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# Third teen arrested in sniper probe

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HOUSTON — A third teen-ager has been arrested in connection with the Nov. 19 sniper murder of a Rio Grande rafter and the wounding of his two companions, an attack that authorities say may have begun after one of the gunmen screamed, "Let's shoot at the gringos."

A two-nation manhunt, which Tuesday resulted in two arrests, continued for the 18-year-old fourth gunman who police believe sat atop a Colorado Canyon bluff with his three accomplices and opened fire on rafters Mike and Jamie Heffley and guide Jim Burr.

Mike Heffley, 40, was killed by a single sniper bullet in the back as he tried to shield his 32-year-old wife from shots fired during the 90-minute rifle assault. She was shot in the left shoulder and side while Burr, 36, was shot in the hip.

Burr and Mrs. Heffley were rescued the next day. Both were hospitalized several days after the ordeal.

Steve Bailey, chief deputy sheriff of Presidio County, said Mexican police arrested the third suspect in El Mulato. The 17-year-old was being held in jail in Ojinaga, the Mexican twin city of Presidio.

Texas Ranger Joaquin Jackson in Alpine said authorities were helped in their investigation by the third suspect's father, a Mexican national who crosses the border daily to work as a ranch hand at the Big Bend Ranch, a new state park adjacent to the Big Bend National Park.

"He (the father) told us his son was probably hiding in the brush on the other (Mexican) side," Jackson said. "He said he was going over to get the boy to turn himself in."

Authorities Wednesday also revealed more details about the actual shooting and the earlier arrests.

Edvardo Pineda Rodriguez, 17, of Redford, remained in the Presidio County jail in Marfa late Wednesday in lieu of $50,000 bond. He was charged with murder and assault. Another Mexican juvenile remained in the Ojinaga jail. The 16-year-old also was arrested in Mulato.

Jackson said the 16-year-old told Mexican authorities that the four were simply firing their guns randomly in the canyon minutes before the attack.

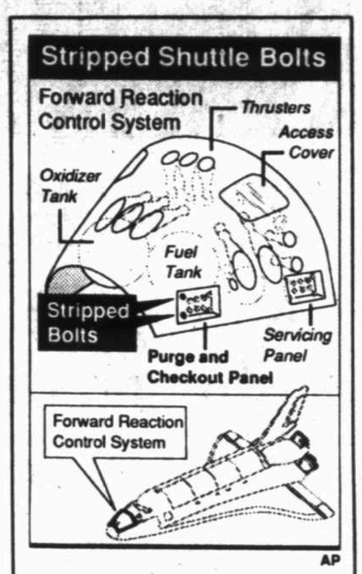
"The one (suspect) in Mexico says this boy we got (Rodriguez) was the one that hollered, 'Let's shoot at the gringos,'" Jackson said.

But, Jackson said, Rodriguez has denied involvement, saying the group was hunting rabbits.

Jackson said the key break in the case came three days ago when Mexican state police heard a tip that the four gunmen were staying in a pair of houses on the American side of the border.

"They were seen there Monday afternoon," Jackson said. "All of them."

Border Patrol agents obtained a search warrant based on grounds that illegal aliens were being housed in the two homes.




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## Shuttle under the weather

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — The liftoff of space shuttle Atlantis and five military astronauts on a secret spy satellite mission was postponed today for 24 hours by fierce winds eight miles above the launch site.

"We were watching the weather all the way and finally scrubbed due to winds aloft," said launch director Bob Sieck.

Weather officials reported the wind velocity 41,000 feet up was 104 mph, a condition that could seriously damage the wings of a shuttle passing through and cause the vehicle to break up.

Sieck said launch officials had decided to try again on Friday morning, but that a final decision on whether to proceed would be made about 9:30 p.m. tonight before the shuttle is fueled.

"We're going to take a hard look at the weather again," he said. "If it is clearly a no-go tomorrow, we don't want to exercise the launch team, the crew and the systems."

The time for a launch Friday would be sometime between 6:32 and 9:32 a.m. EST, the same as for today. The exact moment remained a secret because the mission is classified, but sources said the target was about 7 a.m.

Col. John Madura, an Air Force meteorologist, said the storm front that brought winds, rain and clouds to the area today would be offshore in the Atlantic on Friday. But in its wake, he said, there could be strong ground winds that could affect a launch.

Madura said that at 8:55 a.m., when the scrub announcement was made, the low-level clouds, rain and winds had moved away, but the high altitude winds remained above limits.

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## Classy candy

Cindy Wilson demonstrates some of her candy-making techniques for a group of students at Alamo Junior High School Wednesday afternoon. Ms. Wilson owns the Sugar Shack.

# Union Pacific's reward draws some response

By PATRICK CRIMMINS
Staff Writer

Union Pacific Railroad and law officers are continuing their probe into the theft of two locomotives that were revved up, then sped more than 200 miles through West Texas before they were derailed.

A railroad spokesman said "some information" had been received after a $25,000 cash reward was offered on November 19, a day after the engines were stolen from the darkened Big Spring railroad yard.

"At this point, we are continuing the investigation, definitely," railroad spokesman Alex Tice said from the company's Omaha, Neb., headquarters. "There is nothing definite yet, but we are hopeful. We have had some response to the reward."

Big Spring Police Chief Joe Cook said his department, the FBI Abilene office and the Howard County Sheriff's Department were continuing to piece together information about the case.

"We've interviewed several people from a wide range," Cook said. "From (Union Pacific) employees to people out on the street."

Cook said loose items in one of the locomotive cabs had been fingerprinted, but he declined to specify the items or if any prints had been found.

The FBI is involved in the case because of a federal statute against sabotage aboard trains, Cook noted.

"I think we're resolving a lot of questions," the chief said. "Whether or not we will be able to name names, I don't know. I know we are chipping away, and eliminating all of the people that aren't train thieves."

The 200-ton diesel locomotives were idling at the yard about midnight when someone climbed aboard the lead engine and pushed a throttle forward. Picking up speed, the train ran through two switches and onto the main westbound track in Big Spring, Tice said.

*"... We are not going to stop until we find out what happened."*
— Alex Tice, Union Pacific

The runaway was not detected until it reached Midland about 90 minutes later, when it nearly rammed a Midland police car carrying a prisoner at the intersection of Front and Main streets.

At the time it rumbled through the city, it was clocked on radar by an officer approaching 70 mph.

Railroad officials were then notified of the runaway, and it was finally derailed to a side track about 20 miles east of Van Horn.

Officials said at the time it was remarkable no one was injured by the train, which at times was rolling at 80 mph.

A second advertisement about the reward will be placed this week in the Big Spring Herald, and the railroad was considering expanding then notice to other publications in the area.

"We want to maintain an awareness of the situation and want the people who did not get the message the first time to get it now," Tice said.

Tice said investigators had a theory about the theft, but he declined to be specific.

"They are working on some leads," he said. "Nothing that has really panned out. But we are not going to stop until we find out what happened, and find the persons responsible."

Union Pacific had not discovered any violation in company procedures, Tice added.

"We are being very methodical about the way we are looking into it," he said.

## Alien family hopes to reunite in Midland

By HOLDEN LEWIS

EL PASO (AP) — Jose and Antonia Vela say they hope immigration amnesty allows them to reunite their family in the United States.

The couple waited until the last possible day to apply for amnesty because they had trouble scraping up the money — about $400 each in application fees, medical exams and other expenses.

Vela mortgaged his modest house in Chihuahua City, Mexico, to get enough money to bring his wife to the United States to apply. He said it was worth it.

"I pray to God for this department to give the card to my wife," Vela said Wednesday afternoon, about 10 hours before the doors closed permanently to farmworkers seeking amnesty. "I'd like to live with my family, all together."

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Vela, 36, lives in Midland, driving tractors on cotton farms during the season and doing odd jobs in the off-season.

Mrs. Vela, 31, lives with the couple's four children in Chihuahua City about half the year, when work is scarce in Midland. Her husband sends money when she's away.

When she's in Midland, Mrs. Vela helps pull mesquite stumps out of fields before they are plowed and does other odd jobs around farms.

It's better than working in Mexico, Vela said.

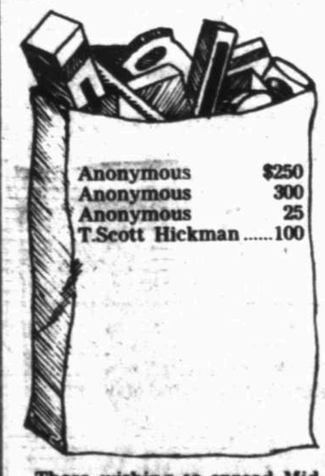
"My wife makes maybe $25 a week in Chihuahua," Vela said. "In Midland, she makes probably $150, so it makes a lot of difference. If you go to Mexico — $3 a day, eight hours a day. That's no good."

Vela said he isn't worried about qualifying for permanent residency because he has spent so much time in Texas and can document it well.

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# May groundbreaking foreseen on Lamesa Road

By CHRIS VAN WAGENEN
Staff Writer

With 90 percent of all property titles in hand and construction plans about complete, state officials announced bids will be taken on the Lamesa Road project in April.

"We're well along with the relocation assistance and we just received approval to install a ramp at the I-20 interchange," said Marshal Huffman, district engineer for the Texas Department of Highways and Public Transportation.

Phase I construction, which is scheduled for May — calls for the connection of I-20 with Mississippi Street at a cost of $1.3 million.

Of the 126 properties involved along Lamesa, city officials say they have just seven families to relocate and two other property owners that are haggling over price.

On the state's end, negotiations are still in progress with Union-Pacific Railroad on a right-of-way crossing near Industrial Avenue, according to State Engineer Lynn Passmore.

Lamesa Road — a two phase project scheduled for completion in 1990 — is considered a key to east-side redevelopment by city planners. When complete, Lamesa will connect Loop 250 with the interstate.

"We should have it all cleared up by the end of December," said Nancy Vickrey, a city consultant and project coordinator, who along with Assistant City Attorney Kieth Stretcher, has been making property acquisitions since January 1988.

Huffman said he anticipates no design changes or shortage of contractors, as was the case this summer, when the state took on everything from resurfacing portions of I-20 to building new overpasses along Texas 191 and Loop 250.

Meanwhile, the city has scheduled two hearings for Dec. 19 involving property owners unable to reach an agreed price. Midland received $800,000 in Community Development Block Grant funds to acquire the needed land tracts. The city to date is below budget in making the purchases.

Stretcher forsees no problems in arriving at a settlement, and, in fact, plans to wrap up the entire program by Jan. 1.

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## Bid for RJR Nabisco sets record

NEW YORK (AP) — A top buyout firm won the tumultuous war for RJR Nabisco with the biggest takeover on record, a $24.53 billion offer that derailed a rival bid by Nabisco executives who triggered the bidding frenzy.

RJR Nabisco Inc. directors approved the $109-a-share offer by Kohlberg Kravis Roberts & Co. Inc. late Wednesday, capping a day of frantic, confusing maneuvering in the auction of the cigarette-and-food giant.

A member of the competing investment group led by RJR chief executive officer F. Ross Johnson said their last-minute offer — $25.42 billion or $112 per share — had been higher, but suggested the group had been cheated by an unfair bidding process.

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The value of Kohlberg's offer for America's 19th largest industrial company was nearly double the old takeover record, $13.4 billion for Gulf Corp. in 1984.

Although the Johnson group's offer appeared to be higher, RJR said its board of directors concluded Kohlberg's offer was substantially equal. Kohlberg's offer per share broke down to $81 in cash, $18 in stock and additional securities worth $10, RJR said.

"The Board of Directors of RJR Nabisco, by unanimous vote of all directors present, adopted the KKR offer as being in the best interest of the company and its shareholders," the company said. RJR did not say exactly why Kohlberg's offer prevailed.

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President-elect George Bush meets with newly elected Senate Majority Leader George Mitchell of Maine over breakfast in the Old Executive Office Building in Washington Thursday.

## Bush says he'll take lead in offering deficit solutions

WASHINGTON (AP) — President-elect George Bush told new Senate Majority Leader George Mitchell today he will take the lead in proposing solutions to the nation's budget deficit, as Mitchell and other Democrats have said he must do.

Democrats have expressed concern that Bush, who campaigned on a no-new-taxes pledge, would try to make Congress move first in formally recommending potentially painful steps to trim the huge federal deficit.

However, Bush said today after meeting with Mitchell that he had heard the new Democratic leader's comments Wednesday "that the president-elect once he becomes president should take the lead on the budget-deficit question."

"I assured Sen. Mitchell that that is exactly what I intend to do. And then there will be, I'm sure, active discussion (and) negotiation with whoever he designates to try to solve these problems," Bush said.

On another subject receiving much publicity as Bush moves toward taking office, the president-elect told reporters he was concerned about stories that "may be hurtful" for John Tower, his rumored choice for defense secretary. But Bush said he won't be rushed into making Cabinet decisions.

"We're not going to do everything in a great rush. We're trying to be prudent and do the proper work required to back up appointments at all levels," said the vice president.

There have been reports of internal strife within the Bush camp over whether to give the Pentagon post to Tower, a former Senate Armed Services Committee chairman and now a paid consultant to several major defense contractors.

Asked if he was concerned about these reports, Bush replied, "Any time there seems to be stories that may be hurtful to somebody it concerns me no matter who it is. Senator Tower's a friend of mine but he knows that the process takes a while to go forward."

Bush and Mitchell met with reporters on the White House driveway after a 55-minute breakfast meeting in Bush's vice presidential office.

"I am confident that we can work together," said Bush. "I'm not naive about it nor is he, and there will be different approaches on some of these major problems facing the country."

Mitchell said, "We had a cordial and productive breakfast."

He said they had not discussed taxes or any other specifics of how to wrestle down the deficit, now running at $155 billion a year.

## Mall official suspended after allegedly firing black Santa

Hearst News Service

LOS ANGELES — A shopping mall official accused of firing a "Santa Claus" because he was black was suspended from her job yesterday under pressure from the NAACP, association officials said.

Connie Wilson, promotion director for the Carson Mall, was suspended following hours of negotiations with representatives of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.

The dispute centers over whether Rodney Newton was fired from his job as Santa Claus last Friday after the promotion director allegedly told his supervisor that she "should have checked with management first. There is no black Santa."

NAACP officials earlier warned that the community wouldn't patronize the mall if Wilson and the mall's general manager were not fired by noon Friday.

"We are satisfied at this point with what (mall management) has done," Robert Wilson, Carson NAACP president, said yesterday.

However, Wilson, who is not related to Connie Wilson, said the community's outrage will not subside because of the suspension. If the two managers are not fired after the investigation is completed, the mall will find itself short on customers this Christmas season, Wilson vowed.

"We will be selective about where we spend our money and we would hope (the community) would not spend it in a place that does not see them as qualified human beings," said Wilson at a news conference called by NAACP officials.

Mall management insists that the statement about a black Santa was taken out of context.

## *Groups bounce ideas off economic sounding board*

WASHINGTON (AP) — The National Economic Commission's recommendations may come to naught, but it has become the best sounding board around for people fed up with the seven-year deadlock over the federal budget deficit.

A variety of officials representing corporate America, labor unions and various special interest groups have paraded before the commission to raise alarms about the deficit and insist that the new administration and Congress do something.

Government officials, past and present, also have lent their voices to the clamor, with many pointing to skittish financial markets as the best reason for quick action next year.

Wednesday, former Federal Reserve Chairman Paul Volcker echoed concerns raised two weeks earlier by his successor at the central bank, Alan Greenspan.

Volcker said a failure to act could trigger a loss of confidence by foreigners in U.S. investments which could topple the country into a severe recession.

"We are, entirely unnecessarily in my view, undercutting the economic foundation of United States world leadership," Volcker said.

Two weeks ago, Greenspan told the commission the need to deal with the deficit is becoming ever more urgent because the huge tide of red ink has begun to "eat away at the foundations of our economic strength."

Another government official, Charles Bowsher, head of the General Accounting Office, told the advisory panel Wednesday that just holding the growth of spending to the level of inflation, as has been suggested by President-elect George Bush, would not be enough to get the deficit under control.

He said consideration will have to be given to raising taxes, something Bush has vowed he will not do, to go along with further cuts in government spending.

"There are no painless ways to cut spending or increase revenues," Bowsher said. "When the long-term health of our nation's economy is at stake, everything must be negotiable, including defense spending, entitlements and taxes."

Volcker told the panel that he favors boosting the gasoline tax, saying that even if the tax were raised 50 cents per gallon over the next several years, Americans would still be paying far less for fuel than residents of most other countries.

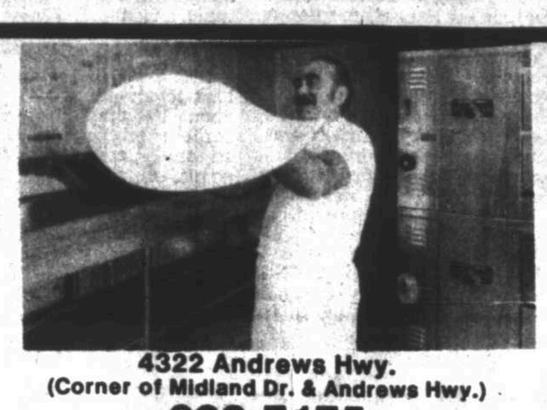
A boost in the gasoline tax was also proposed Wednesday by the Council on Competitiveness, composed of 157 chief executives from business, organized labor and higher education.

The group said a combination of tax increases and spending cuts should be used to slash the deficit by $120 billion by 1993. The deficit in the just-completed fiscal year was $155.1 billion.

"The budget deficit is the nation's No. 1 economic problem," said John Young, chairman of the council and head of Hewlett-Packard Co. "We are concerned that the stability of global financial markets will continue to be shaken by a belief that the deficit is a politically intractable problem."

The 12-member economic commission is still awaiting word on the names of the two persons Bush will appoint to the panel. Officials say those appointments will indicate whether the president-elect intends to use the advisory group in a serious effort to reduce the budget deficit.

Bush has said he will make the appointments some time in December.

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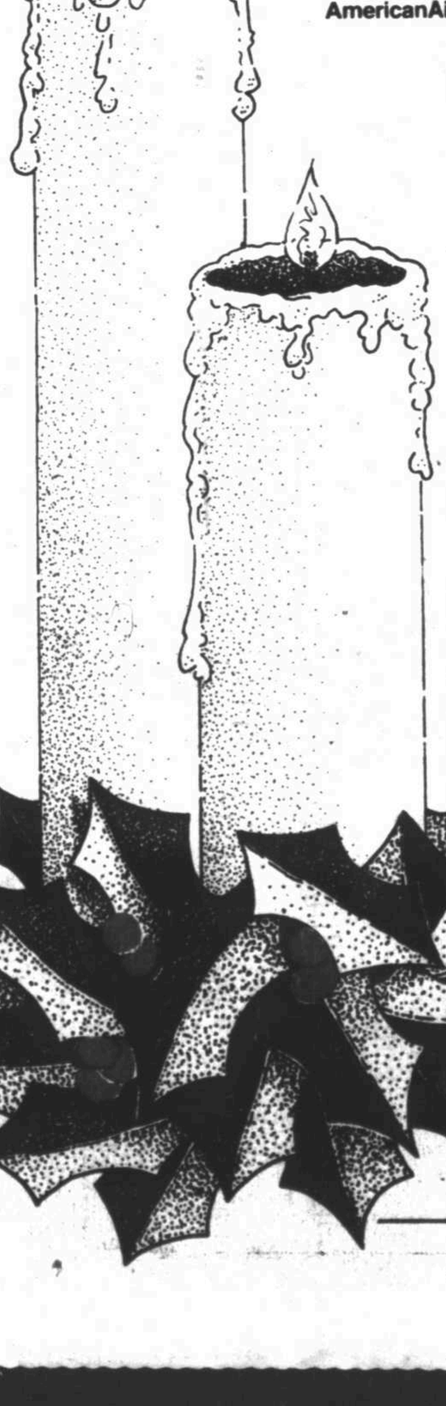
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# Woman offers crime victims way for picture-perfect revenge

By JANE A. GRANDOLFO

HOUSTON (AP) — At home, Lois Gibson paints pictures of children. Her children. A boy and a girl. And she hangs their portraits on the living room wall where the sunlight highlights the sparkle in their eyes and the dimples they inherited at birth.

At work, Gibson sketches adults. Sinister adults. Rapists, murderers, con-artists and kidnappers. Their images are etched on police flyers, flashed across television screens and printed in newspapers.

Gibson is the Houston Police Department's forensic artist. At least three times a week investigators — armed with nothing more than an offense report, a victim and maybe some witnesses — will come to her for help in solving crimes.

And she does. She does it so well that some say without her sketches many crooks might never have been caught. Other officers simply shake their heads in bewilderment.

"It's kind of psychic. It's one of those things you can't explain," said Bobby Adams, HPD's homicide captain.

When Gibson gets to the station the policemen put her in an interview room, where she sets up an easel and heaps a pile of pastels on her towel-covered lap. Then they bring in the mother of a kidnapped schoolboy. Or the store clerk who witnessed a burglary. Or the elderly woman who was raped and beaten.

And that's when the magic starts.

"I get them to relax and to try to remember as much as they can. I tell them that rather than sitting back and feeling broken and hurt, this is their chance to get revenge," Gibson said. "I'm their vessel to get their baby back or to stop that rapist."

**ONE SUCH** rapist was accused of sexually assaulting and stabbing two young girls who managed to survive and describe him to Gibson. Once her sketch was publicized, HPD switchboards lit up and the man's coworkers identified him to police.

And in a case that some thought couldn't be made, Gibson sketched the face of a man who raped and beat a pregnant blind woman with her cane. After the assault, the man had told his victim she would never be able to identify him.

He was wrong. Someone had briefly witnessed the pair scuffling and described the attacker to Gibson. Police took the sketch back to the scene of the crime where several passers-by identified the assailant as a 25-year-old man who was later identified out of a voice lineup. Police were then able to build a case with physical evidence and witness statements.

While acknowledging she has a flair for police work, it hasn't always been Gibson's forte.

The 38-year-old plumber's wife painted her first portrait at 12.

She graduated from the University of Texas at Austin in 1976 with a bachelor's degree in studio art and spent two years studying to be a facial prosthesis technician. Two years ago Gibson took a forensic artist course at an FBI academy.

But she credits none of that formal training for her people skills, her lightning-fast drawings or her perception. Her real schooling, she said, took place on the picturesque sidewalks that border the San Antonio River.

Gibson spent 3½ years in what she calls a "joyous occupation," making a living by painting portraits of tourists, lovestruck couples and babies on the San Antonio Rivewalk.

In 1979, she moved to Houston and set up her easel in shopping malls and at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo. One day, while painting at Northwest Mall, she fell in love — at first sight.

**"I MET HIM** at the mall when he was there for a tuxedo fitting. He had a two-hour wait. It must have been fate," she said.

Naturally, she painted his portrait. And in 1981, they married.

Soon after that, her penchant for painting strangers waned, replaced by a longing to sketch her own children — wearing shorts, cowboy boots and silly grins. Gibson soon filled the walls of her small Houston home with portraits of her husband, their 3-year-old daughter and 6-year-old son.

She said she never thought about sketching criminals until one day seven years ago she heard about a Houston dance teacher who was raped in front of her 12-year-old students.

"I got hit with this feeling just like when I knew I wanted to paint at the Riverwalk," Gibson said. "I said give me those girls. I know I can draw. I knew I could do it."

Since that day, she has sketched more than 400 criminal portraits. Last year, at least one-third of her drawings were responsible for snaring suspects, she says. Police marvel at her knack for coaxing information out of people and her artistic ability.

"She seems to have an extraordinary talent to bring out features in people she has never seen," said Capt. S.J. Jones, of the burglary division. "We even tested her one day by describing a guy we already had a picture of. The sketch she did looked more like the real person than our photo did."

Gibson acknowledges that every successful sketch hinges on how much a victim or witness is willing to remember.

**ONCE THE** assailant's likeness begins to unfold — which is usually about the time she draws the eyes — some victims recoil. They cry, scream or even leave the room to vomit, she said.

"People will fight you in the beginning and tell you they can't remember what the guy looked like. They fight you during the drawing and say you're not doing it right. And when you're done they say it's not any good. But you know what? It catches the guy," she said.

"I tell them they have the chance to take every bit of hurt and anger they have and turn it around. I say the meaner the guy, and the more he hurt you, the better the drawing will be."

Gibson speaks from the depths of her own experiences. She was raped twice, in 1973 and 1974. And like many rape victims, she did not report it to police because she was afraid. Her private horror story is just another tool she employs to help other victims open up.

And if that doesn't work, sometimes, she prays.

"I ask that (God) help this person to give me a vision...let them see clearly and give me a good picture."

And sometimes, her prayers aren't answered.

Gibson recalls the case of an 8-year-old Nacogdoches boy who was stabbed 25 times and left for dead by the side of the road. Police brought Gibson to him four days later.

"I could still see the wounds in his back and neck," she said, wiping tears from her eyes. "I kissed his little fingers where you could still see the knicks where the knife had hit him. I told him he was a hero, and Superman-strong...but he just didn't want to help. He refused to even look at the drawing. That was my failure."

Her successes, however, are well-chronicled.

At home, Gibson keeps a thick, black book that she calls her Crook Book. It's brimming with newspaper crime clippings and her sketches. Every time one of her drawings helps nab a criminal, she tapes a bull's eye next to the clipping. Lately, she's been on target a lot.

"I feel like I've been cursed," she said. "I mean, now I'm seeking out the cops. Someone once told me that I'd get hooked on catching criminals, and it's true."

## Deportation of Cubans delayed

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. (AP) — The deportation of five Cuban boat people, the first whose cases came under review after last year's prison riots, was postponed today after Cuba requested more time to prepare for them, the government said.

Joe Krovisky, a Justice Department spokesman in Washington, said the flight from Birmingham to Havana, scheduled for noon today, was rescheduled for 11 a.m. Friday.

The five fled the communist island nation in the 1980 boatlift from Mariel, Cuba, but were placed in custody in America pending deportation because of their criminal records in this country.

Some of the 125,000 in the illegal boatlift were convicts or mentally ill.

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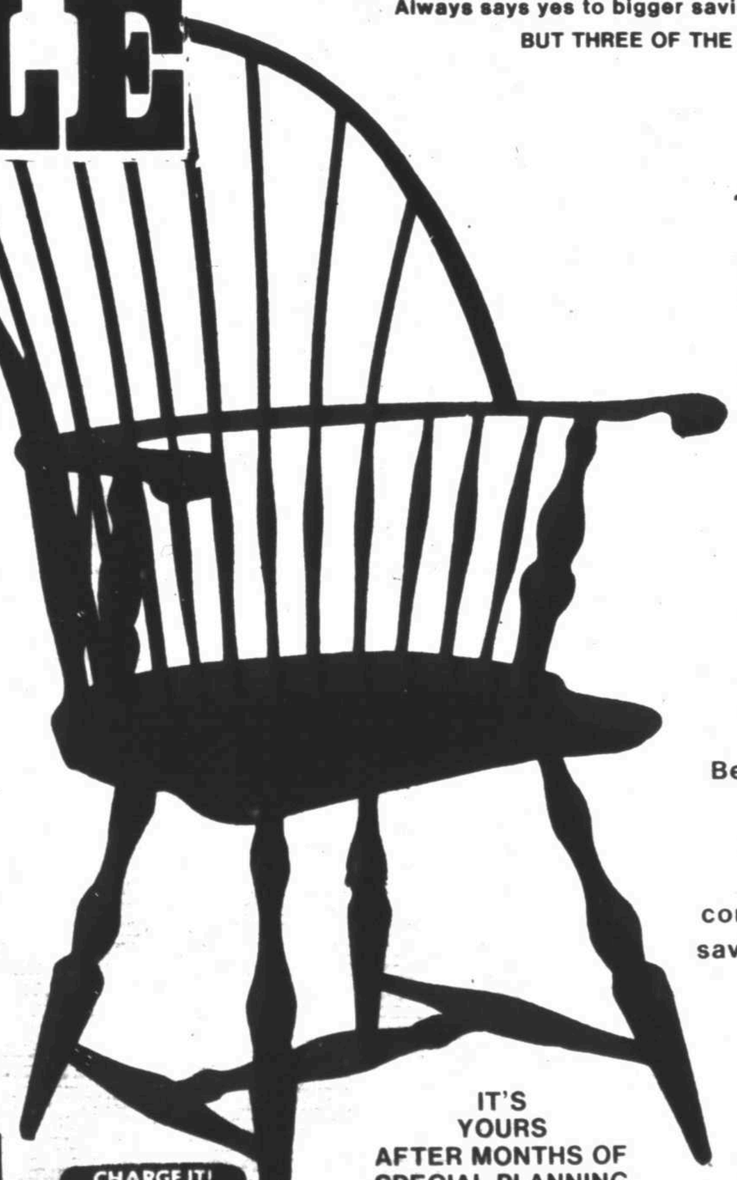


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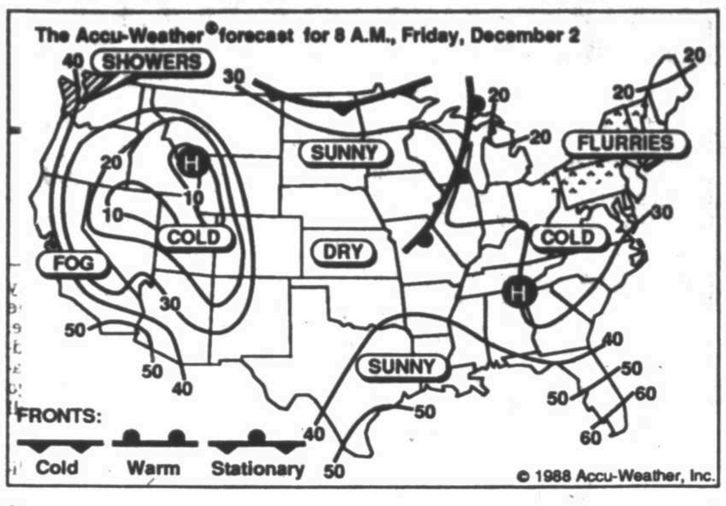


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## WEATHER SUMMARY




# Slight warming trend expected

From Staff and Wire Reports

Clear skies and slightly warmer temperatures are in the forecast for tonight, according to the National Weather Service at Midland International Airport. The low will be near 30 and winds will be light and southwesterly.

Friday is expected to be sunny with the high in the middle 60s, and southwesterly winds 5-15 mph.

Wednesday's high of 61 was 20 degrees cooler than the record high of 81 set for that date in 1946. The overnight low of 23 was four degrees warmer than the record low of 19 set for this date in 1979.

**STATE**

A warming trend was expected to begin across all of Texas as the state's weather remained under the influence of a high pressure system.

Forecasts called for clear skies and warming temperatures statewide Friday after another night of cool to cold temperatures.

Cool to cold temperatures were reported across the state early today with early morning readings cooler in some portions of the southern half of the state than in the northern half. Houston, for example, recorded 33 at 5 a.m. while it was 34 at Wichita Falls and 40 at Fort Worth at the same time.

Lows tonight will be mostly in the 30s and 40s, ranging from the 20s in the mountains of Southwest Texas to the upper 50s along the lower coast.

Highs Friday will be in the 60s and 70s across most of the state with readings expected to be in the 70s over all of South Texas.

Early morning temperatures were in the 20s in the High Plains, extreme West Texas and portions of the Edwards Plateau and in the 30s and 40s over most of the rest of the state except in South Texas where readings were in the 50s. Extremes ranged from 25 at Dalhart and Lubbock to 59 at Brownsville.

Other early morning temperatures around the state included 29 at Amarillo, 34 at Wichita Falls, 40 at Fort Worth, 34 at Waco, 43 at Austin, 36 at San Antonio, 33 at Houston, 47 at Corpus Christi, 29 at San Angelo, 25 at Lubbock, 26 at Midland and 30 at El Paso.

**NATION**

Light snow borne by colder northwest winds dusted areas from the Great Lakes to the Northeast today and dense fog lingered throughout much of the Northwest, cutting visibility in some spots to zero.

In Michigan, snowfall was light with Flint and Lansing reporting 1 inch early today. Snow was also scattered across western parts of the Pennsylvania, with snowfall amounts predicted in the 1 to 2 inch range.

In New York, rain and sleet fell on Buffalo, but the precipitation was forecast to turn to snow. Snowfall amounts were predicted to reach 6 inches south of Buffalo.

## Midland statistics

FORECAST

Tonight: Clear with the low near 30, light southwesterly winds. Friday: Sunny with the high in the middle 60s, southwest winds 5-15 mph.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

| | |
|---|---|
| Yesterday's High | 61 degrees |
| Overnight Low | 23 degrees |
| Sunset today | 5:44 p.m. |
| Sunrise tomorrow | 7:32 a.m. |
| Precipitation: | |
| Last 24 hours | 0 inches |
| This month to date | trace inches |
| Year to date | 17.78 inches |

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 6 a.m. | 21 | 6 p.m. | 48 |
| 7 a.m. | 21 | 7 p.m. | 46 |
| 8 a.m. | 21 | 8 p.m. | 40 |
| 9 a.m. | 34 | 9 p.m. | 35 |
| 10 a.m. | 45 | 10 p.m. | 35 |
| 11 a.m. | 54 | 11 p.m. | 30 |
| noon | 57 | midnight | 34 |
| 1 p.m. | 59 | 1 a.m. | 32 |
| 2 p.m. | 60 | 2 a.m. | 27 |
| 3 p.m. | 60 | 3 a.m. | 26 |
| 4 p.m. | 59 | 4 a.m. | 27 |
| 5 p.m. | 53 | 5 a.m. | 26 |
| | | 6 a.m. | 23 |

## Texas temperatures

| | Hi | Lo | Ppn |
|---|---|---|---|
| Abilene | 60 | 34 | |
| Alice | 71 | 44 | |
| Amarillo | 52 | 27 | |
| Austin | 65 | 42 | |
| Beaumont-Port Arthur | 68 | 33 | |
| Beeville | 70 | 46 | |
| Brownsville | 73 | 56 | |
| Bryan-College Station | 67 | 32 | |
| Childress | 59 | 33 | |
| Corpus Christi | 69 | 47 | |
| Cotulla | 67 | 40 | |
| Dalhart | 52 | 23 | |
| DFW Airport | 63 | 37 | |
| Del Rio | 66 | 38 | |
| El Paso | 59 | 27 | |
| Fort Worth Meacham | 64 | 39 | |
| Galveston | 66 | 53 | |
| Hondo | 69 | 35 | |
| Houston Intcntl | 69 | 32 | |
| Junction | 62 | 25 | |
| Kingsville | 71 | 43 | |
| Laredo | 68 | 44 | |
| Longview | 61 | 40 | |
| Lubbock | 56 | 24 | |
| Lufkin | 66 | 27 | |
| Marfa | 64 | 20 | |
| McAllen | 71 | 56 | |
| Midland-Odessa | 61 | 23 | |
| Mineral Wells | 62 | 28 | |
| Palacios | 68 | 38 | |
| San Angelo | 63 | 26 | |
| San Antonio | 69 | 34 | |
| Shreveport, La. | 62 | 32 | |
| Stephenville | 62 | 30 | |
| Texarkana | 58 | 40 | |
| Victoria | 70 | 37 | |
| Waco | 63 | 33 | |
| Wichita Falls | 61 | 34 | |
| Wink | 62 | 26 | |

## Weather elsewhere

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| Albany,N.Y. | 46 | 26 | | cdy |
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| Anchorage | 26 | 13 | | cdy |
| Atlanta | 54 | 31 | | clr |
| Atlantic City | 52 | 37 | | clr |
| Baltimore | 52 | 33 | | clr |
| Boise | 40 | 23 | | clr |
| Boston | 51 | 42 | | clr |
| Buffalo | 43 | 33 | .12 | cdy |
| Casper | 34 | 29 | | clr |
| Charleston,S.C. | 68 | 47 | | clr |
| Chicago | 36 | 23 | .01 | cdy |
| Cincinnati | 42 | 22 | | clr |
| Dayton | 41 | 23 | .01 | cdy |
| Denver | 40 | 26 | | clr |
| Detroit | 42 | 31 | .06 | cdy |
| Flagstaff | 43 | 29 | | clr |
| Grand Rapids | 37 | 30 | .06 | cdy |
| Great Falls | 48 | 40 | | clr |
| Honolulu | 88 | m | | clr |
| Indianapolis | 46 | 21 | | clr |
| Jackson,Miss. | 60 | 30 | | clr |
| Kansas City | 45 | 23 | | clr |
| Las Vegas | 64 | 37 | | clr |
| Little Rock | 55 | 34 | | cdy |
| Los Angeles | 81 | 53 | | clr |
| Louisville | 48 | 31 | .01 | clr |
| Memphis | 54 | 39 | | clr |
| Milwaukee | 33 | 21 | .02 | cdy |
| Mpls-St Paul | 27 | 05 | | cdy |
| Nashville | 52 | 31 | | clr |
| New Orleans | 65 | 39 | | clr |
| New York City | 52 | 40 | | clr |
| Oklahoma City | 57 | 33 | | clr |
| Omaha | 38 | 20 | .03 | clr |
| Philadelphia | 51 | 33 | | clr |
| Phoenix | 73 | 52 | | clr |
| Pittsburgh | 47 | 29 | .03 | cdy |
| Reno | 51 | 24 | | cdy |
| Richmond | 55 | 37 | | clr |
| St Louis | 46 | 33 | | clr |
| Salt Lake City | 41 | 22 | | clr |
| San Diego | 78 | 49 | | clr |
| San Francisco | 70 | 48 | | cdy |
| Sioux Falls | 30 | 06 | .02 | clr |
| Spokane | 31 | 21 | | cdy |
| Syracuse | 50 | 33 | | cdy |
| Topeka | 48 | 22 | | clr |
| Tucson | 69 | 45 | | clr |
| Tulsa | 54 | 36 | | clr |
| Washington,D.C. | 53 | 38 | | clr |
| Wichita | 53 | 27 | | clr |

## Texas area forecasts

**West Texas:** Sunny Friday. Clear and not as cold tonight. Highs mid to upper 60s Friday except 70 to 75 along the Rio Grande. Lows tonight from the mid 20s to lower 30s, except around 20 mountains.

**North Texas:** Mostly clear tonight. Lows in the lower 30s southeast to near 40 southwest. Fair and warmer most sections Friday. Highs in the lower 60s east to near 70 elsewhere.

**South Texas:** Fair north and partly cloudy south tonight. Not as cold. Partly cloudy most areas Friday. Lows tonight near 30 Hill Country to upper 50s lower coast. Highs Friday mainly in the 70s.

# Man recants identification of killer

DALLAS (AP) — A man who testified against Randall Dale Adams in a capital murder trial featured in the movie "The Thin Blue Line" said he is trying to correct an injustice by declaring in court that Adams is innocent.

"I feel like it's my responsibility to step forward — to be a man — and admit my part in it," said David Ray Harris, who at the age of 16 in 1977 testifed that Adams killed Dallas police officer Robert Wood.

Now a death row inmate in connection with an unrelated killing, Harris was the first witness to testify Wednesday in a state district court hearing in which Adams is seeking a new trial.

Adams was convicted of the Nov. 28, 1986, killing of Wood and was sentenced to death. But his sentence later was commuted to life in prison. He has maintained his innocence, and the Errol Morris movie "The Thin Blue Line" questions his conviction.

After originally saying that both he and Adams were in a car stopped by Wood and Officer Teresa Turko, Harris said Wednesday that he was alone in the car when the killing occurred.

Although he stopped short of saying he committed the murder, Harris said his finger was on the trigger of the .22-caliber gun that killed Wood.

State District Judge Larry Baraka said based on the testimony, he would determine that Harris had admitted to committing the crime.

"As far as the court is concerned, he is telling me that he did," Baraka said.

Baraka did not rule immediately on Adams' request. He could make a recommendation for a new trial to the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals, which could act on the recommendation.

Defense attorney Randy Schaffer asked Harris, "Did Randall Adams kill Robert Wood?"

Harris replied, "No, he did not. Randall Adams knew nothing about this offense and was not in the car at the time (Wood was shot)."

Dressed in an orange jail suit and wearing handcuffs and shackles, Harris also denied assertions that that he recanted his story to avoid a death row "snitch jacket," or reputation among other inmates that he turned in someone for committing a crime.

"Someone might come up and stab me in the back tomorrow. So be it," Harris said.

Dallas County prosecutor Leslie McFarlane asked Harris why he started making stronger statements to reporters in the past two or three months about Adams' innocence in the killing and why he didn't make those statements in a similar hearing for Adams in federal court in 1986.

"I felt like I needed to do something to push things forward because evidently what I told them wasn't enough," Harris said.

As additional evidence, Schaffer presented an interview Harris did with a Fox Television reporter in which he said his finger was on the trigger and Adams was innocent.

The defense attorney also introduced a letter Harris wrote about the killing to his mother, who forwarded the letter to the state parole board on Adams' behalf.

Harris testified he was biased in favor of the prosecution when he implicated Adams at the trial. He said then-prosecutor Doug Mulder had promised "to take care of" other criminal charges pending against him in return for his testimony.

After he testified against Adams, Harris said, he was not prosecuted in those pending cases and did not have to continue reporting to his probation officer.

Turko was among the other witnesses Schaffer called to the stand. The policewoman, who in initial reports did not give a description of the gunman, said Wednesday she did not know where she later got a description that he had "bushy" hair.

She said she gave that description in testimony following a meeting with Mulder.

Schaffer: "Is it possible it came from Doug Mulder?"

Turko: "Yes sir."

Schaeffer asked if others in the police department were pushing to solve Wood's murder.

"I wanted to see the man accused of killing my partner convicted," Turko said.

Dale Holt, formerly with the police department's internal affairs division, testified that the department was pressing to get the case solved.

Among the spectators in the packed courtroom Wednesday was Wood's younger sister, Patricia Willis, who said she wants to see the matter put to rest. Ms. Willis said she believes Harris has recanted his story for attention and to bide time for himself.

Seven of Adams' relatives traveled to Dallas for the hearing, among them his mother, Mildred Adams.

"I think 'The Thin Blue Line' has helped," Ms. Adams said in an interview after the first day's proceedings. "I think 'The Thin Blue Line' is what's causing all this. And I have Errol Morris to thank for it."

Morris, who also watched the hearing, said he was concerned and optimistic as the hearing began.

"I'm concerned because I want Randall Adams to get out of jail," Morris said. "I care deeply about him and his family."

# Bhutto named prime minister; Pakistan restored to democracy

ISLAMABAD, Pakistan (AP) — Benazir Bhutto, the daughter of Pakistan's last freely elected leader, was named prime minister today and became the first woman to lead a Moslem nation in modern times.

The appointment, combined with Wednesday's seating of an elected National Assembly and four provincial assemblies, returned Pakistan to democracy after the 11-year rule of Gen. Mohammed Zia and a caretaker government.

President Ghulam Ishaq Khan said in a televised address that Ms. Bhutto, 35, had "the best qualities of leadership and foresight as a statesman."

He said he was convinced her Pakistan People's Party could command a majority in the National Assembly following the country's first free elections in more than a decade.

Ishaq Khan also announced the end of a state of emergency declared in August after Zia's death in a plane crash. He did that, he said, "so the new prime minister can take up her responsibility in an environment of complete democracy."

He also said he had received the resignations of the post-Zia caretaker government, effective on Friday when Ms. Bhutto will take the oath of office.



Benazir Bhutto

"Ms. Benazir Bhutto is a sound, educated, civilized, cultured and talented woman," said the president, speaking in Pakistan's official Urdu language.

"She has the best qualities of leadership and foresight of a statesman. She has the country's love in her heart."

Ishaq Khan, 73, congratulated her as "the choice of the people."

Ms. Bhutto will lead a nation dominated by the laws of Islam, which do not allowed women to appear in public without a veil covering their faces.

Islamic scholars disagree on whether the Moslem holy book, the Koran, prohibits women from engaging in public life. But Ishaq Khan has said Pakistan's Constitution says a woman can become head of state.

Ms. Bhutto's party today picked up 12 more seats in the National Assembly, the lower house of parliament, after Wednesday's voting on 20 seats reserved exclusively for women.

It meant her Pakistan People's Party commanded 105 votes in the 237-seat legislature. She said she had enough support from independents and minor parties to command a majority over the conservative eight-party Islamic Democratic Alliance, which rallied Zia loyalists.

# Assailant throws acid at Demjanjuk attorney

JERUSALEM (AP) — A Holocaust survivor threw acid in the face of an Israeli attorney for Nazi war criminal John Demjanjuk during a funeral today for another Demjanjuk lawyer who died in an apparent suicide.

The attack on attorney Yoram Sheftel injured one of his eyes, police and a hospital spokesman said. A woman standing nearby suffered a minor eye injury from the splashed acid, police said.

Police said they detained the assailant, a 70-year-old survivor of the Nazi Holocaust, immediately after the attack, which occurred at the Sanhedria Cemetery during the funeral for Demjanjuk lawyer Dov Eitan.

Reporters who covered the 14-month trial of Demjanjuk said the assailant, whose name was not released, was a frequent spectator at the proceedings.

The assailant was seen being dragged away, covering his face with his hands. The Itim news agency quoted an unidentified witness as saying the assailant told Sheftel "Eitan died because of you." The man then took a bottle out of his pocket and threw the acid.

Sheftel was rushed to Bikur Holim Hospital, where doctors washed the eye. His eye had "slightly blurred vision and was shut," said hospital spokesman Yehuda Kingslinger.

Eitan, a 53-year-old former judge, died Tuesday in a fall from a 15th floor hotel window in Jerusalem. Police said the death was a suicide.

The death has delayed Demjanjuk's appeal of a death sentence to Israel's Supreme Court for six months. The appeal had been scheduled to begin Dec. 5.

Demjanjuk, a 68-year-old retired autoworker from Cleveland, Ohio, was sentenced in April for committing crimes against humanity and the Jewish people as an operator of gas chambers at Treblinka Death Camp in Poland, where 850,000 Jews perished during World War II.

Sheftel was sent for further treatment to a special eye unit at Jerusalem's Hadassah Hospital.

## SHUTTLE

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Madura said that if Friday's weather was unacceptable, the outlook for Saturday was not too good, with continued strong ground winds. "Sunday appears to be the best of the three days," he said.

The countdown, blacked out publicly for security reasons, stood at nine minutes when the scrub was called, sources reported. It had been held there for more than an hour while officials waited in vain for a significant break in the weather.

The astronauts, who had boarded the spacecraft shortly after 4 a.m. in their bulky escape suits, returned to crew quarters seven miles from the launch pad.

"They took it in stride," Sieck said of their reaction to the scrub. "We had talked about this threat ever since we picked up the count, so it came as no surprise."

The postponement was nothing new for the crew commander, Navy Cmdr. Robert L. Gibson. As commander of Columbia on the 24th mission, he had experienced a recordd seven postponements and had to board the ship six times before finally taking off.

Technicians promptly began emptying the huge external fuel tank of the half-million gallons of liquid oxygen and liquid hydrogen that had been pumped aboard overnight. The fuel will be reused for the next attempt at launching.

The forecast for this morning had been ominous for days, and NASA knew it was gambling when it decided to load the fuel tank. the space agency has estimated the costs of a last-minute scrub at about $250,000.

The fickle weather at the Florida launch site has been a persistent problem, forcing numerous delays and postponements of previous shuttle launches. Weather criteria for launch have been tightened since the Challenger explosion of January 1986.

There also was a report of unacceptable weather at the runway across the Atlantic where the shuttle might have to land if one or two engines failed early into the flight.

The quick-fix repair job Wednesday was in response to a problem with bolts on a cover of a service panel in the orbiter's nose. The panel is used to fill the fuel tanks of the shuttle's forward steering rockets.

When the launch pad crew attempted to replace the cover to the panel, two of 10 bolts failed. The workers then used glue, heated by lamps, to secure the edges of the 1½-by-2-foot panel cover.

As with the previous military flights, Pentagon officials said the prelaunch secrecy was necessary to foil surveillance efforts by Soviet satellites and by spy ships off the Florida coast.

## RJR

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The breakdown of the Johnson group's bid was not disclosed, but Shearson Lehman Hutton, the Wall Street firm that was one of its key financial partners, said, "From what we know, our bid was the best."

"We are mystified about the process and the standards that the board used to reach its decision," it said in a statement. "We are going to continue to keep our options open. We believe the RJR shareholders will have a lot of questions as well."

Kohlberg, the undisputed leader in buying companies with borrowed money in deals known as leveraged buyouts, said it was happy with the outcome.

"We are also pleased that this process has come to an end so that the employees of RJR, its consumers and suppliers and the communities it serves, can be assured that business will now return to normal and stability will be restored," Kohlberg's two principals, Henry R. Kravis and George Roberts, said in a statement.

However, the deal raised the prospect that some businesses in one of America's biggest consumer product companies might be sold to help Kohlberg pay for its prize.

Kohlberg gave no indication which of RJR's worldwide operations might be discarded. There was speculation that candidates could include some or all of RJR's food businesses. RJR's tobacco business roots still account for about 40 percent of its sales.

Atlanta-based RJR is one of the largest consumer products companies, with more than 120,000 employees worldwide. Its brands include such well-known products as Camel cigarettes, Shredded Wheat and Life Savers.

The deal's size and complexity have raised major questions about whether the frenzied level of leveraged buyouts and debt-financed restructurings has gone too far in transforming much of corporate America.

The deal also signaled a spectacular defeat for Johnson, whose group began the struggle to take the company private with a $75-a-share offer on Oct. 20 that was raised five times.

"I am proud that we put the best bid on the table the first time and this time," Johnson said in a statement following Kohlberg's victory.

It was not clear whether the scrappy, daring executive would try to reopen the war. His tenure as head of RJR was even less certain.

Earlier Wednesday, Johnson's group tried to raise its bid after a company-decreed deadline for all offers expired. The move temporarily upended a $106-a-share, $23.8 billion Kohlberg Kravis offer the RJR board was about to approve.

## ROAD

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For the state's part, Passmore is working feverishly to finalize road and culvert construction plans. "We're looking at finishing sometime in December, but it's going to be tight fit."

City Manager Fred Poe said there's been no discussion to date on the disposition of soccer fields at Hogan Park in order to meet Phase II construction deadlines. However, Poe saw no problems with the local league continuing play through the spring.

"We plan to let them play through then, but the state has told us that it has to be vacated 12 months ahead of time ... once they let the bids, we'll (the city) be completely out of it."

Phase II — which will involve construction from Wadley Avenue to Loop 250 — will take six months and $800,000 to complete, according to engineers.

Once family relocations are complete, right-of-ways cleared and gutters and curbs constructed, state officials say they're prepared to proceed. "It's really a simple project," said Huffman. "We plan to be well under way by next summer."

## FAMILY

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He said proving Mrs. Vela's eligibility might be harder.

Under the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986, people who lived in the United States since before Jan. 1, 1982, were eligible for immigration amnesty. Their deadline was May 4. But agricultural workers fall under less-strict rules, having had to work 90 days in agriculture in the years ending May 1, 1984, 1985 and 1986.

The couple's three sons and daughter, ages 4 to 13, are not eligible for amnesty. Vela said he hopes he can persuade the INS to allow them to live in the United States.

Three of the children — 13-year-old Mayra, 10-year-old Jose Antonio and 8-year-old Jesus — have attended school in Midland and speak English and are familiar with American culture, Vela said. Mayra even belongs to the Girl Scouts.


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# Phone records contradict Railey's story

**Railey Saga Part 4**

**EDITOR'S NOTE: Walker Railey, ousted as senior pastor of Dallas First Methodist Church, faced a new and more serious problem. Authorities now had proof he lied about his whereabouts when his wife was almost murdered in their home. And, an inquiring media were disclosing publicly the details of Railey's duplicity. In the fourth installment of the Railey saga, the ex-minister is foiled by phone records he never knew existed.**

By MIKE COCHRAN

DALLAS (AP) — On the evening of April 21, 1987, Walker Railey called his wife Peggy on his car phone and told her he was on his way home from the office. The mobile phone had been installed at church expense only hours earlier as a security measure because of anonymous threats against Railey.

Railey did not know then that the FBI would trace the threats to a typewriter at his First Methodist Church, nor did he realize a phone company computer was recording the time of that first call at 5:55 p.m.

Moments later, at 5:58 p.m., he telephoned Lucy Papillon, who would later be identified as his secret mistress, and talked for one minute.

Arriving home shortly before 6:30 p.m., Railey said he found Mrs. Railey working on a faulty garage door lock with a bar of soap. Investigators later found no trace of soap on the lock, which was not inoperative.

Railey said he sat on the hood of his wife's Chrysler and talked with her for several minutes. He wasn't hungry, he said, and the two shared a glass of wine in lieu of dinner.

Railey told his wife he intended to spend the evening on a research project at the SMU libraries. He did not change from his business suit and left the house a little after 6:30.

**AT 6:38 P.M.**, Railey, who never wore a watch, called on the car phone for the time.

Railey said he spent half an hour or so at SMU's Bridwell Library and was back in his car by 7:26 p.m., at which time he phoned the family babysitter and discussed plans for a trip to San Antonio he and Mrs. Railey planned later in the week.

At 7:32 p.m., he phoned Ms. Papillon at her home on Daniel Avenue near the SMU campus. This was the second call which he had failed to mention to police. He drove directly to her house, where he spent the next 40 minutes or so.

Railey told a friend later he went there to get some relaxation tapes to help relieve his stress.

Between 8:00 and 8:30 p.m., Railey was back at Bridwell, where he asked a librarian what time the library closed. At 8:30 p.m., Railey, using a pay phone, called his wife on their private line. She told him she was putting the children to bed. Mrs. Railey then called her parents long distance in Tyler and talked from 8:49 p.m. until 9:14 p.m..

At 8:53 p.m., Railey purchased gas at a Texaco station on Greenville Avenue. After drinking a wine cooler, he said, he returned to his research at the Fondren Library. But no one saw him there until after 11 p.m.

At 9:30 p.m., a jogger in the Lake Highlands area spotted a man in a business suit and street shoes running through a yard south of the Railey home. Between 10:15 p.m. and 10:30 p.m., a neighbor heard rustling sounds in the alley behind the Raileys.



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A near-fatal attack on Peggy Railey, wife of the Rev. Walker Railey, former pastor of First United Methodist Church in Dallas, took place in the garage of the couple's home.

**SOMETIME AFTER** 11:00 p.m., a librarian saw Railey at SMU's main library. Upon leaving at midnight, Railey attempted to give his business card to a Nigerian student at the checkout desk. On the back of the card was a message requesting help in finding research information. Railey also noted the time, 10:30 p.m., when in fact it was midnight, the student told police.

Minutes later, at 12:03 a.m., Railey called home on the car phone, but this time he used the public line instead of the private line. According to friends, the family seldom answered the public line, which was connected to an answering machine.

"Hi, Babe," he said. "I'm calling you from my mobile phone. Peg, it's about, oh, I don't know. I don't have a watch. It's somewhere between 10:30 and 10:45, somewhere along in there. I worked at Bridwell until they closed and now I'm going to Fondren."

This could not have been true. He had in fact just left Fondren, according to other accounts.

"There are three footnotes that I've just absolutely got to get tonight so I can give it to Karen tomorrow morning," Railey continued."Fondren's open until about 2 o'clock, so I'm going to go on up there and I should be finished about 12:30 or so.

"I'll be in about 1. If you want to, go ahead and lock the garage door and I'll park out front. It really doesn't matter to me at this point. My concern is that you're safe..."

This portion of the tape might explain why Mrs. Railey would leave the security of her home to enter the garage that night. Even so, Railey would still have to explain why, if he really intended to speak with her at the time, he had called on the public line and left a message.

The taped call continued.

"I don't have to go into the office until 9:30 for staff tomorrow so what I'm suggesting is go ahead and put the lock on the door if you wish. I'll park out front and come on in the front door. And then we'll go from there.

"Love you, Dear. Bye-bye."

**TWENTY-THREE** minutes later, Railey phoned the answering machine again, and on this occasion gave the correct time: 12:29.

"Hi, Babe," he began. "It's 12:29 and I'm on the way home from SMU. I am down to absolutely one footnote and that's Ellen Goodman with the Boston Globe and I'm gonna call her personally tomorrow morning. Everything really went well. I got a lot accomplished. I had to leave my card with the reference librarian because there was one deal that I couldn't quite work out. I'm not calling on the private line because I know you're already asleep, but in case you get up with the kids, I just wanted you to know that I'm on my way home. It's 12:30. I'll be home about 12:45.

"Love You. Bye-bye."

At just past 12:40, Railey drove into his driveway. He said the garage door was partially open and, strangely, the garage was dark. The bulbs had mysteriously disappeared from the overhead light of the automatic door opener.

With his car lights on, he said, he climbed from his car and found Mrs. Railey lying in front of her Chrysler. She was writhing and frothing at the mouth, her face blue and swollen. Yet her glasses were in place and her hair still neatly combed.

There was no sign of a struggle. There was no skin under her fingernails to indicate she had either fought her assailant or scratched herself when grasping at whatever was pulled around her throat.

Railey said he determined that the children were safe and notified police.

It was 12:43 a.m. when he spoke with the dispatcher.

"Dallas Emergency, Ms...," the dispatcher answered.

**"THIS IS** Walker Railey," he interrupted. He gave his Trail Hill Drive address.

The dispatcher repeated the address, and then Railey said: "Send the paramedics and police, please."

"Stay on the line with me...What street crosses Trail Hill on the corner?" the dispatcher asked.

"Uh, it's, it's, it's between Audelia and, uh, White Rock Trail."

"Is it a house or an apartment?"

"It's a house. It's about four blocks north of Lake Highlands High School."

"Okay. What's your name, sir?"

"Walker Railey. R-A-I-L-E-Y."

Railey gave the dispatcher the unlisted phone number and she confirmed it.

"OK. Has she been beat up or what?"

"I don't know. She's just laying on the floor of the garage. I just got here. She's foaming at the mouth or something."

"OK. We'll get them out there."

"Please hurry."

"All right."

Diane Yarrington answered the phone at 12:45 a.m. and heard Railey's voice.

**"DIANE, SOMETHING** awful has happened to Peggy. Come quick, come right now."

She and and her husband raced to the Railey home.

"By the time we got there, the ambulance had arrived," she said. "Walker was inside holding Megan. Ryan was sort of sitting on the couch."

Mrs. Yarrington spoke to Railey briefly then said, "I'll take the children."

Railey turned to Yarrington. "Don't leave me," he begged.

"I'll be here," his friend assured him.

When neighbors arrived at the house, they saw Mrs. Railey lying unattended on the concrete floor of the garage. She was foaming at the mouth and convulsing and her legs were twitching.

No one had covered her with a blanket or attempted any kind of medical help. Railey kneeled beside his wife once but did not touch her, witnesses said.

Inside the house, both children were in the living room, Megan watching a silent television screen and Ryan staring blankly ahead.

**MONTHS LATER,** Kinne told a reporter he thought it possible that Ryan witnessed the attack, but he said the youngster gave investigators inconsistent accounts of what might have happened that night.

"Maybe daddy did it," Ryan said once.

After the stunning developments of mid-November, Railey vanished from sight.

"I know he has some job prospects," said Yarrington.

In early December, Railey told Helen Parmley of the News in a telephone interview from California that he fled despair, not speculation, when he left Dallas. And he maintained he was not abandoning his children.

"In this case, while I am relocating, looking for work, financially strapped, not knowing where I'm going to end up or what I'm going to be doing, everybody involved in this drama believes...the most stable, loving, Christian environment they can be in is where they are," he said.

But before anybody could get themselves too lathered up over Railey's plight, a Dallas Times Herald columnist named Laura Miller put the case in an entirely new perspective.

Ms. Miller, fresh from a stint at the New York Dailey News, hit town convinced that the Railey story was substantially more compelling than anything she'd been writing about in the Big Apple. She headed off to Tyler armed only with a little grit, a lot of gall and a vague idea where the Nicolai family lived.

**FINALLY, NEAR** dark, and with a little luck, she located the family home in a small town outside Tyler. She was met at the door by Mrs. Railey's grandmother, Ella Renfro, who told her she did not want to be interviewed.

But Ms. Miller talked her way inside the house and over tea and cheesecake interviewed not only the grandmother but, when he returned home, Mrs. Railey's father, Bill Nicolai.

With barely a hint of journalistic restraint, Ms. Miller told the Railey story from the exclusive point of view of the victim's family, punctuating two columns with her own anger and indignation.

"Most people think Walker Railey did it," the first column began.

"But then," she continued, "most people aren't in a good position to think that. They aren't on the inside ...

"Ella Renfro and Bill Nicolai don't have to rely on secondhand news. They're family. They're Peggy Railey's 87-year-old grandmother and Peggy Railey's softspoken father. They know things most people don't know. They have a direct pipeline to the police. They sit right at Peggy's bedside. They mourn.

"And they think Walker Railey did it."

Ms. Miller went on:

**"UNTIL NOW,** Peggy's family members have not discussed their feelings with the press. They have not staged, as Walker Railey has, any please-pity-me personal tours of the infamous garage on Trail Hill Drive. And they've never told the bald-faced lie that Walker told a magazine reporter, just a few months ago — that he and his in-laws are still good friends.

"Well, Walker, not quite."

The columnist summed up the Nicolais' position:

"It's not just the obvious that pains them — like the 43 times Walker took the Fifth Amendment in front of the grand jury. Or his total lack of cooperation with the police. Or the now-famous "discrepancies" between what Walker claims and what the police know. Or the motive — the mistress.

"Miss Butterfly. The brassy, busty Lucy Papillon.

"Yeah, the motive. 'A divorced man doesn't get to be bishop,' says Ella.

"'Look at all the people he has destroyed,' she says. 'His wife, his children and the whole Methodist Church. Not just the one where he preached. The whole Methodist Church across this nation.'

"But it's more than the obvious that pains her. And pains Bill.

"There are Walker's actions in the immediate aftermath of the assault, in those first horrible moments when countless tubes were stuck into his wife's nose and mouth and throat and arms. There he was, in the hallways of Presbyterian Hospital, constantly — blantantly, unashamedly — huddling with his girlfriend. Walking around with Papillon always at his side. Whispering to her, pulling her out of his in-laws' earshot...

"'He's a real S.O.B.,' says Ella. 'I wouldn't call him if Peg died.'"

**MS. MILLER** set the tone for her second column with this opening paragraph:

"It's not hard to imagine what Walker Railey is doing out there in breezy, free-wheeling California: Walking on the beach. Making new friends. Necking with his best girl."

The article went on to detail the painful but loving ritual Mrs. Railey's parents performed daily in caring for their daughter as she lay unconscious in the Tyler nursing home, her body alive but her brain dead.

And while Megan Railey is too young to understand, Ryan understands and remembers, his grandparents told Ms. Miller. She wrote:

"He knows that someone has hurt his mother, and therefore he cannot be with her. But who knows what he has been told about his father. Maybe that 'Daddy's traveling' or perhaps more truthful, 'Daddy's hiding from everybody.' Or 'Daddy's with his girlfriend.'"

Ryan's grandparents said they believe Railey is gone for good and that the only sure way his son will see him again is if his father is brought back to Texas to answer to police.

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## Alleged Mafia figures arrested in operation

WASHINGTON (AP) — Authorities today arrested a number of Sicilian Mafia figures in a joint U.S.-Italian undercover operation targeting international drug-trafficking rings in both countries, authorities announced.

The FBI said 75 people have been charged in the United States and 133 in Italy.

Arrests were being made today in eight U.S. and nine Italian cities as the result of what FBI Director William Sessions called a "long-term, undercover operation that builds strong cases against top leaders" of organized crime.

Arrests were under way today in Baltimore; Buffalo, N.Y.; Miami; Newark, N.J.: New York; Philadelphia; San Francisco, and Rockford, Ill.

In a statement, the FBI said the operation developed from what originally were independent criminal probes in Buffalo, New York and Philadelphia.

They grew into a coordinated probe when agents found links between many of the targets of the separate investigations.

The Buffalo case was initially designed to concentrate on drug-trafficking rings in the western New York area and was code named "Busico," which stands for "Buffalo Sicilian Connection."

It ultimately became tied to a probe in Philadelphia called the "Iron Tower" case, eventually requiring the cooperation of six FBI field offices, three Italian police agencies, other U.S. government agencies and overseas support of the Drug Enforcement Administration.

Undercover FBI agents traveled to Italy to discuss major drug buys. Italian police inspectors worked with FBI agents on the investigation in New York and Philadelphia.

In Italy, the news agency ANSA said police were seeking at least 37 people there who were named in arrest warrants issued by anti-Mafia magistrate Giovanne Falcone. It said all the people named in the warrants were members of the Spatola, Gambino, Inzerillo crime families in Italy and the United States.

The Italian news agency AGI said the two-year investigation that led to the raids stemmed from the "Pizza Connection" international drug ring that sold $1.6 billion of heroin, mostly through pizzerias.


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# INS processed aliens in line at midnight, official says

LIMA, Pa. (AP) — Basharat Mirza, an illegal alien from Pakistan, woke up well before dawn on the final day of an opportunity to keep his American dream alive.

Mirza left New York City at 4:30 a.m. Wednesday and drove about 100 miles to a U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service office here.

The 30-year-old Mirza, one of more than 1 million alien farm workers to apply for a work permit under a nationwide amnesty program that expired at midnight, said he chose the Lima office because New York's INS office was crowded with other applicants.

"Too much rush there. Too much people there," Mirza said. "Not so many peoples here."

The INS initially estimated that 600,000 farm workers would pay the $185 fee to apply under the sweeping program mandated by the 1986 immigration act. But by the deadline, 1.1 million to 1.2 million applications were taken, the agency said.

Aaron Bodin, who heads the amnesty program for the INS, said today the agency did not turn away any applicants who were waiting in line at INS offices at midnight.

He said the agency believed many of those applying were not farm workers, but other aliens who missed a May 4 deadline for non-farm workers to apply for amnesty.

"I think it's because the standards of proof were so lenient that many aliens, feeling increasingly desperate because of employer sanctions (against hiring illegal aliens), took advantage of that (farm program) to get legal status," Bodin said on "This Morning" on CBS.

"We really don't know how many people are truly eligible," he said.

Those aliens whose applications are rejected "are back where they were and the service takes no action. It's expected, however, because of the employer sanctions provisions making it illegal for employers to hire illegal aliens, these people will eventually be discouraged and return home of their own volition."

Illegal aliens like Mirza came from as far away as Boston to the INS office in Lima, said Jesse R. Peterson, chief legalization officer in Philadelphia, 20 miles northeast of here.

In the weeks before the deadline, some applicants traveled by taxi from New York City, Peterson said. One arrived in a Mercedes equipped with a car phone.

"I didn't know there was so much money in farm work," Peterson joked.

Under the first phase of the immigrant legalization program that ended May 4, temporary residency was granted to more than 1.7 million illegal aliens who proved continuous residency in the United States since Jan. 1, 1982.

Under the agricultural phase, illegal aliens had to prove they harvested perishable crops for at least 90 days between May 1, 1985, and May 1, 1986. Those accepted will receive temporary residency status and eventually will be able to apply for permanent status.

Effective today, agricultural employers now face fines up to $10,000 per illegal alien for hiring undocumented workers.

Many applicants provided false documentation that cost them up to $3,000 in a desperate attempt to gain legal status, immigration officials across the country said.

Ten applicants were arrested Wednesday at the New Orleans INS Office when they produced fake documents, and four others were arrested in connection with an organization that supplied illegal aliens with phony papers, INS officials said. In Liberal, Kan., five people were arrested late Tuesday and early Wednesday for selling fraudulent employment letters to illegal aliens.

More than half the applications under the program, or about 500,000, have come from California, followed by Florida with about 10 percent and Texas with about 8 percent, officials said. Significant numbers were filed in the Northwest, Arizona and New York.

At the Lima office, applicants from around the globe sat for hours, clutching paperwork and awaiting a chance to see an INS officer.

Many spoke in their native tongues. One man wore a turban, others sported cowboy or baseball hats.




**Special agricultural worker applicants: 890,300***

**Where they're from:**

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| Mexico | 83.4% |
| Haiti | 4.4% |
| El Salvador | 1.8% |
| India | 1.5% |
| Guatemala | 1.2% |
| Other | 7.7% |

**Where they live now:**

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| California | 55.5% |
| Florida | 10.1% |
| Texas | 8.2% |
| Arizona | 4.4% |
| New York | 3.1% |
| Other | 18.7% |

*Estimated and rounded to nearest hundred, as of October 8, 1988
*Source: Immigration and Naturalization Service*

AP

## U.S. broadcasts 'loud and clear' minus jamming

WASHINGTON (AP) — Radio Free Europe and Radio Liberty were broadcasting "loud and clear" today as the Soviet Union and its allies kept thousands of jamming transmitters off the air for a second day.

"The only feedback is that we're being heard loud and clear" in the Soviet Union, said Stanley Leinwoll, U.S. engineering director for the government-sponsored radio services which are based in Munich, West Germany.

Leinwoll said jamming continued today of Radio Free Europe broadcasts beamed into Czechoslovakia and Bulgaria and against Voice of America and West German broadcasts into Afghanistan, although other services into those countries were now unhindered.

Engineers had anticipated that that jamming might also end.

Leinwoll called the shutdown "a momentous event" but cautioned that the Soviets still have jamming devices in place and said the United States would maintain its anti-jamming equipment.

Word that the more than 2,000 jamming transmitters in the Soviet Union and its Eastern European allies had ceased spread through Europe Wednesday as shortwave radio operators discovered that the annoying, raspy hum of Soviet interference was no longer heard over U.S., West German, Israeli or other broadcasts.

"The hum is gone," announced Malcolm S. Forbes Jr., chairman of the Board for Overseas Broadcasting, which directs the $200 million-a-year U.S. broadcasting effort based in Europe. "We think this is a very significant move by the Soviet Union," Forbes said at a news conference.

Future programming aimed at the services' estimated 55 million listeners could now include more music, fewer repeated programs and such new features as call-in talk shows, officials said.

Forbes said radio engineers who had developed sophisticated techniques for overriding the jamming were surprised by the development, although there had been some subtle signs of change during a recent visit by U.S. broadcast executives to Moscow in September.

He said the action could bring significant savings to the economically hard-pressed Soviets, who officials estimate spend up to $1.25 billion a year on jamming.

The Soviet government has made no announcement acknowledging that it had sharply trimmed back its jamming activities.

Radio Liberty and Radio Free Europe are run separately from the Voice of America and broadcast solely to the Soviet bloc. Soviet jamming of VOA transmissions stopped in 1987 and VOA now has a bureau in Moscow.

VOA covers much broader world news and more U.S. affairs than Radio Free Europe or Radio Liberty, which have been steadily jammed since they were started in the early 1950s.

Radio Liberty, Radio Free Europe and the 3-year-old Radio Afghanistan are funded by Congress. Radio Liberty is a former CIA operation, but Forbes said all three stations provide accurate and objective coverage. Their native-language broadcasts have more listeners than any other stations in areas where jamming stopped earlier, such as Hungary and Poland, he said.

Officials said the continued jamming in some countries could either have been an oversight or another example of the reluctance of Europe's toughest communist regimes to embrace Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev's policies of glasnost or openness.




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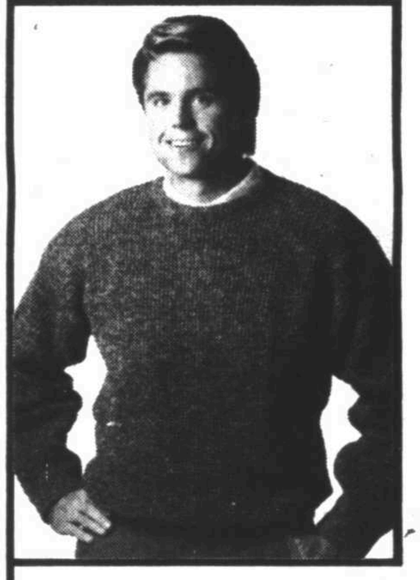
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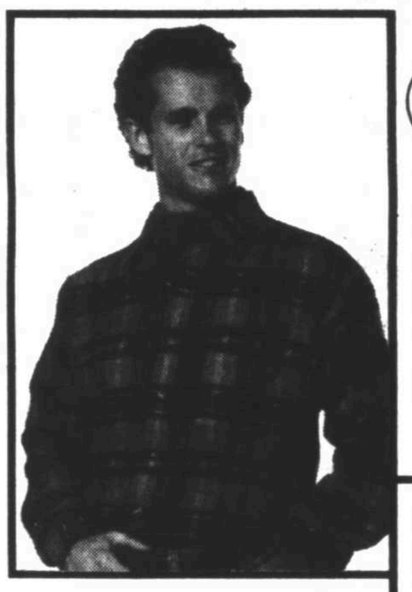
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# Drugs major problem for system, ABA says

WASHINGTON (AP) — The war on drugs is overwhelming a criminal justice system whose greatest problem is lack of resources, not legal protections afforded criminal suspects, a two-year American Bar Association study concludes.

"The entire system is starved: police, prosecution, criminal defense, courts and corrections," says the report by an ABA committee. "As currently funded, the criminal justice system cannot provide the quality of justice that the public legitimately expects and that the people working within the system wish to deliver."

Less than 3 percent of all government spending in the United States went to support civil and criminal justice activities in fiscal 1985, a previously released federal study has shown.

Those already thin resources are being overwhelmed by a massive — but largely unsuccessful — battle against illegal drugs, the ABA panel concluded.

It said that while courts are increasingly clogged, the drug problem "is growing worse, and...law enforcement has been unable to control" it.

The ABA study noted political disputes about the Miranda decision but found relatively few problems in the field related to it. That decision, issued in 1966 by the Supreme Court, said police must warn suspects of their right to remain silent and to consult with a lawyer before any questioning.

While the Miranda decision "has sparked heated controversy on a political level, the restrictions it imposes on custodial interrogation of suspects are not considered troublesome by either police or prosecutors," the panel said.

Eighty-seven percent of prosecutors surveyed for the study said no more than 5 percent of their cases were dismissed because of problems involving the Miranda requirements.

The exclusionary rule — under which evidence obtained illegally by police may not be used in court — also has caused few major problems, the study concluded. Some police officials, in fact, told the panel that the demands of the exclusionary rule have promoted professionalism in the nation's police departments.

# NATION IN BRIEF

## Computer intruder forces Pentagon to cut network

NEW YORK (AP) — An unknown computer intruder forced the Pentagon to cut links between an unclassified military network and a nationwide academic and corporate network for several days, The New York Times reported today.

The academic and corporate computer network, known as Arpanet, was the same one crippled last month by a computer virus, which is being investigated by a federal grand jury in Syracuse.

Pentagon officials said Wednesday the Defense Department move was due to technical difficulties.

However, several unidentified computer security experts told the Times that Pentagon officials had informed them the network connection was severed after the intruder illegally gained entry recently to several computers operated by defense contractors and the military.

The experts said they believed the Pentagon broke the connection, which permits military and academic researchers to exchange information, while it tried to eliminate a security flaw in the military network, the Times said.

## Police calendar attacked

ATLANTA (AP) — A fund-raising calendar featuring 12 officers in mildly racy poses and brandishing weapons is under attack from the police chief for glorifying guns.

The calendar, produced by the police union to raise funds for charity, shows officers pointing guns directly at the photographer in several shots, including the cover photo. In one picture, an officer is holding a machine gun, while a different photo shows a female officer in a police T-shirt and black fishnet stockings holding a pump-action shotgun.

"In today's violent society, I don't think anyone should glorify guns," said Police Chief Morris Redding, who initially approved the fund-raising idea.

"After viewing the finished product, I was disappointed," Redding said Tuesday. "I was hoping it would show the officers in a more professional light.

But Detective Ken Cullifer, treasurer of the International Brotherhood of Police Officers Local 623, which produced the calendar, said it was perfectly natural for the officers to be pictured with guns.

"If you were a plumber, you'd be standing there with a plunger," Cullifer said. "Police carry guns, so we used guns as props."

## Quayle may run Senate

WASHINGTON (AP) — Vice President-elect Dan Quayle may spend more time than his predecessors presiding over the Senate, a move that could spell conflict between the Democratic-controlled chamber and the administration.

In an interview, Quayle Wednesday also made his strongest public rejection of the notion that he will act as the link between the administration and the Republican Party's far right.

He also said his verbal gaffes during the campaign gave him some hard lessons about his own tendency to talk too much.

"I know myself better now. I'm a stronger person," he said.

# *Earliest human fire use reported in Nature journal*

NEW YORK (AP) — Scientists said today they have found the earliest direct evidence for use of fire by early humans, bone fragments that were burned as long as 1.5 million years ago.

Fires were apparently a regular event in the South African cave where the fragments were found, although it is unclear whether they were for cooking, warmth or scaring predators, scientists said.

"We're not absolutely certain those bones were there (in fire) because they were food remains," said researcher Andrew Sillen. "They could have been thrown into the fire as kind of a refuse heap."

Sillen, of the University of Cape Town in South Africa, and C.K. Brain of the Transvaal Museum in Pretoria, South Africa, describe their analysis in today's issue of the British journal Nature.

The fires may have been set by ancestors of humans called Homo erectus, or by ape-like men called Australopithecus robustus, which are not direct human ancestors, they wrote.

In an interview, Sillen said the bone fragments could be 1 million to 1.5 million years old, but most likely they are 1.2 million years old.

Previous research suggests fire was being used in Kenya a bit more recently than 1.4 million years ago, a date many experts accept but with some hesitancy, said Eric Delson, professor of anthropology at Lehman College of the City University of New York.

That research is supported by indirect evidence, magnetic irregularities in the ground thought caused by ancient fire on the surface, he said in a telephone interview.

The evidence from the new study is "certainly the strongest to date in favor of early human-controlled fire," Delson said.

Other research suggests fire was used slightly less than 500,000 years ago in Hungary, France and China, and certainly less than 150,000 years ago in Africa and Europe, he said.

In the new work, researchers used bones recovered from South Africa's Swartkrans cave, well-known for providing remains of Homo erectus and the ape-like man, robustus.

To make sure they could identify signs of ancient burning, researchers took a fresh leg bone from a South African antelope called a hartebeest, and heated bone slices to different temperatures.

Then they used the chemical and microscopic characteristics found in the heated slices to analyze the fossils. They concluded that 270 fossil fragments had been burnt, with most identifiable ones from antelope.

Fragments from zebra, warthog, baboon and a finger bone of robustus were also identified. The robustus bone does not necessarily mean an ape-like man was eaten, since the purpose of the fires is unknown, Sillen said.

The fragments' color and structure showed they had been heated to a range of temperatures similar to that recorded in experimental campfires set by Brain. The experimental fires used what was probably the most common wood in the vicinity in ancient days, Sillen said.

In the interview, Sillen said no burnt bones were found in older sections of the cave even though the conditions for deposition of fossils were identical. That suggests the burnt fragments mark the beginning of the use of fire, he said.

Delson said the idea that the fragments burned in natural fires rather than deliberate blazes cannot be ruled out. But Randall Susman, a researcher at the State University of New York at Stony Brook who has studied the ancient inhabitants of the Swartkrans cave, said he believes the fires were deliberate.

"It's highly unlikely that these bones would have been burned in a naturally occurring situation," he said. Range fires would not have reached the campfire-like temperatures identified for the bone fragments, he said.

In addition, Homo erectus was known to use fire elsewhere, he said.

Homo erectus appeared about 1.6 million years ago and evolved into a more advanced form by about 250,000 years ago. Robustus appeared about 2.5 million years ago and survived until at least 1 million years ago before extinction.


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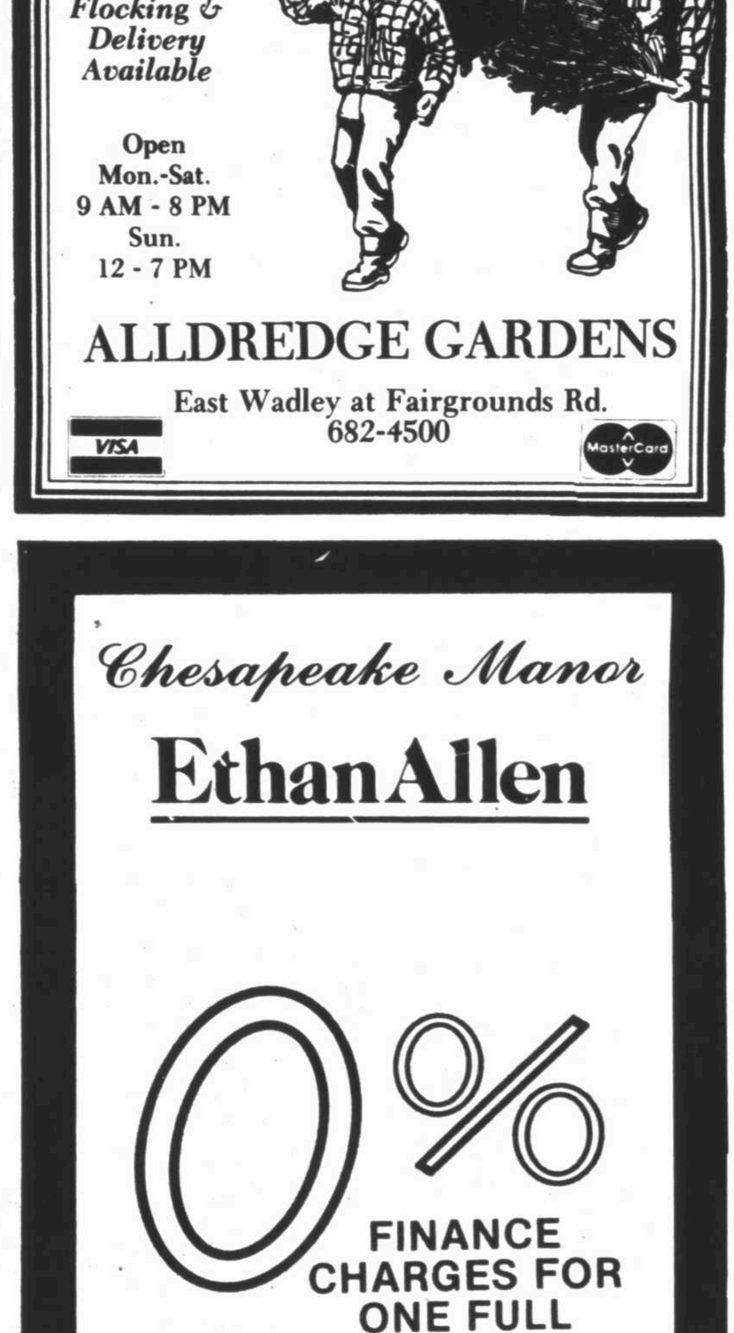
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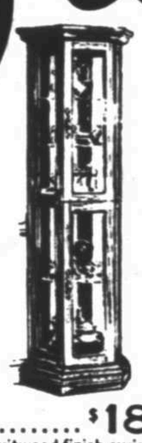
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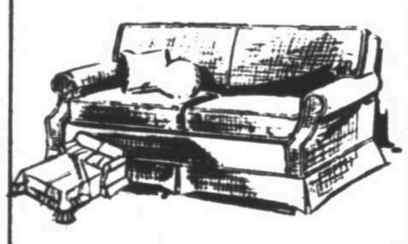
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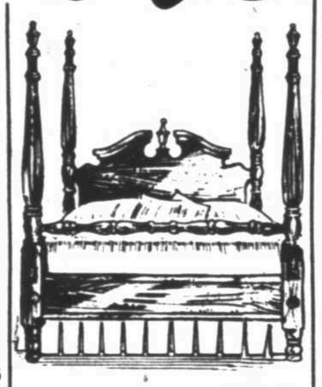
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# Yellowstone fires expose site of WWII wreckage

YELLOWSTONE NATIONAL PARK (AP) — Old-timers with long memories knew it was there. Archivists gave it a special place in the history books. But millions of people passed by the wreckage without a clue it was there.

Then, in the summer of 1988, a woodcutter dropped a cigarette and started a 450,000-acre forest fire that laid bare the bones of a World War II-vintage B-17 bomber, 45 years after it went down on a frigid spring night carrying 10 young airmen to their deaths.

Besides blackening hundreds of thousands of acres in America's first national park and triggering an uproar over firefighting policy on public lands, the intense blazes in Yellowstone also revealed some of its old secrets.

"The fires exposed a lot of old road cuts, torn up culverts and bridges, and abandoned dump sites," said Tim Hudson, Yellowstone's maintenance chief and a sanitary engineer. "We vaguely knew about all that stuff, but over the years trees had grown up around it and it became hard to get to, too expensive to remove, or people forgot about it.

"Our rehabilitation efforts following the fires have also given us an opportunity to do some monumental cleanup of old junk because we have the helicopters here to help us do it."

Besides rebuilding burned-out bridges, repairing bulldozed and hand-cut firelines and fixing trails and public facilities, park crews also raced the winter to remove all debris from the crash of the B-17, tail No. 42-30260.

Ground teams carefully collected the shattered, rusted pieces of .50-caliber machine guns, splinters of practice bombs once filled with sand and dozens of bullets.

Much of the aluminum and steel already twisted by the crash was charred from the North Fork fire. The weathered metal was loaded into helicopter slings and hauled four miles north to a sorting area inside the park near West Yellowstone, Mont.

The main wreckage and the 20-foot crater created by the massive bomber when it plowed into the ground around midnight May 23, 1943, had been covered over by initial rescue crews, so Hudson's cleanup team left it undisturbed.

"The stuff we pulled out totals about 25,000 pounds," said Hudson. "We flew all the bullets out first, then dumped and burned their powder. The biggest piece we recovered was a wing tip. We also found the vertical and horizontal stabilizer on the tail section a mile from the main crash site."

Even the archivists had missed that one on their maps and charts because, in the past half century, the forests of Yellowstone had grown up around the site to create a living green shroud.

Hardly any wreckage was recognizable. Park records indicate that a few years after the crash a Yellowstone ranger salvaged enough aluminum to make a snow plane, forerunner of the snowmobile. The area also showed signs of earlier scavenging and looting. Nothing recovered this fall was deemed usable, so the park service, with Department of Defense approval, will sell it as scrap to the highest bidder.

Poking through the forest fire's ashes, park employees also found small reminders of the airmen who died.

"We found part of a leather jacket, a shoe, some pieces of belts and rings off of parachute harnesses," said Dick Bahr, Yellowstone's air operations supervisor. "There was no identifying markings on any of the personal gear so we sent it to a mortuary to be incinerated."

It was precious little to commemorate the burial ground of an airplane once hailed as "The Queen of the Skies" and singled out by the Smithsonian Air and Space Museum as the most powerful weapon in the war against Hitler's Germany.

In 1983, park service historical archivist Andy Beck collected every scrap of information he could find about aircraft No. 42-30260 and compiled it in a plastic ringbinder now kept at Yellowstone headquarters.

The plane, with 11 men on board, was flying from Marysville, Calif., to its home base at Lewiston, Mont. According to an Army Air Corps investigation, the pilot climbed to 15,000 feet above Reno, Nev., and soon hit rough air. The pilot was flying by instruments.

Next to the line citing "Nature of Accident" was this notation: "Airplane encountered icing conditions. No definite knowledge of what happened."

Retired Yellowstone Park Ranger Tom Ela never knew the cause but he remembers the crash well.

"My wife, Betty, and I'd been to a birthday party and had just gotten home when we heard the plane go over. I went to the window because I knew it wasn't sounding right. We could hear it go into a scream as it went down."

Ela rushed to a nearby observation plateau and saw the sky alight with flame. The plane, carrying live ammunition, burned on impact.

There was confusion about the number of men aboard, so Ela was among searchers looking for survivors. On the third day, when he climbed a tree and hollered "Halloooo" for the hundredth time, an answering call came back.

"He said his name was McDonald, he was very, very cold, and he asked 'Where am I?' because he had no idea," recalled Ela, who now lives in Santa Fe, N.M.

"When I told him he was in Yellowstone National Park he couldn't believe it. He told me he'd been sleeping right by the hatch with his parachute on. Apparently he'd had a tight squeak before on a flight and he was the only one in the crew who had his 'chute on.

"When he heard in his headphones 'THIS IS IT! THIS IS IT! GET OUT!' he just rolled out the hatch and pulled the cord. He saw the plane crash below him and knew he'd made it but didn't know if anybody else did. That was bothering him a lot."

McDonald told Ela that later, as he'd wandered alone in the woods for two days, he'd wondered if he'd had a nightmare and bailed out by mistake as his plane flew on to its home base.

The Army Air Corps listed Lt. William McDonald, bombardier, as the only survivor. After leading McDonald out of the woods, Ela helped pack out on horseback the dead men and the plane's top secret equipment.

The official investigation concludes that 2,000 square feet of Yellowstone were damaged, the aircraft was totally destroyed, and the pilot (no signature available, deceased) absolved the park service of any blame.

Hudson, Bahr, and other park employees agreed that working on the B-17 cleanup had been an interesting chapter in the story of the Yellowstone fires. Next summer they hope to tackle an even bigger rehabilitation project.

"There's a B-47 bomber still out there in an area that didn't burn," said Hudson. "It crashed in 1963, killing four Air Force crewmen, without any fire or explosion. We estimate its wreckage at 85,000 pounds. If we can get the big helicopters back in here next summer that ought to keep us busy."



Tim Hudson, maintenance chief for Yellowstone National Park, and landscape architect Lore Williams, pose beside the remains of a World War II B-17 bomber. The forest fire which blackened hundreds of thousands of acres in Yellowstone this summer uncovered the wreckage. Nothing from the site is usable, so it will be sold for scrap.

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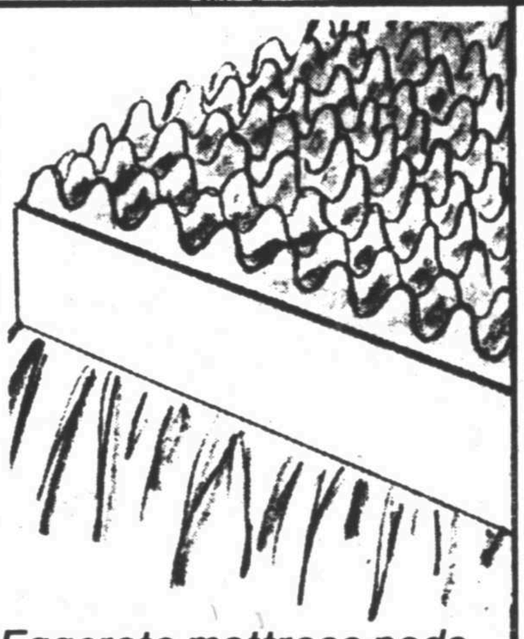
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# Food from 1200 B.C. found at site

HAIFA, Israel (AP) — Archaeologists have uncovered a Bronze Age port on the Israeli coast with a warehouse stocked with raisins, peas and olives dating to about 1,200 years before Christ, the director of the excavation said.

Professor Michal Artzy of the University of Haifa said in an interview that the site uncovered at Tel Nami, 12 miles south of the modern port city of Haifa, could be the oldest man-made port ever found.

"In that period, seafarers tended to hug the coast, and they used to come into port once every two days for food, so you needed ports along the shore at set stretches," she said. "There is little reason for this site to exist, except as a port."

Researchers found evidence a channel was cut between the Mediterranean and a river to form the port, Ms. Artzy said. She said the port appeared to date to at least 2000 B.C., but further research was needed to confirm the date.

Objects uncovered in excavations begun last year include gold and silver jewelry, bronze sculptures and pottery from ancient civilizations, Ms. Artzy said.

Ms. Artzy, who also serves on the staff of the University of Massachusetts at Amherst, was assisted on the dig last summmer by students from Amherst and from Texas A&M at College Station and Cornell University in Ithaca, N.Y.

Foodstuffs found in a warehouse were well preserved because a fire in about 1200 B.C. apparently caused a roof to collapse, blocking oxygen from reaching the food and damaging it, she said.

"We have whole examples of seeds and raisins, like your mother used to give you when you were a kid," Ms. Artzy said.

The site apparently was abandoned after the fire and never resettled.

She said artifacts found at the site indicated local residents were very wealthy and that the port was an international trading center.

"These were sea people with a lot of wealth," Ms. Artzy said. She added: "Whether it was from piracy or this is simply a rich port, we don't know."

The pottery came Egypt, Cyprus, the ancient Greek states of Troy and Mycenae, and elsewhere, she said.

She displayed other items that were found, including gold rings and earrings, a child's gold necklace, silver rings and a hand-crafted Egyptian ring.

So many bronze items were found that archaeologists believe a bronze workshop may have existed at the site.

Items include one bronze stand for incense burning that is decorated with pomegranates and another with the figure of a woman.

"These are especially valuable because they are unusually well preserved," she said. "There was obviously a cult aspect to this, the woman's body and the pomegranate, perhaps a fertility cult."

# 83-year-old ship adorns downtown

CHICAGO (AP) — The historic steamer SS Clipper is taking Chicagoans on a trip down memory lane while floating peacefully at its new mooring in the heart of downtown.

"It's beautiful," said one nostalgic passer-by, Robert Love of Chicago, as he admired the ship in its new setting on the Chicago River.

"I remember when you had boats like this parked up and down the river all the time. Bring back the good old days," Love said.

The 83-year-old vessel was recently evicted from its eight-year spot at Navy Pier because of a rent dispute with the city.

"Isn't she a sight, sitting there," asked James Gillan, president of the Illinois Steamship Co., which owns the recently designated National Historic Landmark and hopes to restore it to its former splendor.

The Clipper will spend the winter moored by the Chicago Sun-Times building.

"In the last year, the outlook for the Clipper at Navy Pier just got worse," Gillan said. "Our best time in the city was when (the late Harold) Washington was mayor. He really loved this boat."

One of Washington's last staff parties was held on the Clipper, whose restored art deco restaurant, lounges and ballroom have been the site of numerous social events in recent years, Gillan said.

Though it won't be open to the public in coming months, Gillan said he hopes the Clipper will again be the setting for social events next fall.

The 361-foot ship was once one of the proud steamships of the Great Lakes. Originally christened the SS Juanita, it carried up to 900 passengers in elegant style on nine-day cruises from Buffalo, N.Y., to Duluth, Minn.

In 1941, the ship was rechristened the Milwaukee Clipper and began ferrying passengers and autos from Milwaukee to Muskegon, Mich., a six-hour trip taken by as many as 150,000 people each season.

It was taken out of service in 1970 and moved to Chicago in 1980.

Long-range plans for the ship, according to Gillan, are to make it seaworthy again and start cruises on Lake Michigan.

"There is no reason it could not set sail again," he said. But an estimated $3 million to $5 million would be required.

In the meantime, Gillan said he hoped the vessel would be a pretty addition to the riverfront.

# Dominicans risk lives to make Christmas money

AGUADILLA, Puerto Rico (AP) — Hundreds of Dominicans are risking their lives boating across dangerous waters to find jobs in the U.S. Commonwealth of Puerto Rico so they can send money and presents home for Christmas.

"Do you know how sad it is to approach Christmas with children and family and have nothing to give them to eat, no clothes, not even a ball? It breaks my heart," said Dominican fisherman Ramon Antonio Sanchez.

Sanchez was one of 232 Dominicans caught by authorities in a five-day period that began last Thursday.

Officials say it is the largest number arrested in Puerto Rico's history and that the number of people attempting the passage has increased in the weeks before Christmas.

An untold number make it across the treacherous waters of the 90-mile Mona Passage, which separates the Dominican Republic from Puerto Rico's western shores.

Border Patrol Chief Joe B. Bennett estimates only about 10 to 15 percent of those entering the island are caught. He said 2,617 Dominican aliens have been arrested since April.

Bennett said the federal agency, set up a year ago to deal with the growing problem, lacks resources and manpower to guard 30 miles of Puerto Rico's western coastline.

"This is too big an area to handle with what we've got", said Bennett.

He said the Border Patrol has only 17 agents, two boats and one plane, but that police and U.S. Coast Guard often pitch in.

"We don't expect it to stop before Christmas," he said.

In addition to a poorly guarded coastline, Dominicans are encouraged to make the trip because so many are sheltered and fed by Puerto Ricans, Bennett said.

To discourage the travelers, the Dominican government has run TV warnings about drownings and vicious sharks eating people whose boats capsize.

But they didn't deter 30-year-old Sanchez.

He and a group of 45 Dominicans were caught over the weekend after their boat smashed against a reef near Mona Island, midway between the Dominican Republic and Puerto Rico.

He said his group spent all their money to build a wooden "yola," as the fragile motorboats are called. Sanchez said a bleak economic picture this holiday season prompted the group to flee the Dominican Republic, where inflation has risen about 60 percent and unemployment climbed to 30 percent in the last year.

Sanchez said he would risk the trip again given the chance.

"If hunger is going to kill me, I prefer to be killed escaping, or be eaten by sharks because what I want to do is work, but there are no jobs there," he said.

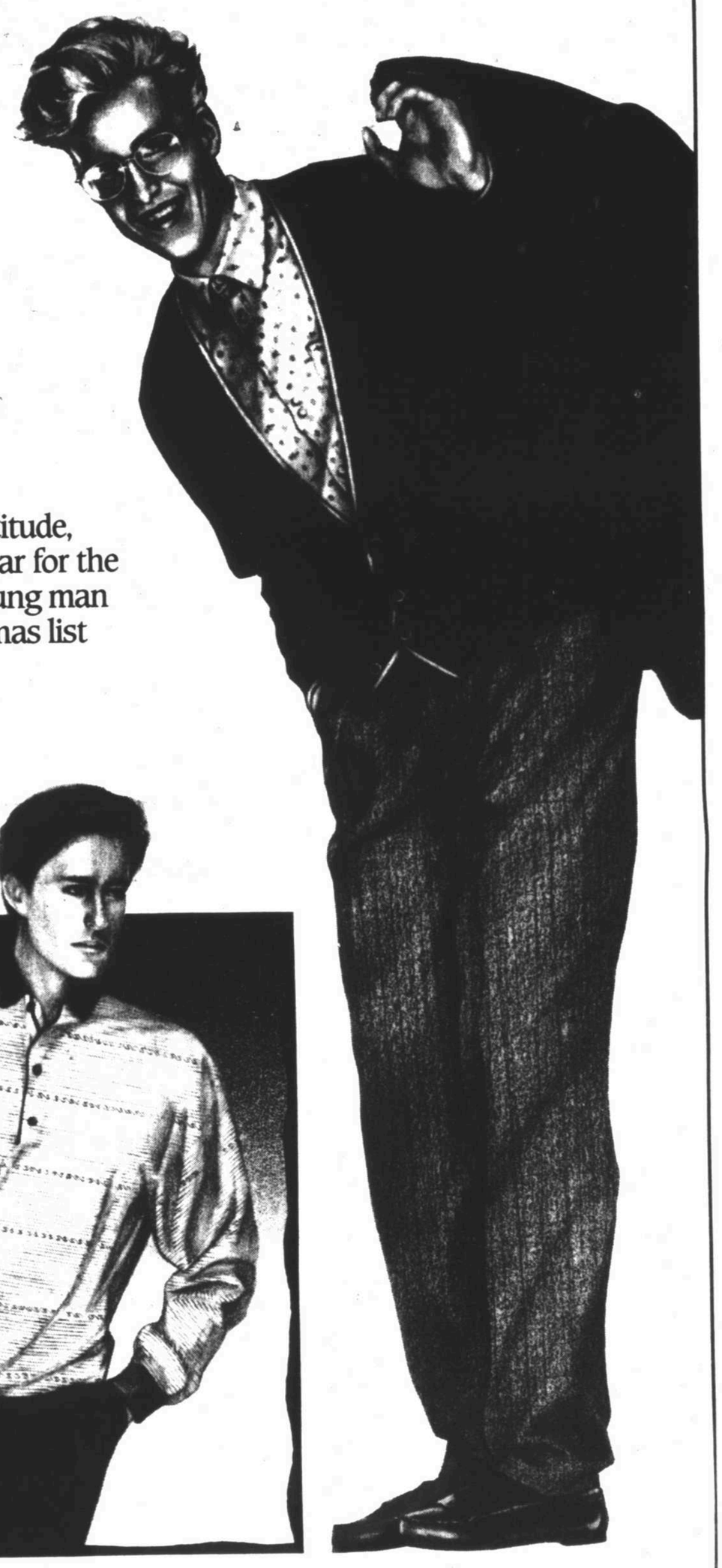
Nidia Marmolejo Torres, 29, ventured the trip wearing just shorts and T-shirt. She said she needed to feed her five children and was hoping to work as a maid or picking coffee beans.

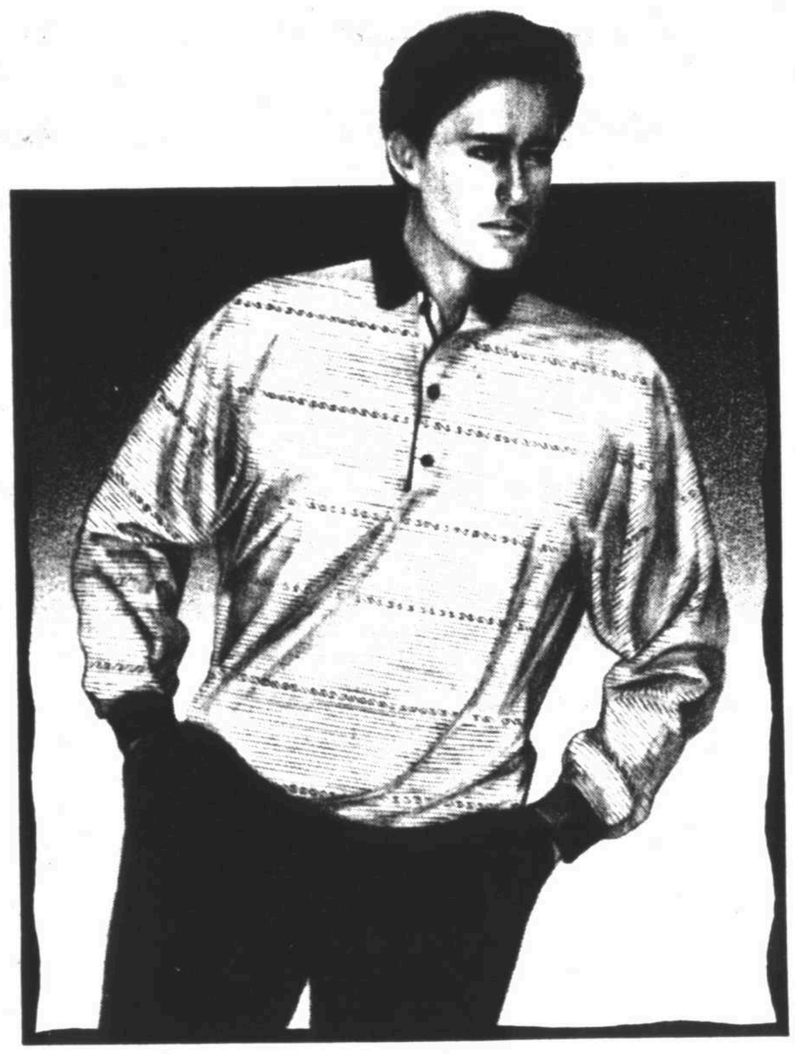
"I was willing to risk my life for this," she said. "I see my children suffering and it's killing me."

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## Arafat decision unpopular, wise

The State Department decision to deny PLO spokesman Yasser Arafat an entry visa to the United States to address the United Nations definitely underscores this country's commitment to Israel and the "war" against world terrorism. But the unpopular move by the Reagan Administration will bring condemnation down on the United States and many Americans may question whether the decision was wise.

Arafat's request to address the United Nations came after the Palestine National Council voted recently, after years of opposition, to adopt U.N. Resolution 242, which recognizes Israel's right to exist. Long recognized as a terrorist organization, the PLO has fought for Israel's destruction, not its right to exist. And the PLO has supported terrorists in other parts of the world, as well. No doubt that fact was foremost in the minds of Secretary of State George Shultz and other administration officials when pondering Arafat's request.

The simple step — arguably the constructive step — would have been for the United States to receive Arafat in the anticipation that some of the Middle East's centuries-old conflicts might finally be laid to rest. That course was surely tempting and with the PLO's professed change of heart concerning Resolution 242, even possible. But to swallow the line would have meant accepting Arafat's years of hate and terrorism-sponsorship, along with giving him a world stage from which to peddle his propaganda while deriding the United States.

There's little doubt that the United Nations' personnel will now begin their long trek to Geneva where the previously-banned Arafat will get his warm reception while the United States will get a kick in the teeth. From the world stage Arafat will seem the innocent victim, the United States the selfish, arrogant giant. That isn't all the story, however.

Who can forget the hate, the bristling contempt apparent when, in 1974, Arafat walked to the United Nations' podium with his pistol strapped to his side? Was it not obvious then that Arafat believed only in the authority of the gun? If it wasn't, it became apparent through years of bloody violence, much of it either initiated or supported by the PLO.

It became obvious to the Western world, at least, that Arafat represented only the law of brute force, and not diplomacy or negotiation.

If Arafat has actually adopted a peaceful posture in regard to Israel and renounced terrorism, time will reveal it. If he hasn't, time will reveal that, too.

To give Arafat a world stage in the United States would be a slap to Israel and the peace she has sought through long years of negotiation at the U.N. The decision to say no to Arafat's visit was correct even if much of the world community judges it unwise.

## JACK ANDERSON

## *Army gung ho over questionable fuse*

WASHINGTON — The Army is determined to get its hands on some newfangled electronic artillery fuses, even if the fuses don't work and even if Congress doesn't want to pay for them.


Jack Anderson

Before the end of it's last session, Congress quietly stalled the Army's efforts to put the fuses into production by ordering the Army to wait until the lawmakers have all the facts.

The decision outraged some Army brass who think the fuse is the best thing since air-conditioned limos. With a Congress-be-damned attitude, the brass certified the fuse for field use anyway. A Pentagon source told us the fuse was certified despite reservations from the Army's own weapons analysts because the Army feared losing funding for the $23 million project. Congress has already appropriated the money and the Army didn't want to let the project slip into the 1989 budget and take the chance that Congress, on second glance, would cancel the funding.

We reported last summer that at a weapons testing ground near Yuma, Ariz., the new electronic fuse showed a penchant for exploding its shells as they passed through storm clouds. Apparently the fuse may only live up to its billing if a war is fought on clear, sunny days.

The Army wants the electronic fuse to replace the 10-year-old mechanical model. The new fuses are designed to detonate artillery shells on up to 200-second flights behind Warsaw Pact lines. In tests, they have exploded as early as four seconds into flight.

Congress has never been as gung-ho about the fuse as the Army, but members of Congress are having a hard time getting answers to their questions. The House Defense Appropriations Subcommittee asked for a cost-benefit study on the fuse last December, but never got it. In September, a joint House and Senate conference committee requested an investigation by the General Accounting Office to determine whether the fuse was a good buy.

Sen. Arlen Specter, R-Pa., independently wrote the Army a letter asking for a breakdown of the advantages of the fuse.

Ray Thorkildsen, a former Pentagon staff specialist in ammunition, thinks the Army will try to march the fuse into production before the GAO finishes its cost analysis.

During the next five years, the new fuse would cost taxpayers $50 million for capabilities that the old mechanical fuse already offers, Thorkildsen told the GAO in a private meeting.

The fuse may be a classic example of how the Pentagon wastes tax dollars — frittering away the money on low profile, overpriced projects that don't get much scrutiny.

In this case, the Army is resorting to Band-aids. Twenty-five fuses were tested in stormy weather last August and 14 of them exploded early. The Army put a cap on part of the fuse and fired another 25 rounds. None of them misfired, so the Army pronounced the fuse a success.

Piers Wood, a former Army field artillery lieutenant colonel, told our associate Jim Lynch that one batalion could fire off more than 25 rounds in the first two-and-a-half minutes of a war. Wood thinks the Army should fire as many as 10,000 test rounds before it feels comfortable launching mortars over the heads of U.S. troops. An Army spokesman said another 300 test rounds are planned.

In addition to fizzling on the battlefield, the fuse does not even meet the original specifications. The Army originally stressed that the electronic fuse was needed because, unlike the existing fuse, a soldier could activate it from a safe distance. The catch is that the Army decided not to equip the howitzers, that would be fitted with the fuse, with remote equipment.

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MORE BOGUS PARTS — We have reported in the past about dangerously weak bolts that have slipped into the supply line of nuclear power plants. The bolts are made of inferior steel that can turn to putty at high temperatures. Now bogus electrical parts have also been discovered. An investigator for the Nuclear Regulatory Commission recently swore out an affidavit for permission to raid shops where inferior electrical circuit breakers allegedly are made. According to William McNulty's affidavit, the circuit breakers were unwittingly bought for use in California's Diablo Canyon nuclear power plant. It is unclear if the parts were ever installed. The bogus circuit breakers are hard to spot because they are remanufactured by so-called "gray marketers".

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MINI-EDITORIAL — Walter Mondale, a name from the past, says the 1988 presidential campaign made him "sick." Mondale apparently was offended by the negative tone of the campaign. George Bush, who once called Mondale, "The most negative guy that I ever heard," will have the last laugh from the White House.

*Jack Anderson and Joseph Spear are columnists for United Feature Syndicate.*



WISHFUL THINKING IN THE MIDDLE EAST.

*Another View:*

## Wise appointments

President-elect George Bush is progressing methodically toward building a Cabinet capable of helping him carry out the peace-and-prosperity mandates that gave him his resounding victory over Michael Dukakis Nov. 8. Particularly impressive are his choices of aides who appear well-qualified to tackle the deficit problem while holding the line on new taxes in accordance with Mr. Bush's campaign pledge.

Appointees most involved with economic issues will be New Hampshire Gov. John Sununu, picked as White House chief of staff; investment banker Nicholas Brady, who will remain as treasury secretary; former treasury secretary James Baker, who is secretary of state-designate, and Richard Darman, formerly deputy treasury secretary picked as budget director.

Other early selections are similarly solid choices: Dick Thornburgh, who was asked to stay on as attorney general, and Lauro Cavazos as education secretary. And the president-elect's selection of retired Air Force Lt. Gen. Brent Scowcroft, an adviser to four other presidents, to be national security adviser, has been widely praised.

It was no surprise that Mr. Bush's initial appointments dealt with budgeting, either directly or indirectly. The president-elect barely had time to savor his 40-state victory when Washington's Democratic establishment began advising him to start working on plans for a tax increase. House Speaker Jim Wright led the doomsayers' chorus, urging Mr. Bush to be flexible in working with Congress on the deficit, another way of saying he ought to forget his election pledge and support tax increases.

We're not likely to hear such advice from Mr. Bush's chief of staff who, in 1982, unseated the Democratic incumbent governor of New Hampshire by promising no new taxes. Gov. Sununu's state has consistently balanced budgets, the lowest taxes and unemployment rate in the nation, and continued strong economic growth.

As secretary of state, Mr. Baker can draw on his experience as treasury secretary to work for international monetary and trade policies that will enhance the economy and cut the deficit. Treasury Secretary Brady believes with Mr. Bush that a thriving economy that generates higher tax revenues offers high hopes for whittling the deficit. But it also takes spending cuts, which is where budget director-designate Darman with his experience in six Cabinet agencies will come in.

And as Mr. Bush remarked the other day, "I don't remember any Republicans or Democrats running on a 'please-raise-my-taxes' promise."

— The Sacramento Union

## TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Thursday, Dec. 1, the 336th day of 1988. There are 30 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

In 1955, black seamstress Rosa Parks defied the law by refusing to give up her seat on a Montgomery, Ala., city bus to a white man. Mrs. Parks was arrested, sparking a year-long boycott of the buses by blacks. The law requiring blacks to sit in the back of buses was eventually struck down by the Supreme Court.

On this date:

In 1824, the presidential election was turned over to the House of Representatives when a deadlock developed between John Quincy Adams, Andrew Jackson, William H. Crawford and Henry Clay. Adams was eventually declared the winner.

In 1909, the first Christmas Club payment was made, to the Carlisle Trust Company in Carlisle, Pa.

In 1913, the first drive-in automobile service station opened, in Pittsburgh.

In 1919, Lady Astor was sworn in as the first female member of the British Parliament.

In 1934, Josef Stalin's collaborator, Sergei M. Kirov, was assassinated at the Leningrad party headquarters. His death led to a massive purge of the Soviet Communist Party.

In 1965, an airlift of refugees from Cuba to the United States began.

In 1973, David Ben-Gurion, the founding father of Israel and its first prime minister, died in Tel Aviv at age 87.

In 1975, President Gerald R. Ford arrived in Beijing to discuss with Chinese officials differences over Washington's policy of detente with the Soviet Union.

## ART BUCHWALD

## *Bill might have made workers TOO ethical*

There was a great sigh of relief in Washington, D.C., last week when a vindictive ethics bill was vetoed by a benign President Reagan. The veto preserves the opportunity for retired administration appointees and former members of Congress to make a buck the same way they have done in the past.


Art Buchwald

A White House insider, now on his way out, told me, "If signed, this bill would have destroyed the democratic American way of life. What good does it do for a man to serve his country when he can't sell his connections to the highest bidder once his term is over?"

"Does that mean you are against ethics in Washington?" I asked him.

"I am *for* ethics. Everyone in Washington supports ethics, but at the same time, too much can choke you. One of the reasons many people join the government is for the golden parachute they get at the end of the rainbow. Some former congressmen and executive appointees have few skills other than the sale of their influence to the highest bidder. An ethics bill would destroy the profit incentive for many who are now leaving the Reagan administration."

"You see no conflict of interest in peddling your connections to the private sector?"

"Of course not. It is essential that lobbyists maintain access to the right people in our government. And it is also important that clients deal with legitimate influence peddlers rather than phonies who pretend they know somebody but don't."

"Now that the bill has been vetoed, is it your intention to solicit new accounts from the business world?"

"I wouldn't say that. But if I can give people an informative and worthwhile tour of the Pentagon for a small fee, I feel that I am doing my share for the defense of my country. With an ethics bill, it's every man for himself. Without such a law, those who know the ropes will be the most rewarded."

"I have heard it said that you shouldn't grease the wheels for the same officials who knocked on your door when you were in the government. What do you have to say to that?"

"No bill in Congress can stop anyone from doing wrong. Look at the members of the Reagan administration who have been convicted. Do you really believe an ethics bill would have prevented any of their misdeeds? The congressional law that Reagan vetoed was no more than a dagger aimed at the heart of every insider. If you start passing laws restricting lobbying techniques you will deter good men from joining the government. There are many people out there who will not sign up if they can't sell out when they leave."

"Doesn't that add to the sleaze factor?"

"Why are you introducing the sleaze factor, when all we're talking about is honest influence peddling? Washington has always operated by the old school tie. When you're on the inside your actions are affected by those on the outside, and vice versa. It is important that everyone knows who the influence peddlers are. Ethics regulations will only drive them underground and then we will never know who is being paid off and who isn't."

"You make a convincing argument for the Reagan veto."

"I have to. I'm joining O. Joy, Malloy and Nufsinger, as soon as I leave government."

"What will you do for them?"

"I have been hired to get a photo opportunity with the President and Ferdinand and Imelda Marcos in the Oval Office."

"Can you do that?"

"Just because I'm leaving the White House, doesn't mean they are going to shut the revolving door in my face."

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## GEORGE F. WILL

## *Who wants to bear pain just to hear Arafat?*

WASHINGTON — A majority of the regimes represented at the United Nations — regimes that favor majority rule only at the United Nations, not at home — may schedule a General Assembly session in Geneva as a megaphone for the world's favorite terrorist, Yasser Arafat. This redundant act of self-diminishment would be the U.N.'s response to the Reagan administration's decision to deny Arafat a visa. That wise decision offers the Bush administration an opportunity for self-definition.


George F. Will

Libertarians, who consistently try to circumscribe society's right of self-defense, view the visa denial as a First Amendment issue — as though Arafat, who plays the media like a Stradivarius, has difficulty finding forums. Granting a visa would have required the administration to exempt Arafat from the law prohibiting entry into the country of people associated with terrorism.

Arafat's apologists do not deny his collegial association with terrorists and his support for terrorism. The executive committee of the PLO's "parliament" includes Abul Abbas, convicted of murder in connection with the killing of Leon Klinghoffer during the Achille Lauro hijacking.

The U.N.'s moral authority evaporated in the 1970s when it became dominated by radical Third World regimes. Since then, the inherent, incurable trouble with the United Nations has been glaringly, blaringly apparent.

The U.N. should be called the U.R. — United Regimes. The United Nations has little to do with representing nations, properly understood as peoples united by political and cultural affinities. One reason U.N. hostility toward Israel is so unremitting is that Israel is a real nation with a representative regime. To most U.N. members, whose national cohesion is based on coercion, Israel is either unintelligible or a reproach.

The PLO, an organization formally dedicated to the destruction of a U.N. member, was granted U.N. "observer" status in 1975, the year the United Nations passed the resolution equating Zionism and racism. Actually, Zionism is an especially defensible nationalism. It is the belief that the Jewish people, having survived a uniquely hazardous history, require the protection and deserve the fulfillment of revived nationhood.

On the principle that the best defense is a good offense, President-elect Bush and his nominee for Secretary of State, James Baker, should say to the United Nations: Go to Geneva — and do not return until you have rescinded the Zionism-as-racism resolution. That resolution is integral to the U.N.'s principal enterprise: the delegitimization of Israel.

In Israel and among Israel's friends there is anxiety about Bush and Baker. This is not because either is "anti-Israel," but because neither is equipped, by emotional makeup or intellectual capital, to be properly empathetic.

Bush lacks the sentimental and romantic streak that caused Ronald Reagan to respond to Israel as an embattled salient of shared values. The fact that Israel is an immensely important strategic asset should be sufficient reason for a U.S. policy of strong support. But rational policy sometimes needs to be supplemented by a visceral response.

Baker is having a "British" career, moving from one complicated portfolio to another. He is a quick study. But, like many British counterparts, he is an intelligent amateur heavily dependent on the permanent government. The State Department's permanent government regards Israel as an inconvenience, an impediment to the principle of utilitarian diplomacy: the least friction with the greatest number of nations.

Furthermore, Baker is the quintessential American politician. He believes that all problems have solutions achievable by splitting differences. And he itches for success measurable in the coin of agreements. These attributes are ingredients of impatience and, in the Middle East, trouble.

Bush and Baker can send a reassuring signal by taking the offensive. Before the Republican National Convention, Bush met with advisers on Middle East policy. According to a participant, Bush read the recommendations "page by page and paragraph by paragraph." They became the basis of the GOP Platform section that includes this:

"The Republican Party reaffirms its support for recision of U.N. Resolution 3379, which equates Zionism with racism. Failure to repeal that resolution will justify attenuation of our support for the U.N."

If the United Nations wants to squander more millions on a Geneva homage to Arafat, let the sum be deducted from U.S. obligations. If 3379 is not rescinded, America's obligations should be radically reduced.

Consider today's zero-sum budget game. The rules are set by Bush's adamant opposition to new taxes and by Gramm-Rudman deficit-reduction requirements; a dollar spent on one thing must be taken from something else. Now, exactly who favors cutting Medicare to subsidize Arafat?

*George F. Will is a columnist for Washington Post Writers Group.*

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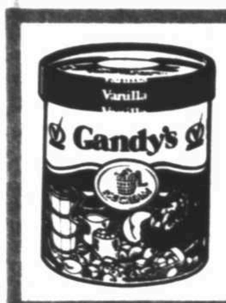




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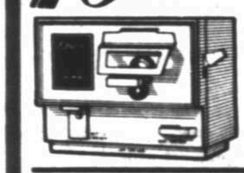
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# Planning, studies for road projects OK'd

By RICK BROWN
Assistant City Editor

The State Highway Commission has included planning of one Midland County project and a feasibility study for another in an updated 10-year plan for statewide highway development that was released this week.

Approved for planning within the total $25.5 billion project list was construction of an overpass at State Highways 191 and 158, located about one-half mile west of the city limits.

Approved only for a feasibility study was a project that would connect U.S. Highway 80 and Front Street with 1.1 miles of state construction along the Bankhead Highway.

The list, which is updated every two years, provides a blueprint for construction by the Texas Department of Highways and Public Transportation, according to Region 6 department spokesman Richard Phillips of Odessa.

State highway commissioners also approved several Ector County projects, including a southwest extension of Loop 338 from U.S. Interstate 20 to U.S. Highway 385.

The 3½-mile-long, two-lane project is scheduled for bidding in February, Phillips said.

Approved only for planning in Ector County was a project that would widen from two to four lanes a four-mile stretch of FM 1936 between the interstate and 42nd Street.

Also approved only for planning in Ector County was a project that would widen from two to four lanes a 1½-mile stretch of Loop 338 between Yukon Road and Kermit Highway.

Phillips Wednesday said several formulas came into play in determining which projects receive the construction nod statewide.

The most important of those formulas is one that compares the cost of the project with the number of vehicles that would travel the new construction, he said.

State Highway Commissioner Ray Stoker, an Odessa attorney, said this morning that other factors — including accident rates and truck traffic — also affect the commission's decision.

"We have these formulas, but we're not necessarily married to them," said Stoker.

He cited recently completed highway and drainage construction on State Highway 158 south of Midland as one project that commissioners approved on that basis.

Surveying Midland-Odessa-area projects, Stoker predicted that the 158-191 interchange will "come up" for construction "pretty quickly."

Phillips said one project which "did not make the cut" was a proposal to widen 1.2 miles of State Highway 349 north of Midland.

But "that's not to say it's not going to be done," said Phillips.

Midland Chamber of Commerce President John Fowler this morning emphasized the changing nature of the biennially updated list.

"Certainly, their long range plans tend to evolve as priorities change," said Fowler.

A chamber transportation committee currently is identifying other needed highway construction projects in Midland, he noted.

However, "We prefer not to publish a shopping list until we get input from all the governmental entities in the area," he said.



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## *Prize winner*

Jewel P. Clark of Garland won a name-the-super-collider contest sponsored by the Dallas Morning News. Ms. Clark's winning name for the giant atom-smasher that is to be located in Waxahatchie is Super Clyde. Her prizes are a year's supply of Atomic Fireballs candy, a microscope and two tickets to a science show.

# MISD's minority teacher, student ratio problem mirrors that of nation

By JANE MARLER DEES
Staff Writer

There is a disparity between the number of minority students and teachers in Midland's public schools, but the shortage mirrors a national problem.

In a report to be filed with the Equal Employment Opportunity and Civil Rights commissions, statistics indicate 6.7 percent or 72 of the Midland Independent School District's 1,067 teachers are black. Nearly 10 percent of the district's 20,000-plus students are black.

Of the MISD teacher pool, 8.3 percent, or 89 are Hispanic, though 28 percent of the students are Hispanic.

But Midland is doing as well if not better in keeping minority student-teacher disparities in check, according to national statistics.

For example, a March 1988 report by the Educational Research Service found that nationwide, 16.2 percent of the students are black and 9.1 percent are Hispanic.

However, 6.9 percent of all teachers are black and a mere 1.9 percent of the nation's educators are Hispanic, the research service found.

In addition, a November 1988 study conducted by the American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education found only 11.6 percent of all elementary and secondary education university students are black and 5.6 percent are Hispanic.

The number of black educators in America has dropped 1.2 percent over the past 17 years, according to the National Association of State Boards of Education.

The problem mirrors that also faced by the nursing industry, explained Alma Marshall, MISD coordinator of non-certified personnel and an MISD minority teacher recruiter.

Teaching, like nursing, was traditionally a female profession. Today, females, like minorities, have a broader scope of employment opportunities than they did in years past, Ms. Marshall explained.

"It's hard to hire teachers period," the coordinator said. "It's especially hard to recruit minorities.

"The pool is smaller because there are fewer minorities out there. Since there is a small amount, they can go where they want to go," Ms. Marshall explained. There is a "slight tendency" for minority teachers to stay close to their home or move to a big city after college graduation, she added.

MISD has stepped up minority recruiting efforts, Ms. Marshall said. To achieve a higher minority educator population, Ms. Marshall and another personnel administrator now recruit at more black and Hispanic universities.

But it's up to the industry to keep starting teacher salaries on par with other professions or the future could look even grimmer, Ms. Marshall added.

A teacher with no experience receives a starting pay at $19,500 a year in the MISD.

According to the report MISD will file with the two commissions, 15.5 percent or 19 of the new teachers hired last year were either black or Hispanic. The only two new principals hired last year were Hispanic, the report showed.

The remaining 103 new educators hired last year were Anglo, the report stated.

Ms. Marshall concurred that a lack of minority teachers can have a negative effect on minority children. "They need a role model...someone they can see...someone they can touch."

The Equal Employment Opportunity Commission report indicates there are 2,013 employees in the district. Of that number 29 percent are minorities.

Of the 492 service-, skilled- or unskilled-workers in MISD, 271 or 55 percent are either black or Hispanic, the report stated.

There are 15 officials, administrators and managers in MISD and all are Anglo. The report also stated that of the 30 principals, seven are black or Hispanic.

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# Former Midland banker's embezzlement trial set to start

By JULIE HILLRICHS
Staff Writer

A 41-year-old former Midland banker, who was indicted last August by a federal grand jury on four counts of bank fraud, was to go on trial this morning here in U.S. District Court.

Michael Courtney Sherrod, former vice president and loan officer of the now-defunct Western Bank of Midland, faces charges of embezzlement, perjury, making false entries in bank records and accepting gratuity from a bank officer.

Previously, Sherrod was an officer for the First National Bank of Midland, which collapsed in 1983. He also was an officer for Security National Bank, which went under in early 1987.

Western Bank failed in 1986.

Sherrod, who is living in Colorado Springs, Colo., has pleaded innocent to the charges before U.S. District Judge Lucius D. Bunton, and was released from custody under a personal recognizance bond.

Should he be convicted on the four counts in the indictment, Sherrod could be sentenced up to 20 years in prison and fined $1 million.

Each offense represented in the indictment carries a five-year penalty and a $250,000 fine.

In the indictment, Sherrod is charged with:

- Accepting a $16,750 gratuity in January 1985 from Glen R. Cothrun, Sherrod's customer at Western Bank, after Sherrod disbursed $225,000 to Cothrun on a note to Steven A. Walker, who also was Sherrod's customer in the loan transaction. The loan was for Walker to purchase the Twin Oaks Grocery Store in Midland from Cothrun, the indictment said.
- Misapplying the $16,750 from the $225,000 loan.
- Making false entries in bank books, reports and statements. Sherrod is charged with altering the financial statement of Glen and Doris Cothrun by changing the stated assets, liabilities, net worth and the date of the document.

The government charges that Sherrod was aware that the "alterations were not authorized and said personal financial statement did not reflect" the Cothruns' personal fianancial statement of Dec. 26, 1985.

- Making false statements to a federal grand jury on June 23, 1988, concerning his alleged acceptance of the $16,750 gratuity connected with the $225,000 loan.

Sherrod is charged with making false testimony about his allegedly altering the Cothrun's financial statement, according to the indictment.

# Teachers sought to tutor Valley amnesty applicants

HARLINGEN (AP) — School districts in the Rio Grande Valley are hunting for teachers to prepare more than 10,500 amnesty applicants to meet the educational requirements for permanent U.S. residency.

Teachers willing to work moonlight hours are needed, educational officials said Wednesday. The first wave of so-called amnesty or "green card" students — those who hold temporary resident status — flooded the Valley's adult education programs.

But millions of dollars in federal funds should soon ease the financial burden on the local public school districts, officials said.

The Spanish-speaking students, ranging from their late teens to middle age, come from the ranks of the 31,000 general amnesty applicants in the Valley.

"Basically, it's a survival course to help these people get by in our society," Virginia Kice, spokesperson for the Immigration and Naturalization Service in Harlingen, said.

Ms. Kice said funding will come from $3 billion Congress has earmarked for State Legalization Impact Assistance Grants over the next three years.

About 50,000 amnesty students have been enrolled in the state by 62 adult education cooperatives, said Dr. Pavlos Roussos, program director for the Austin-based Texas Education Agency.

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# Youth held in clerk's slaying

By FRANK TROMBLEY
Staff Writer

ODESSA — Juvenile authorities will investigate the background of a 15-year-old boy detained after the Sunday shooting death of a convenience store clerk to determine if the boy should face charges of capital murder as an adult.

During a hearing Tuesday, County Court-at-Law Judge George Svanas ordered the youth held for 10 days. During that time, Ector County Youth Center and Department of Human Services representatives will gather information to determine if the youth "meets the criteria" necessary for adult certification, according to the Ector County Attorney's office.

Meanwhile, Joseph Blanton Fleming, 18, 422 E. Odessa, continues to be held in the Ector County jail without bond on a charge of capital murder. The man is charged with the death of Larry Wayne Sawyer, 37, 14211/2 Wilshire Drive. Sawyer, was shot once in the head during an alleged robbery early Sunday morning of the 7-Eleven at 801 Harless Ave.

Sawyer died about seven hours after being admitted to Medical Center Hospital. Funeral services were held Wednesday.

Fleming and the 15-year-old youth were apprehended a short time after the shooting at an apartment complex near the store, which was located at the intersection of West 8th Street and Harless Avenue.

In addition the capital murder charge, Fleming was accused of public intoxication, disorderly conduct and having no driver's license.

According to police, Fleming had served about nine months of a five-year sentence in the Texas Department of Corrections for an Ector County burglary. He had been paroled May 3.

# Pedestrian struck in freak accident

From Staff Reports

ODESSA — A 40-year-old Odessa woman was listed in critical condition early today following a freakish accident just after midnight near Schlemeyer Field, the Department of Public Safety reported.

Jean Jones Benavides suffered head and internal injuries in the accident that occurred about 12:30 a.m. just east of the intersection of Tumbleweed Street and Yukon Road in Ector County, reports said. She was undergoing treatment today at Odessa Medical Center, reports said.

Ms. Benavides was walking east on Yukon toward the airfield when she was struck by an eastbound 1989 GMC pickup truck driven by Tony Allen Davis of Odessa. The woman was struck in the head by the left outside mirror, according to reports.

Davis was not injured in the accident.

The cause of the accident was not listed, but the report noted Davis apparently failed to see the pedestrian.

# Death row inmate denies killing ex-girlfriend, siblings



Leo Narvaiz Jr.

HUNTSVILLE (AP) — A man convicted of slaying his former girlfriend and three of her siblings says it was two mysterious, long-haired men who stabbed the four family members to death.

Leo Narvaiz Jr., 20, in his first extensive interview since the April 15 slayings, said from Texas' death row Wednesday, that he was wounded by one of two men who did the killings.

Narvaiz, who arrived last week on death row after being sentenced to death last month, acknowledged being at the mobile home where Shannon Mann, 17, her sisters Jennifer, 19, Martha, 15, and brother Ernest, 11, were stabbed to death.

"I wouldn't be that dumb to kill four people," he said. "All I admitted was I was at the scene of the crime. I didn't have any part of it.

"I know there's a lot of people that think I actually did it, but I'm innocent."

The four Mann children were brutally stabbed. Some of the knife blades were broken and still embedded in the bodies, which were scattered throughout the Manns' mobile home. Authorities have described the scene as the worst in Bexar County history.

Narvaiz, his voice wavering at times, said he has nightmares about the slayings.

"I pray in the morning and at night when I'm going to bed," he said. "I ask the Lord to give me pleasant dreams so I can forget about this. I can't believe this is happening to me."

Narvaiz said he had been drinking at a friend's house and had downed perhaps three six-packs of beer and had smoked some marijuana when he left about midnight to go shoot pool.

"I was still in my right stage of mind," he said. "I can handle it. I only drink on weekends."

On the way to the pool hall, he said a man he knew as "Joe" and another unidentified man asked if he knew where the Manns recently had moved.

Narvaiz said he had seen the pair before at the Manns' old house.

"I thought they were friends," he said. "So I took them to the new home."

He said the two dropped him off while they went to get some cigarettes and his girlfriend, Shannon, let him in.

A few minutes later, the men, whom he described as Hispanics with shoulder-length hair, beards and tatoos, returned.

"It all just started happening," Narvaiz said. "They were going crazy. I tried to defend myself. That's how I got stabbed."

He said as one of the men was stabbing Shannon, he fled outside and into some nearby woods.

"He would have killed me next but my girlfriend got in the way," he said. "She was saying to run and I ran.

"I messed up by not calling the cops. I panicked and I ran. I ran and ran and ran. It was like a nightmare to me.

"I don't like the situation that I'm in — that everyone thinks I'm a killer. I cry...when they call me on TV a mass killer."

The revelation from Narvaiz is just a twist on several versions of the story he told authorities, said Beth Taylor, an assistant Bexar County district attorney, who handled the case.

"I would never have tried this case and said only one person committed this offense if I didn't believe it," Ms. Taylor said. "There couldn't have been more than one person involved. My God, the telephone call says it all."

In a tape-recorded telephone call to a 911 emergency operator, Shannon Mann identified Narvaiz as her attacker.

Narvaiz said when he heard the tape in court, it was unclear to him that she identified him as the assailant.

Prosecutors said Narvaiz committed the killings out of anger over a breakup with Shannon Mann, whom Narvaiz said he had known since he was 14.

A jury took about two hours to find him guilty of the slayings and deliberated more than an hour before deciding he should be executed under a new state law that provides the death penalty for multiple murders.

"Since I was the first to be tried under the new law, they wanted to go all the way with the death penalty," he said of prosecutors. But he said he would not have accepted a plea bargain because that would have implied he committed the killings.

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# Owners drive out of their way for Jaguar mechanic

ALVARADO (AP) — From Palestine to Odessa, and from Houston to Santa Monica, Calif., a loyal coterie of car buffs would make a left turn before Snappy Jack's Texaco station and tool down a country road past Junky John's salvage yard to the only man they'd entrust with the care and fine-tuning of their Jaguars.

Newcomers might have to stand in line.

"I'm not looking for a whole lot more work," said Charley Record, 48, proprietor of Royal British Motors, with more than a trace of a rural East Texas upbringing in his speech. "I've got all I can handle.

"I'm behind in my work two months," said Record, the sort of meticulous man who doesn't speed a job. Normally, he's tardy by only four or five weeks.

Why such a committed clientele that's willing to wait?

"They trust me to fix it and get it fixed right," is his only explanation.

Below his small frame house and horse trailer stands a deceptively long garage where Record and his son-in-law, John Weeks, entirely restore or merely service Jaguars of all vintages, as well as the occasional Rolls-Royce, Bentley, MG or Maserati.

It's not exactly the sort of establishment one expects to find on a farm road in an unincorporated area of Johnson County between Alvarado and Lillian, about 20 miles south of Fort Worth.

But Record, who relocated from Irving after operating for years in Dallas, realized the business would find him just about anywhere he operated.

He had been working around engines since his mechanic father let him clean tools in the family garage business at 5. He first tinkered on a Jaguar when he was 16, then began specializing on the costly British sports car at 20. That was 28 years ago.

The new — and admittedly arbitrary — "Book of Texas Bests" called Record the foremost Jaguar mechanic in the state.

Author Kirk Dooley, 33, co-owner of the Las Colinas Weekly and inventor of the Texas Trivia game, hadn't tried out all the other Jag mechanics or even canvassed the opinion of owners. He had just taken the word of three friends who recommended Record when Dooley came into possession of a 1973 Jaguar two years ago.

And like all but three of Record's customers, who happen to live in Johnson County, Dooley has to go out of his way to get to his mechanic's door.

"Last time, my wife said, 'Wow, that took us two hours to drive.' But I said, if I can save $200 an hour by going to him, I will. They guy is painfully honest. And it's a nice drive.

"I know a guy, Tom Shutz, who only drives Jaguars because he has a mechanic that he likes — Charley Record," Dooley said in a telephone interview.

What is it about the Jaguar Man of Alvarado, who occasionally has to travel to England for parts? (It takes three days for his ears to adjust to the British accent, he said.)

Well, for one thing, he charges a modest $35 an hour.

"It's too cheap," Record said. "But people drive down here, so I give them a break, and that's why they do drive down. There's a lady in Palestine, and people in Waco, San Antonio, Odessa. The closest customers are in Cleburne."

Then there are the two wealthy, but evidently obsessed, individuals from California.

However, Record maintains that you don't have to be rich to own a Jaguar, particularly if you're willing to settle for a 15-year-old model. Some of his clients make $25,000 a year or less, he said. But many are highly paid types that include doctors and airline pilots.

Whatever the case, to keep a Jaguar on the road "for 20 years or more" be prepared to spend $600 to $1,200 annually in servicing and repairs, he said.

Alvarado is only now getting used to Record and his fascination with exotic modes of transport.

"A couple of years ago, people didn't even know I was here," he recalled. "The country folks thought I was a crook, seeing me driving a sports car or a Rolls limousine with its windows blacked out and TV and telephone antennas coming out of the back."

But he prefers Jaguars for fixing or owning — and he does both.

"To me, they're the best, far out the best. And I've spent years on Mercedes, BMWs and diesel trucks. They'll ride as good or better than a Rolls, and outlast one. Jaguars have got spirit, they've got driveability, they've got economy."

A Jaguar with economy?

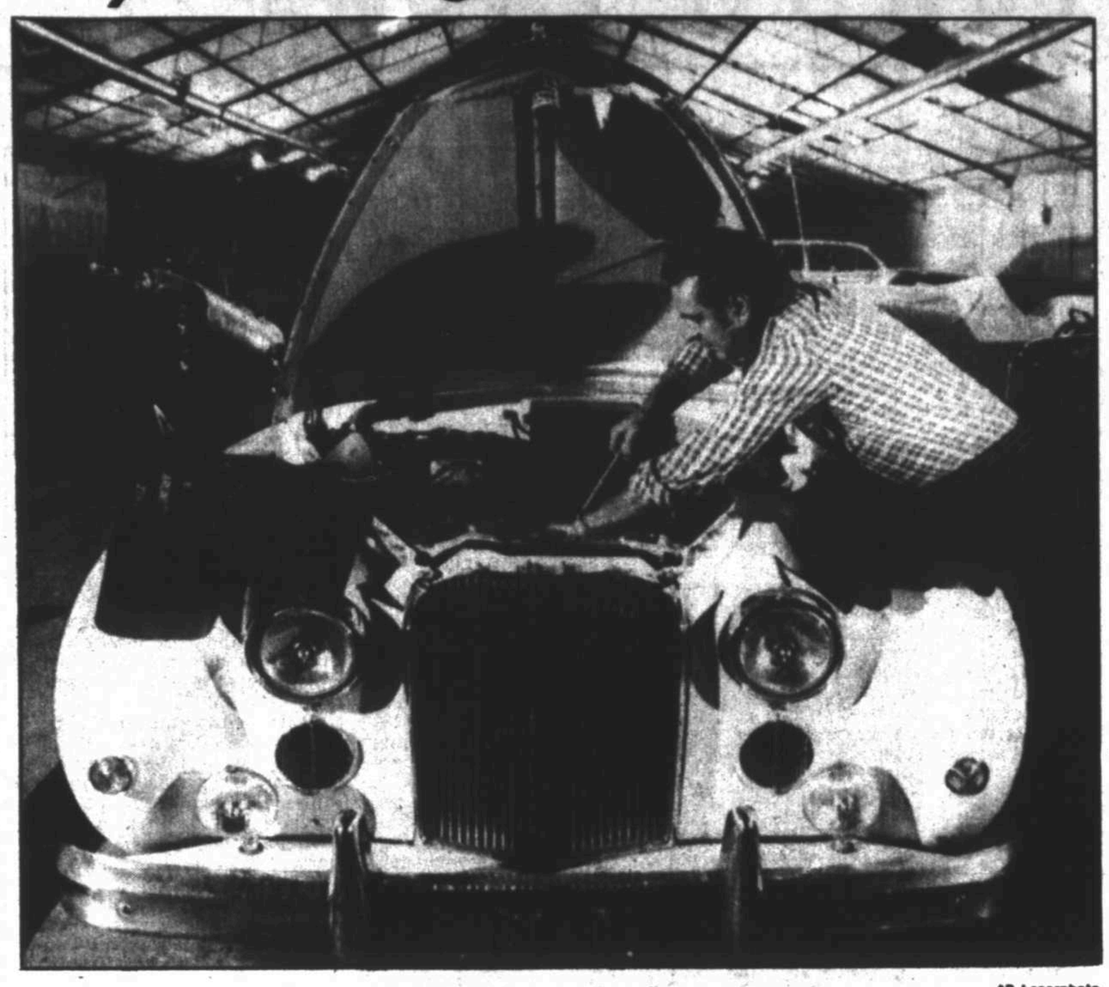
Record claims some models, before they took the lead and other additives out of premium, could get 27 miles to the gallon.

But what about the bad reputation that Jaguars had to overcome earlier in the decade?

Don't blame the car, blame the mechanic, said Record, who insists the car has been consistently well-engineered.

Speaking in his small office, dressed in plaid western shirt, jeans and ropers, Record pronounced himself saddened by the fact that, helped by the cheaper dollar, Britons and other Europeans have been snapping up the sleek E-Type Jaguar sports cars here and shipping them home.

"It's very depressing to me because I've worked on them all these years," he said. "And just because they're being sold for top dollar, people don't see the repercussions of the cars leaving the country.



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Charley Record works on a vintage 1959 Jaguar Mark 9 in his shop near Alvarado. Record has been a Jaguar mechanic most if his life and has clients nationwide.

## DEATHS

### J.R. McKinley

Funeral services for J.R. McKinley of Midland were to be at 11 a.m. today at Parklea Baptist Church with pastor Terry Chapman officiating. Burial was to be at 3:30 p.m. today at Lubbock City Cemetery.

Ellis Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were to be Charles Morris, Roger Willis, James Cooper, Don Hughes Sidney Beal and John Muldrow.

He was born Oct. 27, 1923 in Ranger and was raised in Lubbock. He was a 1941 graduate of Lubbock High School. He joined the U.S. Navy in 1942, serving in the Pacific as a pilot. Following his discharge, he returned to Lubbock and worked with his father in the family plumbing and heating business.

In 1954 he moved to Albuquerque, N.M., and to Midland in 1976.

He owned and operated McKinley Plumbing and Heating in Midland.

He was a member of Parklea Baptist Church and was affiliated with a masonic lodge in Lubbock.

Survivors include his wife, Kathy McKinley of Midland; three sons, Robert M. McKinley of Houston, Steven McKinley of Marshall and Mitchell McKinley of Midland; one daughter, Mrs. Mike (Linda) Crockett of Virginia; father, J.R. McKinley Sr. of Lubbock; one brother, T.L. McKinley of Lubbock; five sisters, Mrs. S.C. (Ann) Myers of Lake Colorado City, Mrs. Henry (Charlotte) Bartlett of Hemphill, Mrs. William M. (Nell) Chamberlain of Richardson, Mrs. Don (Mona) Tyndell of Houston and Mrs. Leroy (Kay) Nichols of Fort Smith, Ark.; and five grandchildren.

### Elsie Bicknell

Services for Elsie Gene Bicknell of Midland were to be at 1 p.m. today at St. Luke's United Methodist Church with Dr. Jarrell Sharp officiating.

Burial was to follow at Sunset Memorial Gardens in Odessa with Ellis Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were to be Paul Graham, Jack Kaley, Don Crowder, Jeff Dalton, Frank Swineheart and Cleaburn Nix.

Mrs. Bicknell died Tuesday at a local hospital.

### W.R. Walker

W.R. "Ted" Walker, 70, of Midland died Wednesday at his home following a sudden illness.

Services are pending with Thomas Funeral Home.

# Bentsen says he thinks taxpayers will have to help bail out S&Ls

WASHINGTON (AP) — Texas Sen. Lloyd Bentsen says taxpayers will have to help bail out insolvent savings and loans because the industry can't cover the costs completely and he doesn't want to see healthy institutions destroyed in the cleanup.

Bentsen, chairman of the Senate Finance Committee, said he believes it will cost at least $50 billion to merge or close the insolvent thrifts, most of which are concentrated in Texas and the Southwest.

But the pricetag could go as high as $100 billion, the Democrat said, adding that the industry should bear as much of the cost as possible.

"But I think when you get all through with the job, some of it's going to be paid for by the taxpayers. That's most unfortunate...Those are the realities," Bentsen said. "I don't think there will be enough money in the industry to take care of it. I don't want to see the good ones wrecked in the process."

Bentsen said regulators should move as quickly as possible to resolve the savings and loan crisis.

"The sooner you do it, the sooner you cut your losses," Bentsen said.

Bentsen said a change in regulations that allowed thrifts to "put all their assets in highly speculative things was a serious mistake. You had a lot of people get into the management who had no past experience in financial institutions."

At a news conference with Texas reporters, Bentsen also said it is the responsibility of president-elect George Bush to set out a budget blueprint as "part of the price of leadership."

Bush has made no final decision on whether to offer his own revisions to the budget President Reagan will submit to Congress on Jan. 9. Democrats have been critical of any failure by Bush to come forth with his own suggestions.

"It is his responsibility to set out a blueprint of those things he believes in that should be in the budget, on major points, of what's going to happen to Medicare. We've heard these stories floated about a $5 billion cut, is he part of that thinking? Has he totally excluded revenue-raisers? What about defense?" Bentsen said.

"That's part of his responsibility, that's part of the price of leadership," said Bentsen, who was the Democratic nominee for vice president. "The president is expected to lead and he should make those points."

Bentsen said he looks forward to working with Bush, and that most other Democrats are like-minded, in a bipartisan attempt "to address what I think are some very enormous problems," such as the trade and budget deficits.

"If he will address it in a forceful, meaningful way which convinces foreign investors of that, you'll see a drop in the interest rates and if he doesn't you won't," Bentsen said.

Bentsen also said he is looking into drafting legislation that would change the formula for Medicare reimbursements to rural hospitals treating elderly patients.

Nineteen hospitals have closed in Texas so far this year, many of them in rural areas. Another 14 closed in 1987, and there were 18 hospital failures in 1986, according to the Texas Hospital Association.

Bentsen said he has absolutely no plans to run for president and that this year's Democratic presidential nominee, Michael Dukakis, should have responded much quicker to Bush's negative ads.

He said Dukakis didn't think the negative ads would stick. "I told him they would. Being from Texas, I understand that politics is a contact sport."

## HHS approves first installment for doctors' computer project

WASHINGTON (AP) — Health and Human Services Secretary Otis Bowen has approved the first installment in funding for a pilot program at Texas Tech University involving satellites and computers that transmit health care information to doctors in rural areas, Sen. Lloyd Bentsen said.

Bowen informed Bentsen, D-Texas, of the $755,604 installment on Wednesday, the first payment for the three-year roject, which will eventually cost $2 million.

"It's a program that holds much promise for the people of rural Texas, and these funds ought to be a real boost," Bentsen said.

Through the use of satellites and computers, Texas Tech in Lubbock is able to provide continuing education for doctors, nurses and other health professionals in rural areas, and to provide specialist consultation as well, Bentsen said.

"This program will one day mean that a doctor in the most remote area of the Texas Panhandle can sit in front of a television at a hospital and discuss a patient's problems with the finest specialists in Lubbock, Dallas, Houston or anywhere else," Bentsen said. "Or a pathologist, sitting in some far-off city, can make a diagnosis by studying a slide of human."

## Preacher charged with child, sexual abuse

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — A Baptist preacher seeking to regain custody of his children was arrested during a court hearing on Florida arrest warrants charging him with child and sexual abuse.

Ronald Larrinaga, 52, who describes himself as a "chosen servant of Jesus Christ," is fighting to regain custody of five of his minor children who recently were placed in state care.

Larrinaga was in juvenile court Wednesday when he was arrested on the Florida warrants that charged him with aggravated child abuse, lewd and lascivious assault upon a child and aggravated assault in connection with attacks on two children living with the preacher's family in Florida in 1987.

Two additional counts of sexual battery were filed against Larrinaga in connection with the assault of a 49-year-old woman who lived with the preacher and his wife.

Larrinaga said he was innocent of the charges.

Five minor Larrinaga children, ages 17 to 10, were taken from Larrinaga by emergency court order on Nov. 7 amid allegations of physical, sexual and emotional abuse.

## MISD

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Larry Lusby, MISD director computer and special services, said at Tuesday's board meeting he didn't know if the soon-to-be filed report will raise any questions with the two commissions.

If that was the case, the entities would file inquiries with the district, though Lusby added that has never been the case in the eight years he's worked with the district.

In a 1986-87 Texas Education report, the school district was cited as needing to lessen its minority student-teacher disparity.

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He said the TEA has applied for $48 million to pay for classes for an estimated 125,000 amnesty applicants expected to enroll through Sept. 1989. Roussos expects federal approval sometime in December.

Students, to earn a certificate of "satisfactory pursuit," must attend at least 40 of 60 hours of INS-certified instruction aimed at providing a working knowledge of English, government and U.S. history. With the certificate, they can apply for permanent residency.


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# Expert says plane could have flown even if flaps retracted

IRVING (AP) — The Airline Pilots Association admitted being blindsided by a Boeing aerodnyamics expert who seemed to debunk their main theory concerning the crash of Delta Flight 1141.

But ALPA's lead attorney, Paul McCarthy, said he wanted everyone to withhold judgment until he could review tests that say the Boeing 727 should have been able to fly even if a split-flap condition had existed.

Ronald J. Halvarson, a Boeing aerodynamics supervisor, testified Wednesday at a National Transportation Safety Board public hearing that tests run in Seattle concluded the plane reached sufficient speed to fly, even if its flaps, which provide extra lift, were retracted.

The testimony came during the second day of a four-day public hearing into the crash of Delta Flight 1141 at Dallas Fort-Worth International Airport on Aug. 31. Thirteen died in the crash and another man died 11 days later of burns he suffered trying to save his trapped wife.

Investigators have been puzzled by the fact the plane's flap handle was found up although some of the plane's flaps and slats were extended.

NTSB officials have stressed that the hearing is only a fact-gathering mission and that no conclusions will be released at this time.

But one Delta attorney said that conclusions were being made Wednesday when Halvarson was asked if Delta 1141's recorded flight pattern seemed to be consistent with a zero-flaps configuration and he agreed that it was.

"It's more consistent with a zero-flap configuration than any other we've looked at," he said. But later, ALPA said his assessment was one man's opinion, based on estimates, extrapolations and statistical probability.

McCarthy said he did not think Boeing was being irresponsible in its release of split-flap testing, but said he certainly didn't think the aircraft manufacturer was being fair. The information was obtained by Boeing by combining previous wind-tunnel test information with data concerning the Delta 1141 cash.

ALPA says its experts believe the outboard flaps may have been extended, while the inner flaps along the back edge of the wing were not, through a mechanical failure. The pilots union contends that condition could exist without the crew receiving any warning because the inboard flaps are not equipped with any warning device.

But Halvarson said Boeing calculations show that even with a split-flap condition the plane would have had a lift factor almost equal to one with flaps set at 5 degrees.

Although the usual takeoff setting is an extension at 15 degrees, a split-flap condition should have been enough to push the plane airborne, given the recorded speed, Halvarson told the board of inquiry.

McCarthy told reporters, "I don't want to learn about something like this under klieg lights, at a public hearing, for the first time. We want time to review the data ourselves."

Halvarson said he had not reviewed any charts or other information himself, but had taken the data by telephone.

"In this age of (facsimile) machines, we'ed like to see a couple of calculations," McCarthy said.

McCarthy said ALPA still believes a split-flap configuration without cockpit warning is the most reasonable cause for the crash. He also noted that one passenger had already told the board he was a pilot and had seen the flaps in position as the plane went down. He also said that a former NASA engineer from Alaska had made an unsolicited call a couple of days previously to say he had been sitting on a plane in line behind Delta 1141 and had noted that the flaps were in proper position for takeoff.

In other testimony on Wednesday, Charles E. Bodemann of Pratt & Whitney, said it is likely that his company's engines sustained a series of compressor "stalls" or surges. He could not say how the disruptions to the plane might have occurred.

Other testimony Wednesday came from engineers and safety experts who described the complex mechanical workings of the flaps.

The panel also heard from Boeing engineer Donald R. Ryder, who said he had never heard of a case where the flap handle was in the up position and the flaps themselves were found to be extended.

But Delta Flight instructor Ken Adams said the flaps' position may have come because they were neither fully extended or retracted as the plane crashed, but rather were moving.

## *Widow of Northwest pilot attending Delta hearing*

IRVING (AP) — The toughest trip Allison Maus forced herself to make was walking along the crash site where her husband and 155 others died.

Compared to that, this week's trip to Texas was easy — especially, she says, if it takes her one step closer to clearing his name.

Mrs. Maus is the widow of John Maus, who was captain of Northwest Airlines Flight 255 when it plunged to a fiery end on Aug. 16, 1987, shortly after leaving Detroit Metro-Wayne County Airport in Romulus, Mich.

She is attending this week's federal hearing into the crash of Delta Flight 1141 because she believes both flight crews were the victims of takeoff warning systems that failed to function.

The 43-year-old Las Vegas, Nev., resident said she will attend all four days of the hearing being held to gather evidence that will help the National Transportation Safety Board determine a likely cause for the Delta crash that claimed 14 lives.

A similar inquiry by the NTSB placed the fault of the Northwest Flight 255 crash as "pilot error," something that Mrs. Maus says she refuses to accept.

"My husband was an airline pilot for 32 years and he didn't suddenly get stupid and forget to put his flaps down," she said. "And his first officer had flown for 10 years. They knew what they were doing."

Mrs. Maus has gone back to school and hopes to pursue a career in anthropology. But she spends much of her time pursuing leads and writing letters to help vindicate her husband.

"I was married for 18¼ years and I loved him very much," she said. "He was my best friend. And he was very proud of his ability."

He was so proud that he kept all records of his training and check-up flights. He received only compliments from instructors, and never any criticism for any laxity in administrating procedures in the cockpit, although that is not how testimony portrayed him at the Flight 255 public hearing, Mrs. Maus said.

At the Delta 1141 hearing, Mrs. Maus said she has heard all too familiar testimony. She said the Delta pilots have been targeted in much the same way that her husband had, although they are alive to tell their side of the story.

"It's the same old scenario," she said.

But Mrs. Maus says she is 100 percent convinced her husband was not at fault, but rather the victim of some kind of mechanical problem or shortcoming that caused the plane's warning system to fail.

"Everybody agrees with me," she said. "I recently had a woman from Detroit, who was in Las Vegas, call me. She said, 'Nobody in Detroit thinks it was his fault.' "

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CONSUMING INTEREST

# Sweet and trendy: Tips for holiday cooking

By LINDA ANDERSON



Anderson

Since this is the holiday season, and everyone is busily engaged in the annual ritual of holiday baking or eating — or both — I thought it might be a good time for some cooking tips:

■ The Sugar Association (yes, there really is such a thing) has issued a clarification for consumers who are confused about "blended sugar products."

These products, according to the association, are "not sugar, but a blend of sucrose and dextrose, as the small print on the label indicates. (Sucrose is the chemical name for sugar produced from sugar cane or sugar beets; dextrose is a corn derived product.)

Unfortunately, many consumers unwittingly purchase the blended product because they believe it is pure granulated sugar (sucrose). And many stores foster this belief by advertising and positioning the blended product as sugar. Consumers discover their error only upon finding that a particular recipe has not turned out as expected."

It seems the blended product *looks* like sugar, but doesn't *cook* like sugar. And for some dishes, such as meringues, blends are not recommended at all.

The Sugar Association advises consumers to read labels carefully and be sure to buy the product you want.

If you decide to try a blended sugar product, you might consider experimenting with the product first, to see how it works in your recipes, *before* using it in anything you plan to serve to guests.

■ Here's some hot news for the holidays — according to Frieda's Finest/Produce Specialties Inc. (said to be "the nation's leading authority on exotic fruits and vegetables"), some types of exotic produce are going to be "*in*" during 1989.

"It's the year of the banana," Karen Caplan, the company's president, is quoted in information from the company. I'm not sure what that means, since we've been eating bananas at my house since before I can remember. Anyway, some of the other fruits expected to be popular next year are: Asian pears, jicama, shiitake mushrooms, dried tomatoes (I've tried them already. They didn't seem to be worth the effort to me, but then I'm no company president.), manzanos, burros (aren't these little donkeys?), plantains, red bananas, cilantro and sugar snap peas.

I'm not sure how many types of these produce are available in Midland, but if you want to be trendy, that's what you look for.

■ And if your kids *refuse* to eat produce from far-away places with strange-sounding names, you might send off for a free booklet of kid-pleasing lunch box recipes.

Mott's Guide To Wholeshome Lunches With Kid Appeal contains such useful information as tips for making wholesome desserts and hints for hiding vegetables in sandwich fillings. For a free copy of the brochure, write Mott's Guide, Columbus Circle Station, P.O. Box 20355, New York City 10023.

*Linda Anderson is a Reporter-Telegram Lifestyle writer.*

# Mail-order mix-ups cause holiday fracas

By BOBBI IGNELZI
Copley News Service

Catalog shopping can bring you sugarplums from Oregon, goose-down comforters from Wisconsin, swamp boots from Maine — and unwanted merchandise, unfulfilled orders and billing headaches.

Still, many U.S. consumers — 89 million this year, the Direct Marketing Association (DMA) estimates — rely on mail-order companies for their holiday shopping.

"Generally, mail-order shopping has been very reliable. Otherwise, it wouldn't have been around for over 200 years," said Lisa Caugherty, director of the DMA information center.

"But occasionally, mistakes are made. Sometimes it's the company's fault, sometimes it's not. The important thing is to know what to do to remedy the situation — or better yet, how to avoid the situation in the first place."

The keys to trouble-free mail-order shopping, according to the Better Business Bureau and the Federal Trade Commission (FTC), are common sense and cautious bookkeeping. They offer these tips:

Make sure you're doing business with a reliable mail-order company. Before placing an order with an unfamiliar firm, check with the postal inspector, the Better Business Bureau, the FTC or the DMA.

"Beware of catalogs with exaggerated claims or unrealistically low prices. Too often these companies can't live up to their hype and the price starts to jump when the 'hidden costs' are tacked on," said Dee Ellison, an FTC spokesperson.

DON'T BUY merchandise based solely on catalog photographs, which sometimes are deceptive.

"Read the descriptions carefully. Don't expect silk if the catalog says 'silklike' or real wood if it's advertised as 'wood-grain,'" said Diane Ward of the national Better Business Bureau.

Fill out the order forms completely and neatly. Each year, Caugherty said, merchandise is delayed or addressed incorrectly.

Keep records of the company's name, address and phone number; the items purchased, the costs and the catalog numbers; and the order date and expected delivery date. Also keep a copy of the advertisement or catalog. If you order by phone, record the name or station of the operator.

Pay by money order, check, charge or credit card so you have a record of payment. Never send cash through the mail.

Know the company's return policy. A few companies have a satisfaction-guaranteed, no-questions-asked policy and accept returns months or even years after purchase. However, most companies usually limit their return policy to no more than 30 days after you receive the merchandise.

don't forget the shipping expenses. Some companies, such as L.L. Bean and Hammacher Schlemmer, include shipping costs in an item's price. But most companies charge for shipping separately — with a flat fee, a charge for each item, or an amount based on cost or weight.

"The list price may look like a good deal, but with added shipping costs it may turn out to be a very expensive purchase," said Ward.

Most mail-order companies insure orders, but some try to pass the cost to the consumer by including a line on their order forms for an optional insurance fee.

LET'S DO LUNCH

# Menu at steakhouse also includes seafood, salad

The OFFICE GOURMET

Since its opening in 1981, Cattleman's Steakhouse has been a favorite restaurant for those with "heavy" beef appetites.

Although there was not a hostess at the entrance to greet patrons immediately at this busy place, the entrance into the warm "ranch-house" parlor more than made up for lack of attention.

Comfortable park-type benches provided a seating place for those waiting on friends.

The wall-papered walls throughout the restaurant were decorated with a profusion of framed reproductions of paintings by notable western artists and famous "Cowboy Artists of America" members.

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Patrons are escorted to tables in the large dining room — which offers booth or table seating — and tabels in several cozy rooms off a wide passageway (also lined with tables) on the north end of the restaurant. (There always seems to be a place for *one more* group despite the overflow of guests.)

Expecting a "sleeves-up" steak 'n potatoes menu typical of most steak houses, I was pleasantly surprised by the splendid offerings on Cattleman's menu. There was a diverse salad bar replete with fruits and two hot soups; this day a robust bean soup and a thin, chunky potato soup (unfortunately too cool and lacking substantial body).

The seafood selections included shrimp, catfish and sole. Freshwater fish included frog legs and a fresh Rainbow Trout which was delicate and grilled to perfection and served with potatoes plus a trip to the lucious salad bar.

The steaks varied in type and weight (6-16 ounce). Some of the choice entrees included Fried Chicken Strips, Rocky Mountain Oysters, Teriyaki, and ham or pork chops. One of the "Specials of the Day" was the hard-to-find Braised Short Ribs, a hearty "knock-out" dish, moistly tender with a delightful spicy flavor. The sauce was slightly greasy, but fortunately it did not detract from the taste. The basket of fresh hot rolls completed the meal.

Amazingly, promptly at 1 p.m., almost all of the patrons seemed to "evaporate," but I enjoyed my final cup of coffee as (almost) a solitary patron.

Cattleman's Steakhouse provides a satisfying lunch (complete with a doggy bag, if needed, for evening snacks) in a true family ranch-style manner.

Prices range from $3.95-$17.95.

*The Office Gourmet is guest restaurant reviewer for the Reporter-Telegram.*

# Psychologists offer help for holiday depression, loneliness

New York Times News Service

The American Psychological Association is about to tell the people of Ohio that it's OK to see a therapist. Well, make that a psychologist.

In a pilot program timed to coincide with the holiday season, which heightens loneliness and depression for some people, the association is preparing a $140,000 advertising and public relations campaign.

Its goal is to reduce the stigma linked to psychotherapy and to promote psychologists as the caregivers of choice. If the project is successful, the association plans to use it around the nation.

In focus groups, consumers in Ohio responded well to an ad that showed King Kong climbing the Empire State Building with Fay Wray in his paw. "Do your problems sometimes seem larger than life?" the ad asks.

The ad, to appear in Ohio magazines next month, suggests that most people, at some point in their lives, need help dealing with family or personal problems.

Information for finding a psychologist is provided. No other health professionals are mentioned.

Other professionals in the increasingly competitive mental-health-care field are guarded in their response.

"So long as the ads are honest and truthful, then we would have no problem," said John Blamphin, a spokesman for the American Psychiatric Association.

# Museum's poster contest open to school children

From Staff Reports

. Museum of the Southwest will sponsor a poster contest to celebrate the opening of the Fredda Turner Durham Children's Museum.

All elementary children in the Midland area is eligible to submit an entry.

The theme for the posters is "celebration."

Any two-dimensional medium ( paints, chalk, ink, cut or torn paper, etc.) may be used.

The design must be in color on 12x18-inch paper.

Entries must be brought or mailed to the museum by Jan. 6, 1989. Winners will be notified by Jan. 12, 1989.

Winning posters will be displayed at the museum opening Feb. 26.

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# Winter solstice in late December

**DECEMBER 1**
Sunrise 7:31 a.m. Sunset 5:44 p.m. Last quarter moon. Moonrise 12:30 a.m. Moonset 1:23 p.m. Leo's brightest star, Regulus, 12 degrees right of moon in pre-dawn sky.

**DECEMBER 2**
Bright yellow Jupiter high over eastern horizon in early evening with Pleiades (Seven Sisters) 6 degrees above and Taurus' bright red star, Aldebran, 12 degrees below.

**DECEMBER 4**
Earliest sunset of year, 5:44 p.m. Virgo's brightest star, Spica, 6 degrees lower right of morning's waning crescent moon.

**DECEMBER 5**
Venus 1 degree upper left of Libra's brightest star, Alpha Librae.

**DECEMBER 6**
Spectacularly bright Venus 8 degrees upper left of morning's waning crescent moon.

**DECEMBER 9**
New moon.

**DECEMBER 10**
One-day-old thin crescent moon low above southwestern horizon soon after sunset.

**DECEMBER 13**
Geminid meteors, debris from comet core named 3200 Phaethon, peak in late evening.

**DECEMBER 15**
Sunrise 7:42 a.m. Sunset 5:46 p.m.

**DECEMBER 16**
First quarter moon. Moonrise 1:04 p.m. Moonset 12:45 a.m. Moon 8 degrees upper right of red planet, Mars.

**DECEMBER 17**
Moon passes 6 degrees upper left of Mars in evening sky.

**DECEMBER 20**
Moon passes 2 degrees below Pleiades and 7 degrees left of Jupiter in eastern evening sky. Venus passes within ⅓ degree of Beta Scorpii in pre-dawn sky.

**DECEMBER 21**
Winter solstice. Year's shortest day and longest night. Winter begins 9:28 a.m. today.

**DECEMBER 22**
Full moon. Moonrise 5:15 p.m. Moonset 7:27 p.m. Sunset 5:49 p.m. Sunrise 7:46 a.m. Genimi's twin stars, Castor and Pollux, 9 degrees and 12 degrees respectively, lower left of evening's waning gibbous moon.

**DECEMBER 25**
Venus, 6 degrees upper right of Scorpius' red giant star, Antares, low in eastern morning twilight.

**DECEMBER 27**
Regulus 5 degrees left of moon, high in southwest pre-dawn sky.

**DECEMBER 30**
Mercury low on southwest horizon in early evening twilight.

**DECEMBER 31**
Sunrise 7:49 a.m. Sunset 5:55 p.m. Last quarter moon. Moonrise 1:01 a.m. Moonset 12:38 p.m. Spica 10 degrees left of morning's quarter moon.

# Planetarium features Christmas shows

**DECEMBER 1**
Midland Archaeological Society meet 7:30 p.m. for educational program.

**DECEMBER 4**
"How to Find a Fallen Star" presented 2 p.m. and 3:30 p.m. Origins of meteors and meteorites reveled in this planetarium star show.

**DECEMBER 5**
Midland Camera Club meets for print competition 7:30 p.m.

**DECEMBER 6**
"How to Find a Fallen Star" presented 7:30 p.m.

**DECEMBER 7**
"How to Find a Fallen Star" presented 7:30 p.m.

**DECEMBER 8**
West Texas Astronomers meet 7:30 p.m. for display of members' projects.

**DECEMBER 11**
"All Systems Go" presented 2 p.m. and 3:30 p.m. NASA-sponsored planetarium program features more than 25 years of space exploration.

**DECEMBER 13**
"All Systems Go" presented 7:30 p.m.

**DECEMBER 14**
"All Systems Go" presented 7:30 p.m.

**DECEMBER 15**
Midland Faceters' Guild meets 7:30 p.m. for open forum on faceting.

**DECEMBER 18**
"Season of Light" presented 2 p.m. and 3:30 p.m. Holiday tradition and the significance of Christmas Day illuminated in this seasonal sky show.

**DECEMBER 17**
Midland Camera Club meets for educational program 7:30 p.m.

**DECEMBER 20**
"Season of Light" presented 7:30 p.m.

**DECEMBER 21**
"Season of Light" presented 7:30 p.m.

**DECEMBER 27**
"The Christmas Star" presented 7:30 p.m. Occurences of comets, supernovae, meteors and planetary conjunctions matched with likely dates for first Christmas as the planetarium sky is searched for the star.

**DECEMBER 28**
"The Christmas Star" presented 7:30 p.m.

The Marian Blakemore Planetarium, located in Haley Park, is open to the public without charge.






# Kitchen gadgets frequently purchased for gift-giving

New York Times News Service

NEW YORK — There's a new kitchen gadget coming your way.

You may be determined to halt the accumulation of gadgetry in your cupboards, but retailers know you will probably fail. Even now, they are stocking their shelves in anticipation of holiday gift shoppers, who are insatiable consumers of anything with whirring blades or a heating element.

Hopes are high, for example, for the Salad Shooter, a hand-held processor that shreds vegetables and other foods for the new staples of the American diet: salads, tacos and pizzas. It's supposed to be just the thing for people who can't be bothered to drag out their food processors.

Americans love kitchen gadgets. Last year they spent $7.8 billion on kitchenware and accessories, including battery-operated spice racks, electric apple peelers, tea blenders, ice shavers and specialty pans that cook only eggs or only cheese sandwiches or only hamburgers or only chicken or only potatoes.

Gadget sales are expected to contribute to a 20 percent growth in housewares sales this year and again next.

The most remarkable thing about many of these products, merchants and designers readily admit, is the way they migrate nearly non-stop from store shelves to kitchen shelves with barely a pause on the counter.

NONETHELESS, EVERY year 1 in 10 families replaces a working toaster or coffee maker with the latest models, and over every four or five years, affluent families replace all their small appliances, according to the National Housewares Manufacturers Association, a trade group.

Many theories are offered for the obsession with gadgets. Lower expectations for gadget gifts, said a consumer behavior specialist. Changes in demographics, food trends and marketing, said an industry spokeswoman. Fantasies about food and family, said a psychotherapist.

And, of course, the thrill of finding something new that works: "Your Hawaiice Ice Shaver makes the darnedest, delightfully delicious daiquiris ever!" Robert Gunderson, of Sacramento, Calif., wrote to the manufacturer, Back to Basics Products, of Sandy, Utah. The $25 machine shaves ice into a soft and fluffy texture for drinks and snow cones.

"Americans have an insatiable desire to buy new products," said Raymond H. Turner, a vice president of Toastmaster in Columbia, Mo.

"We chase gadgets much more than people in other countries. I don't know if that's good or bad, but it's more fun that way," he said.

"Wait a minute," said Stephen A. Greyser, a professor of consumer marketing at the Harvard Business School. "One person's fad is another person's useful gadget. What's important here is that consumer behavior drives the development of the product."

TAKE THE low-technology salad shredder. Several companies are selling versions of it. National Presto Industries of Eau Claire, Wis., is promoting its Salad Shooter with a multimillion-dollar advertising campaign.

The Salad Shooter tries to exploit two trends: more people are eating salad, and more are keeping their bulky food processors in storage.

"We looked at the growth of the salad situation and we saw that people don't like to drag out their food processors every time they want a salad," said Douglas Herrmann, the company's assistant director of sales.

Presto's product is about 10 inches tall and 6 inches across, so it is fairly easy to handle, and it fits inside a utensil drawer. The price, about $30, is meant to appeal to the gift buyer.

In an informal test of the gadget in making two salads, it did a good job shredding carrots and slicing mushrooms, but it turned half a head of romaine lettuce into mush and mangled two firm plum tomatoes. More experience in using the machine may improve the results, but hand-held food processors are clearly no match for full-size processors.

If these shredders make it into the American utensil drawer for the duration of the salad craze, it will be the result of demographic changes, said Kimberly E. Rawn, speaking for the Housewares Manufacturers Association.

She said the popularity of time-saving gadgets has grown markedly as more women have taken jobs outside the home and have had less time to cook for their families. To improve the quality of these quickly prepared meals, she said, people buy expensive equipment, like pasta machines that turn out spaghetti in four minutes or bread machines that make a loaf overnight.

CHANGING TASTES in foods — remember fondue pots? — also spur the development and sale of gadgets.

"We're looking at a lot of gadgets for cooking fish, poultry and pasta," Ms. Rawn said. Gadgets are easier to buy, thanks to the growth in mail-order catalogues, and cheaper because of the discount chains, she said.

If there is a theme to this year's crop of gadgets, it is that manufacturers are offering smaller appliances for smaller families and smaller kitchens.

About half the gadgets in American kitchens arrive in gift packages, which helps explain why people have so many, according to Dr. Richard Heslin, an associate professor of psychology and a consumer behavior specialist at Purdue University.

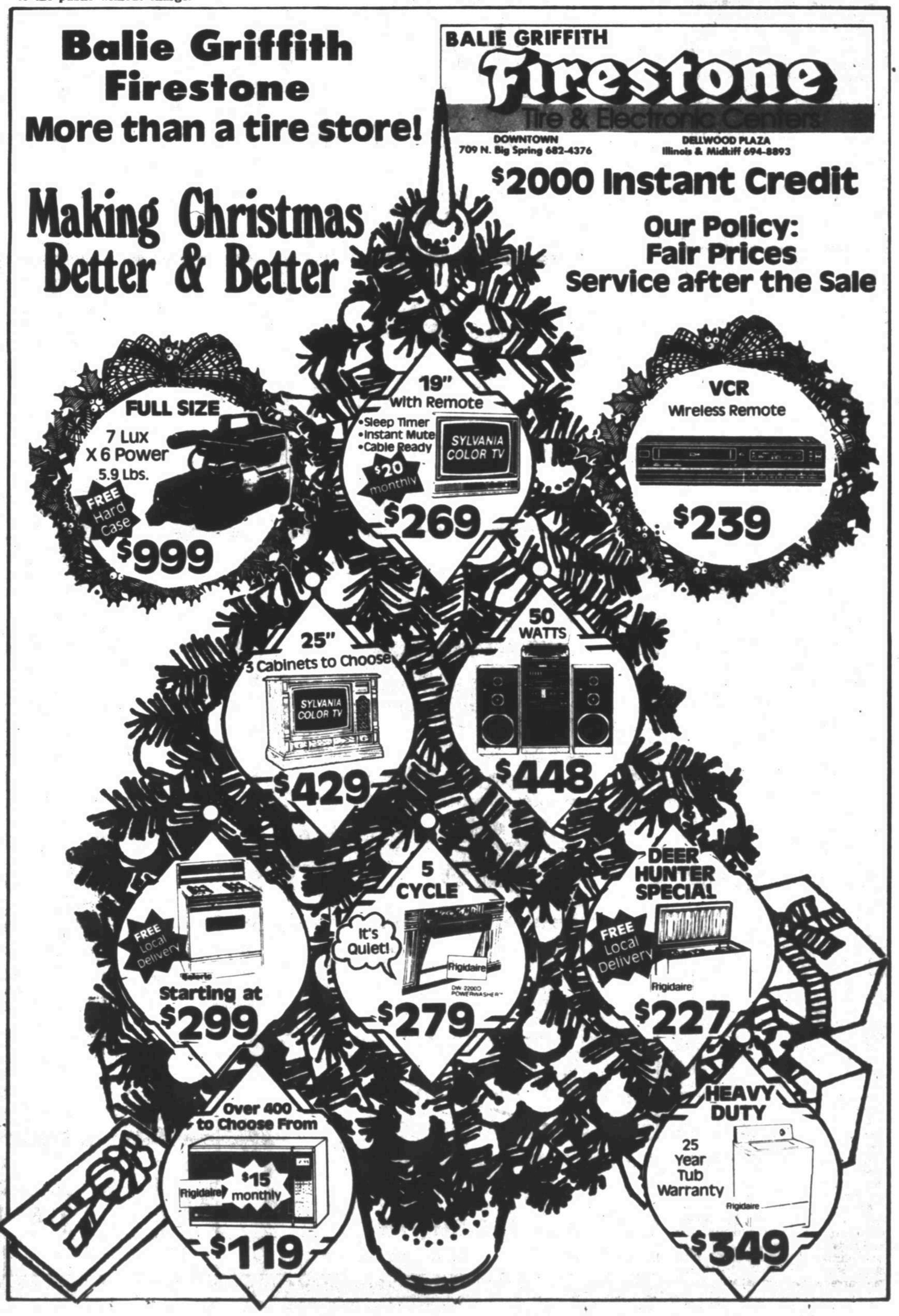
"When you're buying a product for yourself, you consider its utility, warranty maintenance and safety," he said. "When you're buying gifts, the most important thing is how people will react when they open them. If it's shiny and looks interesting for that moment, you're home free. If they don't use it, that's their problem."

Heslin was reluctant to talk about his own collection of useless gadgets. They were gifts.

Howard J. Kogan, a Manhattan psychotherapist, said people often buy cooking gadgets because they stir positive associations with food.

"When you buy a bread machine," he said, "you're not just thinking about having fresh bread in the morning, but all that the fresh bread implies. Perhaps it's to get the feeling of a mother baking bread with her children. But a machine that automatically bakes bread in four hours really doesn't offer you that experience, so you stop using it."

Kogan owns an ice-cream maker, but hasn't used it in years. His self-analysis: "I'm a lazy bum."

# Changing air fare rates can make holiday travel confusing

By LEONARD SLOANE
New York Times News Service

NEW YORK — The airline industry's increase in price in the popular Maxsaver fares, which began last week, has already had an effect on winter travel opportunities. Although the increase by the nation's large carriers averaged only 8 percent, or about $15 on a one-way ticket, advance publicity about it prompted many people to lock in their travel arrangements for December and January, tightening availability for the entire season.

Nonetheless, it is not too late to plan a trip if you can be flexible on dates and rates.

Since prices are so volatile in the airline industry, the new increase, and the companion price increase for the bargain fares most often used by business travelers, may not last throughout the winter.

But there are surer ways than waiting for prices to drop to get to the Caribbean in the next couple of months at less than peak price. To do so means using common sense, like flying during off-peak times to avoid competing with higher-paying business travelers. In most cases, it also means shopping around or using a knowledgeable travel agent.

Even when demand is high, there are ways to improve your chances of getting aboard a plane at the last moment.

"Ask to be wait-listed," said Morton Ehrlich, president of Lifeco Services Corp., a national travel agency. "As you get closer and closer to the time of departure, a lot of speculative bookings get cleared and you may be able to go."

Ehrlich also suggested that travelers consider using an airport further from their city if flights to and from the closer ones are filled. For example, a New Yorker might use the airport in Islip on Long Island, while a Miamian might use the airport in Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

The winter season also has gaps during which airlines and hotels have places free that are normally filled.

"You can usually get space in the two weeks right after Christmas," said Bonnie Kogos, a travel agent with Zenith Travel in New York. "The bills from Christmas come in and people are not traveling."

In addition, some seats at bargain rates could be sold even in February or March because airlines release seats to lower-fare passengers close to the departure date when they cannot be sold to business travelers at the top price. "Or wholesalers may release seats that have been booked, opening them up later for the leisure traveler," said Mary O'Neill, a spokeswoman for American Airlines.

Travel agents can take some of the headaches out of the reservation process at busy times. Good ones will check with airlines, hotels and tour wholesalers regularly to find out if space has been released. With their computers connected to those of the big travel companies, agents can quickly determine what is available for their clients as departure time nears.

"I sit here with four terminals: Eastern, American, TWA and United," Ms. Kogos said. "I can look and see the best routing, the best fares and the best times in one glance."

Another advantage of dealing with agents is that they may offer special fares periodically negotiated with airlines that are significantly lower than those available to the general public. For example, Suzanne S. Shoenfeld, executive vice president of Van Alphen Travel Service, cited a special bargain rate that her agency has on United Airlines flights between her home city of Rochester, N.Y., and West Palm Beach, Fla., from Nov. 29 to Dec. 15. The round-trip contract fare is $192 on weekdays and $226 on weekends. The Maxsaver fare, which requires the traveler to spend a Saturday at the destination, is $260 on weekdays and $300 on weekends. A full-price coach ticket costs $788.

In hunting for special fares and rates this winter, try to deal with reputable companies. The use of non-refundable fares is spreading, particularly during peak travel periods, which raises the danger of being stuck with unusable tickets.

# FDA ruling controversial

New York Times News Service

Despite advice to the contrary from many public health experts, the Food and Drug Administration has proposed a rule that will permit companies to make health claims on food labels.

The latest version of the rule, obtained by The New York Times, differs substantially from the one orginally proposed in 1987 allowing health claims on food labels for the first time.

Rewritten after it was open to public comment, the current rule details more carefully the conditions under which health claims can be made. Like similar federal regulations, it is subject to the approval of the Office of Management and Budget, which is studying it now.

But critics say the new rule leaves loopholes that will permit companies to make unsubstantiated claims.

The most significant section of the new rule is what the FDA calls a model health claim, which is to be used on products.

This model includes a brief description of the scientific basis for the claim; the amount of the key food component in the food; a reference to a consumer health message summary that has additional information about the connection between diet and disease, and a statement directing attention to nutrition information on the package.

Under the proposal, manufacturers are urged to use the model label statements and to confine their claims to certain health issues.

They are also free to make up their own statements as long as they meet the criteria set by the FDA.

But if a product has undesirable nutritional components, the information will not appear on the label: instead it will be contained in the health message summary.

For example, a high-sodium, high-fiber soup might have a label stating that fiber reduces the risk of cancer. But the label will not have to say that the soup contains a significant amount a sodium, which may contribute to hypertension.

Consumers will have to refer to the consumer guide to learn about the connection between high sodium consumption and hypertension.

Food labels that include health claims will have to tell consumers where to obtain the summaries on nutritional information.

Richard Ronk, the acting director of the FDA's Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition, said he expected the summaries to be available from the federal government and in supermarkets.

But there are those who do not think the summaries will be especially enlightening or useful.

Dr. Jacqueline Messite, the executive secretary of the committee on public health at the New York Academy of Medicine said, "You have to wonder how many people would write for them."

Organizations like the Academy of Medicine, the American Medical Association and the American Institute of Clinical Nutrition have been opposed to the rule since it was originally proposed.

The Academy of Medicine has said the information about the connection between diet and disease "is so controversial it is impossible to place on a label the type of information that is needed by the American people to understand the issues involved."

In a telephone interview recently, Messite said nothing had changed the academy's position.

Others organizations, like the Center for Science in the Public Interest, a consumer group based in Washington, said the original proposal was too vague and unenforceable.

Ronk agrees. "In the original proposal," he said, "it wasn't clear how in the world we were going to implement it." He thinks the current rule addresses all the problems.

An officer of the National Food Processors Association said the new rule sounded "positive."

Although Larry Graham, the executive vice-president of the association, said the rule appeared to be a little more restrictive than the food industry would have liked, "it sounds pretty good and goes in the direction we want."

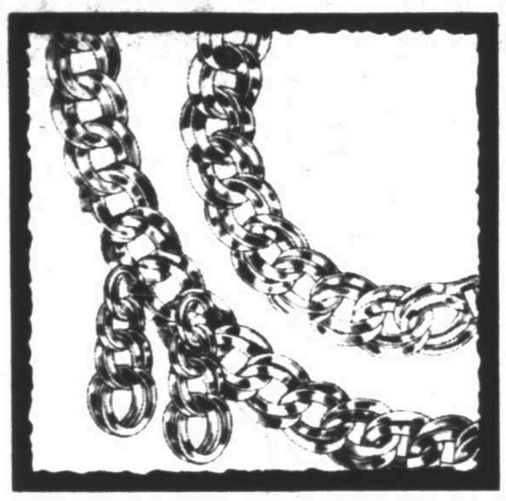
The labels will address only five topics relating diet and disease: calcium and osteoporosis; sodium and hypertension; fats and heart disease; fats and cancer, and fiber and cancer.

S. Jay Plager, administrator of information and regulatory affairs at the agency said: "Making information available to the public about a healthy diet is a major initiative of this information. We will move it as quickly as we can."

Bruce Silverglade, the director of legal affairs for the Center for Science in the Public Interest, said the rule had a major escape clause. "The whole history of this issue of health claims is one of industry disobeying the current law," he said.


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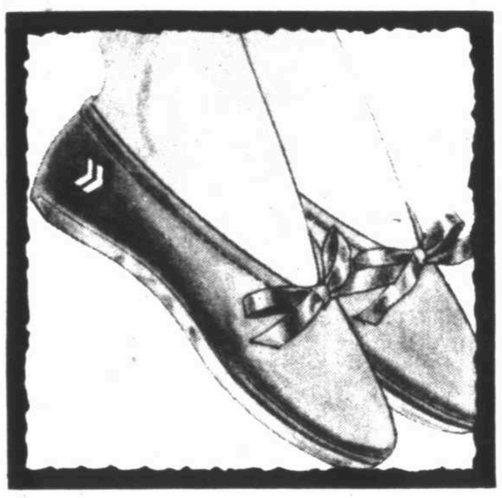
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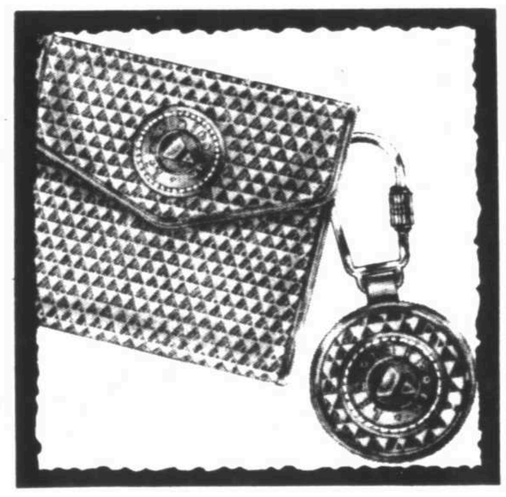
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## DEAR ABBY

# Young woman tired of old questions about age

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN



Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I'm a 32-year-old unmarried woman who happens to be very pretty and look younger than I am. I have a hard time dealing with people who ask me how old I am. I think that's a very personal question — like asking people how much they weigh, or how much money they make.

If I tell them the truth about my age, I get a backhanded compliment, like, "You look young for your age." If I lie, and they find out, I lose my credibility. One woman had the nerve to ask me my age in front of a crowd of people at a wedding. I was so angry, I lied. When people guess my age, nobody gets it right. They think I'm 24 or 25.

I'm starting a new job soon and I'm sure I'll be asked how old I am. How do I handle it? If I don't tell them, they will think I'm younger than I really am. If I tell them the truth, they will want to know why I haven't married at my age, etc. Please tell me how to deal with this. — AGE CONSCIOUS

DEAR AGE CONSCIOUS: The cardinal rule: Never lie. However, you do not have to answer a question simply because it was asked. No need to get defensive, sarcastic or hostile. The most effective dodge is to smile, look the person in the eye, and in a very pleasant tone say, "My goodness, that's a rather personal question that I choose not to answer. I hope you don't mind." Then change the subject.

Since you are asked this question often and it irritates you, I recommend practicing the above response before a mirror — and commit it to memory.

DEAR ABBY: My sister's son committed suicide a few months ago. Although my sister and I live far apart in distance, we are extremely close. His birthday would have been this week, and I couldn't decide whether to send her and her husband a nice card, call them, or just not mention it for fear of upsetting them.

My thoughts were: What if they were coping quite well? Wouldn't a card or call from me just stir up more emotion? The boy was like a son to me and they know it. — BEREAVING, TOO

DEAR BEREAVING: Since it's been only a few months, even if they're "coping," they are still grieving. A brief note, "Thinking of you with love," would say it all.

DEAR ABBY: Our problem is a pair of amorous but obnoxious neighbors.

The Mr. leaves the house about 6:30 a.m. for work. The Mrs. kisses him goodbye at the door. Then he gets into his car, and as he drives off, he yells to his wife, "I LOVE YOU!" Then she answers him with, "I LOVE YOUUUUUU!" This can be heard in our house even with all the doors and windows closed.

They both holler "I love you" until he is out of sight. Abby, we believe in love, too, but this is really annoying for neighbors who are retired and don't have to get up at 6:30 every morning.

Maybe if you print this, it would calm down those lovebirds. Abby, this is no put-on. It's an earnest problem. — K. IN SPRINGFIELD, OHIO

DEAR K.: I suppose it's better than being awakened at 2 a.m. by a couple of battling neighbors. But no matter how you are being disturbed, these neighbors are disturbing your peace.

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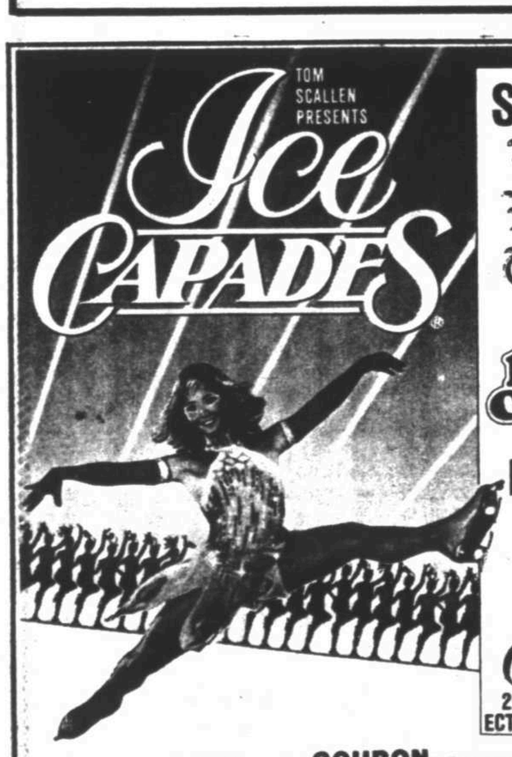


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# Locals face tough foes in Tall City Girls meet

From Staff Reports

Midland High and Midland Lee will host the annual Tall City Girls Invitational basketball tournament Friday and Saturday at Chaparral Center with six strong teams heading for Midland and a shot at the championship.

The tournament kicks off at 2 p.m. Friday with Artesia, N.M., meeting Lubbock Estacado. Lee will play El Paso Bowie at 4 p.m. while Odessa Permian and El Paso Eastwood follow at 6 p.m. The first round finale Friday will be at 8 p.m. when Midland High tangles with Lubbock Monterey.

Action resumes at 8:30 a.m. Saturday and play will continue until two teams arrive for the 8:30 p.m. championship game.

Friday's first round losers will play at 8:30 and 10:15 a.m. while winners square off in semifinal action at noon and 1:45 p.m.

A seventh place game will follow at 3:15 p.m. Saturday and the consolation championship will be held at 5 p.m. Third place honors will be held at 6:45 p.m. with the championship game to follow.

Del Rio won last year's invitational run with a victory over Lee in the finals. However, Del Rio is not back to defend its title. Powerful Monterey, a Region I playoff team last year, is a good early bet to nab the favorite's role. Eastwood and Bowie could also be a strong entries.

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# Howard coach wary of Chaps

By TED BATTLES
Sports Editor

First-year Howard College coach Steve Green isn't looking forward to his first WJCAC experience in Langford Chaparral Center tonight.

His Hawks, 8-6, face Midland College, 7-3, at 7:30 p.m. "and we're banged up," his voice reflects the pain. "Carlos Thumm and Terence Lewis are both ailing. Terence probably won't play."

Thumm, 6-8, is part of Howard's Brazilian connection and along with 6-4 Natan Vierriea, were members of the Brazilian junior national team.

Lewis, scoring 26 or 27 a game, is the Alabaman who was ticketed for Providence College but was sidetracked by Proposition 48.

While the Chaps were opening the WJCAC season with an impressive win over Western Texas College Monday, the Hawks were polishing off Angelo State JV.

"What will it take to beat Midland College? We'll have to score more points, naturally. But the key will be holding them under 100. Plus we've got to shoot the ball well, rebound on the defensive and not turn the ball over," says Green, assuming his first head coaching job after stints as an assistant at the University of Houston, Lamar and Arkansas.

The Hawks were 1-1 in the Pratt, Kan., tournament, but the team has been bugged by "inconsistent play out of our big guys."

As for the WJCAC race, "South Plains (13-1 and a winner over Clarendon, 74-65, in Monday's only other conference game) probably has the most experience," appraises Green. "Odessa College is the most talented and Midland College has very good players. I think NMJC will be a surprise. They have exceptional guards and to be tough in this league, you've got to have good guards."

Green regards tonight's game as particularly important for his Hawks, "Any time you can win on the road, it's like winning two."

For the same reason, Midland College Reggie Franklin regards this one as vital. It's a home game, for one thing and you don't want to lose at home, "And Howard has a lot of talent, although they have been inconsistent. I just hope they don't play like they did the night I saw them against Ranger."

Lewis also worries Franklin, "He could be the best pure shooter in the conference. If we had a best newcomer award in the conference, Lewis would be right up there."

As for his Chaps, Franklin is pleased with the progress of his team, "especially in view of the number of freshmen we use.

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# Red Devils ready for Deer hunt

By BILL GRIMES
Sports Writer

There were a lot of changes made in the Rankin High School football program when Troy Kennedy came on as head coach last spring.

Kennedy immediately let the Red Devil players know that he was no Dwayne Turner. The long-time Rankin mentor was well known for his laid-back style, and it worked to the tune of more than 100 career wins.

But Kennedy isn't the laid-back type. Instead, he's a self-admitted disciplinarian.

And, Kennedy says discipline is what the Devs will need to beat White Deer in a showdown of undefeated teams Saturday night in Levelland. Game time for this Class A Region I final is 7:30 p.m.

"It all comes down to discipline," Kennedy said. "Areas of responsibility will be very important against White Deer.

The Red Devils breezed through the regular season undefeated before blasting Grandfalls and Follett in their first two playoff games, 48-0 and 28-7, respectively. White Deer has had a little tougher time even though the Bucks were ranked higher in the last state Class A poll.

After beating Plains 30-14 in the first round of the playoffs, the Bucks needed a two-point conversion to edge past Garden City 21-20 last Friday.

Even though Rankin beat Garden City by three touchdowns six weeks ago, Kennedy said the comparative scores can be thrown out the window.

"I don't doubt that White Deer has a good football team," the coach said. "They have the best overall size on their offensive line and their quarterback is an extremely good passer."

White Deer QB Bart Thomas didn't need to throw much against Garden City, because the Bucks had such success moving the football via the rush. The Bucks rambled for 278 yards, while Thomas was six-of-10 for 78 yards through the air.

But the 170-pounder was especially potent on options and bootlegs despite the foot speed of Garden City defensive ends Eleazar Madrid and Tony Aragon. Thomas finished with 51 yards on 17 trips to the line. Tailback Tim Davis paced the Bucks with 99 yards, while wingback Bryan Waitman and fullback Jason Marlar added 74 and 66 yards, respectively.

The Bucks rolled up 27 first downs against Garden City and had not one punt.

That's where the discipline will come in for Rankin, Kennedy said.

"We definitely want to contain what they like to do."

Nobody has been able to contain what Rankin likes to do. The Devils averaged more than seven yards a carry against Follett and feature two 1,000-yard rushers — quarterback Doug Braden and halfback Jody Abalos.

Braden finished with 135 yards on 15 carries against Follett. Abalos sprained his ankle against Follett, but is expected to play Saturday.

Wide receiver James Watson is yet another Red Devil weapon. Watson caught two touchdown passes against Follett and has averaged more than 30 yards a catch this season.

White Deer has also played when it had to the past two weeks, especially against Garden City last week. The Bucks pulled out the one-point win by coupling a two-point conversion with Thomas' interception of Codie Scott's two-point pass attempt after the Bearkats' final TD.

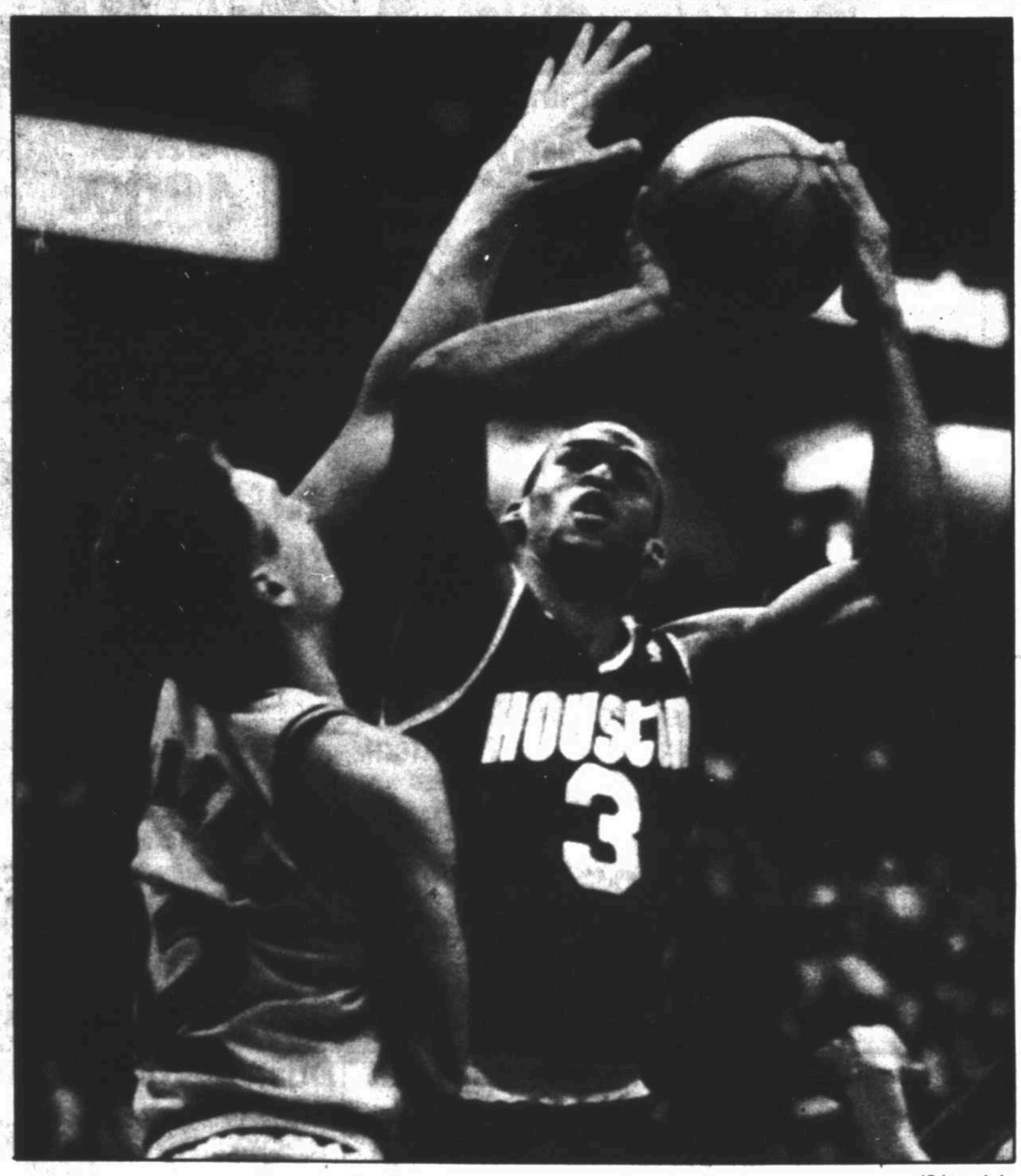
While Garden City chipped away at the Buck defense, White Deer coach Windy Williams fears more firepower from Rankin — as befits a team that routinely scores on plays of 50 yards and more.

"They're a big play football team," Williams said. "We have to play for that kind of situation."

There's no margin of error against the Red Devils, Williams believes.

"We have to play perfect defense, because if you let them get a step, they're gone."

Saturday's winner faces the Lindsay-Rotan winner in a state semifinal game next week.



AP Laserphoto

Derrick Chievous sets up a shot against Dallas' Detlef Schrempf Wednesday night. Chievous led the Houston Rockets to a 12-point win at Reunion Arena in Dallas.

# Chievous belies his inexperience

DALLAS (AP) — Derrick Chievous is a rookie, but a sports fan would have to take a look at the Houston Rockets' roster to know that for sure.

Chievous scored 25 points, including four points in a key fourth quarter scoring spree, Wednesday night to lead the Rockets to a 101-89 NBA victory over the Dallas Mavericks, snapping Dallas' five-game winning streak.

Chievous and reserve center Tim McCormick scored four points each during a 10-0 Houston run early in the fourth quarter that gave the Rockets the lead for good.

Dallas held a 71-70 advantage but after the run, Houston was in command, 80-71 with 7:55 to play.

"That's what we need from him (Chievous) and he gave it to us," said teammate Akeem Olajuwon. "He's a rookie but he acts like he's been here a while. He's got great confidence."

Chievous, Houston's No. 1 pick from the University of Missouri, hit 12-of-14 shots, most from 18-foot range, and added six rebounds.

"He's been aggressive since the first day of camp," Olajuwon said. "When he introduced himself, you could tell right away that he belonged here."

Coach Don Chaney credited the Rockets' defense for the victory.

"Defensively we had a total turnaround," Chaney said. "We played excellent defense against a very good team."

The 89 points was Dallas' fewest at home since April, 1984. The 12-point defeat was Dallas' biggest home loss since last January.

# Magic, Jackson shine in Angeles

Associated Press

As usual, Magic had the magic touch. Across town, so did Mark Jackson.

Magic Johnson scored 40 points, moved into second on the NBA's all-time assist list and led the Los Angeles Lakers past the Seattle SuperSonics 110-106 Wednesday night.

While Johnson was having his best night of the season at the Forum in Inglewood, Jackson was nearly as hot at the Arena in Los Angeles. He scored eight of his game-high 32 points in overtime to lead the New York Knicks to a 135-128 victory over the Los Angeles Clippers.

Elsewhere, it was Boston 133, New Jersey 100; San Antonio 105, Miami 101; Houston 101, Dallas 89; Utah 107, Chicago 93; Philadelphia 114, Portland 106; and Detroit 114, Indiana 111.

Johnson made four free throws in the last 18 seconds to secure the victory for the two-time defending champions. He scored 16 of the Lakers' 30 points in the final quarter.

"They are the best team in basketball," SuperSonics coach Bernie Bickerstaff said. "But some nights, they just get on the back of their best player and ride with him."

With 1:15 to play in the third quarter, Johnson passed to Orlando Woolridge on a brilliant alley-oop play to give Los Angeles an 80-62 lead. That assist was Johnson's eighth of 10 on the night and moved him past Lenny Wilkens into second place with 7,212 assists. The 10-year veteran from Michigan State now trails only Oscar Robertson, who finished his career with 9,887.

"It's a record I am especially proud of because that's what I do best, passing the ball to the other guys," Johnson said. "I never thought of passing Oscar Robertson as a goal, but now it will be a goal.

"I didn't know I was even this close to Lenny."

A pair of Johnson free throws gave Los Angeles a 10-point lead with 2:19 to play, but Seattle ran off 10 straight points to tie the game at 106 on Derrick McKey's layup with 35 seconds remaining.

Olden Polynice badly missed a pair of free throws with 20 seconds to play, leading to Johnson's four foul shots.

"After tonight, I don't think I'm going to have to urge them to play hard in the fourth quarter with a lead," Lakers coach Pat Riley said. "Seattle never quit. They were down 18 and played harder."

Dale Ellis led the Sonics with 36 points, including 23 in the first half.

**Knicks 135, Clippers 120**

Gerald Wilkins' running 10-foot shot with one second left in regulation tied the game at 118. New York broke on top and led by as many as nine points three times during the overtime.

Wilkins finished with 28 points, with Patrick Ewing adding 24 for the Knicks, who broke on top and led by as many as nine points three times during the overtime.

The Clippers, who had won five straight at home, were led by Quintin Dailey's 27 points.

It was New York's fifth win on the road in seven games. Last year, the Knicks' fifth road win did not occur unitl March 31.

Jackson made two steals in overtime and said, "I was trying to make a big play and it was there. "

**Celtics 133, Nets 100**

In danger of their first losing month since April 1979 — just before Larry Bird joined them — the Celtics routed New Jersey. Kevin McHale scored 26 points as Boston extended to 61 its streak of winning months and boosted its record to 8-7, with all the games played in November.

**Spurs 105, Heat 101**

Every team has been better than the Heat, which has lost the first 12 games of its existence, the fourth worst start in NBA history. Three teams, most recently the 1972-73 Philadelphia 76ers, lost their first 15 games.

**Jazz 107, Bulls 93**

At Salt Lake City, Darrell Griffith scored 32 points and was in the middle of big spurts in the second and third quarters as Utah handed the Bulls their fourth straight defeat.

The Jazz took the lead for good in the second quarter when Thurl Bailey had 13 of his 23 points and Griffith added 10. John Stockton had a franchise-record 11 assists during the quarter, including three during the run. He finished with 15 points and 17 assists.

**76ers 114, Trail Blazers 106**

Charles Barkley nearly destroyed the Blazers singlehandedly with 41 points and 22 rebounds. That gave Barkley a total of 72 points and 45 rebounds for his last two games.

The victory was the fifth in six games for Philadelphia, which played without injured starters Cliff Robinson and Maurice Cheeks.

**Pistons 114, Pacers 111**

Isiah Thomas and Adrian Dantley were a two-man show for Detroit. The hosts got 36 points from Thomas and 34 from Dantley. Thomas scored the Pistons' last six points.

The Pacers, who got only their second win of the season by beating the Pistons 107-98 at Indianapolis on Tuesday night, took their first lead at 102-100 on a pair of free throws by John Long with 7:13 remaining.

## NBA

## SportScan

### TV Sports

(Subject to Change)
FOOTBALL — Alabama at Texas A&M, 7:30 p.m., ESPN.
BASKETBALL — Loyola Marymount at California-Santa Barbara, 11 p.m., ESPN.
TENNIS — Nabisco Masters tourney, 4 p.m., ESPN.

### Sports Today

BASKETBALL — Howard County CC at Midland College, 7:30 p.m., KCRS Radio.

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### Trivia Teaser

**Thursday's Question**- The largest arena in the NBA...and the smallest?

**Wednesday's Answer**- John Riggins (1982-83) and George Rogers (1985-86) shared the record for most consecutive games scoring a rushing touchdown in the NFL.

### Quotebook

*"If I was planning to resign, I wouldn't be working so hard,"* — Texas A&M football coach Jackie Sherrill, whose program continues to be investigated by the NCAA.

### On This Date

1951 — Showboat Boykin of Mississippi ends his college football career by rushing for 187 yards and scoring seven touchdowns in a 49-7 rout against Mississippi State.

1959 — Louisiana State halfback Billy Cannon wins the Heisman Trophy over Penn State quarterback Richie Lucas.

1961 — Wilt Chamberlain of the Philadelphia Warriors scores 60 points in a 138-177 victory over the Los Angeles Lakers.

1973 — Jack Nicklaus wins the Disney World Open to become the first golfer to earn more than $2 million in his career.

# Bedeviled Ags wrap up with Tide

COLLEGE STATION (AP) — Bill Curry was expected to get the green light for another year as Alabama head football coach at a news conference this morning before the Crimson Tide meets Texas A&M University in a nationally televised game tonight.

Although Curry has three years left on his contract, alumni unrest stirred anew after Alabama lost 15-10 to bitter rival Auburn on Friday.

However, interim president Roger Sayers was expected to announce at the University Inn in College Station that Curry will be back next year, a source told The Associated Press.

"The Hurricane Bowl" has degenerated into "The Rumor Bowl" because of speculation about the future of the two head coaches.

The nationally televised (ESPN ) 7:38 p.m. game between the Sun Bowl-bound Crimson Tide, 7-3, and the Aggies, 8-4, is a makeup of a game that was to be played on Sept. 17.

Hurricane Gilbert threatened the Texas coast and Curry elected to postpone the game, bringing jibes from the Aggies including coach Jackie Sherrill.

The Hurricane hit Mexico and the Aggies have had some fun with the decision to stay away.

T-shirts, hurricane tracking placemat charts, and even a song have been recorded about the game. The Confederate Air Force is broadcasting daily weather updates.

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# Drugs sideline Scott for month

IRVING (AP) — Dallas Cowboys safety Victor Scott has been suspended for 30 days for his second violation of the National Football League's substance-abuse policy in two seasons.

The 30-day suspension, announced Wednesday, means that Scott will miss the remainder of the season since the Cowboys have only three games remaining.

Scott, a second-round draft choice in 1984, was scheduled to meet Wednesday with Dr. Mark Unterberg, an NFL-licensed psychiatrist, in Dallas to discuss a rehabilitation program.

Team officials said Scott had been tested three times a week since late October 1987 when the team began suspecting he had a problem.

"It's sad," said Cowboys coach Tom Landry. "This is one of the things I regret more than anything else. We haven't been able to give him the help he needs."

"We've tried every way to do it, and we just haven't been able to do it. To see a player tend to ruin his career is a sad thing for me," Landry added.

Sources in the Cowboys' organization said a recent test detected traces of alcohol and a controlled substance in Scott's urine.

Scott denies using drugs and said no one in the organization informed him of the specific nature of the violation.

"I don't use marijuana, cocaine or any drugs," Scott said. "I'm still trying to figure out what they found."

"I might drink a little bit," Scott said, "but I'm not dependent on alcohol. I drink to have a little fun. I've never had problems with alcohol in public — driving or fighting."

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# Oral Roberts U. earns controversial win

By BARRY WILNER
Associated Press

It was the kind of call you just don't get on the road, the kind an Oral Roberts doesn't get at Louisiana State.

Oral Roberts got it, however, and a 100-96 victory with it Wednesday night, the Titans' first road win since the 1986-87 season.

All LSU coach Dale Brown got was a pair of technical fouls and plenty of frustration.

Greg Sutton was fouled by Chris Jackson as he shot from 15-feet at the buzzer in a tie game. The shot bounced off the rim, but Sutton went to the line and won it by making two free throws. He then hit two of four assessed in a double technical foul against Brown, who carried his protest onto the court between Sutton's free throws.

"At best, in my opinion, it was a no-call," Brown said. "But they (the officials) didn't lose the game for us. We lost it."

"It was a foul," ORU coach Ken Trickey said. "He (Jackson) really hacked him.

"I didn't like it to end that way. I would have preferred that Greg shoot the two and it end 98-96."

Still, it was a road win, and that's all Trickey could ask for. Oral Roberts was 8-21 last season, 0-13 as the visiting team.

## College Basketball

**TOP 20**

**Vanderbilt 65, No. 13 Louisville 62**

With the score 62-62 and three seconds remaining, Goheen took the in-bounds pass, quickly dribbled past midcourt and launched the game-winner just ahead of the final horn. The shot scraped the right side of the rim and gently settled in the basket, dropping Louisville to 0-2. The visiting Cardinals blew a nine-point lead.

**No. 1 Duke 95, East Carolina 46**

Alaa Abdelnaby extended his field goal shooting streak to 19 straight baskets, scoring 18 points for host Duke in Coach Mike Krzyzewski's 250th victory. In his 14th season, and ninth at Duke, Krzyzewski is 250-143 overall and 177-84 with the Blue Devils.

**No. 11 Arizona 89, New Mexico 67**

At Tucson, Harvey Mason scored 20 points, 12 on 3-point shots, as Arizona avenged one of its three losses last season. Arizona was 35-3 last year and went to the Final Four, but the Wildcats lost at Albuquerque.

**No. 18 Villanova 70, St. Francis, Pa. 60**

Villanova's outstanding backcourt of Doug West and Kenny Wilson was too much for host St. Francis. West scored 21 points and Wilson led a second-half surge with seven points in a 15-0 run. That turned a 41-40 Villanova deficit into a 55-41 lead with just over seven minutes left.

**No. 19 Florida 71, Siena 67**

At Gainesville, Fla., Dwayne Davis scored eight of his 20 points during an 18-1 second-half run as Florida, down by 16 points early, rallied. Siena, an 80-79 upset winner over Pittsburgh on Monday, used hot 3-point shooting to build a 27-11 lead midway through the first half.

**UNRANKED**

At New York, Jayson Williams had 23 points to lead four double-figure scorers as St. John's, 3-0, spoiled Fairleigh Dickinson's opener 86-55. Melik Sealy added 17 points and 10 rebounds for the Redmen.

At Pittsburgh, Bobby Martin scored 22 points and grabbed 11 rebounds as Pitt beat Robert Morris 75-62.

# Hawaii earns rep as hoops hotbed

By JIM O'CONNELL
Associated Press

As far as being a Thanksgiving tradition, Hawaiian Hoops has a ways to go.

It's nowhere near turkey and cranberry sauce and it isn't even close to the Detroit Lions.

But it's getting there.

Thanksgiving weekend is starting to mean watching some late, and in some cases very late, basketball games featuring highly ranked teams in the Maui Classic. Sometimes results aren't learned until the next day.

Four ranked teams ventured halfway across the Pacific and to a five-hour time difference with the East to enjoy the beauty and serenity of our 50th state while opening the season with different results.

Michigan coach Bill Frieder has to be the happiest having left Hawaii with a trophy, more color in his face than he'll have all season and three victories. Guess which was most important to him?

"It just means we're three and oh," he said minutes after his second-ranked Wolverines beat No. 5 Oklahoma 91-80 in the championship game.

At least Oklahoma, Ohio State and Nevada-Las Vegas left above the .500 mark at 2-1.

Pity DePaul and Memphis State, both of which played better than expected in scaring Ohio State, Michigan and Nevada-Las Vegas.

"It is beautiful here but I'd go to China for three wins," DePaul coach Joey Meyer said after avoiding an 0-3 start with an 89-68 seventh-place victory over host Chaminade, an NAIA school from Honolulu.

One of the smaller problems for Meyer while at the Maui Classic was getting his team to warm up at halftime of the seventh-place game.

There wasn't a wildcat strike. Dribbling specialist Crazy George was still doing one of his audience participation acts that featured a basketball about six feet in diameter sitting on one rim.

The one DePaul was supposed to use.

Crazy George finished a minute or so later and DePaul got to warmup.

That's how things are in Hawaii. The surroundings of high pressure college basketball it isn't.

Since eight teams needed practice times the schedule was broken down between the Lahaina Civic Center and Laihanaluna High School.

The practices at the high school were subdued because the rims didn't look particularly strong.

Oklahoma coach Billy Tubbs would not permit his players to dunk at any time during their practice at Lahainaluna, founded in 1831 and the oldest high school west of the Rockies.

A player from Memphis State eventually did pull down one of the rims and made a small gym smaller.

"See, I am smart," Tubbs said when relayed news of the shattering accident.

The Civic Center normally holds 2,000 and portable bleachers were placed at either end of the court bringing the new capacity to 3,000.

When Nevada-Las Vegas and Oklahoma met, there were at least 4,000 crowded in.

They were sitting in the aisles and standing six deep in the corners like they do at packed high school games.

That made a hot gym hotter.

The coaches often looked like they had played when they met the media.

"My wife laid out a jacket and tie for me and after I saw what (Ohio State's Gary) Williams looked like after his first game, I said no way," Meyer said as he sat with a towel wrapped around his neck and a shirt that weighed considerably more than it did when the game started.

The heat meant wet spots which meant a lot of play stoppages for the ballboys to towel down the playing area.

The refereeing was another sore point with the coaches. It wasn't home cooking because Chaminade went 0-3. The oficials were brought over from mainland conferences such as the Big East, Southwest, Southeastern, Big Eight and Colonial.

Jerry Tarkanian of Nevada-Las Vegas and Williams each received two technicals, Tarkanian's first since 1981 and fourth and fifth in a 32-year career.

"I never get technicals," he said, letting his eyes roll down to end the discussion.

Oklahoma had to wear its road uniforms all three games making things tough on the team manager who spent a lot of time at the laundry.

It may have been his own fault, however, as it seemed tournament officials left decisions like that up to the teams and eventually the managers of the respective teams.

When there were fans in the Civic Center, and there were for any important game, the place did get as loud as any arena near its size in the 48.

## Analysis

# AGGIES——

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A&M is calling this a bowl game because NCAA probation sanctions include no post-season play for the Aggies.

Sherrill has been a source of gossip about whether he plans to resign after the game. He said he won't.

Former player George Smith said two weeks ago Sherrill paid him "hush" money to thwart an NCAA investigation then recanted the statement.

Sherrill shortcircuited rumors he will resign after the game, saying "If I was planning to resign I wouldn't be working so hard."

Texas A&M president William H. Mobley is heading an in-house investigation into the Smith matter.

Curry is 14-8 in his two years at Alabama. The Tide will play in the Sun Bowl against Army on Christmas Eve.

"Regardless of what's going on through the innuendo, rumor connection, either here or at Texas A&M, when the ball is kicked off, the important thing to us is the football game," Curry said.

# CHAPS——

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"After we lost that game in Kansas, the other coach told me, 'the difference between the two teams tonight is that I was using four sophomores.'"

Elsewhere tonight, South Plains is at NMMI in Roswell, WTC travels to Clarendon and NMJC is at FPC.

Odessa College raised its record to 11-0 over the weekend by beating Pratt, Kan., 93-77, to win the OC Thanksgiving Shootout title. Saturday, OC travels to Hobbs, N.M., to play NMJC in the first major showdown of the season.

The next major showdown, it appears, will be Monday when South Plains College comes to the Chap Center.

# DRUGS——

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Scott refused on Oct. 27, 1987, to take a drug test when requested to do so by the team and and was placed on the non-football illness list for 30 days.

The Cowboys sent him to treatment clinic in Pennsylvania, but Scott returned after nine days of testing and evaluation proved inconclusive.

Scott denied that he had a drug problem and filed a grievance against the Cowboys with the NFL Players Association to collect $78,000 in lost wages.

Scott's agent, Jack Mills, said the grievance is still pending.

Because he will miss the final three games, Scott will relinquish approximately $61,000 of his $325,000 salary.

Scott, whose contract expires after the 1988 seasons, has started only three games in his career and has appeared in only 13 games in the past three seasons.

He missed the first five games this season with a severe ankle sprain.

# GIRLS——

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The opening tournament pairings were done through a draw, leaving Midland High with the task of meeting the tournament favorite in the first round and Lee catches Bowie, another team with a title shot.

"No one can say we don't treat teams fair when they come to our tournament," said MHS coach Jane Young after drawing Monterey for the opener. "Where else would you see the home team play the favorite in the first round. I know we don't see that when we play in other tournaments."

Lee will carry a 5-2 mark into the tournament and a three game winning streak. MHS is 2-3 and has won two of its last three games after opening the season with back-to-back losses.


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- FW Dunbar
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- L.D. Bell
- Arlington Lamar

## Region II

- Garland Lakeview
- Dallas Roosevelt
- Duncanville
- Plano
- Marshall
- Killeen
- Huntsville
- Langham Creek
- Dallas Samuell
- Mesquite
- Plano East
- Dallas Carter
- Waco
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- Klein Forest
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- Houston Strafford
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- Houston Waltrip
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- Deer Park

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- SA Jefferson
- Laredo United
- SA Clark
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- Austin Westlake
- SA Houston
- SA Churchill
- SA Holmes
- Seguin
- Edinburg
- Harlingen

# Sports Scoreboard

## NBA Boxes

At Boston
NEW JERSEY (100)
Berry 3-7 2-2 8, B.Williams 6-11 3-4 15, Hinson 9-13 6-7 24, Bagley 0-4 1-1 1, McGee 4-10 0-0 9, Hopson 3-8 4-4 10, Conner 5-13 4-4 14, Morris 5-7 5-6 16, K.Williams 0-5 3-4 3, Shackleford 0-3 0-0 0, Cavenall 0-1 0-2 0. Totals 35-82 26-34 100.
BOSTON (133)
McHale 10-12 6-7 26, Lohaus 7-14 2-2 16, Parish 6-8 2-3 14, Shaw 7-13 3-3 17, Ainge 3-11 1-1 8, Lewis 6-15 4-6 16, Paxson 5-11 2-2 12, Acres 3-8 0-2 6, Grandison 3-4 4-4 10, Rivas 2-4 4-4 8.Totals 52-100 26-34 133.
New Jersey 19 23 30 28—100
Boston 41 27 25 40—133
3-Point goals—McGee, Morris, Ainge. Fouled out—Lohaus. Rebounds—New Jersey 49 (B.Williams 12), Boston 58 (Parish 13). Assists—New Jersey 24 (Conner 10), Boston 34 (Shaw 10). Total fouls—New Jersey 24, Boston 23. Technicals—New Jersey coach Reed, Ainge. A—14,890.

At Philadelphia
PORTLAND (108)
Bryant 5-7 0-0 10, Kersey 9-12 2-3 20, Duckworth 7-13 2-4 16, Drexler 7-21 2-2 16, Porter 6-13 2-2 15, Johnson 9-12 6-6 24, Ri.Anderson 1-2 0-0 3, Young 0-3 0-0 0, Jones 0-2 0-0 0, Neal 0-0 0-0 0, Branch 0-0 2-2 2. Totals 44-85 16-19 108.
PHILADELPHIA (114)
Ro.Anderson 6-14 0-1 12, Barkley 13-16 15-20 41, Gminski 3-14 0-0 6, Wingate 4-5 3-4 12, Hawkins 12-19 4-4 28, Brooks 0-6 1-2 1, Welp 3-8 0-0 6, Thornton 0-2 2-2 2, Henderson 3-5 0-0 6.Totals 44-89 25-33 114.
Portland 26 27 30 21—106
Philadelphia 26 32 35 21—114
3-Point goals—Ri.Anderson, Porter, Wingate. Fouled out—Bryant. Rebounds— Portland 43 (Drexler 12), Philadelphia 54 (Barkley 22) Assists—Portland 29 (Porter 11), Philadelphia 28 (Brooks 10). Total fouls—Portland 28, Philadelphia 23. A— 6,823.

At Miami
SAN ANTONIO (105)
W.Anderson 2-2 0-0 4, Greenwood 2-5 2-4 6, G.Anderson 3-7 1-2 7, Dawkins 8-13 5-5 21, Robertson 12-23 3-6 27, Brickowski 6-11 6-7 18, King 3-7 0-0 6, Cook 4-9 0-0 8, Maxwell 1-5 6-6 8, Comegys 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 41-82 23-30 105.
MIAMI (101)
Gray 0-3 2-4 2, Long 2-4 0-0 4, Seikaly 1-4 3-4 5, Sparrow 10-14 1-1 22, Taylor 3-10 2-4 8, Cummings 0-0 3-4 3, Edwards 9-16 6-6 24, Thompson 5-8 2-3 12, Hastings 2-6 2-2 6, Washington 3-5 0-0 6, Sundvold 4-7 1-1 9.Totals 39-77 22-29 101.
San Antonio 34 26 20 25—105
Miami 19 22 28 32—101
3-Point goal—Sparrow. Fouled out— None. Rebounds—San Antonio 48 (Robertson, Brickowski 8), Miami 45 (Thompson 10). Assists—San Antonio 22 (Dawkins 10), Miami 21 (Taylor, Edwards 5). Total fouls—San Antonio 24, Miami 25. Technicals—Hastings, San Antonio illegal defense 2, Miami illegal defense. A—14,298.

At Auburn Hills, Mich.
INDIANA (111)
Person 6-13 2-2 14, H.Williams 6-10 4-4 16, Smits 4-5 0-0 8, Miller 6-8 3-4 17, Fleming 8-14 1-1 17, Gray 0-0 0-0 0, Long 4-12 2-2 10, Tisdale 4-14 5-5 13, Skiles 5-6 0-0 12, Frederick 2-3 0-0 4. Totals 46-85 17-18 111.
DETROIT (114)
Dantley 12-20 10-10 34, Mahorn 5-11 5-5 15, Laimbeer 3-10 1-4 7, Dumars 1-6 0-0 2, Thomas 16-26 4-5 36, V.Johnson 5-13 0-0 10, Salley 2-3 0-0 4, Rodman 3-4 0-0 6.Totals 47-93 20-24 114.
Indiana 20 35 32 24—111
Detroit 30 34 31 19—114
3-Point goals—Miller 2, Skiles 2. Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Indiana 45 (H.Williams 9), Detroit 46 (Laimbeer 9). Assists—Indiana 27 (Fleming 8), Detroit 26 (Thomas 9). Total fouls—Indiana 26, Detroit 20. Technical—Indiana coach Irvine. A—21,454.

At Dallas
HOUSTON (101)
B.Johnson 2-4 2-2 6, Thorpe 5-12 3-4 13, Olajuwon 6-19 5-6 17, Floyd 3-9 2-2 8, Woodson 0-6 0-0 0, McCormick 4-11 1-2 9, Chievous 12-14 1-1 25, Short 6-18 5-6 17, Leavell 3-8 0-0 6. Totals 41-101 19-23 101.
DALLAS (89)
Aguirre 3-10 2-4 8, Perkins 4-14 1-1 9, Donaldson 3-3 0-0 6, Harper 7-14 7-8 21, Blackman 11-21 4-4 26, Schrempf 4-6 5-6 13, Tyler 3-4 0-0 6, Davis 0-4 0-0 0, Wennington 0-2 0-0 0.Totals 35-78 19-23 89.
Houston 22 23 20 36—101
Dallas 23 17 25 24— 89
Fouled out—Schrempf. Rebounds—Houston 65 (Thorpe 13), Dallas 46 (Donaldson 10). Assists—Houston 26 (Floyd 8), Dallas 15 (Aguirre 4). Total fouls—Houston 24, Dallas 24. A—17,007.

At Salt Lake City
CHICAGO (93)
Sellers 6-14 0-0 12, Grant 2-5 0-0 4, Cartwright 3-9 2-6 8, Vincent 6-12 5-5 17, Jordan 11-25 11-13 33, Pippen 4-15 0-0 8, Corzine 4-7 0-0 8, Paxson 1-4 0-0 3, Haley 0-0 0-0 0, Davis 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 37-92 18-24 93.
UTAH (107)
Malone 9-23 1-3 19, Ortiz 2-5 2-4 6, Eaton 2-5 4-6 8, Stockton 5-11 5-5 15, Griffith 14-22 2-2 32, Les 0-2 0-0 0, Bailey 9-11 5-5 23, Brown 1-1 2-2 4, Kofoed 0-2 0-0 0, Iavaroni 0-0 0-0 0, Leckner 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 42-82 21-27 107.
Chicago 26 22 19 26— 93
Utah 21 35 26 23—107
3-Point goals—Griffith 2, Paxson. Fouled out—Pippen. Rebounds—Chicago 53 (Grant, Jordan 8), Utah 64 (Eaton 17). Assists—Chicago 23 (Vincent 8), Utah 30 (Stockton 17). Total fouls—Chicago 21, Utah 21. Technicals—Les, Utah assistant coach Sloan. A—12,444.

## Top 20 Boxes

At Durham, N.C.
EAST CAROLINA (46)
Edwards 3-15 4-6 10, Hill 5-13 0-0 11, Staples 2-7 0-0 4, Kelly 0-1 0-0 0, Murphy 2-4 1-2 5, Lose 5-12 2-3 13, Love 0-0 0-0 0, Hinton 0-0 0-0 0, Scherer 1-4 0-0 3, Bryant 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 18-56 7-11 46.
DUKE (95)
Ferry 4-7 1-3 11, Brickey 4-7 3-6 12, Abdelnaby 9-9 0-0 18, Snyder 3-8 0-0 6, Henderson 5-10 0-0 12, Smith 7-9 0-0 18, Koubek 1-5 0-0 2, Buckley 4-5 0-0 8, Laettner 2-3 0-0 4, Cook 0-1 0-0 0, Palmer 0-0 0-0 0, Davis 2-4 0-0 4, Burgin 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 41-68 4-9 95.
Halftime—Duke 49, East Carolina 25. 3-Point goals—East Carolina 3-12 (Scherer 1-3, Hill 1-4, Lose 1-4, Murphy 0-1), Duke 9-16 (Smith 2-2, Ferry 2-2, Snyder 2-6, Henderson 2-4, Brickey 1-1, Koubek 0-1). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—East Carolina 21 (Murphy 7), Duke 43 (Abdelnaby, Smith 7). Assists—East Carolina 13 (Hinton 5), Duke 29 (Snyder 10). Total fouls—East Carolina 15, Duke 15. A—9,314.

At Loretto, Pa.
VILLANOVA (70)
West 8-12 6-8 21, Taylor 4-5 4-6 12, Greis 2-5 2-2 6, Wilson 4-8 3-4 11, Massey 5-10 0-0 10, Walker 0-3 2-2 2, Woodard 0-3 2-2 2, Dowdell 3-4 0-2 6, Bekkedam 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 24-51 19-26 70.
ST. FRANCIS, PA. (60)
Dixon 3-14 1-1 9, Bennetch 2-4 6-6 10, Sayles 4-6 3-3 11, Anderson 10-29 2-2 23, Hilvert 1-8 2-2 5, Vitko 0-2 0-0 0, Weir 0-2 0-0 0, Mack 1-3 0-0 2. Totals 21-68 14-14 60.
Halftime—Villanova 34, St. Francis 31. 3-point goals—Villanova 3-9 (West 3-5, Wilson 0-1, Walker 0-1, Woodard 0-2), St. Francis 4-20 (Dixon 2-9, Anderson 1-3, Hilvert 1-7, Weir 0-1). Rebounds—Villanova 38 (Taylor 9), St. Francis 34 (Anderson 7). Assists—Villanova 12 (Wilson 8), St. Francis 10 (Dixon 4). Total fouls—Villanova 18, St. Francis 18. A—3,900.

At Gainesville, Fla.
SIENA (67)
Mo.Brown 5-16 2-2 16, Robinson 6-20 0-0 17, Henderson 2-2 0-0 4, McCoy 1-5 2-3 4, Huerter 6-17 2-3 18, Fleury 0-1 0-0 0, Downey 2-2 1-1 5, Mi.Brown 1-4 1-2 3. Totals 23-69 8-11 67.
FLORIDA (71)
Lett 4-9 6-9 16, Ramos 5-8 1-3 11, Davis 7-10 6-10 20, Chatman 6-11 3-11 15, Garcia 2-5 1-6 5, Hogan 1-5 1-2 4. Totals 25-49 18-41 71.
Halftime—Siena 42, Florida 33. 3-Point Goals—Siena 13-35 (Robinson 5-13, Mo.Brown 4-11, Huerter 4-11), Florida 3-12 (Lett 2-4, Hogan 1-4, Davis 0-1, Chapman 0-1, Garcia 0-2). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Siena 33 (Henderson, McCoy 8), Florida 41 (Davis 16). Assists—Siena 3 (Brown 2), Florida 6 (Lett, Garcia 2). Total fouls—Siena 29, Florida 15. A—8,212.

## NBA

EASTERN CONFERENCE
Atlantic Division

| | W | L | Pct. | GB |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Philadelphia | 10 | 5 | .667 | — |
| New York | 9 | 5 | .643 | ½ |
| Boston | 8 | 7 | .533 | 2 |
| New Jersey | 7 | 9 | .438 | 3½ |
| Washington | 4 | 7 | .364 | 4 |
| Charlotte | 3 | 10 | .231 | 6 |

Central Division

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Detroit | 11 | 3 | .786 | — |
| Cleveland | 8 | 3 | .727 | 1½ |
| Atlanta | 8 | 6 | .571 | 3 |
| Milwaukee | 6 | 5 | .545 | 3½ |
| Chicago | 6 | 8 | .429 | 5 |
| Indiana | 2 | 12 | .143 | 9 |

WESTERN CONFERENCE
Midwest Division

| | W | L | Pct. | GB |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Dallas | 9 | 4 | .692 | — |
| Denver | 9 | 4 | .692 | — |
| Utah | 9 | 4 | .692 | — |
| Houston | 9 | 6 | .600 | 1 |
| San Antonio | 5 | 8 | .385 | 4 |
| Miami | 0 | 12 | .000 | 8½ |

Pacific Division

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| L.A. Lakers | 10 | 3 | .769 | — |
| Portland | 7 | 7 | .500 | 3½ |
| Golden State | 6 | 7 | .462 | 4 |
| Phoenix | 6 | 7 | .462 | 4 |
| Seattle | 6 | 7 | .462 | 4 |
| L.A. Clippers | 6 | 8 | .429 | 4½ |
| Sacramento | 2 | 9 | .182 | 7 |

Wednesday's Games
Boston 133, New Jersey 100
Philadelphia 114, Portland 106
San Antonio 105, Miami 101
Detroit 114, Indiana 111
Houston 101, Dallas 89
Utah 107, Chicago 93
L.A. Lakers 110, Seattle 106
New York 135, L.A. Clippers 128, OT
Thursday's Games
Philadelphia at Charlotte, 6:30 p.m.
Washington at Atlanta, 6:30 p.m.
Cleveland at Milwaukee, 7:30 p.m.
Denver at Sacramento, 9:30 p.m.

## NHL

WALES CONFERENCE
Patrick Division

| | W | L | T | Pts | GF | GA |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| NY Rangers | 14 | 8 | 3 | 31 | 104 | 88 |
| Pittsbgh | 14 | 10 | 0 | 28 | 115 | 108 |
| Washington | 12 | 11 | 2 | 26 | 92 | 91 |
| Phila | 10 | 16 | 1 | 21 | 100 | 103 |
| New Jersey | 8 | 12 | 4 | 20 | 77 | 96 |
| NY Islanders | 7 | 15 | 2 | 16 | 75 | 99 |

Adams Division

| | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Montreal | 15 | 9 | 3 | 33 | 109 | 94 |
| Boston | 11 | 9 | 5 | 27 | 90 | 76 |
| Buffalo | 11 | 12 | 2 | 24 | 93 | 102 |
| Hartford | 9 | 13 | 1 | 19 | 78 | 88 |
| Quebec | 8 | 16 | 2 | 18 | 92 | 121 |

CAMPBELL CONFERENCE
Norris Division

| | W | L | T | Pts | GF | GA |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Detroit | 13 | 7 | 4 | 30 | 97 | 89 |
| Toronto | 11 | 13 | 1 | 23 | 86 | 97 |
| St. Louis | 8 | 10 | 4 | 20 | 73 | 84 |
| Minnesota | 7 | 13 | 4 | 18 | 79 | 98 |
| Chicago | 6 | 16 | 4 | 16 | 102 | 128 |

Smythe Division

| | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Calgary | 16 | 4 | 4 | 36 | 104 | 60 |
| Edmonton | 15 | 8 | 3 | 33 | 115 | 98 |
| Los Ang | 16 | 9 | 0 | 32 | 133 | 103 |
| Vancouver | 11 | 12 | 5 | 27 | 93 | 86 |
| Winnipeg | 9 | 8 | 4 | 22 | 86 | 84 |

Wednesday's Games
Montreal 6, Hartford 3
Buffalo 6, Quebec 2
Pittsburgh 6, Washington 4
Edmonton 4, Vancouver 2
Thursday's Games
Minnesota at Boston, 6:35 p.m.
Montreal at Philadelphia, 6:35 p.m.
Quebec at Detroit, 6:35 p.m.
New York Islanders at St. Louis, 7:35 p.m.
New York Rangers at Calgary, 8:35 p.m.
Toronto at Los Angeles, 9:35 p.m.
Friday's Games
Hartford at Buffalo, 6:35 p.m.
Vancouver at Winnipeg, 7:35 p.m.
Calgary at Edmonton, 8:35 p.m.

## Harrah's Odds

RENO, Nev. (AP) — Odds from Harrah's Reno Race & Sports Book on upcoming National Football League games and college games involving teams in the Associated Press' Top Twenty.

NFL
Sunday
Buffalo 7 over Tampa Bay
Cincinnati 13 over San Diego
New England 3½ over Seattle
Cleveland 11 over Dallas
Detroit 3 over Green Bay
New York Giants 4 over Phoenix
Miami vs Indianapolis, even
Philadelphia 3½ over Washington
San Francisco 7 over Atlanta
Minnesota 4 over New Orleans
Los Angeles Raiders 3 over Denver
Kansas City 1 over New York Jets
Houston 10 over Pittsburgh
Monday
Los Angeles Rams 2 over Chicago

## Tennis

NEW YORK (AP) — Results Wednesday in the opening round of round robin play at the $750,000 Masters tennis tournament, being held at Madison Square Garden (seedings in parentheses):

First Round
Round Robin
Boris Becker (4), West Germany, def. Mats Wilander (1), Sweden, 7-6 (9-7), 6-7 (1-7), 6-1.
Andre Agassi (3), Las Vegas, def. Tim Mayotte (7), Boston, 6-2, 6-4.
Henri Leconte (8), France, def. Stefan Edberg (5), Sweden, 6-4, 6-2.

## Sunland Park

SUNLAND PARK, N.M. (AP) — Here are the results of Wednesday's horse racing at Sunland Park horse racetrack. Races 11 through 13 were simulcast from Hollywood Park and races 14 through 16 were simulcast from the Meadowlands.

First — 350 yards; Johnny Doe 38.80, 11.20, 4.40; Flamboyan 4.00, 3.20. Bright Bunny Boone 3.20. T — 17.95.
Quiniela — $16.60.
Second — 440 yards; Favorite School Mate 5.40, 3.20, 2.80; Yarrum 4.40, 3.20; Our Will 3.00. T — 22.46.
Daily Double — $51.80.
Quiniela — $13.20.
Exacta — $17.80.
Third — 5½ furlongs; Paso Jem 24.60, 8.80, 3.80; Charlie's Princess 6.40, 3.60; Sally's Chiclet 2.80. T — 1:08.3.
First Half Twin Trifecta — $118.60.
Fourth — 5½ furlongs; Gray Princess 5.60, 3.60, 4.60; Walk That Walk 5.80, 6.40; Perfect Johnson 14.00. T — 1:07.3.
Second Half Twin Trifecta — No winner. Carry over — $7,224.00.
Quiniela — $20.20.
Exacta — $26.40.
Fifth — 1,000 yards; Easy Coins 8.80, 4.00, 4.60; Joshua Ira 5.60, 3.60; Sparkling Bid 4.60. T — 53.42.
Quiniela — $69.60.
Trifecta — $494.20.
Sixth — 6½ furlongs; Rosey Velvet 27.60, 7.40, 5.20; Decent Ego 3.20, 3.00; Dan's Sidekick 5.00. T — 1:20.3.
Seventh — 350 yards; Chargin Oak 11.00, 6.40, 4.60; Toro Jag 54.40, 13.80; Six Springs Baby 4.60. T 18.17.
Quiniela — $268.40.
Exacta — $242.80.
Big Q — $2,855.00.
Eighth — 1 mile; Think Draconic 9.80, 7.20, 5.20; Sparkingly 9.40, 5.60; Miss Yellowstone 5.20. T — 1:41.1.
Trifecta — $377.00.
Ninth — 1¼ mile; Viking Sheild 19.40, 8.40, 4.40; Rare Prince 4.80, 3.20; Soldier's Farewell 3.20. T — 1:39.1.
Exacta — $118.40.
Tenth — 5½ furlongs; Sierra Sadie 17.20, 6.80, 5.00; Dan's Lass 5.80, 4.00; Senorita Freckles 4.00. T — 1:05.
Trifecta — $326.80.
Eleventh — 6 furlongs; Bubbling Mdaxi 4.20, 2.40, 2.40; Bright Asset 2.60, 2.60; L.B.'s Launch 4.60. T — 1:10.
Quiniela — $7.00.
Exacta — $11.20.
Trifecta — $56.80.
Twelfth — 1 1-16 mile; White Mischief 40.20, 41.00, 9.20; Holly Donna 5.40, 4.00; Raku Polly 3.80. T — 1:41.2.
Quiniela — $176.40.
Exacta — $131.60.
Trifecta — $998.80.
Thirteenth — 1 mile; Mount Laguna 15.00, 6.40, 4.00; At The Ritz 9.20, 7.60; Angle Arc 3.20. T — 1:35.4.
Quiniela — $249.80.
Exacta — $508.60.
Trifecta — $3,868.60.
Fourteenth — 1 1-16 mile; Red Epson 9.20, 6.40, 3.80; Apple Moon 11.40, 3.20; Awesome Suzy 4.00. T — 1:46.1.
Quiniela — $76.20.
Exacta — $136.20.
Trifecta — $1,106.00.
Fifteenth — 6 furlongs; Watch My Magic 4.80, 2.40, 2.10; Trickle Up 2.60, 2.20; Side Line Lady 2.10. T — 1:11.2.
Quiniela — $13.00.
Exacta — $7.00.
Trifecta — $48.40.
Sixteenth — 1 mile; Crafty Dolly 24.00, 7.60, 3.40; One Fast Dance 4.20, 3.00; Miss Cee Gee 5.60. T — 1:42.4.
Quiniela — $37.20.
Exacta — $82.40.
Trifecta — $340.00.
Late Daily Double — $52.80.
Handle — $185,322.
Attendance — 1,243.

## Top 20 fared

How The Associated Press Top Twenty college basketball teams fared Wednesday:
1. Duke (3-0) beat East Carolina 95-46.
2. Michigan (3-0) did not play.
3. Georgetown (2-0) did not play.
4. Syracuse (5-0) did not play.
5. Oklahoma (2-1) did not play.
6. Iowa (2-0) did not play.
7. Illinois (2-0) did not play.
8. Missouri (4-1) did not play.
9. Nevada-Las Vegas (2-1) did not play.
10. North Carolina (4-1) did not play.
11. Arizona (1-0) beat New Mexico 80-67.
12. Georgia Tech (2-0) did not play.
13. Louisville (0-2) lost to Vanderbilt 65-62.
14. Florida State (2-0) did not play.
15. Ohio State (2-1) did not play.
16. North Carolina State (2-0) did not play.
17. Temple (0-0) did not play.
18. Villanova (2-1) beat St. Francis, Pa. 70-60.
19. Florida (3-1) beat Siena 71-67.
20. Tennessee (2-0) did not play.

## College Scores

EAST
Allegheny 74, Grove City 64
Boston U. 78, Massachusetts 76
Bowdoin 97, Maine Maritime 61
Brooklyn Col. 65, Winthrop 57
Bucknell 86, Duquesne 83
Clarion 64, Mercyhurst 61
Connecticut 75, Yale 44
Curry 72, Emerson 62
Delaware Val. 72, FDU-Madison 69
Elizabethtown 65, Albright 50
Elmira 51, Ithaca 46
FIT 57, N.Y. Tech 45
Fairmont St. 64, Indiana, Pa. 58
Franklin & Marshall 100, Gettysburg 75
Gannon 89, Edinboro 79
Glassboro St. 81, Montclair St. 71
Green Mountain 85, Albany Pharmacy 52
Holy Cross 90, Mount St. Mary's, Md. 82
Lehman 64, CCNY 55
Lycoming 75, Juniata 71
Mount St. Mary, N.Y. 70, New Paltz St. 59
Northeastern 78, Fairfield 70
Oneonta St. 72, Binghamton St. 65
Pittsburgh 75, Robert Morris 62
Potsdam St. 80, Iattsburgh St. 42
Princeton 43, Colgate 33
Ramapo 68, Rutgers-Newark 64
Rhode Island 88, Brown 82
Rochester 76, Johns Hopkins 71
Rochester Tech 83, Hamilton 81
Slippery Rock 95, St. Vincent 84
St. John's 86, Fairleigh Dickinson 55
St. Joseph's 89, Drexel 77
Staten Island 89, York, N.Y. 52
Stockton St. 65, Rutgers-Camden 49
Villanova 70, St. Francis, Pa. 60
W. Maryland 86, York, Pa. 67
W. Virginia Tech 61, Glenville St. 58
Wagner 86, St. Francis, NY 85
Williams 87, Norwich 49
Worcester St. 72, E. Connecticut 69
Worcester Tech 95, Babson 86
SOUTH
Albany, Ga. 89, West Georgia 82
Appalachian St. 95, Liberty 77
Belmont Abbey 53, Coker 50
Bethel, Tenn. 80, Tennessee St. 74
Bridgewater,Va. 73, Otterbein 53
Duke 95, East Carolina 46
E. Kentucky 95, W. Va. Wesleyn 85
E. Tennessee St. 109, Bluefield Coll. 77
Florida 71, Siena 67
Gardner-Webb 71, Guilford 68
Henderson St. 84, Tenn.-Martin 80
Jackson St. 127, Miles 90
Lincoln Memorial 80, North Georgia 69
Marshall 111, South Alabama 110
McNeese St. 79, Tn.-Chattanooga 66
Mercer 97, Fort Valley St. 56
Mississippi 97, NW Louisiana 81
Morehead St. 107, Campbellsville 73
Morehouse 99, Fisk 76
N. Kentucky 89, Wilmington, Ohio 57
N.C. Central 66, N. Carolina A&T 54
North Alabama 73, Athens St. 53
Oral Roberts 100, LSU 96
Radford 91, California, Pa. 70
S. Mississippi 69, NE Louisiana 57
SE Missouri 68, Delta St. 66
Salisbury St. 91, Wesley 65
Shaw 82, Elizabeth City St. 79
Shenandoah 94, Marymount, Va. 77
Stetson 79, Bethune-Cookman 68
Vanderbilt 65, Louisville 62
Virginia 75, Arkansas 65
Wake Forest 56, Davidson 47
Wingate 81, Mars Hill 75
Wofford 68, Pembroke St. 67
MIDWEST
Alma 110, Aquinas 102
Avila 73, Westminster, Mo. 67
Baldwin-Wallace 71, Bethany,W.Va. 64
Beloit 95, Concordia, Ill. 93, 2OT
Bowling Green 91, Defiance 67
Capital 71, Ashland 60
Cent. Missouri 56, Rockhurst 45
Dayton 82, Miss. Valley St. 61
DePaul 66, Maine 46
DePauw 66, Earlham 55
Elmhurst 94, Judson 90
Grand Rapids Baptist 104, Orchard Lake St. Mary's 99
Grand Valley St. 114, Tri-State 69
Grand View 76, Mount Mercy 60
Heidelberg 59, Findlay 54
Illinois Wesleyn 75, Wabash 70
John Carroll 93, Marietta 85
Kansas St. 86, Utah St. 67
Kent St. 60, Niagara 59
Michigan St. 77, Nebraska 75
Missouri Val. 74, Columbia, Mo. 73
Moody Bible 84, N. Cent. Bible 75
Muskingum 57, Kenyon 49
NE Missouri 83, Eureka 64
NW Missouri St. 82, Pittsburg St. 58
Northwestern, Iowa 101, Buena Vista 73
Ohio Wesleyn 70, Ohio Northern 50
Peru St. 78, Dana 71
Quincy 84, Culver-Stockton 71
Rose-Hulman 71, Blackburn 64
S. Illinois 77, Evansville 71
Saginaw Val. St. 78, Spring Arbor 62
Shawnee St. 83, Urbana 78
Siena Heights 76, Wayne, Mich. 71
W. Illinois 71, Texas Wesleyan 43
Wayne, Neb. 77, Mo. Western 76
Wheaton 78, Aurora 70
Wis.-Green Bay 75, N. Illinois 65
Wis.-Milwaukee 84, Lake Superior St. 70

## Suspended

Players currently under suspension by the NFL for violating the league's substance abuse act and the date they are eligible to return to the team:
Tony Collins, RB, Indianapolis, minimum one-year suspension
Doug Smith, NT, Houston, Dec. 10
Hal Garner, LB, Buffalo, Dec. 10
Mark Duper, WR, Miami, Dec. 29
Victor Scott, DB, Dallas, Dec. 29

Players who have completed 30-day suspensions
Dexter Manley, DE, Washington
Doug Dubose, RB, San Francisco
Kevin Gogan, OL, Dallas
Richard Reed, DL, Denver
Robb Riddick, RB, Buffalo
Pat Saindon, OL, Atlanta
Greg Townsend, DE, Los Angeles Raiders
Lawrence Taylor, LB, New York Giants
Emanuel King, LB, Cincinnati
Daryl Smith, CB, Cincinnati
Terry Taylor, CB, Seattle
Bruce Smith, DE, Buffalo
John Taylor, WR, San Francisco
Calvin Thomas, RB, Chicago
x-Richard Dent, DE, Chicago
Charles White, RB, Los Angeles Rams
Leonard Mitchell, OT, Atlanta
Antonio Gibson, S, New Orleans
Mike Bell, DE, Kansas City
x-Dent was suspended Sept. 7 for refusing to submit to a drug test but won an appeal of the suspension.

## Women's Scores

EAST
Alfred 56, Geneseo 45
Allegheny 74, Grove City 47
Bloomsburg 89, N.Y. Tech 39
Bridgeport 62, C.W. Post 59
Columbia 88, NYU 40
Drexel 80, Loyola, Md. 59
Frostburg St. 118, Wesley 59
Gannon 93, Daemen 70
George Washington 55, Georgetown 41
Gordon 81, Wentworth 31
Hofstra 85, Long Island U. 67
Ithaca 54, Scranton 48
Johns Hopkins 63, Rochester 56
Kings, Pa. 81, Marywood 69
Lehigh 80, Penn 74
Lycoming 82, Juniata 60
Mercyhurst 88, Penn St.-Behrend 65
Middlebury 102, Trinity, Conn. 10
Phila. Textile 81, Dowling 41
Pitt.-Johnstown 90, Clarion 69
Pittsburgh 74, Penn State 70
Providence 94, Holy Cross 91, OT
St. Vincent 76, Waynesburg 61
Utica 76, Elmira 57
Williams 98, Colby 30
SOUTH
Auburn 96, Southern U. 63
Duke 93, East Carolina 60
Georgia Southern 82, Liberty 62
Lenoir-Rhyne 63, High Point 60
Maryland 83, American U. 38
Marshall 78, E. Kentucky 63
Mississippi 74, NE Louisiana 71, OT
N.C.-Wilmington 77, E. Tennessee St. 64
Pfeiffer 82, St. Andrews 41
SE Louisiana 103, Tougaloo 47
Vanderbilt 97, Austin Peay 30
W. Kentucky 89, Illinois St. 60
MIDWEST
Bowling Green 88, Akron 60
Concordia, Ill. 75, Graceland 74
Mount Mercy 86, Grand View 77, OT
Oakland, Mich. 73, Heidelberg 54
Shawnee St. 76, Urbana 65
SOUTHWEST
Austin Col. 73, Texas Coll. 70
N. Texas St. 60, Texas A&M 53
Prairie View 91, Huston-Tillotson 80
FAR WEST
Azusa Pacific 79, Redlands 64

## Transactions

BASEBALL
American League
KANSAS CITY ROYALS—Signed Bob Boone, catcher, to a one-year contract.
National League
LOS ANGELES DODGERS—Named Claude Osteen minor league pitching coach and Camilo Pascual scout.
Northwest League
SPOKANE INDIANS—Named Bruce Bochy manager.
FOOTBALL
National Football League
NFL—Suspended Mark Duper, Miami Dolphins' wide receiver, and Victor Scott, Dallas Cowboys' defensive back, for 30 days for violating the league's substance abuse policy. Suspended Mark Brown, Miami Dolphins' defensive lineman, for one game for a late hit in last Sunday's game against the New York Jets.
DETROIT LIONS—Named Mouse Davis offensive coach.
INDIANAPOLIS COLTS—Signed Keith Taylor, defensive back.
KANSAS CITY CHIEFS—Announced the reinstatement of Paul Palmer, running back, after he had been suspended last weekend for "conduct detrimental" to the team. Placed Mike Stensrud, nose tackle, on injured reserve. Signed Don Thorp, defensive lineman.
LOS ANGELES RAIDERS—Resigned Vince Evans, quarterback. Signed Mike Freeman, offensive lineman. Released Keith Baldwin, defensive end. Placed John Gesek, offensive lineman, on injured reserve.

## Foster strokes ace

From Staff Reports

Gerald Foster of Midland recently shot a hole-in-one on the par-three second hole at Green Tree Country Club. He used a nine-iron.

Playing partners were Doug Parsons and Robert Foster.

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## Football Picks '88

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Mark your choice for winners with "X"
(Selections must be complete for all games.)

| | |
|---|---|
| 1. ☐ Army | ☐ Navy |
| 2. ☐ Dallas | ☐ Cleveland |
| 3. ☐ Green Bay | ☐ Detroit |
| 4. ☐ Chicago | ☐ LA Rams |
| 5. ☐ San Francisco | ☐ Atlanta |
| 6. ☐ New Orleans | ☐ Minnesota |
| 7. ☐ Buffalo | ☐ Tampa Bay |
| 8. ☐ Washington | ☐ Philadelphia |
| 9. ☐ Phoenix | ☐ N. Y. Giants |
| 10. ☐ Denver | ☐ LA Raiders |
| 11. ☐ Indianapolis | ☐ Miami |
| 12. ☐ Seattle | ☐ New England |
| 13. ☐ San Diego | ☐ Cincinnati |
| 14. ☐ N. Y. Jets | ☐ Kansas City |
| 15. ☐ Pittsburg | ☐ Houston |

**TIE BREAKERS:** Army-Navy _____ Combined Points
Cowboys-Browns _____ Combined Points

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# Becker zips past top seed Wilander

**Tennis**

NEW YORK (AP) — Boris Becker is the Nolan Ryan of tennis. When his fastball is on target, he's hard to beat.

Becker proved it again Wednesday night when he upset top-seeded Mats Wilander 7-6 (9-7), 6-7 (1-7), 6-1 at the Masters. The West German had 13 aces and 18 service winners, and lost only three points when he got his first serve in.

"I was very keyed up to play tonight because Mats is the number one player in the world," Becker said. "He's the man to beat."

Becker is seeded fourth at the Masters, but he's the hottest player on the tour. Since losing to Henri Leconte at the French Open, he has won 30 of 32 matches and four tournaments.

"I've changed my whole approach since the French Open," Becker said. "I used to lose not because the other guy was beating me but because I was beating myself. Now I don't give my opponents anything."

The old Boris might have self-destructed after making three unforced errors and double-faulting twice in the second tiebreaker. The mistakes triggered screaming and racket-slamming outbursts by Becker, but he regained his composure and routed Wilander in the final set.

"It was very difficult to come back (after losing the second set)," Becker said. "I was under pressure and he was playing very well. But I didn't lose my nerve."

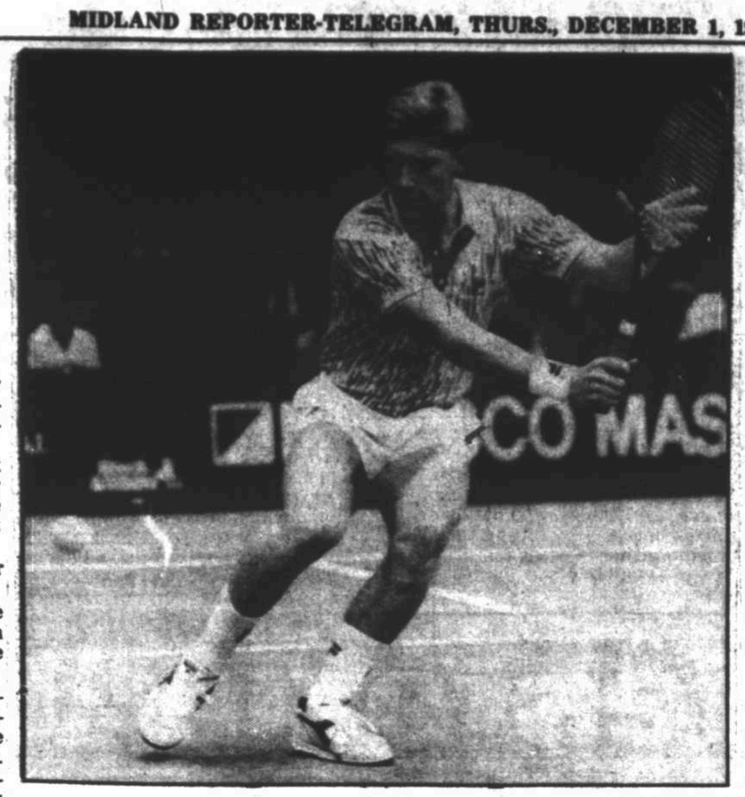
Wilander, now 0-3 against Becker at the Masters, agreed.

"He played better than me on the big points," the Swede said. "When he had chances, he took advantage of them."

In other matches, third-seeded Andre Agassi beat No. 7 Tim Mayotte 6-2, 6-4 and eighth-seeded Leconte downed No. 5 Stefan Edberg 6-4, 6-2.

The round-robin tournament continues tonight, with Becker playing Edberg, second-seeded Ivan Lendl meeting No. 6 Jakob Hlasek and Wilander facing Leconte.

The eight players are divided into two groups.



AP Laserphoto

Boris Becker returns a shot to Mats Wilander during the Nabisco Masters tennis tournament in New York.

# Sanders puts record quest second to Tech

TOKYO (AP) — Oklahoma State running back Barry Sanders already has rewritten the record book this year, and with one more regular-season game to go — to be played Sunday here in Japan — promises to grab a few more entries.

But both Sanders and Coach Pat Jones say their main concern is beating Texas Tech.

"The object of the game is not to break records," Sanders said after arriving in Tokyo Wednesday night with the two weary-looking teams.

"It (setting records) was one of the things that happened this year. But basically we just try to win games," he said.

With one game to go, Sanders already has set more than a dozen NCAA records this year, including most single-season touchdowns (35), most all-purpose yards (2,897) and most 300-plus rushing games in a career (three, all this season).

Many believe he also has the inside track to this year's Heisman Trophy — which will be announced just a few hours before Sunday's game.

"I think he's got it won right now — I think it's over with," Coach Jones said.

CBS television, which plans to carry the Heisman Award ceremony live from New York Saturday, has made arrangements to interview Sanders in Tokyo early Sunday morning, Japan time, should he win. The announcement is expected to made at 5:50 p.m. EST.

Among records likely to fall on Sunday is Marcus Allen's season-rushing total of 2,342 yards, a mere 47 yards more than Sanders' current mark.

"We're coming over here obviously to win a football game," Jones said. "But I think it's safe to assume that he'll get yards. He has on everybody else."

Oklahoma State quarterback Mike Gundy ranks No. 2 in the nation in passing efficiency, and a first-place finish after Sunday's game could give the team both top-rushing and top-passing honors.

"We're not going out there to try to do things statistically, but if that happens, it happens," Jones said.

Oklahoma State ranks 13th in the Associated Press poll with an 8-2 record.

Texas Tech, which is 5-5 this season, leads the series 11-7-3 but this will be the teams' first meeting in 13 years.

# NBC executive hopes for big haul on Jan. 2

**TV Sports**

NEW YORK (AP) — Michael Weisman isn't bashful when he talks about how NBC will do on Jan. 2.

"I predict we'll go one-two on Bowl Day," the executive producer of NBC Sports said Wednesday.

NBC has the Fiesta Bowl between No. 1 Notre Dame and No. 3 West Virginia at 5 p.m. EST followed by the Orange Bowl between No. 3 Miami and No. 6 Nebraska.

Everything fell into place Saturday when Notre Dame beat Southern California 27-10. If the Trojans had won, their Rose Bowl matchup with No. 11 Michigan would have become the most important game.

"I sat in front of the TV set pretty much dressed in green, which is pretty unusual for a Jewish kid from New York," Weisman said. "You could have called me Michael O'Weisman."

What makes the television bowl lineup even more interesting is that NBC, which broadcast the Rose Bowl for 37 years, gave up the game to ABC starting in 1989. NBC then moved the Fiesta Bowl to the 5 p.m. EST slot opposite the Rose.

NBC had agreed to pay $11.4 million for the 1989 Rose Bowl. After ABC got the contract for the game beginning in 1990, NBC sold the 1989 game to ABC. NBC is paying $3 million for the Fiesta Bowl. The switch turned out perfect for NBC.

"When NBC passed on the Rose Bowl and decided to put the Fiesta Bowl opposite, they certainly didn't expect in the first year to so overwhelm the Rose Bowl in impact," Weisman said.

The Rose Bowl was the first big bowl game, but its prestige has declined along with with Pac-10 and the Big Ten, whose champions meet in Pasadena. The last national champion from the Big Ten was Ohio State in 1968 and the last one from the Pac-10 was Southern Cal in 1972.

"In recent years, the Pac-10 hasn't had the strongest impact in the world," Weisman said. "In recent years, the Rose Bowl hasn't had teams of top-five prominence."

# Upshaw assails management plan

**NFL**

WASHINGTON (AP) — The NFL Management Council's latest proposal on free agency is meeting with skepticism by union chief Gene Upshaw, who called the plan "an outright lie."

The league's owners said Wednesday that 468 players will become unconditional free agents on Feb. 1 under a plan management says it will impose on that date if there is no other contract agreement.

The union, however, claims only 84 players would become unrestricted free agents under the proposal that was initially presented Nov. 17.

In an effort to break an impasse that has lasted well over a year, the Management Council two weeks ago offered two different plans to the union. Management said it would incorporate Plan B on Feb. 1 if the two sides could not reach a mutual agreement by then.

Under that proposal, each NFL team can protect 30 players — a certain amount at each position with the greatest amount of playing time; two quarterbacks, a punter, a kicker and a special teams player; all players with less than three years experience, and three "wild card" players not included in those categories.

Unlike the current collective bargaining agreement, a player would not have to be at the end of his contract to be exposed.

The difference in the interpretation of the proposal stems from a passage in the new plan that states all players under contract for the 1989 and 1990 seasons, as of Nov. 1 of this year, also can be protected.

The union, following those guidelines, figured only 84 fringe players would become true free agents on Feb. 1. Applying the rules to the present rosters, NFLPA researchers determined five teams would have no unprotected players and two clubs would have but one.

However, Management Council spokesman John Jones said Wednesday that his office earlier this week distributed a memo to the owners that stated those players under contract for 1989 and 1990 who did not fit into the other categories could be classified only as wild card players.

Under the plan, Jones said, the top 10 teams in the league can protect a maximum of 40 players, the middle nine teams can protect no more than 42 and the bottom nine clubs can protect only 44.

"No more than that, under any condition," Jones said.

That plan would protect 1,174 of the 1,642 players the management council said were under contract — including those on injured reserve or other non-playing lists.

Using that formula, Jones said 468 players would become unrestricted free agents on Feb. 1.

Upshaw was in San Francisco on Wednesday, discussing an unrelated arbitration issue with Management Council chief negotiator Jack Donlan. He said Donlan mentioned nothing about a new interpretation of the plan.

"It's all a public relations ploy," Upshaw said in a telephone interview. "They know they came out with a weak proposal, and now they're trying to recover.

"Donlan told me in September he wanted a two-year transition period, and this new revalation doesn't change the facts," Upshaw added.

Upshaw implied that management changed the proposal after it received bad press, saying, "They're trying to confuse the players and the public."

According to the union's interpretation of the proposal, the 84 players who would be unconditional free agents include 35 who have cleared waivers and 44 who have either been on, or are currently on, the injured reserve list.

Dallas, Houston, San Diego, Pittsburgh and Tampa Bay would have no unprotected players, and Washington and San Francisco would have but one player who would become an unrestricted free agent, the union maintains.

# Oilers seek to increase woe for Steeler punter

HOUSTON (AP) — The Houston Oilers punt return team has helped Pittsburgh punter Harry Newsome set an NFL record this season and Sunday they'll try to help him expand on it.

Newsome has had an NFL record six punts blocked this season, including two by the Oilers when the teams met earlier this year in Pittsburgh.

The Oilers and Steelers meet again Sunday night in the Astrodome and another blocked punt by the Oilers would give them an NFL record six blocked punts this season.

Newsome wants to keep the Oilers out of the record book.

"You think it is maybe one of the easier things to do, but it hasn't been," Newsome said. "People are starting to wonder and guess what's going on."

The Oilers think they know what's going on and they hope to take advantage of Newsome for the second time this year.

"With our mentality and the way Coach (Jerry) Glanville likes to do things, we're going to make it even tougher on a guy who's susceptible to getting blocked," Oilers linebacker Johnny Meads said.

Newsome leads the league with a 45.8 punting average on 52 punts but his blocked punts have encouraged opponents.

"We're all aware of the pressure (Newsome) is under, so we're going to jump on him early," special teamer Eugene Seale said. "He's susceptible to tightening up under pressure. I think he's a little hesitant in getting the ball off."

The record of 14 career blocked punts is held by Herman Weaver, who played 11 seasons for Detroit and Seattle.

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# Fletcher agrees to Ranger pact

ARLINGTON (AP) — Free agent shortstop Scott Fletcher has agreed in principle to a multi-year contract to return to the Texas Rangers, a deal that reportedly would make Fletcher the highest-paid player in franchise history.

Rangers officials announced Wednesday that Fletcher would sign a three-year contract with the club holding an option on the fourth year.

Other terms were not disclosed, but The Dallas Morning News reported it is believed Fletcher got the same deal he had been offered by the Philadelphia Phillies, which calls for an annual salary of $1.2 million with the Rangers being able to buy out the fourth year for $450,000. The club also reportedly gave in to Fletcher's request for a no-trade clause.

"The Rangers are very pleased to be able to come to terms with Scott Fletcher," said Tom Grieve, Rangers' vice president and general manager.

"Scott has been a fine player and an important part of the Rangers over the past three seasons and we are extremely happy that he will be returning to the ball club," Grieve said.

Pitcher Charlie Hough, in the midst of a long-term contract, has a base salary of $900,000 for 1989, with an additional $150,000 in incentives.

Before filing for free agency on Oct. 25, Fletcher had indicated he was looking for a three-year deal worth $2.7 million, which the Rangers offered just hours before he filed earlier.

Toronto, Montreal and Cleveland were among the teams to make offers, but earlier this week Fletcher narrowed his choices to Texas and Philadelphia.

"I'm somewhat disappointed," said Philadelphia General Manager Lee Thomas, who has made acquiring a good-hitting, good-fielding shortstop his top priority in rebuilding the Phillies.

# Yanks go for S. Africa gold strike

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — Three Americans hope to strike gold in the annual Million Dollar Challenge.

Chip Beck, Ken Green and Don Pooley are among a field shooting for golf's richest payout — a $1-million first prize.

They'll tee off today in the 72-hole tournament at the Sun City sports-and-gambling complex in the nominally independent homeland of Bophuthatswana.

The four-day event will be played on a 7,665-yard, par-72 course designed by South African golfer Gary Player.

Beck was runner-up on the PGA Tour's money-winning list in the United States this year and won two tournaments. Green also won twice in the United States and recently won the Dunlop Phoenix event in Japan.

Also in the field are the three most recent winners of this tournament — defending champion Ian Woosnam of Wales, 1986 winner Mark McNulty of South Africa, and 1985 champion Bernhard Langer of West Germany.

The favorite is another South African, David Frost, who won two tournaments on the PGA Tour and ranks ninth on the PGA's money-winning list.

Last year, when Woosnam edged fellow Briton Nick Faldo, the tournament used a winner-take-all formula, with only a $50,000 bonus for the daily low round on offer for the losers.

This year, in addition to the huge first prize, there will be prizes for all other competitors, ranging from $200,000 for the runner-up to $50,000 for the last-place finisher. The total purse is $1.65 million.

The Million Dollar Challenge has been held annually since 1982, but last year marked the first time that the winner's check reached that total. Previously, a $1-million purse was divided among the entrants, with the first prize ranging from $300,000 to $500,000.

Sun City, situated in the crater of an ancient volcano, features a large casino, Las Vegas-style shows and soft-core sex films, as well as a wildlife preserve adjoining the golf course.

South Africa considers Bophuthatswana independent, but it is not recognized abroad.

# TCU slips past Gents

Associated Press

Texas Christian coach Moe Iba says it wasn't pretty, but the Horned Frogs will take their victory over non-conference foe Centenary.

John Lewis and Danny Hughes scored 16 points each Wednesday night to lead TCU to a 66-60 victory over Centenary.

In other non-conference games involving SWC games, Rice defeated Alcorn State, 107-74, Arkansas-Little Rock defeated Houston, 100-67 and Virginia beat Arkansas, 75-65.

Iba compared the Frogs' efforts against Centenary as "pulling teeth."

"It wasn't very pretty," Iba said. "We struggled all night."

TCU is now 2-2 while Centenary dropped to 1-2.

Kenneth Rourke scored 18 points to lead the Rice Owls to a 107-74 victory over Alcorn State. It was the first time the Owls had scored more than 100 points in a game since the 1981 season.

Andy Gilchrist added 14 points for the Owls and teammates Chip Scott and Greg Priceeach added 12.

Rice and Alcorn State now each have 1-2 records.

Johnnie Bell scored 28 points to lead Arkansas-Little Rock to a 100-67 victory over SWC pre-season favorite Houston.

Trojans Coach Mike Newell said he realized that one game would not make their season, but he said the easy victory shows "we've got something special."

Craig Upchurch scored 22 points for the Cougars.

"Houston's got a good ball club. I don't want to take anything away from them," Newell said. "But, I'm telling you, we're pretty good. I've been trying to tell people that."

Richard Morgan scored 21 points to lead the Virginia Cavaliers to a 75-65 victory over the Arkansas Razorbacks.

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# Two Cranes earn volleyball kudos

From Staff Reports

Alpine dominated the District 8-3A volleyball all-star team, but Crane's Monica Allen and Celina Garcia managed to earn first-team recognition.

Crane's Cathy Carnes was named to the second team.

Here is a list of the all-district team:

**First Team**

Rosita Molinar, Paula Rodriguez, Gloria Valenzuela, Mary Pallanez and Gracie Villanueva, Alpine; Regina Versoza, Kermit; Monica Allen, Celina Garcia, Crane.

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Cathy Carner, Crane; Janel Reed, Andrea Hext and Christy Rojo, Alpine.


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**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1988**

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE:** New opportunities for advancement and extra money may seem limited now, but the situation is only temporary. The financial outlook takes an upturn in February or March. June is favored for tying the knot! Relationships grow when couples begin talking more. Reach out for life's richest experiences. Career prospects improve when you begin to stretch yourself.

**CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE:** conductor Milton DeLugg, journalist Hy Gardner, Gen. Alexander Haig, publisher Randolph Hearst, actress Julie Harris, artist Georges Seurat.

AIRES (March 21-April 19): Leave nothing to chance today. Do everything you can to enhance your image. Showcase your leadership skills and your stock will rise at work. You are more ambitious than in the past.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): You may have to spend some money to make money today. Travel is favored. Mutual trust and respect are essential to a good relationship. Do not forget it! Fire the coals of romance.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Preventive medicine can save you trouble and money later on. Do not be too coy with members of the opposite sex or they could go elsewhere. It is time to put down some roots.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): You have a chance to do something nice for yourself. Do it! Make home improvements now and you can save money. Your values give you an important yardstick many people do not have.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Think about business if considering a career change. Your practicality is a big plus! An emotional matter involving the past may come up for review. Be prepared to deal with it fully.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Your inventive mind has hit upon a new plan to save money. Higher-ups are impressed and could reward you with a bonus. A former love tries to make you feel guilty.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Good luck comes to you in a creative field. Salespeople, writers and investors should do especially well. Use your social skills to gain power. Reveal your romantic plans to your parents.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): You win an important point in negotiations. Be more flexible if you want true peace. Do not follow the rules. An older person receives an unexpected check. A mistake is overlooked.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Train yourself to "think positive." Stop putting yourself down. An athletic or literary contest will help rebuild your confidence. Money comes when you make the right choice. Romance is thrilling. Avoid making demands.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Be especially careful not to hurt other people's feelings. Clinch a business transaction by becoming slightly more assertive. A good day for seeking favors or loans. Romance improves.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): The results of a poor financial decision are best kept under wraps. Do not move too quickly where a business or marital partnership is concerned. You need time to think things through.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Try to steer clear of gossipy people. They could have a chip on their shoulder. Money is available for education or a partnership, but there could be strings attached. Remain independent.

## GOREN BRIDGE

BY CHARLES GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF

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### GO FOR THE QUICK TRICK

Both vulnerable. North deals.

NORTH
♠ A K Q J
♡ 6 3
◇ A K 10 6 5
♣ A Q

WEST
♠ 8 6 3
♡ Q 10 7 5 2
◇ Q
♣ K 8 4 2

EAST
♠ 10 7 5
♡ K J 9 4
◇ J 9 8
♣ 7 6 3

SOUTH
♠ 9 4 2
♡ A 8
◇ 7 4 3 2
♣ J 10 9 5

The bidding:

| North | East | South | West |
|---|---|---|---|
| 2 ◇ | Pass | 2 NT | Pass |
| 3 ♠ | Pass | 3 NT | Pass |
| Pass | Pass | | |

Opening lead: Five of ♡

It is difficult to solve a problem if you don't know that one exists. If that sounds somewhat paradoxical, read on.

There is little about the bidding that appeals to us. North's demand bid of two diamonds is a stretch, although we concede that his is not an easy hand to bid. South's decision to rebid three no trump rather than take a diamond preference is a mystery to us. Observe that, as the cards lie, six diamonds makes (declarer wins the heart opening, cashes two high trumps and four spades, discarding dummy's losing heart, then takes the club finesse).

South's play matched his bidding. He won the heart opening lead and now had to run nine tricks before the opponents gained the lead, since they were poised to run off at least four more heart tricks. He cashed the ace-king of diamonds, but when that suit didn't break he was stuck in dummy and could collect no more than eight tricks.

It is a natural tendency to go after your long suit first and, had there been another entry to South's hand, he would have been right to tackle diamonds first in case the suit did split evenly.

However, a 2-2 diamond break is only a 40 percent chance. The alternative is a club finesse, which is a 50 percent shot. Since declarer is in his hand for the first and last time at trick one, he should lead a club to the queen. When that succeeds, he has boosted his total tricks to nine.

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

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3 UNSCRAMBLE LETTERS

SCRAM-LETS ANSWERS

Emblem — Merge — Knell — Venous — NEVER BEEN

I was describing my stay at a large amusement park. My niece exclaimed, "That's my favorite place that I've NEVER BEEN to!"

MARMADUKE




"Do we have a dog? *Boy!* Do we have a dog!"

FAMILY CIRCUS




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# PEOPLE

## 'Strait shooter' fails to pass buck, racks up big kill in south Texas county

COTULLA (AP) — Country music star **George Strait** could add another prize to his collection after bagging a whitetail deer with unusually large antlers.



Strait

"This is not just something you throw out in the garage for 20 years then you throw out with the trash. This is a trophy, it will be like a family heirloom someday," **LaSalle County Sheriff Darwin Avant** said Wednesday.

Strait shot a buck with 14-point antlers on Thanksgiving Day. The rack measured 18 inches across, officials said.

The animal was measured in LaSalle County, about 60 miles southwest of San Antonio, for the Los Casadores Trophy Whitetail Deer Contest, which continues through the end of the year.

"In my estimation, this will probably be the deer with the biggest rack that's killed in Texas this year," Avant said.

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MONROE, Mich. (AP) — Miss America 1987 **Kaye Lani Rae Rafko** says she is engaged to a 26-year-old computer analyst she met five years ago in a strawberry patch.

The 25-year-old nurse, whose reign ended in September, said Monday she plans to marry **Chuck Wilson** next August and settle somewhere between Ann Arbor and Monroe, Rafko's hometown 25 miles south of Detroit.

"He's my best friend in the whole world," said Rafko. "He treats me like a lady."

The Monroe man met his bride-to-be in 1983 while she was picking strawberries at a farm where he worked. For Wilson, it was love at first sight, although he waited until Nov. 21 of this year to pop the question.

Rafko said she was equally smitten but needed a little prodding from her mother.

"She said, 'Why don't you go over and talk to him?' " Rafko recalled. "I ended up going back three times that day to pick strawberries and I gave him my phone number. He was just real special."

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BUENA PARK, Calif. (AP) — Actor **James Stewart** unveiled a wax likeness of himself at the Movieland Wax Musuem, calling the paraffin tribute "a great thrill."



Stewart

The reproduction unveiled Wednesday depicts Stewart as he appeared in the 1954 Alfred Hitchcock classic "Rear Window," in which the actor's wheelchair-confined character witnesses a murder.

"Someone said, and I guess it's true, that 'What you were really playing in that picture was a peeping Tom,' " the 80-year-old Stewart said. "That's exactly what I was doing.

"This is a great thrill for me and an honor to be part of this wax museum that has been part of the entertainment industry for many years."

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HERNANDO, Miss. (AP) — Santa will get a little help from rock 'n' roller **Jerry Lee Lewis** when this town about 20 miles south of Memphis, Tenn., stages its Christmas parade Saturday.

Lewis, who has owned a rural residence near this town of about 3,000 residents since 1972, will serve as the parade's grand marshal, **Donna Greer**, director of the chamber of commerce, said recently.

The 53-year-old performer, his sixth wife, Kerrie, 25, and their 11-month-old son, Jerry Lee III, are scheduled to lead the parade in a red Corvette convertible.

A security guard will follow in another vehicle. Santa will come later on a float.

Mrs. Lewis said she wanted to participate in the parade to let people in the area know she and her husband want to be good neighbors.

"Now, hopefully they won't think we're snobs anymore," Mrs. Lewis said. "Actually we're probably more boring than anybody else."

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PITTSBURGH (AP) — Mayor **Sophie Masloff** hasn't formally announced she is running for election next year, but she told actor **Ed Asner** anyway.

Asner, in Pittsburgh to perform in the Broadway-bound comedy "Born Yesterday," visited the mayor Tuesday in her office.

"I'm running for re-election next year. The (primary) election's in May," Masloff told the actor.

Then, apparently catching herself, the mayor added, "I'm not allowed to say that. One of these days, I'm going to tell the world."

The 70-year-old Democrat became mayor after **Richard S. Caliguiri** died in May. She recently scheduled, then canceled, formal announcement of her candidacy.

Asner, who plays a rough-talking scrap dealer in "Born Yesterday," went into character when he met the mayor.

"You're the broad?" he said good-naturedly. "You're a lot classier broad than I thought. I think we can do business."

"You want a cut?" the mayor responded. "We don't do business that way in Pittsburgh. We're strictly honest, clean, squeaky clean."

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ANNAPOLIS, Md. (AP) — **Wally M. Schirra,** one of the first seven Mercury astronauts, says the United States no longer leads the world in space technology and should renew its commitment to space exploration.



Schirra Jr.

In an address at the U.S. Naval Academy Tuesday night, the former Navy captain called on the Bush administration to make building a space station the top priority of America's space program.

Such a station could serve as a port for manned and unmanned exploratory missions to other planets and their moons, said Schirra, 65.

Schirra, a 1946 academy graduate who is now a business executive, wore a "Beat Army" pin — the same message he carried on a placard during a 1965 Gemini mission. The annual Army-Navy football game is this weekend.

Schirra said the Skylab project marked the beginning of the decline of the U.S. space program. Budget cuts forced the National Aeronautics and Space Administration to allow Skylab to break up in orbit and no serious financial commitment has been made since, he said.

The former astronaut, speaking on the eve of the launching of the secret military shuttle Atlantis, said space shuttle missions have had "no place to go... They were just supposed to go into outer space and come home. We did that 25 years ago."

Schirra praised the Soviet Union's space program for its long-range goals.

# Evening TV Schedule

**THURSDAY DECEMBER 1, 1988**

| | KMID (2) Md/Od CABLE 3 | KOSA (7) Odessa CABLE 8 | KTPX (9) Odessa CABLE 9 | KPEJ (24) Md/Od CABLE 14 | FAM Family CABLE 4 | WTBS Atlanta CABLE 7 | SIN (45) Spanish CABLE 10 | WGN Chicago CABLE 11 | ESPN Sports CABLE 12 | KOCV (38) Odessa CABLE 13 | HSE Sports CABLE 20 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 4:00 | Donahue | Jeopardy! | Sup. Court | Jetsons | Big Valley | Munsters | Nina Bonita | C.O.P.S. | Tennis: Na- | Sq. 1 TV | NWA: Main Ev- |
| 4:30 | " | M*A*S*H | People's Court | DuckTales | " | Laverne | " | Fun House | bisco Masters | 3-2-1 Contact | ent |
| 5:00 | Cosby Show | Current Affair | News | Double Dare | Bonanza: The | Day at a Time | El Tesoro | Facts of Life | " | Sesame Street | Inside Tennis |
| 5:30 | ABC News | CBS News | NBC News | B. Hillbillies | Lost Episodes | 9 to 5 | Noticiero | WKRP | " | " | Inside Golf |
| 6:00 | News | News | News | Star Trek: | Our House | Andy Griffith | Mi Nombre es | Cheers | " | Humanities | TBA |
| 6:30 | Wheel-Fortune | Lose or Draw | USA Today | Next Gener. | " | Sanford & Son | Coraje | Night Court | " | Made in Texas | Outdoor Mag. |
| 7:00 | Knightwatch | 48 Hours | Cosby Show | Airwolf | Movie: "An- | Movie: "Never | Primavera | Movie: | " | MacNeil/ | Tennis: Mar- |
| 7:30 | " | " | Dif. World | " | zacs: The War | So Few" | " | "Gotcha!" | College Foot- | Lehrer | tina Navrati- |
| 8:00 | Dynasty | Paradise | Cheers | Movie: | Down Under" | " | El Extrano Re- | " | ball: Alabama | Mys./Sherlock | lova vs. Chris |
| 8:30 | " | " | Dear John | "Gotcha!" | " | " | torno | " | at Texas A&M | " | Evert |
| 9:00 | ABC News Spe- | Knots Landing | L.A. Law | " | 700 Club | " | Noticiero | News | " | South Ameri- | " |
| 9:30 | cial | " | " | " | " | Movie: "Race | America | INN News | " | can Journey | " |
| 10:00 | News | News | News | Bob Newhart | No Earthly | With the De- | Mala No- | Cheers | " | Upstairs, | Golf Journal |
| 10:30 | Cheers | Night Court | Tonight Show | Soap | Reason | vil" | che...No | Hill Street | SportsCenter | Downstairs | To Be An- |
| 11:00 | Ent. Tonight | Night Heat | " | Hawaii Five-0 | Paper Chase | " | Movie: | Blues | College Bas- | Old House | nounced |
| 11:30 | Nightline | " | David Letter- | " | " | Movie: "High | "Joven, Viuda | Movie: "The | ketball: Loyola | Humanities | " |
| 12:00 | News | "Johnnie Mae | man | Mannix | Straight Talk | Sierra" | y Estanciera" | Long Ships" | at Cal-Santa | Sign-Off | Sign-Off |
| 12:30 | Headline News | Gibson: FBI" | Bob Costas | " | " | " | America | " | Barbara | | |

| | SHOWTIME Mov/Spec CABLE 5 | TMC Movies CABLE 17 | DISNEY CABLE 18 | MAX Movies CABLE 21 | HBO Movies/Var CABLE 22 | TNN Country CABLE 23 | USA Variety CABLE 24 | NICK Children CABLE 25 | A&E Cultural CABLE 26 | TBN Religious CABLE 31 | TNT Turner Net CABLE 37 |
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| 4:00 | Has Seen the | " | Kids Inc. | " | A Christmas | " | Dance USA | Looney Tunes | Citadel | Praise the | " |
| 4:30 | Wind?" | " | Edison Twins | " | Carol | New Country | She Ra | Gadget | " | Lord | " |
| 5:00 | " | Movie: "Amer- | Movie: "Good | Movie: "Lost | " | Fandango | Fat Albert | Menace | Golden Age | Praise the | Muppets |
| 5:30 | The Snowman | ican Flyers" | Old Boy" | Command" | Movie: "Some- | Be a Star | Cartoons | Don't Sit | Travel Mag. | Lord | Bugs Bunny & |
| 6:00 | Movie: "Foul | " | " | " | thing Special" | Crook | Miami Vice | Can't on TV | Chronicle | Jerry Barnard | Pals |
| 6:30 | Play" | " | " | " | " | VideoCountry | " | Double Dare | Survival World | " | Fraggle Rock |
| 7:00 | " | Movie: "A | Best/Walt Dis- | Movie: | Movie: "Cry | Nashville Now | Murder, She | Mister Ed | Edge | Behind Scenes | Movie: "The |
| 7:30 | " | Prayer for the | ney Presents | "Where Eagles | Freedom" | " | Wrote | Patty Duke | Durrell | Dale Evans | Hunchback of |
| 8:00 | Movie: "The | Dying" | Movie: "Fid- | Dare" | " | " | Boxing | My 3 Sons | Rubinstein Re- | Dwight | Notre Dame" |
| 8:30 | Believers" | " | dler on the | " | " | New Country | " | Donna Reed | membered | Thompson | " |
| 9:00 | " | Movie: "Inva- | Roof" | " | " | Crook | " | Sat. Night | " | Praise the | " |
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| 10:00 | Movie: "Teen | " | " | Movie: "The | Inside the NFL | Be a Star | Miami Vice | Laugh-In | Good/Cafe | Praise the | Fallen Spar- |
| 10:30 | Wolf Too" | " | " | Killing Fields" | " | Amer. Mag. | " | Car 54 | Comedy Break | Lord | row" |
| 11:00 | " | Movie: "Blue | Movie: "How | " | Movie: | Nashville Now | Dragnet | Room/Daddy | Edge | Praise the | " |
| 11:30 | Movie: "Can't | Velvet" | Green Was My | " | "Slaughter | " | Edge of Night | Mister Ed | Durrell | Lord | Movie: "Way |
| 12:00 | Buy Me Love" | " | Valley" | " | High" | " | Edge of Night | Patty Duke | Rubinstein Re- | Behind Scenes | Back Home" |
| 12:30 | " | " | " | Htl-Hampshire | Thunder Alley | Old Cheyenne | Search Tom. | Sat. Night | membered | Jay Sekulow | " |

# DAILY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

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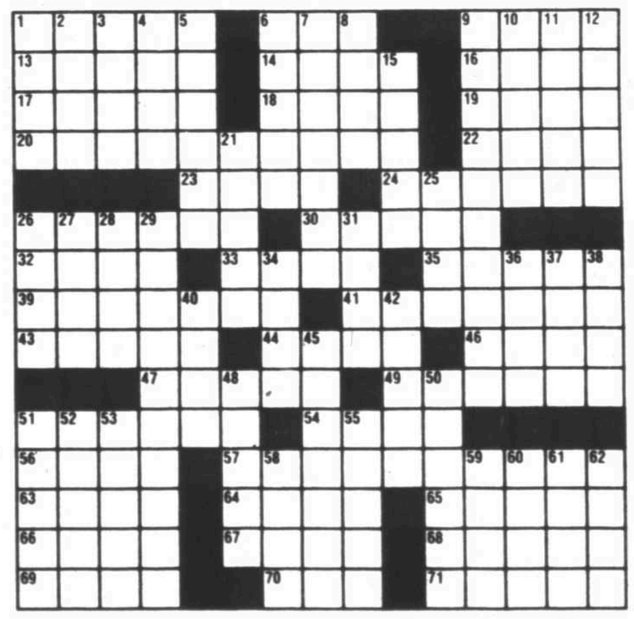
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3 Bath's river
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5 Luanda's site
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11 Metric measure
12 Nestlings' cries
15 Anglo-Saxon king: 46-55
21 Do detective's work
25 Wings, to Livy
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## Look to foreign trade says expert

### *Could increase revenues by 25 percent for some firms*

By ALLEN E. HOWLAND
Assistant Business/Oil Editor

Many small- and medium-sized businesses in West Texas willing to invest the time and effort in foreign trade opportunities can add 20 to 25 percent to their bottom line profits, according to one export expert.

But timing may be the most important element in realizing the potential of foreign sales, says John A. Adams, Jr., president of Meiller Co., a College Station-based medical product manufacturer.

"Small businesses that don't get involved in international business within the next decade could miss or lose as much as 25 to 30 percent of potential gross sales," said Adams, who was named Exporter of the Year by the Small Business Administration.

"The biggest obstacle is overcoming the natural 'fear barrier' the businesses have for the unknown," Adams said.

He adds that the three biggest fears a businessman considering foreign trade has are:

- Not getting paid;
- Excessive paperwork and documentation; and
- Being unable to communicate in the local language.

"The best thing is that all the hurdles are easily surmountable," said Adams, whose company now does one-third of its business overseas after less than five years in the international arena.

As for the dominant concerns, Adams assures businessmen that foreign customers will pay in U.S. dollars and guaranteed letters of credit; that assistance with paperwork requirements is readily available and recommends hiring an interpreter to help cross the language barrier.

Support services and resource people abound in both the public and private sectors to help with the basic problems and the more complex issues as well.

A strong sampling of those expert sources will be represented at an all-day International Trade Conference at Midland College Friday. Adams will provide the luncheon address on the "Opportunities and Challenges of Exporting Worldwide."

Representatives of the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, the Texas Department of Commerce, Small Business Administration, the British Consulate General and several corporations currently involved in international trade also will address seminar attendants.

Adams applauds the efforts of the Midland and Odessa chambers of commerce, Midland College and other groups instrumental in developing Friday's trade seminar and other

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## BUSINESS GLANCE

### MARKETS

### Oil prices on upward trend

From Staff and Wire Reports

Oil futures prices continued rising today as the market noted encouraging signs about the latest OPEC agreement.

At midmorning, prices for January delivery of West Texas Intermediate stood at $15.57, up 25 cents from Wednesday's close. Wednesday on the New York Mercantile Exchange, the crude had risen 40 cents to close at $15.32, near its high for the day of $15.35. The contract price had fallen 11 cents a barrel on Tuesday. Other contract months also rose, though not as sharply.

Among refined petroleum products traded on the exchange, the December contract for unleaded gasoline soared 2.18 cents to finish at 49.05 cents a gallon. The December contract for wholesale home heating oil rose 0.53 cent to 48.32 cents a gallon. Other contract months for both products also advanced.

Analysts said two encouraging developments helped strengthen prices.

Non-OPEC oil-producing countries are showing signs of wanting to cooperate with OPEC countries to help reduce the glut of oil on world markets, said Bob Baker, an analyst with Prudential-Bache Securities Inc.

In addition, the oil minister from the United Arab Emirates continued to make efforts to soften remarks he made on Monday that his country did not consider its new OPEC production quota the "official" quota.

Analysts said Wednesday's oil futures prices also were helped by bullish weekly statistics on U.S. inventories from the American Petroleum Institute and the expiration of the December contracts on the Mercantile Exchange.

Late Tuesday, new weekly API data showed declines in crude and gasoline inventories. Gasoline stocks dropped 2.5 million barrels last week and crude stocks fell 2.6 million.

**CRUDE OIL**

**SPOT MARKET**
W.T. INTERMEDIATE

- Mid-morning Quote $15.57
- Wednesday's Close $15.30
- Previous Close $14.90
- One Year Ago $18.55

W.T. SOUR

- Wednesday's Close $13.75
- Previous Close $13.32
- One Year Ago $17.42

SOURCE: NYMEX

**POSTED PRICE**

- Last Week $14.00
- Previous Week $12.75
- One Year Ago $18.00

### Dollar lower in overseas trading



LONDON (AP) — The dollar fell in early European trading today as the market waited for Friday's release of U.S. unemployment figures for November, foreign currency dealers said. Gold prices rose.

November's unemployment rate is expected to remain at about 5.3 percent.

"If it's a slightly better number, the dollar may rise a bit," said a dealer at a large Frankfurt bank.

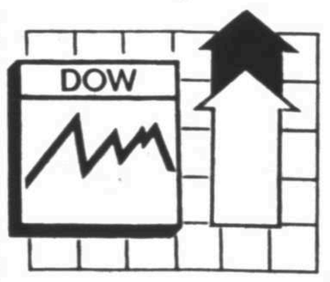
But a dealer in Milan, Italy, said worse-than-expected figures would hurt the dollar and would indicate that the U.S. economy is overheating and that the threat of inflation was strong.

Dealers said the dollar's weakness is partly due to the strength of the British pound. One pound cost $1.8542 in London at midmorning, more expensive for buyers than late Wednesday's $1.8480.

In Tokyo, the dollar fell 0.28 yen to a closing 121.57. Later, in London, it was quoted at 121.65 yen.

Gold prices rose on the heels of higher platinum prices, opening in London at $424.50 a troy ounce, up from $423.25 bid late Wednesday. In Zurich, the bid price was $425.00 and $425.52 in Hong Kong.

### Stock prices advance 13 points




NEW YORK (AP) — Prices advanced on Wall Street Wednesday as strength in the bond market allayed some trader concerns about rising interest rates.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrial stocks rose 12.98 to 2,114.51, giving the well-known barometer a gain of nearly 40 points over the past three sessions.

Advancing issues outnumbered declines by a better than 2-to-1 margin in nationwide trading of New York Stock Exchange-listed stocks, with 995 issues up, 470 down and 502 unchanged.

Volume on the floor of the NYSE came to 157.81 million shares, up from 127.42 million in the previous session.

### BUSINESS IN BRIEF

#### Halliburton consolidating geophysical services

DALLAS (AP) — Halliburton Co., an oilfield service firm, on Wednesday said it has consolidated its geophysical services businesses into a single company to be headquartered in Houston.

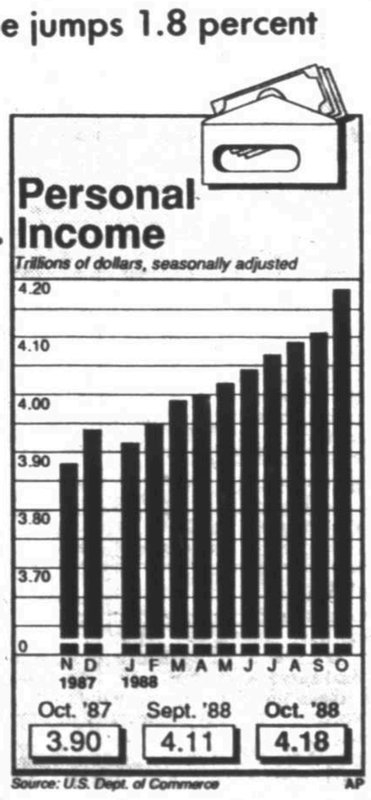
Officials said Halliburton Geophysical Services Inc. will start operations on Thursday and consist of the geophysical business of Halliburton's wholly owned subsidiary, Geosource Inc., and Halliburton's partially owned subsidiary, Geophysical Service Inc.

#### Personal income jumps 1.8 percent

WASHINGTON (AP) — Americans' personal income posted its largest gain in a year in October, the government says.

The Commerce Department said Wednesday that personal income rose 1.8 percent, the biggest rise since October 1987, to a seasonally adjusted annual rate of $4.18 trillion last month. The gain followed modest increases of 0.5 percent in September and 0.4 percent in August.

The department attributed about half of last month's increase to farm subsidy payments and bonuses to auto workers.



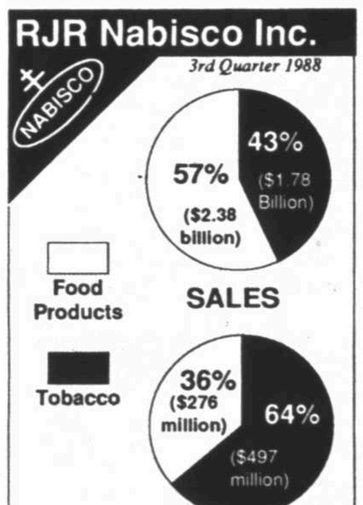

#### Fed survey finds slowing wage hikes

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Federal Reserve's district banks reported "apparently slower" growth, moderate wage increases and slightly easing price pressures in several manufacturing industries, according to a new report.

The report, based on surveys conducted by the 12 Fed district banks, stirred a rally in financial markets Wednesday.

### RJR & KKR

## Long takeover trail leads to merger




By The Associated Press

A number of complicated manuvers preceded history's largest merger between RJR Nabisco and Kohlberg Kravis Roberts & Co. Here are key events in the takeover struggle for RJR Nabisco Inc.:

—Oct. 20, 1988: RJR Nabisco announces that top managers led by chief executive F. Ross Johnson propose to buy the company for $75 a share in cash and securities or nearly $17 billion, using mostly borrowed money to be repaid with the company's earnings, assets or both, a transaction known as a leveraged buyout. The takeover would dwarf the previous record $13.4 billion paid for Gulf Corp. by Chevron Corp. in 1984. It also would come less than four years after tobacco maker R.J. Reynolds bought Nabisco Brands for nearly $5 billion.

—Oct. 24: Investment firm Kohlberg Kravis Roberts & Co., the leader in leveraged buyouts, offers $20.25 billion or $90 a share in cash and securities for RJR.

—Oct. 27: Salomon Brothers Inc. joins Shearson Lehman Hutton Inc. as the main backers of Johnson's group. At the same time, Kohlberg Kravis takes its bid directly to RJR shareholders with a tender offer for their stock.

—Nov. 2: Informal talks between the two competing bidders to undertake a joint takeover collapse, partly because of disputes on fees to be paid to the investment bankers.

—Nov. 4: Johnson's group raises its bid to $92 a share or $20.7 billion. Forstmann Little & Co., a buyout specialist that competes with Kohlberg Kravis, suggests it is interested in possibly bidding for the company as well.

—Nov. 7: RJR's committee of outside directors announces it will entertain bids for the company while pursuing other options, including a debt-financed restructuring.

—Nov. 16: ITT Corp.'s insurance subsidiaries, large holders of RJR corporate bonds, sue RJR and Johnson, claiming the leveraged buyout contemplated by management hurt the value of those bonds.

—Nov. 17: Forstmann Little says it won't bid for RJR. Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., another big RJR bondholder, files the second major lawsuit against Johnson and RJR.

—Nov. 18: The first deadline for

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**Top Ten Mergers To Date**

- GULF CORP., by Standard Oil Co., $13.4 billion, 1984
- GETYY OIL CO. by Texaco Inc., $10.1 billion, 1984
- STANDARD OIL CO. by British Petroleum, $7.9 billion, 1987
- CONOCO INC. by Du Pont Co., $7.4 billion, 1981
- FEDERATED DEPARTMENT STORES INC. by Campeau Corp., $6.58 billion, 1988
- MARATHON OIL CO. by US Steel Corp., $6.5 billion, 1982
- RCA CORP. by General Electric Co., $6.4 billion, 1986
- SUPERIOR OIL by Mobil Corp., $5.7 billion, 1984
- SHELL OIL CO. by Royal Dutch-Shell Group, $5.7 billion, 1985
- GENERAL FOODS CORP. by Philip Morris Cos. Inc., $5.6 billion, 1985

## LeRoy bank depositors get relief

### *Will get some of their money*

AUSTIN (AP) — Depositors of the failed and uninsured Leroy Bank will be able to recover some of their money under a compromise settlement approved by a state district judge, the Texas Banking Department said Wednesday.

The bank was closed more than one year ago. Because the bank was not federally insured, hundreds of small depositors were hard hit financially. The bank had deposits of $5.2 million when it failed.

At the time of the closing, the Leroy Bank owed NCNB Texas National Bank, formerly First RepublicBank, $945,713, which later amounted to nearly $1.1 million, including interest.

NCNB claimed it had first priority in obtaining its money over individual depositors and planned to foreclose on all assets of the bank, which likely would have left individual depositors with nothing, the Texas Banking Department stated.

But the settlement approved Tuesday by McLennan County State District Judge Bill Logue will ensure that "NCNB will not be able to simply walk away with all assets of the bank," according to a news release from the state banking department.

Under the terms of the settlement:

— NCNB will reduce its claim from $1.1 million to $955,692.

— NCNB will collect and service notes payable to the Leroy Bank.

— NCNB will refinance notes owed by the Leroy Bank which NCNB deems acceptable credit risks.

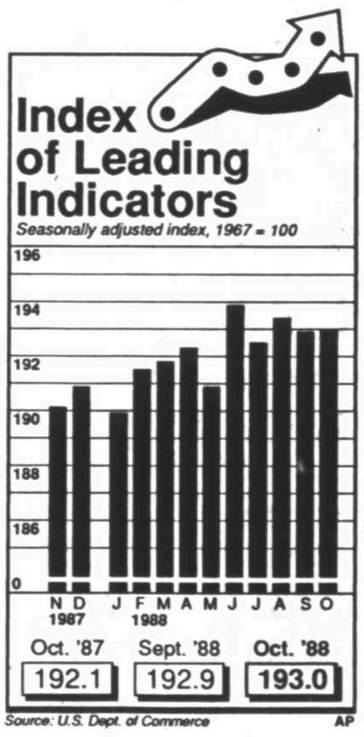
— Approximately $136,000 in cash will remain in the liquidation estate.

— NCNB then will receive the next $640,000 in cash available from the assets of the Leroy Bank.

— Any cash over $640,000 will be divided between NCNB and other depositors, with 60 percent going to NCNB and 40 percent going to the trust for the depositors.

## Leading indicators edge up

### *Show sluggish .1 percent gain*




WASHINGTON (AP) — The government said today its chief forecasting gauge of future economic activity edged up a sluggish 0.1 percent in October after falling a month earlier.

The Commerce Department's Index of Leading Indicators had previously been estimated as falling only 0.1 percent in September, but today's report revised that downturn to minus 0.3 percent.

Economists said the movement of the index appears to be pointing to slower growth, but they have been hard-pressed to find much sign of it yet.

Other statistics for October, the latest available, all look very strong. Unemployment is at a 14-year low, factories are using more of their capacity than at any time in 8½ years and personal income posted its steepest increase in a year.

"The message is clear that the fourth quarter is starting out very well. ... There are no particular imbalances ... (and) that suggests the economy should keep on expanding nicely for another six to nine months," said Allen Sinai, an economist for The Boston Co.

However, the leading index is "clearly signaling a slowdown," he said in advance of today's report. Over the last 12 months, it is up only 0.5 percent, compared with a gain of 6.0 percent for the previous 12-month period. It was the smallest October-to-October increase since 1979-80, before the last recession.

In October, four of nine available indicators were pointing to faster growth, while five were pointing to slower growth.

The factors pushing the index up, in order of magnitude, were an increase in building permits, a rise in stock prices, a jump in new orders to manufacturers for consumer goods and a drop in initial claims for state unemployment insurance.

The negative factors, ordered from largest to smallest, were faster deliveries to companies, a sign of slackening demand; a drop in the price of industrial materials; a decline in the inflation-adjusted money supply; a shortening in the length of the average workweek, and a fall in orders for business equipment.

The various changes left the index at 193.0 percent of its 1967 base of 100.

Samuel D. Kahan, an economist with Kleinwort Benson Government Securities Inc. in Chicago, said the index's prediction of slower growth is not necessarily false.

Some sort of moderation, given the current bouyancy, is not unlikely in the last half of 1989, he said. "However, I would not leap to the conclusion that a recession is coming," he said.

Given current economic conditions, a significant slowdown or recession won't occur until the Federal Reserve Board pushes interest rates sharply higher, he said.

The Fed, fearing that too-strong demand will push prices higher, has been trying to slow expansion of the

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## *Two Canada to Northeast natural gas pipelines win court approval*

N.Y. Times News Service

NEW YORK — An administrative law judge at the federal Energy Regulatory Commission on Wednesday recommended the construction of two natural gas pipelines from Canada that would increase imports of Canadian gas by about 20 percent.

One pipeline would run from the Ontario border through New York state and Connecticut to Commack, on Long Island, and would increase the supplies in the New York area by 10 percent.

The pipeline would be the first major addition to the New York area's gas services since the 1950s.

The other pipeline would run from the Quebec border through Vermont to West Medway, Mass.

The judge also recommended a third pipeline, between Lebanon, Ohio, and Muncie, Ind., which would initially make it easier to ship gas produced in the Southwest to Northeastern markets. Later it might carry Canadian gas as well.

For the pipelines from Canada to be built, the energy commission must approve the judge's recommendations, the Canadian government must approve the exports and rights of way must be obtained. Approval from the commission and Canada is expected.

Securing the rights of way, however, could be a longer process, subject to court challenge.

Earlier pipeline hearings drew a stormy response from people who live in the areas that would be affected. As a result, planners redrew a route to avoid Connecticut's Litchfield County.

Natural gas prices, which have varied widely in recent years, are generally depressed and are not expected to be affected by the proposed pipelines.

The pipeline serving the New York area would be 370 miles long and is expected to cost $539 million.

It would run south from Waddington, N.Y., on the Canadian border, cross the Hudson River to Milford on the Connecticut shore and under Long Island Sound.

Known as the Iroquois pipeline, it would have a capacity of 499 million cubic feet a day, the equivalent of about 30 million barrels of oil, or enough to serve almost 1.4 million homes.

In practice, however, much of the gas would be used by industry and by companies that are hoping to add hundreds of megawatts of new electric capacity.

The other pipeline from Canada approved by Chief Administrative Law Judge Curtis Wagner is the Champlain project.

It would carry about 400 million cubic feet of gas a day from Highgate Springs, Vt., on the Canadian

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## ACTIVITY HIGHLIGHTS

# McKay reports Abo gas discovery

From Staff Reports

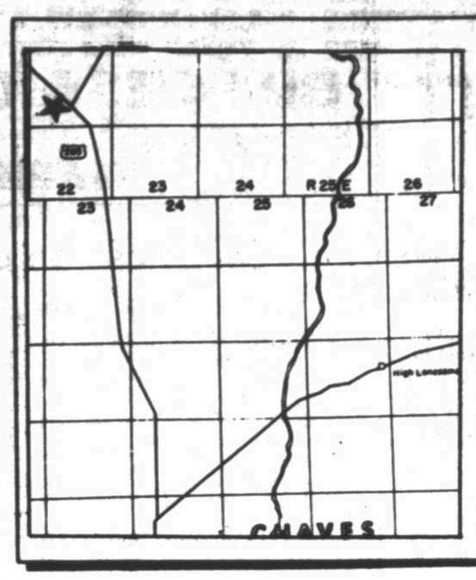
An Abo gas discovery has been recorded in Chaves County by McKAY OIL CORP.

McKay tested the No. 1 West Fork Unit to flow 2.3 Mmcfd on a 3/4 inch choke with a flowing tubing pressure of 160 psi. The well flowed from perforations 3,041 to 3,090 ft., which had been acidized with 3,500 gallons of 7.5 percent acid and fractured with 80,000 gallons of gel and 137,764 lbs. 20/40 sand.

Permitted as a 4,400 ft. wildcat, the well was drilled to 4,578 ft. and plugged back to 3,260 ft. with 4 1/2 inch casing set at 3,290 ft.

Formation tops, on ground elevation of 4,440 ft. include the Abo at 3,004 ft., Lower Abo at 3,724, Pennsylvanian at 4,172, Granite Wash at 4,408, and Pre-Cambrian at 4,519 ft. Pay was topped at 3,041 ft.

Location is 660 ft. from north and 1,780 ft. from west lines of Section 32, T4s, R22s.




**Abo strike**

McKay Oil Corp. has completed an Abo gas discovery in Chaves County to flow 2.3 Mmcfd from perforations 3,041 to 8,090 ft.

## Sterling well tested for CAOF of 2.25 Mmcfd

A Sterling County project has yielded new gas production in the Conger (Pennsylvanian) field.

AMERICAN COMETRA INC. finaled the No. 5 F. Conger "30" for a calculated absolute open flow of 2.25 Mmcfd from perforations 7,240 to 7,460 ft. Condensate gravity was 62.6 API and gas-liquid ratio was 60,496:1. The producing interval was acidized with 2,500 gallons of acid and fractured with 170,000 lbs. 20/40 sand.

Permitted as an 8,000 ft. wildcat, the well was drilled to 8,784 ft. and plugged back to 7,710 ft. with 5 1/2 inch casing set at 7,700 ft.

The well topped the Canyon at 7,110 ft., Cisco at 6,860, and Base Wolfcamp at 6,780 ft. on ground elevation of 2,597 ft. Pay was topped at 7,222 ft.

Location is 1,200 ft. from west and 1,900 ft. from south lines of Section 30, Block 13, SPRR survey, Abst. 939, nine miles southwest of Sterling City.

## Second Lower Penn well added to Crockett field

A second Lower Pennsylvanian producer has been added to the Escondido field of Crockett County, extending the pay a quarter-mile southeast.

CHAPMAN EXPLORATION INC., Tulsa, reentered and plugged back the No. 1 Shannon "A", completing it to flow 35 barrels of 46 gravity crude and two barrels of water on a 14/64 inch choke. Production was from perforations 8,309 to 8,316 ft., which had been acidized with 2,000 gallons of acid.

Formerly a Fusselman producer in the field, the well was plugged back to 8,430 ft.

Location is 660 ft. from north and 1,320 ft. from west lines of Section 7, Block 2, GC&SF survey, 25 miles southwest of Big Lake.

## Andrews field well flows 170 barrels

UNION OIL CO. OF CALIFORNIA has added new production to the Parker (Penn) field of Andrews County.

On potential test, the No. 18 Ford flowed 170 barrels of 41 gravity crude, 137 Mcfd and 26 barrels of water on a 25/64 inch choke from perforations 9,085 to 9,090 ft. Flowing tubing pressure was 200 psi and production was natural. Gas-oil ratio is 810:1.

Drilled to 9,800 ft., where 5 1/2 inch casing was set, the well was plugged back to 9,753 ft.

On ground elevation of 3,184.7 ft., formation tops include the Wolfcamp Reef at 8,599 ft., Penn Detrital at 9,754, Penn Lime at 8,961, Canyon at 9,105, Lower Canyon at 9,308 Strawn at 9,414, and Atoka at 9,750 ft. Pay was topped at 9,085 ft.

Location is 660 ft. from north and 1,930 ft. from east lines of Section 21, Block A-43, PSl survey, five miles southwest of Andrews.

## Yates field gains three new producers

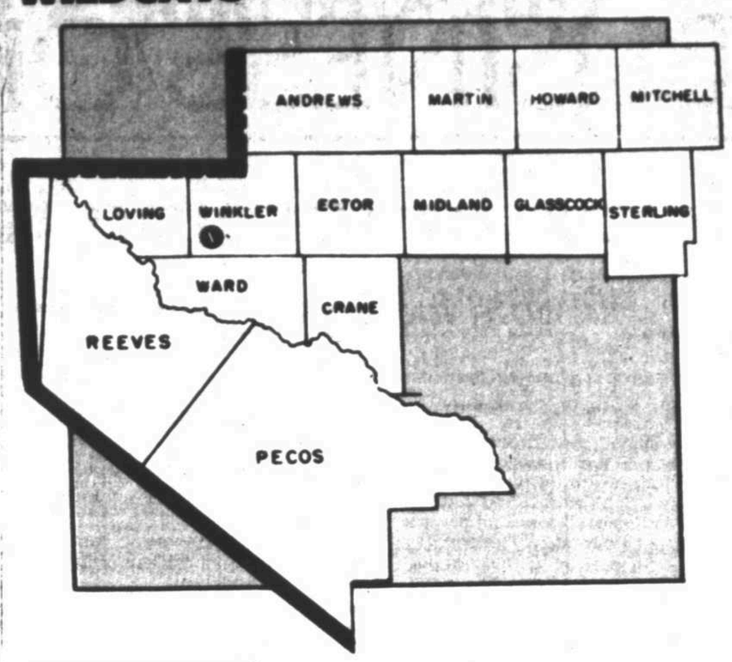
MARATHON OIL CO., Iraan, continues development drilling in the prolific Yates field of Pecos County. The company recently added three new producers to the field. Two are located in Section 39 and one in Section 18, Block 194, GC&SF survey, 6.5 miles northwest of Iraan.

The No. 29A33 Yates Field Unit was completed to pump 18 barrels of 31 gravity crude, 10.2 Mcfd and 13 barrels of water from perforations 1,300 to 1,336 ft. Twelve hour calculated rate was 36 barrels of crude, 20.4 Mcfd and 26 barrels of water.

On potential test, the No. 29A34 Yates Field Unit pumped 85 barrels of 31 gravity crude, 25.6 Mcfd and 80 barrels of water from perforations 1,306 to 1,340 ft. Twelve hour calculated rate was 170 barrels of crude, 51.2 Mcfd and 160 barrels of water.

Marathon also tested the No. 96Y06 Yates Field Unit to pump 10 barrels of 31 gravity crude, 5.8 Mcfd and 93 barrels of water from perforations 1,582 to 1,616 ft. Twelve hour calculated rate is 20 barrels of crude, 11.6 Mcfd and 186 barrels of water.

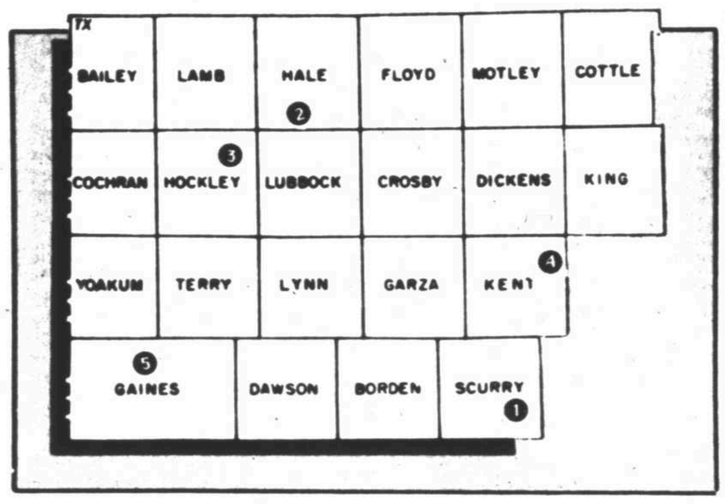
## WILDCATS




### TRC DISTRICT 8

■ 1. CHEVRON EYES WINKLER PROSPECT. Chevron U.S.A. Inc., Hobbs, has applied to drill a 13,000 ft. prospect in WInkler County, 8.3 miles west of Wink. The well will also test the Block 21 Northwest (Wolfcamp) field.

The No. 1 University "20-2" is staked 2,173 ft. from west and 467 ft. from south lines of Section 2, Block 20, ULS survey.




### TRC DISTRICT 8A

■ 1. SCURRY DRAWS WILDCAT LOCATION. A 7,600 ft. wildcat is planned for Scurry County, 11 miles southeast of Snyder.

Cockrell Production Co. Inc., Abilene, has staked the No. 2 Mebane 2,125 ft. from south and 467 ft. from east lines of Section 62, Block 3, H&TC survey.

■ 2. SIETE EYES HALE PROSPECT. Siete Petroleum Corp., Midland, has applied to drill an 11,000 ft. prospect in Hale County, a quarter-mile west of Abernathy.

The No. 1 Abernathy is located 467 ft. from north and 1,200 ft. from east lines of Section 10, Block CK, GC&SF survey.

■ 3. HOCKLEY TEST STAKED. A 6,400 ft. test has been staked in Hockley County, seven miles north of Smyer.

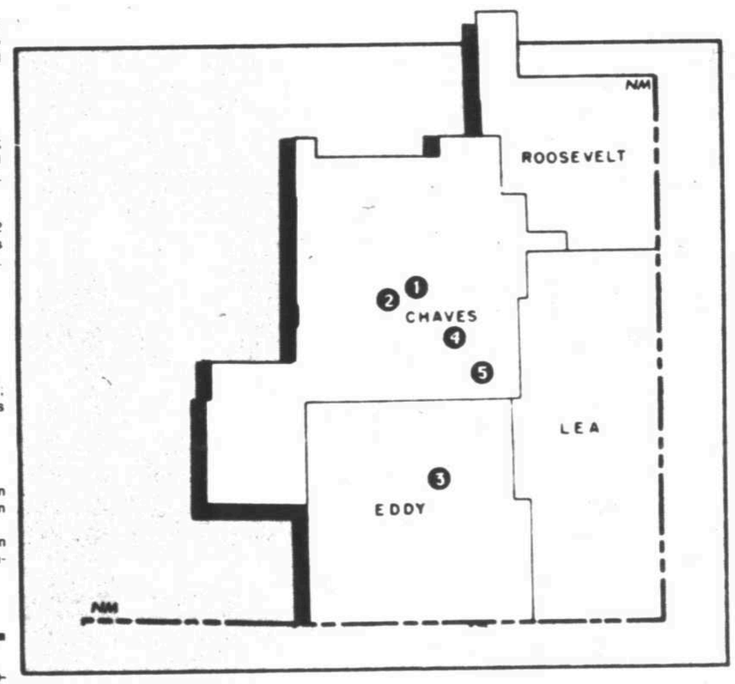
Paul DeCleva, Wichita Falls, will drill the No. 1 Brazil 467 ft. from north and 1,950 ft. from east lines of Section 53, Block A, R.M. Thomson survey.

■ 4. KENT DRAWS WILDCAT LOCATION. A 3,850 ft. wildcat will be drilled in Kent County, five miles southeast of Jayton.

Hollis R. Sullivan, Wichita Falls, has located the No. 1 Seahorse 1,390 ft. from south and 2,635 ft. from east lines of Section 444, Block D, H&TC survey.

■ 5. GAINES REENTRY PLANNED. W. Brady Production Inc., Midland, will reenter and plugback to 5,000 ft. for wildcat tests the NO. 1 Exxon Camille Delaux, a Gaines County producer.

The well, originally drilled to 14,488 ft., is located 550 ft. from south and 1,870 ft. from west lines of Section 123, Block G, WTRR survey, 6.5 miles northeast of Seminole.




### NEW MEXICO

■ 1. CHAVES DRAWS WILDCAT LOCATION. A 7,000 ft. wildcat is planned for Chaves County, five miles northeast of Elkins.

Yates Energy Corp. will drill the No. 1 Mesa State 330 ft. from north and 845 ft. from east lines of Section 19, T9s, R27e.

■ 2. BHP EYES CHAVES PROSPECT. BHP Petroleum Co. Inc. has applied to drill a 6,700 ft. prospect in Chaves County, 15 miles east of Roswell

The No. 1 Yates "36" state is 1,980 ft. from south and 990 ft. from west lines of Section 36, T10s, R26e.

■ 3. EDDY TEST STAKED. A 6,000 ft. test has been staked in Eddy County, 15 miles southwest of Loco Hills.

Santa Fe Energy Partners L.P. will drill the No. 1 Long Knife "35" Federal 660 ft. from south and 810 ft. from east lines of Section 35, T19s, R29e.

■ 4. PROJECT SET FOR CHAVES. Hanagan Petroleum Corp. will drill an 8,300 ft. project in Chaves County, 14 miles northeast of Dexter.

The No. 1 Long Arroyo has been staked 660 ft. from south and 2,310 ft. from east lines of Section 33, T12s, R28e.

■ 5. SANTA FE TO EXPLORE CHAVES AREA. Santa Fe Exploratin Co. has applied to drill a 10,000 ft. prospect in Chaves County, 17 miles east of hagerman.

The No. 2 Holmstrom is 660 ft. from north and 1,980 ft. from east lines of Section 16, T14s, R29e.

## COMPLETIONS

### TRC DISTRICT 8

**ANDREWS COUNTY**

**Means**

Exxon Corp. No. 1254 Means San Andres Unit; 13,606 fnl, 1320 fwl, sec 3, blk A-35, PSL, 9.3 n Andrews, Elev. 3168, TD 4746, PB 4718. Completed 6/14/88. Potentialed 10/10/88, pumping 140.2 bopd, 50 Mcfd, 495 bwpd, 29 API. GOR 356:1. Casing 7 inches at 4739. Perforations 4392 to 4616. Acid: 1880 gals. 15 percent HCL. Frac: 52,000 gals. gel, 120,000 lbs. sand. Formation tops: Queen A 4083, Queen B 4106, Grayburg 4142, Lower Grayburg 4339, San Andres 4539. Top of pay 4392.

**HOWARD COUNTY**

**Howard Glasscock**

Exxon Corp. No. 51 H.R. Clay; 307 fsl, 1062 fel, sec 138, blk 29, W&NW, 13.5 se Big Spring, Elev. 2714, TD 3385. Completed 11/12/88. Potentialed 11/20/88, pumping 22 bopd, 123 bwpd, 25 API. GOR 1:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 3375. Perforations 2292 to 3246. Acid: 10,374 gals. 15 percent HCL. Frac: 86,000 gals. gel, 140,000 lbs. 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Yates 1405, Seven Rivers 1522, Queen 1736, Grayburg 2012, San Andres 2304, Glorieta 2810. Top of pay 2292.

**PECOS COUNTY**

**Yates**

Marathon Oil Co. No. 29A33 Yates Field Unit; 3881 fnl, 3368 fwl, sec 39, blk 194, GC&SF, 6.5 nw Iraan, Elev. 2396, TD 1366, PB 1356. Completed 10/12/88. Potentialed 10/28/88, pumping 18 bopd, 10.2 Mcfd, 13 bwpd, 31 API. GOR 567:1. Twelve hour calculated rate 36 bopd, 20.4 Mcfd, 26 bwpd. Casing 7 inches at 1366. Perforations 1300 to 1336. Acid: 2850 gals. 15 percent HCL. Formation tops: Base Cretaceous 421, Yates (Smith Sand) 669, Seven Rivers 755, Queen 1206, Grayburg 1236, San Andres 1296. Top of pay 1206.

Marathon Oil Co. No. 29A34 Yates Field Unit; 4482 fnl, 4990 fwl, sec 39, blk 194, GC&SF, 6.5 nw Iraan, Elev. 2403, TD 1373, PB 1363. Completed 10/14/88. Potentialed 10/24/88, pumping 85 bopd, 25.6 Mcfd, 80 bwpd, 31 API. GOR 301:1. Twelve hour calculated rate 170 bopd, 51.2 Mcfd, 160 bwpd. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 1373. Perforations 1306 to 1340. Acid: 1750 gals. 15 percent HCL. Formation tops: Base Cretaceous 425, Yates (Smith Sand) 668, Seven Rivers 753, Queen 1206, Grayburg 1237, San Andres 1300. Top of pay 4208.

Marathon Oil Co. No. 96Y06 Yates Field Unit; 1757 fsl, 7657 fwl, sec 18, blk 194, GC&SF, 7.5 sw Iraan, Elev. 2755, TD 1695, PB 1671. Completed 9/30/88. Potentialed 10/8/88, pumping 10 bopd, 5.8 Mcfd, 93 bwpd, 31 API. GOR 580:1. Twelve hour calculated rate 20 bopd, 11.6 Mcfd, 186 bwpd. Casing 7 inches at 1695. Perforations 1582 to 1616. Acid: 1850 gals. 15 percent HCL. Frac: 16,850 gals. gel, 20,000 lbs. sand. Formation tops: Base Cretaceous 792, Yates (Smith Sand) 1151, Seven Rivers 1264. Top of pay 1575.

### NEW MEXICO

**EDDY COUNTY**

**Grayburg-Jackson**

Hondo Oil & Gas Co. No. 42 J.L. Keel "B"; 1980 fsl, 1780 fwl, sec 6, T17s, R31e, Elev. 3757, TD 3550, PB 3481. Completed 9/29/88. Potentialed 10/25/88, pumping 108 bopd, 35 Mcfd, 219 bwpd. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 3550. Perforations 2965 to 3509. Acid: 1600 gals. 15 percent NeFe. Frac: 140,000 gals. gel, 200,000 lbs. 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Anhydrite 417, Satl 454, Base Salt 1325, Yates 1478, Seven Rivers 1774, Queen 2373, Grayburg 2790, Premier Sand 2963, San Andres 3102, Lovington Sand 2983, Lower San Andres "M" 3267. Top of pay 2965.

**North Shugart**

Union Texas Petroleum Corp. No. 4 Neste Williams Federal; 760 fsl, 1880 fwl, sec 6, T18s, R31e, Elev. 3608, TD 8500. Completed 11/4/88. Potentialed 11/7/88, pumping 221 bopd, 213 Mcfd, 82 bwpd, 40 API. GOR 964:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 8500. Perforations 7919 to 8219. Acid: 2250 gals. 7.5 percent HCL. Frac: 123,000 gals. gel. Formation tops: Yates 1750, Queen 2850, San Andres 3800, Bone Springs 5190, First Bone Spring 7100, Second Bone Spring 7640, Third Bone Spring 8340. Top fo pay 7919.

**Turkey Track**

Fred Pool Drilling Inc. No. 14 PJ "A" State; 2310 fnl, 990 fwl, sec 1, T19s, R29e, Elev. 3390, TD 3160, PB 3120. Completed 11/2/88. Potentialed 11/8/88, pumping 30 bopd, 20 Mcfd, 45 bwpd, 36 API. GOR 666:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 3143. Perforations 2275 to 2328. Acid: 2000 gals. 15 percent HCL. Frac: 59,000 gals. gel, 80,000 lbs. 20/40 sand, 42,000 lbs. 12/20 sand. Formation tops: Anhydrite 180, Salt 345, Base Salt 1110, Yates 1410, Seven Rivers 1730, Queen 2265, Grayburg 2560, San Andres 2690. Top of pay 2275.

**LEA COUNTY**

**East Mason**

Highland Production Co. No. 1 Conoco "B" Federal; 990 fsl, 330 fwl, sec 20, T26s, R32e, Elev. 3174.2, TD 4330. Completed 11/15/88. Potentialed 11/16/88, pumping 80 bopd, 170 Mcfd, 5 bwpd. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4320. Perforations (open hole) 4320 to 4330. Top of pay 4320.

**Maljamar**

Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 36 Philmex; 1980 fsl, 1855 fel, sec 27, T17s, R33e, Elev. 4147.6, TD 4725, PB 4664. Completed 10/19/88. Potentialed 11/10/88, pumping 70 bopd, 58 Mcfd, 35 bwpd, 36.8 API. GOR 829:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4725. Perforations 4176 to 4639. Acid: 13,000 gals. 15 percent NeFeHCL. Frac: 105,800 gals. gel, 198,400 lbs. 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Anhydrite 1400, Salt 1670, Base Salt 2600, Queen 3748, Grayburg 4113, San Andres 4480. Top of pay 4176.

## DEVELOPMENT WELLS

### TRC DISTRICT 8

**ANDREWS COUNTY**

**Fullerton (San Andres)**

Union Oil Co. of California No. 15 C.W. Logsdon "B"; 1980 fwl, 1987 fnl, sec 10, blk A-37, PSL, 6 nw Frankel City, PD 5000.

**Martin**

Cross Timbers Production Co. No. 5 Lockhart; 440 fnl, 440 fwl, sec 22, blk A-41, PSL, 20 sw Andrews, PD 6250. Plugback.

**CRANE COUNTY**

**McElroy**

Chevron U.S.A. Inc. No. 1088 J.T. McElroy Const.; 640 fnl, 1375 fwl, sec 205, blk F, CCSD&RGNG, 3 e Crane, PD 3300.

Chevron U.S.A. Inc. No. 1087 J.T. McElroy Const.; 1240 fnl, 710 fwl, sec 205, blk F, CCSD&RGNG, 3 e Crane, PD 3300.

**MARTIN COUNTY**

**Glass Ranch (Silurian)**

RK Petroleum Corp. No. 21-3 RK Glass; 660 fnl, 2050 fwl, sec 21, blk 38, T-1-N, T&P, 12 sw Tarzan, PD 12,800.

**Spraberry (Trend Area)**

Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co. No. 1 Mabee "T"; 1533 fsl, 660 fwl, sec 1, blk 38, T-1-N, G&MMB&A, 15 sw Lenorah, PD 9750.

**REEVES COUNTY**

**Matthews (Lower Cherry Canyon)**

Blair Royalties of Orla Inc. No. 2 Mid-Shot "A"; 1782 fel, 330 fsl, sec 12, blk 57, T-2, T&P, 2.5 n Orla, PD 4600.

### TRC DISTRICT 7C

**McCULLOCH COUNTY**

**Hall (Strawn)**

Troyer Drilling No. 5 Samuelson; 1369 fnl, 1760 fel, sec 192, J.H. Blackwell, Abst. 2161, 10 n Brady, PD 1250.

### NEW MEXICO

**EDDY COUNTY**

**Turkey Track**

JOhn Schoonmaker No. 4 Schoonmaker "ST"; 2310 fsl, 440 fwl, sec 12, T19s, R29e, 10 sw Loco Hills, PD 3000.

**LEA COUNTY**

**Reeves**

Bass Enterprises Production Co. No. 1 Reeves "21" State; 330 fsl, 660 fel, sec 21, T18s, R35e, 5 se Buckeye, PD 4600.

**Undesignated**

Sohio Petroleum Co. No. 1 Hood "8"; 860 fnl, 1980 fel, sec 8, T17s, R38e, 1.5 nw Knowles, PD 12,000.

## PLUGGED WELLS

### TRC DISTRICT 8

**ECTOR COUNTY**

**Johnson**

Alpha Twenty-one Production Co. No. 1 Johnson; 467 fsl, 2173 fel, sec 45, blk 43, T-1-S, T&P, 5 w Odessa, TD 4503. Completed 5/19/85. Plugged 11/16/88. Oil well.

**MARTIN COUNTY**

**Breedlove (Spraberry)**

TARA Operating Co. No. 1 Huffaker; 990 fnl, 990 fel, Labor 11, League 264, Kent CSL, 10 w Patricia, TD 9750. Completed 12/21/80. Plugged 10/15/88. Oil well.

**Breedlove East (Spraberry)**

TARA Operating Co. No.l 1 Thompson; 660 fsl, 660 fwl, sec 7, blk 36, T-3-N, T&P, 6 se Patricia, TD 9400. Completed 11/10/81. Plugged 10/26/88. Oil well.

**LaCaff (Dean)**

Sharon Steel Corp. No. 2 Holt "E"; 1350 fsl, 1350 fel, League 319, Labor 25, Garza CSL, 15 nw Stanton,TD 10,000. Completed 12/4/75. Plugged 10/28/88. Oil well.

Sharon Steel Corp. No. 1 Holt "E"; 4128 fsl, 1350 fel, League 319, Labor 25, Garza CSL, 15 nw Stanton, TD 10,095. Completed 11/13/75. Plugged 11/4/88. Oil well.

**Spraberry (Trend Area)**

Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co. No. 2 McReynolds "B"; 507 fsl, 7380 fel, sec 5, R.N. Grisham, 12 n Midland, TD 9570. Completed 5/16/73. Plugged 10/24/88. Oil well.

**PECOS COUNTY**

**Pecos Valley (High Gravity)**

National Petroleum Corp. No. 1 Atkins Estate "A"; 330 fnel, 330 fsel, sec 54, blk 10, H&GN, 9.5 s Imperial, TD 1400. Plugged 11/14/88. Oil well.

**STERLING COUNTY**

**W.A.M. (Lower Wolfcamp)**

American Cometra Inc. No. 3 Westbrook "27"; 660 fsl, 2640 fnl, sec 27, blk 13, SPRR, 6 sw Sterling City. Completed 9/15/81. Plugged 10/18/88. Oil well.

**WARD COUNTY**

**Soda Lake (Bone Spring)**

Chevron U.S.A. Inc. No. 2 J.W. Cadenhead; 1090 fnel, 1980 fnwl, sec 25, blk 1, W&NW, 11 nw Barstow, TD 17,990. Completed 5/18/84. Plugged 10/14/88. Oil well.

**Ward South**

Piaco Inc. No. 1 W.H. Bass; 232 fnel, 322 fnwl, sec 11, blk 3, H&TC, within Grandfalls townsite, TD 2202. Completed 8/9/63. Plugged 11/10/88. Oil well.

### TRC DISTRICT 8A

**GAINES COUNTY**

**Wildcat**

Amoco Production Co. No. 1 Ray Cargill; 4050 fnl, 467 fel, sec 19, blk C-44, PSL, 2.5 s Seminole, TD 10,500.

**KING COUNTY**

**Wildcat**

Harbert Energy Corp. No. 4-A Masterson Ranch; 660 fnl, 1980 fel, sec 1, TTRR, 15 n Guthrie, TD 4500.

Harbert Energy Corp. No. 5-A Masterson Ranch; 1980 fnl, 1980 fel, sec 1, R.M. Thomson, 15 n Guthrie, TD 6200.

## GAS

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border, down the eastern side of Lake Champlain 339 miles to West Medway, Mass., in the Boston area. It would cost $270 million.

The Midwestern pipeline would be 90.5 miles long and would cost $43 million.

The Champlain and Iroquois projects together would increase American imports of Canadian gas by more than 20 percent, said Edward J. Sondey, vice president for gas supply of the Brooklyn Union Gas Co., a major participant in the Iroquois project.

Wagner's recommendations came at the conclusion of an unusual experiment by the U.S. Energy Regulatory Commission, which must approve interstate pipelines, to break a bureaucratic logjam on construction.

## TRADE

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efforts to open overseas doors for local businesses.

"Larger metropolitan areas may have bigger budgets and more experience in this area, but no other region in the state is more active in working to develop its international potential as the Permian Basin," said Adams, who travels and speaks throughout the state on behalf of the Center for International Business Studies at Texas A&M.

A survey more than 1,500 mid-sized Texas businesses by CIBS determined that more than 35 percent of companies not currently exporting felt their product or service is exportable.

Among the fields identified by CIBS to have substantial export demand potential are: medical equipment and services; specialty oil field parts; machine tooling; electronic components; specialty chemicals; technical services; and spare parts of all kinds, Adams said in a telephone interview from his College Station office.

In addition to his orthopedic medical manufacturing company, Adams has established an export business consulting practice to share his experiences to help other fledgling exporters. He says that 90 percent of the companies he has helped have been able to take full responsibility for their export trade after only two or three foreign orders.

"Where a business wouldn't think twice about shipping a part to Montana, they balk at the same opportunity to do business in Monterrey, Mexico, just because they're unfamiliar with the area. Once they see it can be done, a whole new market is opened up," said Adams.

One important realization for aspiring exporters is that "instant gratification doesn't fit the scheme of export marketing.

"It is a developmental process — a long-range proposition — but all the information and studies needed are available," he said.

Among the guidelines Adams offers for doing business overseas are maintaining a professional demeanor; respecting the cultural values and restraints of individual countries; and translating sales materials into the local language.

## TRAIL

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submitting bids to the special RJR committee passes, and proposals are received from Johnson's group, Kohlberg Kravis and a late contender, First Boston Corp.

—Nov. 20: RJR special committee extends the auction until Nov. 29, saying the offers received were inadequate. It said Johnson offered $100 a share or $22.7 billion; Kohlberg Kravis offered $94 a share or $21.3 billion; and First Boston offerd a vague plan it valued as high as $118 a share or $26.8 billion.

—Nov. 28: In an interview published in Time magazine, his first public statement since the the takeover fight began, Johnson denies he undertook the leveraged buyout for personal enrichment, although he could make $100 million.

—Nov. 29: The second deadline for bids expires and all three bidders submit new offers worth at least $100 a share each. Late that night, the company announces a definitive merger agreement with Kohlberg Kravis at $109 a share, or $24.53 billion.

## LEADING

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gross national product, the broadest measure of the economy's health, to a non-inflationary 2 percent to 2.5 percent.

The GNP grew at a moderate 2.6 percent annual pace in the third quarter, down from a 3.2 percent pace in the first half of 1988.

However, most analysts were expecting it to pick up again in the first three months of next year when the negative effects from the summer drought are no longer acting as a drag. That would put the economy well into the middle of its seventh year of expansion, a peacetime record.

The leading index, before edging down 0.1 percent in September, rose 0.5 percent in August and fell 0.7 percent in July after dropping in May.

Economists caution against drawing immediate conclusions from the index even though since its creation in 1948 it has correctly predicted all eight recessions by dropping three times in a row. However, it has also falsely predicted a recession four times.

Preliminary estimates of the index are often revised substantially in later months. For instance, declines were initially reported for five consecutive months — from September 1987 through January — but later revisions wiped out all but two of the drops.

## Bellweather to purchase Winchester Energy

HOUSTON (SWN) — Bellwether Exploration Co. has reported that it has executed a definitive agreement to acquire either all the common stock and notes or, alternatively, all the assets of Winchester Energy Inc. The agreement has also been executed by Winchester Energy Inc. and its administrative manager, who is the third largest holder of its common stock and notes. The agreement must now be executed by holders of at least a majority of its common stock and approved as part of a settlement of a Winchester shareholder lawsuit in a United States District Court. Bellwether expects these these actions to be completed and expects closing to occur on February 15, 1989.

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# This morning's stock market report

## MUTUAL FUNDS

**AAL Mutual:**
CapGr p 6.82 9.26
Inco 9.46 9.93
MuBd p 9.71 10.19
**AARP Invst:**
CapGr 23.50 NL
GinMI 15.00 NL
GenBd 14.73 NL
GthInc 20.95 NL
TxFBd 16.07 NL
TxFSh 15.24 NL
**ABT Funds:**
Emrg p 7.64 8.02
GthIn p 10.29 10.80
SecIn p 9.59 10.07
UtilIn p 13.70 14.38
AdenCa p 14.26 14.70
ADTEK 9.31 NL
AdvntG p 9.21 9.62
**AIM Funds:**
Chart p 5.35 5.62
Const p 7.12 7.48
CvYld p 9.18 9.64
HiYld p 8.38 8.80
LimM p 9.78 9.95
Sumit 6.61
Weing p 9.00 9.45
**A M A Funds:**
ClaGt p 8.70 NL
Clain p 8.68 NL
EMT p 11.58 12.16
GibGt p 19.90 19.90
GibIn p 20.01 NL
GibST p 10.04 NL
GrPI p 18.22 NL
MedT p 9.62 NL
**AMEV Funds:**
AstAll 10.24 10.72
CapITI 11.63 12.71
Fidcur 18.26 19.14
Grwth 14.50 15.85
HiYld 9.81 10.27
Specl 17.97 NL
TF Nat 9.82 10.26
US Gvt 9.62 10.07
AcornF 38.79 38.79
Afuture 9.14 9.14
**Advest Advant:**
Govt p 8.36 8.36
Gwth p 11.82 NL
Inco p 9.79 NL
Spcl p 9.23 NL
AlgerG t 10.12 10.12
**Alliance Cap:**
Allan p 5.71 5.77
Balan p 11.80 12.49
Canad p 7.21 7.63
Conv p 8.97 9.49
Count p 14.29 15.12
Divid p 2.52 2.67
Govt p 8.34 8.83
HiYld p 8.24 8.72
Intl p 15.01 15.88
ICalTx 11.95 12.45
InsMu 9.23 9.61
Monin p 11.72 12.40
Mortg p 8.94 9.46
MunCA 9.36 9.75
MuNY 8.74 9.10
NtlMu 9.33 9.72
Quasr 16.88 17.86
Survy p 10.91 11.54
Tech p 18.32 19.39
**Amer Capital:**
Cmstk 13.17 14.39
Corp 7.05 7.40
Entrp 10.15 11.09
Exch 64.24
FdMg p 12.64 13.27
Fd Am 10.52 11.50
GvSc p 10.03 10.76
Grow 15.30
Harbr 12.37 13.52
Hi Yld 8.90 9.54
Mun B 18.15 19.06
OTC 5.95 6.50
Pace 21.65 23.66
Provid 3.94 4.25
TEHY p 10.73 11.27
TxE I p 10.68 11.21
Ventr 11.65 12.73
**American Funds:**
A Bal p 10.82 11.48
Amcp p 10.12 10.74
A Mutl 18.43 19.55
Bond p 13.33 13.99
CapIB p 22.44 23.81
CapW p 15.88 16.67
Eupac p 26.44 28.05
FdInv p 14.32 15.19
Govt p 13.50 14.17
Gwth p 17.67 18.75
Hi Tr p 14.04 14.74
Incom 11.57 12.26
IntBd p 13.79 14.48
ICA p 13.61 14.44
NEco p 20.96 22.24
N Per p 10.50 11.14
TxEx p 10.77 11.31
TECA p 13.75 14.44
TEMd p 13.59 14.27
TEVA p 14.03 14.73
Wsh p 12.52 13.26
A GthFd 6.80 7.43
A Heritg 1.06 1.06
A Invest 6.32 6.91
A Inv In 8.13 8.56
**Amer Natl Funds:**
Grth 4.44 4.85
Inco 19.73 21.56
Triflex 14.89 16.10
API Tr 11.04 11.04
Amway 8.14 8.71
Analyt 12.60 NL
**Amstng**
**Aquila Funds:**
Ariz 9.58 9.96
Hawai 10.63 11.07
Oreg 9.71 10.11
TFCol 9.61 10.01
AscPStk 13.58 14.26
AvonGv 9.70 9.80
**Axe Houghton:**
FndB p 8.01 NL
Incom p 5.12 NL
Stock p 5.38 NL
BB&K 10.71 NL
**Babson Group:**
Bond 1.52 1.52
Enterp 11.90 11.95
Gwth 11.42 11.42
Shadw 8.47 8.47
TaxFr 8.47 8.47
UMB St 12.81 12.81
UMB B 10.57 10.57
Value 16.85 16.85
BairdBl p 11.25 11.66
BairdCa p 14.04 14.58
BakerUS 15.03 NL
**Bartlett Funds:**
BasVl 12.20 12.20
Fixedl 9.57 9.57
Stratin .96 .96
Bascom 20.76 20.76
Beac Hill 25.43 NL
BenchB 7.81 NL
**Benham Capitsl:**
CatfL 10.42 NL
CatfIn 8.91 NL
CatfH 8.54 NL
CatfI 10.05 NL
CPTNT 9.82 NL
GNMA 9.81 NL
GoldIn 9.55 NL
NITFI 9.91 NL
NITFL 10.68 NL
Tg1990 85.55 NL
Tg1995 56.17 NL
Tg2000 36.66 NL
Tg2005 23.63 NL
Tg2010 16.40 NL
Tg2015 11.84 NL
**Berger Group:**
100 17.42 NL
101 12.38 NL
BigEGv p 9.80 10.45
BlanPrc 7.49 7.49
BlnSGr p 9.75 9.75
**Boston Co:**
CaAp p 29.50 NL
GNM p 11.74 NL
Mgdl p 11.47 NL
SpGth p 14.38 NL
**BosGrl**
Bowser 1.44 NL
Brndyw 12.26 NL
Bruce 86.40 86.40
**Bull & Bear Gp:**
CaGr p 9.31 NL
EqInc p 10.98 NL
Gold p 13.81 NL
HiYld p 10.60 NL
SpEq p 18.43 NL
TxFr p 17.31 NL
USGv p 13.87 NL
CalMos f 10.03 10.03
CalMun p 8.81 NL
CalTrst 11.21 NL
CalUS 9.46 NL
**Calvert Group:**
Ariel 22.07 23.10
Equty p 17.12 17.12
GvLtd 14.56 14.85
Inco 15.63 16.36
Social p 24.37 25.51e
SocBd 15.27 15.96
SocEq 14.25 14.92
TxF Lt 10.57 10.78
TxF Lg 15.06 15.75
US Gov 14.24 14.91
WshA t 17.53 17.53
**Capstone Group:**
EqGrd 8.87 9.31
Fd SW 10.29 10.80
Incom 5.21 5.47
PBHG 10.04 10.54
Trend 11.52 12.09
**Carnegie Funds:**
CapG p 15.02 15.73
CapTR 9.94 10.40
Govt p 9.33 9.77
TxE NHY 9.33 9.77
Cardnl 14.64 16.00
CrdnlGv 8.75 9.19
Cnt Sha 16.81 NL
ChpHY 12.02 12.62
Chestnut 77.45 NL
**CIGNA Funds:**
Agrsv p 10.50 11.05
GvSc p 9.78 10.29
Grth p 11.85 12.47
HiYld p 10.02 10.55
Inco p 7.58 7.98
MunB p 7.54 7.94
Util p 10.97 11.55
Value p 13.14 13.83
**Citibank IRA-CIT:**
Balan t 1.71 NL
Equit t 1.86 NL
Incom t 1.72 NL
ShtTr t 1.48 NL
Clipper 40.16 40.16
**Colonial Funds:**
AGold p 22.17 23.77
CalTE p 6.85 7.19
CpCah p 42.83 43.70
CCall p 42.94 43.82
Dvadin 7.39 7.92
Eqinc 15.19 16.29
Fund 18.61 19.96
GvSec p 11.06 11.86
Grwth 12.64 13.55
HiYld p 7.29 7.65
Incom p 6.61 6.94
IlicPls 8.98 9.63
IntEq p 18.58 19.51
Mi TE p 6.56 6.89
MnTE p 6.74 7.08
NYTE p 6.57 6.90
OhTE p 6.72 7.06
Smiln p 11.91 12.50
TXIns p 7.46 7.83
TxEx p 12.97 13.62
US Gv p 7.19 7.55
US Id p 13.53 14.20
VIP Hi 9.91 9.91
**Columbia Funds:**
Fixed 12.21 NL
Grth 21.65 NL
Muni r 11.59 NL
Spcl 36.73 NL
**Common Sense:**
Govt 10.97 11.76
Grwth 10.53 11.51
Grinc 10.37 11.33
Cwith AB 1.43 1.55
Cwith CD 2.00 2.16
**Composite Group:**
BdStk p 10.08 10.50
Gwth p 10.89 11.34
InFd p 8.75 9.11
NWPr p 14.76 15.38
TxEx p 7.18 7.48
USGv p 9.82 10.23
Value p 10.48 10.92
**Concord Income:**
Conv 9.46 10.12
USGv f 6.87 7.16
NtlTE f 7.01 7.30
**Conn Mutual:**
Govt 10.26 10.94
Grwth 10.82 11.54
TotRet 11.64 12.42
**Contl Equities:**
Equty t 8.66 8.86
Optin t 7.94 8.14
TE CA 7.53 7.72
USGvt t 9.01 9.24
Copley 11.99 NL
**Counsellors Fd:**
CapAp 9.29 NL
EmGrth 11.05 NL
FixInc 9.82 NL
IntGvt 10.09 NL
NYMu 9.63 NL
Ctry Cap
Cowen t 9.88 9.88
CownOp p 9.09 9.55
**Criterion Funds:**
Cmrc p 8.88 9.32
GvIns p 8.63 8.85
InvQl p 8.94 9.39
Lowry p 8.61 9.04
Pilot p 7.76 8.15
QualT p 9.84 10.33
Sunbit p 16.59 17.42
Tech p 17.49 18.36
USGv t 8.47 8.89
CvSec t 9.23 9.23
CrtG ft 10.94 10.94
HiYld 9.61 9.61
CmbrIdG 9.80 9.80
DR Eqty 10.90 10.90
**Dean Witter:**
AmVl t 13.06 13.06
CalTF p 11.52 11.52
Convt t 8.56 8.56
DevGr t 9.09 9.09
DvGth t 19.91 19.91
GPlus t 8.94 8.94
HiYld 11.80 12.49
NYTF t 10.79 10.79
NtlRa t 9.50 9.50
Optn t 8.06 8.06
SearT p 10.93 10.93
AdTx p 9.13 9.13
Mngd t 10.17 10.17
Strat 9.38 9.93
TaxEx 10.81 11.26
USGvt t 9.52 9.52
Util t 10.49 10.49
ValAd t 12.01 12.01
WldW t 15.16 15.16
**Delaware Group:**
Dectrl 16.89 18.46
Dectll p 11.47 12.04
Delaw 15.15 16.56
Delcp p 13.31 13.97
Delchl 7.60 8.15
Dlchll p 7.60 7.98
Gvtin p 8.62 9.05
Inves p 9.72 9.72
TxFPa 7.68 8.06
TF USI 10.41 10.93
TxFU 11.23 11.79
Trend 7.84 8.57
**DIT Funds:**
CaGth p 12.72 NL
Curnt p 9.71 NL
GvtSc p 9.64 NL
OTCG p 24.45 NL
Destinyl 11.80
Destll 17.69
**Dimensional Fds:**
Cont 12.00 NL
Small 7.66 NL
Fixd 101.21 NL
Govt 104.13 NL
Japan 31.03 NL
UKing 26.27 NL
DG Div 22.12 NL
DodCx Bl 32.64 NL
DodCx St 36.02 NL
DblExC
DbleTx
**Drexel Burnham:**
Burnh 20.78 21.87
DS BD t 10.64 10.64
DS Cv t 8.31 8.31
DST E t 9.50 9.50
DS Gv t 9.32 9.32
DS Gr t 12.08 12.08
DS Ld t 9.58 9.58
DST Op 9.36 9.36
DS P t 10.40 10.40
FenEq t 10.57 10.57
TFLtd 10.41 10.57
TFLg p 9.30 9.71
**Dreyfus Grp:**
A Bond 13.46 NL
CalTx 14.32 NL
CapV p 25.21 26.40
CvSec 8.88 NL
Dreyf 10.76 11.76
GNM p 14.47 NL
GthOp 9.88 NL
InsTx p 17.18 NL
Interm 13.34 NL
Levge 14.20 14.67
Mas Tx 15.50 NL
NJ Tx p 12.05 NL
NwLd p 22.72 NL
NY Tax 14.66 NL
NYTE 16.26 NL
NYIn p 10.45 NL
ShInT 12.50 NL
StrAg p 26.31 27.12
Strinc p 12.79 13.39
Strinv p 16.20 16.96
StrW p 19.99 20.61
Tax Ex 12.19 NL
Thrd C 6.26 NL
USG In 12.33 NL
**Eaton Vance:**
EHStk 13.36 14.40
GvtOb p 11.33 11.90
Grwth 6.85 7.19
HiYld 5.01 5.26
IncBos 9.54 10.02
Invest 7.04 7.39
MunBd 8.87 9.31
Nautle 9.90 10.39
SpEqt 17.53 18.90
TotRt p 7.99 8.39
VS Spl 10.13 10.64
**Eaton V Marathn:**
CalMn t 9.72 9.72
Hilnc t 9.38 9.38
HiMun t 9.52 9.52
EclipEq 10.06 NL
EmpBld 16.59 17.42
**Enterprise Funds:**
Grinc t 13.62 13.62
Grwth t 6.57 6.57
HYBd 12.45 12.45
**Equitec Siebel:**
AgGth t 11.42 11.42
HiYld tf 8.76 8.76
TotRet t 12.86 12.86
USGv t 9.27 9.27
EqStrat 19.03 19.03
**Evergreen Funds:**
Evgrn 12.06 NL
TotRtn 17.06 NL
ValTm 11.43 NL
FBL Gth t 10.52 10.52
**FPA Funds:**
Capit 12.35 13.21
Nwinc 9.57 10.02
Parmt 13.94 14.91
Peren 18.86 20.17
Fairmt 45.77 45.77
**Federated Funds:**
CpCsh 9.09 NL
Exch 50.34 NL
FBF 8.83 NL
FT Int 17.34 NL
Fdrint 9.48 NL
FloatT 9.45 NL
GNMA 10.73 NL
Gwth 16.81 NL
HiYld 9.97 NL
Inco 10.11 NL
FIMT 9.78 NL
MtgSc 9.93 NL
Short 10.15 NL
StGT 9.91 NL
StkBd 15.27 15.27
Stock 22.47 NL
USGov 9.02 NL
**Fidelity Invest:**
AgrTF r 11.25 NL
Balanc 10.68 10.90
BluCh 10.27 10.48
CA TF 10.86 NL
CA In 9.42 NL
Cda r 12.57 12.83
CapAp r 14.01 14.30
CongSt 91.32 91.32
ConnT 10.30 NL
Contra 13.16 NL
CnvSc 10.02 10.02
Eq Inc 25.57 26.09
Eqldx 10.65 NL
Europ r 13.12 13.39
Exch 70.01 NL
Fidel 15.37 NL
FlexB 6.69 NL
Fredm 12.55 NL
GloBd r 11.68 11.68
GNMA 10.03 NL
GovtSc 9.32 NL
GroInc 14.84 15.14
GroCo 14.49 14.94
Hilnc 8.59 NL
HiYld 12.21 12.21
InsMu 10.65 NL
IntBd 9.92 NL
IntGr r 12.02 12.14
LtdMn 9.19 9.19
MagIn 48.28 49.77
MI TF 10.66 NL
MA TF 10.88 NL
MN TF 10.18 NL
MtgSc 9.90 NL
MunBd 7.87 7.87
Oh TF 10.39 NL
NJ HY 10.19 NL
NY HY 11.43 NL
NY Ins 10.51 10.51
OTC 17.59 18.13
Ovrse 25.96 26.76
PcBas r 14.89 15.19
Pa TF 9.56 NL
Puritn 12.98 13.24
RealEs 8.92 9.10
ShtBd 9.25 NL
ShtTGv 9.83 NL
Sht TF 9.44 9.44
SpcSit 16.02 16.69
TX TF 9.92 NL
Trend r 37.37 37.37
UtilInc 11.01 11.23
Value 26.04 NL
**Fidl Inv Instit:**
CTAR r 9.20 NL
EqP G 11.97 11.97
EqP I 11.09 NL
IP LTD 10.18 NL
IP SG 9.44 NL
TE Ltd 10.51 NL
QualD 11.99 11.99
**Fidelity Selects:**
SlAir r 9.31 9.50
SlAGI r 14.75 15.05
SlAut r 11.43 11.66
SlBio r 9.77 9.97
SlBrd r 12.54 12.80
SlBrk r 7.53 7.68
SlCap r 9.36 9.55
SlChe r 20.76 21.18
SlCmp r 9.89 10.09
SlDef r 11.45 11.68
SlElec r 6.30 6.43
SelEUt 9.52 9.71
SlEng r 12.40 12.65
SlEnS r 7.19 7.34
SlFnS r 26.02 26.59
SlFd r 18.01 18.38
SlHlth r 33.93 34.62
Slind r 12.77 12.97
SlLeas r 22.77 23.23
SlMD r 7.60 7.76
SlMetl r 12.03 12.28
SlPap r 11.33 11.56
SlPrp r 10.87 11.09
SlReg r 9.83 10.03
SlRetl r 12.89 13.15
SISL r 9.27 9.46
SlSoft r 13.24 13.51
SlTec r 15.53 15.85
SlTele r 18.26 18.63
SlUtil r 26.64 27.18
**Fidl Plymth:**
Aggin p 9.79 10.20
GibNt p
GovSc t 9.12 9.50
GrOp p 13.81 14.39
HiMu p
IncGt p 10.96 11.42
ST Bd p 9.84 9.99
SpcSit p 15.90 16.56
FiduCap 14.29 NL
**Financial Prog:**
Dynam 6.54 NL
FSB Gv 6.92 6.92
FSP Eg 9.11 NL
FSP Eu 8.97 NL
FSP Fn 7.39 NL
FSP U 8.59 NL
FinTx 14.08 NL
Gold 5.12 NL
HISci 13.66 NL
HiYld 7.80 7.80
Indust 3.49 NL
Incom 7.95 NL
Leisr 11.51 NL
Pacif 12.87 NL
Select 6.40 6.40
Tech 9.90 NL
FstEag r 11.43 11.43
**Fst Investors:**
BdAp p 10.33 11.14
Disco p 8.27 9.04
Govt p 10.98 11.84
Gwth p 5.66 6.17
HighY p 13.26 14.30
Inco p 5.24 5.73
IntSc p 4.44 4.85
NYTF p 13.40 14.45
SpcBd 13.38 14.43
TxEx p 9.80 10.57
Value p 10.56 11.54
FiTrUS p 10.06 10.56
**Flag Investors:**
CrpCa p 9.56 NL
EmGt p 10.74 11.25
IntTr p 12.16 12.73
TelIn p 17.11
TRTs p 10.08 10.53
**Flagship Group:**
AZTE p 9.36 9.77
CpCah p 34.77 NL
CTTE p 9.48 9.90
GATE p 9.54 9.96
KYTE p 9.62 10.04
MITE p 10.38 10.84
NCTE p 9.22 9.62
OHTE p 10.26 10.70
PATE p 9.26 9.67
TnTE p 9.88 10.31
VATE p 9.52 9.94
**Flex Funds:**
Bond p 18.32 NL
Grth p 10.22 NL
IncGr p 19.04 NL
RetGr p 10.20 NL
**Fortress Invst:**
GISI r 9.20 9.29
HiQal t 11.91 12.03
HY TF t 9.93 10.03
TP US r 9.92 10.02
44 WlEq 4.22 4.26
44Wall r 2.29 2.29
**Founders Group:**
BlueC p 6.54 NL
Frntr p 13.49 NL
Gwth p 7.56 NL
Inco p 6.99 NL
Specl 5.47 NL
**Franklin Group:**
AGE 3.33 3.47
AdjMt 10.10 10.52
Calins 10.77 11.22
CvtSc 9.31 9.70
CpCah 7.67 NL
DNTC 11.22 11.69
Equity 6.42 6.69
FedTx 11.21 11.68
Gold 11.44 11.92
Grwth 19.32 20.13
HY TF 10.46 10.89
Incom 2.08 2.15
InsTF 11.04 11.50
KyTxFr 6.53 6.53
**Keystone:**
CusB1 t 15.54 15.54
CusB2 t 18.09 18.09
CusB4 t 6.75 6.75
CusK1 t 8.29 8.29
CusK2 t 6.54 6.54
CusS1 t 19.80 19.80
CusS3 t 7.17 7.17
CusS4 t 4.46 4.46
Intl t 7.41 7.41
KPM t 16.45 16.45
TxETr t 10.80 10.80
TaxF t 8.25 8.25
**Keystone America:**
Eqin t 9.53 9.72
GovSc t 9.82 10.02
GtStk t 10.95 11.17
HiYld t 9.29 9.48
InvGd t
TxFr t 10.01 10.21
**Kidder Group:**
Gvt t 14.33 14.33
KPE t 16.57 16.57
MktGd 14.47 15.07
Natl 15.37 16.01
NY Ser 14.79 15.41
SpGth t 14.85 14.85
**Landmark Funds:**
CapGt 8.68 NL
GthInc 10.31 NL
NYTF 9.50 NL
USGov 9.00 NL
LMH 19.65 19.65
**Legg Mason:**
GvInt p 9.84 NL
SpInv p 9.96 NL
TotRt p 9.23 NL
ValTr p 25.88 NL
LehOpt 23.96 NL
Levrge 5.62 5.62
**Lexington Grp:**
CLdr f 12.00 12.50
GNMA 7.58 7.58
Globl 11.51 12.12
Goldfd 5.43 NL
Grwth 8.73 NL
Resch 14.50 NL
TE Bnd 10.00 NL
**Liberty Family:**
Am Ldr 12.41 12.99
CnvInc 10.25 10.73
Hi Icm 11.12 11.64
PrgIEq 9.12 9.55
Tx Fre 10.24 10.72
US Gvt 8.21 8.60
LibMuG 9.61 10.01
LtdTrm p 12.72 13.06
LindDv r 22.72 NL
Lindr r 17.72 NL
**Loomis Sayles:**
Capit 16.35 NL
Mut 20.13 NL
**Lord Abbett:**
Affilfd 9.10 9.81
BdDeb 9.45 10.19
Dev Gt 6.64 7.16
FdVal 9.85 10.62
GvSc p 2.90 3.04
TaxFr 10.69 11.22
TFCa p 10.03 10.53
TxNY 10.78 11.32
ValAp 10.34 11.15
**Lutheran Bro:**
BroHi 9.56 10.08
Fund 14.78 15.56
Incom 8.45 8.89
Muni 8.04 8.46
**MFS:**
MIT 12.03 12.97
FinDv 10.18 10.98
GrtStk 8.39 9.05
CapDv 11.45 12.35
Specl 9.36 10.09
Sectr p 9.93 10.43
EmGt 12.66 13.65
TotRet 10.30 11.11
GvGu p 9.24 9.70
GvHY p 7.82 8.21
IntBnd 12.50 13.48
FinBd 12.95 13.96
GovPr 9.63 10.01
HilBd 6.07 6.54
HilnI 9.06 9.51
MuBd 10.34 10.86
TFCA p 5.03 5.28
MuMA 10.55 11.08
MMD p 10.63 11.16
MuNC 11.00 11.55
MuSC 11.10 11.65
MuVA 10.81 11.35
MuWV 10.56 11.09
MuHY 9.57 10.05
**MFS Lifetime:**
CapG t 9.38 9.38
Globl t 11.21 11.21
Sectr t 7.86 7.86
Emg t 5.91 5.91
DivPl t 8.63 8.63
GvPl t 7.74 7.74
Hilnc t 6.92 6.92
IntInc r 9.77 9.77
MuBd t 8.11 8.11
**MIMLIC Funds:**
AstAll 10.56 11.12
Invl 10.58 11.14
MtgSc 9.94 10.46
MSB Fd p 18.19 NL
**MacKay Shields:**
CaAp t 9.36 9.36
Conv t 8.78 8.78
CrpBd t 9.11 9.11
Globl t 9.92 9.92
GovPl t 8.99 8.99
TxFB t 9.72 9.72
TotRt t 10.49 10.49
Value t 9.88 9.88
**Mackenzie Grp:**
GvtSc p 7.43 7.78
AmFd 11.37 12.43
Optinc 6.87 7.29
**MassMutl Fds:**
Balan p 10.08 10.55
InvGr p 10.36 10.85
USGv p 9.60 10.05
ValSt p
Mathers 15.71 NL
Meschrt 25.90 25.90
**Meritor Funds:**
PATF 11.93 NL
USGvt 11.85 NL
Grwth 10.54 NL
**Merrill Lynch:**
BaVIA 18.39 19.67
BaVIB t 18.38 18.38
CaMA 10.88 11.33
CaMB t 10.88 10.88
CapFA 22.54 24.11
CFdB t 22.52 22.52
CpDiv 9.63 9.63
CpHiA 7.84 8.17
CpHiB t 7.84 7.84
CHQA 10.94 11.40
CHQB t 10.94 10.94
CpIT 10.91 11.13
EqBl r 11.88 12.38
EuroA 8.95 9.57
EurB t 8.92 8.92
FdSc p 9.19 9.80
FFTA 15.40 16.47
FFTB t 15.37 15.37
GICvA 9.89 10.30
GICvB t 9.89 9.89
InstIn p 9.33 9.33
InHdA 11.49 12.29
IntHB t 11.48 11.48
MHYA 10.04 10.46
MHYB t 10.04 10.04
MnlA 9.27 9.46
MnlB t 9.27 9.27
MninA 7.71 8.03
MninB t 7.71 7.71
MnLtd 9.69 9.76
NYMA 10.65 11.09
NYMB t 10.65 10.65
NtRsA 12.27 13.12
NtRsB t 12.25 12.25
PacA f 19.83 21.21
PacB tf 19.81 19.81
PhnxA 11.79 12.61
PhxB t 11.79 11.79
RtBA 11.08 11.85
RtBnB t 11.07 11.07
RtEqA 9.78 10.46
RtEqB t 9.78 9.78
RtInc t 9.26 9.26
RtGlA 10.51 10.95
RtGlB t 10.51 10.51
SciTA 10.48 11.21
SciTB t 10.47 10.47
SpVlA 11.60 12.41
SpVlB t 11.59 11.59
StDvA 10.84 11.59
StDvB t 10.84 10.84
**MetLife StateSt:**
CaAp p 10.53 11.03
EqInc p 8.86 9.28
EqInv p 9.58 10.03
GvSc p 6.69 7.01
GvtIn p 11.42 NL
Hilnc p 7.21 7.55
TxEx p 7.17 7.51
**MidAmerica Fds:**
MidAm 5.30 5.79
MAHG 3.92 4.28
MAHY 9.89 10.47
MidasG p 2.67 2.84
**Midwest:**
FI Gt p 11.63 12.21
FIGvt p 10.04 10.46
FI Tr p 8.70 9.06
IntGv p 10.02 10.22
TFLt p 10.05 10.26
Monitr p 15.87 16.45
MorKg p 11.00 11.34
Morison p 5.10 5.50
Mut Ben 14.40 15.74
**Mutual of Omaha:**
Amer 10.00 10.00
Grwth 7.35 7.99
Incom 9.09 9.86
Tx Fre 11.15 12.12
**Mutual Series:**
Beacn 24.14 NL
Qualfd 24.03 NL
Shares 72.53 NL
Nat Avia 10.89 11.43
NatInd 11.69 11.69
**Nat Securities:**
Bond 2.44 2.63
CaTxE 12.50 13.09
Fairfd 6.92 7.56
FedSc 8.96 9.61
Grwth 9.56 10.31
Incom 8.03 8.66
Prefd 7.37 7.96
Prem 10.61 11.38
RealE 8.15 8.83
REInc 9.75 10.57
Stock 7.76 8.37
StrAll p 10.96 11.88
Tax Ex 9.73 10.19
TotRe 7.20 7.76
NatTele 14.77 15.51
**Nationwide Fds:**
NatBd 9.24 9.99
NatFd 13.39 14.48
NatGt 8.67 9.37
TxFre 9.20 9.20
**Neuberger Berm:**
Enrgy 16.75 NL
Guard 36.37 NL
Libty 4.19 NL
LtMat 9.78 NL
Manht 9.01 NL
MMPIu 9.84 NL
Partnr 16.86 NL
**NewEngland Fds:**
Bdlnc p 10.95 11.71
Eqty p 9.50 10.16
GlobG p 12.31 13.17
GvSc p 11.85 12.67
Gwth p 7.67 8.20
RetEq p 6.23 6.66
TxEx p 6.98 7.31
NYMun p 1.08 1.08
NewtGth
Newtin 8.03 NL
**Nicholas Group:**
Nich 33.02 NL
Nch II 17.68 NL
Nchln 3.76 NL
NchLt 11.06 NL
NodCnvS 8.05 8.05
NelnvGr 18.98 NL
NelnvTr 11.84 NL
Nomur f 19.83 NL
NovaFd r 12.08 12.58
**Nuveen Funds:**
CA Spc 9.36 9.75
CA Ins 9.14 9.52
InsNat 9.24 9.63
MunBd 8.54 8.90
OhTF 9.04 9.42
TFNY 9.18 9.56
Oberws t 9.16 9.54
OhyEqIn 12.19 12.19
OldDom 20.80 22.73
**Oppenheimer Fd:**
AsetA p 9.82 10.31
BlueC p 12.70 13.33
Direct 19.80 21.64
EqInc 8.45 9.23
GNM p 13.30 13.96
Global 24.82 27.13
Gold 12.48 13.64
Hi Yld 15.66 16.79
NYTx p 11.84 12.43
90-10 14.20 15.39
OTCF p 17.35 18.22
Oppen 7.81 8.54
Prem 21.66 23.67
Rgcy 12.22 13.36
Specl 16.81 18.37
Target 15.74 16.52
TxFr p 9.21 9.67
Time 15.03 16.43
TotRt p 6.33 6.65
USGv p 9.43 10.11
OTC Sc p 16.25 17.02
**Pacific Horizon:**
AgGr p 12.89 13.50
CATF p 13.40 14.03
HYBd 14.45 15.13
PIMIT LD 9.86 NL
PIMIT Tr 9.94 NL
**Paine Webber:**
AstAll p 10.05 NL
Atlas 14.94 16.33
Amer f 13.50 14.75
CalTx f 10.67 11.14
GNMA f 9.28 9.69
HiYld f 8.60 8.98
HYMu f 9.80 10.23
InvGd f 9.53 9.95
MatE t 10.41 10.41
MatGl t 11.50 11.50
MatGt p 10.46 NL
Matln p 9.05 NL
Olymp f
TaxEx f 10.98 11.47
Parnsus 21.90 22.89
PasadG 16.06 16.56
PatrtCC 48.32 48.44
PaxWld 12.46 NL
Penn Sq 9.30 NL
PennMu r 6.85 6.85
PermPrt 14.93 NL
PrmTbil 54.24 NL
Phila 5.51 6.02
**Phoenix Series:**
Balan 12.06 13.18
CvFd 15.36 16.79
Grwth 15.77 17.23
HiQual 8.91 9.35
HiYld 8.80 9.24
Stock 10.94 11.96
TotRt p 12.74 13.38
**Pilgrim Grp:**
CpInv p 17.57 17.84
FgnSec 9.36 9.83
FHiIn p 8.85 9.29
GNMA 13.94 14.64
HiYld p 7.23 7.59
Mag 9.19 9.65
Preld p 20.12 20.58
**Pioneer Fund:**
Bond 8.96 9.38
MuBd 9.27 9.71
Fund 20.98 22.93
II 18.35 20.05
III 14.83 16.21
**Piper Jaffray:**
Balan p 9.05 9.43
Govt 9.39 9.78
Sectr 8.09 8.43
Value p 9.30 9.69
**Price Funds:**
CalTF 9.21 NL
CapAp 10.98 NL
Equin 13.79 NL
GNMA 9.15 NL
Grwth 14.85 NL
GthInc 12.76 NL
HiYld 10.28 NL
Incom 8.44 NL
IntlBd 10.51 NL
IntlStk 10.11 NL
MdTxF 9.24 NL
NewA 11.87 NL
N Era 19.50 NL
N Horz 10.23 NL
NYTF 9.57 NL
SciTc 8.47 NL
ShTrB 4.94 NL
SmCVl 8.83 NL
TxFrI 8.56 NL
TxFrSI 5.08 NL
PrimryT 10.98 NL
**Princor Funds:**
CapAc 16.96 17.85
Govt 10.26 10.77
Gwth 16.69 17.57
PruSpc p 7.27 NL
**Prudential Bache:**
CalMu t 10.56 10.56
CpDiv t 17.38 17.38
Equt t 9.08 9.08
Eqlnc t 9.48 9.48
FIAg t 9.49 9.49
FICn t 9.42 9.42
GNMA t 14.57 14.57
Globl t 10.35 10.35
GlbGn t 10.66 10.66
GlbRs t 9.20 9.20
GvPl t 9.20 9.20
GvPll t 8.89 8.89
GvtSc p 9.92 9.92
GtOp t 10.98 10.98
HiYld t 9.73 9.73
InVer t 10.15 10.15
MuAz t 10.79 10.79
MuGa t 11.04 11.04
MuHI t 10.40 10.40
MuIn t 10.35 10.35
MuMd t 10.26 10.26
MuMa t 10.59 10.59
MuMn t 10.89 10.89
MuMI t 10.76 10.76
MuMT t 10.05 10.05
MuNC t 10.47 10.47
MuNJ t 10.08 10.08
MuNY t 10.67 10.67
MuOr t 10.86 10.86
MuOh t 10.63 10.63
MuPa t 9.60 9.60
NtMu t 14.90 14.90
OptGl t 8.09 8.09
Reah t 12.79 12.79
Util t 14.72 14.72
**Putnam Funds:**
CCArp 39.25 40.26
CCDsp 40.91 41.96
CalTx 15.36 16.13
HI Yld 14.55 15.60
HYdll p 11.35 12.17
Incom 6.79 7.28
InfoSc 14.78 16.15
Int Eq 25.71 26.10
Invest 6.83 7.46
IntMu 10.39 NL
MgdBd 8.40 NL
MgdMI 8.70 NL
PrimE 8.73 NL
Specl 14.75 NL
Stock 14.33 NL
TotRet 22.31 NL
Univ 12.67 NL
**Strategic Funds:**
Gold 4.79 5.23
Invst 3.23 3.53
Silvr 4.14 4.52
StratnDv 23.62 NL
Strat Gth 19.57 NL
**Strong Funds:**
Discov 12.12 12.37
GovSc 10.07 NL
Inco 11.87 NL
Invst 18.22 18.40
Oppty 17.64 18.00
ST Bd 10.18 NL
TFInc 9.34 NL
Total 19.99 20.19
TecuEq 9.78 10.27
Tecumin 9.84 10.33
**Templeton Group:**
Frgn 19.35 21.15
Glob I 37.61
Glob II 11.84 12.94
Grwth 13.94 15.23
Inco 10.24 11.19
World 14.34 15.67
**Thomson McKinn:**
CvSec t 9.96 9.96
Global t 10.39 10.39
Gwth t 13.76 13.76
Inco t 9.71 9.71
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Indiana Lions Club members stop in Reynosa after finally gaining the necessary approval to cross the border from Texas into Mexico. The caravan, carrying eyeglasses and medical supplies for Guatemala, hit a bureaucratic snag Tuesday.

## 'Bureaucracy' delays convoy to Guatemala

REYNOSA, Mexico (AP) — Used eyeglasses, 14,000 pairs of them, were temporarily delayed en route to new owners in Guatemala, when a humanitarian convoy that originated in Indiana ran into a bureaucratic snag at the Texas-Mexico border.

The Lions Clubs' "Mission to Guatemala" finally resumed its southbound journey Wednesday afternoon after negotiating a fee with customs officials with the Mexican federal government in the border city of Reynosa.

Members of the service organization said the delay began Tuesday when they refused to pay Mexican officials $6,000 to pass through the country. The Lions agreed Wednesday to pay $800 for a customs guard to accompany the 12 vehicles and their cargo of medical supplies to the Guatemalan border.

The convoy of six ambulances, two fire trucks, a school bus, a car, a van and a pickup truck to be left in the impoverished Central American nation originated in Indianapolis on Saturday. The convoy includes club members from Indiana, California, Sweden and Texas.

Customs officials with the Mexican government said Wednesday there had been a misunderstanding Tuesday between the Lions group and customs employees at the international bridge.

"Some of the customs agents must have been misinformed if they quoted that price ($6,000)," said Jorge Martinez Galvan, assistant Mexican customs chief at Reynosa.

"This fee ($800) for the customs inspector is to ensure that none of the cargo stays in Mexico," Martinez said.

Many of the items would face import taxes if they were introduced into the Mexican market, he said.

Convoy leader James Cameron, 56, of Urbana, Ind., said this is the fourth year the group has carried aid to Guatemala. Last year, Mexican officials only charged $30 per vehicle, he added.

"We've had a problem every year here at this border," Cameron said. "It's real discouraging, because we're all volunteers, and we're just trying to help people down in Guatemala, and we're trying to improve international relations instead of running them down."

Conny Kingfors, a Lions member from Stockholm, Sweden, traveling with the group said he did not understand why there should be a fee.

"They must know that this organization is trying to help poor people, so why do they hold us here?" Kingfors said.

Syndicated columnist Bob Greene with the Chicago Tribune said he has written columns about the Lions Clubs' eyeglasses project that resulted in people around the country donating more than 27,000 pairs to the organization.

"Here are Americans who dig into their bottom drawers for their old glasses," Greene said in a telephone interview Wednesday. "It's just puzzling that anybody would want to hold this up. Obviously, the Lions are not going to make money."

The used glasses gathered from donations around the United States are marked for the prescriptions they match and given to people who need them. Most Guatemalans cannot afford the $100 a pair would cost in the Central American nation, Cameron said.

A group of 14 opticians and optometrists with other volunteers will fly to Guatemala to give eye examinations and match pairs of glasses with pairs of eyes, he said.

## More than 500 killed as storm hits Bangladesh

DHAKA, Bangladesh (AP) — Strong winds and cloudy skies hampered helicopter search and rescue operations today in battered coastal regions and tiny sand bars where more than 500 people were reported dead after a cyclone.

The cyclone lashed the Bay of Bengal coast Tuesday night, churning up 15-foot-high waves that submerged low-lying islands and pounding the mainland with winds up to 102 mph.

Dhaka newspapers said at least 500 people died and more than 1,000 were missing in Bangladesh. In neighboring India, police sources said about 80 people were killed in West Bengal state.

Official figures in both countries were much lower, reflecting both bureaucratic delays and the nearly impossible task of obtaining fast and accurate information from areas where communications are poor even in good weather.

The human toll and the difficulty in accurately assessing it were augmented by the settlement of thousands of peasants and fishermen on newly emerging islands off the Bangladesh coast.

Hundreds of these islands, most of them narrow sand bars that are partially submerged each day even by normal tides, have been created by silt and sediment dumped into the Bay of Bengal from the rivers that originate in the Himalayas of India and Nepal.

In Dhaka, official sources said the death toll in Bangladesh was 350.

In Calcutta, capital of West Bengal state, a senior police officer insisted he had only five confirmed death reports for the entire state, even though other Indian officials said Wednesday night that 29 people were known to have perished in the storm.

All the officials spoke on condition of anonymity.

United News of India put Bangladesh's death toll at 870, saying this included 500 fishermen caught in the storm.

The cyclone struck while Bangladesh was still trying to recover from last summer's floods that killed about 1,500 people and destroyed the homes of more than one-fifth of the population of 110 million.

# Salinas taking office in Mexico

MEXICO CITY (AP) — Carlos Salinas de Gortari, a disciple and exponent of the free market who becomes president of Mexico today, welcomed Latin American leaders and diplomats from around the world despite protests from his electoral opponents.

Cuban President Fidel Castro, Nicaraguan President Daniel Ortega and other heads of state attended a private Wednesday night dinner for Salinas at the National Palace.

Salinas is scheduled to take the reins of power from President Miguel de la Madrid at 11 a.m. today after his opponents register their objections in speeches on national television.

"This is a very important advance on the road to democracy," said Juan Cardenas Garcia, spokesman for the Popular Socialist Party. "We will be able to get our message to the Mexican people without violence or problems."

The opposition claims that Salinas' election on July 6 was won by fraud and opposition leader Cuauhtemoc Cardenas has said that foreign heads of state attending the inauguration are supporting an "illegitimate government."

With cabinet appointments announced Wednesday, Salinas served notice that he intends to push ahead with the economic policies he designed while serving as his predecessor's budget director: encouraging competition and reducing state involvement in the economy in an effort to promote growth.

Several key appointees are young, worked with Salinas under President Miguel de la Madrid and, like Salinas, have degrees in economics from top-ranked U.S. schools.

Salinas has said his biggest concern is "to get Mexico to grow again," and to do that the country needs both new investment and the use of resources that now go abroad as payments on Mexico's $102 billion foreign debt.

In charge of renegotiating that debt will be Treasury Secretary Pedro Aspe, 38, who earned a Ph.D from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Other key appointments include Jaime Serra Puche, 37, who worked for Salinas in the budget office, as minister of commerce and industry, and close associate Fernando Solana, 57, as foreign minister.

Salinas, who has a Ph.D. in economics and government from Harvard, will be inheriting a country with a lot of problems: the debt, an economy that has been stagnant for six years, an inflation rate of 40 percent and an electoral system that has lost credibility.

The new president will need a quick success to demonstrate his command of the job, and he expects help from George Bush's incoming administration to gain a reduction in debt payments.

Many in the opposition still refuse to accept Salinas' July 6 victory, and they threatened to walk out during the inauguration if they were not permitted to air their objections.

A compromise allows opposition leaders to read statements in exchange for an agreement not to disrupt the actual ceremony.

Aside from Castro and Ortega, others attending will be presidents Virgilio Barco of Colombia, Raul Alfonsin of Argentina, Jose Napoleon Duarte of El Salvador, Jose Azcona Hoyo of Honduras, Vinicio Cerezo Arevalo of Guatemala and Prime Minister Manuel Esquivel of Belize.

The U.S. delegation is headed by Secretary of State George P. Shultz and includes President-elect George Bush's son John and his Mexican-American wife Columba.

Duarte, who is suffering from terminal cancer, went to the Basilica of Guadalupe and prayed before an image of the Virgin of Guadalupe. He said he had thanked the Virgin for an improvement in his health.

## Solidarity backers cheer Walesa following debate

WARSAW, Poland (AP) — Solidarity backers declared Lech Walesa the winner of an unprecedented TV debate in which he dueled with his official counterpart and urged the government to legalize the banned labor movement.

"This is a fantastic day, beautiful, which will be noted in the history of our country as a great victory for Solidarity," said film director Andrzej Wajda after Wednesday night's showdown between the Solidarity chairman and Alfred Miodowicz, head of the government's official trade unions.

"He was perfect, just perfect," a grinning Adam Michnik, a senior Solidarity adviser, said of Walesa.

It was the first time in five years that Walesa had a chance to defend his federation on state-controlled television and his longest appearance ever on Polish TV.

The exchange was broadcast live and uncensored. A clock was even placed in the background of the set to demonstrate that no deletions were made.

In the 43-minute debate, an animated Walesa spoke rapidly, challenging authorities to legalize Solidarity. He urged the official unions to join Solidarity in "creating freedom."

He also said Miodowicz, as a member of the ruling Communist Party Politburo and as leader of the All-Poland Alliance of Trade Unions, should press for the legalization of the outlawed labor movement.

"If you can make a man's decision that there is a place for Solidarity, we will immediately roll up our sleeves and we will begin working hard for Poland, because time is running out," Walesa told the 59-year-old former steelworker.

Solidarity, the East bloc's first independent union federation, was crushed under martial law in 1981 and banned in 1982. Miodowicz's group, known by its Polish initials OPZZ, was created by the government in 1982 to replace it.

The official unions say they have 7 million members, including 4.5 million former Solidarity members.

Solidarity was founded during a turbulent series of strikes in 1980. In its heyday, it said it had 10 million members.

In the debate, Walesa said proposed talks between the opposition and government could begin when officials acknowledge Solidarity's right to exist.

After the broadcast, Walesa told reporters he suffered from a severe case of flu that hampered his performance and made him "too impulsive."

Miodowicz, interviewed as he left the debate set, said only: "I have fulfilled my task. I am pleased that Mr. Walesa accepted my invitation."

The state-run PAP news agency said that although the two debaters disagreed, "the very fact of the meeting is a good prognosis for overcoming barriers in reaching ... dialogue and national agreement."

The debate brought thousands of rapt Poles to television sets. In Warsaw's Central Station, Grzegorz Streszynski missed his train to western Poland to watch. "Walesa made great remarks. I waited seven years to hear them," he said afterward.

Walesa said during the debate that all socialist countries were in difficult straits and blamed their problems on a lack of "pluralism," independent groups and ideas in public life.

In a reference to changes under way in the Soviet Union, he said conditions had never been better for reform but that Poland nevertheless was merely "toddling in place."

Miodowicz said said each enterprise should have only one trade union to avoid dividing the workforce. He said some Solidarity backers have shouted anti-state slogans like "Down with the Commune," which he called "terrifying."


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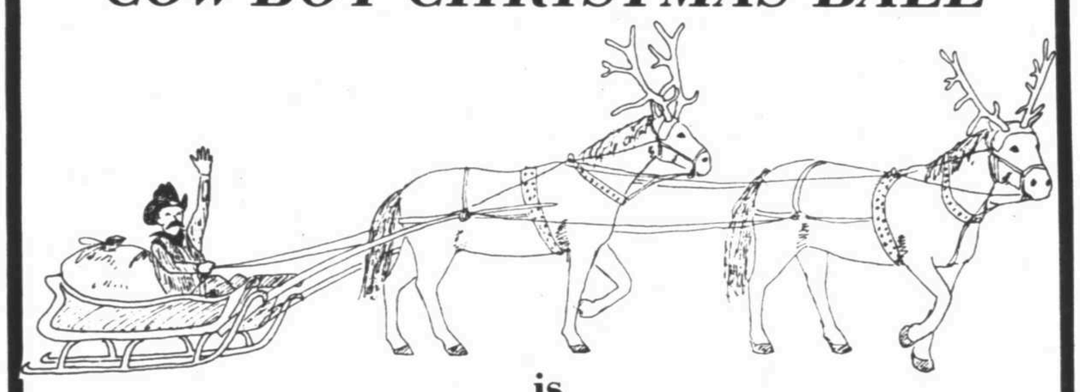


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## Chinese leader visiting Soviets

BEIJING (AP) — Foreign Minister Qian Qichen traveled to the Soviet Union today on a mission to thaw decades of icy relations between the communist powers before their leaders meet for the first time in 30 years.

"The purpose of my current visit ... (is to) promote the process of normalization between the two countries through candid and sincere dialogue," Qian said.

The official Xinhua News Agency, in a dispatch from Moscow, quoted Soviet Foreign Ministry spokesman Vadim Perfilyev as saying Qian will meet with President Mikhail S. Gorbachev.

Qian said the main focus of his talks will be the war in Cambodia, the major stumbling block to restoring normal Chinese-Soviet ties.

## Plasma used in study

LONDON (AP) — The AIDS virus disappeared from the bloodstreams of 10 patients with AIDS or a related disease when they got monthly transfusions of blood plasma from otherwise healthy carriers of the virus, researchers said today.

The researchers said the treatment apparently kills the virus without causing serious side effects.

The plasma, treated to remove viruses, contains high levels of antibodies that can kill the AIDS virus, said Dr. Abraham Karpas of the Laboratory of Molecular Biology, affiliated with Cambridge University.

AIDS patients lack such antibodies in their blood, said Karpas, who led the research team. Research details appear in December's issue of The Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences, a U.S. scientific journal, he said.

Karpas called the results of his study "very encouraging," but other AIDS researchers urged caution in interpreting them.

## Westinghouse in lawsuit

MANILA, Philippines (AP) — The government said it sued Westinghouse Electric Corp. today to cancel a contract for a nuclear power plant it says is unsafe and built after bribes were paid to an associate of Ferdinand Marcos.

Justice Secretary Sedfrey Ordonez said the suit was filed in U.S. District Court in Newark, N.J., against Westinghouse, its subsidiary Westinghouse International Projects Inc., and the contractors, Burns and Roe Enterprises Inc.

The $2.3 billion plant, on the Bataan Peninsula about 60 miles west of Manila, was completed three years ago in the final months of the Marcos administration.

But President Corazon Aquino ordered the 620-megawatt plant closed before it went into operation, saying it was unsafe and built on an earthquake fault.

Officials also say Westinghouse paid kickbacks to two companies owned by Herminio Disini, who is married to a cousin of former President Marcos' wife, Imelda. Officials say they suspect some of the money went to Marcos.

## Panda arrives in Mexico

MEXICO CITY (AP) — Chia Chia, a giant panda from the London Zoo, arrived here safely by air Wednesday, hopefully to mate with Tohui, one of the Mexico City zoo's five pandas.

The 290-pound Chia Chia, who has been on loan to the Cincinnati Zoo since September, traveled by truck to Chicago and then by commercial jetliner to Mexico City.

The seats were cleared from one end of the first class section in the Mexicana airlines jet to make room for the closed cage — one side of which was of see-through plastic — for the flight, accompanied by five officials of the London and Cincinnati zoos.

"We think he is in very good shape. He's tired, he's a bit cross. He's been up all night," said Jo Gibbs, the London Zoo's curator of mammals. Gibbs added that Chia Chia had been eating and drinking well throughout the trip.

As to Chia Chia's chances of a fruitful meeting with the seven-year-old Tohui, Gibbs said, "I'm confident of success." He said there are "only some 18 pandas in captivity in the world and Mexico City has a clear lead in panda breeding."

## Blast rocks Chinese mine

HONG KONG (AP) — A gas explosion ripped through a coal mine in northeast China, killing 45 workers and injuring 23, an official Chinese report said today.

The domestic China News Service, in a report appearing in the Chinese-language New Evening Post newspaper, said the explosion occurred Saturday afternoon in Jixi city, about 840 miles northeast of Beijing.

The report said the cause of the explosion was under investigation and that top provincial officials went to the site to help with the probe.

No other details were provided in the brief report. The news service did not say why the accident was not reported earlier.

There have been several other fatal mine explosions in China this year. More than 50 people died in a mine blast near Guiyang in southern China's Guizhou province in May.

A few weeks later, 49 people were killed in a coal mine explosion in northern Shanxi province. In August, 44 miners died when a gas explosion devastated a coal mine in western China's Gansu province.

# *Israeli coaltion deadlocked as group joins Labor*

JERUSALEM (AP) — The left-of-center Labor Party and the right-wing Likud bloc deadlocked today in rival efforts to form a coalition government after one of four key religious parties defected from Likud to Labor.

The move by the five-member, ultra-Orthodox Agudat Israel Party gave Labor the support of 60 legislators in the 120-member Knesset — not enough to form a government but sufficient to block Likud, which has the backing of 58 parliamentarians.

The balance of power now is in the hands of the undecided Torah Flag party, which has two seats.

Party leader Rabbi Avraham Ravitz said he preferred a broad-based government that would include both Labor and Likud but didn't "rule out the possibility that Labor will form the government."

It was the latest turnaround in complicated coalition talks that have dragged on since the Nov. 1 election in which Likud, headed by Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir, won 40 seats while Labor, led by Foreign Minister Shimon Peres, won 39 seats.

Shamir, who was asked by President Chaim Herzog to try to form a government, said on Israel radio he was still optimistic he could do it.

Earlier this week, Shamir appeared to have the firm support of 65 Parliament members, including those of the four religious and three right-wing parties.

But the religious parties started to bolt when Shamir asked Labor to join the government. The smaller parties feared Likud, to accomodate Labor, would break promises to them.

Political alignments were shaken again when Labor's Executive Bureau voted Wednesday night not to join a government headed by Likud.



Labor Party leader Shimon Peres, right, hold as animated discussion with rival Israeli Defense Minister Yitzhak Rabin, left, leader of the Likud party, as an unidentified man looks on.

AP Laserphoto

The vote was seen as a rebellion against the party leadership, which recommended negotiations with Likud.

Peres said he would try to form a narrow government but that such a coalition might be unstable.

"I think it's very difficult ... both for Likud and Labor, but everybody has to try. It's difficult when five members can topple the government whenever they want," Peres said in an interview with Israel television.

Some Labor legislators said Peres could also try to force Likud into a power-sharing accord, under which Shamir and Peres would switch jobs in mid-term.

Peres' chances to form a narrow government improved after Agudat Israel decided early today to sign an agreement to join a Labor government.

Rabbi Menachem Porisch, head of Agudat Israel, said his party was angered by Likud's advances toward Labor.

"After we told the president that Likud should form the government, Likud was supposed to reach an agreement with us," Porusch said on Israel radio. "But instead, the Likud ... wanted to reach an agreement with Labor."

Porusch reiterated that his party would not join a coalition without a promise that the future government pass legislation giving Orthodox rabbis sole authority over conversions to Judaism.

# U.N. panel deplores U.S. denial

UNITED NATIONS (AP) — The General Assembly voted 151-2 to condemn the United States for not letting Yasser Arafat enter the country and gave it until today to reverse the decision. U.S. officials said they would not budge.

If Arafat, the PLO chairman, is not granted a U.S. visa, Arab nations will offer a resolution to reconvene the General Assembly in Geneva so Arafat can address it. Diplomats said passage was assured.

The United States and Israel opposed Wednesday's condemnation. Britain abstained because it said the criticism was too harsh, but all other U.S. allies supported the denunciation.

The vote was conducted in a rare and dramatic roll call, requested by Jordan.

In a departure from the standard electronic voting, delegates voted in the official U.N. languages: Arabic, English, Chinese, French, Russian and Spanish. They called out "Na'm," "Yes," "Zan Cheng," "Oui," "Da," "Si," and in the case of Israel and the United States, "No."

Absent from the roll call were Dominica, Grenada, Paraguay, St. Kitts, Nevis, and South Africa.

The resolution asked U.N. Secretary-General Javier Perez de Cuellar to inform the General Assembly by tonight of the U.S. response. Secretary of State George P. Shultz said the United States would not change its mind.

The State Department denied Arafat a visa on security grounds, saying he condones and encourages terrorism perpetrated by the Palestine Liberation Organization.

Arafat had said he wanted to explain to the General Assembly the position taken by the Palestine National Council in its recent meeting in Algiers. The council — the PLO's parliament in exile — implicitly recognized Israel's right to exist, accepting key U.N. resolutions on the Middle East calling for negotiations with states in the region.

Iraqi Ambassador Ismat Kittani said if Arafat does not receive a visa, "it will constitute a grievous blow to the process of peace in the Middle East."

"I feel very pained to see that the United States is the odd couple with Israel in the United Nations," said Clovis Maksoud, ambassador of the Arab League, which sponsored the resolution.

"We are hopeful the international outcry against the U.S. position will jolt the subsequent U.S. administration into a reassessment of its policies of bias toward Israel," he said.

Arab diplomats said they would quickly introduce a resolution to shift the General Assembly to Geneva in mid-December. The second resolution would likely be voted on by early next week, and the diplomats said they had the votes to pass it.

The United States says it does not oppose a move to Geneva and would participate in debate there.

Undersecretary-General Joseph Verner Reed said plans were already under way to move the assembly to Geneva, the European headquarters of the world body. It would be the first time the assembly has moved as an act of protest.

The PLO has had a U.N. mission in New York since 1975 and holds nonvoting observer status. It is considered the sole, legitimate representative of the Palestinian people and is invited to speak on all debates concerning Palestinians and the Middle East.

Under the 1947 U.S.-U.N. Headquarters Agreement, the United States is required to grant visas to U.N. diplomats and invitees on U.N. business.


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# Organization wants to get out FACTS about cancer

By WILLIAM KATES

SYRACUSE, N.Y. (AP) — As Irving and Gertrude Swerdlow's son, Paul, died of cancer, they felt pain, then anger and bitterness, and finally resolve.

"When you lose your own child, you have a responsibility to see that his life has not been totally wasted," said Gertrude Swerdlow. "You also have a responsibility to other parents."

The Swerdlows started FACT, a grassroots organization aimed at raising public awareness of cancer and persuading the government and public to spend more fighting a disease that touches three out of four American families.

Like many Americans, they gave little thought about the extent of cancer until their son, a 41-year-old physician in nuclear medicine and radiology, died from leukemia Feb. 28, 1985.

"The things we saw made us very, very unhappy with ourselves and very unhappy with the world we live in," said Irving Swerdlow. "Why don't we lick this thing, this cancer?"

FACT, which has grown to over 22,000 people in 18 states in 2¼ years, initially was called Families Against Cancer Terror, but 'Terror' was dropped after groups like the American Cancer Society protested its negative connotations.

"Anyone who's ever suffered through the pain of cancer with a loved one knows terror is an accurate description of what this diseases puts individuals and families through," said Swerdlow, whose eyes still become moist when he speaks of cancer's toll on his family.

FACT doesn't promote itself as a support group, but it has that effect.

"It wasn't until we learned about FACT that we realized we weren't as alone as we felt," said Gail Bouverat of Syracuse, whose 17-year-old son Marc died in February, 22 months after being diagnosed with brain cancer.

"You know an individual doesn't get cancer, a family does. It's a wonderful idea to band families together," she said. "It's not the original purpose, but it does become a support network, too."

FACT's main purpose is to refute the idea that scientists are winning the battle against cancer. That misperception has affected funding for groups like the National Cancer Institute and American Cancer Society.

"We're making progress, there's no doubt. But when you talk about cancer, you're talking about hundreds of different kinds, from just as many causes. The fight against cancer has gotten a lot of publicity but the fact remains, we're not doing as nearly enough as we can or should be doing," said Swerdlow.

"Cancer is an epidemic," added Mrs. Swerdlow. "It's a national problem that needs a national solution, the threat is so great."

Here are some of the grim facts they cite:

- More than 500,000 Americans die yearly from cancer, another 1 million are diagnosed and another 5 million are treated;
- Cancer claims a life in this country every 60 seconds, on average;
- One out of every three children born this year stands a chance of developing some type of cancer in his or her lifetime;
- Cancer is the greatest killer of children and kills more people through the age of 54 than any other cause; and
- Cancer drains the U.S. economy of approximately $70 billion yearly in earnings lost and medical care costs.

"This year, eight times as many people will die of cancer than died in the entire Vietnam war. Look at what we spend to prevent enemies from attacking our country. But here we have a silent enemy that is invading millions of bodies, and we're not mobilizing our resources," said Swerdlow.

"It's useful to have groups like this," said Dr. Peter Greenwald, the director for cancer control and prevention at the NCI in Bethesda, Md. "The more the public understands cancer research and what it takes to battle cancer, the better the chances we can conquer it."

# *Crawling babies cover new ground, researchers claim*

By SALLY CARPENTER HALE

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP) — The 8-month-old wasn't fooled when the stopwatch that had looked so interesting was covered with a cloth. He yanked the cloth away.

But research under way around the country suggests he might not have been so savvy if he hadn't yet begun to crawl.

Parents know that children experience all kinds of new things once they begin to crawl: the taste of the cat's food, the allure of their sister's room.

But psychologists say crawling also seems to trigger a variety of developmental milestones babies reach between the ages of six and nine months. They learn that toys still exist even when hidden, heights can be dangerous and objects exist that have nothing to do with themselves.

Psychologists have attributed such advances to maturation of the nervous system. But the new research is finding that developmental changes don't occur before babies are mobile, even if crawling is delayed several months.

"It's nothing short of a psychological revolution," said Rosanne Kermoian, assistant professor of psychology at Reed College. "We're finding that not only are the changes very dramatic, they're also very broad.

"We think it's not crawling itself...but the experiences that are associated with crawling. They have to pay attention to where they are located in space so when they go room to room they don't get lost."

The research has implications for babies delayed in crawling by handicaps or injuries, Kermoian said. They don't display the developmental changes until they begin to crawl, even if that occurs several months later than average.

Infants who aren't yet crawling but get around in a walker show more of the developmental advances than those who aren't mobile at all, and those who never crawl, but go directly to walking, display the changes when they begin to walk.

"There are certain very specific areas where they are developmentally delayed," she said. "...If we can show where, the better we will be able to develop appropriate therapeutic intervention."

The research shows that crawling also seems to trigger babies' understanding that they aren't the center of the universe, she said. "What we find is that as children gain experience crawling, they understand better what the mother is communicating about other things that are going on in the world. That's a huge change. If a mother points, the child looks to the event...rather than looking at the mother's finger or her face."

Kermoian has a wall full of stuffed animals to test whether babies follow their parents' gazes or pointing fingers to the toys, or whether they will look only at their parents. This also translates into watching their parents' reactions to new people before responding to them.

"They're more likely to use the mother to decide what is an appropriate response...," she said.



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Toddlers James Hale, left, and Molly Georgette discover each other on the crawl at Reed College in Portland, Ore., as part of a nationwide study on crawling babies and their development.

## *AIDS videotape effective with sailors, doctor says*

LONG BEACH, Calif. (AP) — Navy sailors were less likely to be infected by gonorrhea, and probably by the AIDS virus, after a videotape about AIDS played constantly on their aircraft carrier three days before shore leave, a doctor says.

"The incidence of gonorrhea among the crew dropped 75 percent, from 16 to four cases per 1,000 men per day," said Dr. William O. Harrison, who created the video program before his retirement last August as head of the acquired immune deficiency syndrome evaluation unit at Balboa Naval Hospital in San Diego.

"If the incidence of sexually transmitted disease is reduced, then the likelihood of being exposed to the AIDS virus is reduced by the same amount," Harrison said during a recent symposium.

# Geneticist's findings create fierce debate among scientists

By PAUL RAEBURN
AP Science Editor

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — A geneticist and his psychologist wife say they have linked mental disorders including mania, depression, hyperactivity, compulsive overeating and alcoholism to a single, inherited genetic flaw.

If they're right, the finding could revolutionize the treatment of mental illness. Difficult and expensive psychotherapy could be replaced with new drugs that would compensate for the genetic defect.

However, some geneticists say Dr. David Comings of the City of Hope National Medical Center and his wife, Brenda, are guilty of a colossal mistake or careless misuse of science.

An angry debate over their work erupted recently at the annual meeting of the American Society of Human Genetics where David Comings, president of the society this year, used his presidential address to defend his findings.

He detailed a long list of behavioral disorders that he said occurred with unusually high frequency in the relatives of people with Tourette syndrome.

David Pauls of Yale University presented similar research that directly contradicted the Comings' findings. Pauls and his colleagues found no unusually high incidence of other disorders in families with Tourette syndrome.

After Pauls presented his data and responded to critical questions from David Comings, geneticists lingered to continue the discussion.

"I disagree with you completely," Dr. Arno Motulsky, professor of medicine and genetics at the University of Washington, told the Comingses. "You make these grandiose schemes without evidence."

In Motulsky's view, that's a misuse of scientific data — making hypotheses that can't be supported by the facts.

"You revolutionize genetics if it's true — but I think it's very unlikely," he said. David Comings was visibly hurt by the criticism; Motulsky had been his teacher.

"I think you are making claims that harken back to the early days of genetics...I think you're doing genetics a disservice," Motulsky continued, referring to the early 20th century, when laziness, prostitution and criminality were said to be the result of bad genes.

**THE IMPLICATION** was that it was a good idea to sterilize such people, thereby ridding the population of undesirable traits, says Daniel J. Kevles, a historian at the California Institute of Technology and author of "In the Name of Eugenics: Genetics and the Uses of Human Heredity."

Making such generalizations has led to wildly erroneous and damaging misuse of science in the past and could easily do so again, Kevles said. He said he hadn't read the Comingses' report and couldn't comment on it directly.

Not everyone at the genetics meeting was critical of the Comingses' work. Some praised the pair for their courage in proposing such a daring hypothesis.

Dr. Victor McKusick of Johns Hopkins University, a medical geneticist who has done extensive family studies with the Amish in Pennsylvania, said, "I lean toward the view that David Comings is closer to the truth. He's a perceptive person."

Dr. David Rimoin, director of medical genetics at the University of California, Los Angeles, noted that even if the Tourette gene is responsible for some cases of mania, hyperactivity and compulsive behavior it is not likely to be the cause of all cases of those disorders.

"Many different causes can produce the same disease traits," and a single disorder — such as Tourette — can show itself in many ways, "so I'm not surprised" by the Comings findings, Rimoin said.

Even the Comingses' most ferocious critics accused them of no worse offense than shoddy science; there was no suggestion of deliberate distortion.

The Comingses based their conclusions on extensive studies of families of patients with Tourette syndrome, an inherited disorder marked by jerky movements, or tics, and uncontrollable vocal mannerisms including grunts, yelps, barks and sometimes involuntary outbursts of profanity.

**THE SYNDROME** had been thought rare, occurring in at least one in 2,000 Americans, but David Comings said in an interview he believes it occurs in as many as 1 in 200 — or about 1 million — Americans, usually becoming evident in the young, more often in boys than in girls.

In a 166-page report in the American Journal of Human Genetics, the Comingses said that attention-deficit disorder, with or without hyperactivity, is 10 times more common in Tourette families than in the general population. Obsessive-compulsive behavior is five times as common. Conduct disorders, 17 times as common. Stuttering, five times. Dyslexia, six times. Panic attacks, 13 times. Multiple phobias, three times. Depression, 11 times. Mania and severe anxiety, 20 times as common.

At the genetics meeting, Comings added alcoholism, compulsive overeating and drug abuse. Other associated symptoms include auditory hallucinations, short temper, exhibition and easiness to anger.

All of these disorders are manifestations of the yet-to-be-discovered gene that causes Tourette syndrome, the couple asserted.

They explain the findings by suggesting the gene is associated with a biochemical loss of inhibitions. "Many of the features of (Tourette syndrome) can be visualized as disinhibited, active, intrusive symptoms...," they wrote.

David and Brenda Comings say Pauls doesn't see the connections because, unlike them, he doesn't treat patients with Tourette syndrome. Pauls is a geneticist, not a psychologist.

Pauls says his studies included interviews with many relatives of Tourette syndrome patients, while many of the Comingses' studies were based on interviews with only patients and their parents.

"OUR (FINDING) is based on direct interview information," Pauls said. "Theirs is based more on clinical impression."

In a lengthy letter in the American Journal of Human Generics, Pauls and his Yale colleagues exhaustively criticized the Comingses' findings.

They said the weaknesses in their research "make it impossible to accept as valid any of the results presented..." That's strong language for an exchange in a scientific journal.

"One of our major criticisms of Comings is that he confuses symptoms with diagnosis," said Kenneth Kidd, one of the Yale researchers. "Tourette syndrome patients have symptoms of obsessive-compulsive disorder but do not have the disorder...Different disorders can have symptoms in common."

Sue Levi, past president of the Tourette Syndrome Association in New York City, said the Comingses' findings have created confusion among patients. "Our organization was contacted by people who have problems with substance abuse, problems with obesity, problems with anorexia" who suddenly thought they might be carriers of the Tourette syndrome gene, Levi said.

"We had to be even-handed about saying the jury is out," she said.

The jury may not be out for long. The association is spending $200,000 this year to enable six laboratories in the United States and Europe to search for the Tourette syndrome gene, or a genetic marker that will indicate its approximate location on human chromosomes.

**ONCE SUCH** a marker is found, researchers will be able to directly test the Comingses' hypothesis. That could happen within the next few years or the next few months, Levi said.

Despite their differences, David and Brenda Comings and the Yale group agree on one thing: Resolution of the controversy will benefit patients.

"The progress of science often involves debate and argument over data that don't agree, trying to find out why they don't agree," said Kidd.

"In the best sense, this controversy can help the broader scientific community understand what is different about the two groups. Maybe some third party will gain some insight that neither of us has."


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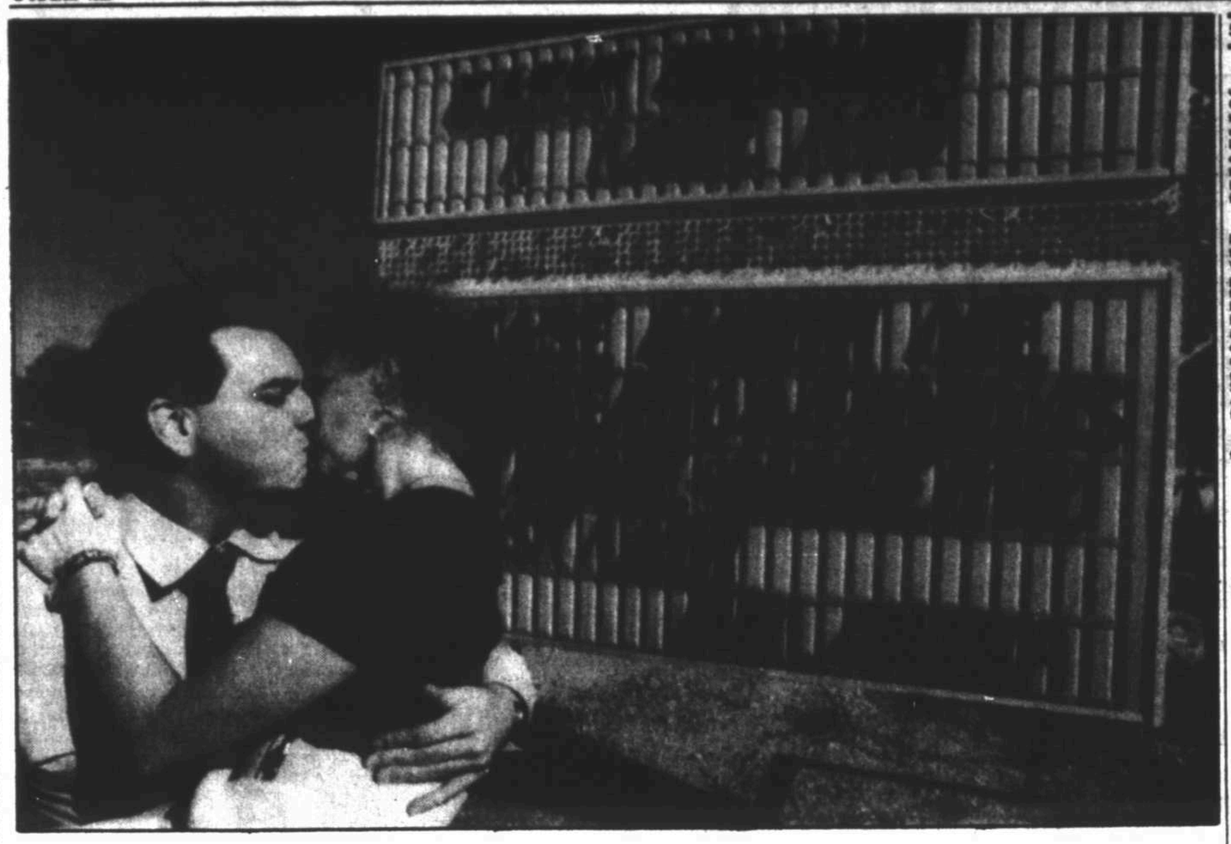
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## A sign of his love

Kathy Hohman spends her lunchbreak with her new fiance, Val Bush. Bush's marriage proposal was displayed across the street from Cypress-Fairbanks High School, northwest of Houston, where the bride-to-be is a teacher.

# Girl killed after second kidnapping

ARLINGTON (AP) — A 5-year-old girl whose body was found beside a road died of strangulation and massive head injuries after she was kidnapped from her home for the second time in two years, authorities say.

The body of Lottie Margaret Rhodes, a kindergarten student, was found Wednesday hours after she was kidnapped from her bedroom and left beside an isolated road three miles away in neighboring Grand Prairie, Arlington police said.

Police said the girl had been kidnapped from her home in 1987 by an unknown assailant and released.

Police identified the girl after her mother, Toni Rhodes, 23, reported her daughter missing shortly after 8 a.m. Wednesday.

The mother told police that someone had broken into the apartment through the child's bedroom window sometime between 2 a.m., when a live-in baby-sitter checked on the girl, and 8 a.m., when Ms. Rhodes discovered her daughter missing.

Ms. Rhodes told authorities that the kidnapper had placed some stuffed animals under the covers on the girl's bed in an apparent attempt to make it appear that the girl was in bed.

A baby-sitter, Joe Martinez, 18, had been caring for the girl and her 3-year-old brother while the mother worked at an Arlington diner.

Neighbors told authorities they did not hear anything unusual during the night although one said his dog started barking at 2 a.m., but he said he did not see anything unusual when he looked at a window.

The Dallas County medical examiner's office ruled the death a homicide, saying that an autopsy determined that the girl died of asphyxia, or lack of oxygen, and "crush force" injuries to the head.

Arlington police spokesman Dee Anderson said evidence also indicated the girl had been run over by a vehicle.

Police said they had no leads and no suspects in the case and could not say whether the homicide was related to the 1987 incident, in which the girl was found on June 22 wandering about five miles from her home.

# 23 employees fired for alleged drug use

AUSTIN (AP) — A spokesman for Advanced Micro Devices said he doesn't believe that alleged drug use at the computer chip company will have any impact on the firm's products.

Twenty-three employees were fired, including four who were arrested, in the wake of an undercover drug investigation at AMD, the nation's fifth-largest manufacturer of integrated circuits, which counts the Defense Department among its customers.

Twelve people were fired from the company's Austin plant and 11 in San Antonio, according to AMD spokesman David Frink. AMD, headquartered in Sunnyvale, Calif., employs 2,200 in Austin and 900 in San Antonio.

"We have stringent quality control measures. We don't expect there will be any significant impact to our company or our product, because we have taken this action," said Frink.

Frink added, "We're not going to tolerate drugs, or the use of drugs, or the sale of drugs, or even the possession of drugs on company premises," Frink said.

Of those fired in Austin, four were arrested on charges ranging from delivery of marijuana to delivery of cocaine, said police spokesman C.F. Adams. Three arrests occurred Tuesday night and early Wednesday at the company, police said.

Frink said the investigation began when several employees complained that drugs were being used and sold at the company.

After an initial probe by AMD's security force, the company requested help from the Austin Police Department and San Antonio division of the Texas Department of Public Safety, he said.

Drugs seized through several buys and the arrests included cocaine, methamphetamine and marijuana, said police Sgt. Rick Coy. He did not have details on the amount of drugs taken. He said further arrests were possible.

Frink and Coy, a supervisor in the Austin Police Department's narcotics division, declined to reveal the nature of the undercover investigation.

Frink also declined to say whether the employees held sensitive positions at the company.

# STATE IN BRIEF

## Texan fined $100 for killing alligator

MARIETTA, Okla. (AP) — A Texas man says he thought he was shooting at a frog when he landed a 3½ foot American alligator, but Oklahoma authorities saw things differently and fined him $100 for killing an endangered species.

Mike Turbeville, 37, of Gainesville, Texas, was given the fine Wednesday and placed on six months probation after pleading guilty in Love County court to the misdemeanor charge, authorities said.

The judge also ordered that the rare reptile, which had been stuffed and mounted on plywood, be donated to the Love County Pioneer Museum.

Turbeville said he was frog hunting last May in Leaper Lake in south central Oklahoma when he saw beady eyes staring at him. He shot it with a .22-caliber pistol.

He said that in 12 years of hunting and fishing at the lake he had never before seen an alligator. Turbeville said friends talked him into taking the alligator to a taxidermist for mounting.

A federal wildlife agent sought the state charge after seeing the mounted reptile hanging on a store's wall.

Game ranger Bob Mullinax said it's the third alligator confirmed in Love County in 14 years. He said alligators are native to the nearby Red River, which separates Oklahoma and Texas.

## De la Garza in Mexico

WASHINGTON (AP) — Rep. Kika de la Garza will be in Mexico for the inauguration of President Carlos Salinas de Gortari, the fifth straight time the Mission Democrat has attended ceremonies marking a Mexican president's rise to power.

De la Garza, chairman of the House Agriculture Committee, was invited to attend Thursday's ceremonies by Salinas. He has long been involved in U.S.-Mexico relations.

He became the first congressmen from the U.S.-Mexico border region to serve on the United States-Mexico Interparliamentary Group in 1966 and has been chairman of the U.S. delegation since 1979. The panel is the principal legislative and consulting group between the two nations.

In 1979, he was awarded the Order of the Aztec Eagle, the highest honor the government of Mexico bestows on a foreigner, for his efforts to enhance understanding between the two countries.

## Suspect declared unfit

BELLEVILLE, Ill. (AP) — The man accused of killing a Texas woman who was an intern reporter at the Belleville News-Democrat has again been found unfit to stand trial.

A three-page report on the mental fitness of Rodney Woidtke, 27, a transient from California, said he is making progress and could return to court within six months.

Based on the recommendation of mental health officials Wednesday, St. Clair County Chief Judge Stephen Kernan ordered Woidtke back to the Chester Mental Health Center, where he has been since September.

Woidtke, diagnosed as a paranoid-schizophrenic, was found unfit to stand trial in August for the murder of Audrey Cardenas, 24.

Ms. Cardenas had been in Belleville 11 days after arriving from her home in College Station, Texas.

She was reported missing June 20 when she failed to show up for work. Her body was found about a week later in a dry creek bed on the Belleville Township High School East campus.

Woidtke was arrested the same day, June 26, and charged with obstructing justice for crossing the police barricade set up at the high school.

## Women's exhibit opens

WASHINGTON (NYT) — In a sense, Washingtonians are entering a period in which they can contend that the "Guys of Texas Are Upon Us," what with the president-elect, his designated secretary of state, the speaker of the House, the chairman of the Senate Finance Committee and others yet to be appointed hailing from the Lone Star State.

This gender imbalance is to be redressed today by 51 Texas women who are artists and whose works are displayed in an exhibit at the National Museum of Women in the Arts. Included in the exhibit are some of the state's most outstanding artists, Melissa Miller of Austin and Dorothy Hood and Dee Wolff of Houston.

# Tower registered lobbyist for 5 defense firms

WASHINGTON (AP) — John Tower, the former senator and leading candidate to be Secretary of Defense in the next administration, is registered as a lobbyist for five large defense companies, according to a Tower associate and congressional records.

Tower, former chairman of the Senate Armed Services Committee, is the chief candidate to take over the top Pentagon spot, but President-elect George Bush hasn't yet made a final decision, according to sources speaking Wednesday on condition of anonymity.

Some Bush aides oppose Tower because they fear he wouldn't push hard enough to reform the Pentagon's problem-plagued system for buying weapons, the sources said.

Bush sidestepped the question Wednesday. Asked by reporters about reports of staff dissension over Tower, Bush said only, "stay tuned," repeating his favorite refrain on administration nominations. He said "all is tranquil" within his staff.

Representatives of Bush and Tower are negotiating over who might be named to high-level Defense Department jobs, the sources said.

Tower, 63, retired from Congress in 1985 after a 24-year career in the Senate, capped by his chairmanship of the Senate Armed Services Committee during President Reagan's first term.

After he retired, Tower was named by Reagan as a member of the U.S. team negotiating with the Soviets for deep cuts in the U.S.-Soviet arsenals of long-range weapons. He quit after 14 months in that post and set up a consulting firm, Tower & Associates.

Early this year, the White House asked Tower to help lobby his former Senate colleagues to ratify the treaty ridding Europe and the Soviet Union of medium-range nuclear weapons, said Richard Billmire, a Tower associate.

Tower did not return telephone calls. But Billmire said the company registered Feb. 2 as a lobbyist because Tower didn't want any conflict-of-interest questions raised about his work on the Intermediate-range Nuclear Forces treaty, as the agreement is known.

Tower & Associates is registered as a lobbyist for Martin-Marietta, Textron, LTV Aerospace and Defense Co., British Aerospace and Rockwell International.

Tower is a consultant to the five firms, Billmire said, and as such would not be required to register as a lobbyist unless he lobbied Congress on their behalf.

"We registered because the White House asked for our help on the INF treaty and we were working as consultants for these companies at the same time," said Billmire.

Billmire declined to say what the firm was paid by the five companies. But Tower might be expected to have received more than $50,000 annually from each, according to a defense contractor.

## 50 LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Pursuant to the requirements found under V.T.C.A., Parks and Wildlife Code, § 26.002, notice is hereby given to the City of Midland Parks Department and the general public of a public hearing to be held on the 13th day of December, 1988, at 10:45 a.m. in the City Council Chambers at 300 N. Loraine in the City of Midland, Texas, for the following purpose:

The City Council of the City of Midland is proposing the realignment of the portion of Lamesa Road between Wadley Avenue realignment of the portion of Lamesa Road will require the use and taking of a portion of Hogan Park located in Section 13, Block 39, T-4-S, T&P Ry. Co. Survey, Midland County, Texas. The exact location of the proposed route of Lamesa Road through a portion of Hogan Park is on File with the City Secretary at 300 N. Loraine, Room 430, Midland, Texas, and available for inspection by the general public.

The proposed program or construction is further described as follows:

A. Contractor must agree and obligate itself to restore the surface of all land which might be damaged by its operation hereunder as possible to its original condition as soon as it has finished with the use of the area where such damages occur. Contractor must further agree to indemnify against any and all claims upon the part of third person for damages or injuries of any kind or character which might arise from the contractor's operations hereunder. Specifically since this is a park site, it is understood that all construction will be done in cooperation with the Parks Superintendent of the City of Midland, in order to minimize harm or destruction to any Hogan Park facility and/or recreation activity.

B. All construction located within or on the limits of the Hogan Park proper, contractor shall repair all turf and support systems, ie., gas lines, water lines, sewer lines, etc. back to their nearest original condition with greatest care whenever possible in developed, undeveloped or non-maintained areas of Hogan Park. The layout and staking of all right of way areas for this roadway must be approved by the Parks Superintendent of the City of Midland and the Director of Traffic and Engineering.

C. All construction sites and land areas will be specifically approved to accommodate normal road construction operations in cooperation with the Superintendent of Parks for the City of Midland. Permissible construction of the right of way areas are reflected on a map on file in the office of the City Secretary and available for public inspection.

D. The City of Midland will prohibit the surface disposal or storage of dirt, construction materials, cement, asphalt or other waste, water, lime, salt or other waste on the herein above described tract of land , and contractor must agree than any construction materials of ground or dirt will be stored off the park site itself in order to protect the park site during construction operations without the written approval of the Parks Superintendent of the City of Midland, Texas.

E. Contractor must conform to all City Ordinances and Codes contained in the City Code of the City of Midland, Texas.

F. Ingress and egress to construction sites must be approved by the Superintendent of Parks of the City of Midland, Texas. The construction site will be protected by gates and fencing in accordance with all City Codes.

G. No construction will occur after 5:00 p.m. on any weekday and all construction will be prohibited on Saturdays, Sundays and any national, state and local holidays.

H. All construction vehicles, light and heavy, will be stored or parked off the park site proper during construction, without the approval of the Superintendent of parks for the City of Midland, Texas.

J. All park entrances will be left accessible during all phases of construction, or if they must be closed, will be scheduled for reopening at 5:00 p.m. every week day providing they have received the written approval of the Parks Superintendent of the City of Midland, Texas.

This public hearing is to assist the City Council in determining whether or not (1) there is no feasible and prudent alternative to the use of taking of such land for the above described project, (2) such park or project includes all reasonable planning to minimize harm to such land as a park or recreation area resulting from such use or taking.

Bill C. Clanton
City Secretary
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1. Notice is hereby given that North American Weather Consultants, a professional weather consulting company, 3761 South 700 East, Salt Lake City, Utah 84106 intends to file an application with the Texas Water Commission for a State Permit to conduct weather modification operations to change or attempt to change the natural development of clouds for the purpose, objective, period, and by the methods summarized below.

2. North American Weather Consultants currently holds a Texas Weather Modification license (License No. 85-3) issued on 26 March 1985 and, renewed by the Texas Water Commission on 25 August 1987.

3. The purpose of the weather modification operation is to increase rainfall. The objective is to enhance the water resources of the City of San Angelo. The period of the proposed permit is March 1st through November 30th for a four year period beginning in 1989.

4. The The proposed weather modification operation is to be conducted for and on behalf of the City of San Angelo, P.O. Box 1751, San Angelo, Texas 76902.

5. The proposed weather modification operation is to be carried out in a "target area" in a manner so as to cause the intended effects to occur only within that area. The target area includes all of Irion, Reagan, and Glasscock Counties and portions of Tom Green, Sterling, Coke, Schleicher, Crockett, Upton, and Midland Counties. This area is bounded by the following points: a point on the Martin-Midland County line four miles east of interstate 20, south to a point on the Upton-Crockett County line four miles west of the Reagan County line, southeast to the City of Ozona, east to the intersection of Sutton-Schleicher-Crockett County lines, east along entire Schleicher-Sutton County line, north Schleicher-Menard and Tom Green-Concho County lines, west along Tom Green-Runnels County line, northwest to the intersection of highway 163 with the Sterling-Mitchell County line, west along Sterling-Mitchell and Glasscock-Howard County lines, then west to the starting point.

6. The area to be affected by the proposed weather modification program is the target area. All activities of the program will be confined to the target area described above in section 5.

7. The methods and materials to be used in conducting this operation are summarized herein; a licensed meteorologist will select stratiform or cumuliform clouds for cloud seeding, using a dedicated weather radar display, standard meteorological data, and forecast techniques to direct seeding aircraft equipped to dispense the seeding particles, silver iodide crystals into cloud tops or into updrafts at cloud base.

8. Requests for further information about the proposed weather modification operation should be made to George W. Bomar, Water Rights & Uses Division, Texas Commission. Telephone (512) 463-8270.

9. A public hearing on this application may be called by mailing a petition that requests a hearing to the Executive Director, Texas Water Commission, P.O. Box 13087, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711. The petition must contain (1) the signature, full name, address, and phone number of each of at least 25 persons; (2) a statement that each person is at least 18 years of age and resides or owns property in the target area; and, (3) a description of each person's interest and how that interest would be adversely affected. Requests for hearing must be received by the Commission within 30 days of the date of the first publication of this notice. More information on calling a hearing can be obtained through the Legal Division of the Commission at (512) 463-8069 (512) 463-7875.

Don A. Griffith
Vice President
North American Weather Consultants
December 1, 1988

NOTICE TO DEPOSITORS

First Republic Bank Midland

On July 29, 1988, the Comptroller of the Currency declared First Republic Bank Midland of Midland, Texas, insolvent and appointed the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation as Receiver.

NCNB Texas National Bank has assumed all depository liabilities pursuant to the terms of a Purchase and Assumption Agreement with the Receiver.

NCNB Texas National Bankwill be open during normal banking hours to serve the customers of the former bank.
September 15, 22, 29, 1988
October 6, 13, 20, 27, 1988
November 3, 10, 17, 24, 1988
December 1, 8, 15, 1988

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September 15, 22, 29, 1988
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NOTICES

The City of Midland finds that the properties located at the following location and addresses:

S 50' of 1 Block 15, Haley Heights, 1304 S. Connell, Nadine Roberts, Address Unknown

Lot 7, Block 22, Belmont, 1611 S. Belmont, Dollyann Martinez, Address Unknown

Lot 18, Block 3, Moore, 1400 W. Montgomery, Donald Tidewell, Address Unknown

Lot 10, Block 3.16 AC, Moore, 1416 W. Montgomery, Lot 12, Block 3.16 AC, Moore, 1412 W. Montgomery, James Wakefield, Address Unknown

Lot 7, Block 15, Midland Heights, 902 W. Dakota, Christina Lee Pope, Address Unknown

46.4 X 137' in SW Corner W PT of Tr 4, Lindsay Acres, 1711 S. Moran, 49' X 137' in W pt 4, Lindsay Acres, 1705 S. Moran, Jackie Jennings, Address Unknown

94' X 150' in W ½ of 4, Lindsay Acres, 1709 S. Moran, Alma Bailey, Address Unknown

Lot 6, Block 1, Moore, 1211 W. Francis, Lot 5, Block 1, Moore, 1209 W. Francis, Cheryl Lambert, Address Unknown

Lot 18, Block 38, South Park, 1717 S. Jefferson, Lot 19, Block 38, South Park, 1715 S. Jefferson, Josefina Rios, Address Unknown

Lot 3, Block 160, Southern, 704 S Dallas, R.M. Johnson, Address Unknown

Lots 7-8, Block 169, Southern, 801 E. Florida, Lot 9, Block 169, Southern, 807 S. Marshall, Hi -Lo Corp, Address Unknown

E 40' of 12 Block 19, Belmont, 307 W. Taylor, Cirilo Chavez, Address Unknown

Lot 5, Block 23, Belmont, 1608 S. Loraine, Robert Curry-Estate, Address Unknown

Lot 2, Block 14, Belmont, 1402 S. Main, Billy Floyd Batson, Address Unknown

Lot 2, Block 40, South Park, 1702 S. Marshall, Jesus Overvides, Address Unknown

E 54' of 25 & W 3.5' of Block 13, Crestview Heights, 3203 Hill, Archie Womble or Anne Hathaway, Address Unknown

S 5' of 2-3 thru 6 less 195 sq ft in SW Corner Block 151, Southern, 604 S. Marienfeld, Exploration Services, Address Unknown

Lot 3, Block 196, Southern, 1003 S. Terrell, Giola Onley, Address Unknown

Lot 2, Block 140, Southern, 602 S. Marshall, Kate Williams, Address Unknown

Lot 16, Block 40, South Park, 1713 S. Mineola, Miguel Ramirez, Address Unknown

Lot 5, Block 41, South Park, 1708 S. Mineola, Billy Tucker, Address Unknown

Lot 10 Pt of Southern, Block 6, South Park, 1001 S. Mineola, D.C. Harrill SR, Address Unknown

Lot 21, Block 28, South Park, 1503 S. Ft. Worth, American Property Systems, Address Unknown

Lot 20, Block 38, South Park, 1713, S. Jefferson, Adelaida Juana Acostra, Address Unknown

Lot 1, Block 29, Greenwood, 600 S. Webster, Mary Frances Worthey, Address Unknown

Lot 16, Block 56, Park Ave. Hts, 1207 E Pennsylvania, Ada Hulen, Address Unknown

Lot 12, Block 123, Southern, 501 S. Mineola, Lot 11, Block 123, Southern, 503 S. Mineola, Owen Snodgrass, Address Unknown

Lot 9, Block 42, Permian Estates, 301 Spraberry, Larry Simmons, Address Unknown

Lot 8, Block 32, Moody, 109 S. Tyler, Idelia Tyler, Address Unknown

Lot 5, Block 36, Moody, 208 S. Tyler, James Price Jr., Address Unknown

Lot 1, Block 36, Moody, 200 S. Tyler, Andrew Moreland Jr. Address Unknown

Lot 4, Block 34, Moody, 108 S. Lee, Sefronia Taylor, Address Unknown

S 44' of 10 Block 35, Moody, 205 S. Lamesa, Maurice Taylor, Address Unknown

Lot 10, Block 18, South Park, 1403 S. Jefferson, Marcelino Dabalos, Address Unknown

Lot 6, Block 198, Southern, 1011 S. Ft. Worth, J.C. Danley, Address Unknown

Lot 2, Block 196, Southern, 1001 S. Terrell, Giola Onley, Address Unknown

Lot 2, Block 160, Southern, 702, S. Dallas, Arthur Traylor, Address Unknown

Lot 25, Block 46, Skyline Terrace West 3, 4301 Norwood St, R.W. Ward Gooch & Valoyce, Address Unknown

Lot 1, Block 136, Wilshire Park, 4401 Roosevelt, Crestview Heights of Midland, Inc., Address Unknown

Lots 6-7-8-9, Block 5, Arbor Park 3rd, 2506-2600-2602-2604 Rainbow Circle, Sunrise & Western Enterprises, Address Unknown

Lot 14, Block 5, Arbor Park 3rd, 2503 Rainbow Circle, Sunrise & Western Enterprises, Address Unknown

Lot 16, Block 5, Arbor Park 3rd, 2601 Rainbow Circle, Sunrise & Western Enterprises, Address Unknown

Lots 21,22,23,24, Block 5, Arbor Park 3rd, 2502-2504-2506-2508 Idlewilde Dr., Sunrise & Western Enterprises, Address Unknown

Lots 4-5, Block 6, Arbor Park 3rd, 2505-2507 Idelwilde, Sunrise & Western Enterprises, Address Unknown

Lot 8, Block 6, Arbor Park 3rd, 2500 Hoya Dr., Sunrise & Western Enterprise, Address Unknown

Lots 11,12,13,14,15, Block 6, Arbor Park 3rd, 2506-2600-2602-2604-2602 Hoya Dr., Sunrise & Western Enterprises, Address Unknown

Lot 1, Block 7, Arbor Park 3rd, 2607 Hoyd Dr., Sunrise & western Enterprises, Address Unknown

Lots 4,5,6,7,8, Block 7, Arbor Park 3rd, 2501-2503-2505-2507-2601 Hoya Dr., Sunrise & Western Enterprises, Address Unknown

Lots 9-10, Block 7, Arbor Park 3rd, 5200-5202 Sunshine Parkway, Sunrise & Western Enterprises, Address Unknown

Lots 11-12, Block 7, Arbor Park 3rd, 5201-5203 Pinion Ct, Sunrise & Western Enterprises, Address Unknown

Lots 13-14, Block 7, Arbor Park 3rd, 5200-5201 Pinion Ct., Sunrise & Western Enterprises, Address Unknown

Lots 15-16, Block 7, Arbor Park 3rd, 5201-5203 Rainbow Rd, Sunrise & Western Enterprises, Address Unknown

in the City of Midland, Texas, have become a public nuisance and health hazard in as much as they have become overgrown with weeds, tall grass and brush, become strewn with litter, or become a collection point for stagnant water. The owners of the above named properties are hereby ordered to abate the nuisance within ten (10) days and notify the City of Midland Code Enforcement Division of the same. Otherwise, the City of Midland will then enter the property, abate the nuisances thereon, and charge the cost of so doing as a lien against the property. You may appeal the decision of the City of Midland to enter your property and assess a lien against it by contacting the City Manager's Office at 300 North Loraine, Midland, Texas 79701, phone number 685-7200, within nine (9) days of this notice.
December 1, 8, 1988

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR FLUID INJECTION WELL PERMIT
BEACH EXPLORATION,INC.
800 N. Marienfeld Suite 200
Midland, Texas 79701

Has applied to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to inject fluid into a formation which is productive of oil and gas.

The applicant proposes to inject fluid into the Grayburg Formation of the following leases and wells: LNBG"A" #1, Link #1, LNB"245" #1, Woodward #2, LNB Grayburg #2, Hulsey #1 & #4, Haggard #1, Nichodemus #2, Hulsey "A" #1, and Hatchett #1. The proposed injection wells are part of the proposed South Phoenix (Grayburg) Unit, which is 5 Miles North-Northeast of Tarzan, Texas in the Phoenix (Grayburg) Field in Martin County. Fluid will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 3955' to 4094'.

LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27, of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.

Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication to the Underground Injection Control Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, Drawer 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711 (512/445-1373).
December 1, 1988

## 105 HAPPY ADS

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TOTO, I don't think we're in KANSAS anymore...

No more fudging on your age. But Don't Worry! Be happy!

26 AINT SO BAD

Happy Birthday Kimmer!

Love ya,

Steph, Taylor, Mom & Bud

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## 110 LODGE NOTICES

Acacia Masonic Lodge #1414. 1000 Upland. Stated Meetings 2nd & 4th Tuesday, 7:30 pm. Covered dish dinner, November 22nd. Open meeting at 7:30 pm. 25 year certificate presentation. Visiting masons welcome. Ron Yeager, W.M. J.H. Beaty, Secretary

Midland Lodge 623 AF & AM, 1600 W. Wall, 682-3292. Regular stated meetings, 2nd and 4th Thursday, 7:30 pm. December 2nd and 3rd, Grand Lodge meeting in Waco, Texas. Thursday, December 15th, Masons to honor Eastern Star and Beauceants, 7 pm. Tom Vannaman, W.M. R.G. Kiker, Secy.

MIDLAND Centennial Masonic Lodge #1448 - 1000 Upland street. Stated meetings 1st and 3rd Saturdays. Breakfast 7:30am - Open Lodge 8:30am. Come Join Us! Jerry Cowin, W.M. H.S. Elliot, Secretary.

The Midland Shrine Club, 2019 Trade Drive. Regular stated meeting third Thursday each month - December 15th. Hospitality 6:30 pm. Catered dinner 7 pm. Business meeting 8pm. All nobles and their ladies invited. Ron Yeager, President, Rex Perkins, Secretary.

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.

## 115 ANNOUNCEMENTS

WIGS! Wigs! Wigs! New human hair. Hair weaving. The Hair Shack. 608 S. Main. 687-1215.

## 130 PERSONALS

HERBALIFE INDEPENDENT DISTRIBUTORS. CALL US FOR PRODUCTS. CALL HELEN AND DICK WHITMAN. 683-1423.

BELLYGRAMS - The unique gift for the Boss, Boyfriend, Husband. 563-1378. Please leave name and number.

FOR truly personal service on your Toyota-made vehicle - Permian Toyota 3110 W. Wall, 694-3691

ADOPTION: We will give your baby a caring, loving home. Plenty of hugs and laughter, financial security and the best of everything. Please call Amy and Bob collect 802-235-2312. We look forward to hearing from you.

HERBAL Weight Control. Loose, gain or maintain weight. Increased energy. Call Ann 697-2114 or 697-0307.

NONSCENTS the odor remover, cleaner air. Call Ann 697-2114 or 697-0307.

ADOPT We are are a warm, caring, and happily married couple who have a loving and financially secure home to give to a caucasian new born. Expenses paid. Call Martha and Harold collect anytime. (516)538-2780.

MARY KAY COSMETICS
Sybil Wallace 684-5464
Debbie Maxson Lawrence 683-0040

NEED ride to Port Arthur-Beaumont area in December. Prefer lady, couple, or family. 686-7842.

ROCKHOUNDS HOG HEAVEN
Rock and Mineral specimens. Many kinds all sizes. Gemstones, quartz crystals, natural stone jewelry gift items, gold and diamonds.
SPECIAL CHRISTMAS SALE
Sat. and Sun. December 3rd and 4th
10:00 am to 5:00 pm
VANN'S
611 N. Ector Odessa 366-3195.

MYERS'
BARBER & BEAUTY SALON
DELLWOOD MALL
★ 689-8846 ★
MONDAY - SATURDAY
8:00 AM - 6:00 PM

SANTAS/ Mrs. Santa/ Snow Man/ Christmas Tree and Christmas Elves costume rentals for the holidays. Call Costumes by Dorothy, 694-7687.

DRINKING problem in your life? Call Midland Council on Alcoholism, 682-4721. 24 hour service.

ADOPTION - Childless couple seeks infant. Child will experience emotional, educational, financial benefits of Christian family life. Love beyond measure. Mother home full time. Expenses paid. Call collect after 5:30 pm. Laurel or Cal 203-335-8705.

## 135 MEETING PEOPLE

ATTRACTIVE PETITE GRANDMOTHER Seeks similar secure, neat, single male friend (to age 60) for social/ family/ fun events. No smoking/ drinking/ drugs. Send replies to BOX Y-07, c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram, P. O. Box 1650, Midland, Tx 79702.

## 150 LOST & FOUND

REWARD! Tan Book bag/suitcase w/books, laundry bag w/clothes. Taken from car, 3509 Trinity Meadows. 697-9950.

LOST in Alamo area. Female Australian Shepherd cross breed. Bobtail, light tan with white neck, black mask. Call 697-5162.

LOST: Gray, female cat. 2500 block of Neely. Reward for return. Call 682-8836.

LOST: Female Samoyed, six months old, in the vicinity of 4314 Roosevelt. Please call 697-8077/699-4357/684-9041.

FOUND: Two year old brown tabby around the 1400 block of Texas. Neutered. 685-7420.

FOUND: 1930's? Roadster fenders on East U.S. 80 between Midland and Odessa. Call 689-7881.

FOUND: Six month old male cat. Black and white. Brown flea collar. 4700 block Bedford.

FOUND: Black Labrador adult dog. Good with kids, good watch dog. Claim or to give away. 682-4032.

FOUND: two year old male cat. Gray and white with white flea collar around 600 block of Harvard. 685-7420.

LOST: small white Spitz/ Cockapoo dog, male, with tags, vicinity of Illinois and Bentwood. 699-0779.

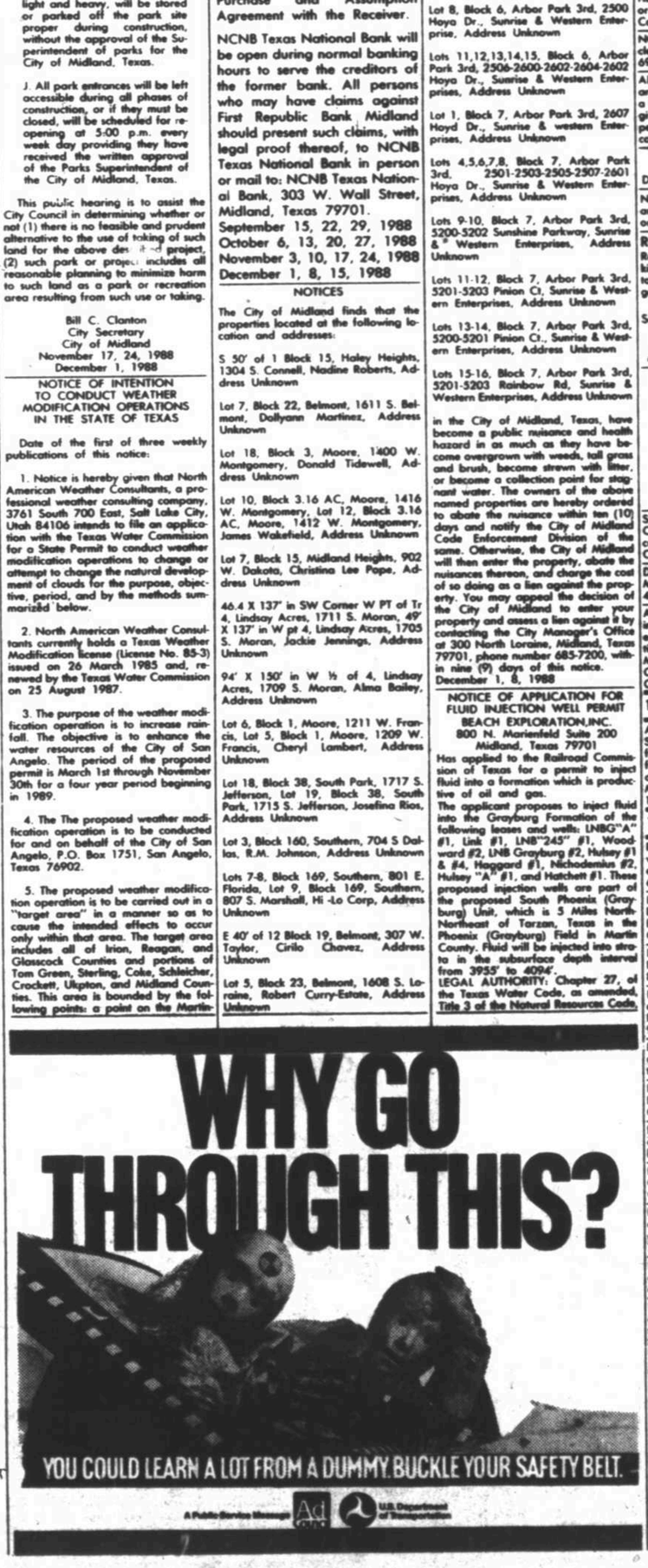
LOST in Midland Airport: Ladies gold and diamond bracelet. Reward for return. Please call 699-6525.

## 160MONEY LOANS WANTED

DOES YOUR BUSINESS NEED HELP?

To start a new business, expand your business, or are you present payments more than you can afford? Let CAPITAL CONSULTANTS Help you solve your business problems or explore your financing alternatives. We're specialists in SBA and conventional loan packaging and placement.

731 Wadley 685-1996

# CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

## Midland's People To People Market Place

**DEADLINES**

Word and Space Ads may appear the very next day when placed by 5 p.m. Ads placed on Saturday will appear on Monday.
Same Deadlines Apply For Cancellations

Display Ads requiring composition must be processed 2 working days before publication.
Same deadlines apply to copy changes on existing or new ads.

MasterCard VISA

To Place Your Fast Acting Result Getting Ad
**CALL**
**682-6222**

OFFICE HOURS
Weekdays 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Saturday 8 a.m. to 10 a.m.

**100**
50 Legal Notices
105 Happy Ads
110 Lodge Notices
115 Announcements
120 Public Notices
130 Personals
135 Meeting People
140 Card Of Thanks
150 Lost & Found
160 Money Loans Wanted
165 Investment Opportunity
170 Schools-Instruction

**200**
205 Job Services
210 General Help Wanted
211 Medical Help Wanted
212 Professional Help Wanted
216 Clerical
220 Sales Help Wanted
230 Situations Wanted
240 Child Care
250 Business Opportunities

**NOTICE**
Please check your ad the first day it appears. The Reporter-Telegram is responsible only for the first day for an error that nullifies the value of the ad.

**300**
300 Automobile - Domestic
310 Automobile - Import
320 Trucks & Vans
330 4-Wheel Drive Vehicles
340 Motorcycles
345 Trailers, Utility Trailers
350 Recreational Vehicles
360 Boats & Motors
370 Airplanes
380 Auto Services
390 Auto Parts & Access.

**400-500**
400 Auctions
405 Garage/Yard Sales
410 Miscellaneous Sales
415 Miscellaneous Wanted
420 Good Things To Eat
430 Household Goods
440 Firewood
450 Sporting Goods
460 Antiques & Art
470 Musical Instruments
475 Crafts & Supplies
480 Cameras & Supplies
490 Computers & Access.
495 For Free
500 Pets & Supplies
505 Livestock - Poultry
510 Office Supplies
520 Store, Shop, Cafe Equip.
530 Air Cond. & Heating
540 Building Materials
550 Portable Buildings
560 Machinery & Tools
570 Oilfield Supplies
580 Farm Equipment

**600**
600 Rooms For Rent
603 Roommates Wanted
604 Want To Rent
605 Apartments Furnished
610 Apartments Unfurnished
615 Apartments Furn. & Unfurn
620 Houses Furnished
625 Houses Unfurnished
630 Houses Furn. & Unfurn
635 Condos & Townhouses Furn
640 Condos & Townhouses Unfurn
645 Condos & Townhouse Furn/Unfurn
650 Mobile Homes Furnished
655 Mobile Homes - Unfurnished
660 Mobile Homes Space Rental
665 Business Prop. Office Rental
670 Warehouses & Storage Rental
675 Recreation & Resort Rental
680 Out Of Town Rental
685 Hunting Leases
690 Oil And Gas Leases

**700 Real Estate**
700 Manufactured Homes
710 Open Houses
720 Homes For Sale
730 Suburban Property
740 Out Of Town Property
750 Lots And Acreage
760 Farms And Ranches
770 Resort Property
780 Business Property
790 Investment Property

### 165 Investment Opportunity

PROFITABLE Day Care Center/ Large Attached House. The business is operable for 34 children. 756-2493. Owner/Finance.

### 170 SCHOOLS-INSTRUCTIONS

AIRLINE - TRAVEL
Career Training - Midland
Day & Evening Classes
Financial/Placement Assistance
(915)687-0550 - Midland
Tradewinds International Academy

SELF-DEFENSE private lessons. Builds confidence, discipline, strength. First lesson free. For appointment call 689-0701.

### 210 General Help Wanted

SNACK bar/ bar attendant needed. Mature, responsible, neat. Must be over 21, experience preferred, nights and weekends. Apply in person only. Dellwood Lanes.

### 170 SCHOOLS-INSTRUCTIONS

**NEED A SKILL? ACT NOW!**
**3 TO 6 MONTHS TRAINING FOR**
- Accounting
- Data Entry
- Word Processing
- Office Specialist
- Travel & Tourism
- Nurse Aid

• Secretarial Courses in legal, medical and executive
Full Federal Funding if you qualify

**563-9000, Avalon Institute**
**Classes taught at:**
**4241 Tanglewood (at 42nd), Odessa**

### 210 General Help Wanted

AVON, work full-time, part-time, any time. Will help you get started. Evon, 699-2075!

WHERE WILL YOU BE 2 YEARS FROM NOW??
Looking for career oriented men and women who are willing to work. Salary and advancement commensurate with your experience and performance. Must be High School graduate with outstanding management, organizational, and people skills. This is a career opportunity; only serious applicants should apply. Send resumes to:
Justin Smith
1507 S. IH 35
P. O. Box #64015
Round Rock, Tx. 78664
Equal Opportunity Employer.

### 210 General Help Wanted

AVON Needs 5 people to replace 5 people no longer selling. Territories Open. Verla 699-0119.

PERSONS to operate small fireworks business for last two weeks in December.
MAKE UP TO $1500
Must be over 18. Call 1-512-622-3788. Between 10am and 5pm.

FULL charge Oil and Gas Bookkeeper. 15 hours per week on Automated system. Send Resume to: P. O. Box 2031, Midland, Tx. 79702.

Front Desk clerks needed
Apply at 1003 South Midkiff

ALTERATIONIST needed by Regency Cleaners. Must have experience in all phases of alterations. Apply in person only. 1117 Andrews Highway, Midland.

WE CREATE, UPDATE AND REWRITE RESUMES.
WORDSWORK
697-5110

BUILDING Construction Estimator: Commercial Building construction company is looking for an estimator with at least 5 years experience. Send resume's to BOX A-12 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

IS your Resume opening doors or holding you back? A modest investment in a professional writer can make a difference. First Impressions Resume Service. 683-6452.

TECHNICIAN needed with solid state experience. Must have good driving record. Must be bondable. Good company benefits. Apply in person, 9:00 am until 12:00 noon. B & B Vending Company. (Air Terminal), 10100 West Highway 80.

### 210 General Help Wanted

FWA DRILLING Company is looking for above average drillers and roughnecks. Top wages and benefits available for hands with favorable work record. Drug screen urinalysis required for eligible applicant. Apply at 640 North Loop 250 West. Bring drivers license and social security card.

PLEASANT WORKING ENVIRONMENT
Kids Only Toy Store is expanding and moving to Midland Plaza. Now hiring permanent full time employees and part time Christmas employees. Mature, neat appearance required. Experience helpful, but not required.
Apply in person only
MIDLAND PLAZA
C-115 Between Mervyn's and Mida (Loop 250 and Midkiff)

HORN OLDSMOBILE
El Paso, Texas has just opened their new expanded dealership. The service department is looking for Technicians who have GM experience. Applicant should also have certification in their field of expertise. Only technicians who are looking for permanent and satisfying employment need apply. Excellent opportunity for qualified persons.
Call Bill Arney for more information.
(915)778-7711
Between 8 - 5
Monday through Friday

ROUNDHOUSE Depot and Oyster Bar is now hiring waiters and waitresses. Must apply in person, 3720 North Edwards.

$STUDENTS$
Earn while you learn. A chance to make good money with top notch business. Dedication and dependability a must. 5:30 - 9 PM Mon. - Fri.
Call immediately
563-0734

### 210 General Help Wanted

WANTED mature, reliable lady to babysit and keep house five days per week. 683-7134.

EXPERIENCED ASBESTOS SUPERVISOR, or worker. 1 year experience. Call 684-5341.

ZENTNERS now taking applications for part-time bus help. Apply at 2215 N. Midland Drive.

COUPLES WANTED
As live in house parents to supervise 1 to 3 mental handicap adults in group homes in Midland and Odessa. Full time positions available, $1000 to $1400 a month. Part time weekend positions also available. Transportation allowance and training provided. Must have GED or High School Diploma, good driving record, reliable transportation and good written and verbal communication skills
Apply at MHMR
3128 Kermit Highway
Odessa

GRANDY'S is now hiring telephone operators, high school students welcome. Also hiring delivery drivers, must be 18 with own transportation. Apply in person, 3201 Andrews Highway, Midland. EOE M S V H.

PEERLESS TYRE AND SERVICE CENTER
Top Pay for Experienced Front End Alignment and Brakes Specialist. Must have own tools.
★ Hourly and Commission.
★ Room for quick advancement.
Apply in person at:
2804 W. Wall

EXPERIENCED Telephone Solicitor for short term program. Now through December 20. Must be able to work evenings and flexible day hours. Good pay. Apply at 3000 North Garfield #145. Wednesday, November 30, 10:00 AM, or Thursday, December 1, 6:00 PM.

### 210 General Help Wanted

Experienced professional apartment manager needed. The Junction Apartments - 212 units. Send resume in confirmation to:
AREMCO
150 W. Parkway Su. 301
Euless, Tx. 76040
Attn. K. Thompson

Experienced housekeeper needed. Send resume to:
1902 North Midland Drive
The Junction Apartments

COMPUTER OPERATOR/ BOOKKEEPER
Local independent oil operator seeks experienced Computer Operator /Bookkeeper. Experience should include filing state and federal payroll reports, invoice and journal voucher coding and bank accounts' reconciliations. Experience centurion computer systems a plus. Non-smoker preferred.
Please submit resume and salary requirements to:
H.L. Brown, Jr., Attn. Controller
P.O. Box 2237
Midland, Texas 79702

ASSISTANT CONTROLLER
Midland based independent oil operator is currently seeking candidates for the position of Assistant Controller. Applicants should be experienced in all phases of oil and gas accounting, BBA in accounting required, non-smoker preferred.
Please send resume with salary requirements to:
H.L. Brown, Jr. Attn. Controller
P.O. Box 2237
Midland, Texas 79702

GET PAID for reading books! $100.00 per title. Write: PASE - 478X, 161 S. Lincolnway, N. Aurora, IL 60542.

PINOCCHIOS Pizza is hiring cooks and cashiers. Minimum age, 18. Apply in person at 3303 North Midkiff. (References will be checked).

### 210 General Help Wanted

REFRIGERATION Technician needed in Midland/ Odessa area. Experience in vending, Post-Mix, Pre-mix. No phone calls please. Apply at Pepsi-Cola, 1601 Fairground, Midland.

MERCHANDISER
position open.
Need a dependable person cabable of following instructions and handling deadlines. Must be detail-oriented and have good verbal and written communication skills. Please call 9-11 am Monday - Friday only.
699-0846

CENTRAL STATION OPERATOR
Seeking an individual to work Saturday 7 Am - 3 PM, Sunday and Monday 3 PM - 11 PM, Tuesday and Wednesday 11 PM - 7 AM on a regular permanent basis. Involves monitoring of alarms through use of a computer system. We require a non-smoker with a clean police record. $6.00 an hour after training. Apply at:
1011 West Washington

HOUSEKEEPER wanted. Must enjoy children. Must be a good cleaner, have own transportation. Start at $5.50 an hour. References required. Call 683-3092.

DRIVERS-Tractor Trailer
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**1987 CHEVY C-20 cargo van.** Radio, A/C, heater, Less than 7000 miles. Call 682-8622.

**1987 FORD XLT Lariat.** 36,000 miles. Asking $9700. Call days 684-6272 evenings 689-0433.

**1987 CHEVY Blazer**, fully loaded, power everything, $9750. Call 694-5681, leave message.

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### 310 Automobiles-Import

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**1989 GMC S15 Extended Cab**, full warranty to you, loaded, 500 miles. Forced to Sell. Save yourself $3000. 694-5064.

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**1984 SILVERADO ½ Ton.** Brown and tan, all factory options plus sliding rear window and bed rails. Owners personal pick-up. See at:
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697-7672

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**FOR sale: 1981 FORD super cab.** Good condition, automatic, V8, good tires. 694-9989 after 5.

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**1979 DATSUN Pick-Up.** Pioneer cassette, fancy wheels, nice truck. $1375 or offer. 694-5312.

**1979 FORD Van, Econoline 150.** 1974 Datsun pickup. Call 694-3350.

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**1962 SCOUT 4X4** rebuilt engine, transmission, transfer case, rear end. Four cylinder, many extras. Good condition. $1,695. Call 697-0781.

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**LAND Cruiser. 1969. Toyota.** Hardtop, Brushguard, towbar. Great shape. $2700. 683-7615.

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**1987 HONDA Magna**, low miles. Like new. With helmet and bags; 1979 Honda Twin Star, 200cc, 1200 actual miles. 694-6025.

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**1982 YAMAHA 400 XS.** Low mileage, runs great, $450. Call 699-5554 after 6 PM.

### 340 Motorcycles

**1985 HONDA CB Spectster.** Newly overhauled, $1,000. Call 697-2946.

**1980 KAWASAKI 750 Motorcycle** for sale. New brakes. Book value $745. Selling for $500. 687-1508.

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**35 FOOT Park model trailer** with tip-out. Good appliances, new stove, full bed, sofa bed, bunk. Very livable but old and needs repairs. $1,500. See at Westgate RV Park (off Highway 20 service road).

### 350 Recreational Vehicles

**PICKUP Covers:** Over 200 in stock. Pop-up, Cab Overs. Krugeran Camper Sales, 501 West 42nd, Odessa. 366-9010.

**STORAGE of Recreational Vehicles,** Boats, Trailers, at $1.00 per foot, per month. Call Metro Parking 694-1374 or 563-1329.

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**GIVE a Christmas Ground School** for student pilots December 10th and 11th. Call Hank's, 563-1192.

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**REPAIR your exhaust system.** Save money. Call 684-6058 until answered.

### 390 Auto Parts and Accessories

**FOR Sale 1985 Chevrolet one ton differential, .410** Call evenings 683-5756.

### 405 Garage/Yard Sales

**MITCHELL'S New and Used Furniture,** appliances, antiques, bedding, tools, building materials, brass, bird baths, statues and table sets. Buy, sell and trade. 3100 Front Street, 694-5701.

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**NOW Open 18-A Village Circle, K-Dee Rentals.** Clothes for the entire family. Very affordable prices. Fall/ Winter consignments.

**TRADE Village Flea Market:** 2905 Rankin Hwy. Antiques, jewelry, snack bar, rooms available. Open Friday, Saturday, Sunday; 9 - 6.

**OVER 100 Dolls and Teddy Bears,** miscellaneous Christmas items. Trade Village Flea Market, 2905 Rankin Hwy, room 7 and 8. Open Friday thru Sunday. 10-6.

**3115 ROOSEVELT.** Wednesday, Thursday, Friday. Back yard. Clothes, shoes sweaters - ½ price. Books, records, miscellaneous.

**1203 PRINCETON**
Lego's, 10S Schwinn, GI Joe, speak and spell-math, golf clubs and misc. toys, carpet, drapes and more.
STARTS THURSDAY 8 AM

**GARAGE Sale.** Quality used merchandise and a little bit of junk, located at the condominiums on Cotton Flat and IH-20, West off Petroleum Museum. Thursday 12:00 thru Saturday 5:00.

**LOTS of Christmas decorations,** furniture, baby furniture, dressers and lots of miscellaneous. 3008 West Ohio. Friday and Saturday.

**GARAGE Sale:** Wednesday through Saturday. Winter clothing, miscellaneous, smoker, furniture, household goods, telephone. 1407 Lanhan.

Light fixtures, Gold coin necklaces, Turquoise silver buckles, Mans gold nugget ring with diamonds and rubys, Microwave oven, Pumpers equipment, Ceiling fan, Full bed set and Clothing.
8am - 6pm
Thursday and Friday
In Alley at:
1907 MCDONALD

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From belt-sanders to hand axes, hundreds of tools at wholesale, warehouse prices.
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SATURDAY UNTIL NOON
1501 W. INDUSTRIAL

**718 W. PINE.** Friday, Saturday 9:00 - 4:00. Lots of clothes (infant - adult), toys, household items, good miscellaneous.

**NEW dolls just in time for Christmas.** Wonderful, collectible, Doll Of The Yearnominee for 1988 and past years. Original Middleton dolls, signed and numbered. See at Antiques Etc. upstairs in NE corner. Bless Your Heart.

### 405 Garage/Yard Sales

**BOB'S Trading Post.** 906 S. Garfield. Clothes - bikes - typewriters - jackets - suits - winter jackets - etc. 687-2717.

**HENRY'S FLEA MARKET MALL**
OVER 50 DEALERS
Now open Fri., Sat., & Sun.
Many new christmas items. Bicycles, scooters, skate boards, toys, Christmas decorations, jewelry, craft items, ceramics, wood items, and more.
7715 Andrews Highway
Odessa, TX 366-8189

**★GARAGE SALE★**
**★ 3609 WEDGEWOOD ★**
**★ FRIDAY, 1-5 ★**
**★ SATURDAY, 9-5**

**MOVING Sale.** Everything must go! Including furniture. Friday and Saturday. 3504 Fairmount (off Annetta). 697-4865.

**CABBAGE Patch dresses** and pajamas, $12.50 to $15.00. Call 696-4890.

**GARAGE Sale:** Several Families! Lots of clothes, miscellaneous items. Bustillo's Lawn mower shop. Friday and Saturday 9 - 5. 401 N. Lee.

**SUPER Garage Sale. 5008 Brazos,** refrigerators, TV's, trash compactor, microwave, furniture, and lots more! Saturday and Sunday.

**2405 W. WASHINGTON,** Friday, Saturday. Propane grill, tablesaw, tape player, Christmas decorations, clothes and miscellaneous.

**3300 CORD**
FRIDAY 9 - 3
Piano; Antiques-buffett, table, wardrobe, poker table, cricket rocker; Paintings, Magazines, Books, Perfume; Skiis, boots; Shoes, Clothes-childrens, maternity, adult, wedding dress; Material, Toys, Dolls, Dollhouses, Christmas decorations. Lots of Miscellaneous.★★★★★★★★

Christmas Special Garage Sale
Saturday only, 8:30 to 4:30
Baby items, high chair, walker, toys. Womens work, play and party clothes, size 10-14. Mens suits and shoes. Triple dresser and end table. Kitchen and decorative items. Cosmetics, jewelry, magazines and books, linens.
1003 Shirley Lane.
(2 blocks west of A street and one block north of Neely.)

**THREE Family Sale.** Lots of it all. Come browse. Welcome all. Friday, Saturday and Sunday. 4506 Roosevelt.

**MOVING SALE**
Guns, Furniture, stereo, toys, washer/ dryer, refrigerator, clothing, miscellaneous.
5010 BRAZOS
9am - 6pm
Friday and Saturday

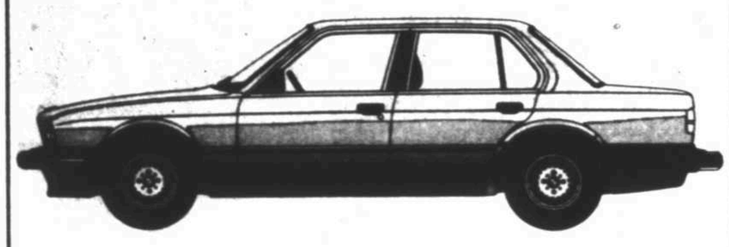
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### 405 Garage/Yard Sales

9 AM, FRIDAY and Saturday. Shop for Christmas at our three family sale. Furniture, baby items, stuffed animals and toys. Tons of miscellaneous. 2903 Godfrey.

3402 CLAREMONT. Multi family, Friday 12-5, Saturday 9-5. Adult clothing, shoes, queen size flotation waterbed, student desk, vacuum cleaner, car and home stereos, recliner chair, 2 doors, miscellaneous. No early sales.

4417 FAIRGATE, #17 in alley. Friday, Saturday, Sunday. Kawasaki 750 motorcycle and lots of miscellaneous.

**GREEN TREE GARAGE SALES**
Friday only 9 - 12
**4508 GREEN TREE BLVD.**
**5204 GREEN TREE BLVD.**
Dryer, bicycles, toys, baby bed, whicker self, lots of clothes. Lots of goodies for Christmas.

GARAGE Sale: Saturday, December 3rd. Tools, furniture, clothes, miscellaneous. 2413 Neely.

INDOOR Sale. Friday 8 - 4. Girls clothes (size 5 and up), ladies and some junior clothing. 211 W. New Jersey.

**HUGE CHRISTMAS SALE**
Over 100 nice Christmas toys. Fisher Price, Tikes, new stuffed animals. King electric blanket, new king bedspread, wicker rocking horse, wicker furniture, decorated baskets, afghan, portable telephone, mink teddy bear, clock radio, tupperware set, cookingware, sewing material, nice large size woman's, children's, baby clothes, pecans, Avon - many other Christmas gifts.
Friday and Saturday 9 am
**3604 W. SHANDON**

GARAGE Sale, 2802 Mariana. Friday 10am. Glassware, decorating items, toys, clothes, check master, greenware and lots more.

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**DON'T MISS THIS!!**
**Friday only; 8:30**
Furniture, lamps, humidifier, lawn mower, little tykes fort, toys, clothes and lots more.
**4313 CRESTWOOD**
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**MOVING SALE BY JOSEPH**
**1311 Texas**
**Friday 1:00**
Bedroom furniture, living room, office furniture, TV's, filing cabinets, microwave, large fish aquarium, copying machine, bookcases, clothes, over 300 toys, chain link fence, much much more.
Cash please
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**ESTATE SALE BY JOSEPH**
**4500 Parkdale**
**Friday 9:00**
Oak roll-top desk, dining room furniture, living room, pictures, lots of picture frames, water bed, washer, dryer, stove, refrigerator, whole entire contents of home.
Cash please

**BASKETS AND GIFTS**
**3200 MARIANA**
(Backyard Apartment)
ad2
Quilting basket business. All new merchandise. Baskets, paper, ribbons, teas, candy, kitchen gadgets, small toys, and much more.
Saturday 9:00 to 1:00

### 410 Miscellaneous Sales

QUALITY used Appliances. Refrigerators, washers/ dryers. Completely rebuilt $75 and up. Call 682-8977.

MEN'S 14K Gold Link Bracelet; also, new stainless and 14K Gold Rolex watch. Will trade for car or pick up. Call (915)684-4385 after 7:00 PM.

WATKINS products: cookbooks, vanilla, gourmet extracts, seasonings and spices, and everything nice, 697-3474. Ed and Lucille Mathews.

TREES, trees, trees!! Come and cut your own living Christmas tree or select beautiful pine trees for your landscape. All sizes. Call 682-6561 or 682-9266.

2 - CASIO Electronic Cash Registers, with 30 preset keys. Four months old. 366-6850.

New King-size bedding protector, $10; Doghouse, $30; child's playhouse, $120; bookcase, $30. 563-0452.

KINGSIZE Flotation Waterbed. Looks like regular bed, needs new bladder, excellent condition. $175. 687-1375.

PLAYHOUSES, child-size. Make their eyes light up on Christmas morning. Handcrafted, reasonably priced. 694-4732.

POOL table and accessories. Good condition. $550. For more information call 694-8976.

CHRISTMAS hand painted sweat shirts, $10; Assorted colored hair bows, $3. Call 699-5992.

SPANISH Velour Couch & Chair; 2 tables; 20,000 & 39,500 BTU Dearborn Heaters; Frigidaire Self-Cleaning Oven. All excellent condition. Call 685-1458 after 5 PM, 688-2584 days.

CLEAN Carpet in excellent condition, $2 - $3 a yard. Brass kingsize headboard, $50. Electric water cooler (holds five gallon bottle) $125. 684-8296.

SEARS 24" boys 10-speed bicycle, $45. Cherry Bassett Mirror, $65. Ranch Mink Fur Collar, $45. 694-2770.

LAS Vegas, Nevada: two round trip tickets (cheap). Leaving Sunday December 4th; returning Tuesday December 6th. Call Jim at 699-0933 or 694-5154 after 4 PM.

**CHRISTMAS TOOL SALE!**
Complete Black & Decker power tool liquidation.
AT OUR COST
Hundreds of other Christmas items at prices you can't afford to miss.
THURSDAY & FRIDAY ALL DAY
SATURDAY UNTIL NOON
1501 W. INDUSTRIAL

### 405 Garage/Yard Sales

TIME for a December auto inspection. Save money on exhaust system repair. Economical prices. Free estimate. Call 684-6058 until answered.

EXERCISE bicycle, $50. Stereo cabinet with glass door, $35. Antique oak table with four chairs, $500. All in excellent condition. 699-0500.

2 "MR. CHRISTMAS" Trees - 6' Fir, 7½' Spruce. Christmas wreaths. Custom designed table decorations. 682-0686.

NEW men's 18 karat and stainless Rolex watch for sale. Call 694-5734 after 6 PM.

ENCYCLOPEDIA Americana. Junior high level and up. Well illustrated, excellent research helps, 15% discount until Christmas. 685-0859 evenings and weekends.

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**CUSTOM TOY BOXES**
**$50**
**CALL 687-3309.**
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MINERAL Specimen Sale: Sunday December 4th. 12-6pm. Sagewood Condominiums Clubhouse, 3330 Caldera. Fine Mineral Specimens & fossils for sale. Reasonably priced. 699-1798.

FOR sale: new doll clothes. (Barbie, Ken, 11½" dolls), 11:30 - 12:17, 9 - 5. 3607 Amelia Drive, 694-8699.

CHRISTMAS yard decorations. Mr. and Mrs. Santa, Frosty, Rudolph, many more. Call anytime 687-2409, 683-8518.

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**CHRISTMAS YARD ART**
Beautiful hand crafted Christmas yard scenes made of durable ¾ inch plywood. Available, finished, or (ready to Paint). Various styles and sizes. Limited number available.
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INTELLIVISION. Complete with 27 games and voice synthesizer, $100. 687-5468.

COPY Cake Projector Model K-1000. Like new. Makes custom cake decorating easy. Retail $394, Sell $250. Nancy Reid, 683-0937.

**NEW DOLLS JUST IN TIME FOR CHRISTMAS**
Wonderful, collectible, Doll Of The Year nominee for 1988 and past years. Original Middleton dolls, signed and numbered.
See at Antiques Etc.
(upstairs in NE corner)
BLESS YOUR HEART

NEW white silk textured fabric sofa, miscellaneous chairs, oval cherry coffee table, 2 brass/ glass tables, 6' x 9' fringed rug in ivory & blue, 7' round nylon rug (cream), New King Chiropractor firm bed set, Fitz-Floyd Peach Renaissance China, 12 settings. 682-0686.

$$$$ SALE $$$$
Fri., Sat. & Sun. Only
★ Brand new girl's gloves $1.50 ★
★ Rabbit fur mittens $4.00 ★
★ Leg Warmers $1.00 ★
★ Hoods $1.00, Ski Masks $1.50 ★
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NO LIMIT. DEALERS WELCOME
Also: Cannon NP50 Copier $350 and ELBA Filmstrip Sound Projector $150
3311 Princeton, 694-6591

NEW Full Length White mink from Swartz. Appraised $4,500, asking $2,500; Beautiful full length Holland leather with fur collar, $250; Custom made reversible fur casual jacket, $400. All size 12. 682-0686.

### 415 Miscellaneous Wanted

WANTED: old worn-out quilted quilts. Cheap, pay as high as $20 if in fair condition. Call 682-2307, after 5 PM.

### 415 Miscellaneous Wanted

SMALL Church looking for a charitable person to donate a piano, or let us use a piano to hold our Services. 685-4054.

NEED new or used Transformer called 'Blaster', for Christmas gift. Call 687-6739 after 6 pm.

WANTED: Structural tubing 2⅛", 2⅞", 3", 3½". Drill pipe 4½", 5½" or larger. Call 687-3755.

WE buy used Nintendo games with boxes and instruction books. Call 694-1555 or 697-1854.

WANT to buy girl's 16" bicycle. Also large trampoline. Both must be in good shape. After 5:30, 694-7684.

ENTRY hall furniture, one or two pieces. Have white couch and coffee table for sale. 694-2215.

WANT to buy leather or Naugahyde den furniture at an economical price. Call 699-7160 anytime.

### 420 Good Things To Eat

SHRIMP, Lobster, Oysters, Catfish, and much more. Captain Frank's Seafood. 1528 Oliver. 682-3883.

GARDENDALE Pecan Processing now open in our new location. Three blocks south of Highway 158 on Hollyhock in Gardendale. Fresh crop of Pecans just in. Shelling facilities ready. 366-9793.

FRESH pecans 90¢ per pound unshelled, $3.00 per pound shelled. Call after 5:30pm 699-0706.

Shelled pecans, $3.50 per pound. Will deliver one pound or more. Electric crackers. 682-4887.

PECANS. Fresh and just in time for Christmas baking. $1 per pound. 697-0413.

### 430 Household Goods

**SAVE $$$ IN TIME FOR THE HOLIDAYS**

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| Sofas | from $99 |
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| Bedding sets | from $60 |
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ALL ITEMS
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IN EXCELLENT CONDITION
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USED washers and dryers for sale. Also buy non-working washers and dryers. Call 694-5350.

ELECTRIC Double Oven Range, smooth top, good condition, $150. Sofa and matching chair, $100. Loveseat, $50. Vinyl lounge chair with vibrator, $35. 694-4525.

WE buy used furniture and appliances. Also sell used furniture and appliances. Monday - Thursday 682-9393. Come by Midland Flea Market Space 3 & 4 Friday - Sunday.

TOP prices paid for clean, quality used furniture. W. R.'s. 4404 West Illinois, Midland. 697-4847. Buy, sell and trade.

WE need good used furniture and we pay extra. Call Jake's New And Used for estimate. 1409 N. Big Spring. 683-3443.

BUY-Sell-Trade, Color TV's and VCR's. Carrington VCR & TV 683-7925.

SEALY Posturepedic Full size bed, Limited Edition. Clean, like new. $250. 694-8269.

25" ZENITH Console. 20" Zenith portable. Large gold frame Victorian mirror. Mint green velvet recliner, excellent condition. Argus slide projector, screen and trays, $50. New DP multi position rowing machine. Stainglass door ½ price. 685-4185.

### 430 Household Goods

USED washers, dryers, stoves, refrigerators and TVs. Guaranteed. $75 and up. Call Gary at 686-8702.

BILL'S New & Used Furniture. Need Baby Furniture & Item's. 1211 South Big Spring 687-5966.

C & R Appliance selling fully reconditioned refrigerators; upright freezers; washers; dryers & stoves at a fair price with a ninety day all parts and labor warranty. 561-5330/ Midland.

KING-SIZE waterbed with 6 drawer underdresser, $160. Queen-size waterbed, $120. 689-7011.

FOUR piece dinette set. Brass, glass and whicker table and four chairs. Excellent condition, $200. Call after 5, 694-6818.

LIKE new 130,000 BTU Central Forced Air Furnace with Thermostat very efficient unit,$125. 694-6080 after 5pm or leave number.

**GOOD SELECTION**
...of used refrigerators, side by side, top and bottom freezers, used washer, dryers, and ranges completely reconditioned and guaranteed for 6 months. We buy working and non-working appliances. We make service calls.
Wood & Son Appliance
2420 West Front
687-1224

COUCH - blue and mauve, floral, very nice, $200. White oblong dining table with four matching chairs, $150. Call 684-9814.

COOKWARE - Queensware waterless 20 piece set. 15% discount until Christmas. Call 685-0859 evenings and weekends.

CONTEMPORARY Wall Unit, $225. Early American China Cabinet, $275. 699-5554 after 6pm.

RECONDTIONED appliances for sale. Washers, dryers, stoves, refrigerators, miscellaneous. Call 687-6383.

LIKE new: girl's double bed complete, four-poster, $150. Call 687-3852 after 5:30.

### 440 Firewood

FIREWOOD racks for sell. Ready made or taking orders. Any size. Call 685-4081, Leave Message.

APARTMENT stacks of firewood (⅛ cord). Delivered to your door step for only $30.00 each. 694-3467.

TRIPLE A Mesquite. Seasoned, delivered, $109/ cord. Call 915-949-2233 collect.

SEASONED Mesquite. Custom cut to fit fireplaces or wood stoves. $110/ cord, delivered and stacked. 915-365-3877.

H.E. DENNIS FIREWOOD FOR SALE, RESIDENT OF MIDLAND FOR 15 YEARS. WE HAVE OAK AND MESQUITE. PLEASE CALL OFFICE 683-4592 OR HOME 683-5716.

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WOODYARD Mesquite, Oak, Pecan, Pinyon. Free delivery. All season wood. 701 N. Fairgrounds. 686-8107, 684-8918.

OAK-Cord, $125. 1/2 cord, $75. Delivered and stacked. Call 694-5417 after 6 PM.

SEASONED Firewood. Mesquite $115/cord. Oak/$130. Delivered and stacked or you pick-up. 563-0949 or 563-0937.

SEASONED Firewood. Oak or Mesquite. Free delivery in city limits. Call Larry Tucker. 689-7151.

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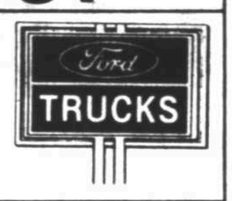
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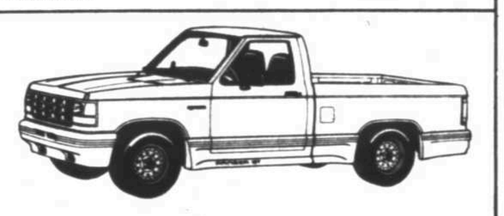
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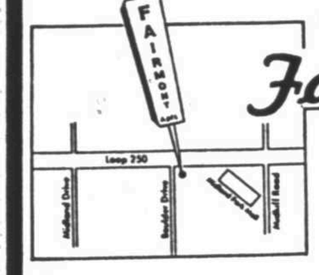
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Large corner divided lot on Shell makes expansion of this solidly built home a possibility for the future. Spacious 3 bedroom, 2 bath, large hobby or utility room.
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Out of state owner is ready to sell and reduced price to $75,000. On Durant, it has 2 living areas, 2 dining areas and one corner lot with freshly painted kitchen.
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*THIS IS A DOLL HOUSE
Located in the Country Club addition and priced in the 20's. this darling home has hardwood floors, 2 bedroom and 1 bath. Owner must sacrafice.
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*STUNNING OLD MIDLAND HOME
Spacious 5 bedroom home with 3 living areas and 5 baths. Beautiful master suite, 3 fireplaces plus guest quarters. Large corner lot. Breathtaking and priced under appraisal at $265,000.
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*WARWICK BEAUTY
For the "Old Midland" buyer this absolutely gorgeous 3 bedroom home is loaded with extras. Wonderful kitchen, nice study, lovely landscaping. One of Warwicks least expansive homes at $250,000.
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*COUNTRY FRENCH AT $105,000
New Frazier built 4 bedroom home with 2 living areas, 3 baths, beautiful decor, quality plus and ready to move in for Christmas.
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*OWNER WILL NEGOTIATE
Beautiful 3 bedroom, 2 ½ bath home with formal dining and so much more located in Wydewood. Owner has installed many first-class items.
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LOW EQUITY
3501 Imperial
Less than $10,000 on this spotless 3/2/2. Nearly new carpet, roof and water heater. Lovely fenced yard, near Lee High. Vacant.
Call Lee Denny, 694-4637
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FOUR BEDROOMS UNDER $55,000
Over 1900 square feet and two living areas make this one of the best buys in Midland! Large kitchen, big bedrooms, two car garage and much more. This one won't last long.
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BY OWNER
EXCLUSIVE WARWICK ADDITION
Lovely, updated executive home. 3 bedrooms, 3½ baths, 3 living areas, Wood & tile floors, 2 fireplaces, Oversized 2 car garage, lots of storage. Beautiful trees. Quality throughout.
Call for information on the many, many amenities.
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SACRIFICIAL PRICE
On this exceptional three bedroom, two full bath home offered at only $59,900. Cedar roof, fireplace, built in bookcases, island kitchen, spanish tile, masonry fence, two car garage with door opener and the list goes on. Call before the seller changes his mind.
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BY OWNER, qualifying assumption, $55,000, monthly payments under $460. 3-2-2, super clean, lots of extras. Perfect for young family. Sunnyside. 699-7855.

FHA ASSUMABLE loan. Three bedroom, two bath, fireplace. Nice yard with fruit and pecan trees. Two car garage. Located near Midland Christian School. Call 684-8221, leave message.

WYDEWOOD SPECIALS
WHITTLE WAY - Nice 3 bdrm, 2 bath home with large living area. $72,000.
MARK LANE - Large 3 bdrm, 2 bath with formal dining. Assumable loan. $83,900.
ABBEY PLACE - 3 bdrm, 2 bath, garden room. Bank repo. $72,000.
FREDNA - Lovely 2 story, 3 bdrms, 2½ bath, satellite dish stays. $81,500.
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SPACIOUS five bedroom home. New kitchen, 3 living areas, 2 ½ baths. Lots of storage, sprinklers, shed. Lee/ Rusk school district. Owner anxious to sell. No agents please. Call 694-8796 for appointment.

LOOK WHAT SANTA HAS FOR YOU
A Brand New Home with latched touches of marble throughout, 4 bdrm, 3 bath, 2 living areas, formal dining, lovely kitchen and breakfast nook. Don't miss this one!!!
Call Carl Stephenson
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THE BEST CHRISTMAS EVER
Can be yours in this classic Austin Stone on Harvard. Large shady corner lot, 3 bedrooms, 3 baths, hardwood floors and all that for $82,900. Call.
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SNUGGLE UP
near the fire in the cozy den, entertain Santa in large living area, dine in formal dining area, 3 bdrms large enough for the whole family. Excellent condition and priced below $50,000.
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BY Owner. Immaculate three bedroom, 1¾ bath, mirrored wall, ceiling fans, new carpet and paint, beautifully landscaped backyard with decking and fountain. One year warranty policy. Call or drop by 3230 Cimmaron, 694-8144.

HO! HO! HO!
Seeing this house at $78,000 will make you believe in Santa! HUGE 3-2-2 with formal dining, rock fireplace, and DREAM gourmet kitchen! Walking distance to Parker.
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ASSUMABLE LOANS
SANDHILL CIRCLE - Large 3 bdrm, 2 bath home with sunroom. Adjustable rate mortgage with payments under $725. Owner wants offers.
CASTLEFORD - Lovely 2 bdrm, 2 bath townhouse with very low equity. $73,500.
AMISTAD - Nice 3 bdrm, 2½ bath townhouse with hot tub. Special FNMA loan. Payments under $550.
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FOR sale by owner. 4301 Merrill Court. Located one block from Quannah Parker Elementary. One owner home. Three bedroom, two bath, extra nice with many special features. Call 697-6135.

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LOW DOWN PAYMENT
Three bedrooms and two baths for only $33,900? and the sellers will pay all your closing costs on this freshly painted property in Ranch Estates Addition. Call for financing details.
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NEW LISTINGS
ARBOR (06)-Fantastic yard goes with this creme puff! Immaculate condition! Beautifully decorated. ..... $69,500.
PECOS (64)-Three lots in prime downtown location. Great potential. Call Dana ..... $75,000
CO. RD. 1213 (15)-Owner willing to finance this country property on two acres. Call Charles ..... $95,000
E. CO. RD. 90(16)-Country living on ½ acre in this 3 bedroom, 2 bath home. High ceiling in living area. ..... $45,000.

REDUCED
2810 METZ-This home has space, style, lovely pool, tiff grass...so much that shows TLC. ..... $129,500
4001 ANGELINA-Skyline Terrace offers this home with large kitchen, rock fireplace, pretty yard, ready to move into. ..... $92,500.
3510 CAMARIE-Picture perfect describes this one! Assumable, qualifying loan. Call to see this today ..... $75,000.

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730 Suburban Property

LARGE four bedroom brick home in Greenwood area on two acres. Might consider trade on rural property in right area. 683-9545.

1218 SOUTH. 10 acres. 4 bedroom, 2 bath. Owner will consider financing. 686-8293.

GREENWOOD AREA
VA Non Qualifying Assumable Loan on this 3 bdrm, 2 bath. Low equity. Call Fay Baum 697-8884
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740 Out of Town Property

STANTON Home by owner, 3 bedrooms, 408 W. 1st. Assumable loan. Mid 50's shown by appointment. Call 1-756-2384.

100 ACRES
West of Pecos River. Judge Ray Bean Country. Deer. Turkey. Quail. Dove. $195 per acre. $495 down. Financing by owner. No credit check.
512-231-5165

750 Lots and Acreage

RESIDENTIAL - 2904 W. Michigan, $3500; Commercial C-2 adjacent to Lamesa Road project, $2000. 683-8260.

COUNTRY Living!! For sale: two acres, well and septic, five trees, near TI. Call 686-7200.

ACREAGE with Mobile Home Spaces. For investment income. Call 687-3475 after 6.

HALF acre mobile home lots for sale. Greenwood School District. Water wells, septic and paved roads. Owner financing, nothing down. Single-wide mobile homes moved free. 683-8033, 683-9459.

166 ACRE Repo, near Del Rio and Ozona. Excellent hunting, lots of cover, highway frontage. $235 per acre, easy terms, no credit check. Call Don 512-775-0731.

TRINITY Meadows. One of the largest lots in 2nd phase. Call 683-2787 from 8 - 5.

KINGWICK (adjacent to Warwick) 1600 West Scharbauer Drive. North side. One triangle lot (half acre) approximately 21,000 feet. $18,000. 687-1550 or 682-4950.

LAND for sale by owner, good soil and water, restricted. Please phone 684-8831.

CLOVERDALE Estates. Three 1 acre lots. Greenwood District. Excellent water. Highway 307. $6000/ lot. 687-3564.

RANGER Estates. Water well, pump, septic tank and gas tank. Greenwood District. $3500. Call 687-3564.

1½ ACRES on Highway 307. Good water. Greenwood School District. $7000. Call 687-3564.

760 Farms and Ranches

160 ACRE FARM
120 acres in cotton. Will divide. 9½ miles west of Snyder, TX. Owner finance. $64,000.
713-467-5267 or 713-862-3062

30 ACRES: 5 miles Commanche, Texas, 2 miles from Lake Proctor. Four bedroom, two bath, heat and air, three car attached garage, two wells, 500 gallon propane tank, 20X30 pole barn, 12X24 storage with boat shed, 35 fruit and pecan trees. 694-7410/915-356-2820.

770 Resort Property

DAVIS Mountain Resort. 5.2 wooded acres of land plus furnished mobile home. Call (915)332-4559.

RUIDOSO Houses for rent by day or week. Two locations. Call Midessa Telephone Systems 563-0266.

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Two good Lake houses on BRADY LAKE. Owners anxious.
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780 Business Property

SELL or Lease: 3000 square foot warehouse on one acre. $39,900. Ask for Kaye 682-6629/ 682-9495 Owner/ Agent.

FOR Sale Commercial Building on 4.99 acres, interstate frontage. $80,000 owner will finance. Call for details 563-5000.

FOR Sale: 21.8 acre trailer park. 34 spaces, 7 trailers, good water (RO unit), 1 % oil well. $400,000 value, $165,000. 684-4832.

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790 Investment Property

INCOME Property. Downtown Area. Large House, Two Apartments on two lots. Residential or Commercial. 682-7468.

INVESTMENT PROPERTIES
111 W. Pennsylvania - Tri-plex located near downtown. Owner wants offers.
900 N. Main - 2 bdrm, 1 bath, 2 living areas. Will consider lease. $25,000.
4412 St. Andrews - Duplex-fully leased. Each side 2 bdrm, 2 bath. $76,500.
4410 St. Andrews - Duplex-each side 2 bdrm, 2 bath. $85,500.
1717 Carol Drive - Corner lot, small house, zoned commercial. $12,500.
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