Guido Sarducci."

She was recommended to the White House by Louis Sullivan, secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services, the sources said. Her nomination was also pushed by Sen. Orrin Hatch, R-Utah, for whom she worked in 1982-83 when he was chairman of the Senate Labor and Human Resources Committee.

Paul Smith, a spokesman for Hatch, said he remembered Novello as "a ball of energy. She's got a lot of vitality. She was enthusiastic about everything she did. We think she'll be a good spokesman for health issues."

Novello also was among a number of women recommended for the job by Bush's personal physician, Burton J. Lee III, who said she "would be terrific" as surgeon general.

Novello apparently has satisfied the White House that her views on abortion are acceptable to the president. Bush says he opposes abortion except in cases of rape, incest and danger to the mother's life.

Chase Untermeyer, Bush's personnel chief, said Tuesday that the White House has been asking candidates recommended for jobs where abortion is an issue about their views on the subject. Those questions were asked of candidates for surgeon general, he said, but he would not comment on Novello and refused to confirm or deny that she is Bush's choice.

"The president's position on abortion, and that of the Republican Party, is well known, and the American people knew that when he was a candidate," Untermeyer said.

"Therefore, it is entirely appropriate for people being considered for appointments at HHS to be asked if they hold the same views as those of the president of the United States, who would appoint them," he said.

Lee said Tuesday he would like to be surgeon general but was out of the running because he disagrees with the president on abortion.

"I would love the job," Lee said, adding, "I think it's wrong" to require a litmus test on the abortion issue.

Koop, who during his seven years used the surgeon general's post as a pulpit to preach healthy living to the country, is strongly opposed to abortion and was a darling of conservatives when he was nominated.

However, he alienated many of those early supporters with a report on AIDS, advocating use of condoms and sex education at young ages. And he incurred their wrath again earlier this year when he refused to issue a report requested by then-President Reagan on whether women suffer psychological harm from abortion. He said there was insufficient scientific evidence to reach the conclusion the White House wanted.

Senate OKs aid to Nicaraguan opposition campaign

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Bush is expected to quickly sign legislation providing $9 million to the Nicaraguan political opposition's campaign to wrest power from the Sandinista government in February's national elections.

The Senate approved the package 64 to 35 late Tuesday after soundly defeating a series of attempts to cut or restrict the money. The House had approved it Oct. 4 on a vote of 263-156.

Bush is expected to sign the measure soon so that aid can begin to flow this month, the only month when voter registration is conducted for the Feb. 25, 1990, balloting.

The opposition coalition, known as UNO, "needs our assistance desperately," Bush wrote in a last-minute letter to the Senate urging support for the package. "Only by receiving help can it make a real contest of this election," he wrote.

Presidential spokesman Marlin Fitzwater called the upcoming elections "the last crucial shot at getting representative democracy in Nicaragua."

Agreement on the package represented a political truce of sorts on what has been the most divisive foreign policy issue to confront Congress this decade.

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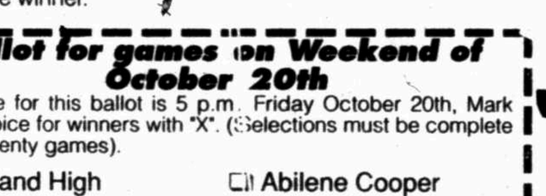

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Two sponsors abandon flag-burning measure, as it moves toward vote

WASHINGTON (AP) — A constitutional amendment to ban flag-burning is moving toward a vote in the Senate minus two original sponsors, who bailed out saying they do not want to tamper with the Bill of Rights.

"It was a mistake of the heart but nonetheless it was a mistake," Sen. John C. Danforth, R-Mo., told the Senate on Tuesday as he withdrew as one of 53 cosponsors of the proposed constitutional amendment.

Sen. Warren Rudman, R-N.H., another cosponsor, also took to the Senate floor to abandon his support.

And Democratic critics said for the first time the measure was likely to be defeated in a floor vote set for Thursday morning.

"I hope and expect that there will not be sufficient votes for the amendment to prevail," Senate Majority Leader George Mitchell, D-Maine, told reporters.

The measure would authorize the federal and state governments to ban burning the American flag.

The House approved and sent to President Bush on Thursday a bill that would ban burning and other desecration of the American flag by simple statute. He said he would allow it to become law without his signature while continuing to press for a constitutional amendment.

Supporters of a constitutional amendment say any statute is likely to be overturned in court on grounds that it violates free speech guaranteed under the Bill of Rights.

The campaign for a constitutional amendment began in June after the Supreme Court threw out the conviction of Texas flag-burner Gregory Lee Johnson on grounds that his right to free speech had been violated.

Critics of the amendment say a "content neutral" law that outlaws flag-burning regardless of whether it involves political protest is better than tampering with constitutional freedoms.

If the measure is approved by the Senate it goes to the House and then to state legislatures. A proposed constitutional amendment must be approved by 38 legislatures before becoming part of the Constitution.

Danforth said that if the Senate did approve the measure it most likely would eventually be ratified, adding, "If it is going to be stopped it must be stopped in the Senate."

"This is not a throwaway vote," Danforth said. "This is not just the kind of vote you cast thinking, well, this is nothing, somebody else can act as the safety net."

"We are the decision-makers," he said. "We will be responsible if the Constitution will be amended, and if it is amended it will be the first time in the history of our country that we have altered the Bill of Rights."

A backer of the amendment, Sen. Orrin Hatch, R-Utah, scoffed at the notion that the Senate would be unduly tampering with freedom of speech, if it passed the measure.

"This freedom has never been deemed absolute," Hatch said. "Obscenity has never been protected under the First Amendment." He said other restrictions also exist, such as libel laws.

Hatch said the measure "does not prevent a single idea or thought from being expressed ... it merely prevents conduct with respect to one object and one object only and that's our flag. We can withdraw that object from desecration without limiting freedom of speech."

"I believe it is futile to try to overturn this particular Supreme Court interpretation of the Constitution by a statute," Hatch said.

Sen. Alan Cranston, D-Calif., said, however, that the measure would put new powers in the hands of government and "it contains no limits, no checks on the exercise of that power."

Carhenge controversy

Carhenge, a sculpture of junked cars reminiscent of England's prehistoric Stonehenge, sits on land about 2 miles north of Alliance, Neb. Carhenge supporters are trying to raise funds to build a paved road to the site as required in the sculpture's special use permit.

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NATION IN BRIEF

Reagan wonders about scandal

WASHINGTON (AP) — Former President Reagan says he wonders now whether the Iran-Contra affair that rocked his second term in the White House wasn't "a setup, a sting operation, by the Iranians."

Reagan's latest comment on the most controversial foreign policy initiative of his eight years in office comes in a new book, "Speaking My Mind," published by Simon and Schuster.

The book is a collection of speeches, each preceded by a short essay containing Reagan's reflection on the subject or the occasion.

One of the speeches is his March 4, 1987, address after the release of the Tower Commission report on his administration's decision to sell arms to Iran while seeking Iranian help for the release of American hostages.

The commission, appointed by Reagan to look into the controversy, said his decision to sell arms to Iran "rewarded a regime that clearly supported terrorism and hostage-taking."

Reagan, in his speech, took responsibility for things that had "happened on my watch," but also said he "didn't ask enough about the specifics of the total Iran plan."

He has since said there are many aspects of the affair he still does not understand.

In his new remarks, the former president defended the initiative although he said that "something clearly went wrong with our original plan."

"I'm going to cover this more completely in my memoirs," he wrote, "but I get beside myself when I think that people believe I would actually trade arms for hostages."

"I did not see it as trading arms for hostages because we were dealing with Iranian intermediaries, not the kidnappers themselves," said Reagan. "I know it may be a fine line to most people, but it's what I believed then and what I still believe."

The episode became known as the Iran-Contra affair because some of the sale proceeds were diverted to the Contra rebels in Nicaragua, whose fight against the country's leftist regime was strongly backed by Reagan.

CIA clarification sought

WASHINGTON (AP) — The chairman of the Senate Intelligence Committee says it is time to remove an unintended "chilling effect" on the CIA that results from a ban on U.S. involvement in assassination plots.

Sen. David Boren, D-Okla., said Tuesday he welcomes President Bush's desire to clarify what the ban means and what restrictions it should — and should not — place on American intelligence operatives.

"The CIA is suffering the aftershocks of Vietnam and of the Iran-Contra affair," Boren said in an interview. "There has grown to be a built-in cultural reticence" to become involved in plots such as the failed Oct. 3 coup in Panama against dictator Manuel Noriega.

That coup, while not directly raising the question of assassination, has prompted the administration to review its policy on U.S. participation in plots that could lead to the death of a foreign leader.

White House Press Secretary Marlin Fitzwater said the administration will propose changes that would not fundamentally alter the 13-year-old assassination ban, but would make it easier for the CIA to be in contact with plotters of a coup.

Other administration officials have said they want to offer clear guidance to permit activities which, while they may involve a risk of death to a particular official, do not amount to a premeditated murder plot.

U.S. to make weapons

WASHINGTON (AP) — A top U.S. arms control official says the Bush administration is "looking after the national security of the United States" by deciding to make new chemical weapons while it seeks an international ban on the deadly weapons.

"It is not good to cut programs in anticipation of negotiations — that undercuts your negotiation leverage, it undercuts your security," Ronald Lehman, head of the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, told reporters.

Lehman said the key to U.S. elimination of its older chemical weapons is to get other nations have to eliminate theirs, "and until they are committed to such a thing, we will have a stock, albeit a very small stock."

"So we will be continuing our production program. The president has asked us to look at how we would structure the program, how we would implement this in the context of the overall negotiations," Lehman said.

"You don't have to be born yesterday to understand ... we have taken a big step here, but we're also looking after the national security of the United States," Lehman said.

Recent news reports, citing unnamed administration officials, said President Bush has signed an order allowing the continued production of a new generation of chemical weapons for an unspecified period of time.

Democrat wins runoff

JACKSON, Miss. (AP) — A Democrat's victory in a special congressional runoff election has given Mississippi its first all-Democratic House delegation in 17 years.

State Sen. Gene Taylor defeated Republican Tom Anderson on Tuesday to claim the seat left vacant by the death of freshman Rep. Larkin Smith, a Republican who died in an Aug. 13 plane crash.

It was the fifth victory by a Democrat in seven special congressional elections held around the nation this year. The reclaiming of Mississippi's lone GOP House seat left Democratic congressional leaders exultant.

"I think that is a major turnaround for the Democrats, especially in the Deep South and in Mississippi," said Rep. Beryl Anthony Jr., D-Ark., chairman of the Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee. "It's a major win for the Democrats; it's a major loss and embarrassment for the Republicans."

Taylor, 36, of Bay St. Louis, will serve the final 14 months of Smith's term.

Anderson, 43, a longtime aide to U.S. Sen. Trent Lott, who once held the 5th Congressional District seat, received vocal support from Lott and from President Bush.

Bush says U.S. to stand by its Korean promises

By MATTHEW C. QUINN
Hearst Washington Bureau

WASHINGTON — President Bush promised President Roh Tae Woo of South Korea Tuesday that the United States will stand by its military commitments to that country, but Bush prodded Roh to take further steps to open South Korean markets to U.S. exports.

Roh welcomed Bush's security assurances and said South Korea will work to make the country's markets more accessible to U.S. products.

Bush and Roh spent about 2 hours together at the White House, including a 40-minute private meeting and a 45-minute luncheon in Bush's residential quarters. It was their first meeting since Bush visited Seoul last February.

Roh is on a five-day official visit to Washington that will include an address to a joint session of Congress and speech to the National Press Club on Wednesday.

Bush assured Roh there would be "no surprises" as the administration conducts a congressionally mandated review of the U.S. military presence in South Korea, now numbering 43,000 troops. The U.S. deployment has long been predicated on a military threat from heavily militarized North Korea.

"Let no one doubt that the United States stands by its commitment to maintain the peace and prevent the outbreak of hostilities on the peninsula," Bush said during a joint appearance with Roh at the conclusion of their talks.

Roh pronounced himself satisfied with the "very constructive and meaningful talks" and said he felt reassured by Bush's comments.

But Assistant Secretary of State Richard Solomon said the administration does not consider "the number of troops (to be) the measure of our security commitment" and said "some adjustment" could result from the security review, which must be completed by April.

Rep. Stephen Solarz, D-N.Y., chairman of the House Foreign Affairs East Asian subcommittee, said in an interview: "Over the long course of time, I suppose there will be some troop withdrawals. No one expects them to be there in perpetuity."

"But it would be inappropriate to begin the process of withdrawing them now so long as significant military imbalance exists in favor of North Korea," Solarz added.

Bush also lectured his visitor on the subject of trade.

• "Korean workers and companies have benefited from U.S. open markets, but American workers and companies deserve equal access to Korean markets," Bush said during his joint appearance with Roh.

According to Solomon, Roh answered Bush's concerns with an analogy to demonstrate South Korea is moving in its own time toward trade liberalization:

"If an apple is picked before it's ripe, it can be a bit tough and sour. When it's ripe, however, it's nice and sweet."

Bush replied, "We don't want the ripening to take so long that we're too old to enjoy the food."

In 1988, the U.S.-Korean trade deficit totaled $9.9 billion in favor of South Korea. The trade imbalance is expected to decrease to $7 billion next year, U.S. officials said.

South Korea, with a population of 45 million and a gross national product of $90 billion, is now the world's 10th largest trading nation. It is the 7th largest market for U.S. exports and the United States is the largest market for Korea.

But the Bush administration wants South Korea to import more American agricultural products, especially beef, and improve access to its telecommunications markets for U.S. products. Bush pressed Roh on both counts Tuesday, according to Solomon.

Roh told Bush that South Korea "would continue to liberalize and widen South Korea's markets." He also expressed hope that by the mid-1990s, South Korea will match the western industrial powers' openness to foreign products.

50 Legal Notices

Greenwood I.S.D. is accepting bids for a Roofing project at the Elementary, and houses owned by the District. Specifications can be picked up at the Greenwood I.S.D. Administration Office from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. Bids will be accepted until 4:00 p.m. October 27. Greenwood I.S.D. reserves the right to accept or reject any item of a bid proposal and any or all bids in their entirety. Contact Hal Porter or Linda Smith, Greenwood I.S.D. Administrative Office. 915-683-6461. Official action will be taken during the regular Board of Trustees October 30, 1989 October 11,12,13,18,19, 1989

LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed Bid or Bids will be received until 3:00 P.M. November 30, 1989 to be opened at 3:00 P.M. November 30, 1989 in the office of the City Secretary, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas for the following Bid or Bids:

Bid #14-90 to purchase:

The installation of highly flexible, uniform cabling system to support both the voice and data communications requirements within the Public Safety Building located at 601 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas.

Information for Bidders, Proposal Forms, Specifications and General Conditions for Bidding may be obtained from the office of the Purchasing Agent, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas.

Purchasing Division
City of Midland, Texas
October 11, 18, 1989

LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed Bid or Bids will be received until 3:00 P.M. November 9, 1989 to be opened at 3:00 P.M. November 9, 1989 in the office of the City Purchasing Agent, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas, for the following Bid or Bids.

Bid #13-90 to purchase or lease:

Public Paging Equipment and Services for the City of Midland.

Information for Bidders, Proposal Forms, Specifications and General Conditions for Bidding may be obtained from the office of the Purchasing Agent, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas.

Purchasing Division
City of Midland, Texas
October 11, 18, 1989

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TERMS AND PROVISIONS OF THE TEXAS ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CODE THAT: DAVID SCHAUFF HERRMANN HAS FILE FOR A PACKAGE STORE PERMIT TO BE ISSUED TO: DAVID SCHAUFF HERRMANN THE SAID LOCATION TO BE LOCATED AT: 4706 MIDKIFF, MIDLAND, MIDLAND COUNTY, TEXAS. DAVID SCHAUFF HERRMANN - OWNER. OCTOBER 18,19, 1989

INVITATION TO SUBMIT INFORMATION ON ARCHITECTURAL/ ENGINEERING SERVICES

The Housing Authority of the City of Midland, Texas requests firms to submit information on Architectural/Engineering services for their 1989 CIAP Program. The work will consist of some design, but mostly working drawings, specifications and supervision for modernization of their existing TEX 379-001 Project(s) containing 100 units and administrative facilities. A further breakdown of the work is available at the Housing Authority's office 700 W.Scharbauer Dr., Texas 79702 or by calling Fred Kester, Executive Director at (915) 682-0011. If responding, please submit a Letter of Interest demonstrating your understanding of the modernization, evidence of your firm's ability to perform the work and registration in Texas, profile of the principals, staff and facilities and certification that the firm is not debarred, suspended or otherwise prohibited from professional practice by any Federal, State, or Local agency. Replies shall be received no later than November 2, 1989, 2:00 p.m. at the Housing Authority's office in City of Midland, Texas 700 W. Scharbauer Dr. attention Fred Kester.
October 18,25, 1989

REQUEST FOR BIDS ON TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for .000 miles of traffic signal on US 385 at 38th Street in Odessa and on SH 18 at US 80, 2nd, 4th, 12th & 15th Streets in Monahans, covered by MCSP 228-6-51 & CD 292-4-44 in Ector and Ward County, will be received at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, until 1:00 P.M., November 9, 1989, and then publicly opened and read.

Plans and specifications including minimum wage rates as provided by Law are available for inspection at the office of W.R. Stebbins, Jr., Resident Engineer, Odessa, Texas, and at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Construction Division, D.C. Greer State Highway Building, 11th and Brazos Streets, Austin, Texas 78701. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of the bidder.

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October 18,25, 1989

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE GUARDIANSHIP ESTATE OF ASTA DORIS ALLEN

Notice is hereby given that an original Letter of Guardianship of the Person and Estate of Asta Doris Allen were issued on October 9, 1989, in Cause No. 9247, pending in the County Court of Midland County, Texas, to Susan Bingham of San Antonio, Texas, Guardian.

The residence of Guardian is Bexar County, Texas. The post office address for mailing of claims is: Susan Bingham C/O Kristi N. Elsom, Attorney, P.O. Box 1540, Midland, Texas 79702. All persons having claims against this estate, which is currently being administered, are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

Dated this 9th day of October, 1989.

Susan Bingham, Guardian of the Person and Estate of
Asta Doris Allen
October 18, 1989

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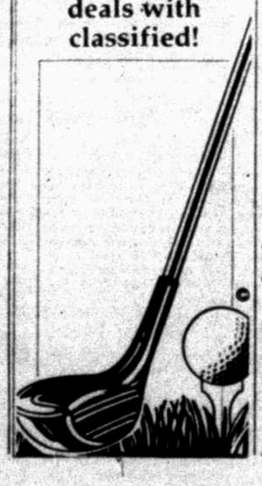

105 Happy ads

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Keystone Chapter & Council R.A.M. & R.S.M. 1st Tuesday of month, 7:30 p.m. Midland Commandery #84 1st Thursday of month, 7:30 p.m. Practice Wednesday nights 7:30 p.m.

Acacia Masonic Lodge #1414 AF & AM, 1000 Upland. Regular Stated Meetings, 2nd and 4th Tuesday, 7:30 pm. Visiting brethren welcome.
Marvin Witcher, W.M.
Dale Ivie, Secretary

The Midland Shrine Club, 2019 Trade Drive. 685-1790. Regular stated meeting third Thursday each month. Hospitality 6:30 pm. Catered dinner 7 pm. Business meeting 8 pm. All nobles and their ladies invited.
Russ Holmberg, President,
Sam Bradley, Secretary

Midland Lodge 623 AF & AM, 1600 W. Wall, 682-3292. Regular stated meetings 2nd and 4th Thursday, 7:30 pm. Monday, October 16th, work in FC Degree, 7:30 pm. Visiting Masons welcome.
Bob Stringer W.M.
F. L. Cooper, Secretary

MIDLAND Centennial Lodge 1448 AF & AM - 1000 Upland Street. Stated meetings 1st and 3rd Saturday. Breakfast - 7:30 am Open Lodge-8:30 am Come Join Us!
Bill R. Stark W.M.
H.S. Elliot, Secretary

115 Announcements

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130 Personals

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LOST female gray/ white cat, had collar and tags on, vicinity Thomason/ Anetta area, 694-8412.

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FOUND male Chinese Pug with collars but no tags, found on Wall Street. Call 687-0175 or 367-3796.

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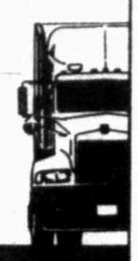

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MR. GATHS, 3205 West Cuthbert is newly re-modeled and gearing up for our grand opening. Due to the increase in business we are now taking applications for the following positions; cashiers, day and evening, $4.00 an hour, delivery drivers, $3.75 an hour plus $1.00 per delivery, and assisant managers $300 a week, experience necessary. Apply between the hours of 2 - 5 , Monday through Friday.

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Midland, Texas 79702

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Independent
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FRIDAY & SATURDAY
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For an appointment

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