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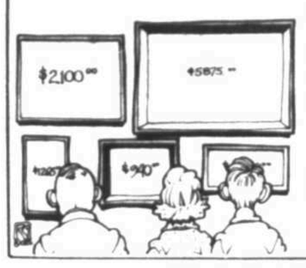

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Large prime rate hike not expected

By RICK GLADSTONE
AP Business Writer

NEW YORK — Bank customers with loans pegged to the prime rate are about to feel the impact of the rising cost of money, but economists say a big increase in interest rates is unlikely this year.

The first spike in the prime rate since the October stock market crash was announced Wednesday by major banks. The rise from 8.5 percent to 9 percent heralded a period of more expensive loans for purchases ranging from plant machinery to homes and cars.

The prime rate reflects the banks' costs of borrowing money and trails more subtle increases in other interest rates. But the rate is watched closely because bankers use it as a basis for calculating loans to businesses and for determining many types of fixed and adjustable-rate consumer loans, including popular home-equity loans.

Stock traders reacted badly to the rate rise, partly because it renewed memories of the higher interest rates that preceded the stock market crash. The Dow Jones industrial average fell 37.80 points to a three-month low of 1,965.85.

But many economists said they didn't believe interest rates would rise much further, largely because the economy could stumble badly if borrowing costs increased substantially.

These economists argue that Federal Reserve Chairman Alan Greenspan, a Reagan administration appointee who has wide power to influence interest rates, doesn't want to make any sudden move to tighten credit, especially in an election year.

But the Fed also wants to heed inflationary warning signs that have appeared, notably a 14-year low in the unemployment rate reported last week by the Labor Department.

"It wants to tap the brakes a little bit rather than slam them on in a great fury," said Robert Brusca, chief economist for Nikko Securities International Inc. in New York.

John Wilson, chief economist at Bank of America in San Francisco, said "clearly, we're on an upward move in interest rates and they'll continue to move upward. But I think they'll flatten out."

David Blitzer, chief economist for Standard & Poor's Corp., the investment research and credit-rating concern, said he believed the prime rate would stay at 9 percent, perhaps moving to 9.5 percent by June.

But Blitzer said he didn't believe the Fed would move to nudge rates much higher than they are now.

"I think this year, the Fed wants to keep the economy growing," he said. The Fed injected billions of dollars in reserves into the banking system after the October crash to forestall a possible recession. But in recent months, evidence of surprisingly strong economic growth has shifted concern to rising inflation.

This concern has been most evident in the bond market, where interest rates have been rising in anticipation that the Fed would tighten its credit policies. Economists say it's clear the Fed has moved recently to nudge interest rates higher by controlling the amount of money in the banking system.

Sandra Shaber, an economist at the Futures Group, a Washington-based forecasting firm, said the prime rate increase would have a broader impact on consumers now than in years past because it no longer is simply a benchmark for loans to bank corporate customers.

"Once upon a time, the impact would have been limited," she said.

Odessa banker convicted of fraud

By ED TODD
Staff Writer

A federal jury deliberated for more than 7½ hours late Wednesday and early today to find Odessa banker Jimmy Reagan Brown guilty of five counts of bank fraud in 1985.

Brown, the 41-year-old president of First State Bank of Odessa, is to be sentenced at noon June 14 by U.S. District Judge Lucius Bunton. He could be sentenced up to 19 years in prison and fined up to $1.25 million.

"We gave it our best shot," Brown, who appeared calm, told his tearful family and friends.

His father, former Texas Department of Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown, was in tears.

"Justice wasn't done," the father wept.

Meanwhile Assistant U.S. Attorney Jim Blankinship, who prosecuted Jimmy Brown and who specializes in prosecuting white-collar crimes, seemed dispassionate in wake of the verdict, although he had vigorously prosecuted Brown in the 2½-day trial in Midland.

"Once again," Blankinship said, "Permian Basin jurors have said, 'We are not going to tolerate bank fraud'" in West Texas.

Since 1985, when the Federal Bureau of Investigation heightened its investigation into white-collar crimes in West Texas, Brown has become the 10th Midland-Odessa banker or ex-banker to be indicted for fraud and the ninth one convicted.

Brown, who was on paid leave of absence from First State Bank of Odessa while the case was pending, is the first in-place bank president here to be convicted of fraud.

Previously, three former Midland-Odessa bank presidents have been indicted and convicted of fraud.

Midland-Odessa ex-bankers who have been indicted, convicted and sentenced for bank fraud since 1985 include three former bank presidents, an ex-director, three former vice presidents, and a former chief executive officer. Sentences have ranged from 24 years imprisonment to one year. And court-ordered restitution has been as high as $550,000.

One indictment, against a former Midland bank vice president, was dismissed.

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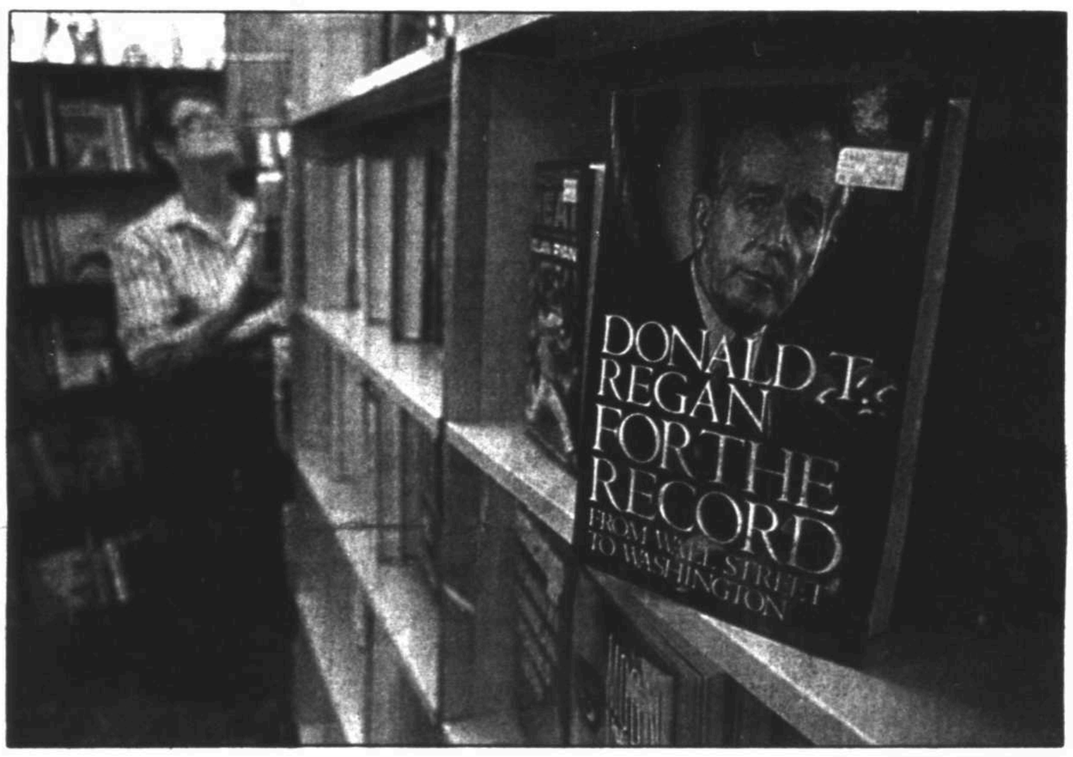

George Wolf/Reporter-Telegram

Former White House Chief of Staff Donald Regan's "kiss-and-tell" book is experiencing brisk sales since its debut on local bookstore shelves early this week.

Regan's book sells well here

By PATRICK CRIMMINS
Staff Writer

A "kiss-and-tell" book written by former White House Chief of Staff Donald T. Regan — replete with details of first lady Nancy Reagan's apparent infatuation with astrology — is a hot seller, according to area booksellers.

At least one of the area stores carrying the book has sold out of its initial shipments, two stores are in short supply of the tome, and a fourth is still awaiting its first delivery.

"Yes, it is selling very well," said Larry Armstrong, owner of Daily News and Tobacco, 1028-D Andrews Hwy. "It is one of the better-selling hardback books that we carry."

Armstrong said all 12 of the books he ordered initially have been sold.

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U.S. administration discussing deal with Noriega

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Reagan administration is discussing a deal that could result in the dropping of drug trafficking charges against Panamanian strongman Manuel Antonio Noriega in exchange for his agreement to relinquish power, a White House spokesman said today.

"We're still talking" about such a deal, said chief presidential spokesman Marlin Fitzwater. "What this amounts to is a plea bargain," he said. However, the spokesman said no direct negotiations have taken place with Noriega on the matter.

Earlier, White House chief of staff Howard Baker, without actually confirming an offer, told CBS-TV that if such an arrangement got Noriega out of power, "that would be the most fruitful and productive plea bargain that we have seen in a long time."

Reports of an offer brought sharp criticism today from several senators and Panama's anti-Noriega ambassador to the United States.

Administration sources, speaking on condition of anonymity, said Wednesday that Florida drug-trafficking indictments against the de facto Panamanian ruler would be dropped if he stepped down and left the country for a year. The sources said the Justice Department objected to the offer, which was approved at a White House meeting.

Sen. John Kerry, D-Mass., said that if descriptions of the offer were accurate, it would appear to be a victory for Noriega, allowing his loyalists to retain control while he spent "a year's vacation on the Riviera."

"If I was a cop in Boston or Miami or somewhere, I'd sit there and say this administration has sent a signal that crime does pay," Kerry said on the CBS show.

Kerry such such a deal would be "a mistake and even an insult to the efforts of this country to fight a war on drugs."

Sen. Alphonse D'Amato, R-N.Y., said, "I think it'd be a terrible mistake to take the word of a drug-dealing killer dictator that he's going to get out and allow free elections sometime next year, and he'd be allowed to stay in until August. And the only thing you're going to have is a transferance of power to his cronies."

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Former candidate charged in Cisneros plot

By ROBERT CAHILL
Hearst News Service

SAN ANTONIO — A 74-year-old man who once ran for Congress has been charged in a bizarre plot to assassinate Mayor Henry Cisneros and other public officials, including U.S. congressmen, that was foiled by Texas lawmen.

Police said Parker Abell of Natalia, Texas, was arrested after authorities videotaped a meeting between him and an undercover Bexar County district attorney's investigator he allegedly tried to hire to carry out the plot.

Abell was charged with criminal solicitation to commit capital murder following the evening meeting Tuesday at a local supermarket, and was being held without bond Wednesday in Bexar County Jail.

Seized from Abell's automobile in the arrest were a .22-caliber Remington rifle that had been sawed off and fitted with a pistol grip and typewritten papers that called for executions of traitors of the U.S. people and Constitution, authorities said.

The arrest capped a four-week investigation by the Internal Revenue Service, Texas Rangers and district attorney's office.

Abell allegedly solicited district attorney's investigator John Veltkamp to "execute any of a number of persons from U.S. congressmen to state and public officials, specifically Bob Bullock, Texas state comptroller, and Henry Cisneros," a report filed by law enforcement authorities states.

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BULLETIN

U.S. and Soviet negotiators today reached agreement on all the technical issues that caused the Senate to postpone debate on a nuclear missile treaty before the Moscow summit, a senior U.S. official said.

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U.S. policy goals may necessitate emphasis on U.S.S.R.

"Gorbachev's charisma notwithstanding, Americans should not delude themselves into thinking Cold War conflict is a thing of the past. The ruling party of Russia remains a war party. An American strategy of containment is inadequate for winning true peace; peace will only come through the eventual dissolution of the Communist monopoly of power in the Soviet Union — which will require decades of U.S. patience, perseverance and strength."

— Patrick Buchanan

By PATRICK BUCHANAN

The *raison d'etre* of any realistic, i.e., non-ideological, American foreign policy must be the preservation of the Republic. Other goals — the advancement of human rights, the alleviation of poverty and hunger, the spread of democracy — are secondary and subordinate.

If this is true, then, for the indefinite future, the central concern of American foreign policy must be the U.S.S.R., not "competitiveness," and not the North-South struggle. With between 9,000 and 10,000 nuclear warheads targeted on the United States, the Soviet Union alone has the capacity to bring an end to the United States.

Nine American presidents, including Mr. Reagan, have sought an end to the conflict between the United States and the Soviet Union. None has succeeded, for a simple reason; none has addressed the root cause of the Cold War.

The reason the permanent conflict between East and West, the Cold War, cannot be negotiated out of existence by any American president, is because the origin of that conflict lies in the nature and character of the Soviet regime itself. Lenin's Party which rules the Soviet Union, is a war party; the very reason for its existence is to wage war against the West.

Indeed, should the Cold War end in true peace, the Communist Party would no longer have any reason to exist.

As Lenin's Party exists to advance Lenin's Revolution, negotiating true peace with the West would be tantamount to suicide. Like the Great White shark, the Communist Party of the Soviet Union must swim constantly and feed constantly upon new prey, or it will sink to the bottom and die.

The converse is also true.

When Mr. Reagan tells Mr. Gorbachev the United States does not "threaten" the Soviet Union, Mr. Gorbachev knows better. *We do threaten the Soviet Union.*

A free, prosperous, powerful democratic Republic halfway around the world is not only the last obstacle to Soviet global hegemony, it is a vast mirror in which mankind can see the immense depth of Communist duplicity and deceit. The United States is mankind's most eloquent statement that Marxism and Leninism are squalid, self-serving lies.

Because the Communist Party is, at its core, a war party, every "peace" agreement signed with it is a fraud on their part, and an act of self-delusion on ours.

Peace, to an American, means the peace with justice that exists within a free society, where individual freedom and human rights are guaranteed. Peace, to the Soviets, means an end to all resistance to the dictatorial power of the Communist Party, within the Soviet Union and, ultimately, in the world.

The inescapable conclusion is that the only way to bring an end to the East-West struggle, to bring true peace to mankind, is to eliminate the root cause of the century's struggle, the Communist Party of the Soviet Union. Containment is not enough. True peace requires the eventual de-Leninization of the Soviet Union.

Between the Russian *nation* and the American *nation*, there are no quarrels — historic, territorial, economic or political — that could remotely justify war. Indeed, both the Russian and American people share the same enemy, the Communist Party of the Soviet Union. The day Western Man accepts that the struggle is irreconcilable, that it is Lenin's Party that must end up on Trotsky's "ash heap of history," the Communist tide will begin to recede.

The Communist vision and creed no longer inspires men; too many men and women have seen Moscow's Brave New World; and they know it does not "work." Communism is a dead faith. From Ethiopia to Vietnam, from Poland to China, "Marxist economy" has become a synonym for economic shambles, Leninism a synonym for state terror.

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RIGHT FROM THE BEGINNING

Fourth in a series

Comments in this article, as in the preceding parts, are from Patrick Buchanan's book "Right From the Beginning." They constitute his opinions are are not necessarily objective.

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Town up in the air over Burlington noise

WINOOSKI, Vt. (AP) — This innovative Yankee town, which once considered building a dome over itself to keep out the harsh Vermont winter, is trying to tax neighboring Burlington for its noisy use of Winooski's airspace.

The western Vermont town of about 6,300 people sits at the end of Burlington International Airport's runway, and its downtown is just off the airport's main approach.

Residents say the noise from helicopters, Vermont National Guard fighters and jets flying in and out of Vermont's largest city can be unbearable.

"They go right over our building," Alice Levesque said recently. "It's really an awful thing. They wouldn't do that to a herd of cows."

Winooski officials, saying the planes were invading their airspace, decided to tax Burlington. Burlington balked.

Winooski, contending that Burlington hadn't paid the taxes, then filed suit in Chittenden County Superior Court to collect on a bill of $90,000, plus interest.

"By flying that low, they have essentially confiscated the land that is below that air," said Dominique Casavant, a physics professor and former Winooski selectman. The airport noise depresses land values, Casavant said.

"Yes, it is unusual...(but) this is not the first time Winooski has set precedent," Casavant said.

In 1979, a dome to cover the town was proposed to save energy and ward off winter. The proposal was the subject of an international symposium and federal money was requested to study it, but the project never got out of the planning stages.

Officials argue that they aren't taxing the planes, but the space they use when they land and take off.

"Property taxes are not novel," said Winooski City Manager Brendan Keleher. "Property taxes are our business."

Burlington has dismissed the airspace tax, although Bernard Sanders, the city's outspoken Socialist mayor, applauded Winooski for its imagination.

"As somebody who is interested in alternatives to the property tax, I have to congratulate our friends in the city of Winooksi," Sanders said. "It's an interesting concept, but not terribly practical. If Winooski could do it, so could Toledo. We would be evolved to a toll booth in the sky."

Landowners have sued over airspace rights in the past.

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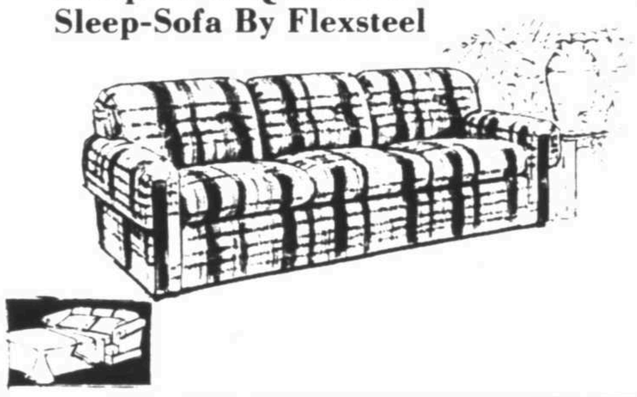

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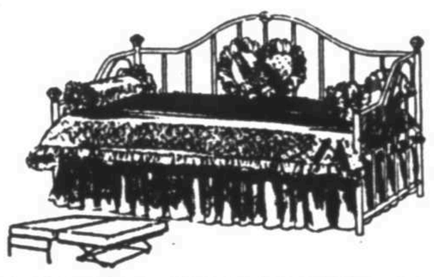

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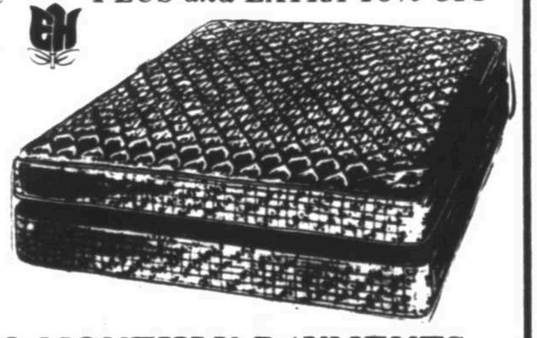

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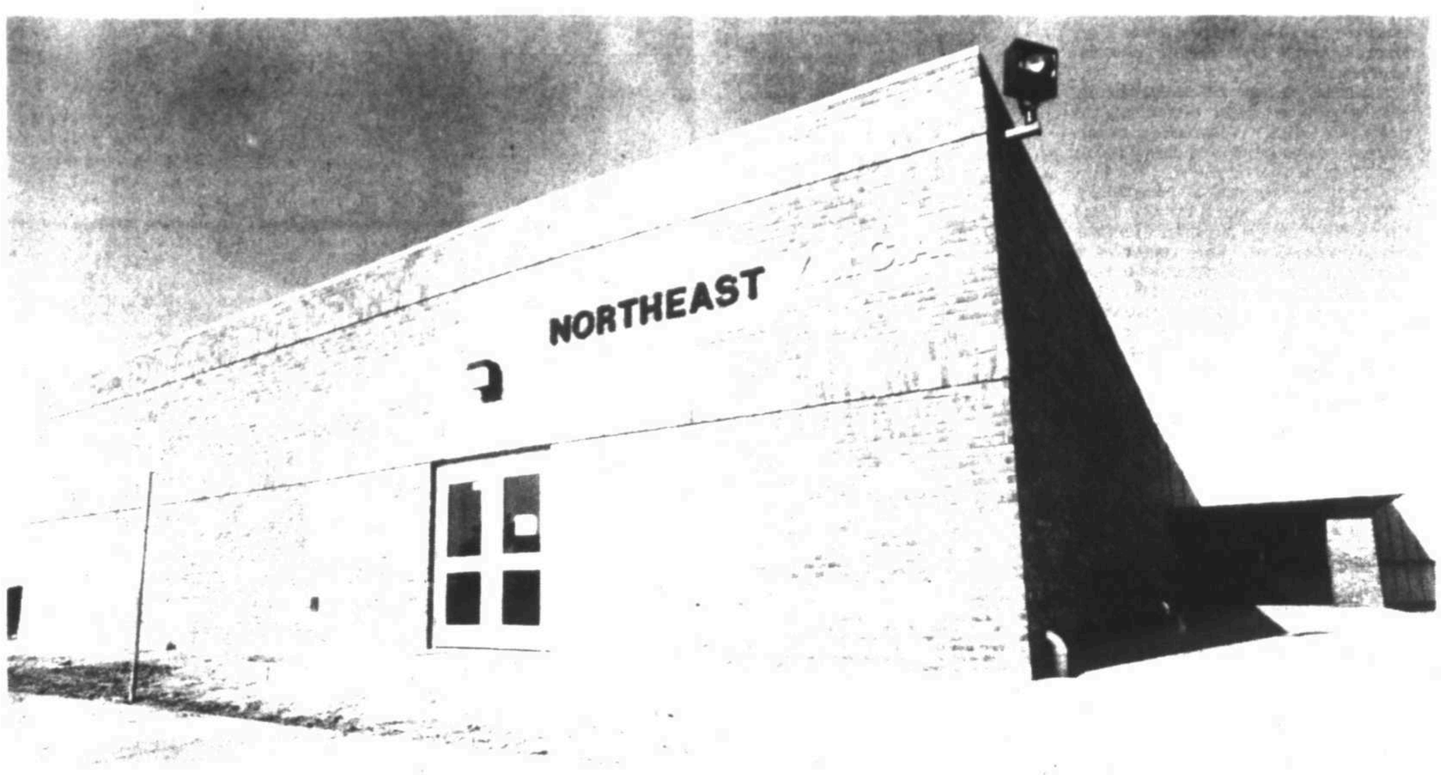

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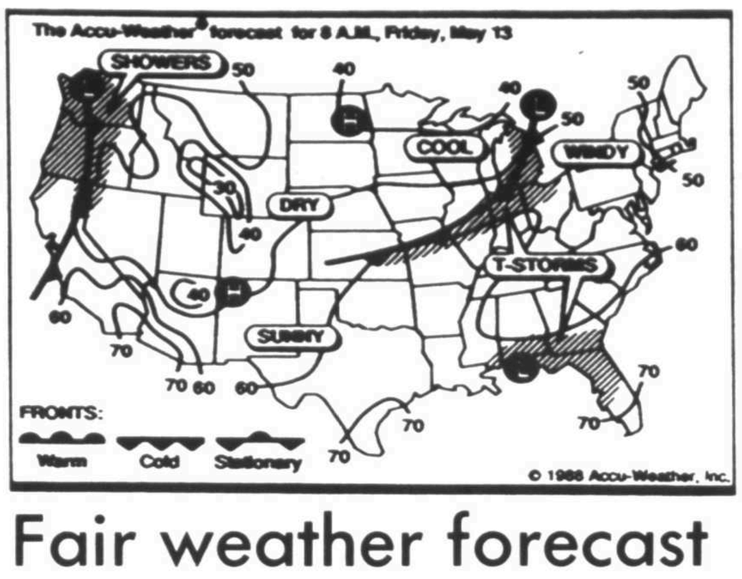

Fair weather forecast

From Staff and Wire Reports

Fair weather is in the forecast for tonight according to the National Weather Service at Midland International Airport. The low will be in the mid-50s and winds will blow southeasterly at 5-10 m.p.h.

Friday is expected to be sunny and warm with the high in the mid-80s and southerly winds at 10-15 m.p.h.

Wednesday's high of 74 was 27 degrees cooler than the record of 101 set for that date in 1984. The overnight low of 50 was nine degrees warmer than the record of 41 set for this date in 1931.

STATE

Patches of light rain, showers and a few scattered thunderstorms fell on central, east and southeast Texas early today.

Showers and isolated thunderstorms were also scattered along the mid to upper coastal plains and extended offshore into the northwest Gulf of Mexico.

Some flash flooding was reported overnight. In Beeville, one car was swept into a culvert by high water, said police dispatcher Sylvia Garcia. More than four inches of rain fell, knocking out power for a short time on the South Texas city's west side. More than two inches had fallen in Corpus Christi through the night.

The showers were part of an upper level disturbance and a moist unstable air mass.

Elsewhere, a high pressure system centered over the south plains was bringing mostly clear skies and dry weather conditions to the western third of texas. However, skies remained partly to mostly cloudy over the rest of the state.

Winds varied in direction, generally at 5 to 10 mph.

Early morning extreme temperatures ranged from 51 degrees at Amarillo to 75 degrees at Corpus Christi.

The National Weather Service forecast called for decreasing cloudiness in Texas the state this afternoon becoming mostly fair tonight. Sunny and warm Friday. Highs expected in the 70s and 80s, except mid 90s along the Rio Grande in the Big Bend.

NATION

Showers and thunderstorms covered much of the Texas coast today after dropping heavy rain over the region.

The storms Wednesday evening produced flooding in some cities. In six hours overnight, heavier rainfall included more than 3 inches at Beeville and 2¼ inches at Corpus Christi.

Widely scattered showers and thunderstorms dampened the middle Mississippi Valley, isolated showers fell over the northern and central Plains, and light rain and drizzle lingered over eastern Maine. Fair skies prevailed across the rest of the nation.

Today's forecast called for showers and a few thunderstorms scattered across the upper and eastern Great Lakes, and scattered showers and thunderstorms over the western and central Gulf Coast. The rest of the nation was expected to have mostly sunny skies.

Midland statistics

FORECAST

Tonight: Fair with the low in the middle 50s, southeast winds 5 - 10 m.p.h. Friday: Sunny with the high in the middle 80s, south winds 10 - 15 m.p.h.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS

Yesterday's High	74 degrees
Overnight Low	50 degrees
Sunset today	8:37 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	6:53 a.m.
Precipitation:	
Last 24 hours	.49 inches
This month to date	.68 inches
Year to date	1.95 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES

6 a.m.	60	6 p.m.	72
7 a.m.	60	7 p.m.	70
8 a.m.	60	8 p.m.	64
9 a.m.	58	9 p.m.	61
10 a.m.	57	10 p.m.	59
11 a.m.	58	11 p.m.	59
noon	60	midnight	58
1 p.m.	65	1 a.m.	56
2 p.m.	69	2 a.m.	54
3 p.m.	71	3 a.m.	52
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5 p.m.	73	5 a.m.	50
		6 a.m.	51

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Abilene	75	55	.04
Alice	88	65	.52
Amarillo	69	49	.32
Austin	77	62	.74
Beaumont/Port Arthur	88	65	.13
Beeville	88	65	3.27
Brownsville	87	67	.25
Bryan/College Station	84	63	.36
Childress	76	51	
Corpus Christi	83	45	.81
Cotulla	88	66	.24
Dalhart	70	46	
Dallas	88	64	
Del Rio	78	64	.33
El Paso	81	51	
Fort Worth	87	58	
Galveston	80	68	.04
Hondo	83	62	.20
Houston Hobby	84	67	.08
Junction	70	55	
Kingsville	88	64	.90
Laredo	90	68	
Longview	85	66	
Lubbock	69	49	.29
Lufkin	89	63	.16
Marfa	68	48	
McAllen	91	67	.70
Midland/Odessa	74	50	.49
Mineral Wells	83	55	.01
Palacios	85	64	.43
San Angelo	70	51	1.54
San Antonio	85	64	.02
Stephenville	78	53	
Texarkana	87	58	
Victoria	86	64	.64
Waco	76	59	.04
Wichita Falls	85	55	.20
Wink	76	45	

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albany,N.Y.	67	37	.10	rn
Albuquerque	79	53		clr
Anchorage	56	44		cdy
Atlanta	79	57		clr
Atlantic City	70	53	.29	cdy
Baltimore	74	52	.11	cdy
Boise	86	58		rn
Boston	57	51	.20	cdy
Buffalo	60	43		rn
Casper	73	42		clr
Charleston,S.C.	75	64		cdy
Chicago	75	52	.02	cdy
Cincinnati	73	47		cdy
Dayton	71	49		cdy
Denver	74	46		clr
Detroit	67	49		cdy
Flagstaff	75	34		clr
Grand Rapids	67	46		cdy
Great Falls	79	45		cdy
Honolulu	81	72	.01	clr
Indianapolis	75	52		cdy
Jackson,Miss.	88	57		cdy
Kansas City	84	54		cdy
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Little Rock	86	59		cdy
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Milwaukee	65	55	.11	cdy
Mpls-St Paul	74	45		clr
Nashville	77	48		cdy
New Orleans	87	65		clr
New York City	72	51	.17	clr
Oklahoma City	86	57		cdy
Omaha	83	47	.01	clr
Philadelphia	75	50	.06	cdy
Phoenix	105	77		clr
Pittsburgh	66	38		rn
Reno	89	48		cdy
Richmond	79	51		cdy
St Louis	82	62		cdy
Salt Lake City	76	46		clr
San Diego	78	61		cdy
San Francisco	83	53		cdy
Sioux Falls	80	46		clr
Spokane	80	50		clr
Syracuse	58	37		rn
Topeka	86	51		cdy
Tucson	103	70		clr
Tulsa	89	63		cdy
Washington,D.C.	76	54	.04	cdy
Wichita	84	58	.04	clr

Border forecasts

New Mexico: Fair skies Thursday night. Lows from 30 to 45 in the mountains to the upper 40s and 50s east and south. Partly cloudy northwest and northcentral Friday with fair skies elsewhere. A little warmer as highs range from the 70s in the mountains to around 90 across the southern deserts.

Oklahoma: Partly cloudy and warm through Friday. Widely scattered thunderstorms mainly north Friday. Highs Friday 86 to 94. Lows Thursday night mid 50s panhandle to mid 60s east.

County forecasts

Midland, Ector, Glasscock, Upton, Reagan, Crane, Gaines, Andrews, Dawson, Borden, Martin and Howard counties: Thursday night, fair. Low in the mid 50s. Wind southeast 5 to 10 mph. Friday, mostly sunny. High in the mid 80s. Wind south 10 to 15 mph.

Sterling, Coke, Irion and Tom Green counties: Thursday night, fair. Low in the mid 50s. Wind light and variable. Friday, mostly sunny. High in mid 80s. Wind south 5 to 15 mph.

Extended forecasts

West Texas: Dry with little day to day temperature changes. Panhandle: Lows mid 50s and highs upper to lower 80s. South Plains: Lows mid to upper 50s, highs upper to mid 80s. Permian Basin: Lows upper 50s to near 60 and highs around 90. Concho Valley: Lows upper 50s to mid 60s, high in upper 80s. Far West: Lows in upper 50s and highs in lower 90s. Big Bend region: Lows mid 40s mountains to mid 60s lowlands. Highs mid 80s mountains to near 100 Big Bend valleys.

Multiple transplant recipient dies

PITTSBURGH (AP) — A feisty, 3-year-old girl who made medical history with a five-organ transplant died after a six-month struggle that doctors say will help advance research into the experimental surgery.

Tabatha Foster of Madisonville, Ky., who spent most of her life in hospitals, died Wednesday afternoon, a month shy of her fourth birthday, in the intensive care unit at Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh.

The 36-pound, pigtailed child was the world's longest survivor of a five-organ transplant. She received a new liver, small intestines, pancreas and parts of a stomach and colon during a 15-hour experimental operation that ended Nov. 1.

Similar procedures had been performed only twice before in the world, and both patients died within a few days.

An infection in Tabatha's bloodstream caused her heart, kidneys and liver to fail, said hospital spokeswoman Sue Cardillo.

"It was system failure, everything. It was like a chain reaction," she said.

Among those expressing sympathy was President Reagan, who had mentioned Tabatha's plight in a national radio address in January and contributed $1,000 toward her medical expenses.

"Many Americans were drawn to her because of her courageous battle against birth defects. We extend our deepest sympathies to her family," the president said in a statement.

Tabatha's parents, Roy and Sandra Foster, were at her side and had told doctors not to try to revive her if her heart stopped, Ms. Cardillo said.

"I was a little surprised that it ended as suddenly as this," said Dr. Thomas E. Starzl, director of transplant surgery at Children's Hospital. "Even though she was a child of enormous physical and enormous emotional strength, it was just slowly ebbing away."

As Starzl described the devotion of Tabatha's parents at a news conference, he stopped speaking in the middle of a sentence and sat down, fighting back tears.

Tabatha won the hearts of hospital staff with good-natured teasing, playing peek-a-boo, giggling each day at "Sesame Street" and singing "The Itsy-Bitsy Spider."

"Bless her little heart," said Deborah B. Morrow, a family friend in Madisonville. "A lot of times you see a child who has been sick and they're kind of moody. But Tabatha was an outgoing girl. She wasn't afraid of anything."

Well-wishers from around the country, including Frank Sinatra, donated more than $350,000 to help cover her medical expenses. Much of the money came from black churches. Tabatha, who was black, also received boxloads of toys, cards and notes from schoolchildren.

Starzl said a study of Tabatha's case in coming weeks will help determine the feasibility of future multiple-organ transplants.

"This is not the loss meaninglessly of a life," the surgeon said. "Along with death came the accrual of something really worthwhile."

Tabatha's parents decided they did not want an autopsy performed.

AP Laserphoto

Tabatha Foster, 3, a multiple transplant recipient, died Wednesday afternoon in Pittsburgh.

BANKER

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In his testimony before the 10-woman, two-man jury, Jimmy Brown denied any wrongdoing but did acknowledge errors in judgment.

"Did you goof?" his defense attorney, Frank McCown of Fort Worth, asked Brown.

"Apparently I did," Brown replied, "or I wouldn't be sitting here."

THE JURY FOUND found Brown guilty of:

— Making false statements and representations to national bank examiners in December 1985 about a $15,000 loan. The jury found that Brown had signed his father's name to a $15,000 loan but had stated to a federal bank examiner that his father had signed his own signature on the promissory note. The father, however, had testified that he had given his son permission to sign his name on the bank note.

— Presenting a "materially false financial statement" to Texas National Bank of Odessa to influence the bank's action on Brown's existing loan in September 1985.

— Making a false statement to Texas National Bank of Odessa to influence the bank to grant him a $10,000 loan in September 1985. The jury found that Brown had represented that the loan was for the down payment on a new home when the loan was "to pay off a delinquent loan at another bank."

— Embezzling and misapplying $15,000 in money, funds and credits "entrusted to the custody and care" of First State Bank and Brown in June 1985.

— Making a false entry in applying for a $15,000 loan in June 1985. The grand jury charged that Brown represented that the loan was to be used for "debt consolidation" when the loan proceeds were intended to be used "personally" by Brown.

THE PROSECUTION charged that Brown used fraud and deception to secure the $15,000 loan and made false and misleading comments on his financial statements to secure loans from other banks.

Brown noted that no funds were lost in his securing loans to pay off debts.

"Every note I have has been paid off," he said.

Brown, who said he was open in making the $15,000 loan to himself and then cashing a $15,000 cashier's check at a teller's window, denied that he had told a federal bank examiner that his father had "signed that note.

"That would have been ludicrous," Brown said. "Half of Odessa knew (that) by that time."

Brown said that he was accustomed to signing his father's name in business transactions under the power-of-attorney authority.

Further, he denied falsifying financial statements even though he claimed ranch-land which apparently belonged to his father in Brazos County but which was in the son's name. The prosecution claimed that the son had inflated value of the land to reflect more assets that he actually possessed.

Evidence also indicated that Brown had omitted a listing of certain obligations, including child-support payments and about $19,000 in credit-card debts, from his financial statement in applying for loans and had mis-stated purposes of those loans.

"It would have been absurd to have falsified financial statements," Brown said said under examination by McCown.

UNDER CROSS-EXAMINATION by prosecutor Blankinship, Brown said that he had "never lied to anybody. I always try to tell the truth."

Brown, a graduate of Texas A&M University and a 14-year bank veteran, joined First State Bank in 1984 as executive vice president and was promoted to president in 1985.

First State Bank, which is owned by an Abilene-based holding company, was established in Odessa in 1983 after National Bank of Odessa (NBO) failed in September 1983. First State Bank acquired some of the former NBO loans from the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp (FDIC).

"Obviously, that bank (NBO) had many problems," Brown said, "or it wouldn't have failed. We took over some of their loans."

In moving to Odessa from Bryan in the wake of a divorce, Brown said he had fallen into debt he had never before experienced and was trying to work through those debts.

Brown suggested that he was a stickler "on accountability and responsibility."

In the trial, the prosecution presented 16 witnesses, including FBI special agents and bankers, and the defense presented five witnesses, including Brown and his 67-year-old father.

In closing arguments, co-prosecutor Dan Mills said that Jimmy Brown was "not concerned about his image" as a banker. "He got caught. That's all."

Mills said Brown had claimed to be "a stickler for detail" but made "those kind of mistakes (on his financial statement) always to his advantage" in securing loans.

"HE'S WIPED OUT if he discloses all of those credit-card activity," Mills charged.

Defense attorney McCown said that Brown "did not attempt to disguise the signature. He did everything out in the open. He did have the authority" to sign his father's name to the note.

"It was an open transaction," McCown said, "and he did not try to hide anything."

But the prosecution claimed that the tenor of the $15,000 note indicated that the loan was for "debt consolidation" for his father's benefit but that Jimmy Brown actually absorbed the proceeds of the loan. That was deception, the prosecution claimed.

McCown said that the prosecution was unfair in its treatment of Brown.

"The prosecution in this case is not (the) EEOC (Equal Employment Opportunity Commission," he said. "They discriminate."

McCown admitted that his client was "not in the best financial condition" in 1985. "The thing that bothers me the most is the man is accused of fraud" when no fraud was intended, McCown said.

"He (Brown) was running the bank — trying to improve the bank's condition."

Prosecutor Blankinship, however, said Brown was "deceiving his own employees and, perhaps, today he was deceiving you (jurors)" in his testimony.

"Deception, deceit. That's the issue in this case," Blankinship said. "A fair verdict is what we want based on the facts and the law — not on sympathy and prejudice.

"If you don't see deception, set him loose, set him free," Blankinship told the jurors. "Jimmy Brown did the lying. Don't let him send you on a guilt trip."

Blankinship said he did not place much stock in Brown's comment that he had "never lied."

"Well," said the prosecutor, "I sure have. We all have. We get in a bind, and sometimes we do (lie)" particularly in young, tender years.

But after a person is grown up and reaches maturity, Blankinship said, "The law says you don't lie anymore.

"It's time to put an end to this nonsense. This man is guilty; you tell him" so by returning guilty verdicts, said the presecutor.

BOOK

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"We're expecting, waiting for more," from a Nashville, Tenn. distributor, he said.

Because of the heavy publicity the book, entitled "For the Record: From Wall Street to Washington," has received, Armstrong said he decided to place it in a prominent window display, and near the cash register.

The owner of another independent store said she is still waiting for her copies of Regan's book.

"We have ordered a dozen copies," said Patteann Daniel, owner of Pages and Prints in Plaza Center. "But we are still waiting. We can't get books as fast as the big stores."

Ms. Daniel said she has received "six or seven" telephone calls from persons interested in the book.

"It will be a good Fathers' Day seller for some people," she said, but she added it will not get a prominent display in the store or advertising.

"I figure the national news is doing that," she said with a laugh.

The book is moving briskly at Waldenbooks at Midland Park Mall, the manager there said early today.

"We have sold at least two-thirds of what we had," Peggy Toolen said. "Yesterday, just speaking of myself, I sold five copies. It is really selling well."

The store also sells magazines, including "Time," which features exclusive excerpts from the book in this week's issue.

The magazine is selling "pretty well," though not as quickly as the book, she said.

At B. Dalton Bookseller at the mall, there is worry that the three copies of the book still left will be gone today.

Sales have been "wonderful," senior salesperson Joni Trice said today. "We are afraid we will run out. I just called one of our distributors this morning, but they are out. We anticipate a problem, but we are working on it."

Persons who don't want to buy the book, and who haven't read excerpts in "Time" likely will wait until it reaches the local library. Under normal circumstances — even with a best-seller — the Midland County Public Library already would have the book.

"Normally, the books are ordered even before they are published if they are well-reviewed," head librarian John Deats said. "But I checked and we don't have it. We were looking into which would be the fastest source to obtain it from, but that source is out."

Deats said two copies of the book will be on the shelf in a week to 10 days.

Critic not amused by Cisneros' reaction

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Mayor Henry Cisneros' efforts to downplay an alleged assassination attempt by joking that a longtime grassroots opponent would have done the job for free didn't amuse the critic.

A 74-year-old Natalia man was being held in the Bexar County Jail without bond on charges of solicitation to commit capital murder Wednesday.

Parker Abell, a tax protester and a former Libertarian congressional candidate, was arrested Tuesday on charges of arranging to pay an undercover officer $5,000 to kill the mayor in order to get publicity.

The mayor tried to downplay the threat, saying he wasn't taking it seriously and that if the suspect were serious he could have called on the president of the Homeowner-Taxpayer Association, who has opposed Cisneros on some issues.

"I think my feelings are hurt. I think I should be worth more than $5,000," Cisneros said Wednesday.

"On the other hand, I know it's not serious, because anybody who would pay $5,000 when they can get people to do it for free. All they would have to do is go see C.A. Stubbs and he would have volunteered to do this for free," Cisneros said.

Stubbs, 65, has been fighting local and state governments on tax issues and has had numerous skirmishes and two major battles with the mayor the past three years.

On Wednesday, Stubbs said he was not amused by the mayor's remarks and said Cisneros owed him an apology.

"He sure picked a hell of a thing to try to be funny," Stubbs said.

Chinese flight hijacked to Taiwan

TAIPEI, Taiwan (AP) — A Chinese jetliner with 118 people aboard was hijacked to Taiwan today by two Chinese men during a domestic flight in southern China, a Taiwan television station reported.

The Boeing 737, belonging to state-run CAAC airline, landed at Taichung military airport in central Taiwan at 9:07 p.m., Taiwan Television Station Co. reported, quoting unidentified sources. It said the plane was escorted by several military aircraft after entering Taiwan's airspace.

It was not immediately known whether the hijackers were still in control of the plane.

The plane, with several foreigners aboard, was hijacked on a flight from coastal Xiamen city in Fujian province to Canton, the capital of neighboring Guangdong province, the report said.

A Defense Ministry spokesman, who spoke on condition of anonymity, confirmed the landing of the plane at the Taichung airport but refused to give any other details.

The television station said the plane carried 107 passengers and 11 crewmembers. It gave the names of the hijackers as Chang Ching-kuo and Rong Chung-yung, both aged 27.

PLOT

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Authorities said Veltkamp was to receive $5,000 plus expenses in the alleged plot.

Cisneros said Wednesday he was not worried.

"These things happen occasionally," the mayor said. "I don't know if this individual was serious or if it was just loose talk.

"It doesn't affect me or the way I do my job."

Police said there has been no increase in security for the mayor.

Authorities said the rambling, typewritten statement found in the suspect's car had blank spaces where names of the victims were to be inserted. It read:

"Sovereign (sic) court of the people, execution warrant the above named traitor or traitors are to be executed on sight. Each accused has given public proof of guilt beyond reasonable doubt that he or she is a traitor to the people of the United States and the United States Constitution. Said execution must be performed in any manner possible. This warrant is under the authority of the 7th Amendment of said U.S. Constitution by command of the Declaration of Independence. Law by acceptance. For the sovereign (sic) court of the people, signed this date."

Abell ran for the post of District 23 U.S. representative in Medina County, Texas, in 1982, but received only 22 votes.

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Reagan says he'll work hard to get Bush elected

Associated Press

George Bush's Republican candidacy finally got the presidential seal of approval, with President Reagan vowing to "campaign as hard as I can" on Bush's behalf. Democratic front-runner Michael Dukakis, meanwhile, was conferring with congressional leaders and making forays into the foreign policy arena.

Dukakis' only remaining rival, Jesse Jackson, brushed aside this week's losses in Nebraska and West Virginia with his stock line that his candidacy is "winning every day."

All three candidates were campaigning today in Western states, as the race pointed toward June 7, with its big delegate payoff from races in California, New Jersey, Montana and New Mexico.

Dukakis, who has been criticized by Bush for lacking foreign policy experience, was scheduled to meeting this morning with Anglican Archbishop Desmond Tutu of South Africa, who was in Washington to lobby for new sanctions aimed at ending apartheid. Dukakis also arranged for a luncheon with Latin American ambassadors.

The Massachusetts governor was also meeting with congressional leaders, including House Speaker Jim Wright, House Majority Leader Tom Foley, Senate Majority Leader Robert Byrd and House Budget Committee Chairman William Gray.

Bush was formally given Reagan's endorsement at a pricey Republican fund-raiser in Washington on Wednesday night.

Reagan had remained neutral during the fight for the Republican nomination, but the vice president has had a mathematical lock on the nomination since the Pennsylvania primary last month.

"I intend to campaign as hard as I can," Reagan said. "I'm going to work as hard as I can to make Vice President George Bush the next president of the United States."

The brief endorsement came at the end of a lengthy speech in which the president cited his administration's accomplishments. Reagan referred to Bush by name three times, at one point calling him "George Bosh."

Bush, who preceded the president at the podium, praised Reagan for "your simple humanity, your decency and your strength," adding: "What an inspiration you have been to all of us."

After Reagan spoke, Bush joined him and the two clasped hands and held them high, while hundreds of red, white and blue balloons were released.

Bush's former rival Bob Dole drew laughter from the crowd at the Republican event when — acknowledging applause as he rose to speak — said: "I would accept the nomination, but I think it's already been spoken for...I can't remember the guy who got it," added Dole.

Hours before Reagan's endorsement, Bush got the blessing of former television evangelist Pat Robertson, who technically remains a candidate although he has long ceased active campaigning and has only 46 delegates to Bush's 1,344, according to the latest AP count.

Robertson, who came to Washington to formally bestow his support on Bush, told reporters he would withdraw from the race on Monday, and would be releasing his delegates.

But later, Robertson aide Richard Pinsky said Robertson was suspending his campaign rather than quitting outright, and wouldn't release his delegates right away.

A press release from the Robertson campaign asserted that the former television evangelist had told reporters he was not withdrawing and was not releasing his delegates. It promised Robertson would discuss his campaign status on Monday, however.

Telephone calls to the campaign seeking clarification were not returned Wednesday night.

Some Robertson supporters were already vowing to keep up the fight. In Washington state his backers were gearing up to try to deliver all of the state's delegates to the former television evangelist.

"We're not going to go out and shoot ourselves in the head," Robertson state chairman Bruce Hawkins said Wednesday, adding: "We're trying to make a statement, not be jerks."

Bush was leaving today for a week-long campaign swing through several Western states. Dukakis was also heading to Oregon and California today, while Jackson campaigned for a third day in Oregon.

The state holds its primary on Tuesday, with 45 delegates at stake.

On Wednesday, Jackson led a march against drugs through a crime-ridden neighborhood in Portland, and visited an Indian reservation in central Oregon.

"I earn my votes every day," Jackson told a cheering crowd in Salem. "When I win, you win."

NATION

Vietnam vets compared to other GIs

WASHINGTON (AP) — American soldiers who served in Vietnam suffer from more depression, anxiety and alcohol abuse than do other GIs, but medical examinations reveal no physical indications of exposure to Agent Orange, a herbicide used widely during the Vietnam War.

Those are among the findings of the Vietnam Experience Study, a federal report prepared for release today at a hearing before a Senate committee.

The study, conducted by the Centers for Disease Control and released for publication in the Journal of the American Medical Association, also showed that Vietnam veterans have a greater hearing loss and a measurably lower sperm count.

CDC based its findings on telephone interviews with 7,924 GIs who served in Vietnam and 7,364 veterans who served elsewhere. Those interviewed were selected randomly from enlisted men who entered the Army from 1965 to 1971. A subsample of 2,490 Vietnam veterans and 1,972 other soldiers also underwent extensive physical examinations as part of the study.

Vietnam veterans were almost twice as likely (19.6 percent to 11.1 percent) to report that they had health problems. Yet, when physicians who did not know the military history of the two groups examined the former soldiers, they could detect few medical differences between the Vietnam veterans and the others.

The study said the difference between what the Vietnam veterans reported and what was found in examination may be the result of increased stress.

"Vietnam veterans may have reported more symptoms and past medical conditions because they experienced more stress than did non-Vietnam veterans," said the study. Vietnam veterans also showed more anxiety and depression in a battery of psychological tests.

"Stress can produce anxiety, depression and a variety of somatic (physical) symptoms," the study said.

The Vietnam veterans are more likely to experience psychological problems, the study said. About 14 percent of the Vietnam veterans are abusing alcohol, compared to 9 percent of the other group. For anxiety, the difference is 5 percent to 3 percent, and for depression, the difference is 5 percent to 2 percent.

Drug use was about the same between the groups, but the study said data suggest that more Vietnam veterans suffered drug-related deaths.

Fifteen percent of the Vietnam veterans also suffered some symptoms of combat-related post traumatic stress disorder, and 2 percent reported such symptoms the month of the interviews.

The study also said that the "perceived exposure to herbicides (a perception that in itself may lead to additional stress) is associated both with psychological problems and with self-reported adverse health conditions, but is not associated with objective measures of exposure."

Many in the Vietnam Veterans of America organization have blamed health problems on exposure during the war in Southeast Asia to Agent Orange, a herbicide used to thin vegetation in dense jungle combat areas. Use of Agent Orange was discontinued after it was determined that it contained dioxin, a potent cancer-causing chemical.

The CDC study, however, said it found no difference in the rate of cancers between the two groups of soldiers.

Soldiers who served in Vietnam, particularly those in combat, suffered more hearing loss than those who served elsewhere, the study said.

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Terrorists charged in Capitol, military facility bombings

WASHINGTON (AP) — Seven members of a leftist terrorist group linked to two bloody Brink's armored truck robberies in 1981 face new charges of setting off bombs at the U.S. Capitol and three military facilities.

The charges were made public here Wednesday just hours after one of the defendants, Marilyn Buck, was convicted in New York of murder and armed robbery in two 1981 Brink's truck holdups that left four dead.

Ms. Buck, Linda Sue Evans, and Laura Whitehorn were charged with conspiring to wage a campaign of "armed propaganda" against "imperialist rule" by setting off bombs in the Capitol and seven other locations in Washington and New York City.

Susan Rosenberg, Timothy Blunk, Dr. Alan Berkman and Elizabeth Duke were named as participants but not charged with conspiracy.

All seven were charged with malicious damage of government property by placing bombs in the Capitol and at three military buildings here.

The midnight explosion in a corridor outside the U.S. Senate chambers on Nov. 7, 1983, blasted a large hole in a wall and shattered four windows. It damaged several paintings and knocked doors off the hinges outside the office of Senate Majority Leader Robert Byrd, D-W.Va., then the minority leader.

Bombs were also detonated at the National War College at Fort McNair on April 26, 1983, the Washington Navy Yard Computer Center on Aug. 18, 1983, and the Navy Yard Officer's Club on April 20, 1984.

The bombings injured no one but caused considerable property damage.

All the defendants except Ms. Duke — a fugitive — are serving time for various federal weapons convictions stemming from alleged terrorist activity.

The group variously called itself the Armed Resistance Unit, the Revolutionary Fighting Group and the Red Guerrilla Resistance in communiques issued to claim credit for the blasts, the indictment said.

After the Capitol bombing, the Armed Resistance Unit sent a communique to National Public Radio saying it set off the bomb to protest the U.S. invasion of Grenada and the deployment of Marines in Lebanon.

"We purposely aimed our attack at the institutions of imperialist rule rather than at individual members of the ruling class and government," the communique said. "We did not choose to kill any of them at this time. But their lives are not sacred."

The various groups also claimed responsibility for bombs set off at four buildings in New York City at:

— The Federal Building in Staten Island on Jan. 18, 1983.

— The Israeli Aircraft Industries Building on April 5, 1984.

— The South African Consulate on Sept. 26, 1984.

— The Patrolmen's Benevolent Association on Feb. 23, 1985.

The group amassed an arsenal of dynamite.

Spectacular fire damages 193-year-old landmark in New Orleans' French Quarter

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — A spectacular fire raged through the 193-year-old Cabildo, damaged one of the French Quarter's most photographed landmarks and sent an enormous chunk of history up in smoke.

"Next to Independence Hall in Philadelphia, this is the most historic building in America," said Sam Wilson a New Orleans architect who specializes in historic restorations.

Fire Chief William McCrossen said today workers repairing the roof and waterproofing the stucco walls apparently touched off the fire. "We think it's tied up to the restoration," he said.

There was speculation that a soldering iron, used in repairing metal flashing, touched off timbers that originally came down the Mississippi River as flatboats. The mansard roof and the top floor of the three-story building were added in 1847 using timbers salvaged from the river barges.

France and the United States signed the Louisiana Purchase inside the building in 1803. It housed a death mask of Napoleon and other priceless antiques and artifacts.

Wilson, who renovated the Cabildo's interior 20 years ago, said the building remained structurally sound and could be rebuilt. An estimate of damages was not available.

Just the shell of the building's top floor remained, and artifacts on the first and second floors were stained by smoke and water.

Used as a museum since World War I, but closed recently to tourists because of exterior renovations, the Cabildo is adjacent to St. Louis Cathedral across a narrow, cobblestoned street from Jackson Square.

Police blocked off that narrow street as well as Pirates' Alley, a cobbled pathway between the Cathedral and the Cabildo.

Smoke and heat sensors alerted the museum's staff to the blaze about 3:30 p.m. CDT, said museum director James F. Sefcik. All six of the employees escaped without injury.

Fire Chief William McCrossen declared the fire under control about two hours later.

A cupola and part of the third floor of the building collapsed as firefighters tried to save the Cabildo and keep flames from spreading to the cathedral.

Built in 1794, St. Louis Cathedral is the oldest active Roman Catholic cathedral in the United States, and Pope John Paul II celebrated Mass there when he visited New Orleans last September.

The church was undamaged, except for some melted copper flashing near the flames.

"What we had when we arrived was the entire upper floor was burning," McCrossen said.

"We had a tremendous amount stored up there. Much of it was antique Louisiana furniture, and much of that can't be replaced or will be very expensive to replace," Sefcik said.

The fire did not reach the lower floors, but water streamed down the walls of the first and second floors, mixing with the smoke and soot.

While the Cabildo itself is valued at about $50 million as a piece of property, its historic value is priceless, said Sefcik.

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Mother Russia is a country where alcoholism is rampant, where the average woman has five abortions, where the life expectancy is falling, where the Moslem and Asian populations are exploding while European Russians are barely reproducing themselves. It is a nation where the labor force is sullen and unproductive by Western standards.

Everywhere today, the Soviet Empire is threatened by men's desire to be free, to worship God, to determine for themselves their national destiny. The empire is overextended, vulnerable at its extremities, in Africa, Afghanistan and Central America. The sudden collapse of just one Communist regime — in Nicaragua, Angola, Afghanistan, even a popular upheavel in Yugoslavia — could produce a chain reaction throughout the Soviet Empire that would strain its resources to the limit.

If permanent conflict is the hand history has dealt us, and if our necessary aim is displacement of Lenin's party and the interment of its ideology, we need, first, to understand the new realities of 1988.

■ Neither in real nor relative terms is the United States the dominant power we were from 1945 to 1965; and the world knows it. The Soviet Empire is the greatest military power in history.

■ Secondly, forces have been unleashed in the modern world — fundamentalism, nationalism and racism — against which conventional armed forces are impotent. These forces, especially nationalism and fundamentalism, may ultimately prove to be America's strongest allies in dismantling the Communist Empire.

■ Third, not again in our lifetime will the American people permit the United States to enter a war in which America's vital interests are not clear and clearly stated, and where there is not a strategy and timetable for victory. Vietnam tore part of the intestines out of the United States; and we ought not pretend we have fully recovered.

■ Finally, we are a disunited nation and people. This deep and abiding division, over not only the means but also the ends of policy, makes restoration of the foreign policy "consenus" of the '50s a Utopian, unattainable ideal.

Militarily and economically, the United States is a Superpower; diplomatically and politically, however, our President has nothing approaching the flexibility and freedom of action of Gorbachev and his comrades. In some ways, America, post-Vietnam, has truly become the "pitiful, helpless giant" of Richard Nixon's prophecy.

The only successful approach for a conservative President is dictated by these new realities: Forge a center-right coalition with moderate Democrats in Congress, and wage a permanent campaign from the bully pulpit against the American Left. Tell the American people the truth, as we believe it, and force the American people to choose again and again in national elections — them or us — until liberalism is repudiated.

PEACE THROUGH VICTORY

Instead of constantly seeking to "ease tensions" — i.e., cease resisting politically and diplomatically, and pretend as though the philosophical struggle does not exist — the United States should engage the Soviet Union all along the ideological front.

The first requisite of an energetic new policy, however, is an attic-to-cellar house-cleaning at the Department of State. The career diplomats, by and large, do not share a conservative view of the world; and they disbelieve deeply in the politics of confrontation.

As Moscow beats the drums at Turtle Bay for "independence" for Puerto Rico, let the United States speak up for the independence of Lithuania, Latvia and Estonia, for an end to colonialism in the Ukraine and Central Asia, as well as Central Europe.

And why is the United States not leading the campaign for the peaceful re-unification of Germany? The hunger of the German people to have their country restored is a legitimate national aspiration.

Young men willing to stand up for their nation's right to be free — whether in the Third World or Central Europe — should have the moral and material support of the United States.

As the Soviets have trained Leninists and terrorists and sent them home to rip their countries out of the Western orbit, the United States should establish in Washington a Resistance International, to train patriots, from Communist and Third World countries, on the ways and means to liberate their lands from the great scourge of the 20th century.

While blocking Moscow's strategy, the United States needs its own strategy of denial — i.e., no more American bank credits, World Bank credits, or Western bank credits to the Soviet bloc.

It is time to pull the plug and let nature take its course — to permit the Marxist, socialist and tyrannical regimes of the Second and Third World to sink in the consequences of their own rancid ideology. What is the sense, for example, of sending a billion dollars to bail out the Yugoslav government, or of paying off General Jaruzeski's debts to his American creditors?

Why does the United States continue to send, through the World Bank subsidiary, IDA, hundreds of millions of tax dollars, free of interest, to the People's Republic of China?

While the Sino-Soviet split is of strategic benefit to the United States, we did nothing to bring it about; and, should the rulers of the two Communist regimes decide again to collaborate, we could do nothing to prevent it.

And what is the sense of this endless flow of foreign aid into the subcontinent of India? What are we getting for it? True, India is a "democracy." So is Sweden, but what has that done for the United States lately that we should pay for it?

To the peoples of Latin America, the government of the United States should say we are not the bill collector for America's big banks; we will no longer collaborate with the IMF in imposing austerity upon their people, to insure they pay their debts. Our national security interest dictates that the peoples to our south be good friends of the American people and good customers of the United States, whether or not their governments are good creditors of Citicorp or the Chase-Manhattan Bank.

The International Development Association, the "soft-loan window" of the World Bank, lends Western currencies at zero percent interest to some of the most corrupt, backward and anti-Western regimes on earth, propping those regimes up, relieving then of the burden of paying politically for their blunders. What, exactly, is the argument for this kind of international welfare? Why is the government of Tanzania to be preferred to the State of Arkansas, or the State of Mississippi, or the State of West Virginia?

If the United States is truly serious about "waging war against terrorism," then nations that train terrorists, as well as those that provide sanctuary (Iran, Libya, Cuba, Nicaragua, South Yemen, Bulgaria, Czechoslovakia), should be made to pay a price.

While ambassadorial contact with the Soviet Union remains essential — even given Moscow's appalling record — there is no need for representation in the United States for its malodorous puppet regimes.

Finally, to demonstrate that an assertive new nationalism is informing U.S. foreign policy, the U.S. should expel the Soviet diplomatic contingent from Mt. Alto, the hilltop embassy from which the KGB intercepts messages sent all over Washington, D.C.; second, we should carry out the daylight dynamiting of that eight-story broadcast facility the KGB built for us, at our expense, in Moscow. That the Soviets bugged our Moscow Embassy building so massively that we cannot even use it, was an act of manifest contempt for the United States; and blowing the place up (it belongs to us, after all) would be the sort of response the Soviets would appreciate and understand.

As this is being written, the United States appears prepared to ratify yet another arms control agreement with the Soviet Union, and in process of pursuing a second detente. In such an environment, what is written above will be briskly dismissed as "more cold war rhetoric," utterly unsuited to the warm new era of glasnost.

Nonetheless, this INF agreement will — like its predecessors — leave the West weaker, and Moscow stronger. Early on, the Soviets will ignore the "spirit" of the agreement; later on, we will discover they have ignored the letter. Why? Because they are Communists, and strategic deception in the war against the West is not only permitted; it is mandated.

While the ideas, thoughts and sentiments above would have been uncontroversial three decades ago, they are deeply controversial today — because America has changed.

Somewhere, we lost that sense of national alertness and apprehension the Cold War gave to all of us — even though we confront a global empire today more powerful, resourceful and dangerous than the Soviet Union President Eisenhower ever confronted in the time of Khrushchev. Too many of us have forgotten the lesson Washington taught, that "to be prepared for war is the best means of preserving peace," that MacArthur taught, long before Vietnam, that, in war there is no substitute for victory.

For one man, however, half a century of life has only persuaded me of the truth of what I was taught, even before I knew how to think. Country, family, and faith, these are the things worth dying for; these are the things worth fighting for; these are the things worth living for.

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NORIEGA

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"For us to be saying that we can trust this man to keep his word is naive," D'Amato said. "We can only consider dropping the indictment after Noriega leaves Panama with his henchmen and with the proviso that President del Valle take over and provide for free elections."

Ambassador Juan Sosa, appearing on the CBS program, said Noriega opponents cannot accept the dropping of charges without any arrangements made for next year's election, the restructuring of the defense forces Noriega controls or the setting up of a government of reconciliation.

Sosa also said the obvious differences among U.S. officials on how to handle Noriega have only helped him.

He said if Noriega is to leave, he should leave now and not wait until August, which reportedly would be part of the arrangement between U.S. officials and Noriega.

The reported offer is the latest in a series of administration efforts since February, including U.S. economic sanctions, that have paralyzed the Panamanian economy but have so far not succeeded in ousting Noriega. The administration had offered previously not to extradite Noriega on the drug trafficking charges if he went into political exile.

A Panamanian government spokesman said in response to word of the new offer Wednesday night, "There has been no agreement about anything."

Panama's official news agency, Panapress, reported Wednesday night that President Reagan had "entered in direct contact with Gen. Noriega," but gave no details.

The Reagan administration has sent a State Department envoy in recent weeks to talk with Noriega, but a U.S. Embassy spokesman would not comment when asked whether the envoy met with Noriega or his representatives Wednesday.

The news agency said: "Gen. Noriega has said there can be no deal if the U.S. aggression and the violation of Panamanian sovereignty continue."

An administration source said Wednesday that if Noriega accepts the deal, he would step down probably in August and would stay out of Panama until after the next presidential elections there in 1990.

The deal was approved Tuesday at a White House meeting.

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Gen. Mauel Antontio Noreiga's attorneys — Steven Kollin, left, Raymond Takiff and Frank Rubino — diplay decorated machetes given them by the general as they await a flight from Panama City.

Panama threatens no deal if 'aggression' continues

■ *Central American situation tense* — 7C

PANAMA CITY, Panama (AP) — The government said Gen. Manuel Antonio Noriega has made no deal with Washington about stepping down and there will be none "if U.S. aggression and violation of Panamanian sovereignty continue."

The official news agency Panapress reported on Wednesday night that President Reagan had "entered in direct contact with Gen. Noriega."

The report came shortly after an administration source in Washington said the United States would drop drug charges against Noriega if he agrees to step down as Defense Forces chief and leave the country, at least temporarily.

Boris Moreno, director of the government's National Information System, or SNI, told The Associated Press he did not know if Reagan had telephoned Noriega in an effort to find a way out of the crisis between the two nations.

Moreno also said he did not know if the offer to drop the charges had been formally presented to the general.

"There has been no agreement about anything," said a statement he read to the AP over the telephone. "Upon being informed of the existence of such reports, Gen. Manuel Antonio Noriega told SNI categorically, 'The sovereignty of Panama is not negotiable.'

"Such reports only come from sources interested in sidetracking the conversations and in aggravating the existing situation. These reports form part of the confusion and confrontation provoked by certain elements of the Washington establishment."

Panapress said on Wednesday night: "Gen. Noriega has said there can be no deal if the U.S. aggression and the violation of Panamanian sovereignty continue."

The source in Washington, who spoke on condition of anonymity, said that under the proposed deal Noriega would step down, probably in August, and would stay out of Panama until after its next presidential elections.

The Reagan administration began imposing economic sanctions on Panama 2½ months ago. Washington hoped the measures would force Noriega into exile, but he has resisted and appears entrenched.

The general, as chief of the 15,000-strong Defense Forces, is the country's de facto ruler. Last summer, he was accused by his former second-in-command of involvement in political assassination and electoral fraud.

On Feb. 5, Noriega was indicted on federal drug-smuggling and money-laundering charges in Florida.

Marines missing in copter crash

HONOLULU (AP) — A search was continuing today for three Marines missing and feared dead after their helicopter crashed into the Pacific Ocean during a flight to check maintenance work on its rotor blades, officials said.

The CH-46 Sea Knight from Kaneohe Marine Corps Air Station crashed Wednesday into water about 30 feet deep a mile off the island of Oahu, said Chief Warrant Officer Eric R. Carlson, a Marine spokesman.

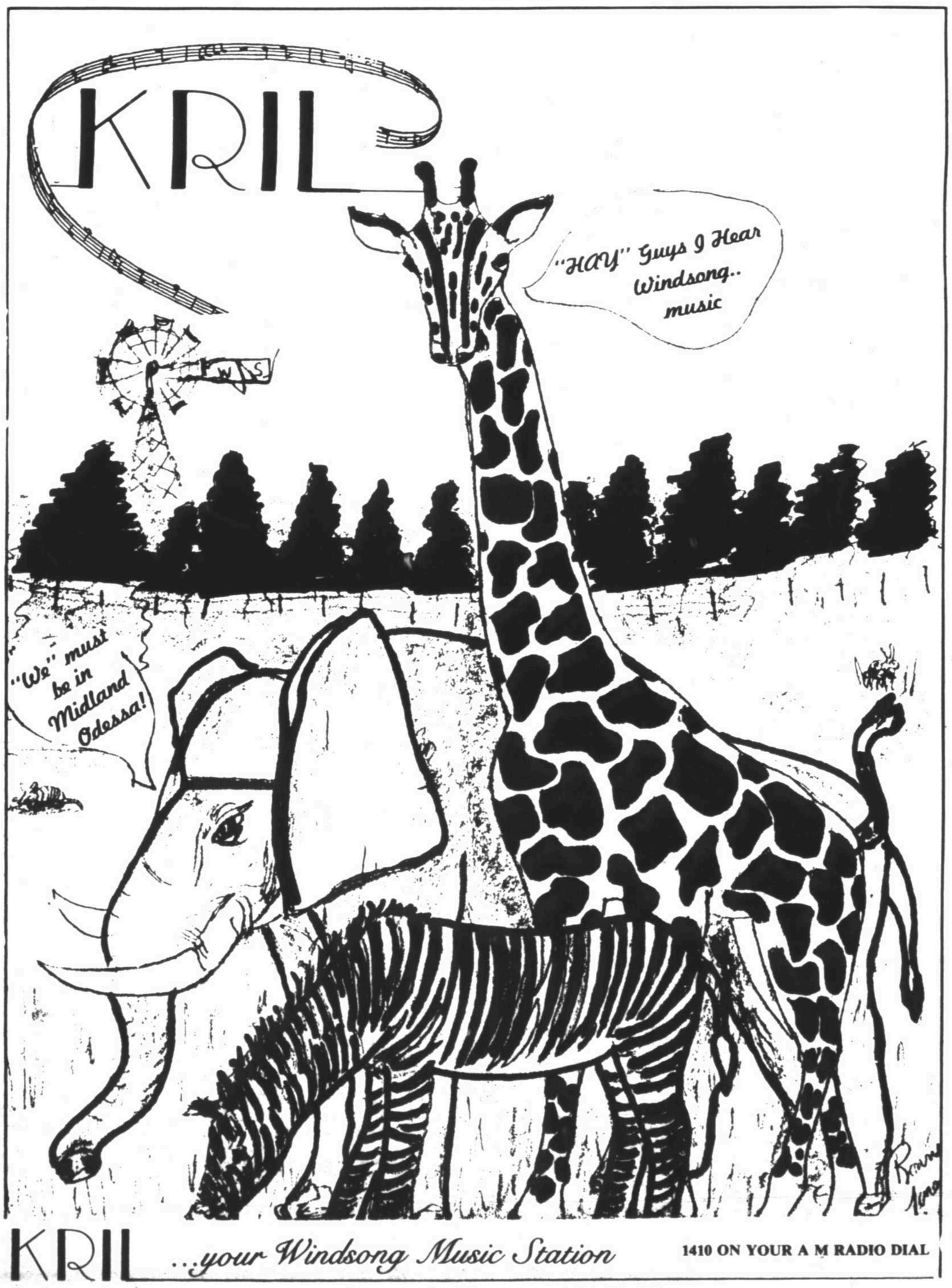
Three helicopters searched unsuccessfully for the crew until sunset, with the search continuing at night with a Coast Guard cutter. An air search was scheduled to resume again at dawn, he said.

Marine divers located wreckage on the sea bed, but were unable to find the helicopter's crew, Carlson said.

Carlson said repair crews had removed the helicopter's rotor blades and reinstalled them during routine maintenance. He said the crew had taken the chopper out for a test flight to make sure the blades were in balance.

"It started falling and I saw something fall off of it — maybe it was the tail part that fell," said Carolyn Kam, who saw the crash through a window.

Kam, a newscaster at radio station KRTR, said the craft was smoking as it fell to the water.



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Senate spends $2,000 to subpoena North

WASHINGTON (NYT) — It cost the U.S. Senate $2,000 in overtime pay for the Capitol Police to serve a subpoena on Oliver L. North last week, according to Henry K. Guigni, the Senate's sergeant-at-arms.

The subpoena was from the Foreign Relations Committee to obtain some 3,000 pages of notes that the retired Marine lieutenant colonel wrote while he ran the Iran-Contra operations from the National Security Council staff. The committee wants to examine them for information on narcotics deals conducted by Nicaraguan rebels.

Guigni said he first tried direct contact with North at his home in Great Falls, Va., but was turned back by private security guards. The North lawyer, Brendan V. Sullivan Jr., refused to take calls. Mailings in plain envelopes and certified letters were also rejected. This went on for 10 days.

Finally, a Capitol Police detachment staked out the North home on May 7 and followed when he left in a car. At a stoplight, the police officers noticed that North was sitting by an open window. Crouching low, Sgt. Tom Moore ran up and slapped the Senate subpoena on his chest.

"OK, you got me," said North.

"He was very proud," Guigni said of the sergeant, "and so am I."

Panel OKs nurse's statue

WASHINGTON (AP) — A Senate committee wants a second statue added to the Vietnam Veterans Memorial and a supporter insists, "This will be the last one."

The Senate Energy and Resources Committee on Wednesday passed, over one senator's objection, a bill that would place a statue of an Army nurse at the memorial.

The lone dissenter, Sen. Daniel Evans, R-Wash., protested what he called a threat to the artistic integrity of the memorial. A statue of three soldiers was added in 1984 by veterans groups who objected to the starkness of the granite wall, unveiled in 1982, that lists the names of American war dead.

The bill, which has 63 co-sponsors, contained an amendment that strengthens a declaration that Congress would not allow any other statues to be placed at the memorial if the bronze sculpture of an Army women's sculpture is approved.

"This will be the last one," said Sen. Bennett Johnston, D-La., the committee chairman. "But the last for how long?" retorted Evans, who stressed that his opposition had nothing to do with his respect for American women.

Nixon to refuse invitation

WASHINGTON (AP) — Former President Nixon, aware that his appearance would spark controversy, has told Republican Party officials not to invite him to address the party's national convention in August, a party source says.

In a letter to Republican Party chairman Frank J. Fahrenkopf Jr., Nixon said he would be writing a column for the London Sunday Times and so is avoiding any political activity this year.

The party source, who insisted on anonymity, said there was sentiment among party officials to invite Nixon to address the New Orleans convention.

But Nixon, who was driven from office by the Watergate scandal, was aware that his appearance would be controversial, said the source. The former president has not appeared at a Republican National Convention since he left office.

Rare bird flies the coop

LAWRENCE, Kan. (AP) — A rare spotted redshank that drew bird watchers to Lake Perry last week apparently has flown the coop. But the news is not all bad for ornithologists.

A olivaceous coromonant, a Gulf bird seen in Louisiana and Texas but uncommon to Kansas, was recently spotted in the area, said Richard Rucker, a ranger for the Army Corps of Engineers at Lake Perry.

The big one got away, however. The spotted redshank, a Euro-Asian bird that is one of the few black sandpipers, was first spotted at the lake May 1.

Rucker, who last saw the bird Saturday, believes it may have left the area that night. "We did get a change of birds between Saturday night and Sunday morning," he said Wednesday.

One experienced bird watcher spent four hours at the lake Sunday hoping for a glimpse of the rare bird and left disappointed, Rucker said.

Jet lands in emergency

ST. LOUIS (AP) — A Trans World Airlines DC-9 with 41 passengers made an emergency landing shortly after takeoff because of smoke in the cockpit, officials said.

Flight 643 for Madison, Wis., had just taken off Wednesday night when the pilot reported the smoke and returned to Lambert International Airport.

After the landing, the passengers were evacuated by emergency chutes as crash crews stood by, the airport manager's office said. The only injury reported was a scraped elbow.

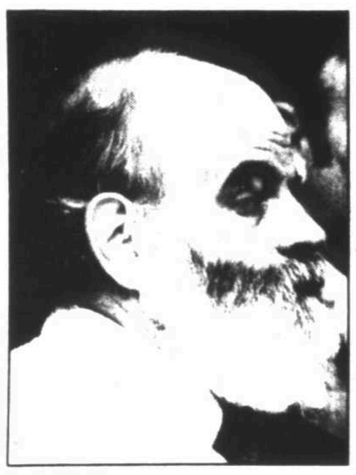
There was no fire and the source of the smoke was being investigated, airport officials said.

Kuwait may buy F-18s

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Reagan administration wants to sell Kuwait 40 F-18 fighter-bombers, which would make the tiny Persian Gulf state the first Arab country to have the advanced aircraft, a published report today says.

The administration will notify Congress soon of its plans to go ahead with the sale, The Washington Post reported, citing unidentified Defense and State department sources. Congress must approve the sale.

The United States and Kuwait have created an increasingly close security relationship since last year.



R. Gene Simmons

Man allegedly talked about 'getting even'

OZARK, Ark. (AP) — A man charged with 16 murders talked about settling some scores a month before the Christmas-time killings began, according to a salesman who chatted with him.

R. Gene Simmons "said he had a few people in town he would like to get even with," Paul Epperson, 49, of Russellville told a jury Wednesday. "Rusty Taylor was the only name he called."

The state contends that on Dec. 28 Simmons wounded Taylor and shot five other people, two of whom died. After Simmons surrendered to police, they searched his Dover home and found the bodies of 14 family members, all shot to death or strangled.

Simmons is to stand trial in July for charges stemming from the 14 family slayings.

Epperson was the last of 30 state witnesses who testified in Simmons' trial in Franklin County Circuit Court on charges of capital murder, attempted capital murder and kidnapping. Simmons could face the death penalty if convicted.

The state rested its case late Wednesday and the defense was to begin presenting its brief case today.

Epperson said his talk with Simmons, 47, took place in a small Russellville market where Simmons was a cashier and to which Epperson delivered bread and cake on a daily route.

A state ballistics expert, Paul McDonald, testified that markings on bullets taken from the two murder victims showed they had been fired by the same nine-shot revolver that Simmons handed to police when he surrendered.

Killed were Kathy Kendrick, 24, at a Russellville law firm where she worked and James Chaffin, 33, at a Russellville oil company. A man also was wounded and a woman shot at, but not hit, at the oil company.

Police said Ms. Kendrick once refused Simmons' amorous attentions.

Bullets recovered from the market, where Simmons had quit his job 10 days before the shooting, came from the same pistol, McDonald said. Two people were wounded at the market.

Simmons also allegedly shot a former co-worker at a freight company, Joyce Butts.

Mrs. Butts, whose husband assisted her to and from the witness box, said she and Simmons once had a bad encounter while they worked together. Later, after she told him to do a better job with some of the accounts he was handling, "he got angry," she said. "He screamed. He shouted across the office that he didn't get paid enough," which led to a discussion about how he had treated her on that previous occasion.

Mrs. Butts was shot in the back of the head and the bullet went into her heart, for which she underwent open heart surgery. The shooting let her unable to bend her left leg and with poor vision.

Vicki Jackson, who the state says was taken hostage at the freight company after Mrs. Butts was shot, testified earlier Wednesday.

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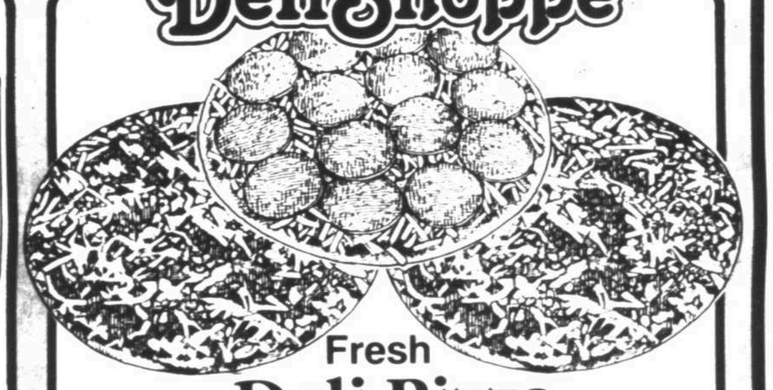

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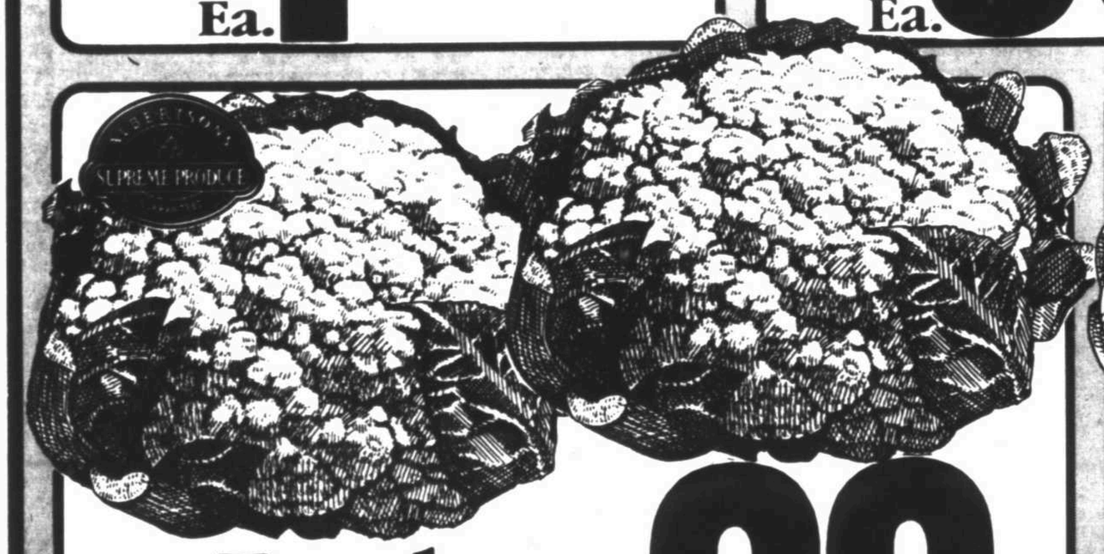

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Astrology report cause for concern

Longtime supporters of Ronald Reagan, and count us among them, will no doubt be having some difficulty determining just how to feel about some of the revelations included in former White House Chief of Staff Donald Regan's new book. That especially may be true of the section unveiling the First Lady's persistent use of an astrologer before virtually any outside appearance or other major activity of the President.

One might argue that this is, after all, only Regan's side of the story but at this point, at least, there is no reason to believe the former chairman of the board of Merrill Lynch, four-year Treasury Secretary and two-year chief aide to the President is lying.

Sour grapes? Of course and Regan has admitted that up front. He has said in interviews as well as in the book that he didn't consider the President's manner of giving him the axe to have been done in the right way even though he is quite aware of the traditional rules that govern politics in the White House and particularly those that come into play when it is expedient for one of the Chief Executive's people to leave.

It is even possible that there will be an amount of overreaction to the news that Nancy Reagan not only had tight control over Reagan's schedule, and may well still have, but used information concerning the position of the planets to determine if a press conference would be held, a trip would be made, a major meeting would take place, a trip would be scheduled.

If Nancy Reagan has a fascination with astrology, she is not the first or only person to do so. Although people take the use of horoscopes with everything from a dash to a bucket of salt, they nevertheless are popular enough that almost every American daily newspaper publishes some version of one — and receives many calls anytime it is left out of the paper for one reason or another. So why the uproar?

The possible effects of the First Lady's interest in the stars could go beyond what is in the best interests of the country, particularly if she indeed has the influence over Reagan and his schedule as some have surmised. Notice, we said it "could" since we are not sure anything detrimental has taken place as a result of that interest. Decisions made by the President, with or without suggestions from his wife, can be very important ones and should not be tied to an astrologer's advice or the First Lady's own faith in the stars.

We're not alarmed. We are disappointed.

If the First Lady, with or without Reagan's active participation, has had a role in basing the schedule of the President of the United States on what intelligent thinkers can only label "hogwash", then that can hardly be viewed in any other way.

JACK ANDERSON

Probe shows security problem at VA

WASHINGTON — The whistleblower who was fired after telling graphic tales of brutality at a Veterans Administration hospital won't get his job back. But a federal investigation into the case shows that there is plenty of room for reform in the VA.

Jack Anderson

Among the revelations in the investigators' report is this story from an emergency room technician at the Cincinnati Veterans Hospital: The technician saw the hospital's police chief take a former patient into a guard office. The patient had been discharged, but returned to the hospital and refused to leave. As the technician turned away, he heard "a loud crack" and looked back to see blood on the office door. Then he heard the former patient tell the chief, "Ow! You didn't have to bang my head against the door."

The police chief was Daniel Wilson, who was transferred to a VA hospital in Chicago last year as the investigation was winding down. The story told by the emergency room technician was just one of many revealed in a federal investigation into allegations made by the whistleblower, John Berter. The probe began in 1986 when Berter, a VA security officer, and other VA security officers told the FBI stories of Wilson gouging a disabled vet in the eyes over a parking violation, choking a patient who was in restraints, and kicking a panhandler in the groin, according to the report and repeated testimony before Congress.

Berter was fired after blowing the whistle. He appealed the dismissal to a federal personnel board, calling it retaliation for his candor. A scrappy group of whistleblower advocates known as the Government Accountability Project investigated and made Berter's case a national issue. Details of the report and other problems with the VA security service will be reviewed May 19 at a hearing before the Veterans Affairs Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations.

Last year we reported on Berter's claims. Now our associate Stewart Harris has obtained the report of the Office of Special Counsel's investigation of Berter's charges. The OSC has the job of investigating reprisals against government whistleblowers. The report zeroes in on discrepancies in various accounts of alleged brutality. Even if the investigation had confirmed the allegations, a legal analysis prepared by the OSC said the firing was still legitimate because Berter had been AWOL from work.

But the report also gives disturbing details about Wilson's background, including evidence that he had a history of making violent arrests and lied about his professional background. Wilson quit the VA after his transfer to Chicago.

In sworn testimony, Wilson said he had worked for two and a half years in the Chicago Police Department. Under questioning by OSC investigators, Wilson admitted he never worked for Chicago P.D.

A training officer at another police department told the OSC that Wilson overreacted and was a hothead. The mayor of a town where Wilson worked said he could not make an arrest without aggravating someone and that Wilson blamed others for his troubles. A police chief who once commanded Wilson said "Wilson's badge may have gone to his head."

On the other hand, officials at the VA hospital where Wilson worked before going to Cincinnati gave the OSC no complaints about his work.

Wilson himself admitted to the OSC that he has been involved in bar fights. "I'm an Irishman. I get upset," he said. "I get vocal. I get loud."

Wilson denied the allegation of brutality when he talked to investigators, We could not reach Wilson for comment on the report. In the past he has declined to talk about the specifics of his case.

Based on its investigation, the OSC also made recommendations on how the VA security service could be improved.

Among other things, the OSC suggested that the members of the security service get better training if the VA is going to continue using them as a police force. Police also should not be used to subdue patients, a job that rightfully belongs to medical staff. If VA police are used to quiet patients, the OSC recommended that a report should be made of each incident.

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MINI-EDITORIAL — One former governor of California dabbles in Zen Buddhism, is given the sobriquet of "Governor Moonbeam" and is regarded as a continental flake. Another former governor of California can't remember when people put words in his mouth. He signs treaties, give speeches and schedules news conferences to coincide with the fortuitous alignments of heavenly bodies. He is president of the United States. Go figure.

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Another View:

Restore 'per se' rule

In most antitrust cases, the courts look to the details of the individual situation to determine whether competition has been unduly impaired. But in a 1911 decision, the Supreme Court ruled that price-fixing activities are so patently anti-competitive and harmful to consumers that no close inspection of their effects is required; that would only make it pointlessly difficult for the victims of unfair trade practices to bring suit. Price-fixing, the court said, is illegal "per se."

That sensible principle has been under fire from the Reagan administration, which generally considers strict antitrust rules to be too much of a burden on industry. In 1983, the Justice Department even prepared a case asking the Supreme Court to scrap the "per se" rule. Congress immediately denied funding for such administration activities, but since that wouldn't be enough to protect the principle from the activist judges Reagan has appointed, Congress has been working ever since on further legislation.

In the past year, both the full House and the Senate Judiciary Committee have passed bills to protect discount stores, in particular, from those trying to weaken the antitrust laws. Those bills would explicitly retain the "per se" rule in cases where a manufacturer and a retailer have made a deal to cut off supplies to a competitive retailer simply because the competitor charges discount prices. In a decision rendered the other day, the Supreme Court made the need for this legislation all the more urgent.

In that decision, involving an electronics manufacturer who cut off supplies to a Texas discount store at the behest of one of its full-price competitors, the court interpreted the 1911 rule so narrowly as to render it meaningless. Although nothing but the discounter's low price was at issue in this cutoff, the court ruled that that didn't make it illegal "per se." This wasn't price-fixing, Justice Antonin Scalia wrote for the majority, because the plotters didn't put down in writing that their joint goal was to establish a specifically named price.

This fig leaf of an argument can't hide the major break with precedent in which the court's supposedly conservative majority indulged. And the rest of Scalia's opinion — a discussion of the ways in which cutting off discounters might actually foster competition — was essentially irrelevant to the case.

The court had already ruled several years ago that a manufacturer can cut off a discounter for providing inadequate product servicing or for undermining the manufacturer's strategy for introducing a new product — or for any number of other legitimate business reasons ultimately aimed at enhancing competition among manufacturers. Indeed, the legislation before Congress also recognizes and allows for such activities. But the case at hand involved nothing of the kind. The discounter in Texas was cut off solely because his prices were low.

Scalia has made it no secret that he doesn't like the restrictions of traditional antitrust law and would rather leave the courts wide discretion to analyze the economic effects of individual business arrangements. Now that the court majority has taken such a big step toward Scalia's goal, it is up to Congress to reassert its own legitimate role in the process, clarifying the limits that it doesn't intend private businesses — or the courts — to exceed. It should start by quickly passing the discounter legislation now before it and restoring the "per se" rule against price-fixing.

— The Sacramento Bee

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Thursday, May 12, the 133rd day of 1988. There are 233 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On May 12, 1937, Britain's King George VI was crowned at Westminster Abbey in London, as was his consort, Queen Elizabeth. George succeeded his brother, Edward VIII, who had abdicated the previous December.

On this date:

In 1820, the founder of modern nursing, Florence Nightingale, was born in Florence, Italy.

GEORGE F. WILL

Regan's 'act of spite' lets Reagan know him

WASHINGTON — The words a skeptic wanted carved on churches — "Important If True" — should be stamped on the book in which Donald Regan says that the nation already has its 41st President and she was mean to him. The truthfulness of the book is hard to gauge but impossible to assume. In Regan, the vanity of the bully is now mixed with the bitterness of humiliation.

George F. Will

Furthermore, authors of kiss-and-tell books are dishonorable. A necessary condition of government is a climate of candor in inner councils — strong convictions bravely expressed. (Regan reportedly was as toadying around Reagan as he was overbearing around subordinates.) Candor becomes rarer as government becomes an incubator for memoirists who attend meetings with book contracts in mind.

Confidentiality is central to government's ethic of collegiality. The violation of that ethic by David Stockman, Michael Deaver, Larry Speakes and now Regan may spring from a facet of conservatism.

Many conservatives despise government and perhaps for that reason disregard civilities suited to its functioning. People who despise government should not be entrusted with it. Important kinds of public spiritedness are foreign to them. You can identify them — too late — when they produce memoirs featuring personality conflicts and score-settling.

Regan's book, although basically an act of spite, contains material that is important — if true. Some is about astrology. Some is about Reagan's lassitude. The latter is the interesting aspect of Regan's assertion that Nancy Reagan is a continuing independent power in this administration.

Regan, who once announced that women do not want to trouble their pretty little heads with complex topics like throwweight, is true to form, complaining that Mrs. Reagan has opinions "far out of her proper area of competence." His competence evidently extends to defining such proprieties.

Mrs. Reagan's most important reported interventions have concerned personnel, particularly in expediting the departures from the administration of Labor Secretary Ray Donovan, CIA Director William Casey and Regan. She was thinking (perhaps more coldly than some people find suitable in a woman) of the welfare of her husband's administration. And her political judgment was correct. Nothing more annoys Washington than a person who is prematurely right, meaning right in advance of the herd.

The reported resort to astrology in the White House has occasioned much merriment. It is not funny. Astrological gibberish, which means astrology generally, has no place in a newspaper, let alone government. Unlike comics; which are part of a newspaper's harmless pleasure and make no truth claims, astrology is a fraud. The idea that it gets a hearing in government is dismaying.

All Regan claims is that astrological considerations influenced only the timing, not the nature, of presidential actions. That is too much, but not much.

Regan claims that his genius for running things was impeded by Mrs. Reagan. But remember how he boasted of his comprehensive supervision of things. He boasted, that is, until the Tower commission agreed with his boast while disparaging his results.

Regan, whose presence in the White House was evidence of Reagan's frequently frivolous approach to governance, reveled in the power he enjoyed because of that frivolousness. But Regan adds little to the lore about Reagan's lassitude, such as that on pages 381-82 of Hedrick Smith's "The Power Game: How Washington Works."

In 1985, in a radio interview by telephone from the ranch, President Reagan said something preposterous about South Africa: "They have eliminated the segregation that we once had in our own country." Smith quotes Deaver:

"You never let Ronald Reagan do an interview from his ranch. He's so much the product of his environment....He's probably dreaming about riding his horse....He's relaxed....He should be standing up....The way he thinks changes when he sits down....He's too relaxed when he's sitting. He's not careful. He's conversational, not presidential."

If Reagan is such a product of his environment, he should have taken the trouble to stock his environment with larger, better people than Deaver and Regan. Regan's book is condign punishment for Reagan, punishment for the unseriousness Reagan displayed when Regan, then Treasury Secretary, and James Baker, then chief of staff, decided to swap jobs.

Presented with the swap, Reagan was, according to Regan, "almost incurious." Reagan did not know Don Regan when he brought him to Washington in 1980. In a March 11, 1981, note to himself Regan wrote: "To this day I have never had so much as one minute alone with Ronald Reagan!" When Regan left Treasury, that still was true, so the President did not know Regan much better when the swap occurred.

Reagan knows Regan now.

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ART BUCHWALD

Saving Ed Meese might save day for Demos

Doubleday came to the door holding a donation can in his hand. "Would you like to give to the 'Save Ed Meese Foundation'?" he asked me.

"I'm not sure," I said. "Why are you collecting money for Ed Meese? I thought you were a Democrat."

Art Buchwald

"I am a Democrat," he said. "That's why I want to save Ed Meese. He is a fine person and should remain attorney general right through the elections."

"But what about the accusations and innuendoes that keep floating over Meese's head?"

"They are lies, all lies. The 'Save Ed Meese Foundation' has proof that he is innocent of all high crimes and misdemeanors. Any conflicts of interest he may have been involved in were caused by his ignorance of the law."

"If you will forgive me, Doubleday, I smell a rat. You and your Democratic friends are trying to save Ed Meese because you need him to kick around during the election campaign."

Doubleday raised his hand in protest. "You have never been farther from the truth. Our organization has only one purpose — to fight a miscarriage of justice. Ed Meese is a victim of the greatest injustice this country has ever seen. He must be saved at all costs."

"If the Democrats want to save Ed Meese, who wants to get him?" I asked.

"The Republicans. They keep trying to push him out the window. They think Meese is a liability to the party and should walk the plank as soon as possible. We intend to fight them every step of the way. It's the least we can do for an attorney general who has brought so much respect and prestige to the judicial system."

"I didn't know there were that many Meese-loving Democrats in this land."

"It doesn't matter whether you're a Democrat or a Republican. What counts is how you feel about Wedtech, and whether Ed had a right to help them get defense contracts. The 'Save Ed Meese Foundation' believes if someone who works in the White House can't help his friends, then we'll never have a decent government."

"Does George Bush feel this way?"

"I don't think so. I went to his house the other day to ask for a donation and he turned me down. He said although he has no reason to see Ed Meese go, he has no reason for him to stay."

"It figures," I said. "I've never seen George give money to save a Republican attorney general in his life."

"Well, are you going to donate to the cause or aren't you?"

"I'd like to. What do you plan to do with the money?"

"We're going to have a big rally outside the Justice Department and call it 'Honor Ed Meese Day.' Then we're going to barrage the White House with signatures asking the President to keep Meese on no matter how damaging the special prosecutor's report is. And finally we're going to ask Reagan to pardon Ed."

"While he's attorney general?" I said.

"It would be the best time because it would show that Mr. Reagan has confidence in his people. Now how about coughing up a few gold pieces for good old Ed?"

"I'd like to, Doubleday, but I already gave in the grand jury room."

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Co-pilot says she didn't doubt airliner could be landed

WASHINGTON (AP) — Not once in the 13 harrowing minutes it took the crew of Aloha Airlines flight 243 to land the severely damaged plane did co-pilot Madeline "Mimi" Tompkins doubt she and pilot Robert Schornstheimer would keep control of the craft, she said today.

"I didn't feel nervous," even though the crew saw sky through the cockpit doorway, had one engine out and communicated with hand signals because of the noise, Ms. Tompkins said on ABC-TV's "Good Morning America."

Schornstheimer said he struggled to fly the plane by "feel," unaware that a 20-foot chunk of cabin ceiling had been shorn off the Boeing 737, sweeping a stewardess to her death.

"Our whole emphasis was focused on feeling it, that it was flyable, and being able to land it safely," he said in the interview.

The dramatic tape of the conversation between the crew and the air traffic control tower at Maui, released Wednesday, shows Ms. Tompkins' voice was strained but under control as the troubles began on April 28.

"We have rapid decompression. We are unpressurized — declaring an emergency," she told the tower.

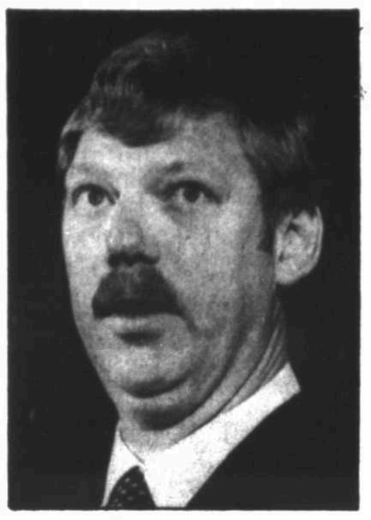
Schornstheimer described the moment the roof was ripped away: "All of a sudden there was this loud thump sound and debris was flying everywhere in the cockpit. I turned around and looked out the door and everything above shoulder level was blue sky.

"The cockpit door was blown off," he said. "I didn't really know how far the damage went, all I could see was blue sky."

Ms. Tompkins said "training and experience" took over as the plane shook in the air and debris flew through the cockpit.

"We just immediately started into the things we're trained for, getting on our oxygen masks and started down and making a decision about where we wanted to land," said Schornstheimer.

"Mimi and I are both experienced even though we haven't flown that



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much together. We just pointed and we both knew where we were going and what we were doing and continued on with our normal procedures," he said.

The plane shook violently when the pilot dipped below a certain speed, and the problems multiplied as the plane descended.

"Somewhere along that line we lost an engine, and we started our auxiliary power unit and used the generator on it for part of the electrical power on the airplane," said Schornstheimer.

Adding to his concerns, Schornstheimer said in an interview published in today's editions of USA Today, was the fact that, when he looked through the open doorway into the main cabin, enough pieces of flooring had been ripped up that the craft's control cables were exposed.

Ms. Tompkins, meanwhile, spoke coolly with the controllers as the plane dipped below 11,000 feet and was cleared for a head-on approach to the runway.

"We're going to need assistance. We cannot communicate with the flight attendants. Ah, will (there) be assistance for the passengers when we land?" Ms. Tompkins asked the air traffic control tower.

Schornstheimer said after their initial shock on seeing the plane after landing, he and Ms. Tompkins went on helping passengers in the rescue operation.

"It did (fly). We were glad it hung together," he said. "It was just amazing to walk around the airplane after we landed and look at it."

Hours before a tape of the radio transmissions was made public Wednesday by the Federal Aviation Administration, the two pilots received an award from the Air Line Pilots Association for landing the crippled plane with all passengers and all but the one stewardess safe.

Earlier in the week, Ms. Tompkins and Schornstheimer had met with Vice President George Bush and made the rounds at offices in Congress. They declined to discuss the incident with reporters.

"What seemed like a short time to Mimi and me because of our busy cockpit duties must have seemed like an eternity to our passengers and flight attendants," Schornstheimer told fellow pilots Wednesday while accepting the ALPA award.

Ex-astronaut says Soviets have more manned missions

HUNTSVILLE, Ala. (AP) — A scientist in the Skylab program of the early 1970s says the "plodding" Soviets have since surpassed the Americans in manned space missions.

"All our accomplishments of 15 years ago should be buried in the dust by now. Unfortunately, there is some dust on them, but it is not American dust," ex-astronaut Edward Gibson said Wednesday at a reunion with eight other former Skylab crew members.

"The Russians are the people who have continuously manned space stations up there. They are the turtles of the space race. They kept plodding along."

The three Skylab flights, from May 1973 to February 1974, took almost 183,000 pictures of the sun and more than 40,000 of the earth.

"We learned a lot about solar physics, how the sun works," said Gibson, now a space consultant at Reston, Va. "It is the largest contribution ever made in that area.

"In earth observations, it led into what we currently are doing — better monitoring and understanding of our environment and how to control part of it to some degree.

"Also, we learned a lot of the physiological aspects of man going into space — important information for future flights and also for spinoffs for medicine on earth."

The United States could regain the lead in space technology, Gibson said, if the government and nation understand what is needed, establish long-range goals and make financial commitments to match them.

"We need to find the best way to draw in all the good talent that exists in our country and a way to retain them in the work force for many years," he said. "We need to streamline the organization — the whole military and NASA infrastructure — in the way in which we manage the combined effort, as well as in the individual agencies themselves and the programs.

At one of the reunion sessions, Jim Odom, the NASA's associate administrator for its proposed space station, noted that America has been without a permanent manned orbiting facility for almost 10 years, during which important research could have been done.

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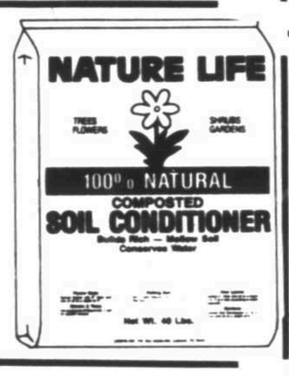

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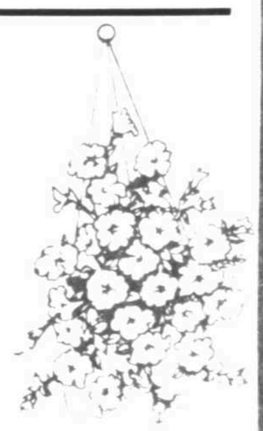

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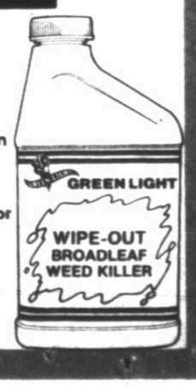

INF technical issues resolved, source says

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U.S. Secretary of State George Shultz and Soviet Foreign Minister Eduard A. Shevardnadze

GENEVA (AP) — U.S. and Soviet negotiators today reached agreement on all the technical issues that caused the Senate to postpone debate on a nuclear missile treaty before the Moscow summit, a senior U.S. official said.

The official, who spoke on condition of anonymity, said the Reagan Administration would report the results of Secretary of State George P. Shultz's meetings with Soviet Foreign Minister Eduard A. Shevardnadze to the Senate Friday.

The negotiators had disagreed over monitoring compliance with the treaty to scrap all American and Soviet medium- and shorter-range missiles. President Reagan and Soviet leader Mikhail S. Gorbachev signed the accord last Dec. 8.

It was not known whether the Senate would accept the agreement worked out over two days in Geneva. Shultz already has predicted further problems might arise in carrying out an unprecedented arrangement for on-site inspection of U.S. and Soviet missile plants and bases.

He refused to criticize the Soviets, as some senators had done, and suggested the difficulties were the logical outcome of grappling with new verification procedures.

Shultz flies to Brussels Friday to report to the North Atlantic Treaty Organization on his talks.

The dispute over how far American inspectors may go and what they may look at caused the U.S. Senate on Monday to postpone consideration of the treaty. The Moscow summit is scheduled for May 29-June 2.

While Shultz and Shevardnadze discussed the Middle East, the Iran-Iraq war and other regional issues, their senior arms control advisers worked on the technical issues.

Maynard Glitman, who negotiated the Intermediate Nuclear Forces, or INF treaty, led the U.S. team. Col. Gen. Nikolai Chervov, an arms control expert of the Soviet armed forces, headed the Soviet delegation.

The arms-control specialists reportedly reached a tentative agreement on the verification issues Wednesday night.

Wednesday, the two ministers held "very businesslike and constructive talks" and made progress "in some areas," State Department spokesman Charles Redman said. The two met twice, in the afternoon and evening.

One of their first tasks was to instruct their arms control negotiators to conduct separate talks to try to resolve outstanding issues.

The Senate had been due to begin debate on the treaty this week, but postponed it indefinitely after the disputes arose.

Two principal stumbling blocks reportedly were among the issues settled Wednesday. One deals with U.S. demands to inspect Soviet missile containers big enough to hold only a stage of a rocket. The other involves how much access U.S. inspectors will have to Soviet missile plants and bases.

In another sign of progress, the two sides agreed on Wednesday to exchange notes on futuristic weapons. The aim is to persuade Sen. Sam Nunn, D-Ga., the chairman of the Senate Armed Services Committee, and other critics that the ban would apply to intermediate-range weapons that have not been developed yet.

The two sides also discussed prospects for a treaty reducing intercontinental nuclear forces, in a group headed by presidential arms control adviser Paul Nitze and chief Soviet arms control negotiator Alexei Obukhov.

Shultz and Shevardnadze centered their talks Wednesday on scheduling and logistical arrangements for the summit. The two men also discussed human rights on Wednesdav.

The pact on intermediate-range missiles is unprecedented in its provisions for on-site inspection to guard against infractions.

Meeting's cancellation in Paraguay upsets Vatican

SUCRE, Bolivia (AP) — The Vatican today said it was shocked at what Paraguay's decision to cancel a meeting between Pope John Paul II and an opposition political group next week.

The chief Vatican spokesman, Joaquin Navarro, said the action announced Wednesday by Paraguayan President Gen. Alfredo Stroessner, Latin America's longest-ruling military chief, hindered "the exercise of the pastoral mission of the Holy Father."

Stroessner cited grounds of security for canceling the meeting, scheduled for Tuesday in the Paraguayan capital of Asuncion. He also charged the group would use a religious encounter for political ends.

The group, called Constructors of Society, has about 350 members and includes politicians, peasant farmers, Catholic laymen and lawyers.

.t was the first time in John Paul's 37 trips abroad that a foreign statesman interfered with his schedule. But the church in Paraguay said it would try to switch the meeting site from a government-controlled site to one under direct church control.

This morning, John Paul traveled from Cochabamba in central Bolivia, to Sucre, another centrally located city, known for its Spanish-colonial architecture and its many churches.

Crowds lined five deep to welcome the pope along a 2¼-mile motorcade on a clear, mild day. Greeting John Paul in this university city 9,150 feet above sea level was 88-year-old German-born Cardinal Jose Clemente Maurer, the retired archbishop of Sucre and this country's only cleric of cardinal rank.

In his homily at an open-air Mass, the pope praised European missionaries who have worked in Bolivia for nearly 500 years, saying they have strived to maintain the cultural identity of the Bolivian people, who are mostly of native Indian descent.

Wednesday night, John Paul addressed 22,000 young people gathered in a soccer stadium in Cochabamba, gateway to a large cocaine-producing region.

Bolivia is a major source of the refined cocaine that reaches the United States and Bolivians themselves are becoming addicts in increasing numbers.

The pope, dressed in a red cape and white scullcap, first warned against Marxism, then told his audience to avoid the temptation of easy riches through drug trafficking.

"Be alert not to be seduced by doctrines that try to justify violence and hate, that reduce members of the human family to simple factors of historical evolution and that place them in a class struggle," he said.

Shamir tells Arabs on West Bank 'to behave'

JERUSALEM (AP) — Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir toured the predominantly Arab city of Hebron in the occupied West Bank under heavy army guard today and told Palestinian residents to behave.

In the West Bank city of Nablus, Israeli troops fired live ammunition at stone-throwing youths and wounded five of them, Arab reporters said.

Israel's police commissioner said he ordered nearly 3,000 police deployed in Jerusalem in anticipation of Arab riots near the end of Ramadan, the Moslem month of fasting, and the anniversary of Israel's capture of Arab east Jerusalem.

Palestinians have been protesting Israel's 21-year occupation of the West Bank and Gaza Strip since Dec. 8 with violent demonstrations and civil disobedience. According to U.N. figures, 186 Palestinians and two Israelis have been killed.

Arab witnesses said Shamir's visit to Hebron was preceded by dozens of soldiers who banged on shop doors and used megaphones to order storekeepers to open their businesses.

Shamir spoke to a cluster of Arab merchants through a translator in the open-air marketplace. He asked them what they were doing to promote peace in the territories.

"We are praying and hoping," a bearded merchant said. "The Israelis shouldn't press so hard against the population."

"If you behaved yourselves we wouldn't have to pressure," Shamir replied.

He was interrupted by a young Arab boy, who shouted: "There won't be peace. We want Jerusalem, Jaffa and Haifa" before troops pushed him away.

Shamir also met with about 60 Jewish settler families who live in a small fortress-like enclave in Hebron, a city of 90,000 Arab residents.

"Be patient and cooperate with the army. You should know the entire people of Israel support you," Shamir told the settlers, who greeted him with singing and dancing.

"All necessary measures will be taken to prevent disturbances," Commissioner David Straus told Israel radio.

Jerusalem police spokesman Alex Lapidoth said the troops would patrol the Temple Mount area, sacred to both Jews and Moslems, for at least five days.

"This is traditionally a time of tension, and we want to be prepared," Lapidoth said.

Tonight is the "Night of Fate," the 27th day of Ramadan, marked by special prayer services and the singing of religious songs. The holy month ends Monday or Tuesday with the sighting of the new moon.

Sunday is Jerusalem Day, when Israelis celebrate the city's reunification in the 1967 Mideast war by converging on the city for prayer services and marches.

The melee in Nablus started after troops ordered shops in the city closed to punish shopkeepers who obeyed strike calls in the past few days issued by leaders of the Arab uprising, the reporters said.

An official at Ittihad Hospital in Nablus confirmed five youths, one of them 13, were brought in with gunshot wounds. Four were shot in the legs and the fifth in the stomach, said the official, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

An army spokesman said two Arab youths were slightly wounded but had no ir -mation about further injuries.

The army's ground forces commander said the extended deployment of troops in the occupied West Bank and Gaza Strip has "seriously harmed the soldier's basic level of training."

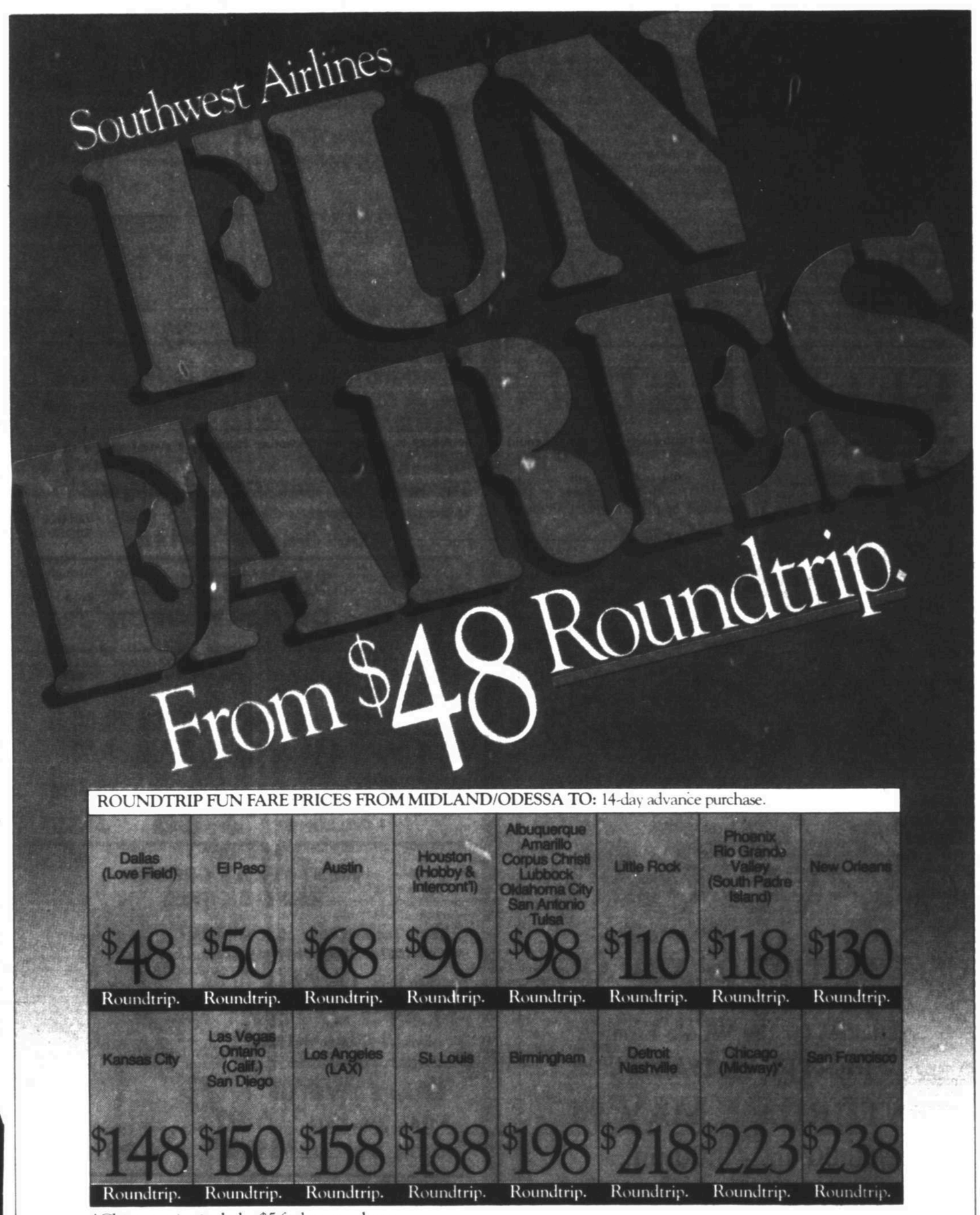
"Only if the uprising in the territories tapers off with the coming of summer will we be able to stabilize the training process for the regular army," Maj. Gen. Uri Saguy was quoted as saying in the army weekly Bamahane.

Bamahane quoted Brig. Gen. Amnon Strachnow, the army's chief prosecutor, as saying that about half the 5,000 Palestinians jailed in the occupied lands since December had been charged and of those, more than 1,000 had been convicted.

Strachnow said that about 20 to 30 Arabs have been acquitted and another 1,700 are being held for six months without trial. He said 10 soldiers had been court-martialed for excesses since the unrest began.

The daily Al Hamishmar reported today that a military court convicted a leftist reserve soldier of sedition and violating army discipline for painting anti-occupation slogans on 117 tanks.

It said reservist Adam Keller was sentenced Wednesday to a month in jail plus a 60-day suspended sentence, fined $125 and demoted from corporal to private.



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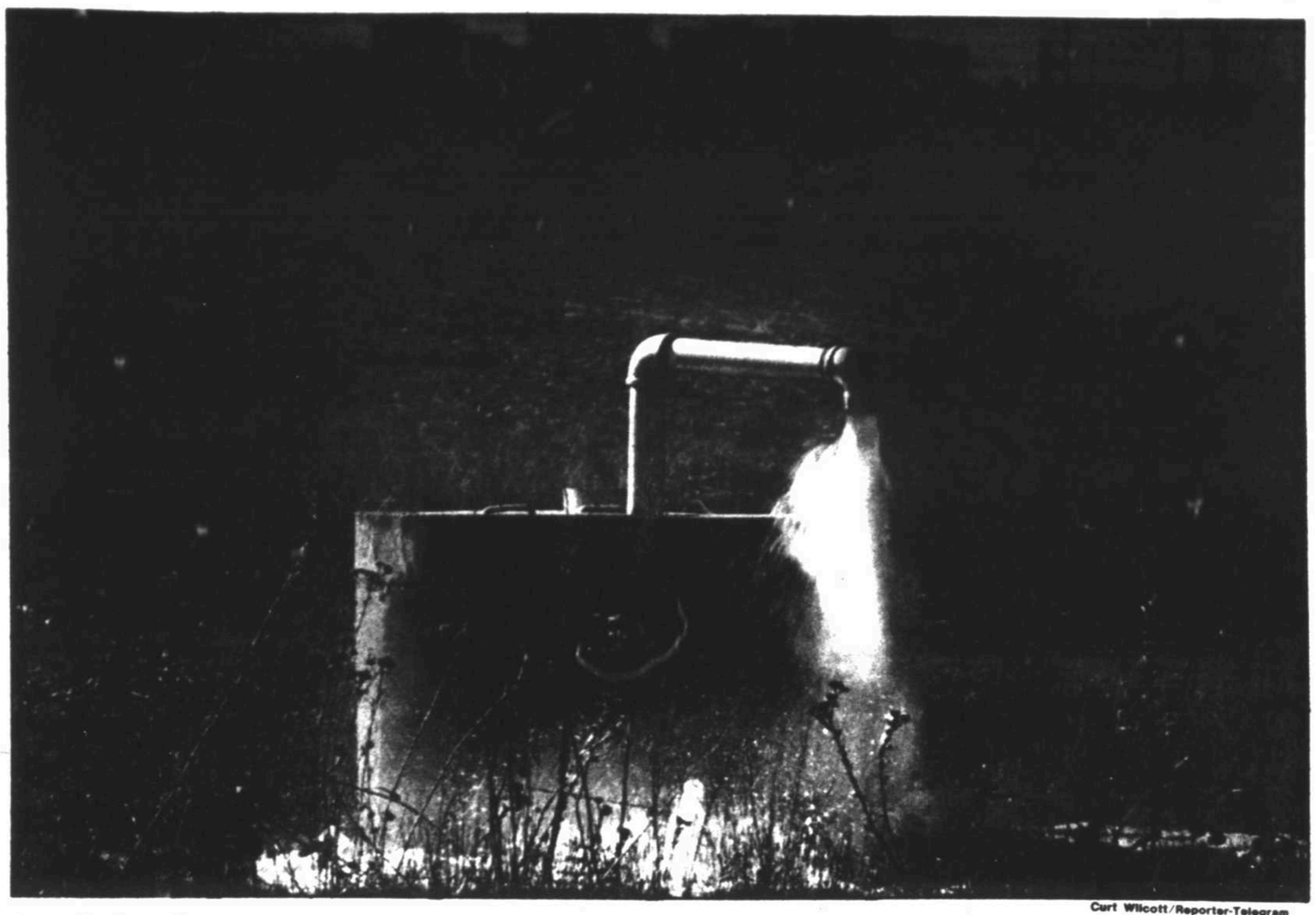

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Leak in the system

City water crews this morning were rushing to the scene of this water main leak near Midkiff Road and Bluebird Lane. A city water department spokesman, Robert Jones, said the leak was bleeding out of 3-inch pipe connected to the city's main connection to the Colorado River Municipal Water District lines.

Fewer yellow pages blamed on economy

By JANE MARLER DEES
Staff Writer

A rough local economy and competition with other directory publishers are the reasons behind a yellow pages decline in Midland's new Southwestern Bell phone books out this week, an official says.

There are 57 less yellow pages in this year's Bell directory — down from 378 last year to 321 this year, said Darlene Gifford, a Bell spokeswoman.

A sluggish retail economy and yellow pages advertising competition from such publications as the Permian Basin Phone Book are behind the page reduction, she said.

The new peach-colored phone books boast a larger white pages type to ease readers' eyes when digging for a number, Ms. Gifford explained.

The white pages count — containing Midland, Midkiff and three area terminal exchange numbers — increased 28 pages because of the type change, the spokeswoman said.

Separate Bell divisions oversee white and yellow page listings, Ms. Gifford said.

The new books, which will be distributed through May 20, go out free to every customer who has service with the local Bell company, regardless of whether his number is listed or not, Ms. Gifford said.

Bell expects to distribute about 16,000 less phone books this year than last year — down from about 106,000 to 90,000 books this year, she said.

However, 122,000 books were printed this year to have extras that are given to new customers and to business visitors who come into Midland's Bell business office, Ms. Gifford said.

The cover of the new phone book — detailing three children communicating through a tin can, a telephone and a computer — was designed by Conroe artist Mark Clapham, she said.

Identical phone book covers are on every Bell directory in the state to make them uniform, Ms. Gifford explained.

For the first time, direct-dial city of Midland phone numbers are listed in the new book.

Bids to convert the city's phone system to the new direct-dial method are due Friday, Deputy City Manager Mike McGregor said today.

Therefore, anyone dialing a new direct number will end up talking to the switchboard operator who handles the city's main line, 683-4281, McGregor explained.

The city's new phone system should be complete by mid-July, he added.

Court rules convicted burglar deserves chance at parole

By DAVID PLESA
Reporter-Telegram Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — Arturo P. Menchaca, serving time in prison for burglary in Midland County, deserves a better shot at parole, the Court of Criminal Appeals ruled Wednesday.

The court ruled that Menchaca, who is serving 20 years for an attempted burglary on June 18, 1985 and 20 years for a burglary on May 21, 1985, must be considered for "good time credit" toward parole under the law in force at the time he committed his offense.

Wednesday's ruling falls under a recently upheld December decision by the court that affects inmates who committed their crimes after Aug. 29, 1983 — when the original good time law took effect — and before Feb. 17, 1987 — when a much more restrictive good time law took effect.

The court's December decision found that applying the more restrictive law to those inmates who committed crimes under the original law violates the constitutional protection against retroactive laws. The Texas Department of Corrections has estimated the ruling could affect nearly 15,000 inmates.

The ruling means Menchaca could be eligible for up to 310 days of good time credit, that Gov. Bill Clements authorized to TDC inmates in 1987 because of prison overcrowding.

The ruling does not automatically grant the good time credits that have been denied Menchaca, nor does it provide for his immediate release on parole even if the credits make him eligible. The decision to release Menchaca will be made by the Texas Board of Pardons and Paroles, the ruling said.

More than 8,100 inmates' sentences to be reduced

AUSTIN (AP) — The sentences of more than 8,100 Texas inmates will be reduced and prison authorities will immediately consider 894 for parole and release another 58 to satisfy a controversial court decision, officials say.

The Texas Department of Corrections Wednesday said those steps are necessary to satisfy the December ruling by a state Court of Criminal Appeals that some inmates were unfairly denied "good time" credit under the state's emergency prison crowding law, the Prison Management Act.

"The numbers are smaller than we expected, primarily because of attrition," said Carl Jeffries, TDC's director of inmate treatment and classification.

"Many of those who would have benefited already have been released. Something like this shows just how fast people are moving through the system and getting out."

The court ordered the awarding of almost one year's worth of "good time" credit to selected inmates and TDC officials feared that could benefit as many as 15,000 inmates.

The TDC response will move 8,121 inmates closer to parole eligibility by receiving 310 days of additional "good time" credit, and make 894 convicts immediately eligible for parole consideration.

Also, as a result of the credit, 58 inmates will gain outright release under the state's mandatory parole supervision laws, which require an inmate be released when his actual time served and "good time" credits equal his sentence.

Trying to relieve overcrowding, state officials have attempted to release 150 inmates a day since last fall to make room for the same amount of convicts entering the system.

But the TDC and parole board have consistently fallen short of the 150-a-day quota because of a shrinking pool of parole-eligible inmates.

"Every little bit helps," TDC spokesman Charles Brown told the Houston Chronicle. "This will give us a little bit more bargaining time to get our new prison units on line."

The state has started a prison construction program to add 10,000 new beds in the next few years.

Absentee voting in MISD board election 'not bad', Calvert says

By JULIE HILLRICHS
Staff Writer

Interest in the Midland school board election doesn't appear to have dwindled, Election Administrator Bettye Calvert concluded after the first full day of absentee voting for the May 21 runoff ended Wednesday.

Absentee votes Wednesday totaled 134, with 95 people casting ballots by mail and another 39 voting in person, Mrs. Calvert said this morning.

"That's not too bad for a runoff, which leads me to conclude that the interest in the races doesn't seem to have dwindled," she said.

A runoff is necessary to decide the winners in five of seven school district races because none of the candidates running for office were able to acquire a 50 percent majority of votes cast during Saturday's citywide election.

District 1 candidate James Fuller and District 4 candidate Jim Builta ended their campaigns Saturday by scoring victories over their opponents. The men took their respective places on the Midland Independent School District Board of Trustees Tuesday.

Candidates battling in the runoff include Clarence "Putty" Zachery and Adela Marmolejo in District 2; Don Aldridge and Ken Morrison in District 3; George Staley and incumbent Betsy Robinson in District 5; Dianne Anderson and Bob Rich in District 6; and John Kenney and Ken Marks in District 7.

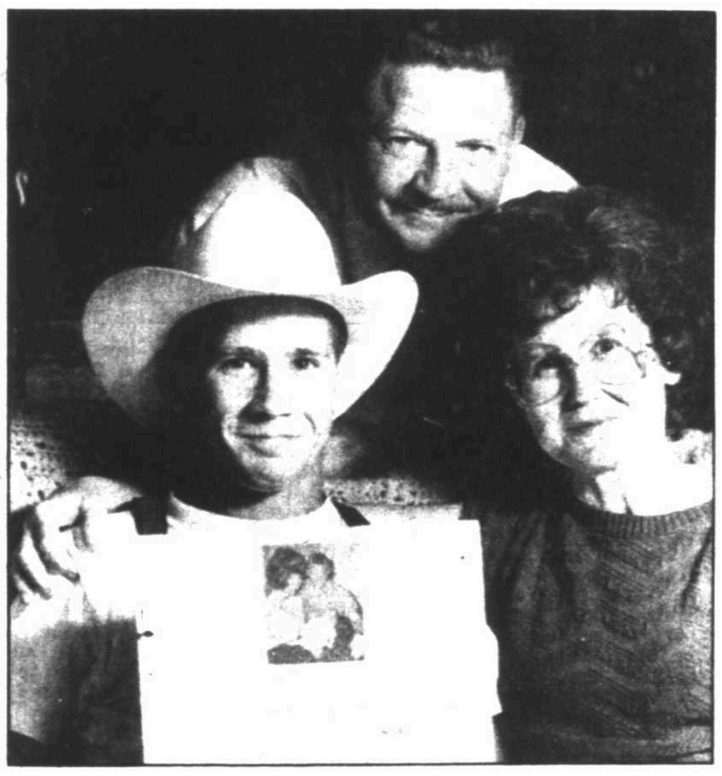
Absentee voting will continue through May 17 at the Midland County Election Administrator's Office. Voting hours are from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Mrs. Calvert said eligible voters are not required to have voted in Saturday's election in order to cast ballots in the runoff, where 2,500 people or 5 percent of the electorate is expected to turnout.

About 15 percent of all eligible voters cast ballots in Saturday's election, she added.

The runoff will see changes in two polling places and affect voters in Precincts 401 and 407, who are to cast ballots at Rusk Elementary School rather than Fairmont Park Lanes, according to the election administrator.

Voters in the remaining precincts are to cast ballots at their regular polling places, Mrs. Calvert said.



Monty Parham, 18, holds the Lubbock newspaper article which told of his birth during the devastating May 11, 1970, tornado. His parents, Bill and Melba Parham, kept a scrapbook of articles relating to the tornado.

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ED TODD

There was a time when emphasis was placed on pride, excellence

Todd

There was a time, wasn't there?

There was a time when craftsmanship meant substantial, enduring and well-honed, if not refined.

Something was either built well, or it wasn't. Mediocrity seemed worse than tin-plated shabbiness, which didn't pretend to be what it wasn't.

Education meant scholarship, academics, teaching and learning — not socializing, misbehaving or running with the football. Refinement — command of the social graces — seemed to coincide with the learned souls.

Schools did address conduct via discipline carried out in the interest of enlightenment.

Any notion of so-called equality — equal schools, equal education, equal mediocrity — was dismissed as fantasy. Can one become "equal" to another without running the danger of becoming "less than" the real potential?

Let opportunity reign supreme but don't limit the self with the "equal to" concept, which just might be far short of the possible — the ideal.

Emphasis, as it indeed should be, was placed on enlightening the self. To become equal to another could be quite limiting. Excel with no thought of your brothers' limitations. Let equality be exceeded.

The phrases "quality education" and "excellence in education" had not been coined. It was only when "the average" became acceptable and the norm did the words "quality" and "excellence" become popular.

Professionalism had something to do with ministers, physicians and lawyers. Today, the word "professional" has been cast into the overflowing hellbox along with such words as viable, fantastic, hopefully, great, and cost-effective.

There was a time when commitments were solid and not so obviously opportunistic and temporal.

Loyalty to jobs, fidelity in marriage, honor in comradeship, steadfastness to principle, and trust in friendship were extant.

The spirit ruled the soul and not lust for power, money and immortality in a mortal world.

Those were the days, if they ever were.

Ed Todd is a staff writer for the Midland Reporter-Telegram.

Anniversary of Lubbock tornado whirlwind of memories for family

By LAURA TETREAULT

IDALOU, Texas (AP) — When Melba Parham gave birth to her son 18 years ago in Lubbock's West Texas Hospital, a whirlwind of activities surrounded her.

Less than half an hour after Monty Zachary Parham's birth on May 11, 1970, a tornado ripped through downtown Lubbock and over the hospital. Mother and son were unscathed, but the tornado killed 26 people and caused an estimated $136 million in damages.

Today the family jokes about the tornado. "I use it as an excuse for my looks," Monty said.

"He (Monty) tells his own version like he was there," Mrs. Parham said.

The tornado was less humorous to the family 18 years ago. Mrs. Parham worked until 5 p.m. on the day she delivered Monty. She and her husband, Bill, started to the hospital about 7 p.m. The couple's two other children, Bart and Annette, were staying at their uncle's house on 44th Street and Avenue P.

Mrs. Parham recalled that, although the sun was shining, a big, white thunderhead was visible to the southwest as the couple drove to the hospital.

After Monty was born at 9:20 p.m., a nurse went by the waiting room to inform the new father. While his wife was still in the delivery room, Parham went to telephone his sister-in-law about the baby.

"I asked her how the wind was out by her house. She said it was pretty strong. Just as I told her it was like a hurricane out here, the screen on the (hospital room) window was sucked off," Parham said.

The lights went off, and Parham rushed into the hallway. He said he heard glass break in another room and a woman scream for help. He stopped a nurse in the hallway and asked about Monty. The nurse told him that the baby was fine, Parham said.

He then went to the delivery room to check on his wife. He walked into the room and saw a doctor and two nurses working on his wife with the aid of flashlights. The doctor told him that everything was fine.

"I looked out a window on the north side and it seems like there was a lot of debris around," Parham said. Although he never saw the funnel, he recalled seeing rain swirling around outside, he said.

After checking on his wife and son, Parham realized the full effects of the tornado. "I thought that here my son was not even 30 minutes old and he was going to die. So, I got on my knees in the hallway and prayed to God that if Monty survived, I would try to raise him right," Parham said.

MAY 12 1988

Celebration of the Arts

Sponsored by Midland Arts Assembly, the fifth annual Celebration of the Arts began May 1 and runs through May 22. Actual Festival Days, to which no admission is charged, are May 14 and 15 at Midland Center, Centennial Plaza and the courthouse lawn, all in downtown Midland. All Festival Days onstage productions are courtesy of United Bank. The entire children's area is sponsored by Frances Metcalfe. All booths for the Festival Days are being installed by Texas A&M Club. During Festival Days, emergency medical assistance is available just off the Midland Center lobby, courtesy of the Midland County Chapter, American Red Cross. The Assembly is Midland's umbrella organization for the arts. Events listed below include those occurring during May that are sponsored by the Assembly as official Celebration events and those being staged by member organizations in May. For more information on any event listed here, call the Assembly, 687-1149.

THURSDAY, MAY 12

— 7 p.m.: MHS SHOWCASE '88, "Salute to Alums," Midland High School, for information call Patty Smith at MHS, 682-7367.

— 7:30 p.m.: FREE OUTDOOR CONCERT, "Stars, Stripes & Sousa," Midland-Odessa Symphony conducted by guest conductor Keith Brion, outside at Beal Plaza, Midland College campus, fireworks display, FAMILY ENTERTAINMENT, sponsored by Pacific Texas Pipeline Co. and Seismic Reflections, Inc., Murray's will be selling fajitas beginning at 6:30 p.m.

— 8 p.m.: MIDLAND COMMUNITY THEATRE, "Brighton Beach Memoirs," Neil Simon comedy, Theatre Midland, 2000 W. Wadley Ave., for reservations call 682-4111, ADMISSION CHARGED.

FRIDAY, MAY 13

— 7-9:30 p.m.: PREVIEW PARTY, Fandango de Madrid! Midland Center, cocktail buffet dinner, art for sale, entertainment, trip to Spain courtesy of American Airlines, hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Holt, TICKETS priced at $15 may be purchased in advance or at the door.

— 7 p.m.: WORKSHOP, for parents and children, "Fossil Identification," Permian Basin Petroleum Museum, for more information call the museum, 683-4403.

— 8 p.m.: MIDLAND COMMUNITY THEATRE, "Brighton Beach Memoirs," Neil Simon comedy, Theatre Midland, 2000 W. Wadley Ave., for reservations call 682-4111, ADMISSION CHARGED.

— 8 p.m.: DANCE, Friends of MC and MCT Dance Concert, Yucca Theatre, 208 N. Colorado Ave., for reservations call Theatre Midland's box office, 682-4111, ADMISSION CHARGED.

Tech president to resign next year

LUBBOCK (AP) — After overseeing the administration of Texas Tech University and its medical school for eight years, President Lauro Cavazos says he doesn't want to overstay his alma mater's welcome.

Cavazos announced Wednesday he would step down at the end of July 1989 and assume teaching duties in the university Health Sciences Center's department of anatomy.

Cavazos, 61, said the timing was right for his departure and that the decision to step down was his own.

"One needs to leave the presidency when you think perhaps you've given direction to the institution and strong leadership," he said. "I really believe that things are in good shape here."

Since coming to Tech in April 1980, Cavazos has weathered a faculty no-confidence vote and legislative funding cutbacks, overseen the creation of schools of nursing and allied health and helped spearhead higher undergraduate admission standards.

"I believe in a certain period of time people can achieve certain things," he said in a news conference. "But large institutions and complex institutions such as these need new leadership, very frankly, from time to time."

The first Tech alumnus to be president and the second-longest officeholder, Cavazos is the 10th president of the 24,000-student school.

Cavazos said he has accomplished much, but that the job is never finished.

"In retrospect, I believe that considerable academic progress has been achieved at Tech and the Health Sciences Center during my presidency," said Cavazos, blinking back tears as he thanked his wife and colleagues.

Board of Regents chairman Wendell Mayes Jr. praised Tech's progress under Cavazos, who at the time of his inauguration was the only Hispanic president of a major U.S. university.

Citing better relations with minority students and more research emphasis during Cavazos' administration, he said Cavazos' departure will leave a major void to be filled.

"The selection of our new president will take many months and will involve many different people and groups interested in Texas Tech," Mayes said.

He said a search committee will be formed soon and that a replacement should be found before Cavazos leaves office on July 31 next year.

The announcement came one day before a board of regents meeting during which a plan to review the school's administrative structure was to be discussed. However, Mayes and Cavazos said the resignation was not related to any plans for restructuring.

Cavazos earned his doctorate in physiology at Iowa State University and in 1975 became dean of Tufts University Medical School before coming to Tech.

With deep family roots in Texas, Cavazos grew up on the King Ranch in South Texas, where his father was foreman of the Santa Gertrudis cattle division. Two of his brothers also attended Tech and played football there, and seven of Cavazos' 10 children hold Tech degrees.

Fuselage crack in jet forces emergency landing

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — An American Airlines Boeing 727 lost cabin pressure and had to make an an emergency landing because of a 15-inch crack in the fuselage, an airline spokesman said today.

The cause of the crack, near the right wheel well, could take several weeks of study to determine, said American spokesman Steve McGregor. The incident occurred Monday, and federal investigators examined the plane Wednesday.

A Boeing 737 lost the top of its fuselage less than two weeks ago over Hawaii, but McGregor said the incidents were not related.

American Flight 984, with 105 passengers and seven crew members, was en route Monday from Chicago to Philadelphia when it suddenly lost cabin pressure.

Cabin oxygen masks were deployed automatically before the landing. There were no injuries and no apparent disruption at Detroit Metropolitan Airport in Romulus, Mich., after the landing, officials said.

The aircraft was flown to American's maintenance center in Tulsa, Okla., and investigators from the Federal Aviation Administration and the National Transportation Safety Board were called in.

"An investigator has obtained the portion of the aircraft with a crack in it and has sent it to our metallurgical lab here in Washington, and it is being examined by our lab people," NTSB spokesman Alan Pollock said today in Washington.

He said investigators would try to determine whether the crack was due by metal fatigue or some other cause, such as an impact on the fuselage.

He declined to say whether the crack could have been hazardous to the aircraft and its passengers.

After the federal inspection, American replaced the cracked fuselage section and was testing the repaired jet today, McGregor said.

McGregor said the plane had made 39,983 takeoffs and landings, and "for a 727, that's not a high number of cycles."

The problem occurred less than two weeks after a 19-year-old Aloha Airlines Boeing 737 lost part of its upper fuselage while flying over Hawaii, killing a flight attendant and injuring 61 passengers and crew members. The cause was suspected to be structural failure.

But McGregor discounted the similarity between the two incidents.

48 arrested in drug crackdown

HOUSTON (AP) — Operation Zero Tolerance, intended to penalize those bringing even small amounts of drugs into the United States, has yielded 48 arrests and 99 vehicle seizures in Texas over the past seven weeks, say U.S. Customs officials.

"It's been on the books a long time that you can't bring illegal drugs into this country," customs spokesman Charles Conroy said Tuesday. "We're just putting people on notice that the government won't tolerate it anymore."

Most of the Texas cases involve small amounts of drugs — cigarettes of marijuana or handfuls of diet pills — that customs officials usually had ignored or given administrative fines to the offenders.

Now, those violations can result in felony drug-smuggling charges with penalties up to five years imprisonment and $15,000 fines, though no sentences that steep have been levied in Texas, Conroy said.

The crackdown was ordered by Attorney General Edwin Meese III. Nationwide, hundreds of cars and at least 12 vessels have been seized, including a $2.5 million yacht seized off Florida after Coast Guard officials discovered less than one-tenth of an ounce of marijuana on board.

Civil rights proponents have criticized the operation as a way of finding people guilty before they receive a trial.

If a car or boat can be seized for small amounts of illegal drugs, it may not be long before the government decides to seize homes, said Gara LaMarche, executive director of the Texas Civil Liberties Union.

In Texas, customs agents are on the lookout for illegal drugs along the Mexican border and at international airports in Houston, San Antonio and Dallas, Conroy told the Houston Chronicle.

In addition, boats in U.S. waters or any U.S.-flagged vessel in international waters can be boarded and inspected by the Coast Guard.

Federal officials can then seize a car, truck or boat if t is determined that the person or persons using them have any amount of an illegal drug.

Since 1984, when Congress strengthened the law, authorities have seized cash and assets exceeding $500 million, including night clubs, a horse ranch, a florist shop, a recording studio, a Ferrari and hundreds of other cars, boats and planes.

The Laredo district, which stretches from Brownsville to Del Rio, has been the most active in Texas.

DEATHS

Bonnie White

BIG SPRING — Bonnie White, 87, of Tarzan, died Tuesday night at a Big Spring hospital after a lengthy illness.

Services will be at 2 p.m. today in the First Baptist Church of Stanton with the Rev. Rick Montgomery officiating.

Burial will be in Evergreen Cemetery under the direction of Gilbreath Funeral Home.

He was born July 7, 1900, in Fate, and moved to Tarzan in 1918. He was married to Nova Bryson April 20, 1935, in Stanton. He was a retired farmer and a former Martin County Commissioner of Precinct 3.

Survivors include his wife, Nova White of Tarzan; a daughter, Barbara Bruce of Mesquite; two brothers, Ivan White and Robert White, both of Stanton; four grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

Tiger kills Houston Zoo employee

HOUSTON (AP) — A 700-pound Siberian tiger named "Rambo" attacked and killed an employee at the Houston Zoo this morning, fire department officials said.

Ricrido Tovar, 60, was killed when the tiger crashed through a 5- to 6-inch thick glass window that was part of his cage area, said Howard Shaw, a Houston Fire Department paramedic called to the scene.

"Either the guy was inside the cage or the tiger was outside and pulled him inside," Shaw said. "It cut him up and ate him up pretty good."

Shaw said Tovar, a 30-year-employee of the zoo, was found by a coworker apparently about five minutes after the attack this morning. He said the animal ran back into its cage and he believed the tiger had not been shot.

Houston Zoo and city Parks and Recreation Department officials would not immediately comment on the death.

"I can't say anything right now," said a zoo spokeswoman.

The Siberian tiger is the largest of eight types of tigers and can measure up to 13 feet and weight as much as 720 pounds.

WEST TEXAS IN BRIEF

Petroleum Museum to host fossil series

From Staff Reports

The Permian Basin Petroleum Museum will host a series of free fossil identification workshops Friday and Saturday and a special lecture on dinosaurs Saturday.

Guest lecturer will be Dr. Michael Hagar, director of the Museum of the Rockies, Bozeman, Mont. Hagar, a noted teacher, lecturer and consultant, gives similar workshops and lectures for the Smithsonian Institution and other organizations.

The fossil workshops will be held at 7 p.m. Friday and at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. Saturday. In the workshops, participants will see and learn about dozens of fossils ranging from tiny sea creatures to sabre-toothed tiger skulls. They can also bring their own fossils to be identified. Each workshop will last about two hours.

The workshops will be limited to 30 people each so advance reservations are recommended. Friday's workshop is reserved for adults. The Saturday workshops are for adults and school age children.

In a lecture entitled "Dinosaurs: From Excavation to Exhibition," Hagar will describe how dinosaur fossils are turned from new finds into finished museum exhibits at 7:30 p.m. Saturday.

A reception will follow the lecture. All programs will be held at the Petroleum Museum, 1500 I-20 West. For more information call the museum, 683-4403.

The programs are part of the museum's H.B. Babe Fugua Lecture Series, funded by the Sid W. Richardson Foundation.

'Hello Dolly' auditions set

From Staff Reports

ODESSA — Auditions for The Globe of the Southwest's production of "Hello Dolly" will be held at 7 p.m. Sunday and Monday at the Globe Theatre, 2308 Shakespeare Road on the Odessa College campus.

"Hello Dolly" is the story of Dolly Levi's efforts to marry Horace Vandergelder for the purpose of sending his money circulating among the people like rainwater. Roles are available for men and women of all ages.

Performances will be held at 8 p.m. June 23 through 25 and July 1 and 2 and at 2:30 p.m. June 30 and July 3. The production is being directed by Paula Thompson. Musical direction is by Dr. Charlotte Whitaker of Midland.

For more information call the Globe Theatre, 1-332-1586.

Church to have recital

From Staff Reports

Dr. Joyce Jones will present an organ recital at 2:30 p.m. Sunday in the sanctuary of First United Methodist Church, Main Street at Ohio Avenue, downtown.

The recital, which is free and open to the public, is in celebration of the 20th anniversary of the dedication of First UMC's 51 rank Schantz pipe organ and the dedication of the new DeHart Memorial Trompette, given in memory of George DeHart, organist and choirmaster of First UMC from 1950 to 1980.

Ms. Jones, the holder of four degrees including a doctorate in organ performance, played a dedicatory recital on this same instrument 20 years ago. The first woman to play on the inaugural concert series at the Crystal Cathedral, she is the only woman chosen to play at the opening gala of the San Francisco Symphony's new organ in Davies Symphony Hall.

The San Francisco Chronicle said of her playing, "Jones was, quite literally, amazing...She flicked through horrific pedal runs with all the ease in the world. For additional bravura, she played everything from memory."

She is professor of organ and organist-in-residence at Baylor University.

Child care will be available for infants and toddlers. For more information call the music office at First UMC, 682-3701.

Police investigate burglary

From Staff Reports

Midland police are investigating the burglary of a local residence which netted burglars jewelry valued at more than $16,000.

According to reports, someone entered a back bedroom window of a residence in the 1200 block of Garden Lane Wednesday between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. After the owner returned home, he found several items missing.

Among items reported stolen were several womans' rings, including three gold and diamond rings with a total value of $13,500, a ring with a setting of rubies and sapphires, and emeralds valued at $3,000. Also reported stolen was a .38-caliber handgun valued at $325.

'Collider' appropriations under fire

WASHINGTON (AP) — Texas congressmen are vowing to fight a House panel's decision authorizing $100 million for the "super collider" but barring construction from beginning on the atom smasher.

"I've got my work ahead of me, trying to get that turned around. I'd like to get it locked in," Sen. Lloyd Bentsen said Wednesday after the vote by the House Appropriations Committee. "Once you get it started, you have a much greater chance of continuing it."

Texas is one of seven states named as finalists for the $4.4 billion collider, which will provide its host state with thousands of construction jobs, permanent work for as many as 3,000 people and an annual budget of $270 million.

Bentsen said Texas is among the top three contenders for the nuclear particle accelerator that scientists hope will provide new insights into the nature of matter.

Rep. Tom DeLay, R-Sugar Land, said the Texas delegation must now revamp its super collider strategy.

He said the $100 million could be used for research, development and site selection.

"But we don't need $100 million for that. What we have to do now is look at our options that are open to us, and develop a different strategy to get that language (in the bill) changed" to include construction, DeLay said.

The House Appropriations Committee also approved funding Wednesday for the next fiscal year to continue dozens of water projects in Texas, including $11.3 million for deepwater construction and jetty relocation at Freeport Harbor, which DeLay says has the potential of becoming a major U.S. port.

Other Texas appropriations, all of which involve ongoing projects, include $14 million for maintenance and dredging of the Gulf Intracoastal Waterway, $22.8 million for Cooper Lake and Channels, $20 million for Ray Roberts Lake, and $25 million for San Antonio Channel improvement.

DeLay said dredging work on the Freeport channel is expected to begin late this year.

"By deepening the harbor and expanding our trade opportunities, our community will be able to provide the world with more than adequate facilities with conducting international trade activity. This means jobs — and the economic boost that our area would like to see in the future," DeLay said.

He said the port would be dug to 45 feet.

"It will be a major deepwater port that has a major future potential for export and development. It is the only one in Texas that has that capability," he said.

He said the state's other ports are already developed, but that Freeport has undeveloped land nearby that can be used for expansion.

In Wednesday's decision on the super collider, the appropriations committee said the next president should decide whether to proceed and how to pay for the huge experiment, which was criticized during the meeting by Rep. Charles Wilson, D-Lufkin.

"I don't think this is suitable to be involved in a presidential election," Wilson said.

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Bustamante calls English movement attack on Hispanics

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WASHINGTON (AP) — Rep. Albert Bustamante says the movement to make English the country's official language is an insult to the American intelligence and a direct assault on Hispanics.

Wisconsin Rep. Gerald D. Kleczka agreed.

"It is in fact a direct attack on Hispanics. No doubt about it," Kleczka told the House Judiciary subcommittee at a hearing Wednesday to consider proposed constitutional amendments designating English the official language.

"The English-language amendment clearly would not fit in the category of expanding the rights of Americans," said Bustamante, a migrant worker for 23 years and the son and grandson of Mexican-Americans who followed the crops.

"If it is a symbolic measure with no impact whatsoever on our rights, then it is a frivolous exercise. If it restricts civil rights on the basis of one's proficiency in English, then it is divisive and a dangerous amendment," the San Antonio Democrat told the Judiciary subcommittee on civil and constitutional rights.

Rep. John Conyers Jr., D-Mich., a member of the House panel conducting the hearing, said he questioned the motives behind the movement.

He said backers had not been able to rationalize the necessity of making English the official language.

Following the hearing, Bustamante said advocates of official English "have this fear they (Hispanics) are taking over. They're saying...there's too many of them."

But supporters told the House committee that the amendment was not an effort to stifle freedom, but rather to clarify public policy and give legal protection to English, the glue that holds the country together.

Rep. Norman D. Shumway, R-Calif., said he does not want to see the nation drift unwittingly into a bilingual country.

"We cannot afford to wait a decade, or a generation, until our government is conducting its affairs in languages other than English; it will be too late then," testified Shumway, who has proposed one of the English amendments before the House.

And Rep. William S. Broomfield, R-Mich., said English is the language of the United States only by tradition and action should be taken to prevent future uncertainty in basic communication.

Bustamante testified the amendment could alienate non-English speakers from vital services such as health care and deprive them of public translators for courts, hospitals, emergency services and police departments.

According to testimony, 14 states have enacted official-English laws.

At news conferences Wednesday in Washington and Austin, several groups urged Congress to turn back the proposed amendments.

Dora O. Tovar of the Mexican American Legal Defense and Educational Fund said in Austin that such legislation fails to address the need for English instruction.

"The Hispanic community recognizes that in order to achieve full economic participation, everyone must master the English language. Yet the proposed English language amendments do not provide even a single dollar for language instruction," Ms. Tovar said.

White undecided on 1990 race

By STEVE LEVINE
Reporter-Telegram Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — Former Gov. Mark White delivered a stock campaign speech to a tax policy conference Wednesday, then said nothing to quash rumors that he plans to run for governor in 1990.

"I haven't made any final commitment on that," White told reporters after his first major public appearance in Austin since losing the bitter 1986 election to Republican Gov. Bill Clements. White, a Democrat, served as governor from 1983 to 1987 after ousting Clements from the office in 1982.

He acknowledged Wednesday that some of his friends and former backers have urged him to attempt a political comeback.

Asked to assess the chances of his running in 1990, White said, "We've got a more important task before us and that's to make sure that we have a president of the United States elected that's going to be responsive to the needs of Texas."

He blamed the state's recent economic troubles on the Reagan administration's refusal to adopt an oil import fee. "They let the people of Texas really be the anvil over which this whole economy is broken," he said.

In a speech billed as "The Politics of Taxation," White discussed education, highways, the importation of narcotics and his opposition to a state income tax. He returned several times to the public education issues that formed the cornerstone of his failed 1986 re-election campaign.

"The issues, I think, that are before the Legislature now, on education, are very important and very close to my heart," he told reporters later. "I hope that they're going to be dealt with in the serious nature."

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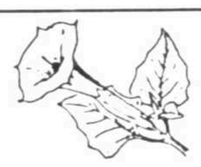
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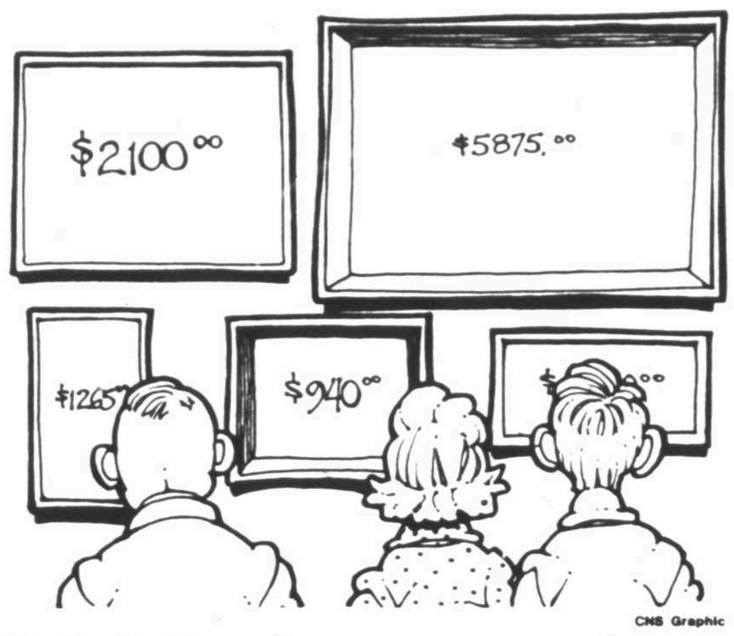

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The Highway Patrol then purchased pantyhose for their cars and continued to help stranded motorists in that area. Pantyhose saved many engines until proper filters could be installed. — KEN THELANDER, SEATTLE

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BETTER BUSINESS

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Be cautious. Before you do business with a worker, find out what the terms mean and request proof.

Most important of all, check the contractor's reputation with the Better Business Bureau.

John K. Schmidt is president of Better Business Bureau of the Permian Basin Inc.

AT WIT'S END

People should be paid to sit at a dais

By ERMA BOMBECK

Bombeck

Do you suppose while we're getting rid of all the social ills of the world, we could abolish the traditional "dais," or head table? This staple of dinners and banquets everywhere is the ultimate horror of everyone who has ever had to sit at one.

For those of you who have never had the experience, try to imagine being assigned to a table the size of a football field with nothing to do but stare out into a crowd and chew.

To begin with, there are no good seats and no rules on a dais. It's not like sitting in economy class on an airline where everyone uncrosses and crosses his legs in the same direction. Some think it is deadly to have the end seat. Not necessarily. If the end diner gets there first and grabs the attention of the person sitting next to him, that forces the third from the end to turn to his right (or left). By the time you get to the center, it could leave the person next to the lectern in a conversational Siberia.

If the group on the other side of the lectern has turned to the right, however, the person could get lucky and carry on a conversation with the person on the other side of the microphone 3 feet away. If they're real lucky, the microphone could be open.

Sitting on the dais carries with it a huge responsibility. To begin with, you are served first, and everyone looks at you for your reaction to the food. Throwing your napkin over the food on your plate and summoning a waiter to remove it immediately could sway an entire room. It also gives you more time to kill while the rest of the room is being served.

I've spent a lot of time alone on these thrones and I would advise you to keep busy. I once sat through an entire meal while partners on my left and on my right were engaged in conversations on the other side of them.

After I had drawn a chain of flowers around my place card, read the program and made margin notes in it, rearranged the food on my plate in alphabetical order (clockwise), cleaned my glasses, tightened the lids on the salt and pepper, set my watch, asked the waiter about his family, kept alert mentally by trying to remember my old phone numbers and license plates, and acted like I was looking for someone in the audience, I began to chew and stare at the people staring at me.

A couple of months ago I was on a dais when I saw a man down the table from me who had been abandoned by his dinner companion. He had been chewing and staring at the crowd for a long period of time. Finally I ventured, "Mr. President, was it something you said?" President Jimmy Carter smiled, "I think so."

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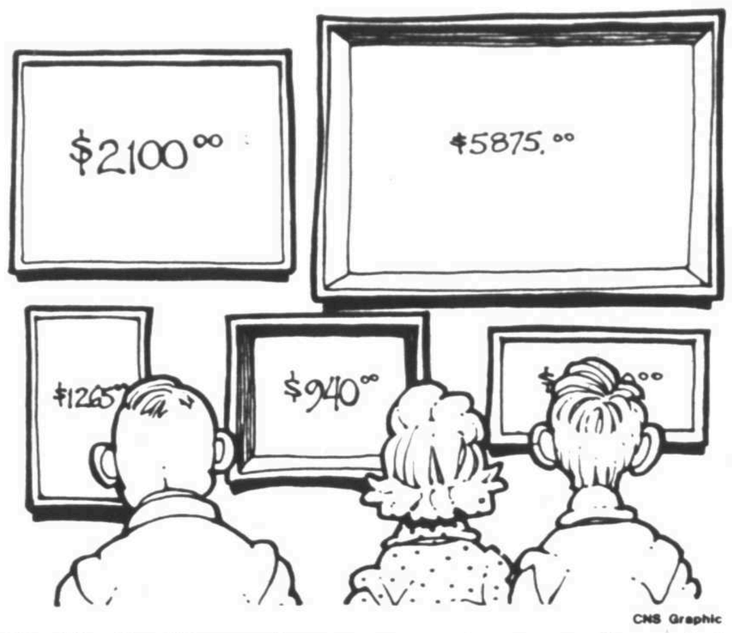

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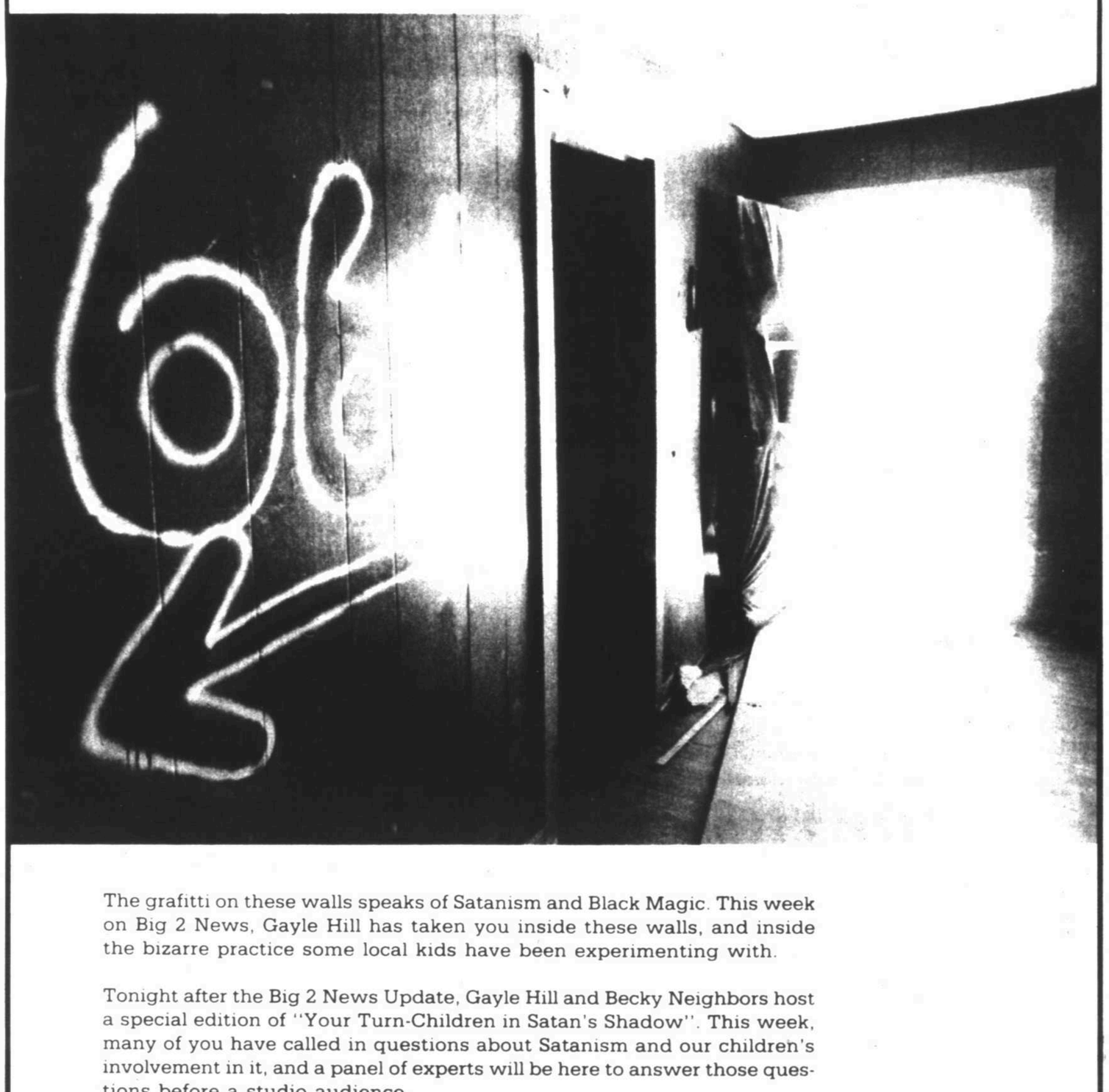
They were stopped by a highway patrolman near Moses Lake, Wash., where there was up to 7 inches of the stuff on the ground. (You can still see it.) The patrolman asked how they could keep going. They explained that they had shaken the ashes from the pantyhose each time the engine quit.

The Highway Patrol then purchased pantyhose for their cars and continued to help stranded motorists in that area. Pantyhose saved many engines until proper filters could be installed. — KEN THELANDER, SEATTLE

Abigail Van Buren is a columnist for Universal Press Syndicate.

These walls had their say...
Now it's Your Turn.



The grafitti on these walls speaks of Satanism and Black Magic. This week on Big 2 News, Gayle Hill has taken you inside these walls, and inside the bizarre practice some local kids have been experimenting with.

Tonight after the Big 2 News Update, Gayle Hill and Becky Neighbors host a special edition of "Your Turn-Children in Satan's Shadow". This week, many of you have called in questions about Satanism and our children's involvement in it, and a panel of experts will be here to answer those questions before a studio audience.

Gayle Hill

Becky Neighbors

"Your Turn-Children in Satan's Shadow"

Tonight 10:30 pm

BIG 2 NEWS UPDATE

BETTER BUSINESS

Terms are used to mislead consumer

By JOHN K. SCHMIDT

Schmidt

In advertising, the terms "licensed" and "bonded" can be misleading, especially for various services offered by unknown contractors. Some consumers think "bonded" means the advertiser has a good credit rating, and "licensed" means that he has passed some sort of test which proves he is qualified to do the work he proposes to do.

Customers may be surprised to learn that while some contractors such as plumbers and electricians do indeed take exams to verify their knowledge in their profession, other types of work do not require such tests to be taken. In these cases, the term "licensed" means little.

The term "bonded" may simply mean if city property is damaged the worker pays for the damage, rather than provide protection for the customer if the work is not satisfactory or personal property is damaged.

Be cautious. Before you do business with a worker, find out what the terms mean and request proof.

Most important of all, check the contractor's reputation with the Better Business Bureau.

John K. Schmidt is president of Better Business Bureau of the Permian Basin Inc.

AT WIT'S END

People should be paid to sit at a dais

By ERMA BOMBECK

Bombeck

Do you suppose while we're getting rid of all the social ills of the world, we could abolish the traditional "dais," or head table? This staple of dinners and banquets everywhere is the ultimate horror of everyone who has ever had to sit at one.

For those of you who have never had the experience, try to imagine being assigned to a table the size of a football field with nothing to do but stare out into a crowd and chew.

To begin with, there are no good seats and no rules on a dais. It's not like sitting in economy class on an airline where everyone uncrosses and crosses his legs in the same direction. Some think it is deadly to have the end seat. Not necessarily. If the end diner gets there first and grabs the attention of the person sitting next to him, that forces the third from the end to turn to his right (or left). By the time you get to the center, it could leave the person next to the lectern in a conversational Siberia.

If the group on the other side of the lectern has turned to the right, however, the person could get lucky and carry on a conversation with the person on the other side of the microphone 3 feet away. If they're real lucky, the microphone could be open.

Sitting on the dais carries with it a huge responsibility. To begin with, you are served first, and everyone looks at you for your reaction to the food. Throwing your napkin over the food on your plate and summoning a waiter to remove it immediately could sway an entire room. It also gives you more time to kill while the rest of the room is being served.

I've spent a lot of time alone on these thrones and I would advise you to keep busy. I once sat through an entire meal while partners on my left and on my right were engaged in conversations on the other side of them.

After I had drawn a chain of flowers around my place card, read the program and made margin notes in it, rearranged the food on my plate in alphabetical order (clockwise), cleaned my glasses, tightened the lids on the salt and pepper, set my watch, asked the waiter about his family, kept alert mentally by trying to remember my old phone numbers and license plates, and acted like I was looking for someone in the audience, I began to chew and stare at the people staring at me.

A couple of months ago I was on a dais when I saw a man down the table from me who had been abandoned by his dinner companion. He had been chewing and staring at the crowd for a long period of time. Finally I ventured, "Mr. President, was it something you said?" President Jimmy Carter smiled, "I think so."

It's lonelier at the top than you can imagine.

Erma Bombeck is a columnist for Universal Press Syndicate.

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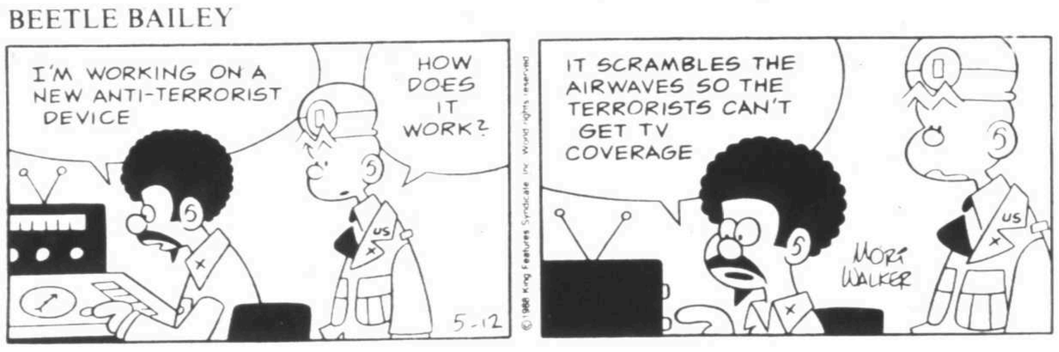

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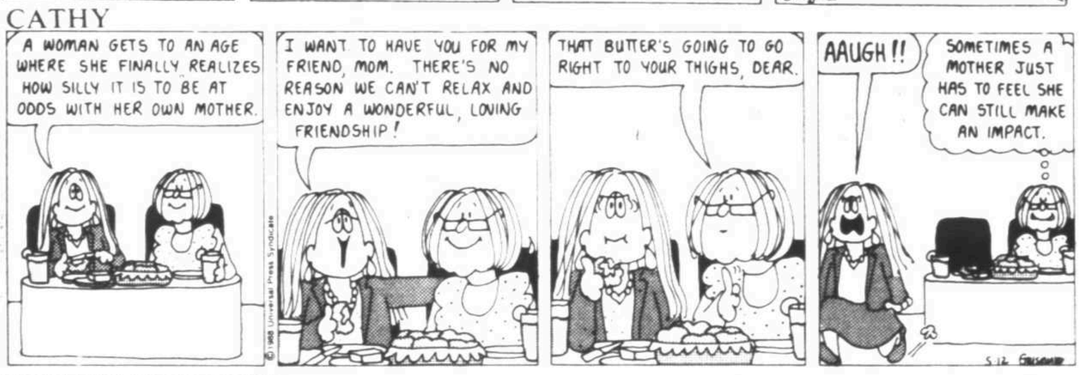

THE WIZARD OF ID

STEVE ROPER

JEANE DIXON'S
your horoscope

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FRIDAY, MAY 13, 1988

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: You will be thinking about risking a small amount in order to achieve greatness. Take the chance! Luck will help you past any rough spots. Children provide a special brand of inspiration no one else can give. Look forward to new blessings. You put down roots, possibly building or buying the home of your dreams.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: actress Bea Arthur, outfielder Juan Beniquez, musician Stevie Wonder, theater critic Clive Barnes, writer Daphne du Maurier, boxer Joe Louis, musicman Sir Arthur Sullivan.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): A lighthearted mood prevails — helping you do business. Cash in an IOU to land a job or big-money deal. Emotional support comes from an unexpected quarter. Blind dates enjoy favorable influences.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Tend to routine office chores first thing. New responsibilities could be dropped into your lap just when you want to start the weekend early. Do not neglect work for pleasure. Romance will wait.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Try to get closer to the action, and opportunities for advancement will increase. A highly emotional person may not be the best candidate for a long-term relationship. Back off a bit.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): The emphasis today is on style and flair. It is time for a young person to decide what image she wants to project. Others offer their opinions. Do not let peer pressure influence you.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): If you really like someone, now is the time to let him (or her) know it. Marriage is not a frivolous matter; treat a proposal seriously. This evening could be a harbinger of things to come.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Take a realistic approach to work problems. Do not let foolish pride stand in your way if you need help. An older person takes a real shine to you. Show your gratitude for favors.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Co-workers could underestimate your capabilities. Take stock of your talents and insist on developing your own ideas. A new relationship makes you think you are ready for a permanent alliance!

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): An excellent day for study and self-improvement projects. An unexpected turn of events enables you to take advantage of a unique business opportunity. Cut back on buying non-essentials. Eat sensibly.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Your initiative and ability will carry you far today. Downplay your ambitious nature or you could make enemies. Joint efforts begin to pay off. Break out of your shell; socialize with new friends.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): For terrific success, think before you act. Submit original ideas to superiors to show them how eager you are. The future of a relationship is uncertain. Why not play a waiting game?

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): The boss needs you to make an extra effort. Give generously of your time. Study the best ways to advance your career. Attending night school or a weekend seminar could help.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Early hours favor contract negotiations. Many hands not only lighten the workload, but also boost morale. Smooth over domestic differences with intelligent compromises. Romance heats up. You are walking on air!

GOREN BRIDGE

BY CHARLES GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF

UNLOAD YOUR PROBLEM

Both vulnerable. South deals.

NORTH
♠ K Q 10 3
♡ K 8 2
◇ 9 5 4
♣ 9 6 3

WEST
♠ 9 4
♡ Q J 10 3
◇ Q J 7
♣ Q 10 4 2

EAST
♠ 8 6 5
♡ A 9 7 5
◇ 10 6 3 2
♣ 8 7

SOUTH
♠ A J 7 2
♡ 6 4
◇ A K 8
♣ A K J 5

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠	Pass
4 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: Queen of ♡

The lot of the defender is a difficult one. On occasion, however, you can foresee declarer's plan of attack. To give him a helping hand under such circumstances is above and beyond your call of duty.

We are not enamored of South's opening bid. Holding two four-card suits, it is usually correct to open the one below the shortness. That alone would dictate an opening bid of one club. But there's another consideration here. With such a powerful hand, South should prefer to open as cheaply as possible to make it easy for his partner to respond.

Against four spades West led the top of his heart sequence. Declarer ducked the first trick in dummy, then covered the continuation of the jack with the king, losing to East's ace. That worthy suspected, correctly, that no more heart tricks were coming his way, so he shifted to the eight of clubs. Declarer won the king and cashed the ace of diamonds. As a precaution, West unblocked the queen.

After drawing two rounds of trumps, ending in dummy, declarer ruffed the last heart and cashed the ace of diamonds. West could not miss declarer's blueprint of the looming endplay. His partner's shift to the eight of clubs had marked declarer with at least the ace-king-jack of the suit. If he also held the ten of diamonds, there was no beating the hand. The only chance was to jettison the jack of diamonds under the ace and hope partner held the ten.

West's fine defense left declarer without resource. East was able to win the third diamond and lead another club. No matter what declarer did, he still had to lose a club for down one. Had West allowed himself to win the diamond, he would have been tangled in a web of losing options, and the contract would have succeeded. Try it for yourself.

GARFIELD

DENNIS THE MENACE

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

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

SHYKWI
HEPNO
NOCUE
KNATIG

Having goals for the future is okay if you don't let them deprive you of making some interesting ------ along the way.

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

2 PRINT NUMBERED LETTERS IN THESE SQUARES 1 2 3 4 5 6 7

3 UNSCRAMBLE LETTERS TO GET ANSWER

SCRAM-LETS ANSWERS

Whisky — Phone — Ounce — Taking — CHANGES
Having goals for the future is okay if you don't let them deprive you of making some interesting CHANGES along the way

MARMADUKE

"Don't let him intimidate you into leaving any leftovers."

FAMILY CIRCUS

"Next can we go to 'Toyware'?"

PEOPLE

Carson showers crowd with stellar jokes

Carson

BURBANK, Calif. (AP) — **Johnny Carson** returned with a vengeance to his late-night show, poking fun at revelations of White House astrology in a monologue he wrote himself to end reruns forced by a 2-month-old writers' strike.

"I just could not stay away any longer from all things that are going on in the country. I was compelled to come back," Carson said Wednesday in his first new show since the strike began March 7.

"You know, we finally have a clue now as to what the hell (are) the Looney Tunes things that have been coming out of Washington," he told viewers of "The Tonight Show."

Carson referred to revelations by former White House Chief of Staff **Donald Regan** that **Nancy Reagan** regularly consulted an astrologer to determine **President Reagan's** schedule.

"We apparently have a new cabinet officer in the government I was not aware of — the Secretary of Health, Education and Soothsaying.

"I am not an expert on astrology, I know a little bit about it, but I understand the horoscope with the chart as they call it, is divided into the so-called 12 houses, and I just didn't know the White House was one of them," Carson quipped.

"Apparently the astrologist says that Reagan's sign is the rising house of Aquarius. Nancy's house is, I think, in the house of Adolfo. I could be wrong, it could be Bill Blass, but I think that's close," he joked, referring to the fashion designers.

Carson also quoted an astrologist as saying that "Reagan performs at his best during a full moon."

"Big deal," Carson said. "So does the Wolfman."

Carson pointed out that Reagan said he never made a policy decision based on astrology, then — dropping into an imitation of Reagan's voice — Carson said, "Well, because that little pointer on my Ouija board moved to 'No.'"

The host of the NBC-TV show also found time to poke fun at his marriage and California earthquake predictions involving 16th century seer **Nostradamus**.

"Things were getting a little testy around the homestead," he said. "I really believe that one more week off and my marriage would be resolved by small arms fire."

Carson mentioned the stir in Los Angeles because of persistent rumors that Nostradamus forecast an earthquake for a city widely believed to be Los Angeles.

"He was a flim-flam man of the 16th century," Carson said. "If Nostradamus were alive today he would be **Geraldo Rivera**." Rivera entertained millions of television viewers with stunts such as the opening of **Al Capone's** vault.

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Philby

LONDON (AP) — Upper-crust Englishman **Harold "Kim" Philby**, who for nearly three decades spied for the Soviets from the heights of British intelligence, died a decorated KGB officer in Moscow. He was 76.

The Foreign Office said it learned from the Soviet Embassy in London that Philby had died Wednesday. The embassy gave no cause of death. Four months ago, Philby said he was suffering from arrhythmia, a heart irregularity.

The most damaging double agent in modern British history, the suave, handsome Philby sent many Western agents to their deaths.

With three now-deceased colleagues he met at Cambridge University in the 1930s — **Donald Maclean, Guy Burgess** and **Anthony Blunt** — Philby turned Britain's most precious secrets over to the Kremlin.

By extension, he betrayed the United States, too, since he was privy to top-secret information exchanged by the two allies.

Philby was on his way to becoming head of British intelligence when he came under suspicion in 1951, when Maclean and Burgess — who had been posted at the British Embassy in Washington — fled to Moscow.

Philby was forced to resign from the service the following year, but he continued to free-lance for MI6, the British intelligence agency.

By the time he was unmasked as the "Third Man" who tipped off Burgess and Maclean in time for them to escape British punishment, Philby was settling into Moscow as a senior KGB officer.

The Maclean-Burgess-Philby spy scandals damaged the exchange of intelligence information between Britain and the United States for years. But of perhaps even more profound impact in Britain was that the establishment's own could be traitors.

In 1979, Blunt's treachery was exposed publicly. In exchange for information, he had been allowed to escape disgrace, to receive a knighthood and to serve as the queen's art adviser for years.

Philby's death was front-page news in Britain today. The Times and other papers referred to him as "Traitor Philby."

There was no immediate comment from Prime Minister **Margaret Thatcher's** government. But legislator **Ted Leadbitter** of the socialist opposition Labor Party said Philby's death "brings an end, I hope, to the unhappiest period of betrayal of this century."

Philby told **Phillip Knightley** of The Times of London in January, in his first and only press interview with a Western reporter, that he had no regrets, except for personal friends he lost.

Asked "Would you do it all again?" Philby replied: "Absolutely."

He said he had found peace, that he was happy in his fourth marriage, to a Russian woman, and felt Moscow to be his home.

Harold Adrian Russell Philby was born on New Year's Day 1912 in India, where his father was a colonial official, and was nicknamed Kim after the boy spy hero of a **Rudyard Kipling** story.

His father was **Harry St. John Bridger Philby**, an eccentric explorer of Arabia who converted to Islam and settled in Beirut, the Lebanese capital.

Later Philby would write that he never felt patriotism toward any country.

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NEW YORK (AP) — A **Vincent van Gogh painting** sold for $13.75 million, the fourth highest price paid at an auction, but the sale disappointed a standing-room-only crowd after a string of record prices for the artist's paintings.

"Portrait of Adeline Ravoux," which van Gogh finished shortly before his suicide, sold at Christie's auction house Wednesday night to an anonymous buyer who bid by telephone.

Christie's had estimated van Gogh's 1890 portrait of his innkeeper's 13-year-old daughter would bring $15 million, and the reaction of the audience was subdued in contrast to the applause that usually greets a record price.

However, auctioneer **Christopher Burge** insisted afterward that Christie's was not disappointed. "It's a wonderful price for a beautiful picture," he said.

Daniel Varenne, an art dealer from Geneva, Switzerland, said he was "a little surprised" that the painting fetched only $13.75 million. But he added the portrait was "not an easy one to live with" and that may have affected the price.

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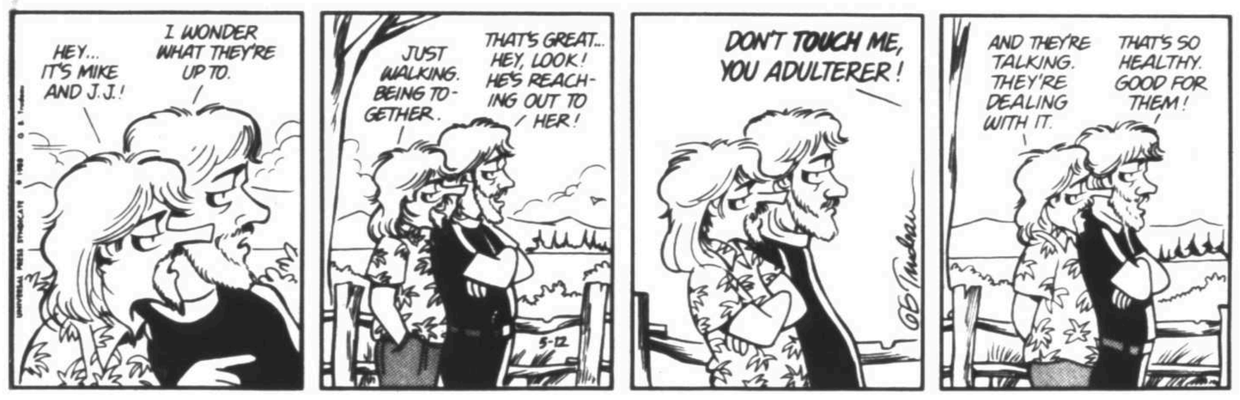

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4:30	"	zine	People's Court	DuckTales	Rifleman	Laverne	"	at Chicago	Sports	Read/Rainbow	"
5:00	Family Ties	Current Affair	News	Double Dare	Big Valley	Alice	Chispita	Cubs	SportsLook	Sesame Street	Inside Tennis
5:30	ABC News	CBS News	NBC News	B. Hillbillies	"	Carol Burnett	Noticiero	"	Sports Trivia	"	Inside Golf
6:00	News	News	Jeopardy!	Andy Griffith	Remington	Andy Griffith	Rosa Salvaje	Cheers	SportsCenter	World Beat	Fishing
6:30	Wheel-Fortune	M*A*S*H	Lose or Draw	Benson	Steele	Sanford & Son	"	Barney Miller	Stanley Cup	MacNeil/	Pennant
7:00	Movie: "Un-	48 Hours	Cosby Show	Hawaii Five-0	Crazy Like a	Movie: "The	Quinceanera	Movie:	Playoff: Wales	Lehrer	Norm Hitzges
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9:00	ABC News	Knots Landing	L.A. Law	"	"	NBA Basket-	Noticiero	News	"	Upstairs,	at Texas Ran-
9:30	"	"	"	"	Sign-Off	ball: Confer-	America	INN News	SpeedWeek	Downstairs	gers
10:00	News	News	News	Bob Newhart	Remington	ence Semi-	Movie: "La	Twilight Zone	Brickyard	Comrades	"
10:30	Ent. Tonight	WKRP	Best of Car-	Soap	Steele	final Game	Hija del En-	Magnum, P.I.	SportsCenter	"	Major League
11:00	Nightline	Night Heat	son	Mannix	Paper Chase	"	gano"	"	Auto Racing:	Breakthrough	Baseball: Balti-
11:30	Love Connec.	"	David Letter-	"	"	Movie: "Tar-	"	Movie: "Ser-	Off-Road	at Reykjavik	more Orioles
12:00	News	Movie: "The	man	Mission Im-	Burns/Allen	zan, the Ape	Que Paso con	geant York"	Fishin' Hole	Sign-Off	at Texas Ran-
12:30	Headline News	Cartier Affair"	News	possible	Groucho	Man"	Jacqueline	"	"		gers

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4:00	Movie: "Star-	Mrs. Muir"	Matt & Jenny	"	Jedi	"	Dance Party	Monkees	Lovelaw	of the Secret	Praise the
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7:00	"	Movie: "Mona	Walt Disney	tergeist II"	Like A Man"	Nashville Now	Riptide	Make Room	My Family	Computer	Behind Scenes
7:30	Celebrity	Lisa"	Presents	"	"	"	"	Mister Ed	Mohicans	TV History	Dale Evans
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10:30	Demon Lover"	Movie: "Av-	"	Movie: "Deliv-	"Wimps"	Magazine	"	Susie	Comedy Break	Miller	Lord
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11:30	Movie: "Rebel	"	Companion	"	Movie: "O.C.	"	Edge of Night	Mister Ed	Mohicans	45 Fortune	Lord
12:00	Love"	"	With G. Keillor	"	and Stiggs"	"	Edge of Night	Donna Reed	Von Karajan	Veterans Only	Behind Scenes
12:30	"	"	Maricela	The Big Chill	"	Arizona Kid	Search Tom.	Laugh-In	Conducts	Pers. Success	Hawaiians

DAILY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Edited by Trude Michel Jaffe

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40 "A rose — rose..."
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52 — ground (secure)
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59 Water, in Juarez
61 Soft ground
62 Listen
63 Retreat
66 One of the Aleutians
67 A planet
68 Nora Charles' dog
69 Hardy lass
70 Abstinence
71 Conference: Abbr.

DOWN
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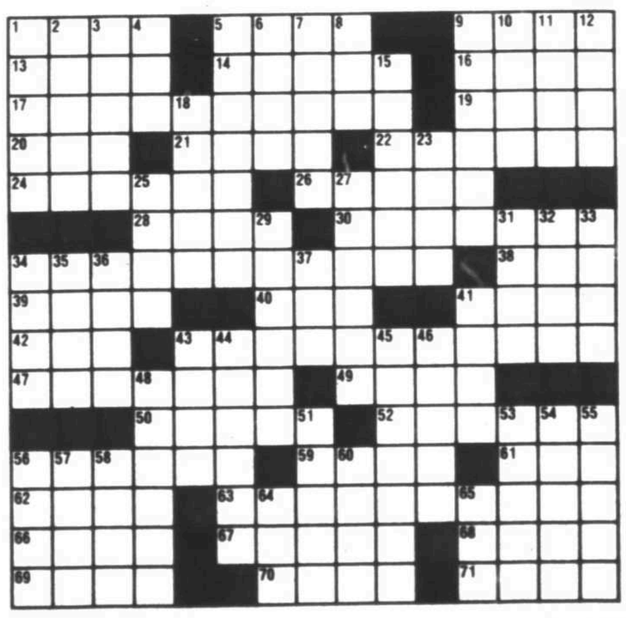

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STATE IN BRIEF

Death row inmate bitter about reprieve

HUNTSVILLE, Texas (AP) — A death row inmate who sought execution but got a reprieve blames capital punishment opponents for interfering with his wishes.

"This was a decision I had made. It was the last act of freedom I could make," James Edward Smith said Wednesday. "It's frightening, to tell you the truth."

Smith, bitter at a reprieve handed down less than six hours before his scheduled execution early Wednesday, said death penalty opponents convinced his mother to pursue an appeal to the U.S. Supreme Court, contending her son was not mentally competent. The justices then granted the reprieve.

"This woman doesn't know me," Smith said of his mother, Alexzene Hamilton of Indianapolis. "She may understand some child who was under her care, but she doesn't understand this mature adult male."

Smith, 37, was sentenced to die for the 1983 robbery-slaying of Larry Rohus, manager of a Houston insurance office. Smith previously insisted he was innocent, but in an interview Wednesday detailed that murder and what he said were at least six other slayings, including the mutilation deaths of three people in South Carolina.

Ruling to be appealed

BROWNSVILLE, Texas (AP) — The Texas Department of Agriculture will appeal a federal judge's ruling that blocks efforts to keep fresh Florida citrus out of the Lone Star State, an official said.

U.S. District Judge Filemon Vela ruled Wednesday that the U.S. Department of Agriculture did nothing wrong when it lifted a 3½-year ban on shipments of the Florida fruit to other citrus-producing areas.

"We told the attorney general today that we'd like him to start putting the paperwork together" for an appeal, said TDA spokesman Max Woodfin.

The Florida fruit was quarantined after an outbreak of citrus canker in parts of Florida in August 1984.

The USDA on Feb. 11 lifted the ban on shipments of fresh Florida citrus into Texas and other citrus-producing areas.

Teens want suit dropped

SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP) — Four teen-agers sued for slander after they said they saw a teacher having sex with another youth want the civil action dropped, claiming the teacher is avoiding questions, attorneys say.

The four teen-agers have said that twice in mid-December they saw Lou Ann Hogan having sex with 17-year-old Chad Cadenhead, who committed suicide in late January.

Mrs. Hogan, 24, then an English teacher at Clark High School, was suspended, fired and then sued the four teen-agers, seeking $100,000 from each on claims of slander and libel.

But Ms. Hogan has failed to appear for two depositions and the teen-agers' attorneys filed motions Tuesday, seeking a dismissal.

Council to pay $1 million

DALLAS (AP) — The Dallas City Council has agreed to pay nearly $1 million to the family of a woman who died in a 1985 car accident caused by a pothole.

The $969,000 settlement with the family of A. Glennie Mayer, approved by a 5-2 vote Wednesday, is believed to be the largest personal-injury settlement in city history.

In a suit filed in a state district court in Rockwall County, Mayer's family had sought $2.4 million from the city of Dallas for failing to fill the pothole, which was about 8 inches deep and 3 feet across.

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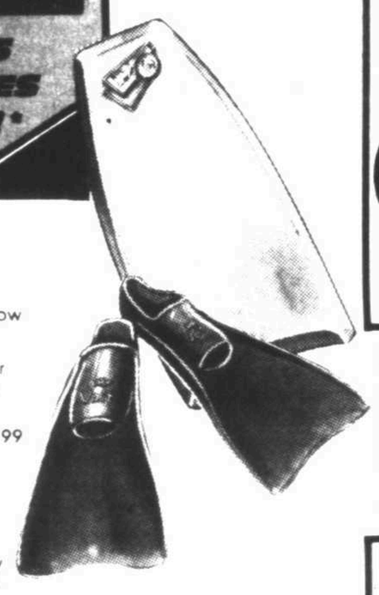

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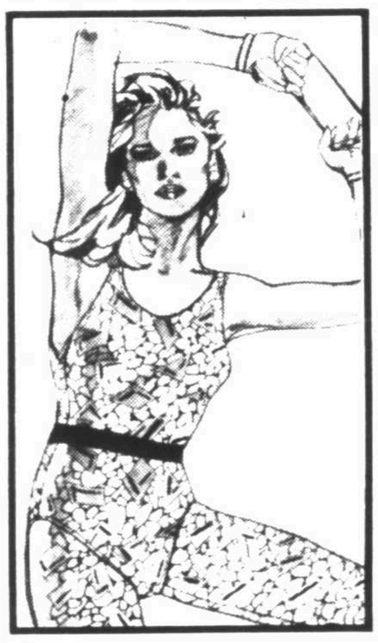

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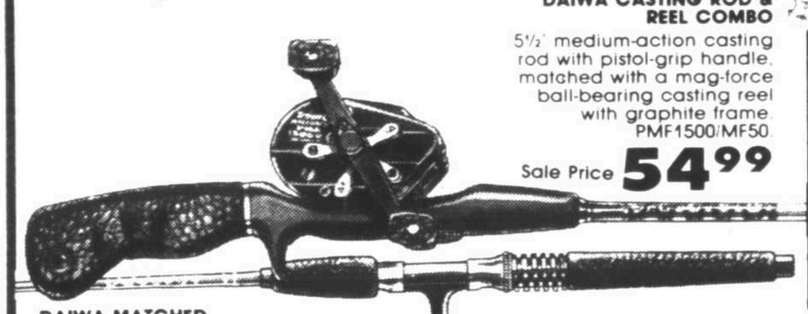

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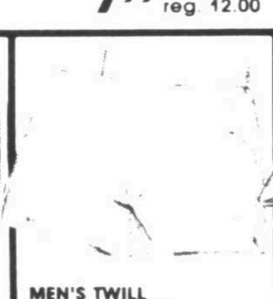

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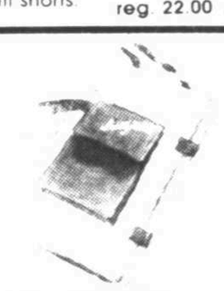

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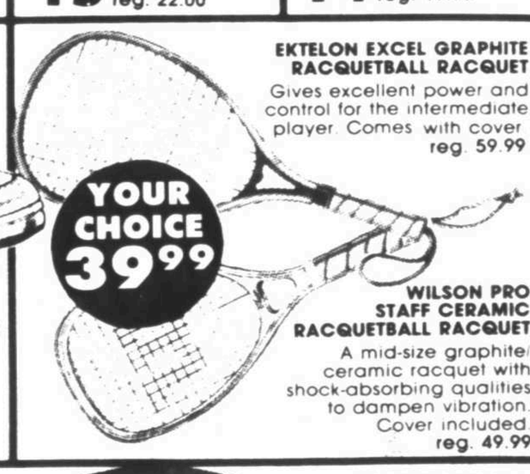

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'Broadened horizons' pays off in McCamey coaching post

(This is one of a series of personality features on new football coach at Permian Basin Area high schools).

By BILL GRIMES
Sports Writer

McCAMEY — It's not often that a junior high football coach ascends to the head varsity job without an intermediate step or two. But new McCamey mentor Danny Wilhelm isn't your typical junior high coach.

Wilhelm came to McCamey in 1986 after 10 years as a head coach in Lindsay, Grandfalls and Sands with a lifetime record of 60-41-2. He was named head Badger coach when Buster Leaf took the head football position at Levelland on the heels of leading the Badgers into the area playoffs.

The 1972 Sul Ross State graduate moved to McCamey to broaden his horizons.

"I wanted to work in a different system," he said. "I wanted to get on a close-knit staff with an entirely new system, and I think I accomplished that."

As a result of Leaf's success, Wilhelm won't make random changes in the Badger offensive and defensive schemes.

"It's kind of like the old saying goes, 'if it's not broke, don't fix it," he said. "McCamey had mainly been known for playing good solid defense.

"Hopefully, we will continue the tradition of having a great defensive team."

Linemen Anastacio Dominguez and Will Kennedy should be key cogs in the Badgers' five-man defensive front. On offense, Wilhelm will install a multiple-formation I.

"I like for my team to play hard-nosed, aggressive football," Wilhelm said. "Defensively, we like to go to the ball as well as we can and take advantage of our quickness."

Wilhelm is looking forward to his first coaching assignment at a Class 2A high school.

"The main difference between here and the Class A schools will be turnout," he said. "Two-thirds of the boys in our high school will go out for football - about 65 or 70 kids."

Wilhelm enjoys the human relations aspect of his job.

"I mainly enjoy dealing with kids on a day-to-day basis and motivating them on Friday nights.

"I just go on my own gut feelings," he said. "I feel like I'm real truthful and honest with them, and help them reach the potential that each one has."

Wilhelm developed his love for sport during his high school days at Buena Vista. He was an all-West Texas guard, but didn't play in college because "there wasn't too much demand for 140-pound linemen in college."

But he retained an interest in sports fueled by his own love for competition.

"Coaching is just another way to stay involved and compete," he said.

Wilhelm said the positive attitude of McCamey citizens also helps fuel his competitive spirit.

"The community support is great," he said. "We have an outstanding booster club that really gets involved and does a lot of fund-raising activities for the teams."

(Saturday: Crane Coach Johnny Burleson)

Celtics soar on Bird's record 24

Associated Press

Larry Bird, as usual, had the Boston Celtics soaring in the NBA playoffs.

Bird set a Boston playoff record with 24 points in the first quarter and the Celtics held off a late rally by the Atlanta Hawks for a 110-101 victory in the opener of their second-round playoff series Wednesday night.

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Bird led all scorers with 38 points and broke Dave Cowens' 14-year-old team record of 20 points in one quarter of a playoff game. He outscored the entire Atlanta team in the first period, which ended with Boston ahead 38-23. At one point, he had 12 consecutive Celtics points to turn a 12-6 lead into a 24-12 advantage.

Atlanta lost its 13th consecutive game in Boston Garden, where the second game of the best-of-seven Eastern Conference semifinal is scheduled for Friday night.

The Hawks were led by Dominique Wilkins with 25 points, including 15 in the fourth quarter when they closed a 17-point deficit to 106-99 with 53 seconds left. But they came no closer.

FOR THE Dallas Mavericks and Chicago Bulls, Tuesday night was excuse night and the real NBA conference semifinals start Thursday.

The Bulls lost to Detroit 93-82 at the Pontiac Silverdome Tuesday night and cried, "fatigue." Denver Coach Doug Moe, meanwhile, made the excuses for the Mavericks after his Nuggets won 126-115 in the opener of their Western Conference semifinal.

"Dallas came in here pretty high after winning two games in Houston," Moe said. "It seemed like that gave them the sense of 'Boy, we're good, we can come into Denver and win easily.'

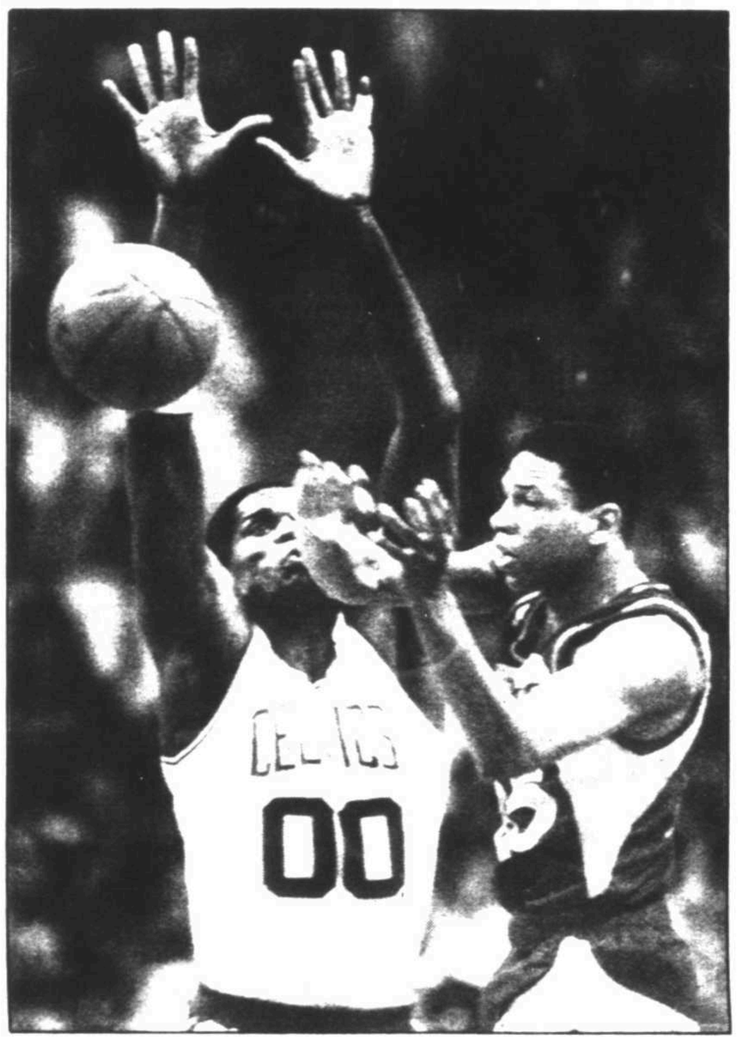
"The series starts Thursday. The second game is always the one the visiting team has the best shot at winning. I think they'll settle down now and play a completely different game on Thursday."

In fact, both Moe and Chicago Coach Doug Collins could point to an example — Utah's 101-97 win over the defending champion Los Angeles Lakers at the Forum Tuesday night, the first home playoff loss in 13 games for the Lakers. "The best win in franchise history," said Jazz Coach Frank Layden as his team evened the series at 1-1 following a 19-point Los Angeles win that wasn't that close.

UTAH, meanwhile, proved all those points as it seized the home-court advantage in its series with the Lakers, which resumes Friday night at the Salt Palace.

The win was only the third in 34 games at the Forum for the Jazz.

Utah led nearly all the way, but had to survive four successful 3-point shots by the Lakers in the final 1:10 — two each by Byron Scott and Michael Cooper.



AP Laserphoto

Atlanta's Glenn Rivers, faced with the arms of Boston's Robert Parish, passes off to a teammate as Celtics took a 1-0 lead in the NBA playoff series at Boston Garden.

MC women seek 5th NJCAA title

From Staff Reports

For the 14th consecutive year, Midland College women's tennis team, in quest of its fifth title, will play in the national tournament May 16-20 at San Jacinto JC in Pasadena, Texas. MC is among the NJCAA favorites after winning the Region V title by taking five of six singles and two of three doubles titles.

Joining MC as regional runners-up will be Odessa College, which upset Midland for the conference title.

"I think tradition had something to do with our good showing at the regional tournament," said MC coach Joe Williams. "Our players come from different places, different countries, and they didn't realize for quite a while what it meant to be playing at Midland."

Midland College began competing in intercollegiate athletics in the 1974-75, and won a national women's title that year. Three of the original four players returned as the Chaps repeated in 1976. The team's third national title came in 1981 and the fourth in 1986.

MC women also have earned three runner-up trophies, two third places, a fourth, and three fifths.

"We are pretty strong from top to bottom this year in our singles, but we didn't do very well in doubles until the regional tournament," Williams said. "Since nothing else was working, I made some changes and the players responded with some great wins at regional."

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4-5A athletes grab for Gold at state

By TERRY WILLIAMSON
Assistant Sports Editor

AUSTIN — Three of the five qualifiers from District 4-5A in the state track meet here Friday and Saturday at the University of Texas' Memorial Stadium will be panning for some rare West Texas gold, but as usual, gold is hard to come by on state turf.

Midland Lee senior Jimmy Fennell will have his first opportunity to strike state gold in the 110-meter high hurdles Saturday night while junior teammate Marcus Strambler will follow with a try in the 300 intermediate hurdles. Midland High junior Tracy Parker will compete in the shot put at noon Saturday.

Fennell and Strambler are both state ranked and the youngster Strambler appears to have the best overall shot at gold. Strambler is ranked second in the state with his 37.29 and has his eyes cast on Aldine Eisenhower's Jimmie Glover, who has a 36.90 this year.

However, Strambler's best time was posted two weeks ago in the Region I meet, making him the hottest product in the event coming into the meet. Strambler can also expect a major challenge from Houston Jones' Brent Collier, who has a 37.30 this season.

FENNELL is ranked ninth in the state, but has several 5A ranked hurdlers in the way. Due to injury this year, however, many expect Fennell to make a strong bid for the title since he is just now coming into his own. Fennell owns a 13.78 while Beaumont Central's Zack Chatman leads the pack with a 13.47. Dallas Samuel's Cory Dickerson had a 13.46 last year, but has also suffered injury problems this year.

"You can't afford a mistake of any kind in the hurdles, so if both Fennell and Strambler run a great race, they could be there at the end," said Lee track coach Eddie Wolski. "But this is nothing new. You always need a near perfect race in Austin to win."

Lee assistant coach Larry Tate has coached both of the Lee hurdlers this year.

Parker is unranked, but she is coming off a season best and Region I record toss of 40-9¾. Jenny Heisler of Alief Elsik has a 43-2½ and it is unknown if the junior Parker can improve that much in just two weeks. Parker does have the second best qualifying throw behind Temple's Linda Wilson, who had a 41-10.

"Tracy has unlimited potential in the shot put," said Midland High coach Bernie Hagins who has taken Parker under his wing for the last month.

"Bernie has done a great job with Tracy and the proof is that she is a state qualifier," said MHS girls coach Sonja Pittman.

OTHER 4-5A qualifiers include Odessa High's Kasandra McDaniel in the 100 and 200 and Abilene Cooper's Tammy Scott in the high jump.

McDaniel's 11.50 is the second best time in the state in the 100 and she will be shooting at Temple's Stephanie Fields (11.46). In the 200, McDaniel rankes fifth overall with a 24.30 while Austin Anderson's Stacey Clark has a state best 23.89. Scott, at 5-4, ranks seventh out of eight in the field.

Several area athletes will also be shooting for gold this weekend and Andrews' Joe Don Finley is one of the 4A favorites in Friday morning's discus. Finley has a 181-9 this year and rankes eighth overall in all classifications. He had the best state qualifying effort by over seven feet with a 175-1.

Andrews' shot putter Kathleen Johnson, who has a 40-5½ qualifying effort, also has an excellent shot at 4A gold at 2 p.m. Friday. Only San Antonio Southwest's JoAnn Hackler (42-0) appears to be better.

Greenwood's Cheryl Martin, second last year in the state 3A 100 hurdles, is back for a last shot at gold Friday night, and she is coming in with a 14.95, which is second best among qualifiers. Lampasas' Chelsa Lancaster, who beat Martin in the Region I field, has the best time of 14.65.

Greenwood's Randy Donnell will compete in the high jump at 9 a.m. Friday. He qualified with a 6-6 and 6-8 could produce gold in this event.

In Class 2A competition, Rankin's Bruce Hooker will be facing a strong pole vault field at 9 a.m. Friday. He qualified with a 14-6 and was still second in Region I action. He is the third best 2A qualifier.

Rankin also has a 1600 relay team with Junior Helmers, Doug Braden, James Watson and George Abalos, but the second place qualifying time of 3:22.74 is still the third best qualifying time for Saturday morning's medal hunt.

Stanton's Kody Newman, also running Saturday morning, is back in the 100, but she will also need to lower her qualifying time of 12.63. She is coming in as the fifth best qualifier.

McCamey's Roman Zarate will end the area 2A hopes in the 300 hurdles Saturday. His qualifying time of 38.24 made him a Region I champion. He is the third best state qualifier.

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TV Sports....

(Subject to Change)
BASEBALL- Padres-Cubs, 3 p.m., WGN.
NHL- Stanley Cup Playoff, Devils-Bruins, 6:30 p.m., ESPN.
NBA- Playoff, TBA, 9:05 p.m., TBS.

Sports Today...

BASEBALL— Midland Angels at Arkansas Travelers, Texas League, 7:15 p.m., KCRS-radio.

Trivia Teaser...

Thursday's Question- What stadium became the site of the U.S. Tennis Open for the first time in 1978?
Wednesday's Answer— The University of Miami, Ohio, is located at Oxford. The University of Miami, Fla., is located at Coral Gables.

Quotebook....

Fact?:
"Amarillo is the only place where they play country music on July 4."

Texas League....

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Tulsa	17	13	.567	2½
Jackson	14	18	.438	6½
Arkansas	10	21	.323	10
WESTERN DIVISION				
El Paso	19	14	.576	—
San Antoni	18	15	.545	1
Midland	16	17	.485	3
Wichita	14	19	.424	5

Wednesday's Games
Jackson 4, El Paso 1
Midland 6, Arkansas 2
Shreveport 10, Wichita 8
Tulsa 5, San Antonio 0
Thursday's Games
El Paso at Jackson
Midland at Arkansas

Did You Know?....

The first major tennis tournament played in the United States was at Newport, R.I., in 1881. Richard Sears won the men's title.

Ed Reulbach of the Chicago Cubs shut out the Brooklyn Dodgers in both halves of a double-header in 1908 and set a big league record.

Mario Andretti scorches Indy

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — The speed war escalated Wednesday as Mario Andretti surpassed the sizzling lap turned 24 hours earlier by Rick Mears at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway, hitting a searing 221.565 mph in practice for the May 29 Indy 500.

Andretti was upset Tuesday after Speedway officials apparently missed his final fast lap, one which his team insisted was faster than the 220.048 that Mears had posted earlier in the day.

The battle continued Wednesday on the 2½-mile oval, with Andretti pushing his Lola-Chevrolet to 218.499 in the heat of the afternoon, while Mears got his Penske-Chevrolet up to 217.864.

When the track began to cool in the final hour of practice, the time known at the Speedway as "Happy Hour," Andretti did consecutive laps of 219.191, 219.887 and, finally, the fastest trip ever run around the historic track.

Mears tried to meet the challenge, jumping into his car in the final 15 minutes of the practice session and getting up to 220.967 before time ran out.

"It's phenomenal, really," said Andretti, the 1969 Indy winner.

As for the competition with Mears for the unofficial track mark — actual track records are set only in qualifications and in the race — Andretti said, "We're both enjoying it very much. Both teams are enjoying it while we can do it. These things usually don't last very long."

Andretti called 220 a plateau and said, "Any plateau is new and unknown. You find you've got to drive the car differently. On those three laps I made a few adjustments because everything was happening so much faster. I tried to maximize the situation, but you're learning every lap because it's so different."

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Mario Andretti
...posts record lap

Mears said that on his final fast lap he caught teammate Danny Sullivan in turn three and eased off the accelerator just a bit.

"I thought I was going to run out of track. When I saw him up ahead, I sort of conceded the lap. I didn't get out of (the accelerator), really, but the closing rate is really unbelieveable on the back straightaway.

"If I hadn't lifted, it would have been enough ... for a 221.

Dogs trail 3-1 as play resumes

By JIMMY PATTERSON
Sports Writer

PLAINVIEW — When the University Interscholastic League and Mother Nature join together, they oftentimes can create a storm of controversy. Unfortunately, for Midland High, such is the case again.

Tuesday night in Plainview, the two teams began play in game one of a best-of-three bi-district playoff series. The skies had appeared threatening throughout the entire afternoon, and when 7:30 arrived, a steady drizzle increased to a steady downpour forcing the delay and subsequent postponement.

The game was officially called after an inning and a half with Plainview leading 3-1.

MHS head coach Tim Whalen and Plainview boss Fred Oliver tried for over an hour to move the game to Lubbock's Lowery Field, the site of the Abilene Cooper-Lubbock Monterey playoff which began at 6 p.m. A rain delay during that game, though, made moving the MHS-PHS game impossible. Whalen and Oliver finally agreed to postpone the game until Wednesday night, when they would start the game over from scratch. Or so they thought.

It was not until Wednesday morning arrived that the two coaches read the UIL Constitution Rules. Article 25-2-6 states that, "In games played beyond the district level (all playoff games) a suspended game, once begun, shall continue from the point of suspension at a later time."

IN OTHER words, bad news for the Bulldogs of Midland High. Good news for Plainview's 'Dogs. The game would be rejoined in the bottom of the second with Plainview holding its 3-1 lead.

Due to adverse weather forecasts and a soggy field Wednesday, the game was eventually reset for 7:30 tonight in Plainview.

That Plainview led 3-1 after 1⅓ innings was due not to a bad pitching performance by Midland High starter Eric Boyt, but because of the constant rainfall. A wet baseball disallowed Boyt from successfully putting a grip on his split-fingered fastball and mud built up on the pitcher's mound caked up on the bottom of Boyt's shoes, rendering his follow through and delivery unpredictable.

Through 41 innings of district pitching prior to Tuesday's game, Boyt had compiled a 0.51 earned run average. But because of the two earned run's he allowed in the wet game, he will enter the second inning of tonight's game with an updated, yet downgraded 0.83 ERA.

Boyt has been spectacular on the mound all year, but Tuesday night, because of the weather, it all came tumbling down. Before Boyt recorded the necessary three outs, he had allowed two hits, a walk, a hit batsman and the two earned runs.

HAVING TO pick up the game where it was suspended does not sit well with Whalen, who said he didn't understand why teams were forced to, "play by one set of rules during the regular season and another set during the playoffs.

"I don't like it," Whalen said. "I don't know of any coach who does like it. But the ones who make the rules have all the strokes."

One of those rulemakers is UIL athletic director Dr. Bill Farney, who does not view it as unfair.

Farney said the purpose of the rule is that during a playoff situation, teams involved should all be entitled to participate under the same set of circumstances.

"Every athlete is subject to that (having to perform under adverse situations)," Farney said. "And players and coaches have to understand that."

Farney added he believed that anyone who in the future who would have cause to study Boyt's statistics, such as college scouts, would not place much weight on his two earned runs in one inning Tuesday. "They're going to look at the overall picture," he said.

"(The rule) might work to the detriment of a player," Farney added. "I feel like the equity or inequity of it should apply to everybody depending on the conditions."

Stallings guest speaker at Greenwood banquet

From Staff Reports

Greenwood High School will hold its All-Sports banquet 7 p.m. May 21 at the Holiday Inn Convention Center in Midland and Gene Stallings, football coach of the NFL Phoenix Cardinals, will be the guest speaker.

Tickets are $7.50, including meal, and can be purchased through May 17 at the Greenwood High School administration office.

Stallings has been head coach of the St. Louis Cardinals for the past two years. The team will play for the first time this season in Phoenix.

Stallings was formerly defensive backfield coach of the Dallas Cowboys for 13 years.

While with the Cowboys, Stallings worked with free agents and low-round draft choices. Still, he had an effective secondary at Dallas. During his last four years, the Cowboys intercepted 106 passes, more than any other NFL team over that period.

Stallings was an All-Southwest Conference receiver at Texas A&M under Paul "Bear" Bryant and a tri-captain on Bryant's undefeated 1956 Aggie team.

He served one year as a student assistant coach at A&M before moving with Bryant to Alabama. He remained ther until returning to A&M as head coach in 1965.

A&M placed Stallings in its Hall of Fame in 1982 and he also received a national Boys Club Alumni of the Year award that same year. He was Dallas' Father of the Year in 1983.

Halos continue red hot with 6-2 win

From Staff Reports

LITTLE ROCK— Midland's Angels continued on a roll with a 6-2 victory over Arkansas' Travelers in Texas League action Wednesday night as Jim McCollum supplied the fireworks at the plate, including the game-winning rbi.

Todd Eggerston, 2-4, pitched six innings of eight-hit ball and picked up the win.

Midland leads the five-game series with the St. Louis farmhands, 3-0, going into tonight's game in which the Angels will send Chris Collins against Scott Arnold. Arnold, a former major leaguer, has just recently arrived from the AAA Louisville club.

Midland has won six of its last seven while Arkansas is wallowing in a five-game losing streak.

Jeff Manto singled home a run in the second and Arkansas tied it with an unearned run on Brett Harrison's single in the home second.

Midland struck against Ken Hill, making his first start for the Travelers, for three third-inning runs that nailed it down. L.C. Penigar singled and rode home on McCollum's double. Lee Stevens then tripled and Jesus Alfaro knocked in the third run with a single.

The Angels scored in the seventh, Penigar tripled and scored on an error.

Alfaro's double and Mike Napp sacrifice fly produced the run in the eighth.

Alfaro is 6-for-9 in the last two games and has knocked in three r... McCollumn had three hits in W...nesday's win.

KYLE HARTSHORN pitched a three-hitter to lift Jackson to a 4-1 victory over El Paso while Shreveport beat Wichita 10-8, and Tulsa shut out San Antonio 5-0.

Midland	ab	r	h	bi	Arkansas	ab	r	h	bi
Penigar cf	5	2	2	0	Baine lf	5	0	0	0
Gerber ss	5	0	1	0	Mendez 1b	5	1	3	0
McCollum dh	5	1	3	1	Lockwood 3b	5	0	4	1
Stevens lf	4	1	1	1	Zelle c	5	0	0	0
Alfredson rf	3	2	1	1	Hocutt dh	3	1	1	0
Alfaro 1b	4	0	2	1	Robinson cf	4	0	2	0
Manto 3b	2	0	1	1	Puvey c	3	0	1	0
Napp c	3	0	0	1	Harrison 2b	4	0	1	1
Geivett ss	4	0	0	0	Fregosi ss	4	0	0	0
Totals	35	6	11	5	Totals	38	2	12	2

Midland	013	000	110— 6 11 1
Arkansas	010	000	001— 2 12 1

GWRBI: McCollum E— Alfaro, Puvey. Left: Midland 6, Arkansas 1. DP—Midland 1, Arkansas 1. 2b—McCollum, Hocutt, Alfredson, Mendez, Lockwood. 3b— Stevens, Penigar. SF— Napp. SB— Robinson.

Midland	ip	hi	r-er	bb	so
Eggerston W 2-4	6.02	8	1- 0	2	0
Alices Save 1		3.0	4	1- 1	0	2
Arkansas	ip	hi	r-er	bb	so
Hill L 0-1	3.0	7	4- 4	1	3
Maleva	4.2	3	2- 1	2	2
Hilton	1.1	1	0- 0	0	2

Balk- Hill 2. T— 2:45. Att— 2,166.

Scott is clean

HOUSTON (AP) — National League President Bart Giamatti has found nothing illegal with a small piece of tape taken from Houston pitcher Mike Scott's right hand last week, the Astros say.

A small piece of tape was removed from Scott's pitching hand during Friday night's game against Montreal following a complaint by Expos manager Buck Rodgers.

Umpire John Kibler sent the tape, which measured one-quarter-inch square, to Giamatti, who told the Astros on Tuesday, "There is no case in the matter."

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(Continued from Page 1C)

The Chaps are led by freshman Raquel Colvin, 23-5, from Abilene Cooper, the WJCAC and Region V champion at No. 1 singles. Her only one loss was to a junior college player.

Rebecca Nevarez-Ayon, a sophomore letter winner from Durango, Mexico, is 17-5 and regional runnerup at the No. 2 singles.

Caroline Bhaguandas, sophomore from London, Eng., won the conference and regional titles at No. 3 with a 17-3 record.

Sara Hancock, sophomore from Chigwell, Eng., won WJCAC and regional titles with a a sparkling 22-2 record at No. 4.

Gabi Csorba, freshman from Frankfurt, W.Germany, joined the team at mid-term and is 9-2 at No. 5.

Sophomore Jill Vallandigham, regional champion from Coca Beach, Fla., is 14-8 at No. 6.

Bhaguandas-Hancock are 6-7 at No. 1 doubles.

Colvin-Vallandigham are No. 2 and have been battlers. They defeated Jonsson-Thyberg of Cooke County, 6-4 6-7 6-3, in the semifinals and knocked off Odessa's Martin-Lupien tandem, 6-3 6-7 (10-8) 6-4, to win the regional. Nevarez-Ayon and Csorba, No. 3, won the regional title with a 6-1 6-3 victory over Westfall-Hohn of Odessa.

"With four sophomore letter winners back and the strong play of Colvin and Csorba, we have a pretty good chance to take the title. If they play with the intensity they had at regionals, we'll be in contention," Williams declared.

The men's team will depart next Thursday for Pasadena, so Williams can supervise their practice sessions in preparation for the men's NJCAA tournament May 23-27 in Tyler.

Henson's contract

CHAMPAIGN, Ill. (AP) — The University of Illinois has extended the contract of Lou Henson for two years, saying the 14-year Illini basketball coach has provided solid leadership on and off the court.

KISS AND TELL

Cosell 'liked his liqour'?

By RICK WARNER

NEW YORK (AP) — Sportscaster Howard Cosell drank "before, during and after telecasts" and once threw up on Don Meredith's cowboy boots during "Monday Night Football" after too much vodka, according to a new book by a former ABC executive.

In "Up Close & Personal: The Inside Story of Network Television Sports," Jim Spence also calls Cosell "one of the unhappiest human beings on this planet" and said former ABC Sports chief Roone Arledge was dishonest.

Spence, who worked at ABC for 26 years, was senior vice president of ABC Sports from 1978 until he left the network in 1986. He is now president of Sports Television International, a production and marketing company.

Spence devotes the first chapter to Cosell, whom he describes as an insecure, overbearing man who became impossible to work with late in his career.

"He had made millions of dollars, traveled the world, been applauded and honored time and time again. Yet, today, I think he is one of the unhappiest human beings on this planet," he wrote.

Cosell, 70, could not be reached Wednesday.

Arledge, now group president of ABC News and Sports, did not return phone calls to his office.

Spence said that during a Monday Night Football telecast from Philadelphia in 1970, Cosell "got so drunk he couldn't pronounce the name of the city he was in without slurring."

Cosell left the booth after throwing up on Meredith, one of his broadcasting partners. At Arledge's request, Spence said, ABC publicist Irv Brodsky told reporters that Cosell became ill after one drink because he had a "reaction" to medication he was taking for influenza.

Spence said Cosell "again got out of control" during ABC's telecast of the 1984 American League playoffs when he kept kept interrupting colleague Al Michaels.

The next day, Spence got a call from Michaels' agent, Barry Frank. "Al had told him that Cosell was drinking heavily and was impossibly argumentative, and that Al could no longer tolerate it," Spence said.

Cosell's relationship with Michaels and other ABC sportscasters reached a low point after he criticized them in a 1985 book, "I Never Played The Game."

"We were all sick and tired of his bad-mouthing of everybody and everything," Spence wrote.

Cosell left the network in 1985. In January, he started a nationally syndicated television show that recently was canceled.

Although he calls Arledge "the most significant figure in the history of television sports in America," Spence says Arledge's "human qualities ... do not match his professional achievements."

"His system was to pit one executive against another, one production person against another, one announcer against another," he wrote. "That way, no individual within the organization could achieve a level of success or prominence beyond that ordained by Roone Arledge."

In 1977, Spence said, ABC president Fred Pierce asked him whether Arledge was an honest man. Spence said he paused several seconds before answering.

"Finally, I did what I believe in my heart I have always tried to do — I told the truth: 'No.' "

"And Fred Pierce said, 'That's what I thought.' "

Lendl, Agassi advance in Italian Open

ROME (AP) — Ivan Lendl, Mats Wilander and Andre Agassi were extended to three sets before posting second-round victories Wednesday in the Italian Open tennis championships.

The top-seeded Lendl overcame Milan Srejber of Czechoslovakia 6-1, 5-7, 6-1 on the slow red clay of the Foro Italico.

Wilander, the No. 2 seed, took nearly 2½ hours to beat Carl-Uwe Steeb of West Germany 6-4, 4-6, 6-3 in his second hard-fought match in a row.

Agassi, the ninth-seeded American, continued his incredible run by battling back to beat Jan Gunnarsson of Sweden 3-6, 7-6 (7-5), 6-3.

Other seeds advancing to the third round of the $825,000 tournament included No. 4 Yannick Noah of France, No. 6 Andres Gomez of Ecuador, No. 14 Guillermo Perez-Roldan of Argentina, No. 5 Kent Carlsson of Sweden and No. 7 Anders Jarryd of Sweden.

Noah, ranked eighth in the world, struggled in the first set before defeating West Germany's Tore Meinecke, 7-6 (7-5), 6-1.

No. 16 Aaron Krickstein of the United States was eliminated by Ronald Agenor of Haiti. No. 15 Claudio Mezzadri of Switzerland retired in the second set of his match because of the flu.

The 18-year-old Agassi, the hottest player on the tour with four tournament victories in the past six months, made a dramatic comeback to win his 13th straight match.

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CINCINNATI	ab	r	h	bi
Larkin ss	5	0	3	1
Collins lf	5	0	1	1
Sabo 3b	5	0	1	0
EDavis cf	5	0	0	0
BDiaz c	4	1	2	1
Cncpcn 2b	4	0	1	0
Rijo p	0	0	0	0
RMrphy p	0	0	0	0
ONeill 1b	1	0	0	0
McClnd 1b	5	0	1	0
Franco p	0	0	0	0
RRonck rf	5	1	0	0
Rasmsn p	3	1	2	0
Tredwy 2b	2	0	2	0
Totals	44	3	13	3

Cincinnati	000	300	
Philadelphia	100	000	

One out when winning run scored.
GWRBI — MYoung (1)
E—Collins. LOB—Cincinnati 6, Philadelphia 10. 2B—Sabo, Jeltz. HR—BDiaz (8), CJames (4). SB—Larkin (12), Collins (1). S—Jeltz.

Cincinnati	IP	H
Rasmusen	6	5
Rijo	2 2-3	1
RMurphy	1-3	0
Franco L,0-3	1 1-3	3

Philadelphia		
Rawley	7	10
Harris	2	1
Tekulve W,1-3	2	2

Rasmussen pitched to 3 batters in 7th.
BK—Rijo 2. T—3:10. A—21,

MONTREAL	ab	r	h	bi
Raines lf	5	1	1	0
Paredes 2b	1	1	0	0
Rivera ss	1	0	0	0
Brooks rf	5	0	2	2
Nettles 3b	2	0	0	0
Engle 3b	1	0	0	0
Galarrg 1b	4	0	1	0
Webster cf	3	0	1	0
Reed c	3	0	0	0
Foley ss	3	0	0	0
Heaton p	2	0	0	0
McGffgn p	0	0	0	0
Wnghm ph	1	0	0	0
Parrett p	0	0	0	0
WJhnsn ph	1	0	0	0
Burke p	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	2	5	2

Montreal	200
Atlanta	000

GWRBI — GPerry (2)
E—Thomas. DP—Montreal 1, Atlanta 4. 2B—Raines. SB—Parrett (2), Wynne (1). S—Heaton, Thomas.

Montreal	IP	H
Heaton L,0-2	5 2-3	
McGffgan	1-3	
Parrett	1	
Burke	1	

Atlanta		
Coffman W,2-2	6 2-3	
Puleo	0	
Aasenmchr	1 1-3	
Sutter S,3	1	

Puleo pitched to 1 batter in 7th.
HBP—Paredes by Coffman. WP—Aasenmacher. PB—Virgil. T—2:2

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National	at
Pittsburgh	

LOSANGELS	ab	r	h	bi
Sax 2b	5	0	0	0
MiDavis cf	5	0	3	0
Gibson lf	4	0	1	0
Guerrer 3b	2	0	1	0
Orosco p	0	0	0	0
Stubbs ph	1	0	0	0
JHowell p	0	0	0	0
Dempsy c	0	0	0	0
Marshl 1b	5	0	1	0
Heep rf	3	0	1	0
Deveres cf	2	0	0	0
Sciosca c	5	1	2	0
Andsen pr	0	0	0	0
APena p	0	0	0	0
Griffin ss	4	0	0	0
Valenzla p	3	0	1	1
Hamltn 3b	1	0	0	0
Totals	40	1	10	1

Two outs when winning run scored.

Los Angeles	000
Pittsburgh	000

GWRBI — Milligan (1)
2. Pittsburgh 2. LOB—Los Angeles 7, Pittsburgh 17. 2B— Milligan (2), Bass (7). SB—VanSlyke (6), Milligan (1). S—Hamilton, lyke, Walk, Griffin.

Los Angeles	IP
Valenzla	7
Orosco	2
JHowell	1
APena L,1-1	2-3

Pittsburgh	
Walk	8
JRobinson	2
Medvin W,1-0	1

Valenzuela pitched to 1 batter in 8th.
HBP—Guerrero by Walk. T—3:46. A—26,367.

SANDIEGO	ab	r	h	bi
RAlomr 2b	4	0	0	0
Tmpltn ss	4	0	1	0
Reedy 3b	4	0	1	0
Kruk 1b	4	0	1	0
Moreind lf	4	0	0	0
MaDavis p	0	0	0	0
Santiago c	3	0	0	0
Mack cf	3	0	0	0
Abner rf	3	0	0	0
McCllers p	0	0	0	0
Byers lf	0	0	0	0
Grant p	2	0	0	0
Wynne cf	1	0	0	0
Totals	32	0	3	0

San Diego	000
Chicago	000

One out when winning run scored.
GWRBI — Law (3). E—Kruk, Reed. DP—San Diego 2. LOB—San Diego 12, Chicago 12. 2B— Kruk, Reed, Sandberg. SB—Sandberg. S—Grant.

San Diego	IP	H
Grant	7 1-3	1
McCllers L,0-3	1 2-3	2
MaDavis	1-3	0

Chicago		
GMaddux W,6-2	10	3

McClellers pitched to 1 batter in 10th.
T—2:47. A—12,800.

NEWYORK	ab	r	h	bi
Dykstra cf	3	1	1	1
Wilson cf	3	1	2	0
Bckmn 2b	3	0	0	1
Teufel 2b	1	0	1	3
Hrndz 1b	2	1	0	1
Strwbry rf	5	1	2	2
Mazzilli lf	5	0	1	0
Leach p	0	0	0	0
Carter c	4	0	0	0
HJohn 3b	5	1	2	0
Elster ss	3	1	1	0
Sasser 3b	2	1	0	0
Gooden p	2	1	2	0
Carren ph	1	0	0	0
Myers p	0	0	0	0
McDwll p	0	0	0	0
McRylds lf	2	1	1	1
Totals	41	8	13	9

New York	000
Houston	200

GWRBI — McReynolds (1)
DP—New York 1, Houston 0. LOB—New York 7, Houston 6. 2B—Teufel. HR—Strawberry (12). SB—Bpitcher (12), Dykstra (23), Bass (7). S—Walk, HHernandez.

Scratchpad

NFL IN LONDON— San Francisco and Miami will clash in an exhibition July 31 at London's **Wembley Stadium** in the third straight **American Bowl** in **England**, one of three games to be played outside the U. S. this year. The **Bears** and the **Vikings** meet at Goteborg, Sweden Aug. 14 and the **Jets** meet the **Browns** in Montreal Aug. 18.

AKEEM HEADS DEFENSE— Akeem Olajuwon, only the third player in NBA history to finish in the top ten in both steals and blocked shots, heads the NBA's All-defensive team selected by the league's coaches. Olajuwon, who was fourth with 2.71 blocked shots a game and ninth with 2.05 steals, joined **Julius Erving** in 1980 and 1984 **Elvin Hayes** in 1975 as the only other players to complete that double. Also picked were **Kevin McHale, Rodney McCray, Michael Cooper, Michael Jordan**....

JASPERS HIRE COACH— Manhattan College named **Steve Lappas** head basketball coach and signed him to a four-year contract. Lappas, 34, replaces **Bob Delle Bovi**, who resigned on April 15. Delle Bovi posted a 13-43 record in two seasons.

INTERLEAGUE PLAY— Described as the most innovative experiment since the designated hitter, interleague play will be introduced in the **Triple-A Alliance** this weekend. Each **American Association** baseball team will meet each of the eight **International League** teams five times, with all games counting in the standings of both leagues.

NO GO-GO SOX— Chicago White Sox owners have agreed not to move their team if Illinois lawmakers approve a revised lease on a new stadium, saving the team up to $60 million over 10 years, **Gov. James R. Thompson**. "They have given us their word that if we pass this bill, they'll stay."

'COACH OF YEAR' CANNED— Mike Keenan, recently praised by GM **Bob Clarke** as a possibility for NHL coach of the year, was fired by the **Philadelphia Flyers**, because the Flyers played without emotion or enthusiasm.

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Collins lf	5	0	1	1	MThmp cf	1	0	0	0
Sabo 3b	5	0	1	0	Schmdt ph	1	0	0	0
EDavis cf	5	0	0	0	Tekulve p	0	0	0	0
BDiaz c	4	1	2	1	Bradley lf	5	1	1	1
Cncpcn 2b	4	0	1	0	Samuel 2b	5	0	0	0
Rijo p	0	0	0	0	Parrish c	5	0	0	0
RMrphy p	0	0	0	0	Hayes 1b	4	2	1	0
ONeill 1b	1	0	0	0	CJames rf	5	1	3	2
McClnd 1b	5	0	1	0	Almon 3b	4	0	1	0
Franco p	0	0	0	0	Jeltz ss	3	0	1	0
RRonck rf	5	1	0	0	Rawley p	2	0	1	0
Rasman p	3	1	2	0	GGrosa ph	0	0	0	0
Tredwy 2b	2	0	2	0	Harris p	0	0	0	0
					MYoung rf	1	0	1	1
Totals	44	3	13	3	Totals	39	4	9	4
Cincinnati					000 300 000 00—3				
Philadelphia					100 000 200 01—4				

One out when winning run scored.
GWRBI — MYoung (1).
E—Collins. LOB—Cincinnati 12, Philadelphia 10. 2B—Sabo, Jeltz. HR—Bradley (1), BDiaz (8), CJames (4). SB—Hayes (8), Larkin (12), Collins (1). S—Jeltz, Almon.

	IP	H	RER	BB	SO
Cincinnati					
Rasmusen	6	5	3	3	1
Rijo	2 2-3	1	0	0	2
RMurphy	1-3	0	0	0	0
Franco L,0-3	1 1-3	3	1	1	1
Philadelphia					
Rawley	7	10	3	3	4
Harris	2	1	0	0	0
Tekulve W,1-3	2	2	0	0	2

Rasmussen pitched to 3 batters in the 7th.
BK—Rijo 2. T—3:10. A—21,840.

MONTREAL ATLANTA

	ab	r	h	bi		ab	r	h	bi
Raines lf	5	1	1	0	AHall cf	3	0	1	0
Paredes 2b	1	1	0	0	Thomas ss	3	1	2	0
Rivers ss	1	0	0	0	DMrphy rf	3	1	1	0
Brooks rf	5	0	2	2	GRoenck lf	4	1	1	2
Nettles 3b	2	0	0	0	GPerry 1b	3	0	1	1
Engle 3b	1	0	0	0	Virgil c	3	0	1	0
Galarrg 1b	4	0	1	0	Runge 3b	1	0	0	0
Webster cf	3	0	1	0	Oberkfll 3b	1	0	0	0
Reed c	3	0	0	0	Gant 2b	3	0	0	0
Foley ss	3	0	0	0	Coffman p	2	0	0	0
Heaton p	2	0	0	0	Puleo p	0	0	0	0
McGffga p	0	0	0	0	Aasmchr p	1	0	0	0
Wnghm ph	1	0	0	0	Sutter p	0	0	0	0
Parrett p	0	0	0	0					
WJhnsn ph	1	0	0	0					
Burke p	0	0	0	0					
Totals	32	2	5	2	Totals	27	3	7	3
Montreal					200 000 000—2				
Atlanta					000 003 00x—3				

GWRBI — GPerry (2).
E—Thomas. DP—Montreal 2. LOB— Montreal 10, Atlanta 4. 2B—Brooks, GRoenicke. 3B—Raines. SB—Paredes (2).

	IP	H	RER	BB	SO
Montreal					
Heaton L,0-2	5 2-3	4	3	3	4
McGffgan	1-3	1	0	0	1
Parrett	1	1	0	0	1
Burke	1	1	0	0	1
Atlanta					
Coffman W,2-2	6 2-3	3	2	1	5
Puleo	0	1	0	0	0
Aasnmchr	1 1-3	1	0	0	1
Sutter S,3	1	0	0	0	1

Puleo pitched to 1 batter in the 7th.
HBP—Paredes by Coffman. WP—Aasenmacher. PB—Virgil. T—2:20. A—4,852.

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LOSANGELS PITTSBURGH

	ab	r	h	bi		ab	r	h	bi
Sax 2b	5	0	0	0	Fermin ss	6	0	0	0
MiDavis cf	5	0	3	0	Lind 2b	5	0	1	0
Gibson lf	4	0	1	0	VanSlyk cf	3	1	1	0
Guerrer 3b	2	0	1	0	Bonilla 3b	3	0	1	0
Orosco p	0	0	0	0	Coles rf	3	0	1	0
Stubbs ph	1	0	0	0	Cangelo rf	2	1	0	0
JHowell p	0	0	0	0	Millign 1b	4	0	2	1
Dempsy c	0	0	0	0	MDiaz lf	2	0	0	0
Marshl 1b	5	0	1	0	Bonds lf	1	0	0	0
Heep rf	3	0	1	0	Ortiz c	4	0	3	1
Deveraux cf	2	0	0	0	Walk p	2	0	0	0
Scioscia c	5	1	2	0	RRylds ph	1	0	0	0
Andsen pr	0	0	0	0	JRobnsn p	0	0	0	0
APena p	0	0	0	0	Bream ph	1	0	0	0
Griffin ss	4	0	0	0	Medvin p	0	0	0	0
Valenzla p	3	0	1	1					
Hamltn 3b	1	0	0	0					
Totals	40	1	10	1	Totals	37	2	9	2

Two outs when winning run scored.

Los Angeles	000	010	000	00—1
Pittsburgh	000	000	010	01—2

GWRBI — Milligan (1). DP—Los Angeles 2, Pittsburgh 2. LOB—Los Angeles 10, Pittsburgh 17. 2B— Milligan 2, Scioscia. SB—VanSlyke (6), Milligan (1). S—VanSlyke, Walk, Griffin.

	IP	H	RER	BB	SO
Los Angeles					
Valenzla	7	7	1	1	5
Orosco	2	1	0	0	3
JHowell	1	0	0	0	2
APena L,1-1	2-3	1	1	1	2
Pittsburgh					
Walk	8	7	1	1	2
JRobinson	2	2	0	0	0
Medvin W,1-0	1	1	0	0	0

Valenzuela pitched to 1 batter in the 8th.
HBP—Guerrero by Walk. WP—APena. T—3:46. A—26,367.

SANDIEGO CHICAGO

	ab	r	h	bi		ab	r	h	bi
RAlomr 2b	4	0	0	0	Sndbrg 2b	5	0	1	0
Tmpltn ss	4	0	1	0	Grace 1b	3	1	2	0
Ready 3b	4	0	1	0	Dawson rf	4	0	2	0
Kruk 1b	4	0	1	0	Palmeir lf	4	0	0	0
Moreind lf	4	0	0	0	Law 3b	4	0	1	1
MaDavis p	0	0	0	0	Berryhll c	4	0	2	0
Santiago c	3	0	0	0	Jackson cf	4	0	0	0
Mack cf	3	0	0	0	Dunston ss	2	0	0	0
Abner rf	3	0	0	0	Salazar ss	1	0	0	0
McCllers p	0	0	0	0	GMaddux p	3	0	0	0
Byers lf	0	0	0	0					
Grant p	2	0	0	0					
Wynne cf	1	0	0	0					
Totals	32	0	3	0	Totals	34	1	8	1
San Diego					000 000 000				0—0
Chicago					000 000 000				1—1

One out when winning run scored.
GWRBI — Law (3). E—Ready, Templeton. DP—San Diego 2. LOB—San Diego 2, Chicago 12. 2B— Kruk, Ready, Berryhill, Dawson. 3B— Sandberg. S—GMaddux, Law.

	IP	H	RER	BB	SO
San Diego					
Grant	7 1-3	5	0	0	2
McCllers L,0-3	1 2-3	3	1	1	3
MaDavis	1-3	0	0	0	0
Chicago					
GMaddux W,6-2	10	3	0	0	8

McCullers pitched to 3 batters in the 10th.
T—2:47. A—12,800.

NEWYORK HOUSTON

	ab	r	h	bi		ab	r	h	bi
Dykstra cf	3	1	1	1	BHtchr cf	4	1	0	0
Wilson cf	3	1	2	0	Doran 2b	5	1	3	0
Bckmn 2b	3	0	0	1	Puhl lf	4	1	1	0
Teufel 2b	1	0	1	3	GDavis 1b	5	2	2	3
KHrndz 1b	2	1	0	1	Base rf	5	2	2	0
Strwbry rf	5	1	2	2	Walling 3b	4	1	1	0
Mazzilli lf	5	0	1	0	Ashby c	2	0	0	1
Leach p	0	0	0	0	CJcksn pr	0	0	0	0
Carter c	4	0	0	0	Ramirz ss	5	0	2	2
HJohsn 3b	5	1	2	0	Scott p	2	0	0	0
Elster ss	3	1	1	0	CReids ph	1	0	0	0
Sasser 3b	2	1	0	0	Agosto p	0	0	0	0
Gooden p	2	1	2	0	Pnkvtz ph	1	0	0	0
Carnes ph	1	0	0	0	DSmith p	0	0	0	0
Myers p	0	0	0	0	Meade p	0	0	0	0
McDwll p	0	0	0	0					
McRylds lf	2	1	1	1					
Totals	41	9	13	9	Totals	38	8	11	6
New York					000 230 003				1—9
Houston					200 302 010				0—8

GWRBI — McReynolds (2). E—Walling. DP—New York 1, Houston 1. LOB—New York 7, Houston 6. 2B— Dykstra, Wilson, Teufel. HR—Strawberry (10), GDavis (8). SB—BHatcher (12), Doran 2 (8), Mazzilli (2), Base (7). S—Walling. SF—Ashby, KHernandez.

NL Box

SAMFRAN STLOUIS

	ab	r	h	bi		ab	r	h	bi
Butler cf	6	0	0	0	Coleman lf	8	0	4	1
RThpsn 2b	7	1	2	0	OSmith ss	7	0	2	0
Clark 1b	5	2	2	2	McGee cf	8	0	2	0
Mitchll 3b	7	1	3	2	Brnesky rf	4	0	0	0
Leonard lf	4	0	1	0	Forsch p	1	0	0	0
Lefferts p	0	0	0	0	Horner 1b	5	0	1	0
Aldrete ph	1	0	0	0	Lawless 1b	1	0	0	0
DRobisn p	0	0	0	0	Pndltn 3b	6	2	2	0
Spilmn ph	1	0	0	0	Alicea 2b	7	1	2	0
Melvin c	1	0	0	0	TPena c	7	1	1	1
Mldndo rf	7	1	1	1	ONeal p	2	0	0	0
Brenly c	6	0	0	0	Ford ph	1	0	1	2
Hamakr p	0	0	0	0	Terry p	0	0	0	0
Uribe ss	6	0	0	0	Oquend ph	1	0	0	0
LaCoss p	2	0	0	0	Dayley p	0	0	0	0
Yongbld lf	3	0	1	0	Pagnoz ph	1	0	0	0
					Worrell p	0	0	0	0
					Walker rf	1	0	0	0
					Lake c	1	0	0	0
Totals	56	5	10	5	Totals	61	4	15	4
San Francsc	010	201	000	000	000		1—5		
StLouis	000	102	010	000	000		0—4		

GWRBI — Mitchell (5). E—Mitchell, Alicea, RThompson, Pendleton. DP—San Francisco 1, StLouis 2. LOB—San Francisco 7, StLouis 19. 2B— Pendleton, TPena, Alicea. HR—Maldonado (5), Clark (7), Mitchell (5). SB— OSmith 2 (11), McGee 2 (8), Coleman 2 (15). S—Brunansky, Pendleton, Alicea, Butler, Forsch.

	IP	H	RER	BB	SO
San Francisco					
LaCoss	7 1-3	10	4	3	3
Lefferts	2 2-3	1	0	0	1
DRobison	3	2	0	0	2
Kamaker W,3-0	3	2	0	0	0
StLouis					
ONeal	6	7	4	4	0
Terry	2	0	0	0	2
Dayley	2	0	0	0	0
Worrell	1	1	0	0	0
Forsch L,2-3	5	2	1	1	1

WP—ONeal 2. PB—Brenly. T—4:48. A—33,815.

American

DETROIT OAKLAND

	ab	r	h	bi		ab	r	h	bi
Pettis cf	5	2	4	0	Lansfrd 3b	5	0	0	0
Whitakr 2b	4	1	0	0	Javier cf	3	0	2	0
Salazar ss	4	1	1	0	Canseco rf	4	1	3	0
Nokes c	3	0	2	2	Parker lf	3	1	0	0
Herndn ph	1	0	1	0	McGwir 1b	5	1	1	3
Heath c	1	2	1	2	Hubbrd 2b	1	0	0	0
DaEvns 1b	3	0	1	0	Baylor dh	4	1	1	1
Trammi ss	2	2	2	1	Phillips 2b	3	0	1	0
Lemon rf	5	0	2	2	Mercado c	3	0	1	0
Sheridan lf	4	0	1	0	Hassey c	1	0	1	0
Morran dh	3	0	0	0	Gallego ss	3	0	0	0
Brgmn ph	1	0	1	1					
Whwndr dh	1	0	0	0					
Brokns 3b	3	0	0	0					
Totals	40	8	16	8	Totals	35	4	10	4
Detroit					100 100 024—8				
Oakland					010 003 000—4				

GWRBI — Heath (1). E—Gallego. DP—Oakland 2. LOB—Detroit 9, Oakland 10. 2B—Herndon, Pettis, Trammell, Lemon. HR—Baylor (1), McGwire (8). SB—Pettis (19). S—Salazar.

	IP	H	RER	BB	SO
Detroit					
Robinson	7 1-3	7	4	4	4
Hernandz W,3-1	1 2-3	3	0	0	0
Oakland					
GDavis	6	8	2	2	2
Honeycutt	1	2	1	1	0
Eckersley L,0-1	1 1-3	5	5	5	1
Plunk	2-3	1	0	0	1

GDavis pitched to 1 batter in the 7th. Honeycutt pitched to 1 batter in the 8th.
WP—GDavis. BK—Eckersley. T—3:16. A—26,860.

SEATTLE TORONTO

	ab	r	h	bi		ab	r	h	bi
EMrtnz 3b	4	0	1	0	Fernndz ss	5	1	2	1
Bradley c	4	1	1	0	Moseby cf	4	1	1	0
Cotto cf	4	0	0	0	Mlnks dh	4	3	2	3
ADavis 1b	4	1	2	0	GBell lf	4	0	1	1
Phelps dh	4	1	1	3	McGriff 1b	4	1	1	1
Brantley lf	4	0	1	0	Whitt c	4	1	2	1
GWilson rf	3	0	1	0	Gruber 3b	4	1	2	2
Quinons ss	4	0	0	0	Leach rf	4	0	2	0
Reynlds 2b	4	0	0	0	Lee 2b	0	0	0	0
					Infante 3b	4	1	0	0
Totals	35	3	7	3	Totals	37	9	13	9
Seattle					000 000 030—3				
Toronto					321 012 00x—9				

GWRBI — McGriff (2) E—EMartinez, Infante, Bradley. DP— Seattle 1. LOB—Seattle 8, Toronto 6. 3B— GBell. HR—Gruber (4), Mullinks (3), Phelps (6). SB—Moseby (10).

	IP	H	RER	BB	SO
Seattle					
MMoore L,2-4	5	10	7	4	2
Powell	1	2	2	2	0
Reed	1	0	0	0	0
Solano	1	1	0	0	0
Toronto					
Stieb W,4-3	8	6	3	3	6
Eichhorn	1	1	0	0	0

PB—Bradley. T—2:34. A—27,575.

CHICAGO NEW YORK

	ab	r	h	bi		ab	r	h	bi
Boston cf	4	1	1	2	RHndsn lf	4	1	1	1
Guillen ss	4	0	0	0	Rndlph 2b	5	1	1	3
Baines dh	4	0	0	0	Mtngly 1b	5	3	3	0
Caldern rf	4	0	0	0	JClark dh	3	3	2	2
GWalkr 1b	4	0	0	0	Wshgtn cf	5	0	1	0
Pasqua lf	3	0	2	0	Winfield rf	4	2	2	1
Salas c	2	0	0	0	Pgnulo 3b	3	0	1	2
KWilms 3b	3	0	0	0	Slaught c	3	1	2	0
Manrig 2b	3	1	1	0	Santana ss	2	1	1	1
Totals	31	2	4	2	Totals	34	12	14	10
Chicago					000 000 020— 2				
New York					210 003 24x—12				

GWRBI — JClark (4).E—Salas, Boston. DP—Chicago 2. LOB—Chicago 3, New York 5. 2B—Pasqua, Slaught, Pagliarulo, Mattingly, Manrique. HR—JClark (6), Boston (2), Randolph (1). SF—Pagliarulo, Santana.

	IP	H	RER	BB	SO
Chicago					
JMcDwll L,2-3	5 1-3	7	6	5	4
Long	2-3	0	0	0	1
JnDavis	1	3	2	1	0
Thigpen	1	4	4	4	0
New York					
Dotson W,5-0	9	4	2	2	1

T—2:38. A—21,001.

CHICAGO NEW YORK

	ab	r	h	bi		ab	r	h	bi
Boston cf	4	1	1	2	RHndsn lf	4	1	1	1
Guillen ss	4	0	0	0	Rndlph 2b	5	1	1	3
Baines dh	4	0	0	0	Mtngly 1b	5	3	3	0
Caldern rf	4	0	0	0	JClark dh	3	3	2	2
GWalkr 1b	4	0	0	0	Wshgtn cf	5	0	1	0
Pasqua lf	3	0	2	0	Winfield rf	4	2	2	1
Salas c	2	0	0	0	Pgnulo 3b	3	0	1	2
KWilms 3b	3	0	0	0	Slaught c	3	1	2	0
Manrig 2b	3	1	1	0	Santana ss	2	1	1	1
Totals	31	2	4	2	Totals	34	12	14	10
Chicago					000 000 020— 2				
New York					210 003 24x—12				

GWRBI — JClark (4). E—Salas, Boston. DP—Chicago 2. LOB—Chicago 3, New York 5. 2B—Pasqua, Slaught, Pagliarulo, Mattingly, Manrique. HR—JClark (6), Boston (2), Randolph (1). SF—Pagliarulo, Santana.

	IP	H	RER	BB	SO
Chicago					
JMcDwll L,2-3	5 1-3	7	6	5	4
Long	2-3	0	0	0	1
JnDavis	1	3	2	1	0
Thigpen	1	4	4	4	0
New York					
Dotson W,5-0	9	4	2	2	1

T—2:38. A—21,001.

College Baseball

Wednesday's Scores
EAST
Colgate 9, Union, N.Y. 3
MIDWEST
Bowling Green 11, Dayton 8
Capital 8-8, Otterbein 1-12
Indiana 9, Indianapolis 5
Michigan 6-16, E. Michigan 2-1
Northwd, Mich. 14-5, Wayne, Mich. 2-4
Notre Dame 13-2, Ball St. 4-0
Purdue 6, Evansville 3
Wittenberg 1-8, Ohio Northern 0-9
FAR WEST
Cal Poly-Pomona 11, Chapman 9
TOURNAMENTS
ACC Tournament
First Round
North Carolina 13, Virginia 1
NAIA Dist. 22
Frist Round
Malone 21, Ohio Dominican 2
Mount Vernon Nazarene 6, Wilmington, Ohio 1
Wilmington, Ohio 9, Ohio Dominican 8

NHL Playoffs

NHL Playoffs
At A Glance
Conference Finals
Wales Conference
Boston 7, New Jersey 1, Boston leads series 3-2
Thursday, May 12
Wales Conference
Boston at New Jersey, 6:45 p.m.

Detroit	1	1	2—4
Edmonton	2	4	1—8

First Period—1, Edmonton, Simpson 9 (Messier, Anderson), :47. 2, Detroit, Ashton 7, 4:19 (sh). 3, Edmonton, Simpson 10 (Messier, Gregg), 8:08.
Penalties—Tikkanen, Edm (interference), 1:44; Yzerman, Det (hooking), 2:53; Gallant, Det (roughing), 10:24; Probert, Det (roughing), 10:24; Acton, Edm (roughing), 10:24; McClelland, Edm (roughing), 10:24; Bridgman, Det (holding), 11:20; McClelland, Edm (holding), 18:26.
Second Period—4, Detroit, Barr 5 (Yzerman, Gallant), :41. 5, Edmonton, Messier 10 (Anderson, Muni), 5:55. 6, Edmonton, Krushelnyski 2 (Gregg), 14:36. 7, Edmonton, Acton 1 (Krushelnyski, McClelland), 15:00. 8, Edmonton, Kurri 13 (Gretzky, Simpson), 18:02 (pp).
Penalties—Anderson, Edm (slashing), 3:43; Probert, Det (tripping), 9:04; Kurri, Edm (hooking), 9:53; Muni, Edm (tripping), 10:18; Snepsts, Det (slashing), 17:15, Delorme, Det (roughing), 17:57; Simpson, Edm (hooking), 18:13.
Third Period—9, Detroit, Oates 8, 1:33. 10, Detroit, Yzerman 1 (Gallant, Barr), 4:13. 11, Edmonton, Krushelnyski 3 (Kurri, Gretzky), 14:09. 12, Edmonton, Gretzky 9, (Messier, Fuhr), 19:08 (en).
Penalties—Zombo, Det (high-sticking), 6:39; Lacombe, Edm (charging), 6:39; Barr, Det (holding), 7:04.
Shots on goal—Detroit 3-12-9—24. Edmonton 12-14-7—33. Power-play Opportunities—Detroit 0 of 6; Edmonton 1 of 6. Goalies—Detroit, Stefan (32 shots-25 saves). Edmonton, Fuhr (24-20). A—17,319.

Transactions

BASEBALL
American League
CHICAGO WHITE SOX—Placed Carlton Fisk, catcher, on the 15-day disabled list. Recalled Ron Karkovice, catcher, from Vancouver of the Pacific Coast League.
FOOTBALL
National Football League
PHILADELPHIA EAGLES—Signed David Folkertsma, defensive tackle, to a one-year contract.
SEATTLE SEAHAWKS—Signed Johnny Holloway, cornerback; Rufus Porter and Garrett Breeland, linebackers; Mitch Daum, tight end; John McGarry, guard, and Dave Burdett, tackle, to free-agent contracts.
ARENA
LOS ANGELES COBRAS—Claimed Lou Sorrentino, lineman, who had been waived by the New York Knights.
HOCKEY
National Hockey League
MONTREAL CANADIENS—Signed Jacques Lemaire, director of hockey personnel and an assistant to the General Manager, and Andre Boudrias, the managing director of Montreal's American Hockey League team in Sherbrooke, to three-year contracts.
PHILADELPHIA FLYERS—Fired Mike Keenan, head coach.
SOCCER
Major Indoor Soccer League
BALTIMORE BLAST—Released Michael Brady and Vernon Skinner.
COLLEGE
AUGUSTA—Named Clint Bryant basketball coach and athletic director.
MANHATTAN—Named Steve Lappas basketball coach.
PANHANDLE ST.—Named Steve Hudson basketball coach.
UNION—Named Bruce Delventhal hockey coach.
WISCONSIN—Named Lawrence Cole outside linebackers coach.

NBA TV

NBA TV Playoff Schedule
TBS
Tuesday, May 10
Chicago at Detroit, 7:30 p.m.
Utah at L.A. Lakers, 10 p.m.
Wednesday, May 10
Atlanta at Boston, 7:30 p.m.
Thursday, May 12
Dallas at Denver, 9:05 p.m.
Friday, May 13
Atlanta at Boston, 7:05 p.m.
L.A. Lakers at Utah, 9:30 p.m.
Monday, May 16
Boston at Atlanta, 7:05 p.m.
Tuesday, May 17
Utah at L.A. Lakers, 10:05 p.m.

CBS
Saturday, May 14
Detroit at Chicago, noon.
Denver at Dallas, 2:30 p.m.
Sunday, May 15
Boston at Atlanta, noon.
L.A. Lakers at Utah OR Detroit at Chicago, 3:30 p.m.

Baseball Today

STATS
Danny Jackson and Tom Browning on Monday and Tuesday pitched the first consecutive complete games for the Cincinnati Reds since Aug. 29-30, 1985, when Browning and Jay Tibbs shut out Pittsburgh.
SCORING
The New York Yankees have scored 66 runs in Richard Dotson's seven starts. He is 5-0. ... The Yankees beat the Chicago White Sox 17-3 Tuesday and 12-2 Wednesday. The last time they scored that many runs in two games was on Aug. 18 and 19, 1962, when they beat the Kansas City Athletics 11-7 and 21-7.
STREAKS
Dennis Eckersley of the Oakland Athletics had his streak of consecutive scoreless streak ended at 15 2-3 innings Wednesday when he came in with a 4-4 tie and lost to the Detroit Tigers 8-4.
SWINGS
The San Francisco Giants hit nine home runs in their last five games after hitting none in the previous 66 innings. ... Gene Larkin of the Minnesota Twins is batting .343 right-handed and .182 left-handed. ... The Detroit Tigers are batting .260 on the road and .219 at Tiger Stadium. ... The Minnesota Twins are batting .279 at home, .224 on the road.
SHUTOUTS
Paul Kilgus on Wednesday night pitched the first complete-game shutout for the Texas Rangers since Charlie Hough on Sept. 27, 1986, against California.
STARTERS
Mike Witt of the Angels pitched a career-high 10 innings Wednesday night in California's 4-3, 13-inning loss to the Cleveland Indians.
SLOW STARTERS
Don Mattingly of the New York Yankees went 3-for-5 Wednesday night, raising his average to .308, the first time he's been over .300 all season.
SEE-SAW
The Chicago White Sox have been at .500 seven times this season — 5-5, 9-9, 10-10, 12-12, 13-13, 14-14 and 15-15.

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Best NBA player?..About that Arlington fight..Wally to defense?

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One thing and another while wondering whatever became of **Roman Gabriel?**...

Chicago Bulls guard **John Paxson** says there's no doubt, "**Larry Bird** and **Magic** Johnson are probably the best player in the game who play on the floor."

Paxson on teammate **Michael Jordan**, "Michael is the best player in the game who plays in the air."...

Mickey Mantle on what he might make today if he were still playing baseball. "First thing, I'd do is go to *Mr. Steinbrenner's* house, knock on the door and say "Hi, Partner.""...

NHL playoff ratings on ESPN are up 36 per cent this year...

The 1988 NFL Free Agent draft is still warm and already they are licking their chops over UCLA quarterback Troy Aikman, projected as the probable No. 1 pick in the 1989 draft....Oklahoma (13) and Miami (12) were the happy hunting grounds for this year's NFL ivory hunters. UCLA with 10 was next...

The Chicago Cubs, who again set a major league record for spring training attendance in Mesa, Ariz., are being wooed by Florida, but Mesa won't give up without a fight.

Plans are in the works to replace Ho Ho Kam Park with a state of the art complex south of Mesa. And Ho Ho Kam can't be 10 years old.....

According to Forbes Magazine, the Pittsburgh Pirates are the most economically run team in the major leagues and Atlanta the least economically run outfit....

A sign of the times, and troubles: A Houston bank offered loans to finance season tickets to Houston Astros games, 12.5 per cent financing...

Roman Gabriel, the ex NFL quartterback? He is the general manager of the Southern League Charlotte Knights...

Sure, the Russians are in the process of learning baseball, but a Moscow-Yokohama World Series is still two expansions away, isn't it?...

The Columbus American Association Clippers lost their opener to Rochester, 6-5, but it wasn't Randy Velarde's fault. He went 3-for-3 with two rbi before 8,755 fans in Red Wing Stadium, a long way from the diamond which Midland Lee Coach Ernie Johnson considers part of his backyard...

Vertical jump is important for NFL defensive backs and the best among the draftees belong to 5-10 Eric Everett, Texas Tech, and 6-0 Anthony Newman, Oregon, at 38 inches. Next is 5-9 Lemuel Stimson, Texas Tech, 37...

There are two versions as to what happened up in Arlington the other night, the first is embarrassing, three Texans to beat up a Yankee. The other is maybe it was just one Texan who looked like three to the victim....

Henry Cotto hitting around .400...How would you like to have an outfield of Cotto, Billy Hatcher, Mel Hall and Joe Carter? The Chicago Cubs could have, but all these ex-Midland Cubs got away....

Hatcher, incidentally, feels of former players who are not managing and should be Denis Menke (Astro coach) "because he knows baseball. I don't see how we're going to keep him here much longer because he's manager material"

Both Hatcher and Menke played minor league ball in Midland. Menke broke in with the Midland Braves in 1958 as a $100,000 bonus baby. Chicken feed today, perhaps, but in those days $100,000 carried more impact, and probably purchasing power, than these million-plus contracts today....

The thing that always amazed me about Hatcher was his size, something like 5-8, but he was a 6-10 high jumper...

Irving MacArthur's Brad Knouse signed a letter-of-intent to Iowa State. Not impressed? He's a wrestler with a 95-0 the last three seasons....

Last week the Redskins released veteran defensive lineman Vernon Dean. I wonder if that means Midland's Wally Kleine is headed back to defense? Kleine was drafted out of Notre Dame as an offensive lineman, but during rehabilitation from knee surgery last fall, the Redskins used him on defense and liked what they saw....

When the minor leagues drew 20,215,564 fans last season, it was the highest total since 1953...and there were a lot more minor leagues in those days. The minors are big business these days, a fact of life that becomes evident a Class A Durham draws 217,000. ..

(Ted Battles is sports editor of the MRT)

McReynolds' hit nips Astros in 10

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HOUSTON (AP) — Kevin McReynolds' 10th-inning single drove in Howard Johnson with the winning run as the New York Mets rallied three times to beat the Houston Astros 9-8 Wednesday night in a battle of unbeaten pitchers that turned ragged.

The Mets appeared to have the game won in the ninth when Tim Teufel powered a long drive to left-center with the bases loaded. Third-base umpire Gary Darling ruled the ball a double, although Mets Manager Davey Johnson argued it had bounced off the facing of the lower deck and well above the orange line denoting home run territory.

Instead of a grand slam that would have put the Mets ahead 9-8, Teufel had a three-run double that sent the game into extra innings.

The game was expected to be low scoring with two unbeaten pitchers, Mike Scott of Houston and Dwight Gooden of the Mets, facing each other. Neither, however, figured in the decision, and neither was particularly sharp.

Scott went six innings, giving up five runs on seven hits, and Gooden yielded seven runs on seven hits in six innings.

Dave Smith was in for the Astros when Gary Carter started the 10th with a walk. Howard Johnson singled, sending Carter to second, and Carter was forced at third on a grounder by Mickey Sasser. McReynolds then lined a single to left for the winning run.

Dodgers 2, Pirates 1

Randy Milligan's two-out double in the 11th inning drove in Andy Van Slyke with the winning run.

Van Slyke walked with one out, then took second on losing pitcher Alejandro Pena's wild pitch. After Bobby Bonilla was intentionally walked, John Cangelosi struck out, but Milligan hit a drive that bounced to the center field wall on one hop, scoring Van Slyke without a throw from the outfield. The run was the first scored off of Pena, 1-1, in 15 1-3 relief innings this year.

Scott Medvin, 1-0, the Pirates third pitcher, worked the 11th for his first major league victory.

Fernando Valenzuela worked seven scoreless innings, driving in Los Angeles' only run with a fifth-inning single, until the Pirates tied the score in the eighth.

Phillies 4, Reds 3

PHILADELPHIA — Mike Young lined a bases-loaded single to center field with one out in the 11th inning to score Von Hayes with the winning run.

Hayes opened the inning with a single and moved to second as Chris James beat out a slow bouncer to third. Bill Almon then sacrificed, and Steve Jeltz was walked intentionally.

Kent Tekulve, 1-2, pitched two scoreless innings while John Franco, 0-3, took the loss.

Braves 3, Expos 2

Gerald Perry had a run-scoring single and Gary Roenicke a two-run double in a three-run sixth inning as the Braves took two out of three from the Expos, winning their first series of the season.

Expos left-hander Neal Heaton, 0-2, was working on a one-hit shutout with two outs in the sixth when the Braves rallied from a 2-0 deficit.

Andres Thomas, who had the only hit off Heaton at the time, singled, and Dale Murphy walked. Roenicke then doubled to center, scoring Thomas and Murphy, and Perry followed with a single to center, scoring Roenicke.

Hubie Brooks drove in both Montreal runs with a two-run double to center in the first inning off Braves starter Kevin Coffman, 2-2. Paul Assenmacher came on and held the Expos scoreless for 1 1-3 innings, and Bruce Sutter pitched the ninth for his third save.

Cubs 1, Padres 0

CHICAGO — Vance Law's two-strike squeeze bunt in the 10th inning scored Mark Grace to give Greg Maddux.

Ryne Sandberg led off the 10th with a triple to left off loser Lance McCullers, 0-3. Grace and Andre Dawson were walked intentionally to fill the bases and Mark Davis relieved McCullers. Rafael Palmeiro forced Sandberg at the plate before Law bunted safely to first on a 2-2 pitch scoring Grace with the winning run.

Maddux, 6-2, allowed only three hits, retiring the last 20 batters after giving up a one-out double to Randy Ready in the fourth.

Giants 5, Cardinals 4

Kevin Mitchell hit a 16th-inning homer to end the longest game by innings in the majors this year. Mitchell's homer off Bob Forsch was only the Giants' third hit over the last 10 innings and marked an end to a four-hour 48-minute game.

Atlee Hammaker pitched three scoreless innings for the victory as the Cardinals stranded 19 baserunners.

"We battled ... that's why we're a good ballclub," Giants Manager Roger Craig said. "This club — they're too dumb to know how to quit."

Vince Coleman's RBI triple with two out in the eighth inning tied the score 4-4.

Candy Maldonado and Will Clark homered to help the Giants take a 4-3 lead.

Collins kayos Kaylor in title go

WEMBLEY, England (AP) — Britain's Tom Collins knocked out countryman Mark Kaylor in the ninth round Wednesday to retain his European light heavyweight title.

The fight ended when Collins, 32, caught Kaylor with a short right and then dropped the challenger to the canvas.

Oilers eliminate Wings

NHL

EDMONTON, Alberta (AP) — Craig Simpson and Mike Krushelnyski had two goals and an assist apiece as the Edmonton Oilers beat the Detroit Red Wings 8-4 Wednesday night and advanced to the Stanley Cup finals.

The Oilers, gunning for their fourth Stanley Cup championship in five years, advanced to the final round with a five-game victory over Detroit in the Campbell Conference finals.

It marked the fifth time in the last six years that the Oilers have made the championship round.

The Oilers, who also whipped Detroit in five games last season en route to the league title, will face the winner of the Wales Conference series between New Jersey and Boston. The Bruins lead that series 3-2 with Game 6 scheduled for Thursday night.

SIMPSON SCORED both his goals in the first period when the Oilers took a 2-1 lead. Simpson assisted on a goal by Jari Kurri late in the second period, when the Oilers scored four times for a 6-2 lead and virtually put the game away.

The Red Wings got third-period goals from Adam Oates at 1:33 and Steve Yzerman at 4:13, but the flurry was too little, too late. Krushelnyski, who had a goal and an assist in the Oilers' second-period burst, clinched it at 14:49.

WAYNE Gretzky had a goal and two assists for the Oilers. Detroit pulled goalie Greg Stefan with 3:44 remaining and Gretzky scored into an empty net with 52 seconds to go, assisted by Mark Messier, who had a goal and set up three others.

Dave Barr scored in the first minute of the second to momentarily tie the game at 2-2.

But Edmonton reeled off four straight goals, by Messier, Krushelnyski, Keith Acton and Kurri, to move into a comfortable lead.

Simpson scored twice in the first period, both on assists by Messier, as the Oilers took a 2-1 lead.

Oilers goalie Grant Fuhr, who has played every minute in the playoffs, made 20 saves and assisted on the final Edmonton goal.

The game also marked the return of referee Dave Newell, who walked out of the Boston-New Jersey playoff game on Sunday night with his two linesmen in the furor surrounding Devils coach Jim Schoenfeld.

Schoenfeld had been suspended by the NHL for an altercation with referee Don Koharski in an earlier game. But Schoenfeld was able to return to the bench with the help of a restraining order by the court, sparking the walkout by officials.

Bobby Knight headed for UNM

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. (AP) — Indiana basketball coach Bob Knight returned home Wednesday, apparently to tell his team and Indiana University officials that he has accepted the coaching job at New Mexico, according to a published report.

The Dallas Times-Herald, quoting unidentified "sources close to Knight and the Lobos' program," reported in its Thursday editions that Knight reached an oral agreement on a five-year, $350,000-a-year contract with New Mexico. The deal also calls for a $150,000 house.

"It's a done deal. Knight's coming," the newspaper quoted its source in Albuquerque as saying. "All he has to do is sign the contract."

The newspaper said that two sources close to Knight said the 47-year-old coach told them earlier this week that he would leave Indiana for New Mexico, where Gary Colson resigned under pressure on April 26. Another source close to Knight, the newspaper added, said Knight has been considering leaving Indiana for several weeks.

Knight met with his players at Indiana Wednesday afternoon, but none of the players contacted would comment on what Knight told them, the Times-Herald reported.

Knight, who flew back to Bloomington, Ind., on Wednesday, wouldn't comment on whether he was a candidate for the job. He met briefly with Indiana University athletic director Ralph Floyd. After their meeting, Floyd said he hoped to know by Friday the coach's decision.

When asked if Knight was leaving, Floyd said, "I'm not going to comment on that at this time. I can't answer. I hope the whole thing is cleared up by tomorrow night or Friday."

Floyd did confirm that Knight had gone to Albuquerque to discuss the coaching job.

"He talked about the applicants and inquired about the job, and looked over the situation himself," Floyd said.

He said that if Knight left Indiana it would not be because of pressure from any individual or group.

"Everyone at Indiana University wants Bob to stay here," Floyd said. "He's got to decide for himself."

New Mexico athletic director John Koenig said he was negotiating with two finalists for the job vacated by the resignation of Gary Colson last month, but he would not say if Knight was one of them.

Koenig said he hoped to make his selection by late Thursday or Friday.

Koenig, who has been conducting a one-man search for a replacement for Colson, has not divulged the names of any candidates.

UNM Regent Jerry Apodaca said he believes Knight has a genuine interest in the New Mexico job.

"My gut feeling is he wouldn't come to New Mexico if he wasn't considering it," Apodaca, a former New Mexico governor, said from Washington, D.C., where he is publisher of Hispanic Magazine.

Apodaca said he talked with Knight by telephone late Tuesday.

"I told him we have the facilities, the fan support and the financial resources. I told him all we needed was a Bobby Knight," Apodaca said.

Apodaca said Knight was "very non-committal."

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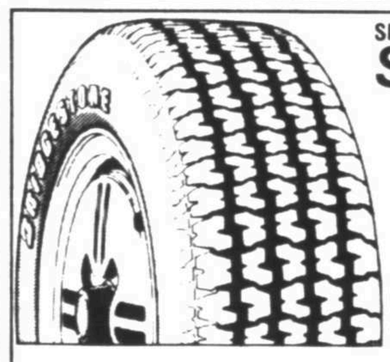

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BOWLING BEAT

Overton back on bowling beam

By RANDY ISENBERG

Isenberg

George Overton had a pacesetting week after getting his game back together over the past two weeks. George rolled sets of 614, 237-656 and 225-657 before rolling a 269 game and 732 series in the Texaco Mobil League.

John Denton is running away with the average title at Dellwood, raising it to 212 after rolling his fourth 700 in five weeks in the Civic Commercial. Denton rolled a 259 game and 709 series. Jeff Von Rosenberg, 278-697, continued his fine streak in the Civic Commercial.

Shorty Shaw has had a great year. The talented righthander was one ball away from perfection, rolling a big 298 game in the Alley Cats League on April 27.

Shorty had no problem letting his emotions show, as ability and courage helped him to strike after strike. Shorty reached back for all he had on the 12th ball, trying to keep the ball wide, giving it enough room to enter the 1-3 pocket area. The seven and nine pins remained and all of the strain of perfection took hold.

Shorty had no problem admitting all of the emotions a human being feels when approaching the dream of a lifetime. He told me that he had "no idea how I made the final approach. My knees felt weak, the ball felt heavy and I just could not catch my breath."

In Shorty's case, there will be another opportunity.

Pennie Poole paced the ladies with a 202-214-602 effort. Gloria Truesdell rolled 204-584 and Cory Sprague rolled a 258 game and 765 four-game series.

Ora Higgs is 81, but never misses a Wednesday afternoon of bowling in the High Noon Ladies League at Dellwood. This year, Ora is averaging 120. This past Wednesday, Ora converted the difficult 6-8-10, rolled a 183 game and a three-game series of 639.

Silver Ennis is averaging 151 in the Midweek Break Mixed League. This past week, Silver rolled a 218 game and 626 series.

Larry Bell rolled 100 pins plus over his series average in the Civic Commercial League, with a 541 series on a 141 average.

Youth bowler Jeff Jordan rolled a 300 game in the Wednesday afternoon practice session in the Dellwood Lanes youth program.

Tony Alcott has a 92 average in the Texaco Mobil League. This past week, Tony rolled a 205 game and 412 series.

League Leaders

Men

Jimmy Foster 269-659; Bill Hohweg 247-658; Ken Parker 246-635; Roy Nini 221-628; Ray Plumlee 221-614; Keith Morrison 267-661, four-game series 227-652, Don Murphy 223-624; Dana Shank 661; LeRoy Scoggins 243-647, 610; Tito Velasco 234-641, 622; Dean Kreilich, 170 average, 211-601; Brandon Mereworth 222-605; Roy McGuffey 201-205-598; Tommy Everett 224-588; Richard Rodriguez 214-588; Mike Levasear 215-611; Arthur Brown 214-605, 624; Rick Vandergriff 227; Ed McBride, 173 average, 241-612; Joe Lehman 618; Bobby Welborn 607; Billy Gilliland 617; Robert Rich 626; Darrell Hopkins 257-662; Mike Velasco 655; Richard E. Brown 243-647.

Women

Tammy Windham 217-579; Betty Franks 195-566; Dawna Payne 203-746, four games 546; Marla Scott 202-555; Kathy West 196-561; Gloria Truesdell 203-560; Linda Hill 546; Pat Brabaham 233-543; Dot Fielding 201-558; Claudia Traxel 205-543; Lilian Naquin 191-534; Vida Teel 188-525; Jeanette Darrough 191-541; Ann Hayes 524; Elaine Wright 526; Donna Harmon 212; Michelle Tubbs 211; Peggy Thompson 211-525; Madene Glenn 195-523.

Rock and Roll Senior Citizens: Roy Hase 223-552l Forrest White 204-560.

Special Olympics: Jerry Lakeyh 180-311; Mike Fisher 139-399; Chelle Dumas 143-365.

Upcoming program: The second session of the Texas Bonanza League is starting Sunday at Dellwood Lanes. Bowlers will be competing for a chance to compete for $20,000 in prize money. For more information, call Guy Corley or Randy Isenberg at 697-7871. There are still openings for teams.

Kilgus hurls Rangers past Orioles with four-hitter

ARLINGTON (AP) — Paul Kilgus pitched a four-hitter for Texas' first complete-game shutout since 1986 as the Rangers beat the Baltimore Orioles 8-0 Wednesday night for their fifth straight victory.

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Kilgus, 5-2, became the first Texas pitcher to throw a shutout since Charlie Hough on Sept. 27, 1986. Kilgus held Baltimore hitless for 5 2-3 innings and struck out six in his first major league complete game.

Kilgus retired 17 of the first 18 Orioles before Pete Stanicek beat out an infield hit in the sixth inning. Baltimore, 4-28 this season, has been shut out five times.

Pete Incaviglia and Larry Parrish each homered in a four-run first inning against Mark Williamson, 1-1. Jerry Browne had three of Texas' 13 hits, the fifth consecutive game the Rangers have gotten at least 10 hits.

Browne singled with one out in the first and scored on Ruben Sierra's double. Incaviglia followed with a 424-foot two-run homer, his seventh. One out later, Parrish hit his third homer.

Browne doubled in the fifth and later scored on Williamson's wild pitch. The Rangers added three runs in the sixth as Parrish doubled, Mike Stanley hit an RBI single and Oddibe McDowell had a two-run single.

Tigers 8, Athletics 4

OAKLAND, Calif. — Mike Heath's two-run single off Oakland relief ace Dennis Eckersley broke a ninth-inning tie to hand the Athletics' second straight loss after a 14-game winning streak.

Heath's single put Detroit ahead 6-4 and Chet Lemon hit a two-run double off Eric Plunk. Eckersley, 0-1, had 12 saves in 12 opportunities and had not allowed a run in 15 2-3 innings.

Mark McGwire hit a three-run homer, his eighth, to give Oakland a 4-2 lead entering the eighth. Willie Hernandez, 3-1, got the victory.

Yankees 17, White Sox 3

NEW YORK — Richard Dotson pitched a four-hitter in his first game against his former team and Jack Clark and Willie Randolph homered.

Dotson, traded by the White Sox to New York in the winter, is 5-0.

Clark hit a two-run homer, his sixth, in the first off Jack McDowell, 2-3. Randolph had a three-run homer in the eighth. Don Mattingly had his third consecutive three-hit game.

Blue Jays 9, Mariners 3

TORONTO — Rance Mulliniks and Kelly Gruber homered and Dave Stieb won his third straight start. Mulliniks hit a two-run homer and RBI single and scored three times. Gruber had a solo homer and a run-scoring single among Toronto's 12 hits.

Stieb, 4-3, gave up six hits, including Ken Phelps' three-run homer, in eight innings.

Twins 2, Brewers 1

MINNEAPOLIS — Gene Larkin doubled home the tiebreaking run in the eighth inning.

Randy Bush reached first base with one out in the Twins' eighth on an error by right fielder Glenn Braggs. Larkin followed with a double to left-center.

Keith Atherton, 1-1, worked 1 2-3 innings for the victory. Jeff Reardon pitched the ninth for his sixth save. Chris Bosio, 5-3, took the loss.

Indians 4, Angels 3

Rookie Brian Harvey balked with the bases loaded in the 13th inning, enabling Cleveland to win at California.

The Indians loaded the bases with one out on an infield single by Julio Franco, Harvey's throwing error on Willie Upshaw's sacrifice bunt and an intentional walk to Joe Carter. With Mel Hall at the plate, a balk was called on Harvey, 1-1.

Doug Jones, 1-1, shut out the Angels for four innings on two hits.

California starter Mike Witt pitched a career-high 10 innings. He struck out nine and allowed seven hits. Witt has won only two of his last 17 starts and has never beaten the Indians as a starter.

Fisk lost to Sox

NEW YORK (AP) — Chicago White Sox catcher Carlton Fisk will be out four to six weeks after fracturing right hand when he was struck by a foul tip in the eighth inning of a 17-3 loss to the New York Yankees.

WT RUNNER

5K Arts Run scheduled Saturday

BY FRANK MORGAN

Morgan

In theory all races should be treated equally. Any 10K is 6.2 miles and there should be no difference between them. In reality all of us have our favorite races. Some races must be run. That is why 100,000 people show up each year for the Bay to Breakers and 25,000 attend the Capitol 10,000.

While Midland can not claim those kind of numbers, it does have several popular events. The two best events of the spring are now upon us.

The Run for the Arts will be held Saturday and is fast becoming one of the area's most popular races. Director Berry Simpson always does a good job and this year promises no exception.

The race starts and finishes at Centennial Plaza and features a TAC certified course that runs down A street to Wadley Barron Park and back downtown.

The women's course record of 20.12 was set by Donna Recker in 1986 and it should fall this year. Local favorites Julie Sheils and Cyndi Simpson can both go under that time but neither can match Brenda Stuckey of San Angelo who has entered the race. Brenda's husband, John, has entered the men's event and should be considered one of the favorites. He placed first in the Run Around the Globe in April. The men's course was set by John Bednarski last year in 15.50.

THE FUN really heats up next weekend when the eighth annual Tall Town 10,000 is held. Midland's oldest road race and annually draws over 300 runners and walkers for the 10K, two-mile and children's one mile events.

The race is considered Midland's class event. It offers t-shirts, certificates, 132 age group age group awards, post race refreshments, and an excellent prize drawing. The race is the kind that runners circle their calendars early in the year and plan their training for.

The Tall Town is held at the Colonnade Shopping Center and features a TAC certified course that is considered one of the fastest in town. Course records were set in 1986, 32.06 by Ralph Edwards and 38.42 by Donna Weatherford. Dave Felice, one of the area's fastest runners, has promised to take a crack at the two-mile course record of 9:53.

Proceeds benefit the Palmer Drug Abuse program. More than $15,000 was raised in 1987. The Tall Town offers area athletes the chance to contributed to the solution of the growing problem of chemical abuse.

The race is sponsored by the United Pipe and Supply and the Permian Basin Road Runners Club. Entry forms are available at area YMCA's and sporting goods stores....

The Nike/RRCA children's running program continues May 15 and 22 at Windlands Par Course and a training session will be held May 15 and a one-mile children's race will be held May 22. The first 100 who register will receive free t-shirts, log books and training tips.....

The PBRRC will sponsor a beginning women's running program Saturdays beginning 8 a.m. May 29 at Memorial Stadium. It is an introductory to running for fitness and to help prepare for the Women's Distance Festival 5K and one mile July 16. Contact Andra Chamberlin 687 2961...

(Frank Morgan is a correspondent for the Midland Reporter-Telegram).

Racing scheduled at Odessa speedway

From Staff Reports

The Texas Late Model Stock Car Championships will be held May 13-14 at the Twin Cities Speedway and will feature the opening race of the Grand American Racing Tour.

Friday's activities include the pro stock, street stock and bomber divisions beginning at 8:30 p.m. Saturday's action includes late model qualifying at 7:30 p.m. with heat races, a trophy dash and a 50 lap championship feature beginning at 8:30 p.m.

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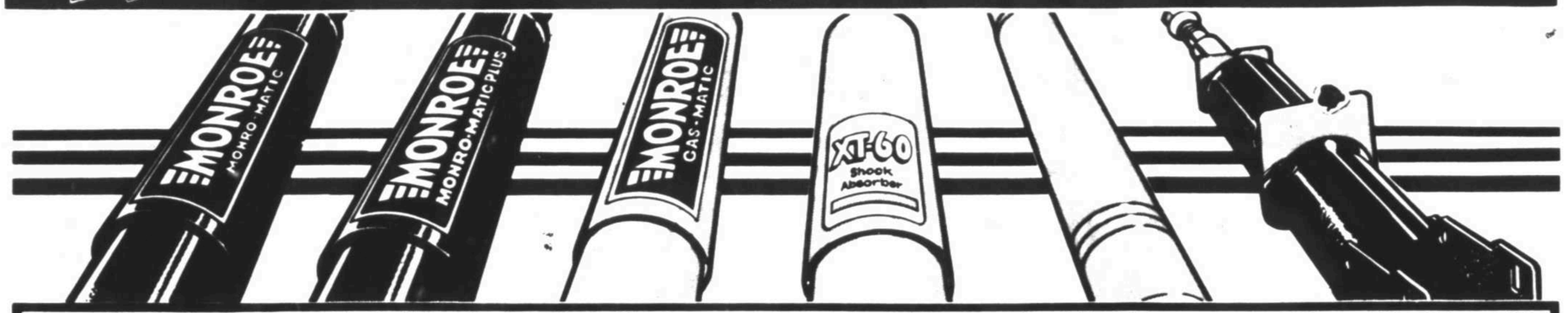

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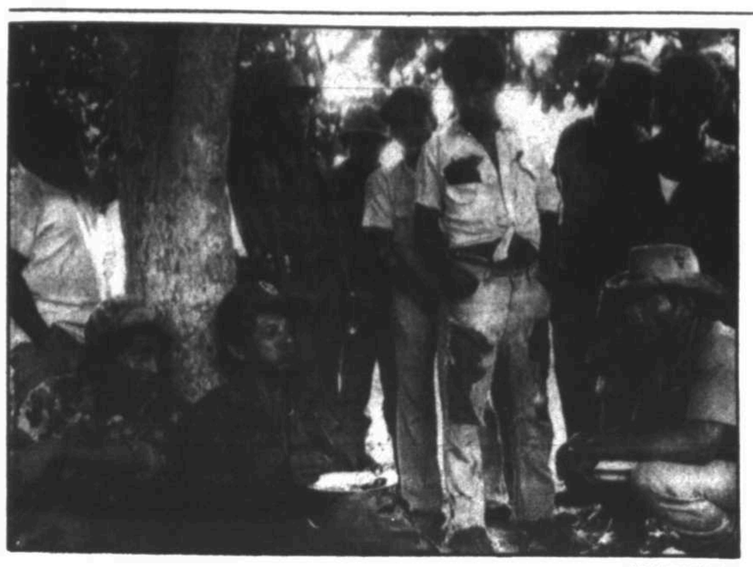

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Nicaraguan rebel fighters gather in Yamales, Honduras, near the Nicaraguan border, to discuss charges of corruption on the part of Enrique Bermudez. The allegations reportedly threaten peace talks with the Sandinistas.

Contras seek to resolve internal dispute

TEGUCIGALPA, Honduras (AP) — Meeting with their leaders, more than 4,000 Nicaraguan rebels sought to resolve a simmering dispute over whether to continue peace talks with the leftist Sandinista government.

Also Wednesday, Nicaragua's vice president said at the United Nations that the rift among the rebels threatened the peace negotiations.

Rebel sources said the U.S.-backed fighters, also known as Contras, met with their civilian and military leaders at the jungle town of Yamales, 185 miles southeast of Tegucigalpa and six miles from the Nicaraguan border.

The sources, who spoke on condition of anonymity, said the dissident rebels accuse Contra military commander Enrique Bermudez of corruption and inefficiency and want him replaced. Unlike the civilian Contra leaders, Bermudez reportedly opposes forging a lasting peace with the Sandinistas.

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Bermudez, 46, was Nicaragua's representative to the Inter-American Defense Board in Washington, D.C., under President Anastasio Somoza, the rightist dictator overthrown by the Sandinistas in 1979.

He is said to command a total of 8,000 rebels.

Three civilian leaders of the Nicaraguan Resistance — Pedro Joaquin Chamorro, Azucena Ferrey and Bosco Matamoros — were at the jungle meeting, the sources said.

Also present were eight dissident Contra military leaders who on Sunday publicly accused Bermudez of opposing negotiations for a more permanent truce with the Sandinistas, the sources said.

Nicaragua's vice president, Sergio Ramirez Mercado, said on Wednesday at the United Nations in New York that his government was not sure if rebel fighters would honor any agreement reached by their political leaders.

Ramirez said the "open rebellion" against Bermudez "represents a serious limitation" to the talks.

"We don't know now if what the political leadership of the Contras is going to discuss with us in the next round of negotiations is going to be accepted by this military leadership under the command of Col. Bermudez," Ramirez said. He spoke at a news conference before the opening of a special U.N. session on economic aid to Central America.

Bermudez hinted he might use force to bring the dissidents back into line but expressed hope that he and Adolfo Calero, the top Contra civilian leader, will find a solution to the problem.

"I am sure that once the fighters understand the reality of the situation, they will change their attitude," he said in the telephone interview.

On March 23, Sandinista and Contra leaders signed a preliminary accord aimed at ending the 6½-year-old civil war. A 60-day truce went into effect April 1, during which the two sides were supposed to negotiate conditions for a lasting peace.

Two rounds of high-level negotiations in Managua since have failed to produce substantial progress. Foremost among issues dividing the two sides is a Sandinista demand that the Contras lay down their weapons.

The date for the next round of talks has not been set.

Troops crush attempted coup in Guatemala

GUATEMALA CITY (AP) — Troops foiled a rebellion against President Vinicio Cerezo's civilian government and arrested two army officers who were halted leading soldiers toward the capital, the defense minister said.

The minister, Gen. Hector Alejandro Gramajo Morales, gave no details of Wednesday's rebellion and would not confirm an earlier Defense Ministry statement that a coup attempt had taken place.

He did not say how many soldiers were involved, what kind of arms they used or if there was any violence.

Gramajo Morales said the two officers arrested, whom he refused to identify by name or rank, had staged short-lived "acts of indiscipline."

Reading a prepared statement, he told a news conference the two ringleaders met with officers and soldiers at bases in Jutiapa, 75 miles south of the capital, and Retalhuleu, 115 miles southwest of Guatememala City, and led them toward the capital Wednesday morning.

"They were immediately neutralized and the officers involved immediately changed their attitude," Gramajo Morales said, adding that the rest of the army's 74 bases and installations were not involved.

The defense minister said one of the ringleaders temporarily blocked the road leading from Guatemala City to El Salvador, prompting the army to deploy extra troops around the capital.

Guatemala City remained calm throughout the day. Local radio and television broadcasts said troops involved in the uprising had returned to their barracks.

In Washington, State Department spokeswoman Phyllis Oakley said preliminary reports indicated some military units were involved in a coup attempt, but she had no details. She reaffirmed U.S. support for civilian government.

Cerezo, who with his Cabinet were briefed on the uprising by Gramajo Morales, did not issue any public statement.

A lawyer and leader of the Christian Democratic Party, Cerezo was elected in November 1985 in the first election in 16 years in which the military did not field a candidate.

Nearly halfway through his term, Cerezo faces discontent over economic measures and a powerful military.

Salvadoran rebels hit dam; Soviet reporter abducted

SAN SALVADOR, El Salvador (AP) — A leftist guerrilla attack on a hydroelectric dam north of the capital killed 16 soldiers, injured 15 and caused a nationwide power shortage.

In San Salvador, meanwhile, a Soviet journalist apparently was abducted from his hotel, and a military judge was fatally shot outside his home.

Rebels destroyed five transformers and a central control board during their pre-dawn attack Wednesday at the November 5th Dam, said Col. Carlos Eduardo Melendez of the government's Rio Lempa Hydroelectric Power Authority.

The dam, 50 miles north of San Salvador, supplies 22 percent of El Salvador's electricity needs, Melendez said.

"The outage of the system of these five transformers practically leaves the dam out of service for a while. How long we cannot say," Melendez told a news conference.

He said the attack would worsen an already severe electricity shortage caused by a drought and sabotage by leftist guerrillas, who have fought the U.S.-backed government for the last eight years.

The power authority already had planned to start rationing electricity with three-hour daily cuts nationwide beginning Wednesday. The attack forced the authority to increase daily cuts to four hours, Melendez said.

Melendez said the guerrillas have mounted about 2,000 attacks on electrical installations causing $51 million in damages since the civil war began in October 1979. The guerrillas' last major attack on the dam was in June 1984.

Yuri Stroev, a Latin America correspondent for the Soviet daily Pravda, was taken from the Hotel Camino Real Wednesday by several men who said they were immigration officials, according to hotel employees.

The employees, who spoke on condition of anonymity, said the gunmen asked Stroev to pack his luggage and accompany them. He was taken away in a vehicle driven by several plainclothes individuals, they said.

A spokesman with the armed forces press office said he had no information on the incident.

Stroev had arrived in San Salvador Sunday. He was the first Soviet correspondent to visit the country, according to the Foreign Correspondents Association in San Salvador.

Also Wednesday, a man jumped from a jeep in a San Salvador neighborhood and shot Jorge Alberto Serrano, a military judge who handles cases related to the civil war.

The jeep pulled up outside Serrano's home and the gunman fired four shots into the judge's car, witnesses said, speaking on condition they not be identified for fear of reprisal. The attacker escaped.

Serrano, 45, died at the scene.

There was no immediate claim of responsibility.

Serrano was one of three military judges in charge of national security cases linked to the civil war. Some cases involved people suspected of cooperating with the guerrillas and others involved military officers.

In January, Serrano ruled that three men accused in the June 1985 shooting deaths of 13 people, including six Americans, should be freed under an amnesty program implemented in November.

President Jose Napoleon Duarte overruled Serrano's decision in April.

Whites may be linked to earlier ANC attacks

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — Four whites charged with possession of an impressive arms cache may have been involved in previous attacks carried out by the African National Congress, a newspaper reported today.

Police announced Wednesday they had made their biggest arms seizure ever in connection with the arrests of three men and one woman who allegedly were acting on behalf of the ANC's military wing.

The four suspects also had a "hit-list" of top police officials, according to police.

Arms seized included a Soviet-made SAM-7 ground-to-air missile, limpet mines, hand grenades, assault rifles, pistols, machine guns, mortars and explosives, police said.

They said the four had planned to use the missile to shoot down a police helicopter at a recent fair.

Police have not released the suspects' names, but have said the three men are South African citizens and the woman is a foreigner. The four are college educated and in their 20s and 30s, police said, adding that two are military draft dodgers and one is a former journalist.

The Citizen, a pro-government daily, said without citing sources that at least one of the four was believed involved in ANC attacks carried out in the early 1980s.

The mostly black ANC was outlawed in South Africa in 1960 and began a sabotage-and-bombing campaign the following year aimed at toppling white-minority rule.

Tom Lodge, a leading authority on the ANC and a lecturer at the University of the Witwatersrand, said the arrests illustrate "the continuing trend of young, well-educated liberal and left-wing whites (to) identify themselves with the ANC."

Lodge said white participation in the ANC's military wing "obviously has a greater impact on the attitudes of white South Africa than the involvement of blacks."

Following a March 17 car bombing that killed three people, police said the leading suspect was Heinrich Grosskopf, a white South African and an alleged ANC member who remains at large.

Law and Order Minister Adriaan Vlok described the four suspects as "a highly specialized terror unit." He alleged that the suspects had been trained in Moscow, Cuba and Angola, and had radio transmitters.

WORLD IN BRIEF

Police say George Rose killed; Coke found on body

SANTO DOMINGO, Dominican Republic (AP) — Police said today American actor George Rose was clubbed to death by his 18-year-old adopted son and three other men this month and that cocaine was found on his body.

Police spokesman Col. Aquiles Pimentel Cruz said at a news conference that the four men were charged with murder in the 68-year-old Rose's death. He presented three of them to reporters and said the fourth had not been arrested.

Pimentel Cruz did not say how much of the drug was found on Rose's body.

The three suspects told reporters they had killed Rose, who was found dead in his car May 5.

A pathologists' report released Monday said Rose had died accidentally of head injuries suffered when his speeding car ran off a road near the Caribbean resort of Sosua and fell into a ditch, flipping over several times.

Rose, a British-born U.S. citizen who won two Tony awards, owned a beach home just outside Sosua, about 15 miles east of Puerto Plata.

Rose won Tony awards for his Broadway roles in "The Mystery of Edwin Drood" and "My Fair Lady."

France tests nuclear bomb

WELLINGTON, New Zealand (AP) — France today detonated its first underground nuclear bomb this year in the South Pacific. New Zealand protested the explosion and said it could not have happened at a worse time.

The 50-kiloton device, equivalent to 50,000 tons of dynamite, went off at 5 a.m. at a nuclear test site on the French-controlled Mururua Atoll, about one-third of the way between New Zealand and the Central American coast.

The explosion was the 92nd underground test there since France abandoned atmospheric testing in 1975, said to Warwick Smith, director of the New Zealand Seismological Observatory in Wellington.

"The New Zealand government will keep expressing its strong concern about French nuclear testing whenever it occurs," said New Zealand Foreign Mnister Russell Marshall. "The timing could not be worse."

The testing has strained France's relations with countries of the South Pacific, which have declared the region a nuclear-free zone.

Bombing suspect arrested

NICOSIA, Cyprus (AP) — Police arrested the Lebanese owner of a dynamite-packed car that sped away from the Israeli Embassy after being prevented from parking there and blew up, killing its driver and two bystanders.

The owner had jumped out of the car just before it exploded Wednesday about 200 yards from the embassy. Police sources identified him as 28-year-old Omar Ahmad Hawillo and said he had arrived from Lebanon on March 21.

He was to appear in court today.

Five of the 15 people hurt in the fiery blast remained hospitalized today and were listed in serious but stable condition.

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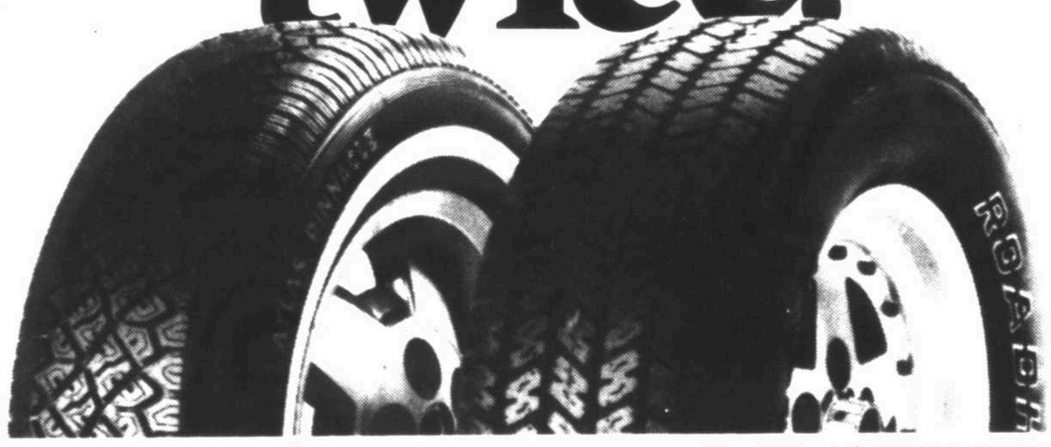

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Concho Valley, Permian Basin groups merge

From Staff Reports

Planned Parenthood affiliates in the Concho Valley and Permian Basin recently merged to form Planned Parenthood of West Texas.

The merger is the first of its kind in Texas, though four affiliates were recently merged in Pennsylvania, said Dana Frazee, PPWT executive director.

"It's becoming more and more of a trend as non-profit organizations look for a way to continue to provide services and reduce costs," she said.

The merged affiliate will cover 30 counties with a patient load of 10,000 unduplicated clients.

Prior to the merger, Planned Parenthood of the Permian Basin served 17 counties.

Planned Parenthood is a non-profit organization that provides low-cost family planning services to women.

Clinics included in the merger are located in Big Spring, Lamesa, Midland, Monahans, Pecos, San Angelo, Seminole and two Odessa locations.

Services include physical exams for women, Pap smears, birth control methods and supplies, sexuality education, pregnancy testing and cancer and sexually transmitted disease screening.

AP Laserphoto

Injections for the blind

A blind diabetic learns to measure and inject himself with precise amounts of insulin to control his blood sugar level. The Diabetes Research and Education Foundation is researching new methods to help the blind.

New whooping cough vaccine effectiveness dim

New York Times News Service

Long-awaited tests of two relatively new vaccines against pertussis, or whooping cough, have shown that they are quite safe but not as effective as experts had hoped.

Disappointed researchers said more studies would be needed. Moreover, surprising aspects of the results have forced scientists to reassess some assumptions about how these and other vaccines against bacterial diseases work.

The new vaccine study, carried out in Sweden and reported in The Lancet, is the largest and most scientifically rigorous trial of whooping cough vaccines in recent years. It tested two made in Japan — one already widely used there, the other experimental — in about 4,000 children.

Earlier, smaller studies indicated that the newer Japanese vaccines were as effective as the ones used for decades in the United States and many other countries against pertussis, which is characterized by sudden attacks of coughing, ending in prolonged whooping respirations.

There are also strong theoretical reasons for hoping that the newer types will be less likely to cause the serious adverse reactions that are associated, although rarely, with the traditional vaccines. This is because the new generation, acellular vaccines, contain only certain components of the Bordetella pertussis bacteria that cause whooping cough. The older types use entire killed bacteria.

The new study does not show whether the new vaccines are more effective than the whole-cell types. Strict comparisons are not possible because the Swedish study's design was different from earlier studies', Dr. Lars O. Kallings, leader of the research team, said in a telephone interview from the National Bacteriological Laboratory in Stockholm. Also, he said, the study used more sensitive techniques for identifying cases than many other studies, perhaps reducing the effectiveness ratings.

Scientists are searching for new pertussis vaccines because those most widely used in children today can lead to seizures and brain damage. Public health officials also hope to calm public fears about risks. They deem the vaccines useful because they have drastically lowered the incidence of pertussis over the years. Moreover, there is dispute about the frequency with which they cause the serious adverse reactions. Many researchers estimate the risk for brain damage after pertussis vaccine as 1 in 100,000.

While the Swedish study of alternative vaccines was too small to measure the risk of such rarely occurring adverse reactions, it gave no reason to fear the vaccines were dangerous.

The study was supported by the Swedish, Japanese and American governments and the World Health Organization. Each child was given two shots of one of the Japanese vaccines or of a dummy, or placebo. The study found that both vaccines were 80 percent effective in preventing severe attacks of whooping cough. That is, the incidence of severe cases in the vaccinated groups was 80 percent less than it was in the placebo group. Severe whooping cough was defined as either sporadic coughing for more than 30 days or more than eight coughing spasms a day.

However, the overall effectiveness, against mild as well as severe attacks, was 54 and 69 percent for the vaccines, far below the predicted figures of 80 to 90 percent.

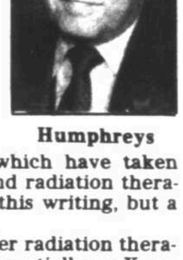
Studies in the United States of the vaccine used here find roughly 90 percent effectiveness. However, this is not strictly comparable with the rates in the Swedish study because of its differences.

In the new study, immediate side-effects after vaccination were described as mild, and no deaths were attributed to the vaccine.

The disappointing results were especially surprising for the acellular vaccine already widely used in Japan. There it has produced results as good as the whole-cell vaccine it replaced, according to Kallings and Dr. Alan R. Hinman, a vaccine expert at the federal Centers for Disease Control in Atlanta. They said that other acellular vaccines not included in the study are also used in Japan and that some are being tested for use in infants in the United States and other countries.

JAMES HUMPHREYS, MD

Radiation has seen great advances since first X-ray machine



Humphreys

James Corwin M.D. recently became the medical director of the Allison Permian Basin Cancer Therapy Center (adjacent to Midland Memorial Hospital). His primary role is to direct the radiation treatment given to cancer patients at the center. What follows is an overview of radiation therapy derived from information supplied by him.

Radiation therapy has been used to treat a variety of problems (some of which involve cancer) since radiation was discovered in 1895. A history of the remarkable advances which have taken place both in diagnostic radiology and radiation therapy is a subject beyond the scope of this writing, but a brief review would be in order.

The first machine used to administer radiation therapy in the 1940s and early 1950s was essentially an X-ray machine. It had the capability of producing an X-ray beam with energy up to four times that used for a chest X-ray. Such machines (called orthovoltage) are still in use today for treatment of skin cancers and other superficial lesions. Their usefulness is limited for cancer deep within the body. However, because the low-energy X-ray beam delivered most of the radiation to the skin, a sever skin burn and little penetration beyond the skin were the predictable results.

Radioactive cobalt was developed in the 1950s as a result of advances in the field of atomic energy. The use of cobalt as a source of radiation produced a beam which had four times the energy of the orthovoltage machine (sixteen times that used for a chest X-ray). The radiation dose from cobalt was maximum approximately 3/16 of an inch below the skin surface and less skin reaction was produced.

Since the 1950s, linear accelerators have been developed which produce much higher energy in the beam of radiation. Such machines can produce energy levels up to 400 times that used for a chest X-ray, with maximum doses to 1½ inches beneath the skin and relatively little skin reaction. Penetration to this depth has allowed treatment of tumors deep within the body such as those arising from cervix, prostate, rectum, bladder and lung.

Cancer is by definition a malignant neoplasm (new or abnormal growth). Neoplasms designated as malignant tend to become progressively worse and result in death, having the properties of invasion and metastasis (the ability to relocate disease to other organs or parts not directly connected to them). A malignant neoplasm or cancer somewhat resembles the normal tissues from whence it arose, but is unable to function or repair damage as well as its normal tissue counterpart. It is this latter characteristic on which radiation therapy is predicated.

Radiation causes damage to tissue, with some cells "killed" and others injured. Normal tissue is able to repair the damage caused by radiation better than its cancerous counterpart, so repetitive uses of radiation eventually will destroy cancerous tissues. Side affects of radiation are the result of damage to normal tissue, and go away in time as normal tissue repairs itself.

Different cancers require different dosages of radiation because some tissues are much more sensitive to radiation than are others. For the same reason, treatment of some cancers with radiation is much more successful than with others. Cancers which are particularly suitable for radiation therapy are Hodgkin's disease and those arising from cervix, prostate, breast, mouth and throat.

Radiation can be used in conjunction with both surgery and chemotherapy to help destroy malignant cells left behind (such as in breast cancer) or used alone. In situations where a cure is not possible, radiation can be used to provide relief from pain or other symptoms, with or without surgery and/or chemotherapy. Regardless of the reason for using radiation therapy, the objective is to deliver the optimum dose of radiation to the target and minimize the side effects resulting from damage to normal tissue.

The advent of newer treatment modalities (such as higher energy beams and more precise direction of them) has caused a diminution in some of the side effects of radiation therapy, but not all. Radiation is a local treatment just as surgery is a local treatment. Therefore, the side effects of radiation are determined strictly by the area of the body which is treated. For example, one could anticipate hair loss from the head if the head is radiated, but not if the abdomen is radiated.

In current treatment regimens, it is common to combine radiation therapy with chemotherapy and surgery for a variety of cancers. Anyone who has a cancer diagnosis should ask his or her physician about the intended treatment, the expected side effects and the need for surgery, chemotherapy or radiation therapy. Patients and family members are obligated to become as informed as possible and should not hesitate to ask the questions which come to mind.

Further information about the role of radiation in the treatment of cancer can be obtained by a call or visit to the Allison Permian Basin Cancer Therapy Center, where staff members will be happy to answer questions or provide literature. The phone number is 685-1559.

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Dr. James Humphreys is Executive Director of the Midland City-County Health Department.

Study says electronic ear restored full hearing to about 3,000 deaf

WASHINGTON (AP) — An electronic implant in the inner ear has not restored full hearing to any of the 3,000 profoundly deaf who have received the device, but it has provided at least some help to most patients, a panel of experts concluded Wednesday.

The device, called a cochlear implant, uses electrodes implanted in the middle ear to send impulses to the hearing nerve. The impulses are created by amplified sounds which are picked up by a microphone from outside the body and relayed to the electrodes.

A National Institutes of Health panel that examined the use and success of the cochlear implant during a conference this week, reported Wednesday that though results from the device have been mixed, there is a promise of improvement as the technology develops.

"Reports have sometimes claimed a spectacular return of normal hearing in deaf people with cochlear implants," said Robert I. Kohut, chairman of the panel and a professor at the Wake Forest University Medical Center in Winston-Salem, N.C. "Unfortunately, to date, no person can be documented to have had normal hearing restored by this device."

The committee report said that less than 1 percent of the 15 million hearing-impaired Americans are potential candidates for the cochlear implant.

Those who could use the device, the committee said, should be profoundly deaf adults who receive no benefit from hearing aids, who previously could hear and speak, who are in generally good health and who have the intelligence and psychological strength to learn how to interpret the sounds detected by the implant.

Of the 3,000 who have received the implant, the report said, only about 5 percent have experienced an improvement sufficient for them to communicate without lip reading. About 60 percent to 70 percent have experienced what the group called "significant improvement." Another 2 percent to 15 percent of the patients have stopped using the device because they found it irritating or unhelpful. The rest received more limited improvement.

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Using the device on children is still controversial, the committee said, though about 20 centers around the country are putting the implant in young children on an experimental basis.

Estimated cost of the procedure is $10,000 to $20,000.

The group said there was great difficulty in predicting prior to surgery who will benefit and who will not. Some patients have had such success with the implant that they can talk on the phone, while others, who appeared to be equally fit candidates, have not benefited.

A patient wearing the implant hears static and buzzing sounds that vary in intensity and tone. The patient must learn to interpret these sensations as sound.

Irwin J. Shumacher, 67, a Washington man who received a cochlear implant in 1980, was asked by the panel Wednesday to explain what he "hears" from his implant.

"It sounds like a radio that is just a little off center," like static, he said.

Shumacher said he is able to understand some speech although he has one major problem. When people tell jokes, he said, their voices tend to drop when they come to the end.

"So I sometimes miss the punchline," he said.

SOUND ADVICE

By Orland Purcell, M.S., Audiologist

BREAKING THE CHAIN

Otosclerosis is a degenerative bone disease which strikes the chain of tiny bones in the middle ear which transmit sound from the eardrum to the middle ear. The damage is usually done to the stirrup. This bone becomes spongy at its base, then turns dense and hard. In some cases, the result is a loss in acuity at first, then sounds become very faint. In most cases, however, the structural damage to the bone is only enough to cause a minimal disruption to hearing. This condition affects one percent of the population between the ages of 15 and 45. In a little over half the cases, there is a family history of hearing difficulty.

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HINT:
In mild cases, otosclerosis may be treated with drug therapy and a hearing aid.

Pharmacy Footnotes

by Allen Farnell, R.PPh.

THE PLACEBO EFFECT

It has been observed that, when given an inactive substance, some patients will display an observable effect. This is called the "placebo effect." The word "placebo" is derived from the Latin word that means "to please." The placebo effect demonstrates just how great the role of the mind is in overall health. Just the expectation of better health is enough to actually cause a turn in that direction in some people. In comparative medical studies, placebos are given to one group of patients, while an experimental drug is given to another. Neither group knows which substance it is getting. Researchers then chart the effectiveness of the experimental drug against the effect of the placebo.

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HINT:
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HEALTH BEAT

by Kanti Patel, M.D.

PRESSURE SITUATION

What does the physician listen for as he places a stethoscope to a blood pressure cuff? The short answer is he is listening for pulsing blood. An inflated blood pressure cuff is used to cut off circulation in the arm. This produces a silence as the doctor listens through a stethoscope placed over the cuff. As air is allowed to slowly escape from the cuff, circulation returns to the arm. The point at which blood flow can be heard to return indicates the greatest, or systolic, pressure. This point is measured by how high the attached column of mercury is forced. A normal reading is a height of approximately 120 millimeters. As more air is let out of the cuff, silence within the arterial walls eventually returns as pulsing sounds subside. This indicates the lowest (diastolic) pressure, which normally raises the mercury about 80 millimeters.

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BUSINESS/OIL

Enron buys Tesoro oil gathering

HOUSTON (AP) — A subsidiary of Enron Corp. will pay $31 million to acquire portions of pipeline, crude oil, and fleet services subsidiaries of Tesoro Petroleum Corp., officials said.

"We are extremely pleased about this acquisition because it complements our existing operations so well," said Charles D. Emel, Enron Oil Trading president.

Subject to regulatory approvals, the Tesoro assets will become part of Enron Oil Trading on July 1, the companies said.

Tesoro, which plans to concentrate its efforts in other areas, is selling crude oil gathering and transportation assets currently part of its Tesoro Pipeline Co., Tesoro Crude Oil Co., and Tesoro Fleet Service Co. subsidiaries.

Tesoro Pipeline operates 335 miles of common carrier crude oil pipelines in South Texas; Tesoro Crude Oil Co. is an independent gatherer, purchaser and reseller of crude oil in the southwest United States; Tesoro Fleet Service is a heavy-duty truck service center in San Antonio.

'Workout bank' in works for First RepublicBank restructure

DALLAS (AP) — First RepublicBank Chairman Albert V. Casey said he does not plan to remain at the troubled holding company after its restructuring begins, and said a search for his replacement has already begun.

Casey said Wednesday one of the candidates for the chairmanship is RepublicBank President Joseph R. Musolino, who is not seeking re-election to the board of directors at the company's annual meeting next month.

The company's restructuring is not likely to be completed before a review of First Republic's loan portfolio is finished in late June.

He also said the Dallas-based bank holding company, Texas largest, hopes to present a restructuring plan by mid-July that will include creation of a "workout bank" containing troubled loans.

In a meeting with reporters, Casey said officials believe the $1.5 billion loss the bank holding company suffered in the first quarter of this year should prevent any further huge writedowns.

"The big body blow is over," Casey said, while adding that the company "will continue with some loan losses."

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Midlanders continuing USG pursuit

CHICAGO (AP) — USG Corp. appears to have the won the proxy battle, but Midland-based Desert Partners L.P. isn't ready to concede the takeover war.

"We believe our slate has been elected," USG Chairman and Chief Executive Officer Robert Day said Wednesday, claiming shareholders had supported a management-backed slate over a rival one supporting Desert Partners' hostile takeover bid.

The vote for six seats on the Chicago-based company's 15-member board of directors was seen as a turning point in the nearly eight-month battle for control of USG a building-materials producer.

Official results won't be announced until May 20. But Day told reporters after the annual shareholders meeting that proxies received before the close of balloting indicated the management-backed slate would get more than 50 percent of the votes.

The proxy battle pitted a slate led by Desert Partners' two main investors, Texas oilmen Jack E. Brown and Cyrus Wagner Jr., against the USG slate that included three members of the current management.

"We're going to continue to pursue our acquisition," said Joel L. Reed, Desert Partners' chief financial officer, maintaining it was too early to predict the election's outcome.

Day said the vote reflects "stockholder confidence in management's ability," adding that USG would not pay out any "greenmail" to the Midland, Texas-based investment group.

Greenmail is a premium price paid by a company for the stock of a would-be acquirer that is not offered to other shareholders.

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ENTREPRENEUR

Blacksmith connects with orange peeler

TOULON, Ill. (AP) — A retired blacksmith labored in obscurity for more than 40 years to promote his orange-peeling invention. But after only a few moments of national exposure on CBS-TV's "60 Minutes," orders for it are pouring in.

"Last week, we sent out about 500 or 600 orders," Wilbur Blank says. "We're getting more every day."

Andy Rooney, the CBS program's commentator, displayed the Quik Orange Peel a couple weeks ago during a commentary on gadgets he gets in the mail.

"This is one of the best things I ever got," Rooney said. "It's changed my life."

He showed how easily the tool skins citrus fruit. "It really is magic," Rooney said. "You can amaze your friends with this."

Rooney certainly amazed Blank, 69, and his wife, Jane.

"This has been mind-boggling," Mrs. Blank said last week. "We had no idea he was going to say anything about the Orange Peel. You can't believe the reaction."

In two weeks, Blank and his Wil-Le Products Co. have received dozens of letters and calls from people interested in buying the device, which he sells in groups of five for $6.

"We got flooded with calls and letters" from viewers, Rooney said. "We always get a lot of mail, but we got more than usual on this. Letters are still coming in."

Rooney said the benefits of prime-time exposure will be temporary, although a planned "60 Minutes" follow-up could help. "He'd have to sell millions, and I think that's dreaming," Rooney said.

Blank had nearly given up ever selling the public on his idea, which he developed in California while working as a welder before World War II.

"I was fresh off the farm, and I got out to California and found I loved oranges but hated to peel them," he said. "That's when I came up with my orange peeler."

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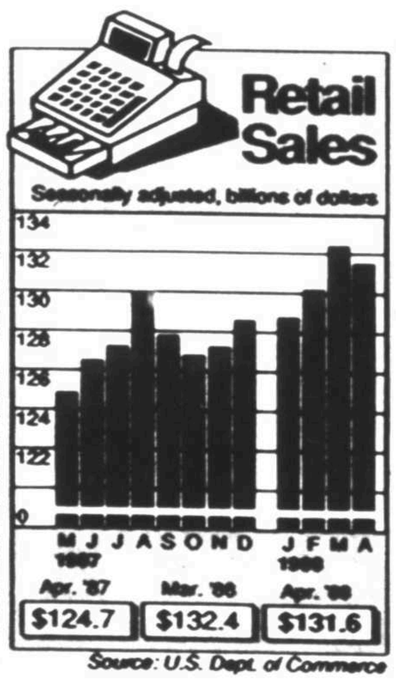
AP Laserphoto

Inventer Wilbur Banks demonstrates the super orange peeler that has gained him national attention.

Retail sales see slight slip



WASHINGTON (AP) — Retail sales, depressed by bad weather and an early Easter, fell 0.6 percent in April, the first decline in six months, the government said today.

The Commerce Department said that sales totaled a seasonally adjusted $131.6 billion last month as sales fell $815 million from March.

The 0.6 percent drop was the first decline since a 0.8 percent setback last October. The March performance was revised upward, however, to show an increase of 1.7 percent, the biggest advance since August and much stronger than the originally reported 0.8 percent gain.

The swings in both months came from the fact that Easter came early this year, meaning that consumers did their spring shopping in March and siphoning off sales from April.

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Big S&L writeoff could signal coming bailout

WASHINGTON (AP) — A Texas savings association wrote off a loss of nearly $1.2 billion in March, a portent of what could become the largest bailout ever for the federal regulator of thrift institutions.

The Federal Home Loan Bank Board, in a report on the March balance sheets of the 3,120 S&Ls it oversees, said Wednesday that one institution in Texas accounted for roughly half of the industry's decline in capital of $2.4 billion.

Bank board spokesman William Fulwider said the agency had decided not to identify the institution by name, explaining, "It's not a public institution and it has not filed its report yet for the period."

Nearly all of the remaining capital declines were also in the Southwest, where the economy is hard hit by depressed oil and real estate prices, the bank board said.

The biggest S&L bailout ever was the $1.3 billion rescue in September of Vernon Savings and Loan Association in Dallas. If the unidentified Texas institution has posted losses in months before March, its bailout likely would top the Vernon rescue.

The impending rescue of California-based Financial Corp. of America, which owns the largest S&L in the nation, also is likely to surpass the Vernon figure.

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ALLEN E. HOWLAND

Being boss: More than just a job

Howland

In preparing the profile of Small Business Council chairman Doug Smith earlier in the week, he mentioned one important initiative that his chamber group is facing along with the black and Hispanic chambers as well — engaging students in entrepreneurial interests at an earlier age.

As they plan for college or trade school, students are influenced by the type of job they envision when they eventually go to work in the field they choose.

They anticipate the satisfaction of providing their service or product in meeting the needs of their clients. If problems develop in the course of the day — personality conflicts, logistic pitfalls or client defections — they can be chalked up as part of the job and quickly forgotten upon leaving work.

Self-justification for the "leave it at the office" mentality can range from "It's not my money" to "I've done my best, I'm not going to let it ruin my evening — let the owner worry about it."

In sharp contrast to this "It's just a job" attitude — students, and others, who think it would be great to be their own boss, need to consider that you can't walk away from the trials and tribulations at the end of the day when you are self-employed.

Walter Fronstin, district director for the U.S. Small Business Administration in Lubbock, cautions potential self-employees to examine not only their professional skills and proficiencies, but also attitudes, physical and mental qualities and capabilities and the life style and culture which might come along with a new environment.

Among the examples he cites is a geologist, who appreciates the interest and excitement of finding new resources in exotic places, who could be inviting disaster if the person is too physically frail to withstand the rigors of climbing mountains, slogging through swamps or penetrating jungles.

Or, a good machinist who loves being outdoors might have a hard time being at his (or her) full-time best spending 10 to 12 hours a day inside a factory or shop. Or an academically skilled marketer with weak interpersonal skills might be better served as a corporate consultant on marketing issues, rather than being personally involved in the marketing business.

"Flexibility, good nature, a real love of business, a well-adjusted personality, a sense of humor, a coolness to override panic with good judgment and, perhaps most importantly, persistence" are the ingredients of the maturity necessary to sustain the 24-hour-a-day relationship that is self-employment, Fronstin said.

According to Smith of the Midland Chamber, the SBA is developing guidelines for a youth entrepreneurship program. With Fronstin's leadership and insights, it should be hoped that the excitement and benefits of being your own boss are tempered by some of the pitfalls as well.

Getting youngsters to thinking about starting their own businesses, not only earlier but more realistically as well, is a noble undertaking for anyone.

Allen E. Howland is assistant business/oil editor of the Reporter-Telegram.

BUSINESS GLANCE

MARKETS

Oil prices stay in narrow range

From Staff and Wire Reports

Contract prices for June delivery of West Texas Intermediate continue to hover between $17.40 and $17.50. At midmorning, the price stood at $17.41, down 8 cents from Wednesday's close.

Oil futures prices were mixed in quiet trading Wednesday, with unleaded gasoline contracts drawing the most attention because of a report showing heavy drawdowns of supplies over the past week.

Contracts for June delivery of wholesale unleaded gasoline closed up 0.63 cent at 52.25 cents per gallon on the New York Mercantile Exchange, while June wholesale heating oil showed a 0.28 cent loss, at 47.46 cents per gallon.

West Texas Intermediate closed at $17.49, up 3 cents.

Peter Beutel, assistant director of the energy group at Elders Futures Inc., said trading was extremely light, as the market continued to wait to see what would happen at the June 7 meeting of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries.

CRUDE OIL

SPOT MARKET

W.T. INTERMEDIATE

- Mid-morning Quote $17.41
- Wednesday's Close $17.50
- Previous Close $17.45
- One Year Ago $19.40

W.T. SOUR

- Wednesday's Close $16.34
- Previous Close $16.28-16.31
- One Year Ago $18.97

SOURCE: NYMEX

POSTED PRICE

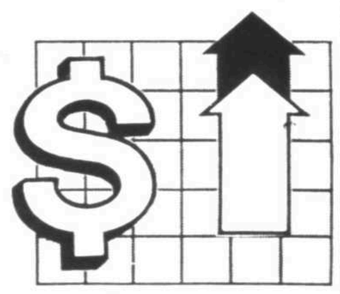
- This Week $17.00
- Previous Week $17.00
- One Year Ago $18.00

Dollar gains ground overseas

LONDON (AP) — The U.S. dollar gained ground on all other major currencies in light European trading early today. Gold bullion prices drifted lower.

The closure of most European markets for the Ascension Day holiday brought activity to a near standstill, traders said. British and Italian markets were the only major centers operating today.

Midmorning dollar rates in Europe, compared with late Wednesday:



—1.6839 West German marks, up from 1.6773

—1.4015 Swiss francs, up from 1.3935

—5.7100 French francs, up from 5.6912

—1.8870 Dutch guilders, up from 1.8830

—1,251.80 Italian lire, up from 1,249.50

—1.2320 Canadian dollars, up from 1.2315

The British pound fell to $1.8778 from $1.8870.

The dollar firmed to 124.39 Japanese yen in Tokyo, up from Wednesday's close of 124.24 yen. In later London trading today, the dollar was quoted at 124.70 yen.

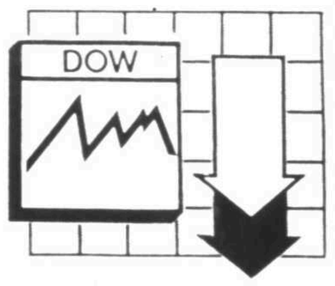
London's main bullion houses fixed a recommended gold price at midmorning of $448.65 a troy ounce, down from $449.30 late Wednesday.

Zurich markets were closed for Ascension Day.

Earlier, the metal closed in Hong Kong at a bid of $450.06, down from $451.68.

Silver bullion traded in London at a bid of $6.52 a troy ounce, down from $6.55.

Stocks trip on higher interest rates



NEW YORK (AP) — Stock prices dropped sharply Wednesday in edgy trading, weakened by fears of higher interest rates that pushed the Dow Jones industrial average to a three-month low.

The key index of 30 premier stocks slid 37.80 points to 1,965.85, its lowest closing level since it closed at 1,961.54 on Feb. 11. Most of the slippage occurred early in the session.

Losing issues outstripped gainers by about 7-to-1 on the New York Stock Exchange, with 1,363 issues declining, 238 advancing and 367 unchanged.

Big Board volume totaled 176.72 million shares, up from 131.2 million Tuesday.

Wall Street's fear of higher interest rates were aggravated by an announcement from big banks that they had raised their key prime lending rate from 8.5 percent to 9 percent, the first rise since the October crash.

BUSINESS IN BRIEF

Company sells Odessa hospital, 36 others

From Staff and Wire Reports

Odessa Women and Children's Hospital is one of 37 hospitals to be sold by American Medical International Inc. of Beverly Hills, Calif.

American Medical will sell the 37 hospitals, located in 10 states, to an employee group in a transaction valued at $910 million.

The announcement Wednesday follows the sale of 15 hospitals and layoffs of 2,000 workers in the last 18 months in an attempt to boost earnings at the hospital company. It considerably exceeds Chairman Walter L. Weisman's prediction after the company's annual meeting in January that between five and 20 hospitals would be sold in the next three years.

Locals ratify UAW, Chrysler contract

DETROIT (AP) — Local union members narrowly have ratified a United Auto Workers contract covering 66,000 Chrysler Corp. workers, according to union officials.

The contract was approved nationally Wednesday by about 54 percent of those voting at local union halls in 15 states, said union officials who spoke on condition they not be identified.

Staley, British suitor hold meeting

ROLLING MEADOWS, Ill. (AP) — Staley Continental Inc. has met with British sugar refiner Tate & Lyle PLC, which announced a one-day extension of its $1.38 billion buyout bid for Staley.

But Staley, a major U.S. producer of corn syrup and food-service supplies, said Wednesday the talks with its English suitor did not mean it was ready to sell out. Staley spokesman David Satterfield said his company was continuing negotiations with other parties as well.

Consumer confidence rebounds in April

NEW YORK (AP) — Consumers' confidence rebounded in April, suggesting consumer spending will remain strong in coming months, a private study said.

The report Wednesday by the Conference Board, a business research organization, indicated its index of consumer confidence rose to 114.6 in April from 112.7 in March, leaving it just below its level of 114.9 in February.

Fed sets strict deadlines on check deposits

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Federal Reserve Board has issued rules requiring banks, savings institutions and credit unions to meet strict deadlines in making funds from check deposits available to customers.

The new rules, effective Sept. 1, require financial institutions to give customers access to deposited funds within one, three or seven days, depending on the type of check deposited. The rules were issued Wednesday.

ACTIVITY HIGHLIGHTS

Glasscock well flows 672 barrels

From Staff Reports

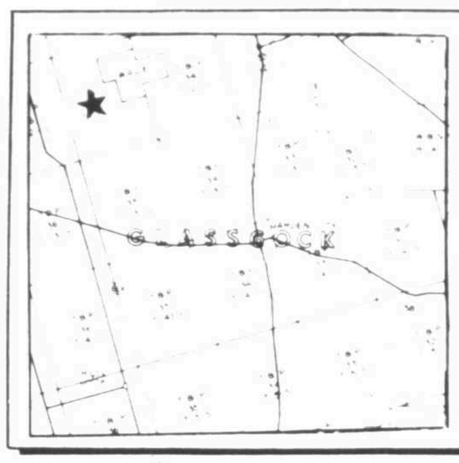
UNION TEXAS PETROLEUM CORP., Midland, has completed a prolific Fusselman producer in the Mustang field of Glasscock County.

On potential test, the No. 2 Neste Houston "14" flowed 672 barrels of 53 gravity crude, 304 Mcfd and no water on an 11/64 inch choke with a flowing tubing pressure of 1,150 psi. The well flowed from open hole 10,948 to 11,023 ft., which had been acidized with 1,900 gallons of 15 percent NeFe acid. Gas-oil ratio is 452:1.

Total depth was 11,023 ft. with 5 1/2 inch casing set at 10,945 ft.

Formation tops, on ground elevation of 2,596 ft. include the Yates at 2,100 ft., San Andres at 3,550, Spraberry at 6,640, Wolfcamp at 8,650, and the Strawn at 10,000 ft. Pay was topped at 10,948 ft.

Location is 467 ft. from south and 2,173 ft. from east lines of Sectin 14, Block 35, T-2-S, T&P survey, 17.2 miles northwest of Garden City.



Prolific producer

Union Texas Petroleum Corp. has completed a Fusselman producer in Glasscock County to flow 672 barrels of 53 gravity crude.

Texaco announces 373 barrel discovery

An Ellenburger discovery has been recorded in Lea County, N.M., surrounded by the West Blinebry field.

TEXACO PRODUCING INC. tested the No. 1 B.F. Harrison "B" TN to flow 373 barrels of crude, 270 Mcfd and seven barrels of water on a 21/64 inch choke with a flowing tubing pressure of 270 psi. Production was from perforations 10,182 to 10,226 ft., no treatment reported.

Permitted as a 10,550 ft. wildcat, the well was drilled to 10,250 ft. and plugged back to 10,230 ft. A 5 inch liner was hung from 8,601 to 10,250 ft. Pay was topped at 10,182 ft.

Location is 593 ft. from north and 1,707 ft. from west lines of Section 9, T23s, R37e.

Delaware discovery finaled in Eddy area

SIETE OIL & GAS CORP. has finaled a modest Delware discovery in Eddy County, N.M., southeast of the Lusk West field.

On potential test, the No. 1 Nugget state pumped 40 barrels of 40.2 gravity crude, 3 Mcfd and 10 barrels of water from perforations 6,493 to 6,503 ft. The interval was acidized with 1,000 gallons of 15 percent HCL. Gas-oil ratio is 775:1.

Permitted as a 7,350 ft. wildcat, the well was drilled to 7,327 ft., where 5 1/2 inch casing was set, and plugged back to 7,000 ft.

On ground elevation of 3,502 ft., formation tops include the Anhydrite at 808 ft., Salt at 937, Base Salt at 2,445, Yates at 2,569, Seven Rivers at 2,895, Delaware at 4,280, and Bone Springs at 7,230 ft. Pay was topped at 6,493 ft.

Location is 660 ft. from north and east lines of Section 36, T19s, R31e.

New Strawn producer flows 448 barrels oil

The Shipp field of Lea County, N.M. has gained a strong new Strawn producer as **SOHIO PETROLEUM CO.** completes activity in the area.

Sohio finaled the No. 1 State "35" to flow 448 barrels of crude, 448 Mcfd and 74 barrels of water on a 19/64 inch choke with a flowing tubing pressure of 527 psi. The well was flowing from perforations 11,565 to 11,616 ft., no treatmenet reported.

Total depth was 11,933 ft., with 5 1/2 inch casing set at 11,932 ft. The well was plugged bck to 11,889 ft. Pay was topped at 11,550 ft.

Location is 600 ft. from south and 660 ft. from east lines of Section 35, T16s, R37e.

Pecos prospect yields Wolfcamp gas well

A Pecos County project has resulted in new Wolfcamp gas production inthe Hokit North field for **J. CLEO THOMPSON**, Dallas.

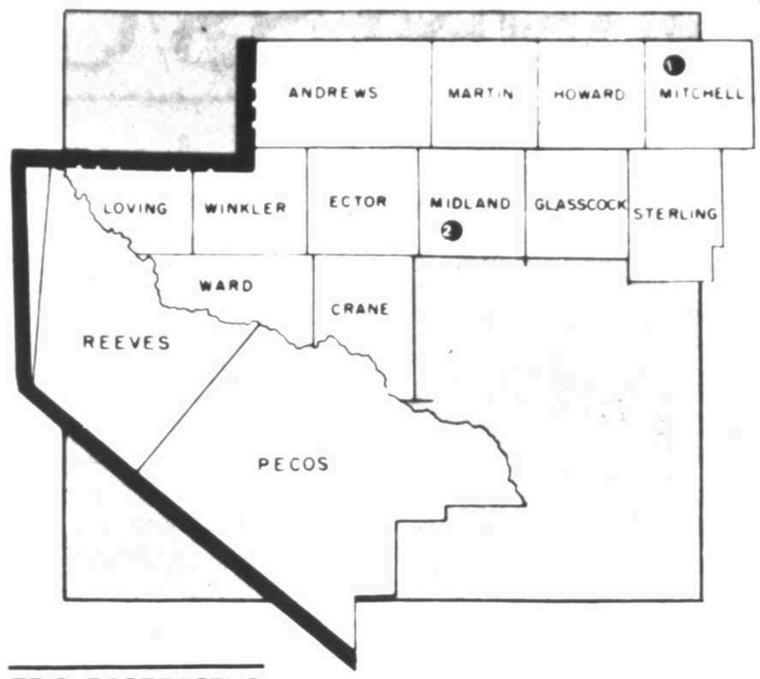
Thompson tested the No. 1 Mays for a calculated absolute open flow of 610 Mcfd from perforations 6,659 to 6,680 ft., which had been acidized with 3,000 gallons of 15 percent NeFe acid.

Permitted as a 10,000 ft. wildcat, the well was drilled to 9,357 ft. and plugged back to 9,060 ft. with 4 1/2 inch casing set at 9,356 ft.

Formation tops, on ground elevation of 3,300 ft., include the MOntoya at 9,300 ft., Sylvan Shale at 9,294, Devonian at 9,266, Detrital at 9,196, and Pennsylvanian at 8,696 ft. Pay was topped at 6,659 ft.

Location is 467 ft. from north and 660 ft. from east lines of Section 16, Block 100, EL&RR survey, 5.5 miles southwest of Bakersfield.

WILDCATS



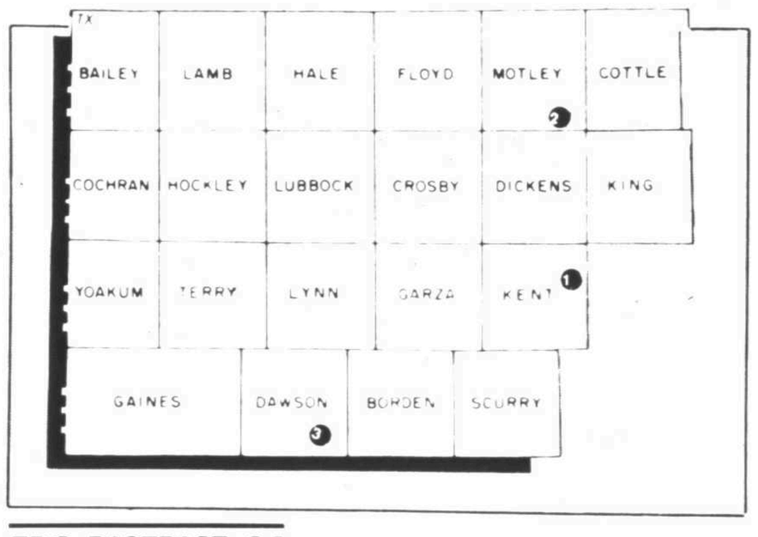
TRC DISTRICT 8

■ **1. KOHLER EYES MITCHELL PROSPECT.** Kohler Energy Corp., Wichita Falls, has applied to drill a 9,100 ft. prospect in Mitchell County, 3.5 miles southwest of Westbrook.

The No. 1 Kohler-Chaney is 1,980 ft. from north and east lines of Section 17, Block 28, T&P survey.

■ **2. MIDLAND DRAWS WILDCAT RECOMPLETION.** MLC Co. Inc., Midland, will reenter and deepen to 11,400 ft. for wildcat tests a Spraberry (Trend Area Dean Wolfcamp) producer in Midland County.

The No. 1 Parks "26" is 1,980 ft. from south and east lines of Section 26, Block 40, T-3-S, T&P survey, 13 miles south of Midland.



TRC DISTRICT 8A

■ **1. KENT DRAWS WILDCAT LOCATION.** Rose Operating, Inc. has applied to drill a 4,500 ft. wildcat in Kent County, five miles south of Jayton.

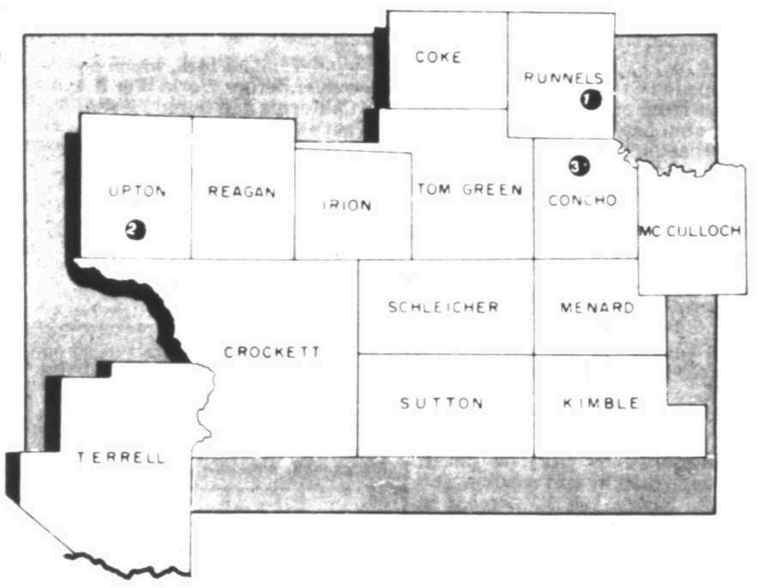
Rose Operating, inc., Dallas, will drill the No. 1 Jaybird 997 ft. from south and 1,666 ft. from east lines of Section 95, Block 98, H&TC survey.

■ **2. TRANSAMERICA EYES MOTLEY PROSPECT.** A 4,600 ft. prospect has been staked in Motley County, 12 miles east of Roaring Springs.

Transamerica Energy, Ltd., Dallas, has staked the No. 331-26 J. Bird 2,310 ft. from south and west lines of Section 1, Block S, J.H. Stephens survey.

■ **3. DAWSON EXPLORER PLANNED.** Jack N. Blair, Midland, plans to drill a 9,100 ft. explorer in Dawson County, 11 miles northeast of Lamesa.

The No. 1 Brown is 660 ft. from north and east lines of Section 6, Block 34, T-4-N, T&P survey.



TRC DISTRICT 7C

■ **1. RUNNELS DRAWS WILDCAT LOCATION.** A 3,800 ft. wildcat is planned for Runnels County, four miles northwest of Talpa.

New Horizon Exploration Inc., Irving, will drill the No. 4 Rhone 467 ft. from south and east lines of Section 120, A.G. Willis survey.

■ **2. MIDLAND OPERATOR EYES UPTON PROSPECT.** H.L. Brown Jr., Midland, has applied to drill a 10,500 ft. prospect in Upton County, 14 miles northwest of Rankin.

The No. 1-A Halff "18" is staked 1,980 ft. from south and 660 ft. from west lines of Section 18, Block 2, MK&T survey.

■ **3. EXPLORER STAKED IN CONCHO.** A 4,000 ft. explorer has been staked in Concho County, 5.5 miles southeast of Paint Rock.

Bowerman Oil & Gas Inc., Arlington, will drill the No. 1 Matthiesen 800 ft. from north and 1,500 ft. from west lines of Section 314, Block 72, Heinrich Heidelberg survey, Abst. 335.

COMPLETIONS

TRC DISTRICT 8

ANDREWS COUNTY

Fullerton

Exxon Corp. No. 3068 Fullerton Clearfork Unit, 5840 fsl, 9850 fel, sec 18, blk 13, ULS, 15 nw Andrews, Elev. 3292.6, TD 7400, PB 7346. Completed 3/25/88. Potentialed 4/5/88, pumping 95 bopd, 925 Mcfd, 461 bwpd, 41.8 API GOR 973:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 7391. Perforations 6724 to 7255. Acid 21,200 gals 15 percent HCL. Formation tops: Tubb 6554, Lower Clearfork 6606, Upper Staining 6701, Wichita 7044. Top of pay 6724.

Mabee

Texaco Producing Inc. No. 549 J.E. Mabee "A" NCT-1, 12,604 fsl, 7978 fel, sec 31, blk 39, T-2-N, G&MMB&A, 20 se Andrews, Elev. 2886, TD 4762, PB 4715. Completed 4-18-88. Potentialed 5-4-88, flowing 15 bopd, 6 Mcfd, 700 bwpd, open choke, FTP 20 psi, API 32, GOR 400:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4762. Perforations 4657 to 4714. Acid 5000 gals 28 percent HCL. Formation top: San Andres 4649. Top of pay 4657.

Means

Exxon Corp. No. 2058 Means San Andres Unit, 21,062 fsl, 4013 fwl, sec 13, blk A-35, PSL, 7.5 n Andrews, Elev. 3147.6 kb, TD 4700. Completed 3/10/88. Potentialed 4/8/88, pumping 46.5 bopd, 84 Mcfd, 37 bwpd, 29 API, GOR 1806:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4696. Perforations 4389 to 4546. Acid 3200 gals 15 percent HCL. Frac 45,000 gals gel, 105,000 lbs 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Queen A 4108, Queen B 4130, Grayburg 4158, Lower Grayburg 4316, San Andres 4470. Top of pay 4389.

ECTOR COUNTY

Goldsmith (Clearfork)

Arco Oil & Gas Co. No. 193 Goldsmith Cummins Deep Unit, 1220 fwl, 3960 fsl, sec 35, blk 45, T-1-N, T&P, 24 nw Odessa, Elev. 3207, TD 6400, PB 6310. Completed 4/13/88. Potentialed 4/29/88, pumping 42 bopd, 49 Mcfd, 210 bwpd, 35.87 API, GOR 1167:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 6399. Perforations 5525 to 6107. Acid 8000 gals. Frac 120,000 gals gel, 394,000 lbs sand. Formation tops: Yates 2755, San Andres 4084, (5600) 5490, Tubb 6050, Clearfork 6137. Top of pay 5525.

Goldsmith West (San Andres)

Mariah Energy Corp. No. 1 Cummins "A", 660 fnl, 660 fwl, sec 20, blk 45, T-1-N, T&P, 20 nw Odessa, TD 5850, PB 5802. Completed 4/21/88. Potentialed 5/3/88, pumping 108 bopd, 270 Mcfd, 7 bwpd, 37.5 API, GOR 2500:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 5850. Perforations 4195 to 4233. Acid 1200 gals 15 percent HCL. Frac 10,000 gals gel, 21,500 lbs 20/40 sand. Formation tops: San Andres 4188, Clearfork 5681. Top of pay 4188.

GLASSCOCK COUNTY

Mustang (Fusselman)

Union Texas Petroleum Corp. No. 2 Neste Houston "14", 467 fsl, 2173 fel, sec 14, blk 35, T-2-S, T&P, 17.2 nw Garden City, Elev. 2596, TD 10,948, PB 11,023. Completed 5/5/88. Potentialed 5/5/88, flowing 672 bopd, 304 Mcfd, 11/64 inch choke, FTP 1150 psi, API 53, GOR 452:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 10,945. Perforations (open hole) 10,948 to 11,023. Acid 1900 gals 15 percent NeFe. Formation tops: Yates 2100, San Andres 3550, Spraberry 6640, Wolfcamp 8650, Strawn 10,000. Top of pay 10,948.

HOWARD COUNTY

Howard Glasscock

Mobil Producing TX & NM, Inc. No. 55 Owen Chalk, 1100 fnl, 396 fwl, sec 113, blk 29, W&NW, 14.5 se Big Spring, Elev. 2428, TD 2526, PB 2479. Completed 3/23/88. Potentialed 4/22/88, pumping 34 bopd, 1 Mcfd, 21 bwpd, 29.6 API, GOR 29:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 2525. Perforations 2091 to 2213. Acid 1103 gals 15 percent NeFeHCL. Frac 24,906 gals gel, 85,360 lbs 12/20 sand. Formation tops: Yates 1204, Seven Rivers 1292, Queen 1502, San Andres 1885. Top of pay 2091.

Iatan East Howard

Sun Exploration & Production Co. No. 16 L.C. Denman "B", 2640 fwl, 710 fsl, sec 16, blk 30, T-1-S, T&P, 10 se Coahoma, Elev. 2335, TD 3000, PB 2995. Completed 3-18-88. Potentialed 4-27-88, pumping 51 bopd, 22 Mcfd, 62 bwpd, 30.7 API. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 3000. Perforations 2586 to 2990. Acid 6000 gals 15 percent NeFeHCL. Frac 19,800 gals gel, 48,000 lbs 12/20 sand. Formation tops: San Andres 2350, San Angelo 2573, Clearfork 2727. Top of pay 2573.

MARTIN COUNTY

Spraberry (Trend Area)

Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co. No. 1 Hyatt "K", 330 fsl, 660 fel, League 254, Ward CSL, 16 n Tarzan, Elev. 2910, TD 9600, PB 9551. Completed 4/19/88. Potentialed 5/3/88, pumping 48 bopd, 36 Mcfd, 95 bwpd, 39 API, GOR 750:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 9600. Perforations 7944 to 9524. Acid 5000 gals. 15 percent HCL. Frac 130,000 gals gel, 444,500 lbs 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Upper Spraberry 7970, Lower Spraberry 8600, Dean 9208, Base Dean 9428. Top of pay 7944.

PECOS COUNTY

Hokit North (Wolfcamp)

J. Cleo Thompson No. 1 Mays, 467 fnl, 660 fel, sec 16, blk 100, EL&RR, 5.5 sw Bakersfield, Elev. 3300, TD 9357, PB 9060. Completed 3/25/88. Potentialed 3/31/88, CAOF 610 Mcfed. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 9356. Perforations 6659 to 6680. Acid 3000 gals 15 percent NeFe. Formation tops: Montoya 9300, Sylvan Shale 9294, Devonian 9266, Detrital 9196, Pennsylvanian 8696. Top of pay 6659.

WARD COUNTY

Block 17 Southeast (Delaware)

Texaco Inc. No. 3 State of Texas "DL", 1137 fnl, 2593 fel, sec 3, blk 18, ULS, 6 nw Pyote, Elev. 2711 kb, TD 5170, PB 5020. Completed 4/26/88. Potentialed 5/2/88, pumping 14 bopd, 15 Mcfd, 212 bwpd, 36.8 API, GOR 1071:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 5170. Perforations 4984 to 5136. Acid 3300 gals 15 percent NeFe. Frac 34,000 gals gel, 60,000 lbs 20/40 sand. Top of pay 4984.

TRC DISTRICT 8A

COCHRAN COUNTY

Levelland

Depco Inc. No. 156 Whiteface Unit, 716 fsl, 1022 fwl, Tract 13, sec 22, blk V, PSL, 6 w Whiteface, TD 4947. Pumping 39 bopd, 56 bwpd, 31 API, GOR 308:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4947. Perforations 4906 to 4935.

GAINES COUNTY

Seminole East (San Andres)

Mobil Producing TX & NM, Inc. No. 604 Seminole East San Andres Unit, 2500 fnl, 1420 fwl, sec 128, blk G, WTRR, 4 ne Seminole, TD 5575. Pumping 361 bopd, 7 bwpd, 32.3 API, GOR 55:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 5575. Perforations 4970 to 5478.

GARZA COUNTY

Swenson-Barron (Ellenburger)

Bill Fenn Inc. No. 1 Swenson Fork, 1000 fsl, 2100 fwl, sec 2, blk 7, H&GN, 16 ne Post, TD 8012. Pumping 90 bopd, 23 bwpd, 41.1 API, GOR 11:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 8000.

HOCKLEY COUNTY

Yellowhouse

Amoco Production Co. No. 107 Yellowhouse Unit, 85 fnl, 135 fwl, Labor 8, League 718, State CSL, 7 w Whitharrel, TD 4572. Pumping 20 bopd, 206 bwpd, 31 API, GOR 143:1. Caisng 5 1/2 inches at 4478. Perforations 4478 to 4572.

SCURRY COUNTY

Hermleigh (Strawn)

Cockrell Production Co. Inc. No. 1-A James McMillan, 660 fnl, 1860 fel, sec 100, blk 3, H&TC, 11 se Snyder, TD 7610. Pumping 61 bopd, 37 bwpd, 42.7 API, GOR 2295:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 7308. Perforations 7066 to 7110.

YOAKUM COUNTY

Wasson

Shell Western Exploration & Production Inc. No. 4131 Denver Unit, 600 fsl, 2350 fel, sec 897, blk D, J.H. Gibson, 4 w Denver City, TD 5392. Pumping 80 bopd, 1 bwpd, 34.7 API, GOR 519:1. Casing 7 inches at 5392. Perforations 4963 to 5106.

Wasson (72)

Mabee Petroleum Corp. No. 2605 Gibson Unit, 1320 fnl, 1320 fel, sec 825, blk D, J.H. Gibson, 5 ne Denver City, TD 8200. Pumping 233 bopd, 20 bwpd, 30 API, GOR 210:1. Casing 7 inches at 8200. Perforations 7503 to 8029.

Shell Western Exploration & Production Inc. No. 5811-G Gaines Wasson Clearfork Unit, 150 fsl, 3850 fel, sec 38, blk AX, PSL, 2 e Denver City, TD 8080. Pumping 46 bopd, 4 bwpd, 32.3 API, GOR 250:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 8078. Perforations 7352 to 7726.

Mabee Petroleum Corp. No. 1015 Gibson Unit, 2640 fnl, 2370 fel, sec 760, blk D, J.H. Gibson, 4 ne Denver City, TD 8200. Pumping 81 bopd, 361 bwpd, 29.5 API, GOR 395:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 8200. Perforations 6559 to 7597.

TRC DISTRICT 7C

CROCKETT COUNTY

Ranch (Strawn)

Conoco Inc. No. 13 Ranch Strawn Unit, 660 fsl, 760 fwl, sec 9, blk A, BS&F, 17 sw Big Lake, TD 8400, PB 8352. Flowing 42 bopd, 368 bwpd, 48/64 inch choke, API 50. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 8400. Perforations 8146 to 8166. Acid 1000 gals.

RUNNELS COUNTY

Wingate West (Gray)

Adams Branch Exploration Co. No. 4 Chadbourne Ranch "288", 680 fsel, 1634 fswl, Gray Carroll survey 291, 4 w Wingate, TD 5390, PB 5352. Flowing 125 bopd, 50 bwpd, 16/64 inch choke, API 40, GOR 2400:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 5363. Perforations 5154 to 5164. Acid 1500 gals. Frac 900 sacks sand.

NEW MEXICO

EDDY COUNTY

Brushy Draw

Mallon Oil Co. No. 14 Amoco Federal, 660 fsl, 2030 fel, sec 28, T26s, R29e, Elev. 2877.5, TD 6130, PB 6102. Completed 3/25/88. Potentialed 4/7/88, pumping 248 bopd, 250 Mcf, 342 bwpd. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 6130. Perforations 4871 to 6032. Top of pay 4871.

Cemetary

Nearburg Producing Co. No. 1 Anderson "15", 1755 fnl, 660 fel, sec 15, T20s, R25e, Eelv. 3430.9, TD 9920, PB 9880. Completed 3/21/88. Flowing 1.02 Mmcfd, 18/64 inch choke, FTP 630 psi. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 9910. Perforations 9565 to 9647. Top of pay 9565.

Wildcat

Siete Oil & Gas Corp. No. 1 Nugget State, 660 fnl, 660 fel, sec 36, T19s, R31e, Elev. 3502, TD 7327, PB 7000. Completed 4/9/88. Potentialed 4/10/88, pumping 40 bopd, 3 Mcfd, 10 bwpd, 40.2 API, GOR 775:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 7327. Perforations 6493 to 6503. Acid 1000 gals 15 percent HCL. Formation tops: Anhydrite 808, Salt 937, Base Salt 2445, Yates 2569, Seven Rivers 2895, Delaware 4280, Bone Springs 7230. Top of pay 6493.

LEA COUNTY

Gladiola

TXO Production Corp. No. 2 Yates State, 2310 fnl, 330 fel, sec 16, T12s, R38e, Eelv. 3835.6, TD 9650, PB 9580. Completed 4-15-88. Potentialed 4/26/88, pumping 53 bopd, 186 bwpd, 41.4 API. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 9650. Perforations 9513 to 9576. Acid 5000 gals 15 percent NeFe. Formation tops: Anhydrite 2270, Yates 3065, Seven Rivers 3204, San Andres 4447, Glorieta 5932, Paddock 6574, Tubb 7158, Drinkard 7270, Abo 7870, Wolfcamp 9106. Top of pay 9513.

Hobbs

Shell Western Exploration & Production Inc. No. 213 North Hobbs Grayburg San Andres Unit Sec. 32, 639 fnl, 1885 fwl, sec 32, T18s, R38e, Eelv. 3636, TD 4350, BP 4303. Completed 4/15/88. Potentialed 4/22/88, pumping 131 bopd, 41 Mcfd, 352 bwpd, 35 API, GOR 313:1. Casing 7 inches at 4348. Perforations 4135 to 4256. Acid 1200 gals 15 percent HCL. Formation tops: Salt 1568, Yates 2624, Seven Rivers 2846, Queen 3358, Grayburg 3714, San Andres 3980. Top of pay 4135.

Maljamar

Petrus Oil Co., L.P. No. 7 State "D", 330 fsl, 1750 fel, sec 13, T17s, R33e, Elev. 4130, TD 4705, PB 4670. Completed 4/11/88. Potentialed 4/18/88, pumping 31 bopd, 15 Mcfd, 24 bwpd, 36 API, GOR 484:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4703. Perforations 4460 to 4658. Acid 2000 gals 15 percent NeFe. Frac 47,500 gals gel, 64,000 lbs 20/40 sand, 16,000 lbs 12/20 sand. Formation tops: Anhydrite 1510, Tansill 2646, Yates 2843, Seven Rivers 3164, Queen 3816, Grayburg 4454, San Andres 4590. Top of pay 4460.

Mescalero Escarpe

Meridian Oil Inc. No. 6 Caviness Federal, 990 fnl, 2310 fwl, sec 11, T18s, R33e, Eelv. 4038, TD 9000, PB 8910. Completed 4/14/88. Potentialed 4/17/88, pumping 143 bopd, 37 bwpd, 37.9 API. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 9000. Perforations 8630 to 8840. Acid 7000 gals. Top of pay 8630.

Shipp

Sohio Petroleum Co. No. 1 State "35", 600 fsl, 660 fel, sec 35, T16s, R37e, Elev. 3753.9, TD 11,933. PB 11,889. Completed 4/28/88. Potentialed 5/1/88, flowing 448 bopd, 448 Mcfd, 74 bwpd, 19/64 inch choke, FTP 527 psi. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 11,932. Perforations 11,565 to 11,616. Top of pay 11,550.

Skaggs

Conoco Inc. No. 5 State "A-2A", 330 fsl, 330 fel, sec 2, T20s, R37e, Eelv. 3593, TD 7500, PB 7449. Completed 1/26/88. Potentialed 1/28/88, flowing 248 Mcfd, 20 bwpd. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 7500. Perforations 7053 to 7368. Acid 18 barrels 15 percent NeFeHCL. Frac 8000 gals gel. Formation tops: Salt 1510, Base Salt 2585, Yates 2736, Seven Rivers 2998, Queen 3566, Grayburg 3824, Glorieta 5300, Paddock 5389, Blinebry 5945, Tubb 6410, Drinkard 6656, Abo 7019. Top of pay 7053.

Wildcat

Texaco Producing Inc. No. 1 B.F. Harrison "B" TN, 593 fnl, 1707 fwl, sec 9, T23s, R37e, Elev. 3314, TD 10,250, PB 10,230. Completed 3/27/88. Potentialed 3/27/88, flowing 373 bopd, 270 MCfd, 7 bwpd, 21/64 inch choke, FTP 270 psi. Liner 5 inches 8601 to 10,250. Perforations 10,182 to 10,226. Top of pay 10,182.

DEVELOPMENT

■ **DRILLING PROGRAM PLANNED FOR ANDREWS FIELD.** Exxon Corp., Midland, has applied to drill six new producers in the Fullerton field of Andrews County. All six are in the Fullerton Clearfork Unit, 15 miles northwest of Andrews. Proposed depth is 7,400 ft.

■ **EXXON PLANS ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY IN ANDREWS.** Exxon Corp. also plans to drill three wells in the Means field of Andrews County, all in the Means San Andres Unit. Proposed depth is 4,700 ft.

■ **TEXACO TO ADD TO GAINES FIELD PRODUCTION.** Four new producers are scheduled for the Harris field of Gaines County by Texaco Producing Inc. of Hobbs, N.M. All four are in the Wharton Unit, Section 5, Block A-22, PSL survey, 11 miles southwest of Seminole. Proposed depth is 6,050 ft.

■ **MOBIL PLANS ACTIVITY IN SALT CREEK FIELD.** Mobil Producing TX & NM Inc., Midland, will drill four new wells in the Salt Creek field of Kent County. All four are in the Salt Creek Field Unit, nine miles northwest of Clairemont. Proposed depth for all four is 6,370 ft.

TRC DISTRICT 8

ECTOR COUNTY

Goldsmith (5600)

Rust Oil Corp. No. 2 Phillips TXL "47", 1975 fnl, 666 fwl, sec 47, blk 45, T-1-S, T&P, 8 sw Goldsmith, PD 6060. Reentry.

Atkins Petroleum Corp. No. 1 TXL "43", 555 fsl, 555 fel, sec 43, blk 44, T-1-S, T&P, 20 n Odessa, PD 5800.

Harper

Atkins Petroleum Corp. No. 2 Cowden "H", 990 fsl, 1028 fel, sec 24, blk 44, T-2-S, T&P, 9 w Odessa, PD 4350.

HOWARD COUNTY

Sara-Meg (Canyon Reef)

A.K. Guthrie Operating Co. No. 4 Fern Winters; 467 fwl, 1320 fnl, sec 9, blk 25, H&TC, 5 nw Vincent, PD 7800.

WINKLER COUNTY

Henderson

Midland Energy Inc. No. 1 Skelly "B"; 330 fwl, 660 fnl, sec 15, blk B-26, PSL, 7 nw Kermit, PD 3250.

Midland Energy Inc. No. 2 Skelly "B"; 330 fwl, 990 fnl, sec 15, blk B-26, PSL, 7 nw kermit, PD 3250.

TRC DISTRICT 8A

BORDEN COUNTY

Clinta (Strawn)

Marshall & Winston Inc. No. 1 Blackard; 660 fnl, 1980 fel, sec 10, blk 32, T-5-N, T&P, 10 nw Gail, PD 9250, OTD 9878. Plugback.

DAWSON COUNTY

Boch (Spraberry)

Terra Resources Inc. No. 1 Weaver; 2600 fsl, 5097 fwl, League 1, Taylor CSL, 5 w Lamesa, PD 8300.

GARZA COUNTY

P.H.D. (Glorieta)

Rocker A Well Service Inc. No. 3-G C.B. Johnston, 1980 fnl, 1980 fel, sec 1246, P.H. Talley, 10 nw Post, PD 3900.

Rocker A Well Service Inc. No. 2-G O.B. Franklin; 1980 fsl, 1980 fel, sec 1246, P.H. Talley, 10 nw Post, PD 3900.

HOCKLEY COUNTY

Mallet (Fusselman)

Chevron U.S.A. Inc. No. 1-A Mallet Land & Cattle Co.; 875 fsl, 785 fwl, Labor 3, League 51, Scurry CSL, 6 sw Sundown, PD 11,850.

KING COUNTY

Edwards Bluff (Tannehill)

SRG Oil Corp. No. 8 T. Bacon; 467 fsl, 1875 fel, sec 114, blk F, H&TC, 15 s Guthrie, PD 3600.

MOTLEY COUNTY

Wolf Flat (Cisco)

Chevron U.S.A. Inc. No. 3 W.W. Mulling; 1950 fnl, 2300 fwl, sec 149, blk S-5, D&PRR, 19 n Matador, PD 5800.

SCURRY COUNTY

Ride Southwest (Penn Reef)

Terra Resources Inc. No. 1 Longbotham; 803 fnl, 467 fel, sec 149, blk 97, H&TC, 4 nw Ira, PD 7200.

TRC DISTRICT 7C

REAGAN COUNTY

Lone Joe Deep (Fusselman)

Amoco Production Co. No. 2 Dora S. Pfluger "P"; 2462 fsl, 1389 fel, sec 37, blk A, TCRR, 26 nw Big Lake, PD 9800.

TOM GREEN COUNTY

Atkinson West (San Angelo)

Guy A. Swartz No. 23 Tweedy; 2310 fsl, 270 fwl, sec 1027, CCSD&RGNG, 3 w Knickerbocker, PD 1200.

Harriet South (Strawn)

Fortune Production Co. No. 4 McGill, 660 fnl, 1667 fel, Mary McMullen survey 335.5, 4 e San Angelo, PD 4936. Reenry.

Sugg Ranch (Canyon)

IP Petroleum Co. Inc. No. 1-20 Pfluger "B"; 701 fnl, 1007 fwl, sec 20, blk A, TCRR, 22 sw Sterling City, PD 8200.

IP Petroleum Co. Inc. No. 2-17 Pfluger "B"; 660 fnl, 660 fel, sec 17, blk A, TCRR, 22 sw Sterling City, PD 8200.

IP Petroleum Co. Inc. No. 1-21 Pfluger "D"; 660 fnl, 1980 fel, sec 21, blk A, TCRR, 25 sw Sterling City, PD 8200.

UPTON COUNTY

Spraberry (Trend Area)

Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co. No. 1 Stumhoffer; 1980 fnl, 1876 fel, sec 11, blk 39, T-5-S, T&P, 23 ne Upland, PD 8,550.

Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co. No. 2 Stumhoffer; 1980 fnl, 1976 fwl, sec 11, blk 39, T-5-S, T&P, 23 ne Upland, PD 8550.

Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co. No. 3 Stumhoffer; 660 fnl, 660 fwl, sec 11, blk 39, T-5-S, T&P, 23 ne Upland, PD 8550.

NEW MEXICO

EDDY COUNTY

East Ross Draw

Corinne B. Grace No. 1 Yvonne Federal; 1980 fsl, 1980 fel, sec 24, T26s, R30e, 19 se Malaga, PD 7025.

Santo Nino (Undesignated)

Manzano Oil Corp. No. 3 Elliott Federal; 760 fsl, 2080 fel, sec 30, T18s, R30e, 7.5 sw Loco Hills, PD 8275.

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PE	Sales	Last	Chg.

A—A

AMR	11	1037	42⅞	+	⅛
ARX	11	20	8¼	—	⅛
ASA		3	126	43⅛	+ ⅛
AbtLab		1.20	15	2597	43⅝ + ⅛
AetnLf		2.76	6	4801	40 + ¼
AirPrd		1	13	322	46⅝ — ⅛
AlskAir		16	17	512	19⅛ — ⅛
Alcan		a.72	9	716	27⅝ + ⅛
AlcoS		a.68	11	493	23⅝ + ⅛
Algnt		336	3⅝	—	⅛
AlgPw		3	9	97	36⅛
Allegis		11	120	81¼	
AldSgnl		1.80	10	815	31⅝ + ⅛
AlliC		50	1¼	+	⅛
Alcoa		1.20	11	1544	44 + ⅛
Amax		.20	83	650	19⅝ + ⅛
AmHes		.60	22	498	29⅝
AmBrnd		2.20	9	1139	44 — ⅛
ACyan		1.20	15	2143	48 — ⅛
AEPw		2.26a	10	334	26⅝ — ⅛
AmExp		.76	21	2140	23⅝ + ⅛
AFamly		.24	11	419	13⅝ + ⅛
AHome		3.60	12	392	72⅛ + ⅛
Amrtch		5.40	10	229	86 + ¼
AIntGr		.30	8	375	52⅝
AmRlty		.41e	3	22	4⅛
AmStd		.46j	19	6	77
AmStor		.84	14	66	58⅛ + ⅛
AT&T		1.20	14	3887	26⅝
Ametk		a.60	16	167	15⅛ — ⅛
Amoco		3.50	12	919	74⅜ — ⅛
AMP		1	20	569	47
Anacmp		13	584		9⅛ + ⅛
Anadrk		.30	54	1036	22⅜ — ⅛
Anheus		.60	14	1831	30⅛ + ⅛
ArchDn		.10b	11	1441	21⅛ + ⅛
Armco		21	314		10⅛ + ⅛
ArmWl		1	11	1066	37⅝ + 1
Asarco		.30e	3	261	22⅞ + ⅛
AshlOil		1.80	12	93	69
AtlRich		4	11	1033	84⅝
AtlasCp		22	124		33⅛ — ⅛
Augat		.40	23	63	12⅜
AVMCO		.34	12	12	24⅛ + ⅛
Avery		.48	25	135	22 + ⅛
Avnet		.50	18	266	23⅛ + ⅛
Avon		2	12	294605	24⅛ + ⅛
Aydin		10	32	20	⅝ + ⅛

B—B

BakrHu		.46		1799	16⅞ + ⅛
BallyMf		.24	6	373	15⅝
BaltGE		1.90	9	261	31⅛
BncOne		.92b	12	1097	24⅛ — ⅛
BkNY		1.80	10	580	30⅛
BnkAm			2219	10	— ⅛
Bausch			1	15	327	42⅝ + ⅛
Baxter		.50	16	2882	20 + ⅛
BellHwl		.82	13	14	63⅜ + ⅛
BellAtl		4.08	10	583	65⅝ + ⅛
BellSo		2.36	11	1670	38⅛ — ⅛
BenfCp		2	8	90	43⅛ + ⅛
BengtB		.05e	13	111	3⅝
BestPd		12	167		11⅛ + ⅛
BethStl		.8	2182		18⅛ + ⅛
Bevrly		.05j		389	6 — ⅛
BlackD		.40	16	390	20⅛ — ⅛
BlkHR		a.88	18	1068	25⅛ + ⅛
Boeing		1.80	15	1721	48⅝
BoiseC		a1.20	10	472	43⅛ + ⅛
Borden		1.56	14	157	51⅛ + ⅛
BostEd		1.82	8	699	13⅛ + ⅛
BristMy		1.68	15	3061	39⅛ + ⅛
BrittPt		3.05e	12	56	60 — ⅛
BrwnFr		.48	17	2151	22⅛ + ⅛
Brnwk		a.36	10	633	21⅜
BrlNth		2.20	12	279	66 — ⅛

C—C

CBS			3	17	298	150⅛ + ⅛
CIGNA		2.96	6	317	43⅝ + ⅛
CMS			En	5	400	18⅛ — ⅛
CNW		16	370		24⅛ — ⅛
CPC		1.44	11	1021	47⅞ + ⅛
CSX		1.24	10	2681	26⅝ — ⅛
Caesar		12	361		24⅝
CamSp		a.84	13	143	25⅞
CapCits		.20	17	85	318⅛
CarPw		2.76	8	126	32⅝
CartH			n10	5	10	
CastlCk		12	133		23¼ + ⅛
Caterp		.75	11	1756	59⅛ + ⅛
Centel		a1.72	13	298	46⅝ + ⅛
CentEn		1.80	6	948	14⅛
CenSoW		2.44	8	202	30⅜ — ⅛
CntlPS		1.76	10	x54	20⅛ — ⅛
Chmpln		.80	7	2357	33⅝ + ⅛
ChamSp		.15e	24	279	11⅜ — ⅛
ChartC		.02e	6	42	4⅛ — ⅛
Chase		2.16		1423	24⅝ + ⅛
ChmBnk		2.72		727	25⅞ + ⅛
Chevrn		2.60	13	2216	47⅜ + ⅛
ChrisCr		.53t	26	782	19¾ + 1⅛
Chryslr		1	4	1870	22⅝ — ⅛
CircleK		.28	15	320	13⅜ + ⅛
CirCty		.08	12	69	27⅛
Citicrp		a1.48		6876	21⅛ + ⅛
ClarkE			230		30⅝ + ⅛
Clorox		1.04	12	293	27⅝ + ⅛
Coastal		.40	13	556	27⅛ + ⅛
CocaCl		1.20	15	2299	36⅝ + ⅛
Coleco			315		2⅛ + ⅛
ColgPal		1.48	44	366	41⅜
Colt			n	7	79	16⅝
ColGas			2	12	704	29⅛ + ⅛
CmbEn			1	19	309	29⅛ + ⅛
Comdre		.8	227		9⅜
CmwE			3	5	855	23⅝ — ⅛
Comsat		1.20			14	28 + ⅛
ConsEd		3.20	9	x2334	41⅛
ConsNG		1.64	14	181	35¼ + ⅛
Conrail		.75e	8	819	29 — ⅛
CnStor		14	134		4⅛ — ⅛
Contel		2.08	54	610	31⅛
CotlCp		2.80	10	371	36 + ⅛
CtData		.45	119		25⅛ + ⅛
Cooper		1.80	16	120	55⅝ + ⅛
CornGl		1.48	13	477	50 — ⅛
CrayRs		22	686		82 — ⅛
CrownCk		12	44		108⅛ — 1⅛
CumEn		2.20		168	52⅝
CurtW		1.60	9	3	49 — ⅛

D—D

DPL		2.16	10	268	24⅝ + ⅛
DaneCp		1.52	10	36	36
DataGn			149		21⅜ + ⅛
DaytHd		1.02	15	875	35⅛ — ⅛
Deere		.50	19	572	44⅜ + ⅛
DeltaAir		1.20	9	227	47 + ⅛
DetEd		1.68	9	864	12 — ⅛
Digital		11	1860		102⅜ + ⅛
Disney		.40	16	1412	56⅛ + ⅛
DomRs		3.08	9	206	42⅛ + ⅛
Dover		1.12	18	43	66 — ⅛
DowCh		2.40	10	2918	60⅜ + ⅛
DowJns		.68	12	102	30⅝ — ⅛
Dresr		.50	30	1598	32⅝ + ⅛
duPont		3.80	10	1004	82 — ⅛
DukeP		2.80	10	159	42⅛
DuqLt		1.20	9	146	14⅜

E—E

ERC	8	90		9¼	+ ⅛
EastGF		1.30	11	35	24⅛ + ⅛
EKodk		a1.80	11	3110	41⅛ + ⅛
Eaton		2	10	382	78⅛ — ⅛
Echlin		.82	19	503	16⅛ + ⅛
EkcoGp		.45	42		2⅛
EmrsE		a1	14	1456	29⅝ — ⅛
Enron		2.48		197	40⅝ + ⅛
Enarch		.80	33	460	17 — ⅛
Ethyl		.44	13	352	20⅝ + ⅛
Exxon		a2.20	12	6132	43⅝ + ⅛

F—F

FMC	7	209		33⅝	+ ⅛
FPL Gp		2.12	9	284	29⅛ + ⅛
Fairchd		.20		98	10⅛ — ⅛
Fairfd			5	5⅝	
Feders		.28	15	116	8⅝ + ⅛
FedNM		.72	7	1271	35⅛ + ⅛
FedDSt		1.48	21	7	72⅛ + ⅛
FinCpA			49	1⅛	
FnSBar		.10		52	4⅜ + ⅛
FtBkSy		1.64	59	758	20⅝ — ⅛
FCapHd		.6	292		6⅝ + ⅛
FstChic		1.50		1497	25⅝
Flntste		2.80		84	42 + ⅛
FstPa			84	10⅝	+ ⅛
FtWach		1.36	11	15	37⅛ + ⅛
FleetEn		.60	11	95	20⅝ — ⅛
FlghtSf		.20	18	601	35⅛ + ⅛
FlaPrg		2.48	9	498	34⅛ + ⅛
FlwGen		17	15	5⅛	
Fluor		23	665		17⅛ — ⅛
FthillG		.20	7	21	6⅛ — ⅛
FordM		a2	5	3871	47 + ⅛
FrptMc		2.41e	6	198	24⅝ — ⅛

G—G

GAF			10	16	866	49 + ⅛
GTE		2.52	10	3508	35⅛ — ⅛
Gannett		1	14	2641	30⅝ + ⅛
GnCrp		a.60	46	827	18⅛ + ⅛
Genetch		49	2174		30⅛ + ⅛
GnDyn		1	5	38	54⅝
GenEl		1.40	12	6468	39⅛ + ⅛
GnHous		.24	15	19	7⅜ — ⅛
Gninst		.25	16	831	32⅝ + ⅛
GnMills		1.60	13	820	43⅛
GMot		.5e	7	1873	73⅛ + ⅛
GM E		.68	15	387	43⅛ + ⅛
GPU		1.20	7	317	33⅛ + ⅛
GnSigni		1.80	19	146	50⅝ + ⅛
Geneco		11	82		4⅛ — ⅛
GaPac		1.20	8	341	38⅝ + ⅛
GerbPd		1.32	21	95	39⅝ + ⅛
GibrFn			42	3⅜	— ⅛
Gillete		.86	17	5456	37⅝ + 1
Glaxo		n.45e	18	2036	17⅛ + ⅛
GldNug		.3	399		13⅛ + ⅛
Gdrich		1.72	14	1185	55 — ⅛
Goodyr		1.60	6	1049	61⅛ + ⅛
Gould			396	14	
Grace		a1.40	13	578	25⅝ + ⅛
GtAtPc		.50	13	149	34⅝ + ⅛
GtNNk		.92	9	188	39⅛ + ⅛
GtWFn		.76	9	234	12⅝ — ⅛
Greyh		1.32	2763	290	27⅝
Grumn		1		39	20⅝
GtWst		a.70	13	1345	37⅝ + ⅛
GtStUt		4	674		5⅛

H—H

Halbtn		1	39	2490	32⅛ + 1
Harind		.58	15	303	20⅛
Harley		7	71		21⅝ + ⅛
Harris		.88	12	268	28⅝ + ⅛
Hecks			6	1⅜	— ⅛
HeclaM		.05e	18	133	12⅜
Heinz		1.24	14	581	40 + ⅛
Herculs		1.92	4	134	46⅛
Hrshey		.62	13	550	22⅝
HewlPk		.26	22	1534	61 + ⅛
Holidy			n	5	535	25
Hmatk		a.20	9	213	14⅜ — ⅛
Honwell		2.10	11	432	67⅛ + ⅛
HCA		.72	11	1353	32⅜ — ⅛
Hotlinv		.2		169	15⅝
Houslnt		.2	9	171	51⅛ — 1⅛
Houlnd		2.96	8	364	29⅜ — ⅛
Human		.80	12	1052	24⅛

I—I

IC Ind		.96	15	1270	32 + ⅛
ITT Cp		1.25	6	1070	46⅝
IdahoP		1.80	19	90	21⅜ + ⅛
IdealB			2	2⅝	
IllPowr		2.64	5	604	18⅜ + ⅛
ITW		a.40	17	233	36⅜ + ⅛
ImpCh		3.99e	8	502	73¼ + ⅛
ICA		.60	4	145	9⅜ — ⅛
INCO		.80	12	1152	26¼ — ⅛
IngerR		a1.04	17	878	38⅛ + ⅛
InldStl		.25e	13	151	32⅜ — ⅛
Intrlke		1.40	9	60	43⅜ + ⅛
IBM		4.40	12	3781	109 + ⅛
IntFlav		1.60	15	300	46⅛ + ⅛
IntMin		1	17	2263	41⅜ — ⅛
IntPap		1.30	10	807	41⅛
Ipalco		1.64	9	200	22⅝

J—J

JRiver			40	10	340	22 — ⅛
Jwlcr			43	18⅜	+ ⅛
JohnJn			2	14	1632	73⅛ + ⅛
JohnInd			7	3	17	
Josten			56	8	71	18¼ + ⅛

K—K

K mrt		a1.32	10	633	32⅜ + ⅛
Kaiartc		15j		1616	18⅛ + ⅛
Kaneb			70	2⅜	— ⅛
KCSou		1.08	20	11	38⅝ + ⅛
KanGE		1.48	10	56	19
KansPL		1.72	10	51	24
Katyln		.20	1	13⅜	
KaufB		a.32	7	72	13⅛ + ⅛
Kellogg		1.52	15	210	50⅝ + ⅛
KerrMc		1.10	21	138	36⅝
KimbCl		1.60	13	340	53⅝ — ⅛
KnghtR		1.12	15	326	41⅝ — ⅛
Kopers		90e	363	888	54½ — ⅛
Kraft		2.04	15	1087	52 — ⅛
Kroger		1.12	14	832	32⅝ + ⅛

L—L

LTV	1	431		3⅝	+ ⅛
LearPt				29	2¼
Learnl		a.40	19	50	16⅝ — ⅛
LeeEnt		.64	17	80	26⅝ + ⅛
Lehmn	2	1.4e		73	11⅜
Lilly		2.30	16	900	75 + ⅛
LincNtl		2.36	11	195	43 + ⅛
Litton		14	66		82¼ — ⅛
Lockhd		1.60	7	1863	45¼ + ⅛
Loews			1	6	2365	63⅜ — ⅛
LnStar		1.90	14	173	29⅜ + ⅛
LILCo		6	15256		10⅛ + ⅛
LaLand			1	50	5754	30⅝ + ⅛
LaPac			92	7	x145	30 + ⅛
LuckyS			60	16	1929	61⅛ + ⅛
Lukens			88	8	40	38 + ⅛

M—M

MCA			68	23	429	41⅛ + ⅛
MDU		1.42	11		35	18⅛
Macmil			80	19	247	51⅛ + ⅛
MfrHan		3.28			910	26⅛ + ⅛
Manvl			129		2	— ⅛
MAPCO			1	20	26	56⅛
Marriot			20	17	446	28⅝ + ⅛
MartM			1.10	10	553	42⅝ — ⅛
Masco			40	14	289	25⅝ — ⅛
Maxus			296	6	—	⅛
Maxam			3	503	12	+ ⅛
MayDS		1.28	11	1492	31⅜ — ⅛
Maytag		a.90	11	742	21 + ⅛
McDerl		1.80		240	19 — ⅛
McDnl		a.50	14	876	42⅜ + ⅛
McDnD		2.56	8	45	63⅜ — ⅛
McGrH		1.84	14	719	48⅝ — ⅛
McKes		1.44	14	111	32¼ + ⅛
Mead		.76	9	562	34⅛ — ⅛
Mellon		1.40		56	26⅝ + ⅛
Melvill		2.10	12	133	64 + 1
MercSt		a.80	11	22	38⅛ + ⅛
Merck		3.84	21	914	150
Merck			wi		100	50⅛
MerLyn			1	6	1347	23⅛ — ⅛
MidSUt		5	4576		9
MWE		1.52	10	19	18¼
MMM		a2.12	14	1183	58⅛
MinnPL		1.72	11	25	23⅛
Mobil		2.40	12	1764	45⅛ + ⅛
Monsan		3	12	2434	80 — ⅛
MonPw		2.68	12	19	33⅜ + ⅛
Morgan		1.50	47	2827	32⅜ + ⅛
Morton		84	12	139	40⅛ + ⅛
Motorla		64	16	1047	46⅛

N—N

NCR		1.24	12	375	58⅝ + ⅛
NIPSCO		45e	15	360	10⅜ + ⅛
NL Ind		20		123	7⅛ + ⅛
NWA		.90	12	440	39⅜ — ⅛
Nalco		1.32	16	369	34⅛ + ⅛
NatFG		a1.20	10	17	17⅛ + ⅛
NII		.25		72	17⅛ + ⅛
NtSemi			1916		12⅝ + ⅛
Navistr		14	1998		6⅛ + ⅛
NevPw		1.48	11	36	20⅝ + ⅛
NEngEl		2.04	7	82	20⅛ + ⅛
NwtM		a.60a	5	114	35⅛
NiaMP		1.20	15	478	14⅛
NtfkSo		1.20	36	1058	26⅛
Nortek		.10a		129	7⅛ + ⅛
NoestUt		1.76	10	1004	19½ — ⅛
NoStPw		2.02	10	239	29⅜ + ⅛
Nortrp		1.20	7	71	28⅛
Norton		2	15	3135	52⅜ + 1⅛
Norwst		2		25	41⅛ — ⅛
Nynex		4.04	10	1131	61⅜ + ⅛

O—O

OcciPet		2.50	26	1988	27⅛ + ⅛
OhioEd		1.96	8	600	17⅝
OklaGE		2.28	11	21	30¼ — ⅛
Olin		1.60	13	326	47 + ⅛
ONEOK		64j	7	574	13¾ + ⅛
OrngCo		15	136		8⅝ + ⅛
OwenC			n	6	275	19⅜ + ⅛
Oxford		50		20	10⅜ + ⅛

P—Q

PHM			12	45	78	6⅝ — ⅛
PPG		1.20	12	933	41⅜ + ⅛
PacEnt		3.48	11	286	44⅜ + ⅛
PacGE		1.92	10	2085	14⅜ + ⅛
PacTel		1.76	12	783	28 + ⅛
Pacifcp		2.64	9	250	34 + ⅛
PanAm			303	2⅜	— ⅛
PanEC			2	7	628	23⅛ + ⅛
Patten		.09i	8	57	5⅝
Penney			2	11	286	45⅝ + ⅛
PaPL		2.76	10	130	34⅝
Penwlt		2.40	15	950	64⅝ + 2⅛
Pennzol		2.20	95	76	72⅛ + ⅛
PepBy		a.10	17	3028	10⅜ + ⅛
PepsiCo		.84	14	2898	33⅜ + ⅛
PerkEl		.60		1066	23⅛ + ⅛
Pfizer		2	12	1765	51⅛ — ⅛
PhelpD		.80	5	1370	38⅝ + ⅛
PhilaEl		2.20	8	396	17⅝
PhilMr		3.60	10	1628	85⅝ + ⅛
Philpln		.44	13	1249	19⅛ + ⅛
PhilPet		.60	22	9505	17 + ⅛
Phlcorp				11	5⅝ + ⅛
Pillsbry		1.12	49	934	39 + ⅛
PinWst		2.80	9	494	24⅜ + ⅛
PitnyBw		.92	15	1790	41⅜ — ⅛
Pittstn			554	13⅜	
PlcrD g		n.20		406	12⅜
Polard		a.60	19	2423	31⅜ + ⅛
PortGC		1.96	14	45	22⅛
Primca		a1.60	9	308	24⅝
ProctG		2.80	23	1192	73⅛ + ⅛
PSvCol		.2	8	339	21⅜ + ⅛
PSInd		5	334	12⅛	— ⅛
PSEG		a2	9	379	22⅝
PugetP		1.76	9	58	18⅝ + ⅛
Pullmn		12	14	148	5⅛ + ⅛
Pyro		14	13	5⅝	
Qantel		4	308	1⅛	
QuakrO		1	15	590	44⅜ — ⅛
QuakSC		80		446	22 + ⅛
Quantm		2.20	8	1224	76⅛ — ⅛
Questar		1.88	19	49	30⅛ + ⅛

R—R

RJR Nb		1.92	9	2278	46⅛
RLC			20	7	615	7⅛ + ⅛
RalsPur		1.50	13	200	70⅛
Ramad			183		6⅜ + ⅛
RangrO		.82	85		5⅜
Raythn			2	10	212	65⅝ + ⅛
ReadBt				97	1⅛	— ⅛
ReyMt		a.80	9	644	43¼ — ⅛
RiteAid		.74	16	273	36⅛
Robins		.12	40		24⅝ + ⅛
Rockwl		.72	7	1307	18⅛ — ⅛
RoHaas		.92	11	188	31
Rohr		18	259		25⅝ + ⅛
Rorer		a.80	17	301	28⅝ — ⅛
Rowan			1274		7⅝ — ⅛
RoyID		6.32e	11	643	121⅛ + ⅛
Ryder		.56	17	1470	26⅝ + ⅛

S—S

SPSTec			1	13	38	29¼ + ⅛
SFeSP		a.10		3	1029	14⅜ — ⅛
SaraLee		1.20	14	232	37¼ + ⅛
SCANA		2.40	10	54	30⅜ — ⅛
SchrPlg		1.40	16	1442	46⅝ + ⅛
Schlmb		1.20	17	3166	37¼ + ⅛
ScottP		a.74	11	618	38⅛ + ⅛
Seagrm		1.10	10	281	52⅝
Sears		2	9	1488	35⅛ + ⅛
ShellT		4.65e	14	20	78⅝ + ⅛
Shrwin		.64	14	280	26 + ⅛
Skyline		.48	14	6	14 + ⅛
SmkB		a1.84	11	565	50⅝ + ⅛
Sonat		2	9	333	28
SonyCp		29e		402	43¼ + ⅛
SCalEd		2.38	10	680	30⅝
SouthCo		2.14	9	882	22¼ + ⅛
SwBell		2.48	10	2492	34
SwtPS		2.12	10	805	24⅝ — ⅛
SquarD		1.92	13	165	53 + ⅛
Squibb		a1.60	16	1642	57 + 1
Staley		.80	27	4341	37⅛
StevnJ		.30j	20	47	68⅛
StopSh		a.64	22	1	43⅝
SunCo			3	17	92	56⅝ — ⅛
Syntex		a1.30	14	848	32⅝ + ⅛
Sysco		32	18	235	28⅝ + ⅛

T—T

TECO		a1.42	11	574	21½
TRW		1.60	10	399	43¼ + ⅛
TacBt			228		⅝
Talley		a.30		36	13⅜ + ⅛
Tandm			a17	752	17⅝
Tandy			60	13	581	44⅝ — ⅛
Tndycfl			20	149	13¼ — ⅛
TchSym			11	343	14⅜ — ⅛
Tektrnx			60		109	25⅝
Teldyn			4	9	38	335⅛ + 2⅛
Tennco			3.04		1644	41⅛ + ⅛
Tesoro				130	10⅝	— ⅛
Texaco			3	21	4421	50⅜ + ⅛
TexEst			1	19	278	25⅜ — ⅛
Texinst			72	16	1501	44⅛ — ⅛
TexUtil			2.88	5	686	25⅛
Textrn			a1	7	832	24⅝ + ⅛
Tigerin			10	255	15⅜ + ⅛
Time			1	19	475	87
TmMir			a.92	14	246	30⅝ + ⅛
Timken			1.20	33	23	73⅛ + ⅛
Tokhem			.48	11	23	21⅜
Tosco			18	544	3	+ ⅛
Transm			1.84	6	308	31⅝ + ⅛
Transco			1.36		522	26⅝
Travler			2.40	10	318	33⅜ + ⅛
TriCon			4.68e		129	20⅜ — ⅛
Tribune			.76	18	393	36¼ + ⅛
Trinova			.56	13	500	29 + ⅛
TucsEP			3.90	11	62	55½ + ⅛

U—U

UGI			2.14	8	118	26 — ⅛
UNCInc			.01e	15	688	10⅛ — ⅛
USFG			2.64	7	680	30⅝ + ⅛
USG			1.12b	14	2916	44⅛ — ⅛
USX			1.20	22	843	31 + ⅛
UCarb			1.50	12	1559	23⅛ + ⅛
UnElec			1.92	8	183	21⅜ — ⅛
UnPac			2	12	861	61⅛ — ⅛
Unisys			a1	10	1270	32⅝ + ⅛
UnBrnd			80	13	6	54⅛
USWest			3.52	9	983	51 + ⅛
UnTech			1.60	8	951	37⅜ + ⅛
UniTel			1.92		550	28⅛ + ⅛
Unocal			1		501	35⅝ — ⅛
Upjohn			.72	16	1502	27⅛ + ⅛
USLIFE			1.28	9	310	33⅜ + ⅛
UtaPL			2.32	13	127	30 + ⅛

V—V

Varian				26	448	226	26⅜ — ⅛
Varity			14

WRITEOFF

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The bank board said the industry's capital declined by $3.3 billion in the first quarter, compared with an increase of $548 million in the first quarter of 1987.

The figures indicate that the industry, which suffered its worst loss since the Great Depression last year at $6.8 billion, is in for another bad year.

"Those are terrible numbers," said Bert Ely, an Alexandria, Va., financial institutions analyst. "What's really concerning is ... that annualizes out to a $12 billion to $13 billion loss for the year, which is roughly double what the industry showed in 1987."

An institution's capital represents the amount of money left over after its assets are sold and its deposits and debts are paid off.

As the number of insolvent S&Ls has soared during the 1980s, the industry's capital-to-assets ratio — a key measure of health — has dwindled from 4.51 percent at the end of 1986 to 4.12 percent at the end of last year. It plummeted again in the first three months of this year to 3.44 percent.

"You're seeing a rate of decline ... that would exhaust the industry's capital in about 3½ years," Ely said. "The losers in the industry, the insolvent thrifts, are just sinking much faster than the healthy thrifts can pull them out of it."

The report lends new credence to arguments that the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corp. does not have enough money to resolve the problems of the more than 500 insolvent institutions and that taxpayers' money may be needed.

Congress, in passing legislation last August, pledged to stand behind the insurance fund.

Bank board chairman M. Danny Wall said it is too soon to tell whether the $20 billion available over the next three years will be enough.

However, bank board officials said last month that an audit of the insurance fund, which backs deposits up to $100,000, showed that its liabilities exceeded its assets by $11.6 billion at the end of 1987, up from $6.3 billion at the end of 1986.

An audit report due this month from the congressional General Accounting Office is expected to show an even larger deficit at the end of 1987 and some analysts say the insurance fund may eventually be $30 billion to $60 billion in the hole.

The March decline at the single Texas thrift alone accounts for a fifth of the money — $6 billion — that the bank board is allotting to clean up Southwest institutions.

The industry's earnings prospects, at least in the next few months, look dim, Ely said, because interest rates on what institutions pay for funds are rising faster than the rate they earn on their loan portfolios.

One bright spot in the bank board report is the sixth consecutive monthly increase in deposits in March. Deposits flowed into savings institutions during the first three months of 1988 at the fastest rate since the fourth quarter of 1984.

The bank board said net deposits increased by $4.5 billion in March, bringing net deposits for the first quarter of this year to $15.2 billion.

RETAIL

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In addition, unseasonably cool weather in the Northeast and West dampened sales for spring apparel as well as for lawn and garden items.

Given all the unusual influences, analysts said the weak April sales report did not alter their general assessment that the economy has been performing well so far this year.

Total economic activity, as measured by the gross national product, rose at an annual rate of 2.3 percent in the first three months of the year, far better than the recession fears immediately following the stock market crash last October would have indicated.

The surprisingly strong growth has caused interest rates to rise in recent weeks as investors have begun worrying about inflationary pressures. Major banks boosted their prime lending rate on Wednesday to 9 percent, the first increase since last October.

The retail sales report showed widespread weakness in a number of areas.

Car sales fell for the first time since November, declining by 1 percent, to a seasonally adjusted $29.7 billion. Strong car sales, propelled by sales incentive programs, have provided much of the overall strength in consumer spending so far this year.

Without the weakness in car sales, total retail sales would have been a slightly lower 0.5 percent in April.

Sales of all durable goods, items expected to last at least three years, dropped 0.6 percent. Sales of non-durable goods fell an identical 0.6 percent.

In the durable goods category, sales at hardware and building supply stores were up 1 percent while sales at furniture stores fell by 0.2 percent.

In the non-durable goods cateogry, sales at department stores dropped 0.5 percent, erasing part of the 2.1 percent jump in March. Both months were influenced by the early Easter.

Sales at grocery stores fell 0.3 percent in April while sales at gasoline stations were off 1.3 percent and sales at restaurants dropped 1.6 percent.

BANK

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First Republic is working with Drexel Burnham Lambert Inc. to establish the workout bank. That bank would be secured by junk bonds sold to investors.

The workout bank would repay notes from the disposition of its holdings, and could include a mechanism that would allow investors to share in an appreciation of real estate holdings from their current market value.

USG

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Some investment analysts have predicted Desert Partners might start selling off its nearly 10 percent stake in USG if it decisively lost the proxy battle. But Reed said, "We'll cross that bridge when we come to it."

In the takeover battle marked by lawsuits on both sides, USG executives have contended Desert Partners launched its bid only to recoup losses in their USG holdings following October's stock market crash.

"We've thought all along that Desert Partners wanted to recover the investment they made at a bad time," Day said.

Desert Partners has accused USG executives of trying to entrench themselves with a "poison-pill" defense designed to hinder the takeover bid.

PEELER

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The original model, made of stainless steel wire, looked more like a bottle opener than an orange peeler. Blank was turned down for a patent. And for four decades, he tried in vain to market the device.

About eight years ago, he showed his peeler to Fred Wadley at the I.V. Die Co. in Peoria. Wadley fashioned one from bright orange plastic and has since produced about 30,000 peelers. But he said sales must soar before the product can be declared a winner.

Rooney isn't sure why he still had the peeler in his desk drawer three years after Blank sent it to him.

"I just saw it in the drawer one day when I was looking for something, and I decided to give it a try," Rooney said by telephone last week. "I really liked it."

Blank sold his blacksmith and welding shop two years ago, but still has a mobile home park and other business interests in this west-central Illinois community.

"I don't want to be a millionaire. I'd have too many people on my back, then," he said. "I'd be happy with about $90,000. I could live real comfortably in Toulon on $90,000. Of course, if it goes above that, I'm not going to turn it down."

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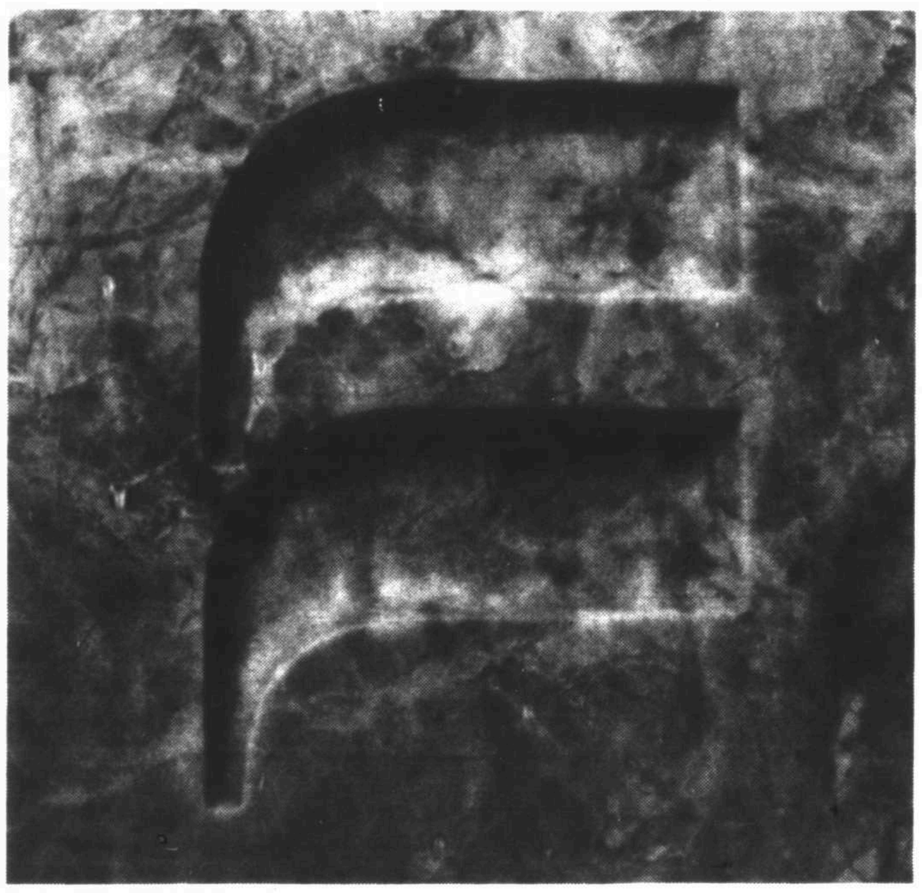

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Railroad buff's weekend retreat is old station house

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DAUGHTERY (AP) — Trains don't stop at the old Floydada station house any more. In fact, the Santa Fe station house is no longer located in Floydada. Instead, it perches on the rim of a canyon almost 15 miles away; trains passing through the area are a puff of smoke on the horizon.

"I waited four months after I read in the paper that Santa Fe was phasing out small stations in the area beginning in the next year," explains Dr. Richard Morgan, Plainview optometrist. "I reasoned that I still had eight months to bid on one of the station houses.

"When I called, I was told that the Hale Center station had been donated to a museum and that all the others were gone — except for the station at Floydada. I said I wanted to bid on it right then and there — over the telephone."

It was probably fortunate that the Floydada station was the one available since it was closest to the site between Floydada and Matador where Morgan planned to move it.

"I called Dewey Henry (a Plainview house mover) and he gave me an immediate quote. He already had been contacted for an estimate by someone else interested in the structure."

The logistics of moving the station from Floydada to Morgan's ranch were staggering. The site he selected first proved to be too difficult to reach, so he revised his plans. It now rests on a flat piece of ground at the edge of a canyon, overlooking the historic Burleson Ranch.

"When they set the building down, the neighbors came over to look. I think I can imagine how they felt. They had been out here isolated forever — then suddenly there's this house overlooking their ranchland.

"I think it would be like someone in town building a skyscraper next door to you where they could look into your windows and backyard — out here where they're used to open space for miles. Just having a neighbor overlooking your canyon must seem like an invasion of privacy."

Morgan purchased his small ranch nine years ago as a place to get away for the weekend. Named Arroyo Seco, he explains (tongue in cheek) that his brand is an AS on the left hip, devised so his city-bred wife, Sharon, can tell the cow's head from it's rear.

Naturally, she denies his assertion, adding that although she grew up in Illinois in a rural town, she can tell the difference between the cow's head and its tail. She does add that she considers herself a "city girl" and isn't too fond of the outdoor life.

"Television reception out here is poor — especially with the little rabbit ear antenna we have. I read a lot, but I don't really enjoy hanging around the house while Richard is plowing or hunting."

A confessed movie buff, she muses, with one eye on her husband's reaction, that maybe she needs to buy a VCR so she can while away the hours watching movies.

Besides being a place to raise a few head of cattle, Morgan enjoys taking friends to the ranch to hunt. He has photos taken near the station house of deer, including one of a buck with an impressive rack of antlers. Rabbits, turkeys, quail, possums, raccoons and porcupines populate the area, along with rattlesnakes.

The Morgans spotted a cougar last year on top of a neighbor's hay stack. "Its silhouette was visible against the sky," Mrs. Morgan says. "We first thought it was a bobcat, but the tail was too long."

An abandoned apparatus used for mining diatomaceous earth stands alone a few hundred yards from the house, visible evidence that early residents used every resource on the land.

"The neighbors tell me that a man came up here every year and mined the earth, then sold it to garages to sprinkle on their floors to absorb oil. Then he just quit coming. No one seems to know what happened to him," says Morgan.

Improvements to the station started with the bathrooms. The men's restroom is used for the bath and retains the original toilet with a high overhead tank and pull chain. Finding a small clawfoot cast iron bathtub proved to be a problem. "I took a tape measure with me when I was looking," Morgan laughs. "I knew I had seen one somewhere. I was mowing the lawn at my mother-in-law's house one day and looked over the fence into the neighbor's yard. There was my tub."

The women's restroom is now a tiny efficiency kitchen, complete with microwave oven. Heat for the main room, formerly the office and waiting room, is provided by a handsome burgundy enamel wood stove. "That stove was the one we had at home when I was growing up just north of Plainview," Morgan says. "It's in perfect shape, except for a nick at the base near one of the handles."

A built-in desk where the stationmaster and telegrapher worked remains in the living area, at home with Morgan's collection of railroad memorabilia. Santa Fe safety posters hang alongside lanterns, railroad prints and photographs.

Large sliding patio doors were added behind the massive sliding wood doors in the baggage room, one framing a breathtaking view of the canyon and one facing a rugged pasture dotted with mesquite and wildflowers. A loft is used for storage now, but Mrs. Morgan says it would be great for grandchildren to play in someday.

Graffiti, autographs and comments remain where they were written years ago on the walls beside the doors and a faded railroad crossing sign hangs on one wall. An old Hilton Hotel doorway sign hangs over the three-step stairway leading down into the waiting room.

"Richard's father and Porter Morgan (no relation) were partners in the hotel at one time," Mrs. Morgan said, explaining the hotel sign. "Richard's father gave him the old sign that used to hang over a door at the hotel."

A foundation for a deck is laid outside the front window, waiting for Morgan to continue work on it. "First I have to get the haygrazer planted," he smiles.

Railroad ties are stacked to form a rambling fence around the stationhouse, partly for decoration while at the same time keeping cattle from roaming in the yard. A friend gave him a mile sign "836" that was on the rail line at Daugherty, 3 miles southwest of his place. "The sign designates 836 miles to St. Louis. I think it was on the Burlington line." Morgan adds that the sign is now just a few miles from where it was originally.

The Morgans — Mrs. Morgan owns Plainview Newcomer Greeters — live a busy professional life, involving complete personal involvement. Their "home away from home" is ideal — a completely different environment close enough in miles to enable the couple to "get away" often, yet still offering a "laid-back" atmosphere free of pressure.

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Dr. Richard Morgan, a Plainview, Texas, optometrist, stands beside a rustic fence that surrounds the old Floydada Santa Fe depot that he moved to his ranch near Daugherty. Morgan has a few head of cattle, but he uses the ranch for a weekend retreat and for entertaining.

Governor says budget vetoes in the stars

MADISON, Wis. (AP) — Gov. Tommy G. Thompson says that, superstitions aside, the stars are in alignment for the release of his state budget vetoes on Friday the 13th.

"My stars said it's OK," Thompson said Monday, referring to recent reports that first lady Nancy Reagan used astrological predictions to help set up President Reagan's schedule.

Thompson is meeting this week with the opponents and proponents of various budget provisions and other bills due for signing.

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Controller defines job duties at trial

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — A former air traffic controller says helping pilots avoid storms was considered a critical part of controllers' jobs prior to the 1985 crash of Delta Flight 191.

James Krantz, who said he retired shortly before the crash after working as a controller and tower supervisor for 29 years, testified as an expert witness on behalf of the airline when its trial against the federal government resumed Wednesday.

His opening testimony followed the reading of earlier statements by a D-FW controller who said he saw one stroke of lightning before the widebody jet crashed, but didn't report it because he was busy with other duties.

Flight 191 crashed, killing 137 people, as its crew attempted to land in a thunderstorm at Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport.

Delta is asking the court to order a contribution from the government toward more than $100 million in damages the airline expects to pay in connection with the crash. The airline contends air traffic controllers and National Weather Service employees should have warned the jet's crew.

U.S. Justice Department attorneys contend that the observations of the flight's crew members should have prompted them to avoid the storm. They also argue that providing weather information to pilots is a secondary duty for controllers, whose first responsibility is to prevent collisions.

The trial, which began March 1 and which attorneys say could last until October, resumed Wednesday after a three-week recess.

Lawyers had earlier predicted it would last until July or August, but U.S. District Judge David O. Belew Jr. has since scheduled several recesses during the summer to allow him to handle criminal procedings and to allow vacations for trial participants.

In Wednesday's testimony, Delta attorney John Martin asked Krantz if he felt it was his job to help pilots avoid thunderstorms.

"From day one, as far back as I can remember, that was a critical service to the pilots," Krantz answered.

Earlier, lawyers read into the record testimony by air traffic controller Gene Skipworth, who was in contact with Flight 191 the last two minutes before it crashed.

Skipworth, 50, had been expected to testify in the Flight 191 trial.

Wright says he would take education job

HOUSTON (AP) — Linus Wright says it's too early to say who might succeed his boss, William J. Bennett, who plans to step down as U.S. Secretary of Education this September.

"This has all happened so quickly I'm sure he (President Reagan) doesn't know what he wants to do," Wright, the U.S. undersecretary, said after giving a speech here Wednesday night.

When Bennett announced Monday he would be leaving his post, he recommended Wright, 61, be chosen as his successor. Wright said he would be happy to take the job.

"Oh yes, definitely," Wright said. "But that's the president's call. We'll wait and see what he decides."

If selected, Wright may serve just a few months in the job before the next presidential administration takes over, but he said he wouldn't be deterred from being active.

"I'll do all I can to improve education," he said.

In a speech to the University of Houston-Clear Lake Educational Leadership Forum, Wright emphasized that the quality of public education in the United States has improved in the last five years, but much more progress needs to be made.

"There is no doubt about it, we are still a nation at risk as far as education goes," Wright said. "Our university system is considered the best in the world, while our public school system is far down the totem pole."

New federal agents put bite into nation's war on drugs

By PEGGY ROBERSON
Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON — Federal agents from south Texas named Duko, Rocky and Barco were introduced here Wednesday at a national rally as heros of the antidrug war.

Then they went off to play with rubber balls and receive affectionate pats on the head.

Duko, Rocky and Barco are dogs, three of 20 Belgian Malinois purchased in 1986 by the Immigration and Naturalization Service to put some bite into "Operation Alliance," a cooperative effort by INS and the Drug Enforcement Administration to halt the flow of drugs across the U.S.-Mexico border.

Since October, the dog-agents have sniffed out 60 percent of all drugs that have been seized along the border, according to H.J. Brien, assistant commissioner for the Border Patrol, a division of the INS.

"They love to work," said Jose E. Garza, chief patrol agent of the Border Patrol in Laredo, Texas. "When they discover a drug haul, they get a reward from their handlers — they get to play for a while with a rubber ball."

At Wednesday's demonstration, called the "Just Say No" rally, the dogs sat at attention on the stage of the Sylvan Theatre near the Washington Monument while First Lady Nancy Reagan praised 8,000 youngsters who came from all parts of the country to take part in the event.

Earlier in the day, the dogs were on display on the Monument grounds as some of the 15 Border Patrol officers who came to D.C. from Laredo and McAllen explained their work to curious youngsters and other tourists.

Duko, the Laredo-based dog, received a scolding from his handler, Randy Salazar, for accidentally knocking an 18-month-old boy to the ground. "You're bigger than he is — be careful," Salazar demanded.

Salazar and the other handlers live with their three-year-old, trilingual dogs, who take commands in Dutch (because they were born in the Netherlands) and understand Spanish and English as well.

On Thursday, Rocky, who is based in McAllen with Barco, will make an appearance with his handler, Kent Banks, at the Senate Appropriation Committee. The committee is considering the INS spending request for fiscal 1989.

Rocky will help Banks underscore the point that the canines have helped the Border Patrol discover $100 million worth of drugs and convict more than 100 drug runners in the last two years.

"Our first job still is to catch people trying to come into the country illegally, but we have been authorized to supplement interdiction efforts," said Brien, the Washington-based Border Patrol official.

Garza and most of the agents will return to Laredo this weekend, with five horses they had brought here for a pre-rally parade. But the three dogs, their handlers and a few other agents, including Mary Blevins of Laredo, will remain to visit schools in the District of Columbia and nearby Maryland and Virginia suburbs.

The Border Patrol agents say they can be effective on the "demand side" of the drug war, persuading youngsters not to try drugs, as well as on the "supply side," interdicting millions of dollars worth of drugs and throwing smugglers in jail.

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Final Notice is hereby given to all persons who may have claims against Security National Bank, Loop 250 and Midkiff, Midland, Texas, that the same must be presented to Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC), Receiver of said bank, with legal proof thereof, within eighteen (18) months from February 12, 1987, or they may be disallowed.

All claims should be presented in person or mailed to:

Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation
Receiver of Security National Bank
303 Air Park Drive
P.O. Box 3148
Midland, Texas 79702
Claims Department
May 8-15, 1988

PUBLIC NOTICE
REVENUE SHARING REALLOCATION

A budget hearing will be held on Tuesday, May 24, 1988, for all interested citizens of the City of Midland. The following budget is proposed for fiscal year 1988/89

Category	Revenue Sharing Fund
#088 AMS Payable (Data Processing)	$50,000
#088 Park Land Acquisition/Park Dev.	$30,000
#088 E911-Planning, Consulting & Communication Service	$55,000
#088 Communications Data Processing Equip.	$40,000
#088 Contingency	$6,540
TOTAL	$181,540

The meeting will be held at City Hall for the purpose of discussion of the proposed budget at 11:00 a.m. The proposed budget may be examined on weekdays at the City Managers Office between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. All interested citizens will have the opportunity to give written and oral comment. Senior citizens are encouraged to attend and comment.
May 12, 1988

110 LODGE NOTICES

Acacia Masonic Lodge #1414, 1000 Upland. Stated Meetings 2nd & 4th Tuesday, 7:30pm. Work in EA degree May 17th. Fellowcraft degree, May 23rd. All Master Masons invited. Charles Aarchart, W.M. J.H. Beuty, Secretary, P.T.

Midland Lodge 623 AF & AM, 1600 West Wall, 682-3292. Regular stated meetings, 2nd & 4th Thursday 8:00pm. Work in EA degree, Friday, May 6th, 8pm. Visiting masons welcome! Dale Ivie, W.M. R.G. Kiker, Secretary.

MIDLAND Centennial Masonic Lodge #1448, 1000 Upland street. Stated meetings 1st and 3rd Saturdays. Breakfast 7:30am. Open Lodge 8:30am. All Master Masons Welcome. Henry Cross, W.M. H.S. Elliot, Secretary.

The Midland Shrine Club, 2019 Trade Drive. Regular stated meeting third Thursday each month. May 19th Hospitality 6:30 pm. Catered dinner 7pm. 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 banana clip hair pieces. Hair Shack, 2900 W. Front, 687-1215.

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REWARD! Large male cat, wearing tags from Hobbs, New Mexico vet. Markings similar to Siamese. Lost from Wildflower Apartments. Call 684-7665 or 699-4261.

FOUND: Male medium size mixed breed dog (part Collie). Vicinity of Highway 80. Would like to find good home. 697-1481.

FOUND: Wedding ring at Dillard's fragrance counter. Call 686-7457 after 6, to identify.

REWARD: Lost German Shepherd cross dog, weighs about 50lbs, black and tan, wearing a red nylon colar with San Angelo tag, around Garfield and Storey. Call 683-5411 ask for Ann ext. #259.

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Midland, Texas 79702

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210 General Help Wanted

EMERGENCY ROOM PHYSICIANS NEEDED
Come join Emergency Associates Inc. of Texas. Top salary, excellent working conditions plus flexible hours. Interviewing in Midland area May 16th and 17th. Please call collect for appointment 512-630-2003.

MANAGING DIRECTOR FOR SAFARIS
needed to supervise and coordinate activities of safari's team. Study and survey assigned region to learn typography and available cover and food for wildlife. Plan locations of access roads, trails, sanitary facilities, boat launching sites, and parking areas, based on number of people using area. Train and assist subordinates to solve work problems. Observe issuance of citations, apprehension of game law violators and seizure of equipment to verify compliance with law and regulations. Travel through area by car, boat, airplane, horse and on foot to observe. Must speak Tswana and Sindebele. Willingness to travel and face dangerous animals and risking environment in the wild. Related occupation: two years as safari guide/ professional hunter. 40 hrs. per week. 10/30 hours per week overtime. 7am-3pm (varies) $12.50 per hour. $18.75 overtime. Apply at the Texas Employment Commission, Midland, Texas. Job order # 5163929. Ad paid by an equal employment opportunity employer.

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Residential and commercial experience required. Must have own transportation.
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685-0516

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Small law office has an opening for experienced Legal Secretary who is proficient on IBM Displaywriter and has substantial real estate and oil & gas experience.
Send resume with employment and salary history and references to: P.O. Box 10866, Midland, Texas 79702-0866.

PART Time (mornings) receptionist/ secretary in non-smoking insurance agency. Duties include answering telephone and helping clients in person. Pleasant personality, good telephone voice, neat handwriting important. Call 683-6099 or 683-4573 for interview appointment.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR FOR PROJECT SELF-SUFFICIENCY
Prefer Behavioral Science or related degree, with experience in social services. Must be energetic, self-motivated, with good communication and organizational skills. Please send resume to:
218 W. Illinois, Room #108
Midland TX. 79701
Equal Opportunity Employer

The Permian Basin Center for Battered Women is accepting applications for victims services coordinator. Position requires a Bachelor degree in Behavioral or Social Sciences. Working knowledge of Texas legal system and atleast six months working experience with social service agencies or like setting. Very good communication skills necessary, knowledge of Spanish helpful. Please send resume to P.O. Box 2942, Midland, TX 79702. Applications will be accepted through May 25th.

THE Permian Basin Center for Battered Women has an opening for part time housemanager. Must be atleast 18 with high school education or equivalent. Position requires good written and verbal communication skills, typing and/or Spanish helpful. 1 to 2 years work experience preferable. Call 683-1300 for appointment.

PART-TIME help wanted: Front Desk Clerks, 16-24 hours per week; Restaurant 20-30 hours per week; Maids 15-20 hours per week; Morning Cook. Apply in person Holiday Inn T-Dome, 3904 W. Wall. Experience preferred, but not necessary.

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Excellent opportunity for the self-directed, professional with strong decision-making capabilities, who has:
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Midland, Texas 79704-4755
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c/o Midland Reporter Telegram
P.O. Box 1650
Midland, Texas 79702

210 General Help Wanted

PERMIAN BASIN HIGH SCHOOL is taking applications for parttime summer school instructors. Flexible hours necessary. Masters preferred-Texas Certification required. English-History Math-Science. Send resumes to: Administrator, PBHS, 401 West Wadley, Midland, TX 79705. Call 683-4448 for information.

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Experienced ticket writer needed at pump island. Must be friendly and self-motivated. Salary plus commission. Only experienced need apply in person.
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1-5 PM, MONDAY-FRIDAY

PERSON to operate small fireworks business for last two weeks of June. Make up to $1500. Must be over 18 and bondable.
Call 512-622-3788, between 10 AM and 5 PM.

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WAGNER & BROWN
Suite 100, Summit Bldg.
Midland, Texas

NEED Housekeeper once a week for two bedroom house. $5 per hour, references preferred. 687-1427.

MEDICAL TRANSCRIPTIONIST
Temporary position for Medical Transcriptionist in busy Oncology Office in Odessa. Typing speed, accuracy and knowledge of medical terminology required. Starting around June 1st. Interested personnel call:
GENNIE
1-800-442-6802

NEEDED IMMEDIATELY!
•Part Time•
Neat mature person with pleasant personality. Must have switchboard, typing and ten key experience. Call Beverly, 9 to 2 weekdays for interview. 682-5681.

210 General Help Wanted

NEEDED IMMEDIATELY
Permanent part time PC Computer Operator. 4 hours daily, $5/ hour, accuracy a must. Only experienced need apply. Suite #412, Building SW, 310 W. Texas. Interviewing Friday, May 13th, 8-10 AM only.
Equal Opportunity Employer

MEDICAL TECHNOLOGIST MT(ASCP) to work in busy oncology office lab in Midland. Strong hematology experience required. Monday-Friday 8:30-5. Interested personnel call Gennie.
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TRUCK Driver: Local delivery, must have good driving record. Apply Triangle Lumber, 6201 W. Industrial.

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EXPERIENCED bricklayers and laborers needed fulltime. Call 689-7247.

DATA BASE MANAGEMENT OPERATOR
Oil and gas company seeks individual to input, manipulate and maintain data bases. Familiar with dBase, rBase, rapid file or equivalent. On line information systems, word processing, (word perfect), in graphics. IBM/ PC background. Knowledge of petroleum production and land terminology; non-smoker. Reply to:
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Midland, Texas 79702

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ACCOUNTANT. Small firm in Big Spring has immediate opening for an accountant with a minimum of two years experience. Responsibilities include all accounting functions and data processing. Send resume to Gamco Box 1911, Big Spring, TX 79721. E/O/E.

220 Sales Help Wanted

USE YOUR DEGREE
- Looking for a talented individual to enter a management program that provides responsibility and rewards accordingly.
- Seeking ambitious degreed individual in Midland to assist in rapid growth of a major publically traded service company.
- Career-oriented individual will be trained in all aspects of running a business, including management, sales and administration.
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Call between 10am and 4pm for additional information and to arrange an interview. Applicants please call 915-697-2263.
AGENCY RENT-A-CAR SYSTEMS, INC.

210 General Help Wanted

NEEDED IMMEDIATELY
Person experienced in Rent-to-Own business. Position will involve management of store. Must be willing to relocate. Applications are being accepted till May 13 at:
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210 General Help Wanted

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RESPONSIBLE experienced cashier, Chaparral Wash & Lube Center, 2300 N. Big Spring. No phone calls please.

A Midwest broadcast company now has an opportunity for an experienced radio salesperson as our sales manager. Contact Ken Hallbleib, P.O. Box 1420, Plainview, TX 79072 or call (806) 293-3697.

SECRETARY NEEDED
Small business needing fulltime secretary. Bookkeeping experience required. Duties include operating computer, light typing and general office work. Retail experience preferred.
Send resume to:
Manager
P.O. Box 10965
Midland, Texas 79702-7965

WANTED waitress or waiters. Must have experience in serving Mexican food. Serious inquiries only. 687-6127. On the corner of Loop 250 and Garfield.

COMMERCIAL LEASING AGENT/ MANAGER
Lease/ Manage Class A suburban Midland building. Base salary with liberal incentive commission. Must have prior experience and Texas Real Estate License. Send resume, including detail accomplishments to:
BOX-12
c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram
P.O. Box 1650
Midland, Texas 79702.

SECRETARY
Land/ legal experience for small office. Must have word processing and be a non-smoker. Salary $1500. Fee negotiable.
A-1 Employment Service
517 W. Texas
684-5772

FULL time Secretary/ Receptionist. Skills required: Typing 60-70wpm, bookkeeping, computer knowledge. A 'take charge person' who can work well with public. Salary DOE. Send resume to: Office Manager, P.O. Box 6312, Midland TX 79711.

FULL time evening desk clerk. 40 hours per week. Apply in person, hotel front desk, 1000 W. Interstate 20. Light typing skills helpful. EOE.

RESPIRATORY THERAPY
Applications being accepted in Respiratory Therapy. Send resume to:
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P.O. Box 640
Stanton, Texas 79782
or call for appointment:
(915) 756-3345
Contact Director of Cardio-Pulmonary.
EOE/ MF

NEWSPAPER CARRIER NEEDED
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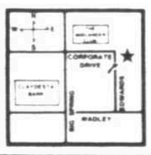
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HAVE several spots open for two years old and older. Nice backyard, snacks, and other kids of all ages. Call 697-4088 and ask for Cindy.

WANTED
Mature, loving Christian woman to care for (3) small children in my home. References required. Own transportation necessary. Phone:
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AIRLINE Child Care Center. Learning environment, morning snacks, hot nutrituous lunches, afternoon snacks, transportation to and from school, competitive rates, drop-in's welcome. Come by or call Shirley at 694-1686.

WANTED. Babysitter in my home or yours for 16 month old. Weekdays 7 to 5. Must be dependable, nurturing, and non-smoker. References required. Call 688-5397 or 689-0132.

BABYSITTER wanted. Two to three days a week in my home. References required. 686-7668 after 5.

REGISTERED child care, any age, lots of experience and lots of love, 687-3962.

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REAL Estate opportunity. Get your real estate license quickly. Short state-accredited courses. Southwest College. 683-4555.

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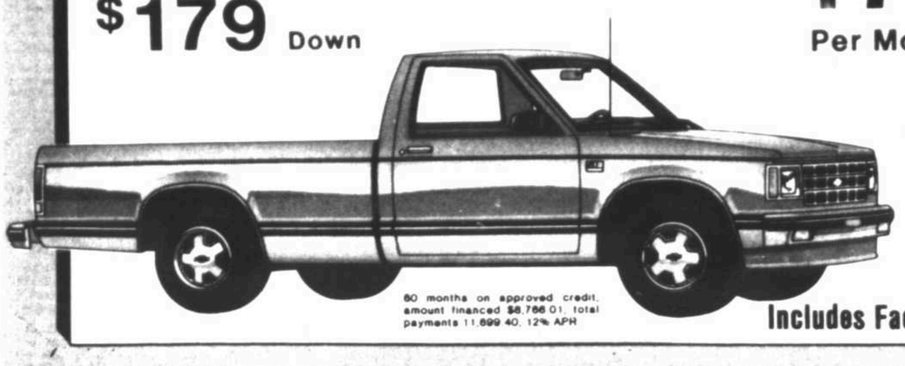

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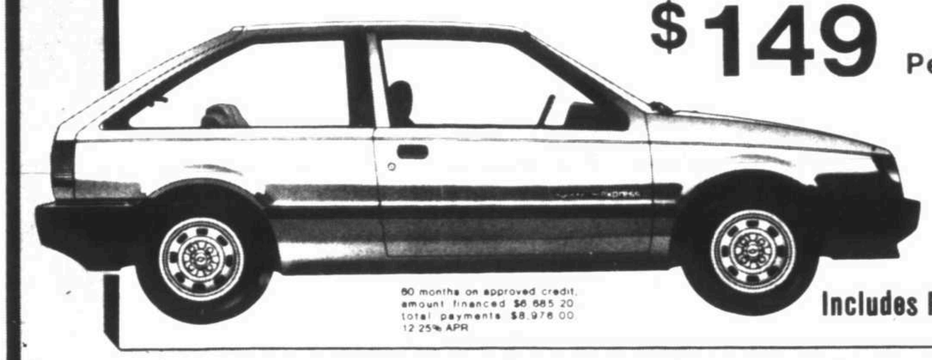

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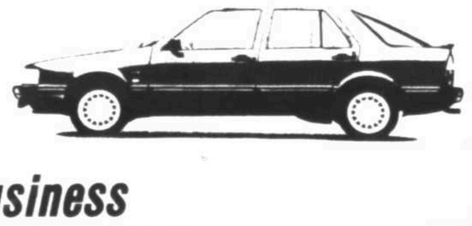

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1981 CHEVROLET Monte Carlo, two door, ac, AM/FM radio, $2,500 or make offer. 697-8847.

1981 BLUE Olds Toronado: Tan vinyl top, AM/FM, tilt wheel, cruise, all electric, new radiator, belts and tires. $4,750 negotiable. 682-1961.

'81 CAMARO, 350 engine, 411 rear end, Craiger Rims, asking $3,000. 682-4781.

1981 FORD LTD: Fully loaded. Minor work needed. $1,200 or best offer. See at 916 Holly.

1981 CHEVETTE: Five door, four speed, beige. Good condition. $1,350. Call 689-8718.

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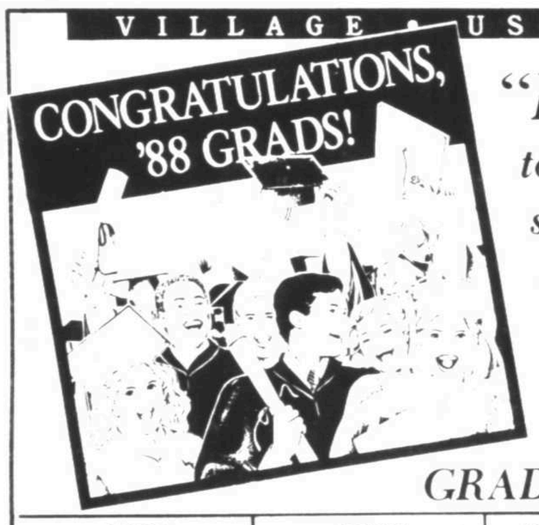

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4013 ANGELINA. Space heater, air conditioner, motor home, decorative items, kitchen appliances and clothes. Friday and Saturday 8-5.

3804 FANNIN. Five family garage sale. Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Lots of everything!

2703 W. MARIANA, Friday through Sunday: clothes, Bar-B-Que pit, small appliances, step stones, planters, doors, '73 Ford Van; too much to name!

2205 BOYD: Saturday 9-5, Sunday 9-3. Men's ten speed bike, Kenmore sewing machine, electric typewriter, furniture, clothes, lots more!

2308 W. KANSAS
Friday 9 AM to 5 PM
AND
Saturday 9 AM to 1 PM
LARGE GARAGE SALE

- Furniture
- Children's clothes & accessories
- Adult clothes
- Tires
- Toys
- ETC.

GREENWOOD. Ten garage sales on one block. Lots of everything. Friday and Saturday. 9-7. County Road 90 East (Greenview Lane) off County Road 1120 South, come east on 307 (Cloverdale Road) or Highway 80, follow signs.

GIGANTIC SALE
Antiques, butcher block, Shopsmith, 50's & 60's records, clothing for the entire family, fishing gear, books, jeans, linens, much more. 20 years accumulation. Cash only. 7:30, Saturday, 2405 Humble

★ 3608 SINCLAIR ★
Three Family Garage Sale!
FRIDAY, SATURDAY
& SUNDAY (after church)
Luggage, camera, barbecue grill, carpet, oil paintings, left-handed golf clubs, metal shelves and miscellaneous.

EVERYTHING Sale! Barbecue pits, lawnmowers, mixer, wheels, household miscellaneous. Friday-Saturday, 9-5. 3808 Avondale.

STARTS FRIDAY AT NOON
Small freezer, two refrigerated air conditioners, Singer sewing machine, washer and dryer, gas bar-b-que, complete kitchen unit, baby bed, coke machine, old stove, much more!

1805 Bates off of 4700 block of Andrews Highway.

★ 4506 ERIE ★
★ FRIDAY-SATURDAY ★
Old gas stove, gas weedeater, stereo, water color set, clothes (all sizes), shoes, boots, household items, furniture, antiques (buffets, treadle sewing machine, armoires, curio, etc.), Singer sewing machine, oak table with six chairs, dolls, material, white Spitz puppies $50 each, doghouse, lots of miscellaneous and much more!

★ 2507 FAIRVIEW ★
★ SATURDAY ONLY ★
- Furniture
- Little girl's clothes
- Lots of odds and ends!

Parking will be provided in front.

SATURDAY-SUNDAY
3700 TANNER DRIVE
½" drill press, automotive valve grinding machine, 3 ½ hp edger motor, table saw, electric edger, 10 hp Mercury motor, yard tools, household items, much more!

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LARGE BACKYARD SALE!
★ Royal SE 5005 typewriter/ printer
★ Clothes (all sizes), shoes (all sizes)
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★ Vanity sinks, glassware, train sets
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New Items Added Daily!
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A Wagner airless sprayer, 11hp riding lawnmower, temporary electric pole, space heater, fish aquarium, king size bed complete, high chair, stroller, clothes (maternity and toddler boy's), stove top, much more!
FRIDAY-SATURDAY, 8-6
2300 WYDEWOOD

FRIDAY and Saturday. 8am. Recliner chair, TV stand, stereo, queen size bedspreads and sheets, large ladies' clothes, dishes, lots more to sell. 1103 North Lamesa Road, entrance in alley.

ANNUAL SALE
"CAROL LANE"
(307, 317, 422)
Friday & Saturday 8-5
(North on Big Spring to Soloman Lane - 1 blk. south to Carol Lane)
Toys, color TVs, radios, tables, desks, carseats, sports equipment, carpet, drapes, bassinet, nice boy's and girl's clothes, coronet, bikes, water softener, lamps, and LOTS of miscellenous.
CASH ONLY

410 Miscellaneous Sales

FIBERGLASS spa: 11x6, 42" deep, in-ground with equipment, valued $3800, selling $2000 or best offer. 697-4712

PLAYHOUSE with porch for sale, 563-8832

ROLEX Men's, 18 carat President model. Hidden clasp. Call 685-1799 nights.

UNIVERSITY of Texas, men's ring, 14 karat gold. Size and name can be changed. Call between 6 pm and 10 pm. 699-5763

SOLOFLEX exercise machine. Fully equipped. New $725, will sell for $450. Call (915)267-5504 or 267-2232.

EXECUTIVE desk, $195. Gas stove, $75. 19" Color T.V., $65. Washer, $95. Call 697-8058

PORCH for trailer house; 100' chain link fence with gate, plywood skirting. Curtis- 683-4303 after 7pm.

NEW all handmade quilts, quilt tops, decorative pillows and three antique quilts. Call 683-2230, 9 am to 4 pm

NEED to sell boat and motor, camper trailer and small storage building. 1907 N. M in.

CAMPER slx-pper $100, '71 Honda 350cc $350. '79 Honda 400 Street Special $850. Small evaporative air conditioner $100. Large upright freezer $95. Apartment sized refrigerator (avocado) $100. Large frost-free refrigerator (brown) $135. Kenmore washing machine $150. Miscellaneous washers, dryers, lawnmowers, etc. for sale. 687-6383.

MOTOROLLA Pulsar II radio telephone: Operates on VHS Bell channels. Good condition, auxiliary alerting feature, on-hook dialing, 10 number memory. (512)358-3560 days, (512)358-3374 evenings and weekends.

ANTIQUE heater $45, 4 poster bed with matching dresser and chest of drawers $350, utility trailer $99, TV's reasonable, 1975 Scout $3995. Call 683-8009.

1988 MODEL SPAS are here! Several styles and colors to choose from.
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8 HP Sears riding mower, $200, 683-0047

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THREE hp air compressor, $200. 110 volt 7800 btu air conditioner, $100. 3 hp gas edger, $80. Portable evaporative cooler 2500 cfm, $75. Two Bridgestone radial tires, 14", $20. Running boards for Chevy blazer, $60. 684-4800.

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415 Miscellaneous Wanted

TWO American West premium packs. Call 689-7238 after 4pm

NEED to buy good used evaporative air conditioner. 684-5904 after 5pm

420 Good Things To Eat

GRADUATES! Keepsake Rebel teddy bears with burgandy caps and Midland Bulldogs with purple caps available now. The Sugar Shack. 685-1231.

430 Household Goods

GOOD SELECTION
...of used refrigerators, side by side, top and bottom freezers, used washer, dryers, and ranges completely reconditioned and guaranteed.
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687-1224

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LARGE white upright freezer, $150. T.V., console entertainment center, all wood. Needs work, $350. 697-2105 after 5 PM.

CONSOLE stereo, AM/FM radio, $75; Modern living room- couch (end tables), $125, chairs, $65 each. Buy all-$300!! 697-2528

QUEEN size hyda-bed, antique oak lawyer style bookcases, ice cream table and chairs, 694-6318 after 6pm

NEARLY new, portable washing machine, cost $399, sale for $200, weights and bench, $25, 682-3680

KING size waterbed with headboard, liner, heater, two dressers, night stand. $250. Almond, Westing House Frost-free refrigerator, $200. Roper gas stove, $75. All excellent condition. 689-6305 after 5 PM.

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430 Household Goods

UPHOLSTERY, labor, and fabrics. Sturdy Solids and Prints- $8.50 and $12.00 yard and up. Outstanding workmanship. Christine Reddy Designs, #8 Mesta Drive, 682-2469 for estimate.

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USED manual treadmills $89/up, stationary bicycles, rowers, var. exercise equip. Compare our prices! 682-6002

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470 Musical Instruments

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FREE to good home, Chocolate Lab. Call after 5pm, 684-7783

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CUTEST kittens in town! Free and ready for new loving homes. Call 687-3711 or 684-3714 ask for Jerry.

FREE puppies - Two black males and one black and white female. See at 3531 Hyde Park or call 699-5915 after 4:00 PM.

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TWO Cocker Spaniels free to good home. One male, one female, both registered and have papers. 697-2848.

FOUND: Keeshound, female, about nine months old, found on Andrews Highway and Godfrey. Call 694-2537.

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500 Pets and Supplies

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I HAVE accomodation for horses. $50 per month per each stall. Call 682-6108.

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550 Portable Buildings

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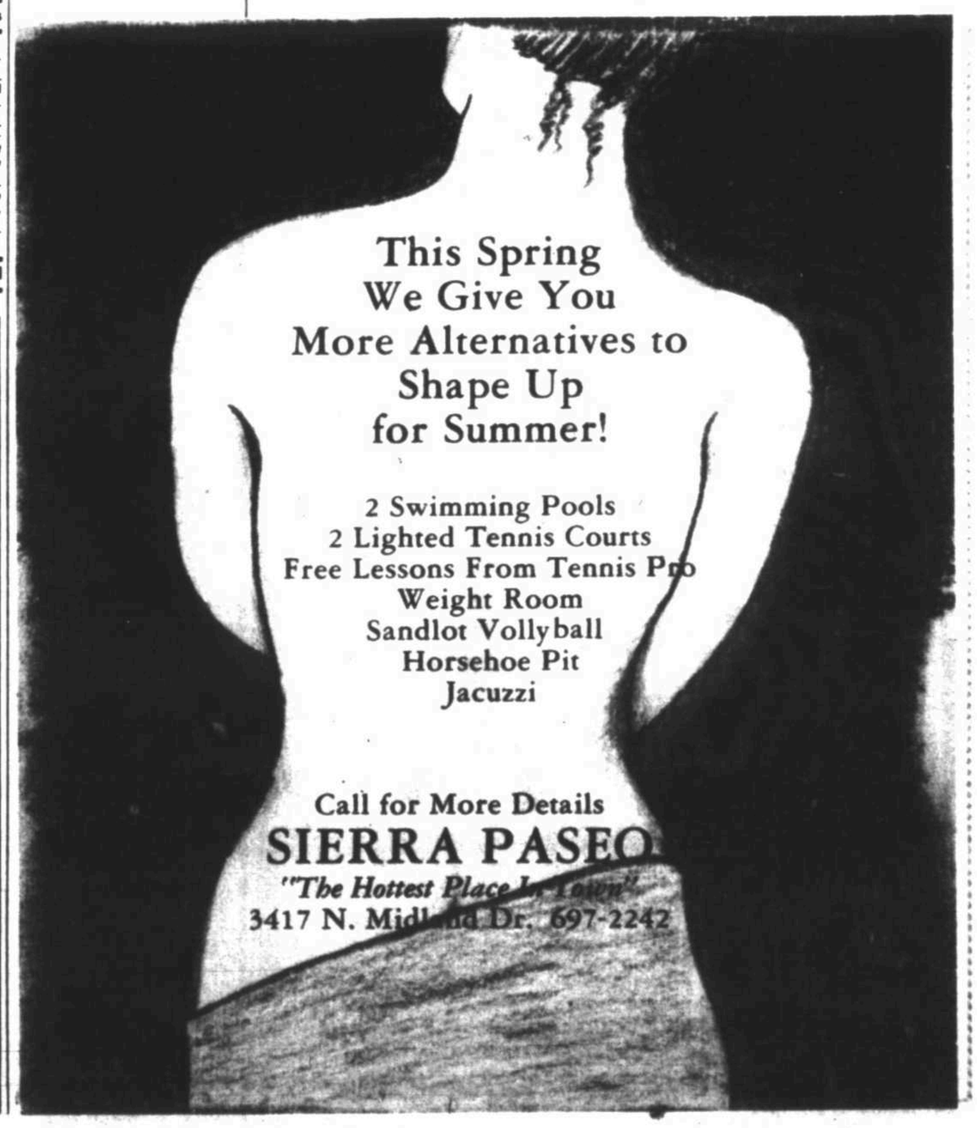

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$734 per month fixed rate payment including taxes & insurance on this new 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car rear entry garage brick home. 2 dining areas including separate breakfast area off of kitchen...Now under construction with time to choose your colors...10 year homeowners warranty...Builder pays all closing cost! Call for more information.

DETER CONSTRUCTION CO., INC
689-9848
$71,200 S.P., 360 pmts, 10.25% APR

TIRED OF LOOKING
At home after home...Considered building a new home? We have 3 and 4 bedroom house plans...You choose the plan and your color decor...Down payments as low as 5%...Nothing down to qualified veterans...Conv., FHA & VA financing available...We trade!! Let us try to find the house to fit your budget and needs. Call NOW for more information!
DETER CONSTRUCTION CO., INC.
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ARBOR PARK
Four bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car rear entry garage. Large bedrooms with lots of closet space...Two walk-in closets in master bedroom...Wood burning fireplace highlights the family room...$3,200 down and monthly payments of just $754. Fixed rate including taxes & insurance. Call NOW!

DETER CONSTRUCTION CO, INC.
689-9848
$73,200 S.P., 360 pmts, 10.25% APR

$680 PER MONTH
Fixed rate on this new 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage brick home near Bonham Elem. & Alamo Jr. High...Large family room with fireplace...Master bedroom has separate dressing area with his-n-her walk-in closets, double vanity sink...Still time to choose your colors! $6,990 down payment...Call NOW for more details!

DETER CONSTRUCTION CO., INC.
689-9848
$69,900 S.P., 360 pmts, 10.125% APR.

720 Homes For Sale

COLDWELL BANKER ADOBE INC., REALTORS®
BETTER THAN RENTING
Super 2 bedroom condo in great location. One level. Nice & clean. Low maintenance...$36,500...Ask for Mary Jo Drury.
694-9548

3 BEDROOM, 2 bath, large den, fireplace. Close to Trinity Towers. 687-3475 after 6 pm

LET'S MAKE A DEAL!
Four bedroom, two bath, Lee High district. Asking $30,850.
Ask for Darryl at
Odell Anders Realtors. 699-7701.
We have others!

BY OWNER: Excellent condition traditional home - 4 bedroom, 2½ bath, sprinklers (front /back). Fannin School. Large utility /playroom. $119,000. 687-4361.

EXCELLENT three bedroom brick, two bath, den, double carport. Qualifying loan will require approximately $1100 down, $375 monthly. Call 699-4561.

FLEETWOOD Mobile Home, 12x60, two bedroom, 1½ bath, appliances included. Ideal for lakehouse at a low price, $2,100. Call 685-1235 after 6 pm

OLD MIDLAND
NEW LISTING
$112,900
What you've been waiting for! Beautiful old Midland at an affordable price! Timberline roof, sprinkler system, wonderful large windows, great space, three roomy bedrooms, large closets, clean, clean, clean! A delight to decorate! Hurry on this one.
BILLIE SHERMAN
697-5545 682-9495
LANGSTON REALTORS

RELAX!
You can in the privacy of your own home: a personal workout room, heated and cooled; with hot tub right off the master bedroom. Strawberries climb the wall of this charming kitchen with built-in glass cabinet doors to show off your pretty dishes. Three bedrooms, 2½ baths, formal dining, courtyard and rear entry garage complete the picture.
Under $100,000 in Crestgate
BILLIE SHERMAN
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LANGSTON REALTORS

STEAL A GOOD DEAL
Have it your way. Assume loan balance of approx $106,000 or make an offer on a new loar. Either way it's their loss, your gain. Three (count 'em) living areas, three bedrooms, formal dining plus breakfast area, 2½ baths, intercom, sprinklers, rear entry garage.
Drive by 4104 GLENEAGLES, then call for appointment
BILLIE SHERMAN
697-5545 682-9495
LANGSTON REALTORS

MOVE UP TO GREENTREE
Have you been wanting to live in Greentree but need to sell your present house first? This could be the chance to do both in one transaction! I have Greentree owner who will look at a trade as well as a sale or lease. Very unique plan with gorgeous formals and soaring ceilings. Super backyard, large bedrooms, wonderful kitchens. Call for your appointment and let's make a deal.
BILLIE SHERMAN
697-5545 682-9495
LANGSTON REALTORS

FOR lease, lease purchase, sale: 3 bedroom, 2½ bath, two story, Quannah Parker area. 697-6248

NON-qualifying assumable. 3215 Mark Lane. Three bedroom, two bath, sunroom, Spanish tile, fireplace. 694-0201

Century 21.
5302 RIO GRANDE
No Money Down
Quality for payments of $695. Above ground pool with very nice deck. Call Louise Baxter for details. 694-3022 Century 21 Midtex. 689-0021

LOOK OUT
Quality & elegance abounds in this spacious & bright 4 br, 2½ bath home in Skyline Terrace. Decorated in soft blues for the discriminating buyer. An excellent buy at $129,500. Call Lyn Travis evenings 697-8641. STEPHENSON, REALTORS 697-1091

MOVE ON UP
To this nice neighborhood on Maxwell. 3 bedroom, 3 bath, cozy den and all creature comforts for $85,000. Call Owen Parrish at STEPHENSON, REALTORS 697-1091, 694-3195 evenings.

* ONE OF A KIND
Dare to be different in this custom 2 story 4 bedroom, 3 bath home with 3-car garage, located on 2.51 acres. Minutes from downtown Midland with beautiful view of skyline. CALL:
ANITA NOLES, Associate
DON HARVEY, REALTORS 683-5333
evenings 694-5255

720 Homes For Sale

Owner must sell this darling three bedroom in quiet neighborhood. Price reduced! Great starter home. Will lease. Please call!
HOME REALTY 697-6795
Liz Ohliger 699-2570

* BE THE PROUD OWNER
Lovely 3 bedroom home in north Midland on quiet cul-de-sac. Sequestered master suite with big closets, light and well decorated with beautiful front courtyard. Very well priced in mid 70's. CALL KAREN FOSTER, Associate, DON HARVEY, REALTORS 683-5333, evenings 697-4434.

* PRICE, CONDITION AND LOCATION
This home has it all. Excellent condition close to Lee High, large living with fireplace and built-in bookcases, breakfast area plus formal dining, spacious bedrooms and closets and owner ready to sell. TALK TO:
SUELLEN NALL, Associate
DON HARVEY, REALTORS 683-5333
evenings 697-3915

* THE HUNT IS OVER
We've done your prospecting for you and found the perfect 3 bedroom, versatile floor plan, either 2 living or formal dining, large utility room, spacious bedrooms, master and large front bedrooms have connecting baths, built-in desk and more. CALL:
J. FRANK NALL, Associate
DON HARVEY, REALTORS 683-5333
evenings 697-3915

* SWIM TIME
Non-qualifying FHA assumable loan has low interest rate, 3 bedrooms, 1¾ baths, 2-car garage and large pool. Established area near park. CALL:
FRAN HENDERSON, Associate
DON HARVEY, REALTORS 683-5333
evenings 682-6576

LARGE four bedroom, 2½ bath, two living area home. Fireplace, nice yard. Fannin School. 683-7945.

TWO Bedroom, rent house, $10,000. As is condition. Needs work. Good investment. 697-2105

MUST sell. Large four bedroom, at 3516 Stanolind, $69,500. Will give carpet allowance. Call 697-4504 for appointment

HUD HOMES
William J. Gilman
Real Estate Broker
686-0750
ASSUME payments on late model mobile homes. Some non-qualifying. Call 333-6327, Odessa.

NON-qualifying assumption, by owner: Three bedroom, 2 bath brick, two garage, fireplace. Monthly payments less than $500. 4410 Tanner. 697-3639.

TO be moved: Three bedroom, two bath, central heat/ air. Corner 307 and 1379. 682-4188.

OWNER financed 3 bedroom. Paint and repair for down payment. See at 3213 Mariana. Call 697-1752.

$427 MONTHLY
NON-QUALIFYING
...on this super 3 bedroom home in West Midland...Inside utility...Ref. Air-/Central Heat...Lg. fenced backyard w/storage building...Garage...Only $1,500 equity...This doll house won't last long, so call TODAY!!
MESA VISTA REALTY, INC.
689-9871 683-3013
10% APR

BY owner. Non-qualifying assumption, FHA 9.5%. $643 monthly. North Gate area. Three bedroom, two bath, two car garage. $5000 and assume loan. 699-1405, leave message.

1500 SQUARE feet, 2 bedroom, 2 bath, landscaped, sprinkler, corner lot. 2408 Arbor Circle. 699-4209, after 5 pm

THREE Bedroom, two bath, two living areas (one can be used a fourth bedroom). Large lot, assumable nonqualifying loan. $50,000. Payments approximately $505/ month. 683-2728 between 8 AM and 5 PM; 687-5559 weekends

NEW ON THE MARKET
For Sale By Owner
2201 Shell
- 4 Bedrooms
- 2 Baths
- Tile Floors
- Freshly Decorated
- Sprinkler System

Call 687-0322.

COLDWELL BANKER ADOBE INC., REALTORS®
WON'T LAST LONG
Immaculate. Great drive up appeal. Excellent condition inside & out. Extra parking. Walking distance to Rusk & Lee...$74,900...Ask for Mary Jo Drury.
694-9548

NEW CONSTRUCTION
3309 CLAREMONT- 3 bdrms, 2½ baths, formal dining, fireplace, 2 car garage scheduled for completion May 30th. $85,900

4306 READING- 3 bdrms, 2½ baths, 2 living areas, formal dining, rear entry garage. $102,500. Open Sunday 2 till 5

For more information about these homes call STEPHENSON, REALTORS, ask for Clemmie Sorge 697-1091, evenings 697-1848

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With a bit of acreage...4415 Princeton, unique five bedroom with 2.5 acres, inground pool, and 4519 Wood Drive, three bedroom with 3.22 acres, barn & corral. Both are lovely homes!
Call HOME REALTY 697-6795
Liz Ohliger 699-2570.

REDUCED AGAIN
SANDHILL CIRCLE- Large 3 bdrm, 2 bath home located near Santa Rita. Just reduced to $106,000. To see this home contact Clemmie Sorge at STEPHENSON, REALTORS 697-1091, evenings 697-1848

SADDLE CLUB NORTH
Live more and worry less in this stunning contemporary, affording exquisite charm and dramatic detailing. Versatile arrangement. Light, bright with outstanding pool area. 4 car garage. You'll not be disappointed in this masterpiece! Offered at $399,000.
BOHANNAN REALTORS 685-0881

Dene Kelly INC. Realtors
OUR LOSS IS YOUR GAIN!
Moving and need to sell. Beautiful traditional home on Seaboard has 3 living areas, three bedrooms and 2 baths. On an oversized corner lot, landscaped & ready to move-in condition. Loaded with amenities; call for the list.
Denise Underwood
687-0595 eves. 685-1799

Dene Kelly INC. Realtors
WANT A BARGAIN?
Comfortable home - special price - neat & clean three bedroom, one bath, near Jane Long Elementary School. Well insulated, steel siding, insulated windows, 2 ceiling fans, storm doors, storage, new water heater.
Priced at $19,500. First home, retirement, or rental property? Call to see
Fay Gwyn
687-0595 eves. 682-1242

ASSUMABLE non-qualifying: Four bedrooms, two baths, fireplace, two car, recently landscaped, west Midland. 697-9837.

HOUSE to be moved: Two bedroom, one bath, with garage, located southwest of Midland. 332-5053.

COLDWELL BANKER ADOBE INC., REALTORS®
LAFAYETTE TOWNHOUSE
Better than new! Spacious & elegant living. Tiled front porch. Plantation shutters. Fresh & clean...$139,500.
694-9548

730 Suburban Property

LET'S DEAL!
Owner of this larger 3 br ranch style home on 2+ acres wants offers! Call John Weiler for details: 699-4410 or STEPHENSON, REALTORS 697-1091

MINERAL RIGHTS, TOO-
UNDER 50,000
2.5 acres on Todd with 3 bedroom, 2 bath house, satellite, storm windows, steel siding nestled under towering elms. 2 water wells and lots of storage building, cross fencing for horses. Ask for Fay at 697-6884 or STEPHENSON, REALTORS 697-1091

KEEP YOUR HORSES
In their own pipe corrals out on 5 acres near Cotton Flat Church. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 living areas, 5 acres with 12 more available. Call Owen Parrish, STEPHENSON, REALTORS 697-1091, 694-3195 evenings.

COUNTRY BARGAINS
Co.Rd. 1130 South- 3 bdrms, 2½ baths, fireplace, 2 car garage, fenced, 3 acres, near Greenwood. $89,900
Co.Rd. 1129 South- 3 bdrms, 2 living areas plus sunroom, fireplace, 2 car garage, 1.67 acres fenced. $75,500
Co.Rd. 130 West- 3 bdrms, 1½ baths, fireplace, 1 acre, $40,900
This is just three of our many good properties located in the country, call for a complete list. Contact Clemmie Sorge at STEPHENSON, REALTORS 697-1091, evenings 697-1848

COME TO THE COUNTRY
and enjoy this spacious Greenwood estate perfect for the growing family & horse lover. Includes a 4 bdrm, 3 bath home, corral, barn & playground on 9.8 acres. Call 1110 South. Reduced $149,000. Open Sunday 2-5. Lyn Travis, STEPHENSON, REALTORS 697-1091/ 697-8641

730 Suburban Property

* RETREAT FROM THE CITY
Beautiful plantation home located on 32.5 acres with 6 bedrooms, 6 baths, 3 living areas and 3 fireplaces. Relax by the pool or enjoy fishing in your own pond. Located on CO. RD. 1065 south. CALL LINDA BROWN, Associate, DON HARVEY, REALTORS 683-5333, evenings 682-3914.

A STEAL!
Prettiest money maker in West Texas. Over 91 acres of prime pecans, complete shelling plant and necessary farm equipment. Beautiful five bedroom ranch home, enclosed swimming pool, hot house. From the gazebo cast a line into your privately stocked Catfish pond. Qualified buyers only. 332-1333 or 362-2466, Ginger Black.

BASIN REAL ESTATE
BY owner: Country duplex, 4.5 acres, between Midland/ Stanton. $5,000 down. Approximately $379 monthly. Owner finance. 683-5004, 458-3635

GARDENDALE BARGAIN
Two bedroom, two living areas on 5 acres with 4 water wells has been reduced to $45,000 for quick sale. Call Rod Foster at STEPHENSON, REALTORS 697-1091/ 697-1105

740 Out of Town Property

LAKE house: San Angelo, two bedroom, two bath, refrigerated air. Call 697-7507, 682-8227 for Kaye

CARBON. Two bedroom, one bath house on approximately 1 acre. Small barn, greenhouse, waterwell. Close to Lake Leon. Quiet town with good people. Only $23,500. Call 687-3336.

$19.70 ACRES
Near Callahan Co. south of Putman on paved road, covered with Oak trees, magnificent view, deer and turkey. Will Texas Vet. with $1,059.00 down. $113.42 monthly.
Coleman County Land, Co.
915-625-3504
915-625-5051

750 Lots and Acreage

1 to 10 ACRE tracts. Owner financing, no down payment required. Discount for cash and VA sales. 684-6851, 682-3289.

LAND for sale by owner, good soil and water, restricted. Please phone 684-8831.

22½ ACRES, 15 miles southeast of town, water wells; $20,000