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Trucker sought in area kidnapping

By FRANK TROMBLEY
Staff Writer

ODESSA — A multi-state manhunt has been launched by the Ector County sheriff's office for a truck driver who allegedly kidnapped, sexually abused and shot a mother and her daughter, leaving them for dead in a field west of Penwell early Thursday morning.

Sheriff Bob Brookshire said Thursday evening his office had had reports from Roswell that truckers believe they had seen a truck resembling the one driven by the suspect sought.

The truck tractor is described as a cab-over engine-type, dark, possibly green in color, with white stripes.

Law enforcement agencies and truck stops along Interstate 20 from Texas to California and ports of entry on both sides of the American-Mexican border have been alerted to be on the look out for the suspect wanted on charges of attempted capital murder, kidnapping and sexual assault.

Gail Lynn Amos, about 35, and her daughter, Angela Abreccio, about 9 years old, believed to be from El Paso, were shot in the head by a man identified by Ms. Amos as a truck driver who kidnapped them after their car broke down on Interstate 20 east of Big Spring in Mitchell County sometime between 2 a.m. and 5 a.m. Thursday.

Medical Center Hospital personnel this morning described Ms. Amos' condition as stable. Her daughter is in "very critical" condition.

According to Ector County Sheriff's Lt. Jeff Schwende, Mrs. Amos thought the truck driver was stopping to help when he pulled up behind their car. However, she told investigators the driver got out of the cab of his tractor-trailer rig with a gun in his hand, Schwende said.

The man tied their hands, forced them into the cab of his truck and headed west on Interstate 20. The mother and daughter were also forced to perform sexual acts on the man, officers said.

Deputy Sheriff Phil Miles said the trucker stopped twice at roadside rest stops before taking Ms. Amos and her daughter into a field north of Interstate 20 about ½ of a mile west of Mile Marker 97, west of Penwell.

Ms. Amos told investigators that the unidentified truck driver stopped at a rest stop in Big Spring and then at another rest stop on the Caprock at ut 1¼ to two miles west of FM 866, Miles said.

After stopping at the Caprock rest stop, Miles said, the truck driver continued on through Penwell and stopped along Interstate 20 about 15 miles west of Odessa, where he made Ms. Amos and her daughter get out of the truck.

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Bullock awaits answer to letter

By STEVE LEVINE
Reporter-Telegram Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — Possibly massive — but temporary — state tax hikes or spending cuts loom as Comptroller Bob Bullock waits for the answer to an eye-popping official letter he has sent Attorney General Jim Mattox.

Bullock's billion-dollar question: does the pay-as-you-go provision of the Constitution allow him to certify the 1988-1989 state spending bill if the Legislature does not eliminate the fiscal 1987 $1.03 billion deficit by the Aug. 31 end of the fiscal year?

If Mattox answers "no," lawmakers — already struggling with an estimated $6 billion shortfall for fiscal 1988 and 1989 — would have few options. They could either use a four-fifths vote in both the House and Senate to declare "an emergency and imperative public necessity" and bypass Bullock's role in the process or they could impose a combination of heavy tax increases and budget cuts to make up the deficit.

"They'd have to maybe put a $2 or $3 surcharge on the corporate franchise tax or boost the sales tax 2 or 3 cents or cut or maybe a combination," Bullock spokesman Tony Proffitt said this morning. "It wouldn't be easy."

In his official request, dated Tuesday, Bullock pointed out that once the state repays $900 million in short-term loans this summer, it will end the fiscal year in the red. "It appears to me the very purpose for the inclusion of (the pay-as-you-go section of the Constitution) becomes meaningless if this deficit is carried into the upcoming biennium," he said.

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Bill could offer construction funds to draw supercollider

AUSTIN (AP) — As Texas steps up efforts to attract the $6 billion "supercollider" research project, legislation is being prepared to allow the state to offer up to $300 million in construction money as an enticement, the Houston Post reported Thursday.

The superconducting supercollider, a 52-mile-long circular atom smasher, would be designed for high-energy physics research and be one of the largest scientific research projects ever built.

The newspaper said the legislation is being drafted by Sen. Chet Edwards, D-Duncanville, and would allow the National Research Laboratory Commission — the state group coordinating efforts to lure the project — to raise $200 million to $300 million through state-backed, tax-exempt bonds.

The bonding authority could be used only if Texas is chosen as the site for the project by the U.S. Department of Energy.

While the name and purpose of the project are obscure to many Texans, lawmakers say the supercollider would mean far more to the state's economy than any existing private or governmental enterprise, including the NASA space center near Houston.

The effort to provide the state supercollider commission with the bonding power — and up to $300,000 in operating funds — is supported by Gov. Bill Clements.

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Ron Jose Reporter-Telegram

An irate Rusty Kalisek, service technician at Bo's Recreational Vehicle Service and Storage, stands below his company's greetings to the city streets department.

Mud hole stirring concern

By RICK BROWN
Assistant City Editor

"Thanks for the mud hole, City Street Department," reads the sign posted by irate workers at a 2707 Industrial Avenue business, who contend the city-created hole is responsible for over $200 in damage to two vehicles.

But spokesmen for the new Streets Commission contend the city is getting a bad rap for work done on the about ¾-mile span of Industrial Avenue, which for the most part is out of the city's jurisdiction.

"Even though the city created that hole, we were doing it to help the people who drive up and down that street," said Mark Philpy, Streets Commission chairman, this morning.

According to City Engineer Harvey Hanson, the stretch lies mostly within a Texas and Pacific Railroad right of way. Only an approximate two-foot strip of the road lies within city jurisdiction, he said.

The workers, employed at Bo's Recreational Vehicle Service and Storage, were mightily upset by work done by the streets department in an attempt to fill pot holes on the stretch.

The department dug up a portion of the street and then filled in their work with caliche, Rusty Kalisek, a service technician at Bo's, said.

Problem was, when recent rains came, the caliche washed away, leaving a hole about 2½ feet deep, he said.

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Ruling will let Walsh proceed

WASHINGTON (AP) — Dismissing lawsuits that struck "at the core" of independent counsel Lawrence E. Walsh's authority, a judge says Walsh can forge ahead with his investigation of the Iran-Contra affair and the man who tried to stop it: Oliver L. North.

U.S. District Judge Barrington D. Parker's rejection of two North lawsuits Thursday cleared one potential obstacle for Walsh, but still left him racing to develop a possible criminal case before North and other key figures are granted congressional immunity.

An immunity grant would prevent Walsh from using congressional testimony as the basis for a criminal case.

Turning down North's constitutional challenge to the Walsh probe, Parker said, "The nation demands an expeditious and complete disclosure" of the Iran-Contra affair. North, he concluded, "has not suffered an injury of sufficient keenness to warrant the court's intercession" in a criminal investigation.

Parker said North's challenge "strikes at the core of Walsh's authority to conduct a criminal investigation" and raises an issue of "grave constitutional importance."

North, a fired National Security Council aide, is the central figure in the investigation of arms sales to Iran and possible diversion of payments to the Nicaraguan Contras. His lawyer, Barry Simon, declined to comment on a possible appeal.

Walsh, commenting on the ruling, said, "We welcome the prompt determination of the court that the investigation of independent counsel continue without interruption or disruption."

Meanwhile, a similar challenge to the independent counsel law mounted by lobbyist Michael K. Deaver, a former aide to President Reagan, remained alive Thursday.

The U.S. Court of Appeals granted Deaver an emergency order, good through next Tuesday, that prevents the independent counsel in that case from seeking a grand jury indictment.

By Monday, attorneys for Deaver and independent counsel Whitney North Seymour Jr. are to file legal papers arguing their positions. Seymour on Feb. 25 announced his intention to seek a four-count perjury indictment, but now has been stopped twice by temporary court orders, the first by a lower court judge the day the suit was filed.

Both Deaver and North contended that investigations by independent counsels are unconstitutional because the counsels are appointed by a three-judge court. Criminal investigations must be conducted by the executive branch, under authority of the president, they argued.

In other developments:

—President Reagan's chief legal adviser, Peter J. Wallison, said in an interview that he was rebuffed by Vice Adm. John M. Poindexter when he tried to learn details of the Iran-Contra scheme in the days after its disclosure. Wallison, who is leaving his post today, said in the New York Times interview that Poindexter told him: "I'm sorry, we've had all the legal advice we need from the attorney general, and you really don't have a role in this."

—The board of the National Endowment for Democracy, which provides grants to promote democracy abroad, planned to act today on a recommendation to remove its money from an organization mentioned in connection with the Iran-Contra affair.

Fatal warehouse fire 'sign of Detroit's decline'

DETROIT (AP) — A blaze that began in an abandoned building and took the lives of three firefighters is a sign of Detroit's decline, the mayor said in describing the tragedy as the worst in the fire department's history.

The five-alarm fire, which began about 3 p.m. Thursday, destroyed the warehouse and a paper products company next door, which made up a city block.

A lieutenant and a trial firefighter, who was to receive his badge on March 23, died of smoke inhalation after a roof in the paper supply building collapsed on them about 8 p.m. Another lieutenant died after an explosion rocked the three-story warehouse.

More than 120 firefighters with 30 pieces of equipment worked on the blaze as falling rubble from the warehouse building squashed cars parked nearby, and streetlight and telephone poles were toppled.

The buildings were in a light industrial area about five miles from downtown Detroit where many businesses and homes have been boarded up or torn down.

Two men were questioned today by police homicide investigators in connection with the fire, said police spokesman Marvin Rediawski. He did not know their identities.

The fire was believed to have been started by homeless people trying to keep warm, the Detroit Free Press and The Detroit News reported. Authorities early today declined to confirm the reports.

"Beyond question, it's the worst tragedy to ever befall the Detroit Fire Department," said Mayor Coleman Young, who arrived at the fire as the body of one victim was being pulled from the fire.

"It's a tragedy that men lose their lives over an abandoned building," Young said. "What you see here is the result of an abandonment of a major city."

Detroit has suffered tremendous loss in population in the last quarter-century, and those who remain must deal with high unemployment and crime rates.

The warehouse contained bales of rags left when the building was abandoned by the Motor City Wiping Cloth Co., said Deputy Fire Chief Earl Sanders.

"We do have sufficient evidence to classify that fire as an arson fire," said Donald Robertson, a chief in the Fire Department's fire marshal division.

"We've had a lot of problems with fires in these vacant buildings," said Carlo Daniele, owner of Continental Paper & Supply Co. "Vagrants get into them and start fires to keep warm. None of them have been serious."

At least 10 firefighters were injured in the fire. The westbound side of adjacent Interstate 96 was closed for about 2½ hours during the evening rush hour to serve as a temporary landing pad for medical helicopters, said state police Sgt. Robert Thornton.

The firefighters who died of smoke inhalation were identified as Lt. David Lau and Trial Firefighter Larry McDonald. Lt. Paul Schimeck, 46, a 20-year veteran of the department, died of head and neck injuries after falling after the warehouse blast, said Detroit Southwest Hospital spokeswoman Rose David.

"There was an explosion, he was hanging on a window, he lost his grip, bounded off a ledge," said Dr. John Feemster, an emergency room physician at Southwest.

Five firefighters were treated in Detroit Receiving Hospital and released, said emergency room supervisor Garnet Robertson. Three others were admitted, and two were held for observation. She would not reveal the identity of those injured.

'Oil Aid' festivities planned during April

By JOHN PAUL PITTS

First there was Live Aid and Bob Geldof, then came Farm Aid and Willie Nelson, now there's Oil Aid and Roy Orbison.

Planned to supplement Energy Appreciation Week, March 22 to 28, a group of Midlanders have scheduled a Texas-style, Midland-class party and concert featuring the famous West Texas country-rock star. The group of local oilmen is hopeful the April event will sustain into the summer the optimism created by this month's oil appreciation activities.

"I think if we can keep our head up and get through the summer, the Permian Basin oil industry will be over the hump and well on the way to recovery. This event will come just at the right time to pick up our spirits for the summer," said Dennis (Weenie) Grubb, organizer of the Oil Aid Party and Concert to be held at Midland College's Chaparral Center, April 24 and 25.

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Hearst Corporation announces its purchase of Houston Chronicle

Hearst News Service

HOUSTON — The Hearst Corporation, which owns the Midland Reporter-Telegram, said Thursday that it has entered an agreement to purchase the Houston Chronicle from Houston Endowment, Inc. The announcement was made by Frank A. Bennack Jr., president and chief executive officer of Hearst; J. Howard Creekmore, president of Houston Endowment; and Richard J.V. Johnson, president of the Chronicle.

Once the acquisition is completed, the Houston Chronicle will operate as a wholly-owned subsidiary of The Hearst Corporation. Johnson will serve as publisher and president of the new subsidiary, Bennack said, reporting directly to the chief executive.

The purchase price is $400 million — $300 million in cash and $100 in note.

"We are delighted with the opportunity to acquire the Houston Chronicle," Bennack said. "This paper has achieved its present stature as the largest newspaper in Texas because of its commitment to excellence and its service to the Houston area. We intend to support and preserve the unique character of this great newspaper."

Located in the eighth largest metropolitan market area in the nation, the Houston Chronicle ranks first among Texas dailies and 16th among the nation's 1,674 daily newspapers with a circulation of 430,000. Sunday circulation totals 630,000.

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Frank Bennack Jr., president and chief executive officer of the Hearst Corporation, Thursday afternoon greets the newsroom staff of the Houston Chronicle. He and Richard J.V. Johnson, right, announced the newspaper's sale. Johnson will remain as president and publisher of the Chronicle.

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The Chronicle has consistently ranked among the top ten newspapers nationally in total advertising volume and among the top five in classified advertising.

"The Chronicle has always had a very special role to play in the city of Houston and, in fact, in the entire state of Texas," Johnson said. "We feel certain that the acquisition by The Hearst Corporation will provide management and the employees of the Chronicle with the right combination of corporate involvement and support, yet preserve the local autonomy necessary for us to continue to fulfill that special role as one of Houston's leading institutions.

"The old order changes," Johnson continued, "but we believe the important things at the Chronicle will not change. We strive always to inform the citizenry of Houston and to foster the principles that have made this a great city. The Chronicle is recognized in the industry as one of the great newspapers of America. Proudly we pledge that these responsibilities, these goals, will continue to be pursued."

Speaking for Houston Endowment, President J. Howard Creekmore said, "While this sale is accompanied by regret for its necessity, and a sense of loss for the traditional Jones ownership and involvement with the Chronicle, I am gratified that a splendid publishing organization like The Hearst Corporation will guide its future destinies as a preeminent Houston institution. And, the proceeds of the sale make certain that Mr. Jones' traditional good works through Houston Endowment will continue well into the next century."

The Houston Endowment, which will use the proceeds from the sale to fund its educational and charitable activities, is selling the paper to comply with federal tax laws requiring charitable institutions to dispose of profit making subsidiaries by 1989.

The purchase of the Houston Chronicle continues a series of major acquisitions made recently by Hearst. In December 1986, the privately-held communications company acquired Esquire magazine and the News American Syndicate. In March 1986, Hearst completed acquisition of WCVB-TV in Boston, widely regarded as one of the best television stations in the country.

Since 1979, the Hearst Corporation has spent more than $1 billion on more than a dozen acquisitions and the development of new properties.

This year, the Hearst Corporation is celebrating its centennial from its position as one of the nation's leading diversified communications companies. It employs more than 12,000 people, operates more than 135 businesses and has major interests in newspaper, magazine, book and business publishing, television and radio broadcasting, and cable television programming services.

Prior to adding the Houston Chronicle, Hearst published 14 daily newspapers with a combined circulation of approximately 1.1 million and 2.1 million on Sundays. Hearst newspapers include the San Francisco Examiner, the Times-Union (Albany, NY), Seattle Post-Intelligencer and five dailies in Texas: the Beaumont Enterprise, Laredo Morning Times, Midland Reporter-Telegram, Plainview Daily Herald and the San Antonio Light.

Hearst is also believed to be the largest publisher of monthly magazines in the nation. Just over a quarter of a billion copies of the 12 Hearst monthlies, one bi-monthly, and numerous special magazines were distributed in the United States in 1986. Hearst also publishes 55 international editions in over 70 countries. Among Hearst Magazines are Good Housekeeping, Cosmopolitan, Redbook, Harper's Bazaar, Country Living, Esquire and Popular Mechanics.

Hearst also has major interests in broadcasting. Aside from the networks themselves (CBS, NBC, Cap Cities/ABC), Hearst is the second largest operator of network affiliated VHF television stations in the nation. The company has six TV stations: WTAE-TV, Pittsburgh; KMBC-TV, Kansas City; WISN-TV, Milwaukee; WDTN-TV, Dayton; and the recently acquired WCVB-TV, Boston — all ABC affiliates. WBAL-TV in Baltimore is a CBS affiliate. The company also owns and operates seven radio stations.

Hearst Books/Business Publishing includes William Morrow and Company and Arbor House, both hardcover publishers, and Avon, a leading paperback publisher. The group also publishes numerous business publications including American Druggist, Diversion and Motor Magazine.

In addition to the recently acquired North American Syndicate, Hearst owns King Features, one of the world's largest media syndicates, which distributes such leading comics as "Blondie," "Beetle Bailey," "Hagar the Horrible" and features such as "Hints from Heloise." King Features Entertainment is a television production and distribution company currently distributing "Defenders of the Earth" among other television programs.

The Hearst Corporation also has extensive real estate holdings in California, Maine and Canada.

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He said footprints found by deputies indicate the truck driver forced the woman and her daughter to walk from the highway across double railroad tracks, over a barbed wire fence and about 240 feet into a mesquite-covered field.

Miles said the footprints showed the man walked into the field holding Ms. Amos with his right hand and the girl with his left hand. Once in the field, the deputy said, the man shot both of them in the neck area.

According to Miles, the man "left them for dead," and speculated "they would never have been found" if the woman hadn't managed to make her way back to Interstate 20. He said deputies searching the scene later found tracks indicating the woman had traveled back and forth between the highway and the field several times, apparently searching for her daughter.

A passing motorist finally saw Ms. Amos, stopped, picked her up and then took her back to the Red X truck stop, where the sheriff's department was notified and Ms. Amos was taken to Medical Center Hospital.

Miles said the motorist then led deputies back to where he had picked up Mrs. Amos. Were it not for the help of the motorist, he said, searchers might have looked for days before finding the woman's daughter.

The girl was found under a mesquite bush by a reserve deputy sheriff, according to Schwende. She was picked up by the sheriff's department helicopter and flown to a waiting ambulance that transported her to Medical Center Hospital, he said.

The girl's condition was described as critical when she arrived at Medical Center Hospital but was later upgraded to serious, Schwende said. She underwent surgery Thursday afternoon, he said.

The bullet that struck the girl showed "entry and exit wounds," according to Miles.

The bullet that struck the girl's mother in the neck remained lodged in her head, he said. Doctors initially planned to operate on Ms. Amos to remove the bullet, but later decided to postpone the surgery, Miles said.

The Mitchell County sheriff's office impounded Ms. Amos' 1980 Audi late Thursday morning. An Ector County sheriff's deputy was sent to examine the abduction scene for any possible evidence.

In an effort to enlist the aid of truckers traveling Interstate 20, Schwende posted a notice on the bulletin board at the Red X truck stop Thursday afternoon.

Asking truckers for "immediate help," the notice contained a description of the suspect provided by Ms Amos. The man sought is described as "a white male, 6 feet tall, 230 pounds, pot belly, dark hair, full beard and moustache. He was driving a dark color (possibly green) tractor-trailer rig with camel color interior."

BULLOCK

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Mattox' press secretary said the attorney general will move quickly on the request but set no specific target date for an answer.

Current legislative plans call for lawmakers to make up the deficit by spreading it over the 1988-1989 budget cycle. Chopping or raising the $1 billion by the end of August would be a "monumental" task, said House Appropriations Committee Chairman Jim Rudd, D-Brownfield.

Rudd said the precedent of passing past deficits from one fiscal year to the next should force Mattox to uphold the current strategy. "I just can't see at this point how he can rule that can't do it," Rudd said.

The Legislature met in back-to-back special sessions last summer, trying to address a $3.5 billion deficit created by the dramatic drop in the price of oil. In what some critics called a "Band-Aid solution," lawmakers used cuts, temporary taxes and accounting maneuvers to whittle the shortfall down to the remaining $1.03 billion.

Asked why Bullock didn't raise the point six months ago when the special sessions ended, Proffitt said, "He's talked about it and talked about it and talked about it.

"They promised they'd take care of it right away when they got down here (in the regular session that began Jan. 13)," he said. "They haven't done it."

CONCERT

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The Friday-night party will be by invitation only while the Roy Orbison concert the following evening will be open to the public, according to Grubb. "Coming a month later, we're not out to compete with Energy Appreciation Week and the Blow Out, but to reinforce it," he added.

Grubb said the affair was not to raise money or get sympathy: "We want to have a party, just because we need a party after the beating that we have taken and continue to take. We also want to show the rest of the world that we can still do things with Midland class." He plans to invite network television and national news magazines to the affair.

Grubb said oilmen, wives and guests will be invited from Dallas and Houston, as well as from Oklahoma, New Mexico, California, Colorado and Louisiana to what will probably be the first big oilpatch gala since the bust of 1982. "It's not too soon to have a party," said Grubb, noting "you can only stay down-in-the-mouth so long."

The Oil Aid Party and Concert, as Grubb is billing it, is also planned as a tribute to Orbison who was recently inducted into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame. Orbison grew up in Wink, Texas, where his father worked as a roughneck.

"The oilpatch survives on perseverance," said Grubb, "and maybe this Oil Aid Party and Concert will help recharge the perseverance battery."

Ship fire kills 12

RAVENNA, Italy (AP) — Fire swept an Italian ship undergoing repairs near this Adriatic port today, killing at least 12 workers, police said.

Initial reports said two other workers might have been trapped on the burning ship, the Elisabetta Montanari, a 2,893-ton liquefied gas carrier built in 1969. The vessel was at the CMT shipyard in Porto San Vitale.

The fire was brought under control less than two hours after it began, police said, and rescue workers were searching for possible survivors.

Twelve bodies were recovered, police said.

Police said about 70 people were working on the ship when fire broke out. They said the blaze apparently started in the fuel tank and spread quickly, engulfing much of the vessel in smoke.

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Endowment President Carl Gershman, who made the recommendation, said there is no evidence the Washington-based Institute for North South Issues misspent its grant money. But he added he did not want his congressionally financed, non-government agency to be tainted by the Iran-Contra affair.

—Commerce Secretary Malcolm Baldrige, turning aside objections by Defense Secretary Caspar Weinberger, strongly defended the proposed sale of equipment containing American-made computers to Iran.

Weinberger reportedly was seeking to have the proposed sale reviewed by the National Security Council, and possibly even President Reagan. Baldrige told a Senate Banking subcommittee that the computers in question have no military applications and "we could ship them directly to the Soviet Union, for that matter."

—The Senate on Thursday adopted, 97-1, a resolution commending the efforts of Costa Rican President Oscar Arias and the chief executives of Central America's three other democracies to launch a diplomatic peace initiative.

Walsh, reflecting his continuing concern on the immunity question, told ABC News Thursday night that he's trying to wrap up a sound criminal case in the next 90 days.

"We want to develop as much evidence as we can and have it under seal" before key figures are given immunity, he said.

Congress is far more likely to get the full story from congressional witnesses who know they are under scrutiny for criminal violations, Walsh said.

"Our further concern is that ... if immunity is granted to such important persons prematurely that it will not produce the full truth," he added.

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"I will support that, on that condition" that the authority is contingent upon Texas being chosen as the site, Clements said.

"(Lt. Gov.) Bill Hobby and I talked about that briefly the other day, and I questioned whether they needed it at this point, but I'm inclined to think if we do win the award that we probably will need that," Clements told the Post.

Texas' chief competitors for the research facility are California and Illinois, officials said.

HOLE

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Bo's General Manager Donald Bollinger said that deep water disguised the extent of the hole and caused him to drive into the muck with his 1976 Dodge Van.

Result: A $160 bill for suspension repair and a blown tire.

Bollinger said a second company vehicle, a 1982 Chevrolet pickup, also sustained $118 in damages to tie rods because of the hole.

Said Kalisek, "If you've got any kind of a car with decent suspension or decent shocks, I wouldn't recommend coming down this street because it's just a big scrub board."

While Bollinger tried to contact the city by phone to discuss restitution for the damages, he gave up because he spent large amounts of time on hold, he said.

Beverly Wingo, city safety and risk management coordinator, said today that a verbal accounting for damages is insufficient for action on problems like Bollinger's.

Claims to the city have to be submitted in writing within 60 days of the accident's occurrence, she said, adding that the claimant must include the date, time and location of the accident.

Action on a claim can take as much as three to four weeks, she said — or even longer if the problem calls for substantial investigation.

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Two drugs for AIDS patients found to be incompatible

By WARREN E. LEARY

WASHINGTON (AP) — Two drugs which separately may be beneficial in treating AIDS show noticeably less effectiveness and may even harm patients when used together, scientists say.

Researchers at Boston's Massachusetts General Hospital and elsewhere said Thursday they tested the drugs AZT and ribavirin in several different human cell cultures and found they antagonized one another.

"It is conceivable that this mechanism happens in people as well," Dr. Markus W. Vogt said in a telephone interview. "This should be tested in animals before trying the combination in humans."

The researchers cautioned that desperate patients with the fatal disease who obtain the experimental drugs illegally may harm themselves if they mix the two.

"I am afraid that both AZT and ribavirin are or will be available on the black market, particularly in large cities on the East and West Coasts," said Dr. Martin S. Hirsch, head of AIDS research at the hospital.

"It is a natural temptation for people who are desperate and fear for their lives to attempt to combine these drugs," he continued.

The Boston researchers tested azidothymidine, or AZT, made by the Burroughs Wellcome Co., of Research Triangle Park, N.C., with ribavirin, an antiviral drug made by ICN Pharmaceuticals of Costa Mesa, Calif.

The researchers said it appears ribavirin prevents necessary chemical changes in AZT that are required for the drug to interfere with reproduction of the virus which causes acquired immune deficiency syndrome.

In a multi-staged process, AZT must pick up phosphorus to become active against viral reproduction, Vogt said. Ribavirin, which goes through the same process, seems to compete with AZT to decrease its effectiveness, he said.

AZT, which reduced the symptoms and death rate of patients with AIDS in a trial last year, is being taken experimentally by thousands of patients in a new test.

A Food and Drug Administration advisory panel recommended in January that AZT receive prescription approval, but the application still is pending, according to FDA spokesman Brad Stone.

ICN, which claims ribavirin helps delay the onset of full-blown AIDS in people infected with the virus that causes the disease, has applied for approval of expanded trials with the drug. The application is pending until the company provides further information on preliminary tests that the FDA requested, Stone said.

In a report published today in the journal Science, the Boston researchers, including Robert Schooley, Kevan Hartshorn and Leslie Coleman, and Phillip Furman and James Fyfe of Wellcome, said the drug mixing results were unexpected.

The scientists had hoped the combination would produce a synergistic effect, meaning the action together would be more powerful than just the sum of the individual drugs.

They evaluated the effects of various dose combinations of AZT and ribavirin on the reproduction of the virus that causes AIDS within cell cultures.

"To our surprise, the combination proved antagonistic," they wrote.

AIDS is an infectious disease that reduces the ability of the body's immune system to resist infection and disease. There is no known cure.

As of this week, AIDS had been diagnosed in 32,000 Americans, of whom about half have died since 1979, according to the federal Centers for Disease Control. No one is known to have recovered from AIDS.

NATION

U.S. offers Soviets new missile plan

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Reagan administration is offering the Soviets a new inspection plan as part of the effort to eliminate medium-range nuclear missiles from Europe, while also appealing to U.S. critics for more time to negotiate arms reductions.

The U.S. plan was presented Thursday to the Soviet Union in Geneva, where the two sides are trying to work out a treaty. The Soviets already have accepted the principal of on-site inspection to help verify compliance, which is the major stumbling block to an agreement.

The proposed pact would require dismantling, over the next five years, of 268 U.S. weapons based in West Germany, Great Britain, Belgium, the Netherlands and Italy, along with the 243 Soviet weapons targeted on Western Europe.

The latest U.S. verification proposal has three parts. First would be confirmation by on site inspectors of missiles deployed, followed by inspectors watching the missiles being destroyed.

The final stage would be stationing U.S. inspectors in Asia where they would watch the 100 mid-range Soviet missiles as they are moved there, with the Soviets given the same right to check on U.S. weapons, which would possibly be put in Alaska.

State Department spokesman Charles Redman said he was making the details public because there is "a great deal of interest in this question" and because the Soviets already had the information. Normally, the two sides don't reveal details of their positions.

On Capitol Hill, Richard Perle, a major administration figure on nuclear policy, told a House Foreign Affairs subcommittee the next "six to eight months are critical" in the effort to work out arms reduction treaties.

Perle, who announced his resignation later Thursday as an assistant secretary of defense, urged Democrats who control both the House and Senate not to force administration actions, such as continued compliance to the SALT II arms treaty, which he argued would tie the hands of U.S. negotiators at Geneva.

The same plea came from Kenneth Adelman, director of the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, as he testified at the hearing.

"It is ironic that those in the House and Senate who talk most about arms control and who are most critical of us for not doing more are those who, in my mind, are the biggest threat to getting a good agreement," said Adelman, challenging those who would legislate cuts in U.S. programs that the Soviets hadn't even won at the bargaining table.

Adelman and Perle restated the administration's complaint that the Soviets have violated past arms control treaties, a view which has been disputed by some Democrats.

But Rep. Dante Fascell, D-Fla., chairman of the Foreign Affairs panel, questioned whether the administration is "engaging in a campaign to convince us of Soviet non-compliance rather than proving it."

Congressional Democrats plan to make arms control a major focus of their legislative efforts this year. They have criticized the administration for not doing more in that area, and they successfully adopted restrictions on major weapons last fall. But they abandoned the limits when Reagan appealed for national unity before meeting Soviet leader Mikhail S. Gorbachev in Iceland.

Sen. Sam Nunn, D-Ga., continued his criticism Thursday with the second in a series of speeches and reports on the Senate floor taking issue with Reagan's argument that the administration can change the U.S. view of the 1972 Anti-Ballistic Missile Treaty.

The proposed change would permit tests of Reagan's "Star Wars" anti-missile defense program not now allowed. Critics say any alteration would have to be approved by the Senate, just as the chamber ratified the original treaty 15 years ago.

Nunn, chairman of the Armed Services Committee, said in a speech the administration was wrong in asserting the 15-year-old records were ambiguous and were open to a revised interpretation.

But Perle took issue with Nunn, telling the House panel he believed Nunn was "quite wrong" in reading the deliberations. Perle, a strong supporter of the new "broad" interpretation, said he had himself reviewed the records and found them "crystal clear."

At the State Department, Redman also disputed Nunn.

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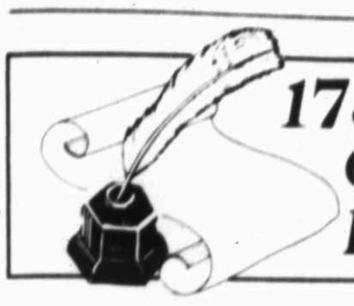

1787 Constitution Daybook

Associated Press

Tuesday, March 13, 1787
PHILADELPHIA TODAY

The temperature warmed to 59 degrees today, but a nasty rainstorm rolled in with heavy winds, bringing with it an inch of rain.

The Pennsylvania Assembly adopted a report calling for issuing certificates for three-quarters of the operation of the government. The balance would be paid in 1781 currency on land taxes.

Benjamin Franklin was paid 750 pounds for six months' salary as chief executive of Pennsylvania today.

The Philadelphia Street Commissioners reported that convicts were to be available next week to begin street repairs. The commissioners believed it was high time to consider the levy necessary to repair the streets, clean the city, and continue construction of the sewer. It was agreed that the sum of 6,000 pounds would be levied and the commissioners directed the clerk to prepare the tax rolls.

CONFEDERATION TODAY

William Samuel Johnson, in the third day of his journey from Connecticut to New York, spent the day waiting for the wind to abate on Long Island Sound.

Congress assembled today and granted a six month leave of absence to Arthur Lee from the Board of Treasury.

In view of the recent insurrection in Massachusetts, Secretary of War Henry Knox reported to Congress on measures to strengthen the arsenal at Springfield. The general recommended that three new arsenals be established on the Delaware, James, and Congaree rivers. He also recommended that Congress consider building supply points at Fort Pitt and West Point.

DELEGATES TODAY

George Washington wrote to Charles Willson Peale of Philadelphia that he was sending a French pheasant hen's body for inclusion in Peale's museum. This and other pheasants were gifts from the Marquis de Lafayette. Some of the birds had died in transit from France to the United States and the remainder had perished in captivity at Mt. Vernon. Peale had heard about the pheasants and the sad news that they were not faring very well. Stuffed, rare birds would be a welcome addition to his museum, so he asked the general to send them when they died and gave him explicit instructions for transporting the carcasses.

James Madison reported to Gov. Edmund Randolph that he paid a visit to the Spanish ambassador, Don Diego de Gardoqui. He discussed navigation of the Mississippi and discovered that the ambassador was not interested in any proposal that would give American shippers rights on the lower Mississippi River.

LOOKING BACK
The Confederation Treasury Board

The Treasury Board was not authorized in the Articles of Confederation, but was created and appointed by Congress. The nation's finances had been a major problem during and after the Revolution. Congress first used Robert Morris as superintendent of finance to oversee the nation's money from 1781 through 1784. Some, like George Washington, who relied on his financial wizardry, appreciated Morris' abilities, but others bitterly opposed him and his policies.

Morris' enemies coalesced shortly after the Revolutionary War ended and devised ways to overthrow the superintendent. The Massachusetts Legislature proposed a three-man board to oversee the nation's finances and ordered its delegates in Congress to introduce measures to put this recommendation into effect. Morris finally resigned in November 1784 and the Massachusetts plan was passed by Congress.

The Board of Treasury, made up of three members, supervised the treasury officials, who were responsible for settling the accounts of military departments. It was in charge of the continental loan officers in the states, and it supervised the commissioners who were handling accounts between the United States and the states, and the national government and individuals.

The board could not act independently. But it provided valuable service to the government by wading through petitions, memorials, and other claims, making recommendations to Congress. The members seldom allowed payment of claims that were not carefully documented and avoided establishing precedents that would further drain the federal treasury. It soon became obvious to the commissioners and many other observers that the finances of the central government were insufficient. Congress simply needed the power to raise money independent of the states. This issue became a major concern that would be addressed in the upcoming Constitutional Convention.

'Quick action' prevents more suicides

By MALCOLM RITTER

NEW YORK (AP) — When teen-agers kill themselves, as four did in a suicide pact in New Jersey this week, communities must act quickly to prevent guilt and despair from provoking more suicides, experts say.

The bodies of the four teen-agers who made a suicide pact were found Wednesday morning in Bergenfield, N.J. They had let a car run in a closed garage.

In interviews, experts warned that when a suicide occurs in a community, others may follow.

"There's usually one or two major (suicide) clusters in the United States each year," said Michael Peck, director of the California Youth Suicide Prevention School Program.

Guilt and identification with suicide victims could lead to more suicides in Bergenfield, he warned.

"With four kids making a suicide pact, you have to know many kids in that community and maybe some adults had picked up clues," he said.

"There's a lot of people in that community, adults as well as kids, who are saying, 'They said things to me. I should have known.' There will be a tremendous amount of guilt. The guilt can become irrational and drive the person to killing (oneself) to make amends."

In addition, Peck said, "the person who follows in a cluster of a suicide is also an unhappy, despairing-type person" who may think the first suicide victim had a better life than he or she has and reason: "If he kills himself, what chance do I have?"

To prevent a suicide streak in a case like Bergenfield's, Peck said, therapists should interview close friends of the suicide victims to look for signs of guilt and despair.

Also, students should be allowed to discuss their feelings about the suicide, he added in an interview Thursday.

Suicide streaks also may occur among disturbed teen-agers who have lost emotional support from friends and relatives outside their immediate families, and who have formed close friendships with other disturbed teen-agers, another expert said.

"They're substituting these friendships with other disturbed kids for their kin system," said psychologist Steven Gutstein, director of program development and evaluation at the Houston Child Guidance Center.

When "the people you come to rely on like family start to die," a vulnerable teen-ager feels those friendships cannot be replaced, and suicide may follow, according to Gutstein, who is studying families of suicide victims and those who tried to kill themselves.

To prevent suicide streaks, churches and community groups can try to become substitutes for extended kin relationships, Gutstein said.

Gutstein said suicide pacts are infrequent among teen-agers. Peck agreed, and said that one involving four people is "very, very, very rare. ...In 25 years of work in suicide, I never heard of four."

Two teen-age girls found dead of apparent suicide

ALSIP, Ill. (AP) — Two teen-age girls described as best friends were found dead after apparent suicides in a garage thick with auto exhaust, police said today.

The bodies of Nancy Grannan, 19, and Karen Logan, 17, were found Thursday inside Miss Grannan's vehicle, which was parked in a garage attached to the Logan home in this Chicago suburb, said Alsip Police Dispatcher Tim Furmanek.

The incident occurred one day after the bodies of four teen-agers who made a suicide pact were found in Bergenfield, N.J. They also died after letting a car run in a closed garage.

Exhaust fumes filtered into the Logan home and killed two cats and a dog, said Furmanek.

"The deaths were apparent multiple suicides as police found numerous notes and personal effects in the car with the girls," Furmanek read from a news release.

Miss Logan's sister, Melanie, found the bodies and summoned a neighbor for help, Furmanek said.

The neighbor, 18-year-old Blair Fawley, said he did not know why the young women, whom he described as outgoing and as best friends, would kill themselves.

W-4A form gets final approval

WASHINGTON (AP) — Final approval has been given to a revised W-4 tax withholding form that the Internal Revenue Service expects to begin distributing by mid-April.

The White House Office of Management and Budget recommended several minor changes in the instructions for filling out the forms, called W-4A in the revised version, and the changes were accepted by the IRS, according to IRS spokesman Wilson Fadely.

All wage-earners are required to fill out a new tax-withholding form by Oct. 1 to reflect major changes brought about by the 1986 tax overhaul.

Taxpayers may choose between the two-page W-4A and a four-page W-4 that was released in December. The W-4A was offered by the IRS as a substitute after the agency received many complaints that the four-page document was too complex.

The IRS estimates that half of all wage-earners need only use the first page of the W-4. The revised version points out at the top of the form that about 12 million workers who are exempt from withholding do not even need to use the worksheet on the first page; they go to the bottom of the page and fill out the seven-line form itself.

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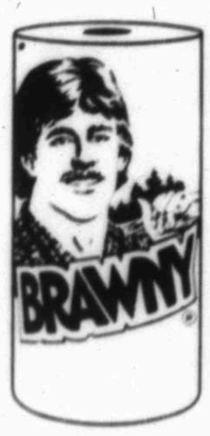

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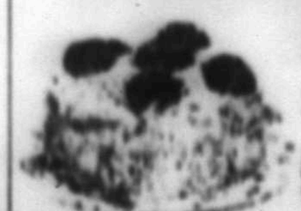

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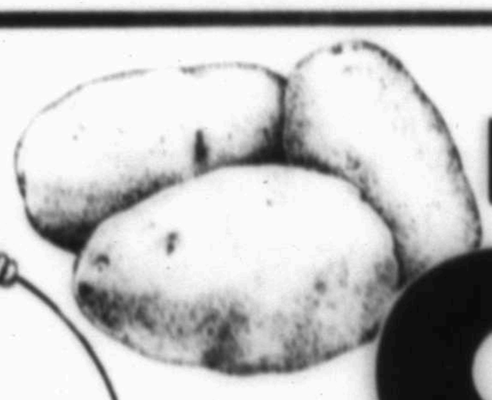

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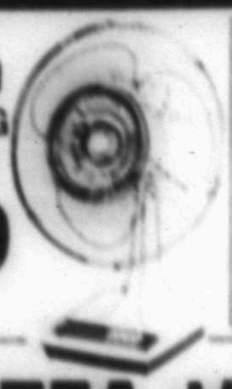

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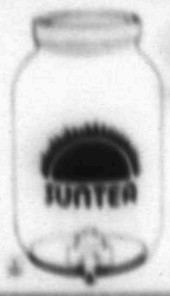

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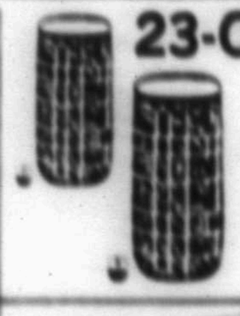

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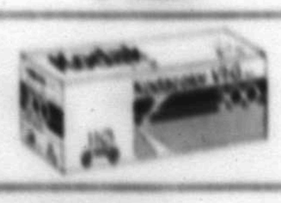

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Dangerous asylum

She came to America from Nicaragua and never went home. Her brother once fought with the Sandinistas. But he eventually broke with his former comrades and was forced to flee the country. The woman who lived without a visa in America was afraid to return. She voluntarily turned herself in to the U.S. government and applied for asylum.

The United States refused to grant it, saying she could not prove that she would be persecuted in Nicaragua. She appealed on the grounds that her well-founded fears of persecution were proof enough. Monday, the U.S. Supreme Court granted her asylum.

"To show a well-founded fear of persecution, an alien need not prove that it is more likely than not that he or she will be persecuted in his or her home country," Justice John Paul Stevens wrote in the landmark decision. "It is clear that Congress did not intend to restrict eligibility for (asylum) to those who could prove that it is more likely than not that they will be persecuted if deported."

This decision recognizes that people fleeing persecution can't prove what will happen in the future. It allows "well-founded fear" to justify asylum.

Thousands of aliens fearing persecution if deported to their homelands can take heart from the decision. They must now take steps to come out of hiding and apply for asylum. The government obviously needs to change its guidelines to include the category of "well-founded fear."

Still, many people with less well-founded fears of persecution are afraid to come out of hiding, because this decision will not affect their situation. The sanctuary movement continues to harbor aliens illegally in the belief that saving lives justifies violating immigration law. Sanctuary people who have been convicted and have accepted their sentences show moral courage.

But the Supreme Court has shown that the system of justice is capable of responding humanely to a legitimate cry for asylum. That is the answer.

The reason people flee countries like Nicaragua is that the law there does not protect their rights. Those who wish to share America as a refuge for others must beware of breaking down the system of law which is the foundation of American rights.

If that foundation is undermined, there will be no refuge.

LETTERS

Support Christian radio

As a former resident of Midland (we moved to Missouri Jan. 23, 1987) and an ardent supporter of Christian radio, I was shocked to learn of the arson attack on Quad K FM 99. I was thankful to learn that no one was physically hurt — the fine people at "the sound of love" are more than just radio personalities, they are some of the finest people I've ever known personally and their dedication can be seen in the quality broadcasting.

The death of Christian programming here in this area of the Ozarks has prompted me to seek support for one that was in planning before our arrival here. Quad K is so good I recorded 20 hours of progamming as a pattern or objective to shoot for. My wife and kids (ages 11 and 13), as well as myself, miss our home and auto companion — KKKK FM 99. Bill Blake, Chuck Enderson and others there deserve your support in this time of need.

Spiritual injury has been sustained to the Permian Basin and vicinity due to this malicious attack upon the public and Christian community. We are praying for the capture and prosecution of perpetrator(s) and while we must forgive, I wouldn't want to be in their shoes come Judgement Day. Support your Christian radio station — it's a jungle out here without them.

Gary S. Trent
Thayer, MO.

Sell cars, not rivalry!

I recently purchased a new automobile, but before doing so, like all "wise shoppers," I went to several dealerships in pursuit of the ultimate great deal. Wanting to spend my money here in the Permian Basin, I, of course, inquired with Midland and Odessa car dealerships. Not only did I find the absolute best deal at a local Midland dealership, but I was treated with the utmost professionalism and genuine concern. Therefore, naturally, I made my purchase with complete satisfaction!

On the other hand, the experience I encountered while trying to negotiate a deal with a domestic and import dealership in the area were truly enlightening. I couldn't believe the rivalry that still exists between certain Midland/Odessa businesses.

A somewhat rude and very unprofessional salesman I encountered was obviously more interested in the verbal abuse of his local competitor, than he was in selling me a car. He took the opportunity to unload on me his personal envies and rivalries toward his Permian Basin competitor.

Not only did he not make the best deal, but he completely turned me off to a could-have-been car purchase. I am not sure what he was trying to sell me as he seemed more interested in condemning another dealership than selling me a car!

Come on, this is 1987! Our economy in the Permian Basin demands that we pull together — not tear each other down.

Please, Mr. Salesman, sell cars — not petty rivalries. The profit is much higher for cars.

Patricia R. Robertson
Midland

T. Boone 'hazardous'

T. Boone Pickens is hazardous to the health of the oil industry. In recent months, Pickens has made dire predictions and statements about the oil industry, his most recent public statement being that, "there's not that much exploration opportunity. The oil fields in this country have been found."

The good news is that Pickens won't be competing with other explorationists for mineral leases. The bad news is that Pickens may influence and discourage a following of potential oil investors, already scared bankers, potential geoscience students, engineers and all other industry workers whom we will need in the future years and generations.

I believe that Pickens' predictions and statements are a disservice to the oil industry.

W.R. Monson
Midland

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today's Highlight in History:

On March 13, 1852, "Uncle Sam," made his debut as a cartoon character in the New York "Lantern."

On this date:

In 1639, Harvard University was named for clergyman John Harvard.

In 1781, the planet Uranus was discovered by Sir William Herschel.

In 1868, the impeachment trial of President Andrew Johnson began in the Senate.

In 1884, Standard Time was adopted throughout the United States.

In 1901, Benjamin Harrison, the 23rd president, died in Indianapolis.

In 1906, American suffragist Susan B. Anthony died.

In 1925, a law went into effect in Tennessee prohibiting the teaching of evolution.

Five years ago: Orlando Jose Tarcendillas Espinosa, the Nicaraguan youth who embarrassed U.S. officials by recanting before reporters his story of Soviet and Cuban interference in El Salvador, was turned over to the Nicaraguan Embassy in Washington.

Today's Birthdays: Bandleader Sammy Kaye is 74. Opera singer Rosalind Elias is 56. Singer-songwriter Neil Sedaka is 48. Actress Deborah Raffin is 34.

Thought for Today: "We fear things in proportion to our ignorance of them." — Livy, Roman historian (64 or 59 B.C.-A.D. 17).

JACK ANDERSON

Unsound practices blamed for woes

WASHINGTON — Unsound management and regulatory violations by officers of the Independent American Savings Association of Irving, Texas, appear to have left it "hopelessly insolvent," according to a confidential report recently dispatched to Capitol Hill by the Federal Home Loan Bank Board.

Jack Anderson

Yet the savings and loan association, like many others that are effectively broke, is still open for business. The main reason is that the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corp. can't afford to shut the thrifts down and make good on all the deposits of $100,000 or less it has guaranteed. The insurance fund currently has about $1 billion left to stand behind nearly $900 billion in deposits nationwide.

Treasury officials have proposed that Congress "recapitalize" the insurance fund, but the legislation has been bottled up by House Speaker Jim Wright, D-Texas. He believes the feds are being too hard on his state's beleaguered S&Ls, which were stuck with huge amounts of bad energy loans by the sudden collapse of world oil prices. Wright has made no secret of his determination to sit on the recapitalization bill until he gets ironclad assurances that the money won't be used to close down Texas thrifts.

Independent American's own year-end figures show how precarious its position is. Depending on the accounting method used, its negative net worth was as much as $454 million on Dec. 31, and its operating losses have been running between $8 million and $10 million a month.

The 26-page confidential report by the Home Loan Bank Board was requested by the House Banking Committee; our associate Michael Binstein reviewed a copy. It notes that a team of federal bank examiners investigated Independent American's 47 branches throughout Texas, and says: "The report generated by this examination revealed numerous regulatory violations and unsafe or unsound practices engaged in by management and the board of directors during 1984 and 1985 sufficient to render the institution hopelessly insolvent."

Wright has repeatedly discussed Independent American's plight with Treasury officials and Banking Committee members, according to sources directly involved. The majority stockholder of the S&L, Thomas M. Gaubert, and his family have contributed generously to Wright's political campaigns and other Democratic funds, according to Federal Election Commission records.

"No doubt that Thomas Gaubert has been an active Democrat," his attorney, Abbe Lowell, told us. "No doubt Thomas Gaubert has been a supporter of Jim Wright."

But Lowell added that Wright had been "sticking his neck out" for other S&Ls as well. The attorney charged that the federal examiners were "singularly responsible for any problem at Independent American and are trying to cover their tracks." He accused the Home Loan Bank Board of being "arbitrary and capricious" in forcing S&Ls to write down the value of energy and real-estate loans on their books.

The confidential report we've seen quotes a 1984 report which says that "management and the board of directors of IA Savings had engaged in three major areas of regulatory violations and unsafe or unsound practices: misclassification of investments as loans; non-conforming appraisals on commercial real-estate projects and conflict-of-interest transactions."

Following allegations of improprieties, Gaubert signed an agreement with the FSLIC in December 1984 which removed him from all management decisions concerning Independent American. Gaubert agreed he "would physically remove himself from all IA Savings or subsidiary offices." He was permitted to retain his stock in the S&L.

The Home Loan Bank Board also cites criticism of the S&L's operation by a private consulting firm hired by Independent American. The consultants concluded that the S&L was "in precarious financial condition" and faulted it for "inadequate internal controls and fraudulent activities engaged in by senior management, excessive loans to individual borrowers, ineffective senior management (and) excessive compensation to executive management."

Footnote: A Wright aide interceded in our repeated efforts to reach the speaker. The aide had no comment on allegations that Wright was trying to protect Independent American.

Jack Anderson is a syndicated columnist who along with Joseph Spear and Dale Van Atta writes this column for United Feature Syndicate.

EVANS & NOVAK

Reagan outscores Sen. Byrd on test ban

WASHINGTON — President Reagan has scored a clear but thus far unreported victory over Senate Majority Leader Robert Byrd on the underground test ban treaty, possibly bolstering the administration's stance in U.S.-Soviet negotiations on a treaty to strip medium-range missiles out of Europe.

Byrd's pronouncement that Senate ratification of the test ban, negotiated with the Soviets in 1974 but never ratified, would be its symbolic first act under his leadership came a cropper in the Foreign Relations Committee. The new majority leader had quietly slated floor debate for last week, convinced his Democrats could steal a march on the beleaguered president in a rush toward arms control.

Instead, moderate and conservative Republicans on the committee combined to prevent a Foreign Relations endorsement of outright ratification. The new Democratic committee chairman, Sen. Claiborne Pell, seemed ready to go along with his Republican colleagues. Byrd was not, and pulled Pell with him. The result: a loss by the majority leader in his first foreign policy battle, and an unhealthy turn toward overt partisanship that riled even moderate Republicans on the committee.

Herein may be found portents for the Geneva negotiations. Mikhail Gorbachev is seeking to carry Reagan with him on his rush toward a new pact to remove Euromissiles (mainly the Soviet SS-20 and the U.S. Pershing II) from Soviet-controlled Eastern Europe and NATO-controlled Western Europe.

Rowland Evans and Robert Novak

Reagan's more cautious pace toward a Euromissiles pact soon will be branded as too slow by the arms control bloc and many rank-and-file Democrats. But staving off a quick ratification of the 12-year-old underground test ban treaty suggests Reagan still has backbone and will defend his national security principles whatever the arms control bloc and such highly-placed inside advisers as his wife may say.

Byrd had the president in a difficult position. Last October, just as he was leaving for the Reykjavik summit, Reagan faced a congressional threat to his defense and nuclear policies that would have weakened him with Gorbachev. Under such duress, he pledged ratification of the test ban treaty. Byrd figured the president would have to go along with immediate ratification on Democratic terms and started turning up pressure from his first day as leader of the new Democratic Senate.

"I'm trying to help him keep his word, his commitment," the majority leader told us in a CNN interview Feb. 21 when we asked about the test ban treaty. It was widely thought that in Reagan's weakened political state, a flourishing presidential signature on the newly-ratified treaty, staged in a glittering White House setting, would not hurt his rehabilitation.

But in his haste to pin Reagan's skin to the wall, Byrd trapped himself on verification, the problem that has bedeviled every U.S.-Soviet nuclear treaty. Lack of verification explains why the U.S. has never ratified the underground test-ban treaty. It is also at the heart of the tough bargaining process that lies ahead on the Euromissile treaty. The U.S. must find airtight ways to assure Soviet compliance and rule out cheating.

Accordingly, Foreign Relations Committee Republicans unanimously agreed to a resolution drafted by two moderates (Sens. Nancy Kassebaum and Dan Evans) and backed by the ranking Republican, conservative Sen. Jesse Helms. It would direct the president to negotiate airtight verification measures on underground testing (meaning rigid on-site inspection) and then return the treaty to the Senate.

In mid-February, Byrd instructed Pell in strict secrecy to shun that Republican resolution. But the competing proposal he pressed on Pell angered even some Democrats because it undermined the Senate's constitutional treaty power. It would ratify the treaty in the Senate but leave it up to the president — either Ronald Reagan or his successor — whether verification was adequate to complete the ratification process. Presumably, that would set up unbearable pressure on Reagan to agree to the treaty before he left office.

The ploy failed. The committee reported out both the Democratic and Republican versions. Jealous of his prerogatives as majority leader, Byrd refuses to let the Senate vote on the Republican plan. He knows his Democratic plan, backed by zealous arms-control liberals, would fail.

The president has said nothing. But any doubt about where he stands evaporated when Dr. Robert Barker, Defense Secretary Caspar Weinberger's assistant for atomic energy, testified before the Senate Armed Services Committee that the administration favors the Kassebaum-Evans proposal.

A private letter just sent the president by Foreign Relations Committee Republicans and Minority Leader Robert Dole is close to his thinking. Praising him for not succumbing to the "ill-advised" Byrd proposal, it predicts that if and when the Senate is finally allowed to vote on the Republican plan, the Soviets will receive "the strongest possible message."

Rowland Evans and Robert Novak are syndicated columnists for News America Syndicate.

CHARLEY REESE

Where's the crime in Iran-Contra arms deal?

The other day I was trying to figure out, the best I could, how we have been harmed by the Iran-Contra arms deal.

Other than being bored by the Washington press corps' obsessive coverage and endless speculation, I could not think of any harm done by it.

Charley Reese

Given Iran's strategic location, I don't think it was a bad idea to try to establish some link with Iranians less fanatical than the chief holy man, Khomeini. Attempts to achieve good results don't always work. That's life. I can't think of any American president who didn't make mistakes.

Even if President Reagan, softhearted Irishman that he is, later became more interested in freeing hostages, I don't think any great harm was done. Terrorists were targeting Americans long before this and will continue to target Americans regardless of what we do.

Anybody who thinks this deal increased the danger to Americans from terrorists is pretty ignorant of terrorism. You have to keep in mind that the terrorists' main objective is never what they are demanding in any particular instance, whether it's money or arms or freedom for other terrorists. If that were the case, then you could eliminate terrorism by conceding to its demands.

The main objective of the terrorist is to conduct low-level warfare against his enemies and terrorists will continue to do this whether you make reprisals or concessions. If you doubt that, look at the Israeli and European experience with terrorists.

Furthermore, it's never been shown that Iran or agents of the Iranian government were actually holding any Americans in Lebanon. Lebanon is of marginal or non-existent interest to the Iranian government. Because of the religious position Khomeini holds with Shiite Moslems, there are Shiites in Lebanon, as elsewhere, who hold Khomeini up as their spiritual leader. That's not the same, however, as being an Iranian government agent. Iran may or may not have some influence over them.

The point is there is no evidence that the Reagan administration handed over any arms to terrorists. The Iranian government asked for arms as a show of faith. The Americans asked the Iranians to use their influence with people in Lebanon to free hostages as a show of faith. There is no evidence that any arms were delivered to the people holding the hostages or that the people holding the hostages are agents of the Iranian government.

As for diverting some funds from the arms sales to the Contras — if in fact this was actually done and we don't know this for sure yet, I have no problem with that. I think we should support the Contras. Congress, which subsequently voted $100 million for the Contras, likewise should have no problem with it.

If you think the Europeans were upset to discover that Reagan was doing something he had urged them not to do, you don't know much about Europeans, who are far more cynical and knowledgeable about world affairs than most Americans. European governments do this kind of thing all the time. Do you think a French government that sells weapons-grade nuclear material to Iraq and blows up environmental ships is upset? Do you think the Italians, who cut so many deals with terrorists they can't keep them straight, are upset? Or the British, who will sell anything to anybody if the price is right?

My judgment is that the harm has been done by the politicians and the press in reacting to the arms-Contra deal, not the deal itself. I think both have needlessly exposed details of how U.S. intelligence works. I think both have needlessly hampered the conduct of the executive branch with an endless drumbeat of speculation and allegations.

In the final analysis we learn about President Reagan what we already knew. He delegates responsibility and does not concern himself with details; he wanted to establish contact with moderate elements in Iran; he wanted to free the hostages; he wanted to keep Contras alive. Where's the crime?

Charley Reese is a syndicated columnist for King Features Syndicate.

NATION IN BRIEF

Head count to be costly

WASHINGTON (AP) — The 1990 national head count will probably cost $2.6 billion, a substantial increase from the $1.8 billion estimate made two years ago, says Census Bureau Director John G. Keane.

The last Census, in 1980, cost $1.1 billion, or about $4.85 per American. If the nation's population grows to 248.6 million as projected by 1990, the new figures indicate that count will cost $10.46 per person, Keane told the House census and population subcommittee Thursday.

Planning for the 1990 census has been under way for five years, and Keane said the first overall cost estimates were based on updating the agency's spending in 1980.

But test censuses last year convinced officials that they needed to review those estimates, he said.

Media memorial proposed

WASHINGTON (AP) — Rep. Mary Rose Oakar introduced legislation this week authorizing a national memorial for American war correspondents and photographers killed in action in World War II and subsequent armed conflicts.

The Ohio Democrat, in a statement issued Thursday, said her House subcommittee on libraries and memorials will hold hearings in June on the proposed memorial, which would be built on the National Mall and would be privately financed.

Ms. Oakar listed the names of 64 reporters and photographers who were killed in World War II, Korea, Southeast Asia and most recently in Thailand and Afghanistan, and invited the addition of other names to make the memorial list complete.

She said the idea for the memorial was prompted by the deaths of Neil Davis of NBC in Thailand and Charles Thornton of the Arizona Republic in Afghanistan in 1985.

Child support defended

WASHINGTON (AP) — The House is considering a bill aimed at strengthening enforcement of child support, including a provision requiring the courts to follow guidelines in setting the amount of support due.

The measure, introduced Thursday by Rep. Marge Roukema, R-N.J., incorporates many ideas suggested by welfare reform proponents, including a clause requiring the immediate withholding of child support payments from paychecks of absent or non-custodial parents.

Many of the provisions are expected to be part of major welfare reform bills to be introduced in the next few weeks by Sen. Daniel Patrick Moynihan, D-N.Y., and Rep. Harold Ford, D-Tenn., chairmen of subcommittees in charge of welfare.

Mrs. Roukema introduced the bill without co-sponsors.

Aliens, drugs net problems

WASHINGTON (AP) — Law enforcement officials say illegal aliens trafficking in drugs pose a real problem because they simply post bond when arrested, disappear, then surface later under an alias to commit more crimes.

Witnesses on Thursday told the Senate Governmental Affairs subcommittee on federal spending, budget and accounting that illegal aliens who operate an extensive drug syndicate in Florida have developed this clever method of avoiding prosecution.

Sen. Lawton Chiles, D-Fla., said more than 100,000 illegal aliens were arrested for criminal offenses last year, yet only 12,000 were deported.

Jack Shaw, assistant commissioner of the Immigration and Naturalization Service, said the Justice Department and the service are trying to close the loopholes that allow illegal aliens to avoid prosecution.

Navy awaits chopper study

WASHINGTON (AP) — Navy Secretary John F. Lehman Jr., is awaiting an investigative report by his inspector general before deciding whether the service's fleet of CH-53E helicopters should be grounded, says a spokesman.

Last week, Rep. Robert E. Badham, R-Calif., a member of the House Armed Services Committee, urged the Navy to ground the choppers, citing evidence the aircraft suffered from an "inherent design deficiency."

Average star cluster 'largest known galaxy'

WASHINGTON (AP) — Astronomers say a long-overlooked galaxy drifting in the void between the Milky Way and the Andromeda constellation is one of the largest objects in the universe.

Markarian 348, an isolated, average-looking collection of stars and gas that astronomers have glanced at for 20 years, now appears to be the largest known galaxy, a report published today in the journal Science says.

Using a powerful radio telescope to peer past clouds of gas and the glare of background starlight, scientists say they found the galaxy to be a giant spiral of stars swollen with a massive hydrogen cloud to 13 times the size of the Milky Way.

The galaxy, located 300 million light-years from Earth, is an oddly shaped mass of stars and gases which puts out many times the energy of a normal galaxy and a brightness 100 billion times that of the sun, the scientists said.

Astronomers said Markarian 348 is 1.3 million light-years in diameter. This is a giant compared with the Milky Way, in which the Earth's solar system is located. The Milky Way measures about 100,000 light-years in diameter and contains billions of stars.

Dr. Susan M. Simkin, professor of astronomy at Michigan State University, made the discovery with Dr. Hong-Jun Su of Nanjing, China, formerly a visiting scientist at Michigan State, and Drs. Jacqueline van Gorkom and John Hibbard of the National Radio Astronomy Observatory at Socorro, N.M.

The galaxy appears to have at least one, and possibly two, long spiraling arms which are tightly wound near the center and branch out at irregular angles.

More interesting than the galaxy's size, the scientists report, is the action of the great cloud of hydrogen that surrounds it. The gas cloud appears to be moving in a tidal fashion under the gravitational influence of a smaller, nearby galaxy, they said.

The galaxy may be so large because of the tidal interaction with the smaller companion, Simkin said in a telephone interview Thursday.

Gravity from the small galaxy appears to make the gas undulate around the core of Markarian 348, much as the moon causes tides in the Earth's oceans, she said. The gas gains momentum from the orbital motion of the smaller galaxy, causing it to spread out.

Scientists have long speculated on the existence of tidal effects as the cause of spiraling movement in galaxies, but it has never before been observed in detail, Simkin said.

Proposed phone charge plan has its ups, downs

WASHINGTON (AP) — Telephone subscribers would pay as much as $1.50 more each month, but long-distance rates would drop and poor households could get financial help under a plan headed for approval by federal regulators.

The plan would raise the $2-a-month subscriber line charge in three increments, beginning in June and reaching as much as $3.50 in April 1989.

As the charge increases, more of the costs of the local telephone network are shifted from long-distance rates to subscribers, so the cost of long-distance goes down.

Federal Communications Commission officials estimated long-distance rates would decline by at least 15 percent over the next six years, saving consumers an estimated $17 billion.

A small part of that savings would be used to subsidize the cost of telephone service for poor people under a new program called Linkup America.

Members of a state-federal advisory panel that approved the plan on Thursday heralded their action as "historic." FCC Chairman Mark S. Fowler, a member of the panel, said it ultimately would mean more jobs and lower prices for goods.

But consumer interests attacked the higher charge as unjustified. Gene Kimmelman, legislative director of the Consumer Federation of America, called it "an ongoing consumer ripoff that will now cost consumers over $3.5 billion in total."

"Many questions need to be answered before I can judge whether this compromise advances long-term consumer interests or is simply an FCC flim-flam," said Rep. Edward J. Markey, D-Mass., chairman of the House telecommunications subcommittee.

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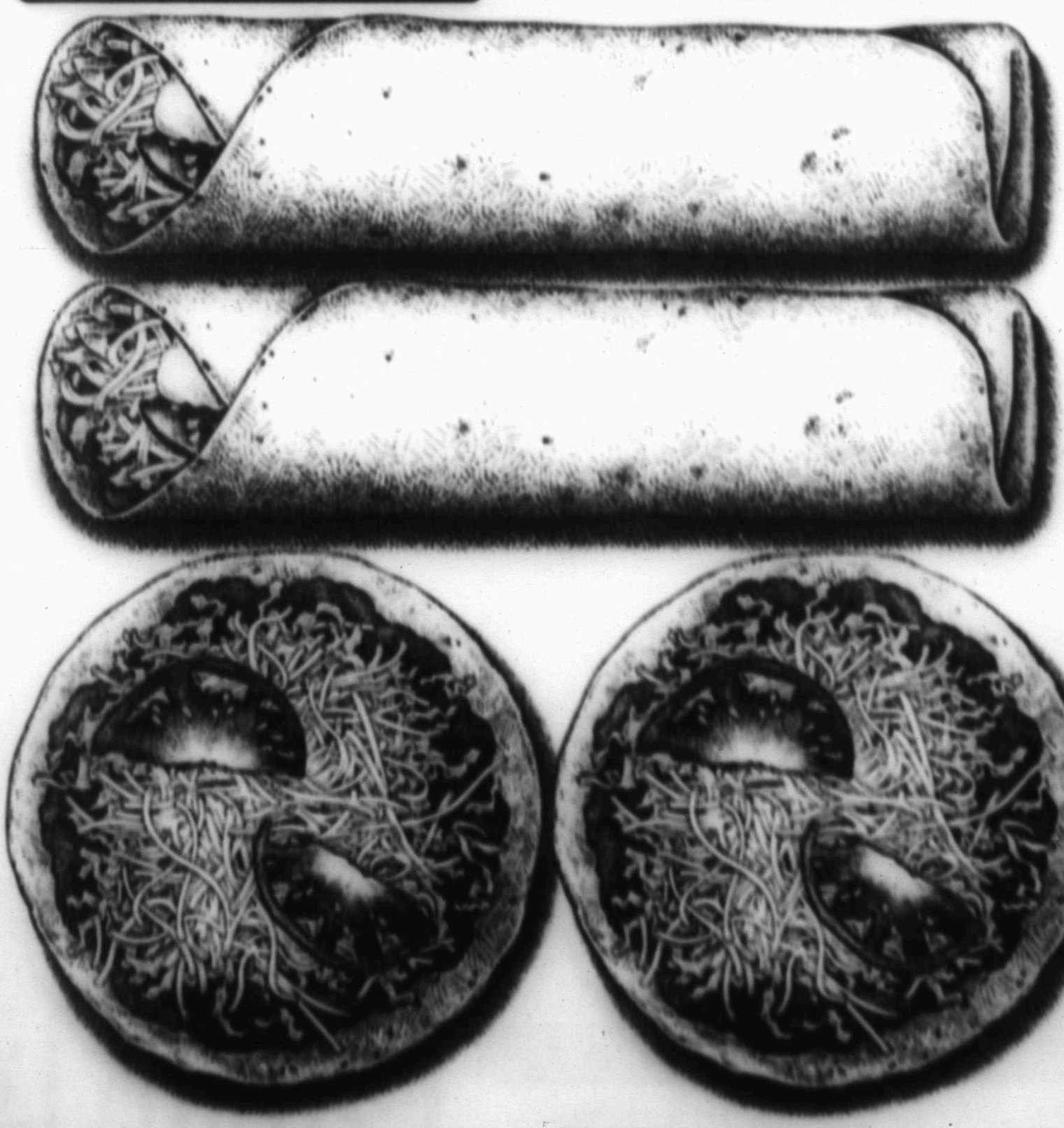

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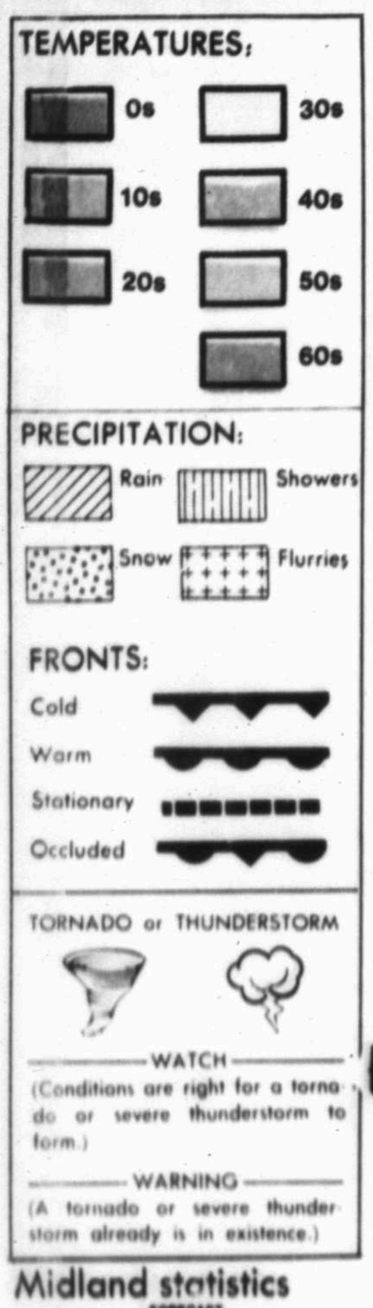

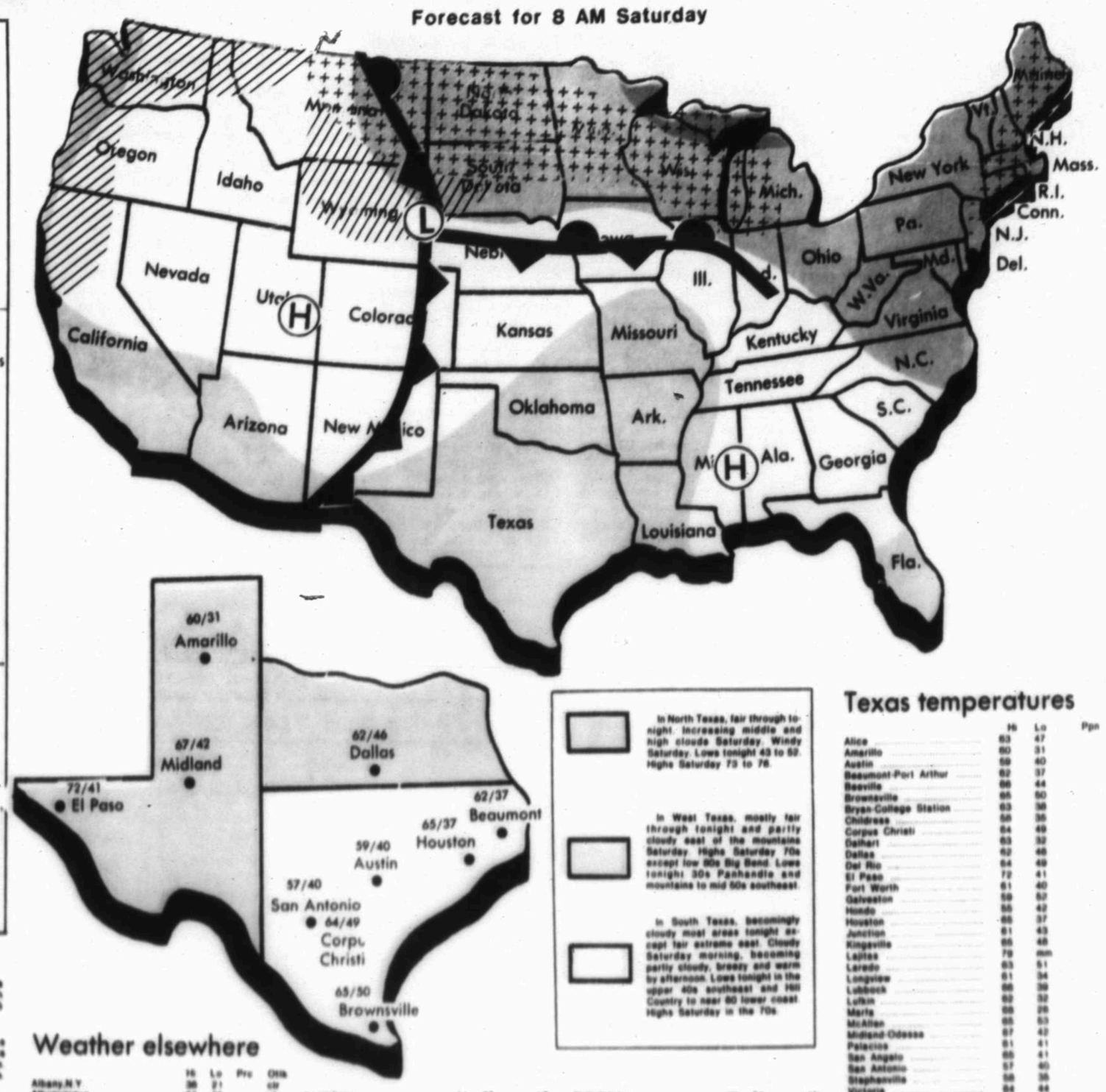

In North Texas, fair through tonight. Increasing middle and high clouds Saturday. Windy Saturday. Lows tonight 43 to 52. Highs Saturday 73 to 78.

In West Texas, mostly fair through tonight and partly cloudy east of the mountains Saturday. Highs Saturday 70s except low 80s Big Bend. Lows tonight 30s Panhandle and mountains to mid 50s southeast.

In South Texas, becomingly cloudy most areas tonight except fair extreme east. Cloudy Saturday morning, becoming partly cloudy, breezy and warm by afternoon. Lows tonight in the upper 40s southeast and Hill Country to near 60 lower coast. Highs Saturday in the 70s.

Warm, windy weekend due

From Staff and Wire Reports

"Warmer and windy," is how the National Weather Service forecast describes the outlook for Saturday in the Midland area. A high in the upper 70s and winds out of the southwest at 15-25 mph, and gusting, are predicted. Skies will be partly cloudy.

Warmer temperatures are expected for tonight also. The mercury should only drop to near the 50-degree mark. Skies will be fair and winds will be out of the south at five to 10 mph.

Thursday's high of 67 was 21 degrees below the record high set for that date in 1982. Today's low of 42, recorded at 2 a.m., was 28 degrees above the record low set for this date in 1932.

STATE

Dense fog covered the Permian Basin at dawn today, prompting the National Weather Service to issue a travelers advisory because of hazardous driving conditions.

Forecasts called for a warming trend statewide Saturday although clouds were expected to be on the increase across North Texas and it was expected to be breezy across South Texas by Saturday afternoon.

Lows tonight will be in the 30s and 40s in West Texas except in the Big Bend area where readings will be in the 50s, in the 40s and 50s in North Texas and South Texas except along coastal areas of South Texas where readings will be in the 60s by dawn Saturday.

Highs Saturday will be in the 70s and 80s statewide.

Most of the state had clear skies although there are some low level clouds over the middle Rio Grande plains northward into the Concho Valley at dawn today.

Early morning temperatures were mostly in the 30s and 40s except in extreme South Texas where readings were in the 50s. Extremes ranged from 30 at Marfa in the Davis Mountains of Southwest Texas to 58 at Corpus Christi.

NATION

A late-winter storm prompted gale warnings today as it moved seaward after dropping light snow on the mid-Atlantic Coast, while snow fell in the mountains of California and Oregon.

Snow tapered off overnight across New Jersey, southeastern New York and southern New England. Accumulations of 1 to 3 inches were commmon.

Gale warnings were posted along the coasts of Delaware, Maryland, Virginia and North Carolina as the weak storm system moved northeastward.

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Pcp
Alice	83	47	
Amarillo	60	31	
Austin	59	40	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	62	37	
Beeville	86	44	
Brownsville	86	50	
Bryan-College Station	63	38	
Childress	56	35	
Corpus Christi	64	49	
Dalhart	63	32	
Dallas	62	46	
Del Rio	64	49	
El Paso	72	41	
Fort Worth	61	40	
Galveston	59	52	
Hondo	66	42	
Houston	66	37	
Junction	61	43	
Kingsville	66	46	
Lajitas	79	mm	
Laredo	63	51	
Longview	61	34	
Lubbock	68	30	
Lufkin	62	32	
Marfa	66	28	
McAllen	66	53	
Midland-Odessa	67	42	
Palacios	61	41	
San Angelo	65	41	
San Antonio	57	40	
Stephenville	58	35	
Victoria	64	44	
Waco	63	37	
Wichita Falls	56	35	
Wink	61	44	

County forecasts

Midland, Ector, Glasscock, Upton, Reagan, Crane, Gaines, Andrews, Dawson, Borden, Martin, Howard, Sterling, Coke, Irion and Tom Green counties: Tonight, fair, low around 50 and wind south 5 to 10 mph. Saturday, partly cloudy, high upper 70s with wind south to south-west 15 to 25 mph and gusty. Lake wind advisories required.

Midland statistics

FORECAST

Tonight: Fair with a low near 50 and southerly winds at five to 10 mph. Saturday: Partly cloudy with a high in the upper 70s and southwesterly winds at 15-25 mph and gusting.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS

Yesterday's High	67 degrees
Overnight Low	42 degrees
Sunset today	6:55 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:01 a.m.
Precipitation	
Last 24 hours	0 inches
This month to date	.67 inches
Year to date	2.70 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES

6 a.m.	55	6 p.m.	66
7 a.m.	54	7 p.m.	60
8 a.m.	57	8 p.m.	53
9 a.m.	64	9 p.m.	53
10 a.m.	60	10 p.m.	50
11 a.m.	57	11 p.m.	48
noon	58	midnite	46
1 p.m.	61	1 a.m.	45
2 p.m.	62	2 a.m.	42
3 p.m.	64	3 a.m.	43
4 p.m.	66	4 a.m.	43
5 p.m.	66	5 a.m.	44
		6 a.m.	45

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Pcp	Otlk
Albany,N.Y	36	21		clr
Albuquerque	63	35		cdy
Anchorage	35	18		cdy
Atlanta	49	33		clr
Atlantic City	37	33	.78	clr
Baltimore	48	32		cdy
Boise	62	46	.16	rn
Boston	37	32		cdy
Buffalo	40	23		cdy
Casper	53	41		cdy
Charleston,S.C	69	38		clr
Chicago	46	31	.05	rn
Cincinnati	45	22		cdy
Dayton	42	22		cdy
Denver	61	28		cdy
Detroit	42	28		sn
Flagstaff	58	27		cdy
Grand Rapids	39	17		sn
Great Falls	61	27		cdy
Honolulu	85	72		clr
Indianapolis	43	32		cdy
Jackson,Miss	57	30		clr
Kansas City	59	41		cdy
Las Vegas	76	57		clr
Little Rock	54	40		cdy
Los Angeles	68	54		rn
Louisville	48	29		cdy
Memphis	53	32		cdy
Milwaukee	42	28		sn
Mpls-St Paul	39	33		cdy
Nashville	51	31		clr
New Orleans	62	38		clr
New York City	33	32	.25	clr
Oklahoma City	60	38		cdy
Omaha	55	36		cdy
Philadelphia	39	34		clr
Phoenix	85	57		clr
Pittsburgh	47	25		cdy
Reno	66	36	.44	cdy
Richmond	49	30		cdy
St Louis	53	42		cdy
Salt Lake City	64	48		rn
San Diego	62	56		rn
San Francisco	61	51	.38	cdy
Sioux Falls	48	26		cdy
Spokane	50	45	.26	cdy
Syracuse	43	28		clr
Topeka	60	36		cdy
Tucson	84	51		clr
Tulsa	59	41		cdy
Washington,D.C.	49	33		cdy
Wichita	58	35		cdy

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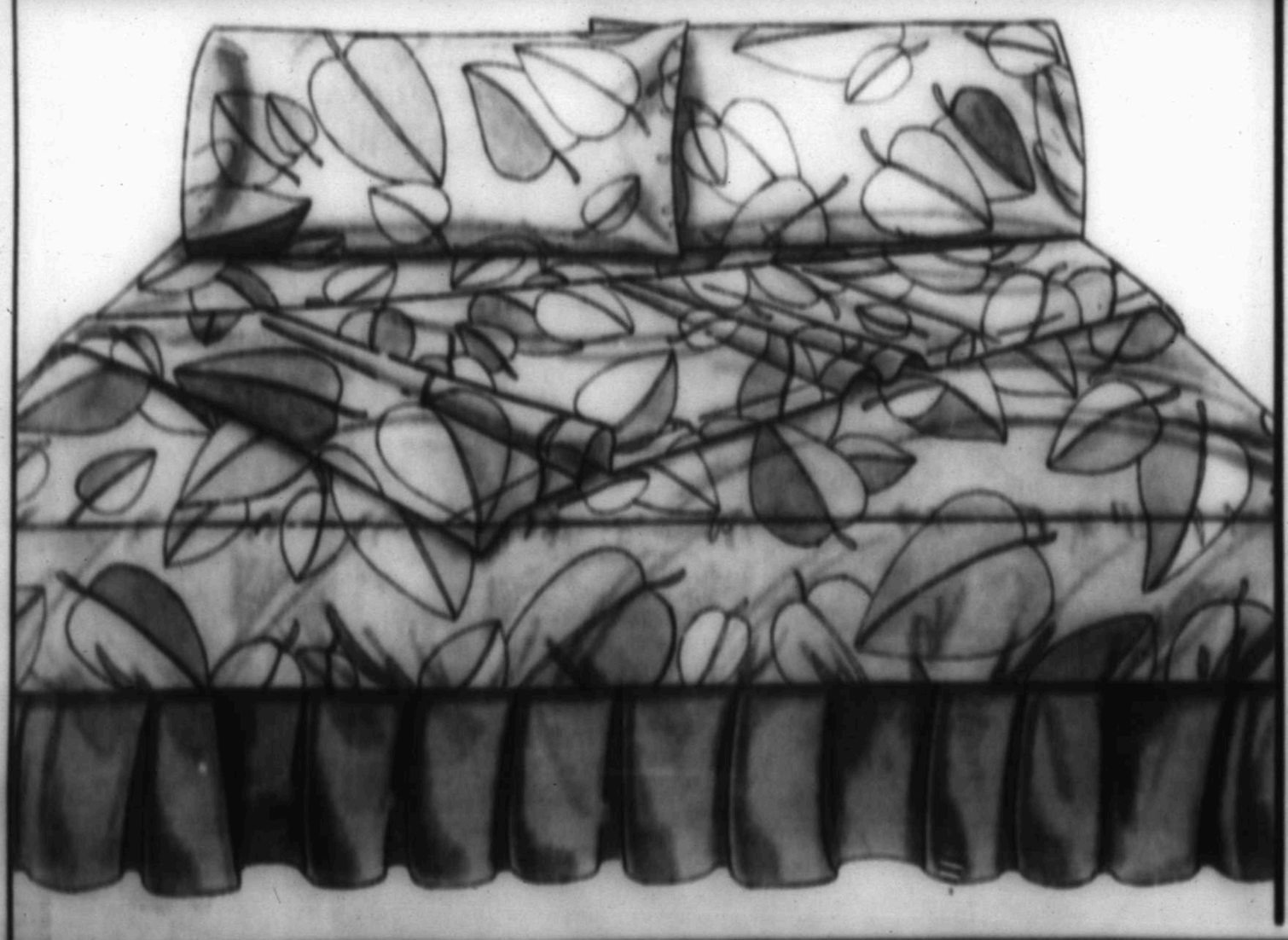

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Bill would change MCHD elections

By JANE MARLER DEES
Staff Writer

A bill filed by State Rep. Tom Craddick this morning calls for a change in the way Midland County hospital directors are elected, though opportunity for a public debate on the issue wasn't scheduled until this afternoon.

Craddick, R-Midland, and Midland County Hospital District's legal counsel agreed the bill was filed today to meet a legislative deadline only.

However, news of the filing prompted one representative of Midland's minority community to label today's meeting between MCHD directors and the public "after the fact."

"I feel the board is not being honest. They are not only deceiving the minorities, they are deceiving the community," said a League of United Latin American Citizens representative.

The bill, which would reorganize the district into a seven-member body elected to four single-member district and three at-large positions, most likely will be altered before becoming law, Craddick said.

Controversy arose when MCHD directors initially approved the "four-three" proposal on Feb. 26.

Representatives from the minority community attending that meeting said the redistricting proposal did not satisfy their notion of equal representation for all taxpayers.

"What we're struggling to attain is the opportunity to participate in the community," LULAC Vice President Edia Hernandez said.

"The majority of us (minorities) were born here and it's taken us 100 years to ask 'how much longer are we going to take until we are accepted as a part of the community?' " she said.

Hernandez said they support seven single-member districts.

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Scott Ashburn Reporter-Telegram

Stepping up

Jerome Cranfill of Rainy Roof Repair heads for his work place atop this residence in the 3100 block of Tealwood Place

Clements' budget may force 4 percent hike in MISD taxes

By STEVE LEVINE
Reporter-Telegram Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — The Midland Independent School District would have to raise property taxes 4 percent next year to make up for the $1.17 million cut in state aid a Legislative Budget Board analysis says Gov. Bill Clements school finance plan would create.

Last month, the LBB reported that Clements' proposal would cut $1.27 million from MISD state appropriations. The revised report includes several portions of the governor's program originally omitted and also takes into account more recent property values.

In the 1988-1989 school year, MISD would have to boost taxes 5 percent to recover the estimated $1.5 million loss.

Statewide, the report indicates Clements' plan would cost each school district an average $81 of their $1,605-per-student state aid next year and $94 in fiscal 1989. To make that up, Texas' 1,062 districts would have to increase property taxes an average 5.5 percent each year.

The major planks of the governor's proposal are:

— Limit to $300 million the money spent to cover increased enrollment over the two-year period.

— Reduce spending included in the career ladder program for outstanding teachers by $180 million;

— Eliminate full-day kindergarten for all but the educationally disadvantaged.

— Reduce vocational education spending by $52 million;

— Deduct the $69 million districts collect in bank franchise taxes from the state aid payments; and

— Use stock profits from the Permanent School Fund portfolio to help underwrite school programs.

Clements spokesman Jay Rosser said the LBB analysis assumes the school districts are going to raise taxes locally to keep programs the governor's plan would eliminate. "You can't adequately put a figure on that without knowing what programs would be picked up on a local basis and what programs would not be picked up," Rosser said.

"We've got to give the local districts the flexibility."

Rosser also said the LBB report does not take into account a proposed smaller reduction in vocational-education spending. "They're old numbers," he said.

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Scott Ashburn Reporter-Telegram

Bill Stovall, just-announced winner of the 1987 Jaycees Distinguished Service Award, makes his remarks following the presentation Thursday at the Petroleum Club.

City's Jaycees charged with optimism

Bill Stovall wins distinguished service award

From Staff Reports

The Midland Jaycees celebrated its 30th annual Distinguished Service Award and Bosses Night Banquet Thursday amid an atmosphere charged with optimism.

Chris Scharbauer, 1986 DSA winner, topped the night with the presentation of the 1987 DSA to Bill Stovall, First City Bank executive and former Jaycee president.

Scharbauer praised Stovall as a "natural giver in more ways than one." He said presentation of the award to Stovall was "most appropriate," and he said Stovall was the "epitome of a leader leading leaders."

Stovall told the 75 assembled guests that winning the award was like "winning the Publisher's Clearing House sweepstakes ... you don't think you will ever win."

He also talked about the "possibilities" of Midland, and said simply, "I never want to leave."

Before the presentation of Stovall, Scharbauer also announced an event called "Live Again, Midland." He said it would be a free concert this July 4, featuring performers Charlie Daniels, Janie Fricke, and Mason Dixon. He said he wanted the event to help foment optimism that the economically depressed area needs.

Ron Munn, Jaycees president, presented the Boss of the Year award to Texaco's Ron Griggs.

The banquet speaker was Eugene Douglas, former U.S. Ambassador-at-large for Refugee Affairs. Douglas, a Wichita Falls native, is now president of Alpha Environmental Inc., an Austin company, and visiting professor at the University of Texas.

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Douglas said he spent much of his youth in West Texas, and said he learned valuable lessons from his grandfather. One of the most valuable lessons, he said, was listening. He tied this to the current depression in the oil industry.

"I think we will get around that (current depression), and I think getting around that is part of listening to the past," he said.

Douglas said his experience with refugees has shown him that the United States is still the most desirable place in this world to live.

"Most (refugees) wanted to come to the United States, and in their own simple way, most saw this country as a place of enormous opportunity," he said. Douglas said many of the refugees allowed in this country during the 1970s "are beginning to distinguish themselves."

Douglas said he returned to Austin in 1986, after a 20-year absence from the Lone Star state. He talked about what he saw when he came back.

"Certainly the place is a lot more prosperous, there is a great deal of emphasis on education." But, he said he has found most academicians are "incredibly disengaged" from the reality of jobs and business.

He said the Reagan Administration has not realized that the decline of the oil and gas industry is a "ratastrophe in the making."

Douglas then mentioned a topic of some immediacy in the Permian Basin — the "supercolider" project that the area is trying to land.

"Make that as high a priority as you can make it," he said. "West Texas is where it ought to go from the standpoint of land value, jobs, and the spillover into other industries," he said.

Hoot Leonard retires from Midland Farmers Co-op

By ED TODD
Staff Writer

Hoot Leonard, a Midland farmer-stockman who has been general manager of the Midland Farmers Co-operative since 1967, is retiring from the post he held for 20 years.

In retirement, Leonard said he would serve as consultant to the co-op.

"I think I'll let the younger fellows tend to the chores of running the co-op for a while," said Leonard, who had served as chairman of the co-op's board of directors before he became its general manager in March 1967.

The co-op operates a cotton gin and farm-and-ranch supply and implement store off South Fairgrounds Road just east of Midland.

"We prospered during those years since 1967," Leonard said. "We had good years — not all good years. And part of that time, we enjoyed good prices for our cotton."

The 1979 and 1981 cotton seasons were particularly productive. The gin turned out 24,000 bales in 1979 and 21,000 in 1981. In the 1970s, the gin was re-worked and modernized to boost its output from five to 18 bales per hour.

Though he's retiring from the co-op, Leonard will still farm and ranch.

"I'm going to continue to farm and run a little cattle operation," Leonard, 62, said. "I might even get a chance to take my wife (Colleen) on vacation."

Leonard's retirement is effective April 1.

The co-op's board has not yet named a successor to Leonard but is "negotiating to hire a competent manager," said Gene Jones, a Midland farmer who is chairman of the co-op's board of directors.

Jones, who has been on the board since 1951 when he was 26, said Leonard is "one of the best ol' boys I've had dealings with."

Though the co-op was a "viable operation" when Leonard became its general manager, the co-op had a debt, which has been retired under Leonard's management. Dividends have been paid to the farmer-stockholders.

"We have a modern plant that has a real strong financial statement — one of the strongest ginning financial statements in the country," Jones said.

Jones said that Leonard has "managed to keep it (the co-op's) going and viable" throughout the years. And in business meeting throughout those years, there has been "never a crossword" from Leonard.

Jones said that all of the co-op's workers have been "long-term employees" and that the work force turnover there has been "very low."

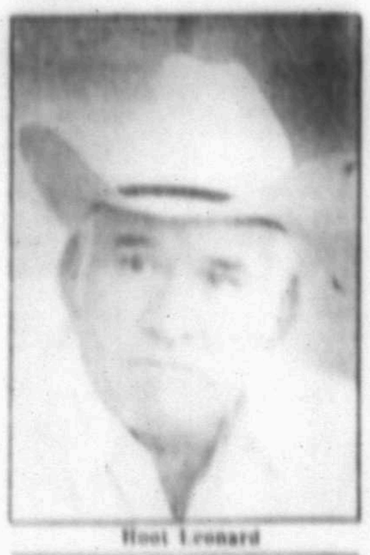
"That says a lot about the management," Jones said. "A lot of businesses can't say that."

Jones noted Leonard's varied but agriculture-rooted background. "He's herded sheep, fixed windmills, punched cattle, planted many a row of cotton and feed, and operated a John Deere tractor-farm implement dealership."

Under Leonard's management, the co-op has become "as financially sound as any in the country," said Charlie Green, retired Midland County agricultural agent. "They've stayed out of debt and kept the gin fairly modern," he said.

"It's not all management," Green said said. "They've got a good board of directors. They've done a good job."

Serving on the co-op's seven-member board of directors are Gene Jones, chairman, Roy Graham, vice chairman, Paul Crawford, secretary, and Ervin Baumann, Billy Evans, Alan Spinks and Ray Tenery.



Hoot Leonard

Jaycees name Schumann Outstanding Young Farmer

By ED TODD
Staff Writer

Midland County farmer Andy Schumann today was named Midland's Outstanding Young Farmer for 1987-88 by the Midland Jaycees.

"Agriculture is America's oldest and biggest industry," said Ron Munn, president of the Midland Jaycees. "And as a consequence of the ability and efficiency of the men engaged in this industry, ours is the best-fed, best-clothed nation in the world," he said. "It is our hope that the OYF program will result in a better understanding and appreciation of the role the farmer plays in our daily lives."

Schumann, 27, farms in the Valley View community southeast of Midland and raises Brangus and Brahman cattle.

Last year's award recipient in Midland County was George Anderson Jr., who farms south of Midland and is a rodeo cowboy who rides bucking horses.

The annual OYF award is a "grass-roots project to honor the young farmer who has made significant achievements through this past year," said Rocky Kimball, a Jaycee director. The recognition also is intended to "bring out a greater interest in the farmer and rancher through the understanding of the problems as well as achievements" in agriculture, he said.

The Jaycees' intent is to impress "the agri-businessmen of the growing awareness of their importance and impact on the American economy," Kimball said.

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Judges find no fun in playing 'musical courts'

By RAMONA NYE
Staff Writer

Several judges say they are tired of playing "musical courtrooms" in the Midland County Courthouse and claim the time has come for the County Commissioners Court to find more space.

"It's very inefficient for all of the judges in the courthouse. I think we're four courtrooms short," said 318th District Court Judge Barbara Culver.

Courtrooms that can seat juries are in demand by the eight courthouse judges.

Two upper floor district courtrooms can hold 12-man juries, and 12-person juries can also be squeezed into the basement Justice of Peace courtroom and the second-floor county courtroom, both of which were built for six-member juries, said 238th District Court Judge Vann Culp.

While the judges often are searching for courtroom space, the biggest crunch occurs when Culver, who handles family court cases, schedules jury trials.

Culver's courtroom can hold about eight people and has one bench for spectators, but it is not large enough to seat a jury, she said.

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Clements to address West Texas county officials

From Staff Reports

Gov. Bill Clements will address officials from 117 counties at the West Texas County Judges and Commissioners Association annual meeting in Midland next week.

The governor will speak at 10:45 a.m. Thursday on state and county government at the two-day conference in the Midland Center, 105 N. Main St., said Association President Win Brown, who is also a Midland county commissioner.

About 500 participants are expected to attend the annual conference to learn more about county government and analyze legislative bills affecting counties, Brown said.

More than 800 bills related to county government are expected to be filed this legislative session, he said.

Thursday afternoon the county judges will meet for a four-hour training session.

Around 9 a.m. Friday, Texas Association of Counties Director Sam Clounts and County Official Political Action Committee Director Jim Allison will speak on bills affecting county government.

A legislative panel made up of State Sen. Bill Sims of San Angelo, State Rep. Gary Watkins of Odessa and State Rep. Larry Don Shaw of Big Spring will talk at 10 a.m. Friday about the outcome of this year's legislative session.

David Brooks, who is writing a guide to county government operations and county law, will speak at 11 a.m. Friday.

Friday afternoon the group will conduct a business session and outgoing president Brown will be replaced by Terrell County Judge Charles Stanley of Sanderson.

DEATHS

Mrs. Bassie Logan

Mrs. Bassie Logan of Midland died Thursday evening at a local hospital.

Services will be at 3:30 p.m. Saturday at the Ellis Funeral Home chapel with Colquitt Nash of the North A and Tennessee Church of Christ officiating. Burial will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Johnnie C. Largent

Johnnie C. Largent, 79, of Midland, died Wednesday evening at a local hospital.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday at the First Baptist Church Chapel in Crosbyton, under the direction of Adams Funeral Home. Interment will follow at Crosbyton Cemetery. Local arrangements were handled by Ellis Funeral Home.

Largent was born Oct. 29, 1907, in Booneville, Ark., and was reared in Wise County and the Lubbock area. He met the former Vina Moseley in Crosby County and they were married in Floydada Nov. 21, 1928. In 1940, they moved to Pampa and to Midland in 1975. He was employed for 25 years with Kerr McGee as a gas plant operator. He retired in 1972.

He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Midland; Masonic Lodge No. 1414, Midland; 32nd degree Mason; member of El Paso Consistory; past Worshipful Master of the Midland lodge.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Bill Largent of Dallas and Dale Largent of Alvin; one brother, Bill Norris of Floydada; two sisters, Oleta Faye Potts of Calif., and Eva Mae Sigler of Springdale, Ark.; six grandchildren; one great-grandchild; and several nieces and nephews.

W.C. 'Red' Harrington

W.C. "Red" Harrington, 62, of Midland, died at his home Thursday morning.

Rosary was scheduled for today at 7:30 p.m. at the Ellis Funeral Home chapel with Rev. Robert Kelly of St. Stephens Catholic Church officiating. Mass will be Saturday at 12 noon in St. Stephens Catholic Church. Burial will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Harrington was born June 29, 1924, in West Columbia and was reared in the Beaumont-Houston area. He attended Texas A&M University and received a bachelors' of science degree in geology in 1950. He also moved to Midland that year. He married the former Lois Marie Johnson Aug. 22, 1953. In 1954, they moved to Roswell, N.M., then to Wichita Falls in 1960. They returned to Midland in 1963. He was employed with Gulf Oil for 33 years and retired in 1983. Following his retirement from Gulf, he worked as a private consultant.

During World War II and the Korean War, he served in the U.S. Navy. He was a chief petty officer.

He was a member of St. Stephens Catholic Church; past president of Midland Association of Retarded Citizens; a member of the Society of Independent Professional Earth Scientists; and a member of the American Association of Petroleum Geologists.

Survivors include his wife; three sons, William Clayton Harrington Jr. of Kempner, Patrick Kevin Harrington of Midland, and Michael Gerard Harrington of Germantown, Md.; two daughters, Megan Louise Skees of Amarillo and Christine Marie Harrington of College Station; two sisters, Hilda Mock of Universal City and Alice Ernest of Covington, La.; and four grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be directed to MARC, Hospice of Midland, or one's favorite charity.

Allie Lee Drake

Allie Lee Drake, 93, of Midland, died Wednesday evening at a local hospital.

Services were to be at 1 p.m. today at the Ellis Funeral Home chapel with Don Davis of Trinity Oaks Church of Christ in Dallas and the Rev. John Wedgewood of St. Luke's United Methodist Church officiating. Burial was to be at 4 p.m. in Dunn Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Drake was born March 5, 1894, in Monticello. She married Freeman Drake Sept. 19, 1923. He preceded her in death April 16, 1955. She moved to Midland 20 years ago.

She was a member of St. Luke's United Methodist Church.

Survivors include one son, W.T. "Buck" Drake of Seabrook; one daughter, Connie Tate of Midland; five grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

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

Opal Lois Smith

Opal Lois Smith, 73, of Midland died Wednesday evening at a local hospital.

Graveside services will be at 1:30 p.m. Saturday at Resthaven Memorial Park with the Rev. Gene Stevens, pastor of Southside Baptist Church in Monahans, officiating. Ellis Funeral Home is handling the arrangements.

Mrs. Smith was born Nov. 30, 1913, in Waco. She was reared in Coleman. She married Hayden Smith in Coleman Oct. 24, 1929. They made their home in Mountainair, N.M., and Cortez, Co., before moving to Midland in 1951.

She was a Baptist.

Survivors include her husband; two sons, Tommy Smith of Athens and Bobby Smith of Sheffield; three daughters, Peggy Culp of Scottsdale, Az., Wini Moore of Odessa and Donna Hamilton of Midland; two brothers, Ross Dobbins and Leslie Dobbins, both of Coleman; one sister, Maude Kelley of Coleman; 17 grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Bryant wants payments to athletes made illegal

DALLAS (AP) — The same day Southern Methodist released the names of nine boosters involved in a burgeoning scandal, a Texas congressman said he wants to make it a federal crime to provide improper payments to student-athletes.

The names were in a report released Thursday to comply with a National Collegiate Athletic Association order to "show cause" why the school should not be penalized further if it did not take additional action against the boosters it banned in 1985.

In Washington, meanwhile, U.S. Rep. John Bryant said he will propose legislation next week that would make it a federal crime punishable by up to one year in prison for paying student-athletes.

The proposal will also carry a provision that would cut federal funding to universities that participate in making the payments, the Dallas Democrat said.

"The purpose of this is to make a clean sweep of this entire matter of the corrupting of college athletics by boosters who pay illicit payments to amateur athletes to induce them to play for their alma mater, and universities which turn their heads the other way," Bryant said.

Last month, the NCAA suspended SMU's football program for 1987 because of a booster slush fund that paid $61,000 to 13 players even after the school was placed on its sixth probation in August 1985.

SMU repeatedly had refused to make public the names of the nine boosters, four of whom had received lifetime bans from associating with the university's athletic department.

The other five were banned from two to five years for allegedly offering inducements, including money and entertainment, to student-athletes.

Thursday's report said the university made permanent a three-year ban in the case of one booster, Dallas investor John S. Appleton, but left the other penalties unchanged.

Although the report did not directly name the booster the NCAA said ran the slush fund that led to the Feb. 25 sanctions, it said the university found no evidence to contradict stories in the Dallas Times Herald that it was banned booster Sherwood Blount, a former SMU football player and Dallas developer.

Blount was one of the four permanently banned from involvement with the university's athletic department in 1985.

The other seven named in the report were Dallas-area businessmen Ken Andrews and George Owen, sports agent Ronnie Horowitz, banker William F. Stevens, former SMU football player George Wilmot, and Corpus Christi businessman Jack Ryan and his son, Reid Ryan.

The report indicated only Blount, Appleton and Owen committed further violations after being banned.

Appleton, who originally was dissociated for paying for a student-athlete's auto repairs, entertained an assistant football coach at his summer home in Wisconsin in the summer of 1985, the report said.

Appleton told the Fort Worth Star-Telegram that he paid $400 to an athlete in 1984, but said he had done nothing in violation of NCAA rules since.

"I have endowed a scholarship, and if this is their attitude, I am going to ask for it to be returned," he said.

Horowitz and Stevens did not return calls from The Associated Press, and Blount declined to comment. Andrews, Owen and Wilmot could not be reached.

But Reid Ryan noted that his probation expires next month.

"The frustrating thing was that I never got a chance to give my side of things to SMU, or to the NCAA," Ryan said. "They wanted me banned for life and they've never even came down here to ask me about all these things they accused me of."

"I'd rather not make any comments until I've studied it," Jack Ryan said when reached at his office. "I would just have to really read it before I make any statements."

Although the university upheld the 1985 permanent ban of Horowitz and Stevens, the report noted that school officials knew of no subsequent infractions by the boosters.

It cited a case in 1986, however, in which a student-athlete was allowed to stay for four months before paying rent in an apartment in which Owen — one of those permanently banned — held an interest. The student later was suspended from the team, and Owen and the athlete have denied any wrongdoing, the report said.

SMU could face tougher sanctions

DALLAS (AP) — The chairman of the National Collegiate Athletic Association infractions committee says Southern Methodist University could face even tougher sanctions, including the loss of its football program, if anyone in the administration condoned the illegal payments to student athletes.

"The question is whether the institution knew whether (the boosters) continued the payments and did nothing to stop him," Frank Remington, chairman of the infractions committee, told the Fort Worth Star-Telegram Thursday in a telephone interview from Madison, Wisc.

Remington, a law professor at the University of Wisconsin, said the NCAA has the authority to ban football forever.

"It's never been done forever, but the rules allow it," Remington said. "I'm not saying that we'd do that."

But David Berst, chief investigator for the NCAA, said it's too early to predict tougher sanctions against the school.

The NCAA last month invoked the so-called "death penalty" against SMU's football program, suspending the program for the 1987 season and placing other sanctions that will downgrade the program for years to come.

"The issue is what happened, who did it, and how can SMU avoid these problems in the future," Berst said.

Berst also said he is not sure that further sanctions would improve SMU's program.

COURTROOMS

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"When I have to try my jury trials, I have to borrow their courtroom. About every fifth week I have to try a jury trial," she said.

About a year ago, Culver said she conducted a trial in the Midland Center, because there were no courtrooms available in the courthouse.

County Court-at-Law Judge Willie DuBose said one of his juries saw the inside of three separate courtrooms, after he volunteered to move to make room for other trials.

"We move here and there. I've had juries sit in nearly every courtroom in the courthouse."

Judge Culp said he sometimes hears non-jury matters in his office because there is no where else to go.

DuBose said, "I think it's time we face the need for additional space in the courthouse."

Judge Culp agrees.

"It really is a critical situation right now. We've been making do a couple of years and everyone will keep doing the best they can," he said.

Although the crowded situation has not caused trial delays, Culp said only a limited amount of jury trials can be held at the same time.

Culp said the commissioners should look at renting space in some of the almost vacant buildings near the courthouse.

"They could probably pick up something economical," he said.

The commissioners say they empathize with the judges, but point out that past bond issues to provide more space have failed.

"We don't have money, but judges, we know your plight," responded Commissioner Win Brown.

"It's a bad situation when we have people stacked on people. We tried to tell the voters that in the past, but it fell on deaf ears," he said.

Brown said the five-member commissioner's court will try to provide more room to county employees in the next few months as they start planning their budget.

But he said the county is expecting to lose more of their tax base again this year as property values continue to drop. Last year the county's tax base dropped 11 percent from $5.12 billion to $4.6 billion.

Commissioner Durward Wright said he is disappointed that past suggestions for a separate criminal justice complex have not come to fruition, but he will continue seek a solution to relieve courthouse overcrowding.

However, there is no money to rent space, he said.

"We've attempted to avoid spending money we don't have and run the county as frugally as we can," he said.

Commissioner Guy McCrary said he has "informally researched" renting space outside of the courthouse to relieve overcrowding which he considers a "significant" problem.

But McCrary said the county also is trying to make the most of its limited space by remodeling some areas.

Two offices are being constructed for about $2,000 in an area previously used for storage on the second floor of the Midland County Annex Building, 218 W. Illinois Ave., McCrary said.

County carpenter Bill Decker has also converted a courthouse break room area into an office for the county's new data processing department.

MCHD

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Currently, the five MCHD directors are all elected to at-large positions.

"As we stand there talking today, the bill will have already been filed...and they call this a public hearing," Ms. Hernandez said this morning.

But a March 10 letter from Ted Kerr, legal counsel for MCHD, to Craddick stated "...I am certain that we will call on you with additional changes before any hearing on the bill."

According to the letter, Kerr said he had spoken to representatives of the minority community and assured them the bill was to be introduced with "the understanding...it is not final, but is subject to change according to the negotiations between the hospital directors and the people of the community."

"It most certainly is not equitable. I feel that they are doing their best to undermine everyone they know," Ms. Hernandez said.

But Dr. W.S. Parks Jr., MCHD board of directors chairman, said, "We have asked for representatives from all the minority organizations to attend today's meeting."

He said local representatives of the National Association for Advancement of Colored People, Young Black Entrepreneurs, Midland Black Chamber of Entrepreneurs, Hispanic Chamber and LULAC had been specifically notified of the meeting.

Parks said that had Craddick not introduced the legislation today, two additional years would pass before any redistricting action could be taken.

Parks maintained that the directors want feedback from the public at today's hearing.

Ms. Hernandez has claimed the hospital district elections, among others in Midland County, are "polarized."

Representatives for the MCHD have contended the minority community has not shown much interest to date in the the hospital district director positions; the directors say they are certainly "open to a broader base" of representation.

Jury doesn't indict woman accused of killing husband

From Staff Reports

A Midland County grand jury has declined to indict a 38-year-old Midland woman authorities say shot her husband twice Feb. 28 following a violent argument.

According to Det. Sgt. B.G. Johnson, the woman, Johnnie Mae Mackey, had been charged with murder in the death of her husband, 49-year-old Elbert Mackey.

But Johnson said he thought grand jurors, after hearing evidence Wednesday, assumed Mackey was assaulting his wife, and considered the shooting "justifiable."

J.D. Luckie, investigator with the District Attorney's office, said Ms. Mackey appeared before the grand jury still battered.

"They saw photographs of what she looked like at the time, and saw she was still bruised two weeks later," he said.

Police Roundup

Luckie added that based on the evidence it was likely jurors thought Ms. Mackey acted in self-defense.

In other reports, police have a suspect in the burglary of a residence in the 1300 block of South Atlanta Street. Police said a cable television converter box valued at $250 and a clock radio valued at $20 were stolen. Reports said the burglary occurred between 9 a.m. and 6:45 p.m.

Police are also investigating the burglary of a vehicle that was parked near a convenience store. According to reports, a tool box and tools valued at $175, and a clipboard containing a vehicle title and check book were stolen from a vehicle parked at the Stop N Go, 3000 W. Wall St.

Term 'art deco' originated 1925

The term, art deco is taken from the Exposition Internationale des Arts Decoratifs et Industriels Modernes, held in Paris in 1925. A decorative style of the 1920s and 1930s derived from cubism and based generally on geometric forms, art deco applies to furnishings, textiles, graphic arts, etc.

FARMER

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"We're pulling for them," he said. "The farmers are real proud individuals, and to get them to apply (for the award) is tough. A lot of them don't want to take time out. They don't need a pat on the back to do a good job."

Charlie Green, retired Midland County agricultural agent, recalled Schumann's progress from a 4-H Club youngster to a full-time farmer.

"He's one of our few young farmers left," Green said. "And they all do a good job. He's a good farmer. He's a good, hard-working young man with managerial ability, which is what it takes to stay in (farming) in this day and age."

U.S. Congressman Lamar Smith was to present the award to Schumann.

To be eligible for the award, a farmer must be between 18 through 35 and must derive at least two-thirds of his income from farming.

The farmer is judged on his progress in agriculture, his soil and water conservation practices, and his contributions to Midland and to the nation, said Vicky Welch, Jaycee public relations director.

In Midland, the award is sponsored by the Midland Farmers Cooperative, the Midland County Farm Bureau, and the Midland Sixty-Six Oil Co. At the national level, the United States Jaycees OYF is sponsored by Deere & Company, manufacture of John Deere implements and farm equipment.

"Usually, the national winners are up on the Farm Belt," said Ms. Welch.

This year is the 32nd year in which the U.S. Jaycees, a leadership-training organization, has conducted a national OYF program and is the second year in which the Midland Jaycees have participated in the program.

Prison emergency likely, officials say

HUNTSVILLE (AP) — Texas prison officials are anticipating another emergency declaration from Gov. Bill Clements that will allow the early release of some inmates to relieve overcrowding.

The prison system remained closed today after being closed Wednesday after more than 700 new inmates were admitted over two days, boosting the population over a 95 percent capacity.

The prison system, the nation's third largest, has been operating under an open-and-shut cycle — open two days, closed five. Wednesday's closing of the 26-unit prison system was the sixth time in as many weeks and the seventh this year because of overcrowding.

Population at the Texas Department of Corrections was 38,625, or 95.57 percent, as of midnight Wednesday.

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Projected tax increases needed in other area districts range from 2 percent at Greenwood ISD to 4 percent at Ector County ISD to almost nothing at Andrews ISD. Across the state, the LBB analysis indicates, the needed increases would amount to 24 to 29 percent in the poorest districts and almost nothing in the wealthiest.

In related news Thursday, a Houston state representative filed a plan backed by the Texas State Teachers Association that would force local school districts to use money appropriated for teacher career ladder bonuses for that purpose only.

"Although the career ladder established in House Bill 72 was designed as a system to reward career teachers and keep good teachers in the classroom, the lack of sufficient funding has forced the design — with all its good intentions — to succumb to financial realities," said TSTA President Charles Beard.

Art institute plans Saturday surprise

From Staff Reports

ODESSA — The Art Institute for the Permian Basin is offering an answer to "What's black and white and red all over" at 10 a.m. Saturday.

The public is invited to attend this "surprise" and cameras are welcome. For more information call Elayne Karickhoff, 1-368-7222. The art institute is located at 4901 E. University.

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Prepare for '87 gardening season

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Here are some pointers to remember as you begin to prepare for the 1987 gardening season, whether it is flower or vegetable gardening.

■ Prepare beds now for planting. You may want to consider renting or buying a garden tiller to speed up the process; however, a strong back and a garden fork will still do an excellent job.

■ For every 100 square feet of bed area work in a several-inch layer of either compost, pine bark or sphagnum peat moss, plus five pounds of balanced fertilizer.

■ Remember that the last average date for a killing freeze in Midland is April 4. Killing freezes can occur after this date, but seldom do.

■ After a danger of frost is past, set out those plants you started in January and February. If they didn't grow, or are in poor condition, fill in with plants purchased from your local nursery or garden center.

■ Pruning of evergreens and summer flowering trees and shrubs should be completed by now. Prune spring flowering trees and shrubs as soon as they finish blooming.

■ Select and order caladium tubers, as well as geranium and coleus plants, for late April and early May planting. Don't plant caladiums until soil temperature reaches 70 degrees Fahrenheit.

■ Beware of close-out sales on bare-root trees and shrubs. The chance of survival is rather low on bare-root plants this late in the season. Your best bet at this time of year is to depend on container-grown or balled-and-burlapped plants for landscape use.

■ Start hanging baskets of petunias and other annuals for annother dimension in landscape color.

■ Plant dahlia tubers in fertile, well-drained soil.

■ Dig and divide summer and fall flowering perennials just before they initiate their spring growth.

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Plans are being made for the 1987 Permian Basin Farmers' Market. Two educational meetings have been planned. The first one will be 7 p.m. March 16 at St. Lawrence Parish Hall, in St. Lawrence. The second one will be 7 p.m. March 30 at the Midland County Extension Building, 2445 E. Highway 80, Midland.

The program for both meeetings will be the same and will include the following: 1987 Permian Basin Market Update, by H.C. (Junior) McElyea and Joe Hollingshead; National Direct Marketing Conference Report by Dr. Austin Stockton, Extension Horticulturist. A growers question and answer period will follow, conducted by members from the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the Texas Department of Agriculture.

All persons are welcome and encouraged to attend either, or both, of these programs, whethehr they are members of the Permian Basin Farmers' Market Association or not.

If you have any questions, or desire more information, about these meetings please call the Midland County Extention Office, 687-1351.

Earnest C. Kiker is Midland County Extension Agent for Agriculture.

Banking woes in oil patch hurting farmers

AGRICULTURE

By DON KENDALL

WASHINGTON (AP) — The financial bind on farmers the last few years has contributed to a rise in bank failures nationally, but an Agriculture Department economist says the crunch is even worse in states where low oil and natural gas prices have taken a toll.

Gregory Gajewski of the department's Economic Research Service examined the plight of commercial banks in Colorado, Kansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma and Texas. The five states contain the majority of U.S. banks with energy credits exceeding 25 percent of their capital.

"Often above average in size, the region's energy banks are important to agriculture, even though they tend not to meet the agricultural bank definition," Gajewski said. "Many have farm loan volumes that exceed the total assets of a typical agricultural bank."

Gajewski noted that as of mid-1986 non-agricultural banks held almost a third of the $9 billion in farm loans made by commercial banks in the five states.

"Sharp declines in performance, especially at non-agricultural banks, occurred during the first six months of 1986," he said. "Many of these non-agricultural banks do not specialize in energy finance but are suffering from ripple effects, set off by the contractions in the farm and energy sectors."

Gajewski reported his findings in the March issue of Agricultural Outlook magazine published by the USDA agency. In addition, Gajewski was a major contributor to another new report, Agricultural Finance, in which he also describes some of the problems of commercial banks.

There are two generally accepted definitions of agricultural banks. The Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. says a bank is agricultural when its farm loans account for more than 25 percent of the bank's loan portfolios.

But the Federal Reserve Board says a bank is agricultural when its farm accounts are higher than the average for all banks. As of last June 30, banks nationally had farm loans equaling about 16.2 percent of their total loans.

In all, as of June 30, 1986, there were 14,184 commercial banks, of which 4,836 were classified as agricultural by the Fed's definition.

The five-state region accounted for 52 percent of all U.S. bank closures last year — 71 out of a total of 137. Of the 71 closures in the five states, 29 were agricultural banks, representing 46 percent of the 63 agricultural bank closings nationally in 1986.

"Crude oil prices rose in early 1987 to around $18 a barrel, but analysts believe U.S. oil production will continue to decline unless prices rise above $20 a barrel," Gajewski said. "Moreover, lags of 18 to 24 months are common in banks' recognition of loss, so regional banking conditions are expected to continue deteriorating despite slightly higher oil prices."

He added: "Even though agricultural banking conditions in this five-state region are not as bad as might be expected, the region's banking problems are severe enough to retard the availability of farm credit."

More than 40 percent of the agricultural credit in the region comes from banks that do not specialize in farm finance, so the adverse developments affecting the region's non-agricultural banks have negative implications for farm credit.

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History
- Founded in 1862; became a cabinet-level department in 1889

Employees
- 117,000 at end of 1985

Budget
- $36.9 billion in fiscal 1986

Chicago Tribune Graphic
Sources: U.S. Department of Agriculture and Encyclopedia Americana

USDA to test meat, poultry for Listeria monocytogenes

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Agriculture Department says its inspectors soon will begin a new testing program for meat and poultry to detect the presence of a certain kind of bacteria that can cause serious illness or death in high-risk people.

The microbe is Listeria monocytogenes, which has been implicated in illnesses and deaths caused by consuming contaminated food products such as shredded cabbage, milk and soft Mexican-style cheese.

"Although no meat or poultry products have been involved in any reported disease in humans from this bacterium, there is the potential they could be involved in future outbreaks," Donald L. Houston, administrator of the department's Food Safety and Inspection Service, said Wednesday.

The testing program will put special emphasis on ready-to-eat products such as dry-cured pork, fermented sausages and cooked luncheon meats, both domestically prepared and imported products, he said.

If the bacterium is found in any samples, the USDA "will initiate follow-up action to remove them from the marketplace," Houston said.

The bacterium can grow slowly on foods under refrigeration and therefore is difficult to control, he said. If contaminated meat or poultry is eaten by high risk individuals, serious illness or death could result.

"Those at greatest risk are pregnant women, the unborn and those with weakened immune systems, such as cancer patients on radiation therapy," Houston said. "The vast majority of persons consuming these products would not be noticeably affected."

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WASHINGTON (AP) — As people move from the city into the hills and forests of the countryside, the risk of wildfires that can snuff out lives and property within minutes increases, the U.S. Forest Service says.

Increasingly, authorities say in a new report being presented today, more and more homes are being built on scenic sites and slopes in forests and other wildlands.

"The result is that now vast areas of America contain high-value properties intermingled with highly flammable native vegetation," the report said. "Fire protection officials are reporting dramatic increases in the loss of homes to fires in these new residential areas."

In 1985, the latest year for which full statistics are available, 44 civilians and firefighters died.

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Proper insecticide treatment improves effectiveness, economics of application

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Proper management of many Texas forages should include insect scouting and use of treatment thresholds to determine when insecticide treatment is needed. When insecticide treatments are needed, choosing the proper insecticide for the job will improve the effectiveness, economics and safety of the application.

Alfalfa is high quality forage which requires a relatively high level of insect management. A sweep net is an important tool for producers who wish to grow a high quality crop.

Alfalfa weevil is the most important pest of alfalfa production. Alfalfa weevil overwinters both in the adult stage and in the egg stage. The eggs are placed beneath the epidermal layers of the plant stems. The eggs hatch early in the spring and the green, legless larvae begin feeding on the foliage. The larval stage is responsible for most of the damage to the hay. In West Texas, March is the worst month for alfalfa weevil damage. Weevils will damage extensively the first cutting of alfalfa hay if not controlled.

Many insecticides will do a good job of controlling alfalfa weevils. However, control is not the only criterion which should be considered when evaluating the various chemicals for weevil control. Growers should also be aware of the cost per acre, the interval required between treatment and harvest and the human and animal toxicities of the various insecticides.

Blue alfalfa aphid and pea aphid are important pests of alfalfa in the spring in some areas. Another aphid, spotted alfalfa aphid, infests alfalfa during the summer months in some areas.

By far the most common aphid pest of alfalfa is pea aphid. Pea aphids are bright green in color, long legged and about one-eighth of an inch long as an adult. They can be either winged or wingless. Pea aphids generally form dense colonies on the plant stems, terminals and shoots. Heavily infested plants become sticky with honeydew and the lower leaves turn yellow and often fall from the plants.

Blue alfalfa aphid populations are heaviest in the early spring. Blue aphids look much like pea aphids but are blue-green, not the yellowish green or light green color of pea aphids. This aphid colonizes terminal growth and rarely occurs on the stems as the pea aphid does. Blue aphids generally cause stunting of plant growth and yellowing of the leaves early in the year. They are most severe on regrowth hay less than 6 inches tall when the maximum daily temperatures are below 75 degrees Fahrenheit.

Spotted alfalfa aphid does not resemble pea aphid or blue alfalfa aphid. They are smaller, about one-sixteenth of an inch long when fully grown and greyish yellow in color. They have 6 to 8 rows of distinctive spots on the back. They are generally found on the undersides of the lower leaves when the population is small, but as the population grows they can be found anywhere on the plants. Population increases generally occur when the weather is hot and dry and humidities are low. Rain and high humidity are unfavorable conditions for spotted alfalfa. In well established fields plant growth can be severely stunted by spotted alfalfa aphid.

Richard Minzenmayer is Midland County Extension Agent for Entomology.

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There is no charge and registration is not required. For information call 683-2708...

...**MOTHER ANGELICA**, founder of EWTN Catholic Television Network, will present a talk 8 p.m. March 27 at Chaparral Center. Admission will be free; tickets are not required. All interested persons are invited to attend...

...**LEONARD NIMOY**, famous for playing Mr. Spock in the Star Trek television series and movies, will speak on "Confessions of a Trek Lover" 8 p.m. March 19 at Odessa College Sports Center.

Tickets are $3 each and are available for sale at the OC Business Office, first floor in the Administrative Wing to the Student Union Building. Tickets may also be purchased by mail by sending check to Director of Student Activities, Odessa College, 201 W. University, Odessa 79764.

OC students, staff and faculty will receive one free ticket with current OC ID card...

...**PLAYREADERS' CLUB** will meet 1:15 p.m. Wednesday at 1911 West Missouri. Peg Fitz-Gerald will read...

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...**TOUGHLOVE**, parent support group dealing with stresses and strains on today's families, will meet 2:30 p.m. Sunday at St. Stephen's Catholic Church, 4601 Neely. Tough-Love strives to help parents give their child frim, selective, loving support. For information call 563-0478 and leave a message...

...**ENDOMETRIOSIS** Association will meet at 7 p.m. March 31. A videotape "Endometriosis — a Second Opinion" will be shown. Anyone interested in attending may call 685-3134, 686-0876 or 699-5655 for the location...

...**ALTRUSA CLUB** of Midland will have a membership tea 2-5 p.m. Saturday at 1909 Western Drive...

...**DWANE TAYLOR** of Kansas will conduct a watercolor painting workshop at noon April 13-16 at the Midland Palette Club and Art Center, 907 W. Wadley. For more information call 694-6806...

...**UNITED OSTOMY** Association will meet 2:30 p.m. Sunday in Odessa Medical Center Auditorium. Julie Brewer of Medicare and Ostomy Supplies, will present the program. The nominating committee will give its report...

...**NEWCOMERS' CLUB** of Midland will have a luncheon meeting for newcomers, members and guests 10:30 a.m. March 26 at the Hilton Hotel. Program will be on High Sky Children's Ranch. For reservations or cancellations call 685-1040 or 697-4449 by March 23...

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..."**ABOUT LIGHT**," pastel paintings by Kerrville artist Kathleen Cook will be displayed Saturday through April 24 at the Museum of the Southwest. Ms. Cook will have a pastel workshop from March 16-20 for beginning and advanced artists. For information and application forms call 683-2882...

COPING WITH JOB LOSS

Parents' reversed roles results in family's confusion

By JIM MAY

May

DEAR COPING: I used to have a good job working for a drilling company. I was let go almost nine months ago. Time seems to go by real fast. My wife has a job and I have to keep the kids. I have stopped looking for a job. How am I going to find a job if I have to keep the kids? RL

DEAR RL: It is very difficult when you have to switch roles with your wife. Sometimes this increases her authority and her decision-making role in the family. Now, she also has the added responsibility for managing your family finances. It is not uncommon for there to be a real strain on interpersonal relationships when the wife assumes the role of chief wage-earner in the family. Since you have looked for another job and have been unable to find one, this may further damage your self-esteem, and to you may seem to further damage your role in the eyes of your family.

It also is common for children to questioned and discipline to be a problem during such times, especially with adolescents. Your being at home and becoming the authority figure in the home is a new experience for both you and the children. But this also presents an opportunity for you to get to know your children and for them to get to know you.

However, keeping the children does hinder you from looking for a job. You did not mention their ages, but perhaps you could arrange your schedule to go job hunting in the mornings (when they might be in school) or perhaps your relatives or neighbors could keep them at prearranged times. It is an added challenge to the job hunting process and requires some organization to handle.

With your prior work experience, you know that treating job hunting as a job is the way to get the job done.

DEAR COPING: We have felt for some time that my husband might get laid off. Neither of us has been sleeping very well for a long time. Everyone in the family, especially me, has been walking on pins and needles trying not to say or do anything that might worry my husband.

We found out two weeks ago that they were going to close this office and that my husband would not be offered another job in Dallas. Now after all that, and all our worrying and being careful about what we say and do, he is acting like nothing has happened. I think he should already have been prepared with a plan. He should be out looking for a job right now, but I am afraid to say anything as it might upset him. Don't you think he should be out looking right now? MRS. BW

DEAR MRS. BW: Many people react to the initial reality of being laid off with a sense of relief. As you have mentioned, you and your husband have been under considerable stress anticipating job loss. Your husband may feel that he understands why he was laid off, and can accept those reasons as they probably have nothing to do with his performance.

This is an opportune time to discuss your feelings and concerns with your husband. Rather than either of us having to speculate about his feelings and reacting to what we think is the case, ask him and find out. He may have some things going on or plans formulated.

DEAR COPING: We are still both employed, but I have been told that starting next month, all the secretaries are going to only be working a 30-hour week and paid accordingly. We started off using my salary to pay for the "extras," but now we need it to help pay for our house. How do we decide what to cut or eliminate? I don't think there are many things we spend money on that are really optional. MRS. ST

DEAR MRS. ST: The best place to start such a discussion is with a budget. It is basic economic truth (unless you are the government) that your income must at least equal the sum of your living expenses and debt payment. If this is not the case, then either you must increase your income or decrease your expenses. Perhaps you can reduce debt by selling assets, for example your home. The budget form that I use separates "discretionary" expenses from "fixed" expenses. While both are subject to reduction or elimination, the fixed categories usually carry with them direct implications on one's lifestyle. . . .

It is also very important that you and your family all have input into the budgeting process. A family is often surprised to find that what some members classify as fixed, others view as discretionary. It is far better to have that revelation during budgeting time rather than after a budget has been adopted and implemented. If you would like a copy of the budget form I use, send me a self-addressed, stamped envelope and I will mail you a copy.

Jim May is the director of the Family Wellness Center.

Questions for this column should be addressed to Coping With Job Loss, P.O. Box 10485, Midland, 79702.

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DEAR ABBY

Choosing up sides hurts those children who are chosen last

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: My heart ached for the little boy whose teacher appointed two captains to choose up teams, and he was always chosen last. I'm 67 now, and when I read that letter, all the feelings of humiliation, anger and anxiety came flooding back like it was yesterday. I was always one of the last to be chosen for sports because I was small and poorly coordinated. I wanted to die when teams were chosen because when it got down to the last two kids, I was always one of them.

Once I sneaked out of the room and went to the restroom and cried. Another time I forced myself to throw up so I could go to the nurse's room to escape this cruelty.

I'm amazed that this humiliating system of choosing teams is still going on. I hope teachers everywhere will see this and realize how damaging it is to a child's self-esteem, and put an end to that brutal practice. — CHOSEN LAST

DEAR CHOSEN: I hope so, too. I heard from teachers everywhere who offered unique (and face-saving) ways to choose up teams. Here's a letter from a retired school teacher who had the right idea years ago:

DEAR ABBY: Re choosing up teams: I taught school from 1914 through 1963. My method: The last one chosen becomes captain of the next team. No one was ever last more than once. — MURIEL LINK, AGE 90, SPRINGFIELD, VT.

DEAR ABBY: This is the first time I've written to you. I don't know where else to turn. Our daughter, who has just turned 18, has informed me that she and her boyfriend are planning to go camping together with friends this summer. I'm not naive, and I don't for one moment believe that they will be sleeping in separate tents.

My problem is this: Do we, as parents, have a right to forbid her to go? We are still supporting her and are paying for her schooling. — NOT NAIVE

DEAR NOT NAIVE: You have every right to forbid her to go since you are supporting her, and she is living under your guardianship.

However, if you suspect that your daughter is already sexually active — or is about to be — I hope you have discussed with her the importance of "safe sex" in order to protect herself from an unwanted pregnancy and/or venereal disease. If you have not, you must.

Let her know that you are not condoning premarital sex, but as a responsible parent you do not want her to risk her future, her health and possibly her life because of carelessness or ignorance.

DEAR ABBY: Please say something to those ill-mannered people who have the disgusting habit of coughing without covering their mouths.

The other night my husband and I attended a play for which we paid $37 a ticket, but we could not enjoy the play because this woman behind us coughed on our necks repeatedly. We got results (temporarily) after we turned around and glared at her.

I recently quit a volunteer job that I really enjoyed — delivering Meals on Wheels. Why? Because the driver never covered his mouth when he coughed. My son complains that a girl who sits next to him at work does the same thing.

How would you handle this situation? Would you hand the person a tissue? Or just courteously say, "Would you please cover your mouth when you cough?" It would be embarrassing to me to have to do either. On the other hand, if the person is so rude, he deserves to be reminded of his manners. — I'VE HAD IT

DEAR HAD IT: Why not do both? Hand the offender a tissue and request that he/she use it while coughing. It's not what you do; it's the way you do it.

Abigail Van Buren is a columnist for Universal Press Syndicate.

Disgruntled workers' attitudes adolescent

Copley News Service

Employers with disgruntled workers on their hands shouldn't try too hard to please them.

New research shows that how workers feel about their jobs is based on emotional dispositions that go back to adolescence — or earlier.

University of California management specialist Barry Staw analyzed data collected on middle-class people since the 1920s and '30s. And while worker attitudes are adolescent, so to speak, Staw says they're also predictable and remain the same throughout adulthood.

That's why he claims that worker productivity programs and management consultants are usually ineffective.

Staw says a more realistic option would be to lower expectations and be patient but persistent with unproductive employees.

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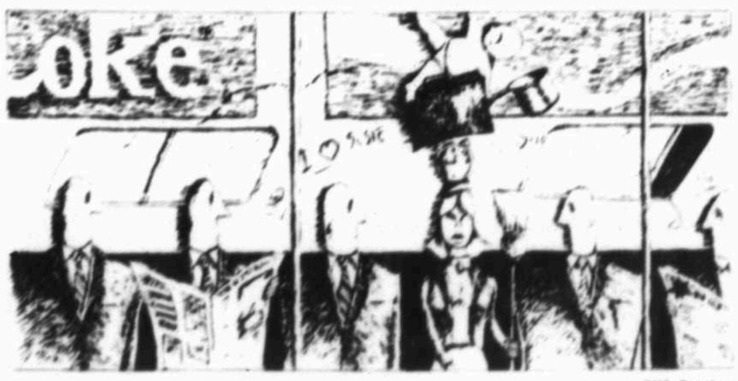
Employed women face obstacles

Copley News Service



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While each decision by a woman to "go to work" is an individual one — particularly when young children are involved — in the aggregate, such a step is the result of major developments in society that most women can scarcely ignore.

Employment decisions reflect incentives and disincentives imposed by the public realm, and beyond the individual's immediate control. Thus, many women were far less likely to enter employment when they were neither needed in workplace roles nor culturally supported in seeking jobs. What women choose to do is not simply the outcome of personal decisions, but reflects much larger contexts. Such employment trends, therefore, are a matter of critical public concern.

That, according to William Michelson of the Department of Sociology and Centre for Urban and Community Studies at the University of Toronto, writing in the Bulletin of the Institute of Governmental Studies at the University of California at Berkeley, is why society must recognize "how public policies and practices compound the difficulties of employed mothers ... and what can be done to increase support for this growing segment of the working population."

DESPITE VAST efforts, and some significant successes, on the "equal rights" issue for women in the work force, Michelson points out that "... if one adds employment, housework and child-care responsibilities and characterizes them as a basic unit of obligatory daily activity, it becomes apparent that the daily routines of women with children and outside jobs involve more of such activity than those of men or, indeed, of women with less extensive employment. The mother employed full time spends nearly 10 hours per day in obligatory activities. Moreover, these data fail to cover related activities such as commuting and shopping, which typically add still another hour per day."

Meanwhile, he added, "the different categories of men typically spend half an hour to an hour less in daily obligatory activities than women with full-time jobs — with the greatest differences reflecting the comparatively low obligatory activity by men whose wives work full time. This is the opposite of expectations that men might compensate for their wives' total loads."

Thus, the problems of women coping with survival employment, as well as motherhood, would seem to have personal priorities well beyond the four recently selected by the California Commission on the Status of Women for its priority issues for the year 1987: "Child care, equity in education and employment, economic equity and health care."

DIFFERENCES BETWEEN men and women in the nature and juxtaposition of daily activities carry serious implications for such ordinary necessities as everyday travel, the Institute of Governmental Studies findings reported. "The most tension-producing daily activities in women's routines," it said, "are transitions to and from household responsibilities and outside employment. These tensions are stronger for women than for men, because the women are responsible for what happens both before and after their commuting trips. Thus, they have to see children off or accompany them to their destinations, yet must still appear at the place of employment on time and ready to work. In the evenings, they leave work at a fixed hour, but when reaching home are available for child care, companionship, dinner preparation and other household chores."

A clue to possible public infrastructure planning to meet this growing need, Michelson points out, is the fact that women usually are what the social study researchers call "transportation deprived and transit dependent." In families with one automobile, the husband typically takes the car to work, leaving the wife to contend with the inflexibilities of the public transit systems, or to seek a job that emphasizes proximity to home rather than career enhancement."

On the other hand, the National Organization for Women, adding up the year 1986, found it to be a year of mixed advances and setbacks. They ranged from a $101 million settlement of a pay equity case against the state of Washington; a decision by The New York Times to allow the use of "Ms." in news stories and abandoning its previous requirement that women be referred to either as Miss or Mrs. on second reference; the opening of the first film studio child-care center at Universal in Hollywood.

NOW POINTS to other "positive signs:" More than 33 percent of medical students are now women, up from 9 percent in 1969, and a national opinion poll (Gallup) found that 56 percent of all women consider themselves feminists, while 88 percent of women and 71 percent of men between the ages of 18 and 29 believe the women's movement has improved their lives.

But there are as many negative trends, NOW reported. It sees the confirmation of conservative William Rehnquist as chief justice of the U.S. Supreme Court and the addition of conservative Justice Antonin Scalia as a severe setback to the women's movement. It considers growing attacks on abortion clinics as another serious setback, as was the dismissal by a federal court of a $20 million sex discrimination case against Sears, Roebuck and Co. And NOW said it was also concerned over new government studies showing that households of women and children make up one-third of the nation's poor, and that lung cancer has become the No. 1 killer of women.

More immediately available though, is an extension of a trend already in evidence at retail stores. The extension of local business hours into the evening and night, as well as on Sundays, thereby providing more shopping capability for the employed.

'Offbeat' scholarships available for qualified students

Copley News Service

You don't have to be a genius, a jock or a pauper to get a college scholarship, according to Seventeen magazine.

Ileen Fiddler says there are dozens of "offbeat" scholarships and grants available to students. In many cases, all you need is the correct background.

For instance, Fiddler says to compete for the U.S. Senate Youth Program, you must hold a student government office.

Some of the other unusual scholarships include Yakima Indian Nation Tribal Scholarship, Armenian Relief Society Scholarship Program and The Dog Writers' Educational Trust.

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Measure aimed at keeping jobless families together

Associated Press

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. — An Albuquerque lawmaker says hundreds of unemployed New Mexicans whose families are being torn apart could be kept together if his fellow legislators join him in changing the state's welfare law.

New Mexico currently provides financial help to children living in poverty only if at least one parent is dead, disabled or gone. That means a two-parent family without work can't stay together and still get Aid to Families With Dependent Children.

Rep. Ed Sandoval, D-Bernalillo, wants New Mexico to join 25 other states in participating in an optional federal program called AFDC-Unemployed Parents, which allows two-parent families to receive the aid if they are otherwise eligible.

"There are times when a father leaves the household for them to qualify, and many times that family never gets back together," he said.

The Unemployed Parents program is aimed at families in which the parents have exhausted unemployment benefits, still have not found work and have no way to support the kids.

"These people have worked all their lives, but they're unemployed for some reason or another," Sandoval said.

He said the program probably would help most in mining areas such as Grants and Silver City and the oil and gas area of southeast New Mexico.

Sandoval introduced a bill in the 1987 session that calls for an appropriation of $1.105 million, which would pay 29 percent of the program. The rest of the cost, an estimated $2.593 million would be paid by the federal government.

He believes that even with New Mexico's coffers being squeezed from all sides, the state can afford the program because the federal government pays 71 percent of the cost and because the program helps get families off the welfare rolls faster than the traditional AFDC program.

Sandoval said Missouri, for example, found two-parent families stay on AFDC an average of 4.7 months compared to 20.9 months for one-parent families.

And there is the unmeasurable benefit of keeping families intact.

"It really does help keep families together," said Judy Ricci of the New Mexico Commission on the Status of Women. "A parent, usually the male, leaves the house so the family can go on welfare (under the current program). It disintegrates the family. The state can help them through this difficult period."

The measure has been endorsed by groups ranging from the New Mexico Hospital Association to the Commission on the Status of Women and from the New Mexico Conference of Churches to the League of Women Voters.

Scott Chamberlin, chief of the financial assistance bureau for the state Human Services Department, estimated the new option would add between 1,300 and 2,700 families. However, he said it would not be a large increase because the state serves 18,500 families under the current AFDC program.

Sandoval said that because of the lack of firm eligibility estimates, the dollar figure in his bill is only an estimate.

"I hope it's not too low," he said. "If it costs more, we could only go a certain distance with it, but you've opened up the program."

Chamberlin said families falling under the Unemployed Parents option still would have to qualify under the state's AFDC standard of need.

The Unemployed Parents program generally would serve people who have been out of work for long periods, Chamberlin said.

"Say a miner loses his job, particularly if it's a good-paying job, he will get unemployment for a period of time," he said. "The need standard is so low, most people who receive unemployment compensation tend to be ineligible because they have more than we allow.

"It's a sort of backup to the unemployment compensation program, (those who are unemployed) for extended periods of time or for families that are relatively large."

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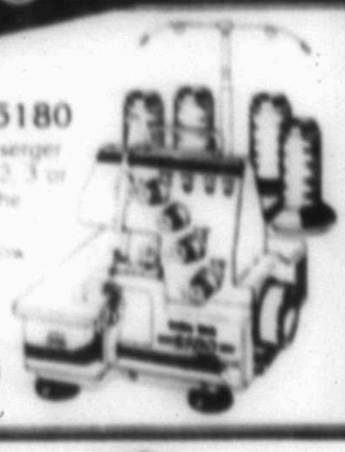

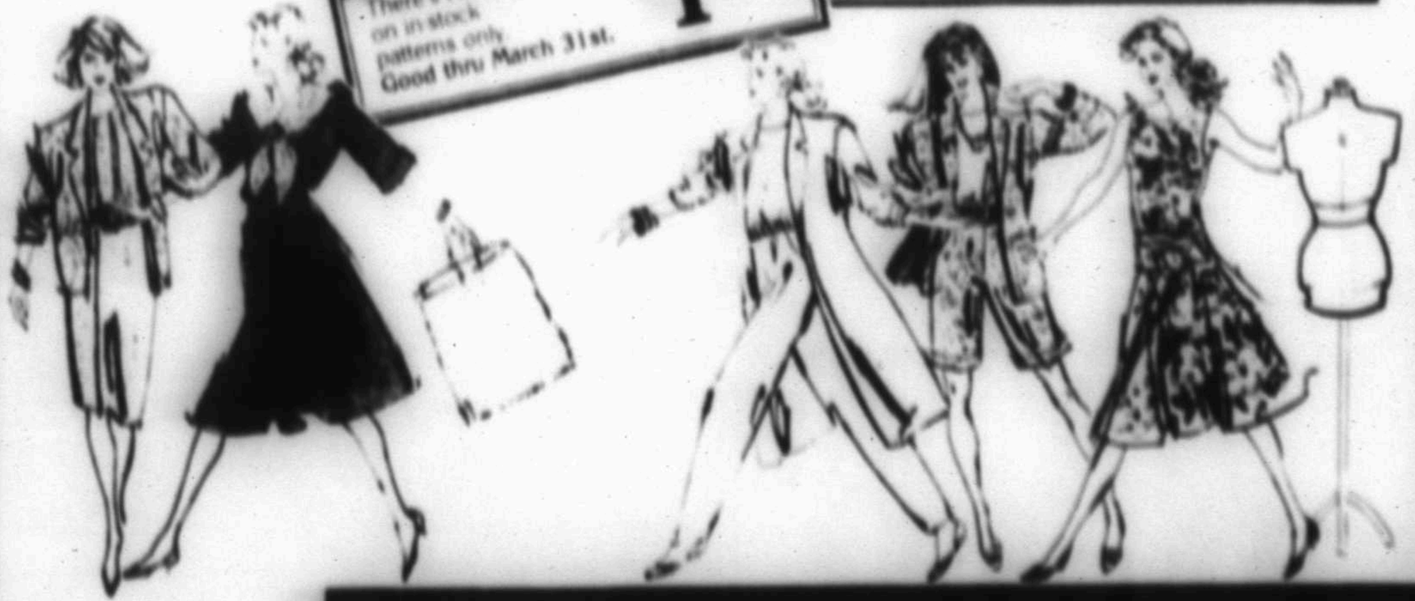

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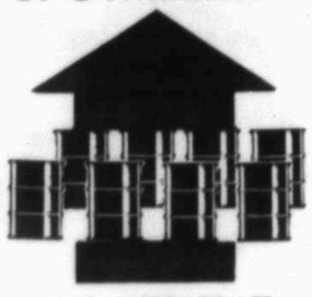

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Source: Wall Street Journal

MONEY

Dollar mixed

LONDON (AP) — The dollar was mixed in active European trading early today.

Currency traders said the market was still unsettled by rumors that the U.S. Federal Reserve intervened Wednesday on behalf of the West German mark.

A dealer at a Frankfurt bank said that both the U.S. and West German central banks had asked for quotes in the market earlier in the week, but he said neither traded. The Federal Reserve would not comment.

Market attention today also was focused on the British pound, which rose briefly Thursday to $1.60. Traders said sterling came off its high levels due to reports that the Bank of England had intervened.

At midmorning, the dollar was higher in relation to the pound. The British currency was quoted $1.5795, down from $1.5875 late Thursday.

Other midmorning dollar rates compared with rates in Europe late Thursday:

—1.8530 West German marks, down from 1.8905.

—1.5505 Swiss francs, up from 1.5565.

The dollar edged lower in Tokyo, closing at 153.48 Japanese yen, compared with 153.69 yen at Thursday's close. Later, the dollar was quoted at 153.38 yen in London.

Gold bullion held steady at around $409.25. London's five biggest bullion houses fixed a recommended gold price of $409.25 a troy ounce at midmorning, up from $408.50 late Thursday.

In Zurich, the metal traded at a bid of $409.20, down from $409.50.

Earlier, in Hong Kong, gold closed at a bid of $410.20, up from Thursday's $408.81.

Silver bullion was quoted in London at a bid of $5.64 an ounce, up from $5.59.

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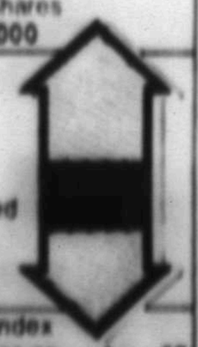

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Rebound hopes fade with three more bank failures

By DOUG CRICHTON
Associated Press Writer

Three more Texas banks have succumbed to economic and management troubles, and state officials say their hopes for a 1987 rebound in the beleaguered industry are rapidly fading.

The failures Thursday of the The First National Bank of Olney in North Texas, the Plaza National Bank in Del Rio and Western Bank El Paso increases to 15 the total number of banks that have been shut down in the state this year.

Texas continues to lead the nation in bank failures, accounting for almost 37 percent of the 41 banks that have closed nationwide. Twenty-six banks were shut down in Texas last year, also a record for one state in one year.

"During the fourth quarter of 1986, we were optimistically saying the number of failures for the year might be around 25 or 30," said Richard Nun, spokesman for the State Banking Commission. "But it looks like we will be proven wrong.

"I would like to think they won't continue at this rate, but there is no indication there will be a slowdown," Nun said.

The Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. has found buyers for two of the three failed banks, said FDIC spokesman Bill Olcheski.

First National Bank of Olney, a separate institution from 80-year-old The First National Bank of Olney, will assume the failed bank's liabilities, Olcheski said. About $13.4 million in 2,700 deposit accounts in the failed bank were to be transferred today to the new owner.

"In 1983, the bank began to incur substantial loan and operating losses caused by poor oversight by the board of directors, lax loan documentation and collection practices by bank management and adverse economic conditions," Olcheski said.

He said the comptroller of the currency in 1983 and 1985 asked the bank to "take corrective measures to restore the bank's condition."

"However, these efforts were hampered by turnover in senior bank management," Olcheski said. "The First National Bank of Olney was unable to remedy its problems and losses finally exhausted the banks' capital funds, resulting in its insolvency."

As of Dec. 31, 1986, the bank had $16.6 million in assets and $17.3 million in deposits.

In El Paso, meanwhile, MBank El Paso, N.A., will assume the deposit liabilities of Western Bank El Paso, Olcheski said. The failed bank's only office was to reopen today as a branch of MBank and its depositors automatically become customers of the assuming bank.

MBank El Paso will assume about $39 million in 4,900 deposit accounts and has agreed to pay the FDIC a purchase premium $357,000. Western Bank had total assets of $39.7 million.

It also will purchase some of the failed banks loans and assets for $22.2 million. The FDIC will advance about $16.8 million to aid the transaction.

The Del Rio bank that failed was chartered May 8, 1981. On Feb. 28, 1987, it had total assets of about $35 million, Olcheski said.

New owners in 1984 embarked on an "excessive growth" plan that led to speculative real estate loans, he said.

"This strategy, coupled with an overall lending policy, inadequate management, and lax oversight by the board of directors, resulted in deterioration of the bank's condition," he said.

Olcheski said the bank initiated management changes and sought investors to provide additional capital. The bank's board of directors in December also sold "various bank assets to forestall insolvency," Olcheski said.

The FDIC has approved paying off insured depositers of Plaza National Bank, FDIC spokesman Steve Katsanos said. Deposits are insured up to $100,000.

AP LaserPhoto

Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. officials Yvonne Burton-Taylor and Harryette Risinger took inventory of the vault of the First National Bank of Olney, which reopens today under new management.

1987 Texas Bank Failures

Bank	City	Assets	Bank	City	Assets
Bowie National	Bowie	$13.1	First National	Weslaco	$70
Montgomery County	The Woodlands	$51.9	First National	Crosby	$7.8
Bear Creek National	Houston	$28	Sealy National	Sealy	$7.7
La Pryor State	La Pryor	$5.4	Farmer State	Hart	$15.4
Sunbelt National	Dallas	$11.4	Liberty Bank	Houston	$73.9
Security National	Midland	$15.5	First National	Olney	$16.6
Federated National	Universal City	$13.6	Plaza National	Del Rio	$35
			Western Bank	El Paso	$39.7

Fuel Use Act battle begun

WASHINGTON (AP) — Industry officials urged senators to repeal sections of the Fuel Use Act of 1978 that bar the use of oil and gas in new power plants, but some lawmakers were a bit skeptical.

"If we repeal the restrictions on natural gas use, where will the gas supplies come from?" asked Sen. Howard Metzenbaum, D-Ohio, chairman of the Energy and Natural Resources subcommittee on regulation.

"Who will ensure adequate supplies for priority users and protect residential consumers from skyrocketing price increases?" he asked at the Thursday hearing.

The Fuel Use Act prohibits the burning of oil and gas in new power plants and bars the building of plants without alternate fuel capacity, rules intended to reduce demand for natural gas at a time when supplies were short.

"This restriction has inhibited market forces by dictating fuel choices for utilities and industrial users," said Sen. Jeff Bingaman, D-N.M. "We should now return the choice to marketplace forces."

Gas and electric power industry representatives urged subcommittee members to relax the regulations and allow the energy market to function naturally in light of today's gas surplus and low oil prices.

"What we need is flexibility in the marketplace rather than rigid rules," said Nicholas J. Bush, president of the Natural Gas Supply Association.

Bush described coal as the fuel of the 21st century and said that because of its limited availability, producers understand that it will function only as a transitional fuel in power plants for the next 15 to 20 years.

Even coal industry representatives, who were the direct beneficiaries of the Act, agreed that the market should command what fuel is used in power plants rather than the government.

"We in the coal industry support repeal of the ban on the use of oil or natural gas in new plants," said Chris Farrand, testifying on behalf of the National Coal Association and American Mining Congress. "We believe that the market conditions ought to dictate the choice of fuels."

But Farrand favored an amendment that would require new power plants be designed so that future voluntary conversion to coal use would not be precluded, a view shared by several senators on the subcommittee.

Edwin S. Rothschild, assistant director of the Citizen-Labor Energy Coalition, said that in spite of the current surplus of natural gas, drilling efforts over the last 10 years have failed to replenish production.

"As a result, the United States has less proven natural gas reserves than it did in 1978 when the Fuel Use Act was passed," Rothschild said.

"Congress should immediately investigate the state of the nation's gas reserves to determine whether or not they will be sufficient to support increases in demand as projected by such organizations as the American Gas Association," he said.

The same arguments were brought before the House Energy and Commerce energy and power subcommittee on Wednesday, during which Rep. John Bryant, D-Dallas, said repeal of the Act would pump $500 million quickly into the sagging economies of producing states such as Texas.

Merrill Lynch suspends accused trader

NEW YORK (AP) — Merrill Lynch & Co. has suspended a top official at its London office accused by the Securities and Exchange Commission of participating in a $4 million insider trading scheme.

Vaskevitch

In a civil complaint, the SEC accused Nahum Vaskevitch, director of merger and acquisitions for Merrill Lynch in London, of giving an investor confidential information involving 12 companies over a two-year period.

"If true we are disappointed and angry," said Patricia Nee, a Merrill Lynch spokeswoman in New York. "When we were informed of the specific allegations and evidence in this case we immediately suspended the employee from his position with the firm," she said, reading from a statement.

Ms. Nee said Merrill Lynch had been cooperating with the SEC for several months and did not benefit from any illegal trading.

Based on the SEC claims, U.S. District Judge Robert Carter froze the assets of Vaskevitch, the investor, David Sofer, and two foreign-based companies controlled by Sofer. A hearing on the temporary restraining order was scheduled for March 20.

Court papers accused Vaskevitch, a 36-year-old citizen of Israel and Britain, of passing inside information to Sofer, 46, an Israeli living in Jerusalem.

Sofer and two companies controlled by him, the British firm Plenmeer and the Liechtenstein corporation Meda, made illicit profits of more than $4 million using the information, the SEC said.

The SEC papers said Vaskevitch had a financial interest in Plenmeer and shared in the alleged illegal profits, but the agency did not specify how much he was alleged to have made.

The SEC said it will seek full repayment.

Federal securities law prohibits trading on the basis of corporate information not available to the general public.

The SEC said the case was uncovered from brokerage records and phone call logs after computers at the New York Stock Exchange detected unusually heavy trading in several takeover-related stocks.

Court papers gave no indication that the Vaskevitch case was related to the insider trading scandal surrounding speculator Ivan F. Boesky. SEC spokeswoman Mary McCue in Washington said.

Boesky settled insider trading charges in November by paying $100 million in penalties and agreeing to plead guilty to an unspecified charge. He has been cooperating with investigators.

Wholesale prices flatten in February

WASHINGTON (AP) — Wholesale prices inched up just 0.1 percent last month, with moderate increases in gasoline and heating oil costs partially offset by lower food prices, the government said today.

The rise in the Labor Department's Producer Price Index followed a 0.6 percent gain in January, which had been led by the biggest one-month increase in gasoline prices ever on record.

Gasoline prices rose 5.5 percent in February, compared to a 15.7 percent surge in January. Home fuel oil prices were up 3.0 percent last month, compared to an 18 percent rise in the previous month.

Although prices in February did not climb nearly as fast as they did in January, economists are still predicting a return of moderate levels of inflation for all of 1987.

Price gains were generally restrained in February.

Food prices fell 0.5 percent after falling 1.8 percent the month before. Last month's drop was led by decreases in prices for vegetables, pork and coffee.

Prices for goods other than food and energy, seen as a whole, fell 0.3 percent, a reflection of cuts in car and truck wholesale prices. Similar goods had risen 0.5 percent in price in the preceding month.

Prices fell 3.4 percent for cars and 1.3 percent for light trucks last month, which analysts said reflected new factory-financed incentives.

The February increase, if continued for 12 consecutive months, would produce an annual inflation rate of 0.8 percent. For the first two months of the year, prices one step short of the retail level have gained at an annual rate of 4.2 percent.

By contrast, wholesale prices actually declined by 2.5 percent for all of 1986. Consumer prices inched up a bare 1.1 percent during the same period. Last year's extraordinary inflation performance was powered by the collapse of oil prices.

With energy costs firming up over the last few months, however, the government's two major price indices have been rising again.

The Februray increase left the Producer Price Index at 292.3, meaning that goods which cost $10 in a 1967 base period cost $29.23 last month. Such a set of goods cost 4 cents less than in February 1986.

The index number itself is not adjusted for predictable seasonal variations; other calculations in the Labor Department report are.

The department gave these other specifics on February price activity:

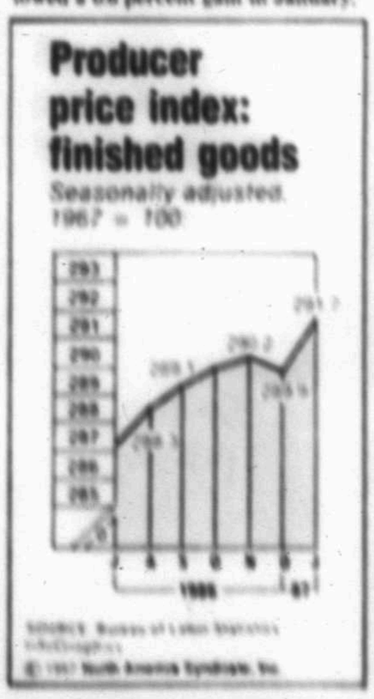
—Vegetable prices fell 8.8 percent. Pork prices dropped by 4.3 percent. Poultry prices fell 2.4 percent. Beef prices, however, gained 0.4 percent and fresh fruit prices were up 0.9 percent.

—Coffee prices dropped 3.7 percent while soft drink costs rose 0.7 percent and alcoholic beverage prices were up 0.4 percent.

—Natural gas prices rose 1.8 percent, compared to a 4.2 percent increase in January.

—Women's apparel prices fell 0.5 percent while men's and boys' clothing costs dipped 0.1 percent.

—Home electronic prices were down 0.8 percent while furniture prices rose 0.8 percent.



Western enters guilty plea

The Western Company of North America pleaded guilty on Wednesday to a charge of deceptive business practices, Attorney General Jim Mattox said.

Mattox said the company, which is based in Fort Worth, will pay a $30,000 fine for the misdemeanor violation.

The plea was entered in state district court in Victoria County.

According to Mattox, the company was charged with selling adulterated concrete to businesses in and around Victoria for oil and gas drilling operations.

Mattox said the Texas Railroad Commission also is investigating.

ALLEN E. HOWLAND

Even the whipping boys deserve a day or two off

Howland

Taking potshots at easy targets — generically known as 'whatever'-bashing — is increasingly in vogue, whether the target is the late, lamented Southern Methodist University football program, Fawn Hall and Lt. Col. Oliver North, Oral Roberts and fund raising in the face of death, or, although somewhat dated these days, Imelda Marcos and her shoes.

Although I'm not proud of it, I've been guilty of Pony-bashing more than once and have been taken to task by disgruntled SMU alums and others who saw the errors of my ways.

Nevertheless, the are some other forms of bashing which are more insidious and widespread, and deserve closer examination.

The first instance of bashing on the rise is one in which we find ourselves as the bashee, not the basher. Texas-bashing and oil business-bashing are enjoying renewed popularity in Yankee regions of the country.

Witness the Wall Street Journal's recent guest editorial by Michael Kinsley, editor of the neoconservative New Republic magazine. In the course of his thesis, he calls for the United States to break Organization of Petroleum Exporting Country's back by flooding the world market, selling oil reserves from the Strategic Petroleum Reserve today, consuming as much cheap imported oil as necessary today and then expecting domestic reserves to be there — ready to be produced — if OPEC decides to raise the price of oil.

In the process, Kinsley dismisses the deep, widespread and devastating economic depression sweeping the entire Southwest — reducing it to a single sentence: "An oil import fee...is in effect a tax of which about a third goes to the government and two-thirds to owners of domestic oil — hardly an impoverished group, even at $10 a barrel," he wrote.

If that ain't Texas-oil-bashing, I never heard it!

The other side of the coin, however, is just as prevalent and every bit as vehement. Ever since Will Rogers first took the vaudeville stage or first stepped up to the radio microphone, Americans — particularly Westerners — have reveled in politician-bashing.

Rogers in particular, and independent minded Texas types in general, have long enjoyed making fun of the limited intelligence and the problem-solving inabilities of federal legislators.

"This country has come to feel the same when Congress is in session as when the baby gets hold of a hammer," Rogers said.

Along with the ridicule comes an ample dose of complaints that lawmakers don't listen, aren't accessible and are basically insensitive to the problems of the oil patch.

In light of the dismal participation level of West Texans at the recent U.S. Senate Committee oversight hearing in nearby Hobbs, local complainin' should trickle to a halt posthaste.

What was billed as a Basin-wide opportunity to rally in demonstration of the current state of the industry for the federal lawmakers on hand went unexploited by Midland/Odessa residents, with the exception of Permian Basin Petroleum Association president Charles Perry, who testified impressively before the committee.

I hope the lesson of that grossly underutilized opportunity is not lost on the organizers of the upcoming Energy Appreciation Week celebration. Calling something area-wide or labeling it the 'Permian Basin this-or-that' does not ensure regional participation. Involvement by residents from around the area must be solicited and cultivated in order for those in outlying communities to feel a part of the festivities.

The Energy Appreciation and awareness activities are worthwhile consciousness-raising exercises for industry personnel and non-industry folks as well. One can only hope that the entire Permian Basin will get behind this special event.

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OIL & GAS REPORT

EXPLORATION HIGHLIGHTS

BTA reports 148 barrel producer

From Staff Reports

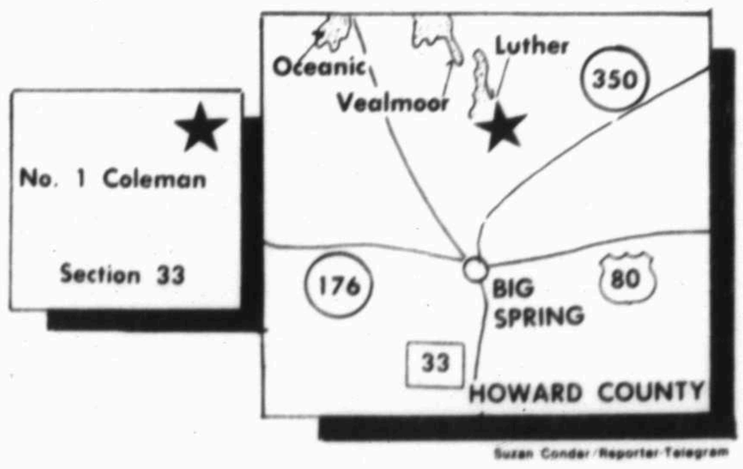
BTA OIL PRODUCERS, Midland, has completed a new Fusselman producer in the Luther Southeast (Silurian-Devonian) field of Howard County.

On potential test, the No. 1 Coleman flowed 148 barrels of 42 gravity crude, 209 Mcfd and 147 barrels of water on a 20/64 inch choke with a flowing tubing pressure of 315 psi. The well is flowing from perforations 9,909 to 9,923 ft., which had been acidized with 1,700 gallons of acid. Gas-oil ratio is 1,412:1.

Drilled to a total depth of 9,989 ft., where 5 1/2 inch casing was set, the well was plugged back to 9,960 ft.

Formation tops, on ground elevation of 2,659 ft., include the Yates at 1,838 ft., Upper Spraberry at 5,960, Pennsylvanian Shale at 8,195, Strawn Lime at 9,155, and the Fusselman at 9,907 ft. Pay was topped at 9,909 ft.

Location is 660 ft. from north and east lines of Section 33, Block 32, T-2-N, T&P survey, nine miles south of Big Spring.



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Borden County well pumps 117 barrels

An explorer in Borden County has been completed as a Spraberry producer in the Hood (Spraberry) field of Borden County.

BHP PETROLEUM (AMERICAS), INC., Midland, potentialed the No. 1 Ralph to pump 117 barrels of 41 gravity crude and 26 barrels of water from perforations 5,252 to 5,269 ft. GOR was 838:1.

Permitted as an 8,800 ft. wildcat, the well was drilled to a total depth of 8,550 ft., with 5 1/2 inch casing set at 5,472 ft.

Location is 660 ft. from south and 2,725 ft. from east lines of Section 5, L.V. Hood survey, 11 miles northwest of Gail.

New producer added to Schleicher field

A Houston operator has added a new Canyon gas producer to the Henderson field of Schleicher County.

CONQUEST EXPLORATION CO. tested the No. 5-26 Jean Scheuber "A" for a calculated absolute open flow of 2.4 Mmcfd from perforations 7,748 to 7,862 ft. The interval was acidized with 3,000 gallons of acid and fractured with 120,000 gallons frac and 125,500 lbs. sand. Condensate gravity was 63.9, and gas-liquid ratio is 54,589:1.

The well was permitted as an 8,000 ft. wildcat.

Location is 2,400 ft. from north and east lines of Section 26, Block KL, TCRR survey, Abst 3483, 10 miles southeast of Ozona.

Midland operator tests Martin field well

A Martin County prospect has yielded a modest Strawn producer in the Hallanan field for a Midland operator.

TEMPO ENERGY, INC. completed the No. 1 Scharbauer to pump 22 barrels of 41 gravity crude and four barrels of water from perforations 10,654 to 10,945 ft. Gas production was too small to measure. The perforations were acidized with 24,000 gallons and fractured with 20,000 gallons of gel.

Permitted as a 12,000 ft. wildcat, the well was drilled to 12,000 ft. and plugged back to 11,140 ft. with 5 1/2 inch casing set at 11,181 ft.

Formation tops, on ground elevation of 2,951.5 ft., include the Dean at 9,447 ft., Wolfcamp at 9,584, Strawn at 10,646, Atoka at 11,076, and the Barnett at 11,908 ft. Pay was topped at 10,645 ft.

Location is 1,980 ft. from south and west lines of Section 38, Block 41, T-1-S, T&P survey, 16 miles west of Midland.

Martin, Midland parts of Spraberry gain wells

Two operators have added new producers to the Martin and Midland County portions of the Spraberry Trend.

PARKER & PARSLEY PETROLEUM CO. finaled the No. 1 Anchor "B" in the Martin County portion, pumping 40 barrels of 38.9 gravity crude, 15 Mcfd and 105 barrels of water from perforations 7,962 to 9,464 ft.

MOBIL PRODUCING TX & NM, INC., Midland, tested the No. 5 TXL "Q" in the Midland County portion, pumping 61 barrels of 38.4 gravity crude, 63 Mcfd and 33 barrels of water from perforations 8,539 to 8,822 ft.

Three new producers completed in Sterling

MARATHON OIL CO. has added three new Queen producers to the Herrell East (Queen) field of Sterling County. All three are in the Herrell East Queen Sand Unit, located in Section 1 of Block 31, T-5-S, T&P survey, 15 miles east of Sterling City.

The No. 110 Herrell East Queen Sand Unit was potentialed to pump 5.5 barrels of 31.9 gravity crude, 1 Mcfd and three barrels of water from perforations 1,506 to 1,610 ft.

Marathon tested the No. 111 Herrell East Queen Sand Unit to pump eight barrels of 31.9 gravity crude, 1 Mcfd and 63 barrels of water from perforations 1,360 to 1,452 ft.

Also, the No. 216 Herrell East Queen Sand Unit was finaled, pumping 13 barrels of 31.9 gravity crude, 1 Mcfd and 40 barrels of water from perforations 1,451 to 1,552 ft.

NRM buys Mesa properties

DALLAS (SWN) — The limited partners of NRM Energy Company, L.P. approved a proposal to authorize a transaction between NRM Energy and Mesa Limited Partnership and the amendment and restatement of NRM Energy's partnership agreement.

Following the vote by the limited partners, NRM Energy and Mesa closed the transaction, in which NRM Energy purchased certain oil and gas properties from Mesa in exchange for approximately 8 million common units and 2.9 million $2.00 Cumulative Convertible Acquisition Preferred Units - Series M ("APUs"). NRM Energy and Mesa also agreed to close by April 30, 1987 the sale by Mesa to NRM Energy of certain oil and gas properties that had previously been scheduled to be transferred. In exchange for these properties, NRM Energy will issue to Mesa approximately 500,000 common units and 160,000 APUs that it previously agreed to issue in respect of these properties.

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COMPLETIONS

TRC DISTRICT 8

ECTOR COUNTY

Cowden South (Canyon 8790)
Texaco Oil Co. No. 13 J.E. Bagley, 666 fsl, 663 fel, sec 17, blk 42, T-2-S, T&P, 1 nw Odessa. Elev. 2922. TD 9050. PB 8900. Completed 2/20/87. Potentialed 2/24/87, pumping 91 bopd, 58 Mcfd, 12 bwpd, 38 API, GOR 637:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 9050. Perforations 8815 to 8877. Acid 3500 gals. 15 percent NeFe. Formation tops: San Andres 4370, Holt 5450, Wolfcamp 8300, Canyon 8730. Top of pay 8815.

HOWARD COUNTY

Luther Southeast (Silurian-Devonian)
BTA Oil Producers No. 1 Coleman, 660 fnl, 660 fel, sec 33, blk 32, T-2-N, T&P, 9 s Big Spring. Elev. 2659. TD 9989. PB 9960. Completed 3/5/87. Potentialed 3/9/87, flowing 148 bopd, 209 Mcfd, 147 bwpd, 20/64 inch choke, FTP 315 psi, API 42, GOR 1412:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 9989. Perforations 9909 to 9923. Acid 1700 gals. Formation tops: Yates 1838, Upper Spraberry 5960, Penn Shale 8195, Strawn Lime 9155, Fusselman 9907. Top of pay 9909.

MARTIN COUNTY

Spraberry (Trend Area)
Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co. No. 1 Anchor "B", 660 fsl, 660 fel, League 247, Hartley CSL, 4 nw Tarzan. Elev. 2650. TD 9800. PB 9535. Completed 2/11/87. Potentialed 3/6/87, pumping 40 bopd, 15 Mcfd, 105 bwpd, 38.9 API, GOR 375:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 9624. Perforations 7962 to 9464. Acid 5000 gals. 15 percent. Frac 180,000 gals. gel, 442,500 lbs. 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Upper Spraberry 7932, Lower Spraberry 8589, Dean 9265, Base Dean 9468. Top of pay 7962.

MIDLAND COUNTY

Hallanan
Tempo Energy, Inc. No. 1 Scharbauer, 1980 fsl, 1980 fel, sec 38, blk 41, T-1-S, T&P, 18 w Midland. Elev. 2951.5. TD 12,000. PB 11,140. Completed 2/11/87. Potentialed 2/26/87, pumping 22 bopd, gas TSTM, 4 bwpd, 41 API. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 11,181. Perforations 10,654 to 10,945. Acid 24,000 gals. Frac 20,000 gals. gel. Formation tops: Dean 9447, Wolfcamp 9584, Strawn 10,646, Atoka 11,076, Barnett 11,908. Top of pay 10,645.

Spraberry (Trend Area)
Mobil Producing TX & NM, Inc. No. 5 TXL "Q", 660 fnl, 1776 fel, sec 43, blk 37, T-4-S, T&P, 25 se Midland. TD 9500. PB 8880. Completed 2/11/87. Potentialed 3/3/87, pumping 61 bopd, 63 Mcfd, 33 bwpd, 38.4 API, GOR 1033:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 8733. Perforations 8539 to 8822. Acid 4500 gals. 15 percent HCL. Frac 214,000 gals. gel, 402,000 lbs. sand. Formation tops: Spraberry 7132, Dean 8516, Wolfcamp 8708. Top of pay 8539.

PECOS COUNTY

Abell East (Gloriata)
Don R. Ormand No. 1 Josie James, 467 fsl, 467 fwl, sec 24, blk 9, H&GN, 3 s Imperial. Elev. 2378 kb. TD 5810. PB 5280. Completed 12/19/86. Potentialed 2/19/87, cpot 450 Mcfd. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 5810. Perforations 3225 to 3680. Acid 4500 gals. 15 percent HCL. Formation tops: Gloriata 3186, Tubb 3858, Wichita Albany 4282, Simpson 5122, Lower McKee Sand 5290, Waddell 5734. Top of pay 3225.

STERLING COUNTY

Herrell East (Queen)
Marathon Oil Co. No. 110 Herrell East Queen Sand Unit, 2373 fsl, 1549.5 fel, sec 1, blk 31, T-5-S, T&P, 15 e Sterling City. Elev. 2666. TD 1735. PB 1689. Completed 2/2/87. Potentialed 3/3/87, pumping 5.5 bopd, 1 Mcfd, 3 bwpd, 31.9 API, GOR 182:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 1733. Perforations 1506 to 1610. Acid 5000 gals. 15 percent HCL. Formation tops: Anhydrite 931, Yates 1131, Seven Rivers 1233, Queen 1502. Top of pay 1506.

Marathon Oil Co. No. 111 Herrell East Queen Sand Unit, 955 fsl, 1556.5 fel, sec 1, blk 31, T-5-S, T&P, 15 e Sterling City. Elev. 2491. TD 1550. PB 1504. Completed 2/4/87. Potentialed 3/5/87, pumping 8 bopd, 1 Mcfd, 63 bwpd, 31.9 API, GOR 125:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 1548. Perforations 1360 to 1452. Acid 5000 gals. 15 percent HCL. Formation tops: Anhydrite 818, Yates 982, Seven Rivers 1070, Queen 1341. Top of pay 1360.

Marathon Oil Co. No. 216 Herrell East Queen Sand Unit, 1829 fsl, 333 fwl, sec 1, blk 31, T-5-S, T&P, 15 e Sterling City. Elev. 2604. TD 1693. PB 1609. Completed 2/4/87. Potentialed 3/6/87, pumping 13 bopd, 1 Mcfd, 40 bwpd, 31.9 API, GOR 77:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 1659. Perforations 1451 to 1552. Acid 5000 gals. 15 percent HCL. Formation tops: Anhydrite 880, Yates 1057, Seven Rivers 1182, Queen 1438. Top of pay 1451.

TRC DISTRICT 8A

BORDEN COUNTY

Hood (Spraberry)
BHP Petroleum (Americas), Inc. No. 1 Ralph, 660 fsl, 2725 fel, sec 5, L.V. Hood, 11 nw Gail. TD 8550. Pumping 117 bopd, 26 bwpd, 41 API, GOR 838:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 5472. Perforations 5252 to 5269.

GARZA COUNTY

H&L (Gloriata)
West Texas Petroleum No. 1 E Post-Montgomery, 330 fnl, 990 fel, sec 8, blk 4, K. Aycock, 7 ne Post. TD 3580. Pumping 21 bopd, 244 bwpd, 38.3 API, GOR TSTM. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 3550. Perforations 3282 to 3478.
West Texas Petroleum No. 2 E Post-Montgomery, 330 fnl, 990 fel, sec 8, blk 4, K. Aycock, 7 ne Post. TD 3570. Pumping 19 bopd, 263 bwpd, 38 API, GOR TSTM. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 3569. Perforations 3348 to 3506.

TRC DISTRICT 7C

CROCKETT COUNTY

Henderson (Canyon)
Conquest Exploration Co. No. 5-26 Jean Scheuber "A", 2400 fnl, 2400 fel, sec 26, blk KL, TCRR, Abst 3483, 10 se Ozona. CAOF 2.4 Mmcfd, 63.9 gravity condensate, Gas-Liquid 54,589:1. Perforations 7,748 to 7,862. Acid 3000 gals. Frac 120,00 gallons gel, 125,500 lbs. sand.

Todd Southwest (Lower San Andres)
C.F. Lawrence & Associates No. 1 Shannon, 1250 fsl, 990 fel, sec 8, blk A, ELARR, 18 e Iraan. Pumping 12 bopd, 4 bwpd, 34 API, GOR 500:1. Perforations 1955 to 2013. Acid 1500 gals.

TRC DISTRICT 8A

SCURRY COUNTY

Hermleigh (Canyon)
Mobil Producing TX & NM, Inc. No. 1 Hermleigh Ranch "C", 660 fsl, 1980 fel, sec 15, blk 7, H&GN, 17 se Pecos. PD 7500. Plugback as oil producer. SI gas well.

WINKLER COUNTY

Kermit
Horst & McKnight, Inc. No. 2 Walton-Exxon "48", 330 fsl, 990 fel, sec 48, blk 26, PSL, 2 sw Kermit. PD 3300.

TRC DISTRICT 8A

KENT COUNTY

Jayton East (Tannehill)
Klabzuba Operating Co. No. 1 Harrington, 1373 fsl, 2173 fel, sec 443, blk D, H&TC, 4 se Jayton. PD 4100.

KING COUNTY

Tumbleweed (Lower Tannehill)
Sun Exploration & Production Co. No. 1 Foster Trust Unit, 2114 fsl, 1 fel, sec 232, blk F, H&TC, 17.5 e Spur. PD 4050.

TRC DISTRICT 7C

RUNNELS COUNTY

King (Ellenburger)
John Sims NO. 2 Wilkerson, 2250 fsl, 467 fel, M.J. Parramore survey 18, 2 ne Crews. PD 5000. Reentry.

SCHLEICHER COUNTY

Nava West (Canyon)
SRG Oil Corp. No. 7 Berger, 1523 fsl, 2096 fel, sec 77, blk TT, TCRR, 12 s Eldorado. PD 6200.

NEW MEXICO

EDDY COUNTY

High Lonesome (Undesignated)
Rosewood Resources, Inc. No. 1 Rosewood "18" State, 1650 fsl, 330 fel, sec 18, T18s, R29e, 10.5 nw Loco Hills. PD 1750.

Shugart
Siete Oil & Gas Corp. No. 6 Blackhawk Federal, 2310 fsl, 1650 fel, sec 23, T18s, R31e, 9.5 sw Malaga. PD 4500.

Tamano (Undesignated)
Harvey E. Yates Co. No. 3 Hudson "11" Federal, 990 fnl, 1980 fel, sec 11, T18s, R31e, 7 sw Malaga. PD 9200.

LEA COUNTY

Saunders
Texaco, Inc. No. 10 New Mexico "BG" State NCT-1, 990 fsl, 1980 fel, sec 14, T14s, R33e, 18 nw Lovington. PD 10,100.

Vacuum
Don R. Ormand No. 1 Amoco State, 660 fsl, 1980 fel, sec 16, T17s, R34e, 6 nw Buckeye. PD 5000.

OIL & GAS DIGEST

Triton participates in Canadian oil discovery

DALLAS (SWN) — Triton Energy Corp. announced that its 70 percent owned Canadian subsidiary, Canadian Worldwide Energy Limited, has participated in a deep Winnipegosis reef oil discovery in Saskatchewan, Canada.

The Lasmo et al Tableland 4-36-2-10W2 well has been completed for production from two separate zones within the Winnipegosis formation. From the perforated interval between 8,531 to 8,548 feet, the well flowed without stimulation through a 17/64-inch choke at a stabilized rate of 367 barrels of 37 degree API gravity oil per day. From a shallower interval between 8,500 to 8,507 feet, the well tested at an average rate of 636 barrels of oil per day over four days through a 20/64-inch choke.

New geophysical data company announced

HOUSTON (SWN) — Patrick H. Poe, president, announced the formation of CogniSeis Development, Inc., a company supplying a broad range of geophysical data processing products on a worldwide basis. **The new company has acquired the Computer Systems Division (CSD) of Digicon, Inc., a Houston-based oil services company. All CSD employees, products and service functions will be retained by CogniSeis.**

By terms of the agreement, CogniSeis assumes title to all CSD computer software. This includes DISCO, the industry-standard geophysical data processing system which is currently available on computer systems from several manufacturers, including DEC, IBM, CONVEX, CDC, ELXSI, UNISYS and CRAY, and the DISCOVERY Exploration Database and Mapping System. In addition, advanced geophysical software developed with third parties is available through, and supported by, CogniSeis. In addition to the software, CogniSeis will provide computer maintenance, training and personnel for dedicated processing centers.

Samson Energy announces year-end results

TULSA (SWN) — Samson Energy Company Limited Partnership has reported its financial results for calendar year 1986 and the quarter ended December 31, 1986.

Revenues for 1986 were $10,255,000. During the same period in 1985, this figure totaled $16,663,000 (pro forma). Cash flow from operations was $6,137,000 ($3.01 per unit), compared to $9,315,000 ($4.56 per unit) for 1985. For 1986, cash distributions equaled $2.10 per unit and were funded from cash flow.

Lower revenues and cash flow for 1986 are the result of lower product prices and production volumes. Lower volumes were primarily the result of continued weakness in demand for natural gas. The net loss for the year ended December 31, 1986 was $14,144,000, compared to a net loss of $983,000 for 1985. The 1986 net loss was created by the $15,056,000 non-cash write-down of the carrying value of oil and gas properties which occurred in the first quarter of 1986 as a result of lower product prices.

Bogert Oil buys interest in Oklahoma wells

OKLAHOMA CITY (SWN) — Bogert Oil Co. has announced the consummation of its purchase of interests in approximately 200 wells located in Oklahoma. Also acquired in the purchase were seven medium-depth drilling rigs. The total purchase price of the drilling rigs and oil and gas properties was $4.5 million.

According to Richard D. Bogert, chairman, these properties have particular appeal because of their location within Bogert Oil's present scope of operations. "We will be able to incorporate the 150 operated wells within our field organization and begin work to enhance production immediately. We intend to dispose of the rigs by private sale or auction in the near future."

DEVELOPMENT

■ **THREE DEVELOPMENT WELLS PLANNED IN ECTOR.** Texaco, Inc. has applied to drill three wells in the Penwell field of Ector County. All three are in the Penwell Unit with proposed depths from 3,900 to 3,920 ft.

TRC DISTRICT 8

ANDREWS COUNTY

Midland Farms
Amoco Production Co. No. 695 Midland Farms Unit, 1500 fsl, 510 fel, sec 6, blk 42, T-1-N, GAMMBA, 15 se Andrews. PD 9350. Plugback.

HOWARD COUNTY

Howard Glasscock
Mobil Producing TX & NM, Inc. No. 37 Dora Roberts, 1200 fsl, 330 fwl, sadc 138, blk 29, WANW, 13 se Big Spring. PD 2000.
Mobil Producing TX & NM, Inc. No. 38 Dora Roberts, 1200 fsl, 2310 fwl, sec 138, blk 29, WANW, 13 se Big Spring. PD 2000.

MARTIN COUNTY

Clam (Devonian)
Tri-Service Drilling Co. No. 1 Lesley, 660 fsl, 1750 fwl, sec 48, blk 36, T-2-N, T&P, 11 se Lenorah. PD 11,800.

MIDLAND COUNTY

Spraberry (Trend Area)
Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co. No. 1 Bonnie, 1695 fsl, 1824 fel, sec 11, blk 39, T-2-S, T&P, 1 s Midland. PD 9450.

REEVES COUNTY

Worsham East (Cherry Canyon)
Mobil Producing TX & NM, Inc. No. 1 Gotenterek-Rudman "C", 660 fsl, 1980 fel, sec 15, blk 7, H&GN, 17 se Pecos. PD 7500. Plugback as oil producer. SI gas well.

WINKLER COUNTY

Kermit
Horst & McKnight, Inc. No. 2 Walton-Exxon "48", 330 fsl, 990 fel, sec 48, blk 26, PSL, 2 sw Kermit. PD 3300.

TRC DISTRICT 8A

KENT COUNTY

Jayton East (Tannehill)
Klabzuba Operating Co. No. 1 Harrington, 1373 fsl, 2173 fel, sec 443, blk D, H&TC, 4 se Jayton. PD 4100.

KING COUNTY

Tumbleweed (Lower Tannehill)
Sun Exploration & Production Co. No. 1 Foster Trust Unit, 2114 fsl, 1 fel, sec 232, blk F, H&TC, 17.5 e Spur. PD 4050.

TRC DISTRICT 7C

RUNNELS COUNTY

King (Ellenburger)
John Sims NO. 2 Wilkerson, 2250 fsl, 467 fel, M.J. Parramore survey 18, 2 ne Crews. PD 5000. Reentry.

SCHLEICHER COUNTY

Nava West (Canyon)
SRG Oil Corp. No. 7 Berger, 1523 fsl, 2096 fel, sec 77, blk TT, TCRR, 12 s Eldorado. PD 6200.

NEW MEXICO

EDDY COUNTY

High Lonesome (Undesignated)
Rosewood Resources, Inc. No. 1 Rosewood "18" State, 1650 fsl, 330 fel, sec 18, T18s, R29e, 10.5 nw Loco Hills. PD 1750.

Shugart
Siete Oil & Gas Corp. No. 6 Blackhawk Federal, 2310 fsl, 1650 fel, sec 23, T18s, R31e, 9.5 sw Malaga. PD 4500.

Tamano (Undesignated)
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Texaco, Inc. No. 10 New Mexico "BG" State NCT-1, 990 fsl, 1980 fel, sec 14, T14s, R33e, 18 nw Lovington. PD 10,100.

Vacuum
Don R. Ormand No. 1 Amoco State, 660 fsl, 1980 fel, sec 16, T17s, R34e, 6 nw Buckeye. PD 5000.

PLUGGED WELLS

TRC DISTRICT 8

CRANE COUNTY

Bayview East (San Andres)
Jade Petroleum No. 1 Campbell, 467 fsel, 467 fsel, sec 10, blk 6, H&TC, 11 s Crane. TD 2300. Plugged 2/19/87. Dry hole.

Sand Hills (Judkins)
Flag-Redfern Oil Co. No. 4 Connell Estate "B", 530 fsl, 1263 fel, sec 6, blk B-26, PSL, 16 nw Crane. TD 3414. Completed 10/10/58. Plugged 2/24/87. Oil well.

ECTOR COUNTY

Foster
Arco Oil & Gas Co. No. 145 North Foster Unit, 990 fnl, 6930 fel, sec 2, blk 43, T-2-S, T&P, 2 w Odessa. TD 4504. Completed 2/20/52. Plugged 2/2/87. Oil well.
Arco Oil & Gas Co. No. 149 North Foster Unit, 2310 fnl, 4290 fel, sec 2, blk 43, T-2-S, T&P, 2 w Odessa. TD 4300. Completed 9/7/51. Plugged 1/28/87.

Goldsmith
Arco Oil & Gas Co. No. 109 Goldsmith-Cummins San Andres Unit, 990 fsl, 6850 fel, sec 34, blk 45, T-1-N, T&P, 24 nw Odessa. TD 4248. Plugged 1/31/87. Oil well.

Arco Oil & Gas Co. No. 203 Goldsmith-Cummins San Andres Unit, 1711 fnl, 2930 fel, sec 24, blk 45, T-1-N, T&P, 24 nw Odessa. TD 4300. Completed 1/12/75. Plugged 1/20/87. Oil well.
Chevron U.S.A., Inc. No. 490 Goldsmith San Andres Unit, 1440 fnl, 1270 fel, sec 18, blk 44, T&P, 5 sw Gildsmith. TD 4292. Completed 3/16/48. Plugged 2/5/87. Oil well.
Arco Oil & Gas Co. No. 132 Goldsmith-Cummins San Andres Unit, 1700 fsl, 6980 fel, sec 35, blk 45, T-1-N, T&P, 24 nw Odessa. TD 4326. Plugged 1/24/87. Oil well.

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This afternoon's market report

NEW YORK (AP) —
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PE	Sales	Last	Chg.

A—A

AlaPr 12 1899 56½— ⅛
ARX s 14 574 11⅛+ ⅛
ASA 2e 1037 47⅝—1⅛
AZP 2.72 11 434 32½+ ⅛
AbtLb s.84 27 1046 61⅝— ⅛
AetnLf 2.76 11 1091 67⅛+ ⅛
AirPrd s.80 376 412 45½+ ⅛
AlaskAir .16 18 827 25⅛— ⅛
Alcan .60 17 8996 37⅛
AlcoStd 1.20 19 73 50¾+ ⅛
Alglnt 2177 24⅛+ ⅛
AlgPw 2.92 11 260 43⅝— ⅛
AldSgnl 1.80b 14 1142 47⅛— ⅛
AlliaCh 316 2⅜
Alcoa 1.20 496 43⅝+ ⅛
Amax 385 1470 19⅛+ ⅛
AmHes 1229 29⅝— ⅛
AmAgr 66 1 +1-16
ABrnd s2.08 16 448 46⅝— ⅛
AmCan s1.60 13 2977 47⅝— ⅛
ACyan 1.90 22 2096 96 +2
AEPw 2.26 11 934 29⅜
AmExp 1.44 14 3780 77⅝— ⅛
APaml s.22 12 535 14⅝— ⅛
AHome 3.34 18 1120 91⅛+ ⅛
Amrtc s5 11 1386 90⅜+ ⅛
AmGr s.25 15 720 75⅝+ ⅛
AmMot 4785 4⅜
AmStd 1.60 9 74 47¼+ ⅛
AmStor .84 18 110 69⅛— ⅛
AT&T 1.20 114 8447 23⅝— ⅛
Ametek 1 19 42 31⅝
Amoco 3.30 28 1078 78⅝+ ⅛
AMP .80 32 345 48⅝+ ⅛
Anacmp 71 2044 7⅛+ ⅛
Anchor 1.48 49 50 31
Anheu s.48 21 1400 36 — ⅛
Anthny s.44 32 5 14⅜
ArchD s.10b 13 3257 19⅝+ ⅛
Armco 229 7⅜— ⅛
ArmWl s.84 16 334 40⅝+ ⅛
Asarco 1041 20⅝+ ⅛
AshOil 1.80 12 342 66⅛
AtlRich 4 21 2568 72⅜— ⅛
AtlasCp 37 19 + ⅛
Augat .40 44 39 20⅜— ⅛
AVMC s.50 16 3 u41⅛+ ⅛
Avery .76 20 39 48⅝— ⅛
Avnet .50 51 40 33 + ⅛
Avon 2 14 539 30⅜— ⅛
Aydin 17 36 30⅜— ⅛

B—B

BkrInt .56e 13 946 16⅝— ⅛
BallyMf 20 24 1023 19⅝+ ⅛
BalnGE 1.60 10 980 32⅛+ ⅛
BncOne .84 12 339 27⅞— ⅛
BkNY s1.68 9 185 43 +1
BnkAm 2456 12⅝+ ⅛
Bausch .86 20 303 46⅛
BaxlTr .44 13 4031 25⅝+ ⅛
Becor 20 116 15 — ⅛
Beker 134 15-32
BeINet .52 14 337 44 — ⅛
BellAtl s3.60 12 1556 70⅝+ ⅛
BellSo s2.20 12 2491 40⅛+ ⅛
BenfCp 2 802 60⅜— ⅛
BengIB 23 94 5⅝— ⅛
BestPd 93 9⅝
BethSt 564 7⅛
Bevrly s.20 22 1136 17⅝— ⅛
BlackD .40 40 1070 19⅛+ ⅛
BlkHR 1.46 26 154 53⅜— ⅛
Boeing 1.40 12 1961 52⅝
BoiseC 1.90 24 335 79 — ⅛
Borden s1.12 19 656 57⅛— ⅛
BorgWe 1 18 557 41⅝— ⅛
BosEd s1.76 10 64 25⅝— ⅛
BristM 2.60 24 936 99⅛+ ⅛
BritPt 2.40e 18 1464 52⅛— ⅛
Brnswk .60 16 883 42⅝—1⅛
Burlind 1.64 23 657 47¼+ ⅛
BrtWth 2 17 982 67⅛+ ⅛

C—C

CBS 3 21 171 158½—2
CXONA 2.80 10 538 64⅛— ⅛
CNW 11 193 25⅛— ⅛
CPC s1.24 21 1735 48⅝+ ⅛
CRSS .34 16 22 17⅝— ⅛
CSX 1.16 12 953 33⅜— ⅛
Caesar 17 8441 28⅝+ ⅛
CRLk g.40 586 24⅝
CamSp 1.44 19 704 66
CapCits .20 30 86 334⅝—1⅛
Carlog g.48 9 13⅜
CarPw 2.76 10 175 39⅝+ ⅛
CartHw 1.22 38 186 56 — ⅛
CastlCk 39 606 22 — ⅛
Caterp .50 60 477 46⅝— ⅛
CentE n2.56 7 1542 22⅜
CenSoW 2.26 9 358 34⅝+ ⅛
CnlPS 1.68 13 47 25⅝— ⅛
CentrCp 45 208 5⅝
Crt-Ised .90 13 75 38⅝+ ⅛
Chmpln .64 18 1493 38⅜— ⅛
ChamSp 857 13⅜— ⅛
ChrtC 736 6⅝+ ⅛
Cht wt 73 9-16+1-16
Chase 2.16 8 1663 38½+ ⅛
Chevrn 2.40 25 2967 52 — ⅛
ChrisC s 39 117 26⅝
Chrys s1.50 6 1686 53⅜— ⅛
CircK s.28 16 1227 15⅝— ⅛
CirCty s.08 35 104 40⅝— ⅛
Citicrp 2.46 7 6628 51⅝—1
ClarkE 808 u26 + ⅛
Clorox 1.52 18 266 59⅝+ ⅛
Coastal .40 37 142 46 — ⅛
CocaCl s1.12 20 3879 47⅝— ⅛
Coleco 441 11⅜— ⅛
ColgPal 1.36 19 835 46⅝+ ⅛
Colt s 21 574 14 — ⅛
ColGas 3.16 25 249 52⅞
CmbEn 1 25 148 39⅝+ ⅛
Comdre 2327 11⅝— ⅛
CmwE 3 8 410 36⅝
Comsat 1.20 11 60 34⅛— ⅛
ConaEd 2.96 11 415 45 + ⅛
ConNG s1.50 18 177 38⅝+ ⅛
ConStor s 38 160 10⅝
ConsPw 20 3040 u19 +1⅛
Contel 1.68 11 301 33⅜— ⅛
ContCp 2.60 7 627 51⅝— ⅛
CtiData 534 28⅝— ⅛
Cooper 1.68 18 476 54⅝— ⅛
CoreSt 1.40 17 692 63⅝+1

CrwnCk 16 33 123 — ⅛
CumEn 2.20 20 62 — ⅛
CurtW 1.60 14 49 60⅜— ⅛

D—D

DPL 2 9 898 27⅛— ⅛
DanaCp 1.36 24 1020 40½+ ⅛
DataGn 122 839 35⅝
Day Intl .40 49 193 32½+ ⅛
DaytHd .92 16 1370 45⅝
Deere .25 1110 28⅝— ⅛
DeltaAr 1 13 4780 59⅝—1⅝
DetEd 1.68 7 1000 17⅛+ ⅛
DiamS .40 72 14⅝
DiaS wd 1 14⅜— ⅛
Digital s 25 1951 165 —1⅛
Disney .32 27 1100 59⅜— ⅛
DomRs 2.96 11 462 44⅛+ ⅛
DowCh 2 21 3483 80⅝— ⅛
DowJn s.64 28 236 53⅜— ⅛
Dresr .40 225 643 27
duPont 3.20 17 2413 108⅝— ⅛
DukeP 2.68 12 836 46⅛— ⅛
DuqLt 1.20 7 656 12⅝+ ⅛

E—E

ERC 197 779 15⅝+1⅛
EastGF 1.20 13 482 26⅝— ⅛
EKodk 2.52 46 10881 75⅝+1⅛
Eaton 1.60 19 24 81⅝— ⅛
Echlin .50 20 1140 22⅝— ⅛
EmraEl 2.86 16 457 104⅝— ⅛
Enron 2.48 212 331 44⅛— ⅛
Enrech .80b 126 492 21⅝— ⅛
Ethyl s.40 21 2228 u29⅝+ ⅛
Exxon 3.60 11 3992 83⅜— ⅛

F—F

FMC 19 59 31⅝+ ⅛
FPL Gp 2.04 11 596 32⅛— ⅛
Fairchd 20 13 107 13⅜+ ⅛
Fairld 49 6 — ⅛
Feders .20b 18 51 8⅛+ ⅛
FedNM .32 18 929 45⅛+ ⅛
FedDSt 2.68 16 452 93⅝+ ⅛
FinCpA 4 193 9⅛— ⅛
FstSBar 4 18 13⅜
Firestn 1 34 702 35⅝+ ⅛
FtBkS s1.50 10 127 35⅝+ ⅛
FCapHd 22 494 22⅝— ⅛
FstChic 1.50 7 456 31⅝
Flntste 2.66 8 1024 56⅝— ⅛
FstFa 358 2519 10⅝+ ⅛
FtWach 1.20 13 70 46⅛— ⅛
FleetEn .52 18 27 29⅝— ⅛
FlightSf .20 20 250 27 + ⅛
FlaPrg 2.40 11 246 39⅛— ⅛
FlerGn 60 103 7⅝+ ⅛
Fluor 1516 14⅝
FordM s2.60 7 2709 60⅝—1
FrptMc 2e 64 285 24⅝

G—G

GAF s.10 20 1590 43⅞— ⅛
GTE s2.44 12 3152 41⅝+ ⅛
Gannett s.92 27 1033 46⅝— ⅛
GnCorp 1.50 15 376 u87 +1
GnDyn 1 209 76⅝+ ⅛
GenEl 2.52 19 5692 105⅝— ⅛
GnMotors .24 27 33 11⅛
Gelnst .25 53 777 26½— ⅛
GnMill s1.20g 22 3487 64 + ⅛
GMot 5f 9 2630 77⅝— ⅛
GM E .52 16 673 37⅝— ⅛
GPU 8 419 28⅝+ ⅛
GnSignl 1.80 19 102 49⅝+ ⅛
Genesco 6 53 4⅝+ ⅛
GaPac 1 22 1500 49⅝— ⅛
GarbPd 1.32 24 180 44
GibrFe .22e 4 383 12⅜
Gillet s1.52 21 703 59⅝+ ⅛
GldNug 99 1424 11⅝— ⅛
Gdrich 1.56 123 44 56½— ⅛
Goodyr 1.60 46 962 53⅜— ⅛
Gould 666 17⅝+ ⅛
Grace 2.80 20 1074 60⅜— ⅛
GtAtPc .40 14 161 31⅝— ⅛
GtNtHk 1.72 26 366 89⅝— ⅛
GtWFin 1.20 9 314 54⅝+ ⅛
Greyh 1.32 9 300 35⅝— ⅛
Grumn 1 13 147 29⅝— ⅛
GtWat 1.20 19 262 60⅝— ⅛
GtStUt 6 883 9¼

H—H

Halbtn 1 1829 32⅝— ⅛
Harind s.42 26 138 29⅜— ⅛
HrsHse .80 33 2271 50⅝+ ⅛
Harris .88 22 693 36⅝— ⅛
Hecks 4482 6⅝+ ⅛
HeclaM 1432 13⅜+ ⅛
Heilmn .52e 15 92 27⅝+ ⅛
Heinz 1.12 20 496 48⅝
Herculs 1.76 15 1590 60⅜— ⅛
Hrshy s.64 19 766 27⅝+ ⅛
HewlPk .22 28 10069 67⅝+2⅜
Holiday 20 554 81⅝— ⅛
Holidy wi 406 18⅝+ ⅛
HollyS 1 22 18 104½+1⅝
Hnstke .20 63 1124 28⅝— ⅛
Honwell 2 1448 69⅝— ⅛
HCA .72 17 755 35⅝— ⅛
Hotlin s2 72 25 + ⅛
Housint 1.80 11 257 58⅝+ ⅛
Houlnd 2.80 10 218 38⅝
HughTl .08 1002 12⅝— ⅛
Human 76 58 1555 22½— ⅛

I—I

ICI Ind s.80 456 30½+ ⅛
IRT s1.28a 18 2 19⅜— ⅛
ITT Cp 1 18 1156 64½+ ⅛
IU Int .60 10 626 17
IdahoP 1.80 14 548 27⅝— ⅛
IdealB 243 3 + ⅛
IlPowr 2.84 7 495 28⅝— ⅛
ITW .80 23 175 u72⅛+ ⅛
ImpCh 2.74e 16 678 84⅜— ⅛
ICA 5 283 19⅝+ ⅛
INCO .20 5142 15⅝+ ⅛
IngerR 2.60 16 196 77⅝—1
InldStl 36j 131 23⅜— ⅛
IntrfaI 219 4⅞
Intlck s1.30 16 51 42⅝+ ⅛
IBM 4.40 19 9381 146⅝+1⅛
IntPap 1.24 20 354 45⅝+ ⅛
IntMin 1 1072 32⅜— ⅛
IntPapr 2.40 17 1781 97 —1
Ipalco s1.56 13 223 25⅝— ⅛

J—J

JRiver s.40 22 1722 42⅜— ⅛
Jewlcr s 5 50 13⅝+ ⅛
JohnJn 1.40 49 2397 90½+ ⅛
Jostn s.48 24 41 23½— ⅛
JoyMfg 1.36e 3 33⅝— ⅛

K—K

K mart 1.48 27 5077 62⅝+1⅛
KaiserAl .16j 58 16⅝+ ⅛
Kanab 117 2⅛
KanGE 1.36 17 2106 23⅝+ ⅛
KanPLt 3.30 11 119 53⅝— ⅛
Katyln 21 32 15⅛
KaufB s.33 18 806 26⅝— ⅛
Kellog 1.08 24 463 61 —1⅛
KerrMc 1.10 1239 32⅝+ ⅛
KimbCl 2.88 19 262 113½— ⅛
KnghtRd 1 23 560 56
Kopers .80 16 409 34⅛— ⅛
Kraft 1.72 20 907 60
Kroger s1.05 84 851 35⅛— ⅛

L—L

LTV 662 2⅛
LearPt 58 5⅝— ⅛
LeaRsi s.48 22 39 21½— ⅛
LeaEnt .80 22 58 27 — ⅛
Lehmn 2.66e 139 16⅛— ⅛
Lilly s2 24 1595 95⅛— ⅛
LincNt 2.16a 8 221 50 — ⅛
Litton 46 80 83 — ⅛
Lockhd 1 8 1208 50⅝— ⅛
Loews 1 11 993 73⅜—1⅛
LnStar 1.90 6 856 39⅝—1
LilCo 5 995 11 — ⅛
LaLand 1 95 378 36
LaPac .80b 21 651 37¼+ ⅛
LuckyS .70e 7 2092 30⅝— ⅛
Lukens .48a 12 12 20⅝+ ⅛

M—M

MCA .88 24 807 48
MDU s1.42 13 30 25⅛+ ⅛
Macmil .72 23 275 57¼—1⅛
Manvl 1 139 2⅜
MAPCO 1 17 112 61⅜— ⅛
MarMid 2.04 7 47 51
Mariot s.16 29 1246 40 — ⅛
MartM 1 13 709 47⅛+ ⅛
Masco s.36 26 450 38⅝+ ⅛
Maxam 92 11 —
MayDS s1.04 20 3955 48⅛+ ⅛
Maytag 1.60a 21 943 55⅝— ⅛
McDerl 1.80 6 1285 26
McDnl s.66 21 1224 77⅝— ⅛
McDnD 2.32 11 121 79⅝— ⅛
McGrH 1.68 24 505 71⅝+ ⅛
McKee s1.28 17 265 30 + ⅛
Mead 1.32 20 873 69⅝+ ⅛
Mellon 2.76 9 680 58⅝+ ⅛
Melvin 1.76 16 258 71⅛— ⅛
MercSt 1.50 15 41 100⅜
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MerLyn .80 9 3735 41⅝
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Cetrix Minerals	22¾	23¾
Cetrix Semiconductr	12¾	13¼
Cetrix Shopfloor	5¾	6
Data Shelling	4¾	5
Fiore, Inc	¾	1
Forest Oil Corp	19¾	20¼
Midland Oil Corp	⅜	⅝
Mineral Development	¾	1¼
Network Security	1¾	2
Oceaneering Int	7¾	8
Premier Petroleum	¾	1
Service Mktg	2¾	3
Templeton Energy	7¾	8
Tom Brown, Inc	7¾	8
Tucker Drilling	4¾	5
U.S. Gas	2¾	3
Vest Fuels	2¾	3
Wellcom Gas	2¾	3
Western Gas Lands	4¾	5
Exploration Co	¾	1

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MUTUAL FUNDS

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TCU wins, Aggies lose in opening salvo

Sport Briefs

Parrish joins Phillies today

TAMPA, Fla. (AP) — The Philadelphia Phillies and the MJBPA reached an agreement that allows free-agent catcher Lance Parrish to join the team in spring training today. President Bill Giles, after an 8¼-hour negotiating session, announced that Parrish had agreed to a one-year contract worth $800,000, plus $200,000 if he does not experience any problem from a chronic back ailment.

Giles said the contract included financial incentives for Parrish if he makes the All-Star team or wins the NL's MVP.

FIGURE SKATING

Skating

CINCINNATI — Canada's Brian Orser vaulted out of his runner-up rut by winning the men's title at the World Figure Skating Championships. The 25-year-old Orser, second in the last three WC's, hit six of his seven triple jumps as he took the long program. That performance lifted him from third place to the title. The victory was assured when defending champion Brian Boitano of Sunnyvale, Calif., had a bad turn-in during a combination jump also fell on his attempt at a quadruple jump.

Tennis

MARCO ISLAND, Fla. — Defending champions Martina Navratilova and Andrea Temesvari were upset by Lori McNeil and Bettina Bunge 1-6, 6-0, 6-3 in the opening round of the Women's Team Championship.

Chris Evert-Lloyd-Wendy Turnbull defeated Anne Smith-Gigi Fernandez of San Juan, Puerto Rico, 3-6, 7-6, (7-5), 6-4 while Elizabeth Smylie and Catherine Tanvier defeated Zina Garrison and Kathy Rinaldi 4-6, 7-6 (8-6), 7-6 (7-4).

Golf

ORLANDO, Fla. — Longshot Brad Faxon played a bogey-free round of 5-under-par 66 and took a one-shot lead in the first round of the Bay Hill Classic. Steve Pate had a share of the lead until he three-putted for a bogey on the 18th hole and dropped one back at 67. He was tied at 4 under par with David Frost.

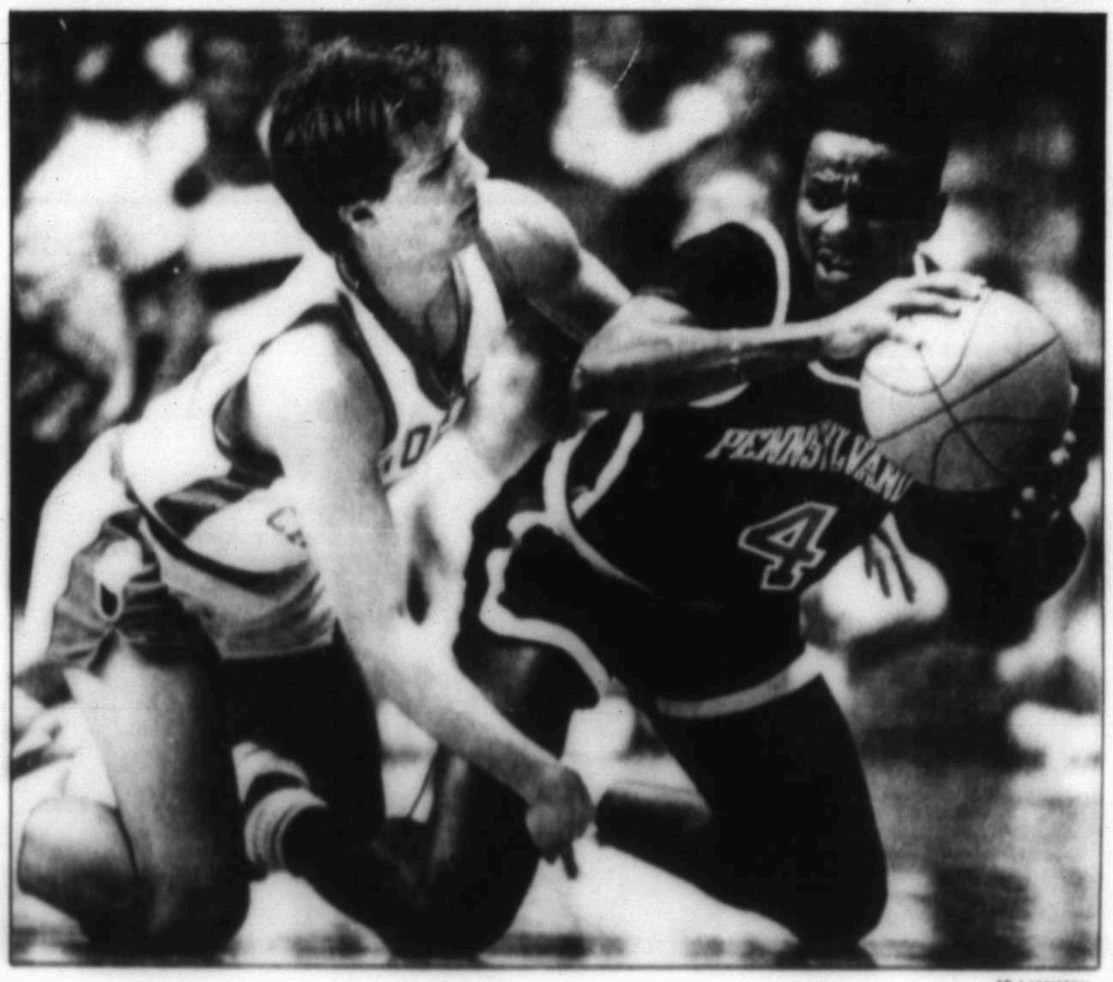
Tom Kite, a former winner of this title, Brad Bryant and Scott Simpson were two off the pace at 68.

Bowling

OVERLAND PARK, Kan. — Jimmie Pritts Jr. won six of his eight match games in the fourth round and maintained an 80-pin lead in the King Louie Open. Pritts, the leader since the second round, got off to a slow start and fell to third place behind Pete Weber and Del Ballard Jr.

Auto Racing

HAMPTON, Ga. — Bill Venturini, driving a Chevrolet, set a track qualifying record for ARCA late model stock cars, winning the pole position for Saturday's Kroger 500 at Atlanta International Raceway. Venturini turned a fast lap averaging 170.532 mph on the 1.522-mile oval. He was one of four drivers who broke Venturini's mark of 168.115, which he set last November.



AP Laserphoto

Penn's Perry Bromwell is chased by North Carolina's Jeff Lebo in NCAA action.

SFA, Cleveland advance in NIT

AUSTIN (AP) — Dallas Hillcrest, an upset winner over Bay City, and Cleburne, which rallied to beat Kerrville Tivy, will meet Saturday for the boys Class 4A boys basketball title.

Hillcrest, despite not scoring a field goal in the final 7:52, held on for a 54-51 Thursday win over Bay City. Cleburne's comeback culminated in a 45-42 Thursday semifinal win over Tivy.

Thursday's other semifinal winners were Paducah and Bronte in Class A and Hughes Springs and Sweeny in 3A. All finals are Saturday.

Hillcrest, 23-10, was led by 14 points each from Quintin Washington and Patrick Williams. Bay City, 31-5, was paced by Louisville-bound LaBradford Smith, who had 21.

Bay City trailed 35-28 at the half and Hillcrest stretched its lead to 13 in the third quarter. Bay City's final spurt was ignited by a reverse, over-the-head dunk by the 6-4 Smith.

His 20-foot jumper with 18 seconds to play cut Hillcrest's lead to 52-51. But Washington hit two free throws with 14 seconds to go to cap the upset win.

Cleburne sealed its win when Justin Traweek picked off a pass and hit a lay-up with 50 seconds to play.

Tivy led 41-28 with 5:56 to play before Cleburne ran off a 17-1 closing run. Cleburne never led until Traweek dribbled in for the winning lay-up after intercepting a Tivy pass near half-court.

Lee Troy led Cleburne with 11 points. Tivy's Scott Delaney had 20.

In Thursday's 3A semifinals, unbeaten Hughes Springs, led by Eddie Jones' 22 points, whipped Dimmitt 59-29. The 35-0 Mustangs will play Sweeny, a 46-30 Thursday winner over Gonzales, for the title.

Thursday's Class A semifinal winners were Paducah, 74-59 over Livingston; Big Sandy, and Bronte, which beat Ayinger 61-57.

Hughes Springs overcame its first-half impatience to turn its game into a rout. The Mustangs, who led 8-5 after the first quarter, put the game away by outscoring Dimmitt 25-6 in the fourth quarter.

Dimmitt, 25-12, hit only 11 of 53 field goal attempts. The Bobcats were led by James Alexander's 12 points. In addition to his 22 points, the 6-4 Jones collected 12 rebounds for Hughes Springs.

Sweeny, 33-2, battered Gonzales early, building a 21-5 halftime lead as Gonzales hit only two of 26 field goals in the half.

Avery Helm led Sweeny with 16 points. Gonzales' Ricky Wilson was the game's top scorer with 17. Gonzales finished the season 32-4.

Paducah, 32-2, led all the way in its Class A win over Big Sandy as the Dragons hit 62 percent of their field goal tries, paced by 10 of 12 shooting and 22 points from 6-6 junior post man Will Flemons.

The hefty Flemons benefitted from crisp Paducah passing that set him up inside for easy shots.

Big Sandy, 33-5, was led by senior forward Kevin Foster's 16 points. Junior forward Joel Williams added 13.

Hillcrest, Tivy in 4A finals

Associated Press

One team that was snubbed by the NCAA and another that was almost snubbed by the National Invitation Tournament are both making it hard for others to ignore them.

Cleveland State, ignored by the NCAA playoff selection committee, got off to an auspicious start in the NIT with a 92-73 victory over Tennessee-Chattanooga Thursday night.

In another first-round game, Stephen F. Austin — which squeezed into the tournament at the last minute only because Louisville decided to stay home — defeated James Madison 70-63.

"I still don't understand why we were overlooked by the NCAA selection committee," Cleveland State Coach Kevin Mackey said. "We advanced to the final 16 last season and won 24 games this year. You would think that would be enough for a bid.

"Right now, we're just happy there's one tournament around that still wants us. We're going to give everything we've got to go to New York and win the NIT."

In other action in the far-flung tourney Thursday night, it was La Salle 86, Villanova 84; Florida State 107, Rhode Island 92; Arkansas-Little Rock 42, Baylor 41; Illinois State 79, Akron 72; and Vanderbilt 74, Jacksonville 72.

Cleveland State 92, Tennessee-Chattanooga 73

Ken McFadden scored 21 points to pace visiting Cleveland State over Tennessee-Chattanooga. The Vikings, 25-7, of the Association of Mid-Continent Universities, grabbed the lead in the first 14 seconds and never let go.

Stephen F. Austin 70, James Madison 63

Clarence King scored 19 points to lead Stephen F. Austin over visiting James Madison. The Lumberjacks extended their winning streak to 12 and improved their season record to 22-7.

La Salle 86, Villanova 84

Lionel Simmons scored 21 points, including a running jumper at the buzzer, to boost visiting La Salle over Villanova, the 1985 NCAA champion.

Florida State 107, Rhode Island 92

Randy Allen had 23 points and 11 rebounds and Pee Wee Barber scored 22 to lead Florida State over Rhode Island. It was the fourth time in the last five games that Florida State, 19-10, went past the century mark in scoring.

Arkansas-Little Rock 42, Baylor 41

James Dawn made two free throws after time had expired to boost Arkansas-Little Rock over Baylor.

Darryl Middleton had put Baylor on top 41-40 when he made one of two free throws with 24 seconds remaining. But Dawn was fouled as time ran out and calmly hit the free throws that won it for the Trojans.

Illinois State 79, Akron 72

Tony Holifield scored 23 points to lead Illinois State over Akron. Holifield scored 15 of his points in the second half to help Illinois stem an Akron comeback.

Vanderbilt 74, Jacksonville 72

Barry Booker keyed an 18-4 Vanderbilt run at the start of the second half with three 3-point baskets and the Commodores held on to beat Jacksonville.

Peay, Xavier in stunners

Associated Press

East Regional

TCU, 24-6, moved into Saturday's second round behind a 30-point effort of Carven Holcombe, who overcame the effects of a bout with the flu. "He told me in the dressing room after the game that he was very weak from the flu," TCU Coach Jim Killingsworth said. "I had no idea he was sick." Neither did Marshall, the Southern Conference champion which finished 25-6 after extending its NCAA winless skein to 0-5.

Notre Dame, 23-7 after winning its 10th straight, moves in against TCU after David Rivers and Donald Royal saved the Irish against Middle Tennessee, 22-7. Leading only 61-59 with six minutes left, Notre Dame got six points from Rivers and three from Royal to lead 70-61. Rivers scored 27 points, Royal 24.

North Carolina, 30-3, was expected to spend 40 minutes gleefully thumping a Penn team that finished 13-14. Penn hung close for a half, but got 40 minutes worth of beating in the second half. The Tar Heels, leading only 55-53 at the break, outscored the Quakers 24-6 to open a 78-59 cushion and the romp was on. Joe Wolf led six double-figure scorers with 25 points.

Even with his shortened Navy commitment, it could be two more years before David Robinson plays another game of basketball. It may be a lifetime before he plays one as well as his final collegiate outing.

The 7-foot-1 Navy senior shredded Michigan for 50 points. But the Big 10 Wolverines, aided by a more balanced attack, beat the Midshipmen 97-82 in an NCAA East Regional basketball game to set up a second-round game Saturday against No. 2 North Carolina.

Garde Thompson was brilliant in scoring 33 points for Michigan, but his performance was virtually ignored because of Robinson.

North Carolina, ranked second nationally and seeded first in the East, advanced to face Michigan after ripping Penn 113-82 with a blistering second-half performance.

Duke eliminates Aggies

INDIANAPOLIS — Winning is the only similarity Duke Coach Mike Krzyzewski sees between his 1986 NCAA runner-up squad and the Blue Devil team he has brought to the second round of the 1987 tournament.

Duke, 23-8, defeated Texas A&M 58-51 Thursday and faces Xavier of Ohio in second-round play in the Midwest Regional at the Hoosier Dome on Saturday. Xavier used a 29-point performance by junior guard Byron Larkin to upset No. 14 Missouri 70-69 in the opening game Thursday.

No. 3 Indiana and Auburn meet in Saturday's opening game. Indiana, cheered on by the majority of the 29,610 fans, the largest first-round attendance in NCAA history, overpowered Fairfield 92-58 in the final game of a Thursday doubleheader that drew 55,172. Auburn edged San Diego 62-61 in the opening evening game when Paul Leonard was called for a double dribble with one second to play while driving for the potential winning basket.

Duke overcame a series of physical problems to advance.

Krzyzewski said sophomore guard Quin Snyder become nauseous before the game and had a temperature of 100 degrees. Sophomore forward Danny Ferry suffered a hip injury in the first half and, although he returned, Krzyzewski said his availablity for Saturday was uncertain. And junior guard Kevin Strickland scored a game-high 20 points despite having his right shoulder pop out of joint in the first half.

In the opener, Larkin's 3-point shot gave Xavier the lead for good at 48-45 and his two free throws with 31 seconds to go gave the Musketeers a 70-66 lead. Lynn Hardy, who topped Missouri with 21 points, made a 3-pointer with 13 seconds remaining but Xavier was able to dribble away the remaining time with Missouri failing to foul to stop the clock.

Xavier's first-ever NCAA triumph gave the Musketeers a 19-12 mark. Missouri, which had a nine-game winning streak broken, fell to 23-10.

Texas A&M, playing in the tournament for the first time since 1980, finished 17-14. Winston Crite was high for the Aggies with 13 points.

Wyoming shocks Virginia

SALT LAKE CITY — The Wyoming Cowboys say they're happy about their victory over Virginia. But the victim they really want is UCLA.

The Cowboys earned a shot at the 15th-ranked Bruins Thursday night when they edged Virginia 64-60 in the first round of the NCAA basketball tournament.

UCLA moved into Saturday's second round by downing Central Michigan 92-73, giving the Bruins' their first NCAA tournament victory since 1980.

Even though his club was an underdog against Virginia, Wyoming guard Sean Dent suggested his team was guilty of looking past the Cavaliers.

Top-ranked Nevada-Las Vegas easily advanced with a 95-70 romp over Idaho State. The Runnin' Rebels will face Kansas State, an 82-79 victor in overtime over Georgia.

It seemed like the entire population of Wyoming was in the Special Events Center at the University of Utah Thursday night.

Virginia Coach Terry Holland said the noisy crowd wasn't a factor in the game. But the officials and Wyoming center Eric Leckner were, he said.

"We certainly didn't get very many breaks out there," Holland said. "I really don't think they (the officials) worked as hard as our players did. ... I can't say very many good things about them."

The Cavaliers also had big trouble with Wyoming's big players, specifically the 6-foot-11 Leckner, who scored 22 points.

Austin Peay sidelines Illini

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. — Austin Peay Coach Lake Kelly was ready to take on the world after his team's upset victory over Illinois. "If we had to play the Lakers and the Celtics combined Saturday night, it wouldn't make any difference. We're going after them and play them the same way," he said.

And how's that? "Sic 'em," he said.

The Governors beat 11th-ranked Illinois 68-67 on two free throws by Tony Raye with two seconds left in the game.

And as it turned out, Saturday's opponent is Providence, the long-range gunners who blew away Alabama-Birmingham 90-68 in the nightcap of the four-game opening round of the NCAA Southeast Regional.

Billy Donovan had 35 points for Providence, including 6-of-9 attempts from 3-point range, the most points any individual ever scored against the Blazers. He also had a career-high 12 assists.

"There are three people in New England who know who Austin Peay is, and I'm one of them," said Providence associate coach Gordon Chiesa.

It was the first trip to the NCAA playoffs for the Governors in 14 years and their first victory in the tournament since 1972.

Delray Brooks had 16 points for Providence and was 3-for-5 from 3-point range. Abdul Shamsid-Deen had 12 points on the inside, and David Kipfer had 10.

Eddie Collins had 17 points to lead Alabama-Birmingham. Dylan Howard had 13 and James Ponder 12.

TED BATTLES

Two down and only five to go?

Battles

Let's see. Mike Tyson now has won two world heavyweight championships, which leaves, how many to go, four, five? Whatever, once he gets 'em, the title is all his. Then, like John L., he can stand up on any bar and announce "I can lick any man in the house."

Tyson added the latest segement of the splintered title to his trophy case with a 12-round decision over James "Bonecrusher" Smith, a victory that did little for his image, at least not for those of us who looked to him to take "Joe Louis" charge of the decaying, decrepit, arthritic division.

You didn't even need to see the guy to tell this one to recognize this was not Dempsey-Firpo, Louis-Conn, Ali-Frazier or even Carnera-Baer.

All it took was a perusal of the round-by-round account that came over the wire last Saturday night.

Typical. "Tyson threw a right at 1:30 of the round. Smith ducked at 1:30 and countered with a breeze creating left hook at 1:35. At 2:00, the band struck up a Viennese waltz and Bonecrusher bowed and said, 'May I?'

"At 2:30, the referee tapped Smith on the shoulder and informed, 'I'm cutting in.' Smith countered with a 'Get lost, hunter.'

"At 2:39 Tyson stepped on Smith's foot. Angered at Tyson's clumsiness, Tyson shoved Mike as the bell sounded. Tyson retaliated by pushing a fist in Smith's face. The ref jumped in, separated the two, before a fight broke out."

Embellished slightly, perhaps, but it was the closest the two came to blows all night. Tyson got the decision, of course. He was clearly the Astaire of the two.

ERIC SCHUER is a devious schemer. He tried to egg me into picking my Final Four two weeks ago, before the invitations were even issued the by NCAA. I notice he waited until Wednesday before venturing his opinion.

If I had picked my Final Four when Eric wanted me to, I'd have wound up with egg on my face. As a matter of fact, the University of Vermont wasn't even invited, although it finished in Sports Illustrated's final week top 20 rankings.

Never mind the Catamounts' 5-22 record, all of New England is steamed over the snub, and who can blame them. This is a team that twice beat Colgate and finished the season with a 20-25 point win over Maine, which was ranked pretty high in Baseball America's Preseason ratings.

As a champion of the underdogs, admittedly the heart sometimes rules some choices.

Looking over the teams, I can't see Cleveland State, one of last year's Cinderellas teams, going very far this year. In fact, I can't see Cleveland State any where in the pairings.

Someone wanted to know who was going to stop Texas A&M and Houston...their next opponents?

From the East, Northeastern and Penn probably will grapple for the right to go to New Orleans and in the Southeast, Bucknell is a good bet to square off against the New Orleans-Austin Peay winner. In the Midwest, Xavier, with the big one behind it, has a lock on things while you've got to like Marist in the West.

Get those teams in the Final Four and maybe TV will return sanity to the post-season playoffs by ordering the cumbersom 64-team field reduced to eight, 16 major college regular season champions, all with recognizable names.

(Ted Battles is sports editor of the Reporter-Telegram)

SportSean

Sports TV....

BASKETBALL— NCAA tournament games 1 p.m., 3:30 p.m., 6 p.m., 8:30 p.m., ESN.

NCAA tournament game, 10:30 p.m., CBS.

(Subject to Change)

Sports Today...

TRACK — West Texas Relays, 2:30 p.m., Odessa's Ratliff Stadium.

Saturday

TRACK — West Texas Relays, 11:30 a.m., Odessa's Ratliff Stadium.

BASEBALL — MHS, Lee in Abilene tournament.

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Gordon Yardy, *"The made who invented the lifesaver really made a mint."*

Trivia Teaser...

Friday's Question: What batting record does Wilbur Wood hold?

Thursday's Answer: Dean Stone came into the 1954 All-Star game in the last of the eighth and Red Schoendienst was thrown out trying to steal to retire the side. The American League rallied to go ahead, but Stone did not return to start the ninth.

Sport Takes...

Through the 1986 season, pitcher Tom Seaver started 16 opening-day games, a big league record.

Krukow one happy cowboy after x-rays prove negative

SCOTTSDALE, Ariz. (AP) — Mike Krukow, the former Midland Cub, proclaimed himself "one happy cowboy" when X-rays of his right foot proved negative.

Roger Craig, whose San Francisco Giants' pitching staff is anchored by the 20-game winner, was one happy manager. No other starter on last year's third-place team won more than 10 games.

"That was scary," Craig admitted after Krukow was injured Wednesday, struck on the foot by a line drive while pitching in a "B" game against the California Angels.

"I had visions there for a minute — broken foot, out six weeks. I was mad," Krukow said.

"But 12 rookies are mad that it's not broken," the veteran right-hander added with a wink as a young pitcher walked by him in the Giants' spring training clubhouse.

"On the bright side, I felt a lot better than the other day. I had good rhythm, a much better fastball," Krukow said.

"Spring training is when I try to put the puzzle together, put myself together before the bell rings," he added. "I don't have any reason why I come down here and get kicked around most years."

In his first spring training appearance, last Friday, Krukow opened with two shutout innings but then threw two home run pitches to Milwaukee batters in a six-run third.

He was planning to pitch four or five innings Wednesday but faced only five batters. He got the first four out, two on strikeouts, then threw the fastball which rookie Billie Merrifield lined to the mound.

"I'm used to these kind of things. They're occupational hazards," Krukow said. "Warren Cromartie hit me on the leg once. Mike Lum got me on the arm.

"Garry Templeton hit me right on the forehead and I had vision problems for three years."

Through the hazards, including bruised ribs suffered during a Giants-Cardinals brawl in a game last summer, the 35-year-old Krukow has been one of baseball's most durable pitchers over the last 10 seasons, making 299 starts and spending only six weeks on the disabled list in that period.

But his top single-season victory total before last year was 13 with the 1982 Philadelphia Phillies. He was 20-9 last eason with a 3.05 earned run average.

He led the Giants in more than pitching victories, according to teammate Chili Davis.

"Mike Krukow is one of the best ballplayers I've ever been with as far as leading a ballclub, pepping up the guys behind him," the outfielder said.

JIM MURRAY

He loved the Tyson fight

Murray

In the late rounds, when it appeared more and more evident that the fight in the ring was going to be a wall-to-wall stinker, the smile on the face of a man in Row 3 grew broader and broader.

Ronald (Butch) Lewis might have been the only guy in the crowd at the Mike Tyson-Bonecrusher Smith junior prom Saturday night who was enjoying himself. From his point of view it was a great fight. Not Dempsey-Tunney, perhaps, but it went just the way Butch wanted it to go — boringly. If you looked closely you could almost see the canary feathers at the corner of Butch's grin.

IT WAS my friend Herbert Warren Wind, I believe, who once dubbed tennis "the Balkans of sport." The game, he felt, was constantly awash with open border skirmishes.

Well, if tennis is the Balkans, boxing is West Beirut. It's the no-man's land of athletics, anarchy in 8-ounce gloves. Its symbol should not be ring ropes, it should be barbed wire. Its coat-of-arms should be double-crosses rampant on a field of bald-faced lies.

The fights in the ring are governed by the Marquess of Queensberry's rules. The ones outside the ring are governed by Attila the Hun's. It's like Saturday night in Dodge City. The law is whatever the guy with the gun says it is.

That side of the business is full of Fritzie Zivics. Talk about eye gouges, hitting after the bell, below the belt, rabbit punching, kidney punching, hitting a guy when he's down — these guys make Tony Galento look like a vicar.

WHICH IS why Butch Lewis had this seraphic smile on his face Saturday night. The worse the fight got, the happier he got.

You see, before that debacle in the desert, Lewis was known in the fight game as a guy who had performed the unthinkable in pugilism. He seemed to have knocked himself out. And claimed foul anyway.

Butch was the fight promoter who had sewed up the rights to the guy who was widely considered to be the "real" heavyweight champion of the world.

The fight game is such that there are, at any given moment, more heavyweight champions in the world than there are crocodiles — and just as hard to tell one from the other.

But if there was such a thing, Butch's claim seemed to be the most legitimate. Michael Spinks' link to the throne trailed back through Larry Holmes to Ken Norton to Muhammad Ali, a real purple accession as valid as any Hapsburg's or House of Windsor's. I mean, Michael was not Michael Dokes, John Tate, Mike Weaver, Tony Tubbs, Tim Witherspoon or any of the other whodats of the modern fight game. He was credentialed.

SO WHEN cable television came along looking for a way to unify the division and restore the marquee value to the title again, it followed they had to have Spinks in any elimination tournament.

Butch Lewis went along and even struck a partnership with rival promoter, Don King — to be called "Dynamic Duo Inc." — and HBO and the Hilton hotels. Lewis signed an agreement pledging Spinks to participation in the elimination tournament.

This was all right so long as Spinks was flattening European tank-town palookas but Spinks' people — read: Butch Lewis — got restive when it became apparent he might end up fighting a live tiger like Mike Tyson for a paltry couple of million. Lewis proposed that Spinks step out of the tournament for one fight — at 10 times as much — against the illusory Gerry Cooney.

NOW, GERRY Cooney is an interesting case history in that no one is quite sure there really is one. There used to be one. He got all the way up to a title fight with Larry Holmes once, but, when he got his block knocked off, he disappeared from view like Judge Crater or Amelia Earhart.

There have been periodic sightings since then. As with the California condor or Big Foot, there have been people who claim to have seen a Gerry Cooney but, by and large, you have to take it on blind faith. Cooney is like that proverbial man upon the stair. He wasn't there again today. He's the fistic version of the Easter Bunny.

But, there's one thing for sure: If there is a Gerry Cooney, he's white. And you can make a lot of money fighting him if you can find him and get him in a ring — neither of which is all that easy.

Butch Lewis thought he had the problem licked. He tried to get out of the elimination tournament long enough to knock out Cooney for several million easy dollars.

His tournament partners thought that would be OK — provided Cooney took Spinks' place in the tournament and fought the rest of the field in the event he beat Spinks.

Now, Cooney, of course, doesn't want to fight anybody. And this would certainly, maybe especially, include a certified assassin like young Mike Tyson.

So, when Lewis couldn't deliver Cooney, his colleagues just thought, "Well, that's that. Now we forget about Cooney and get back to the fights in the contract."

Butch didn't want to forget Cooney. He preferred to forget the tournament.

But, first, he found, he had an elimination tournament of his own to get through. He had to get by 1. Don King, 2. HBO, 3. Time-Life, which owns HBO, and 4. the Hilton hotels.

THEN HE got into an unscheduled bout with the International Boxing Federation, of which Michael Spinks is the champion. They announced that if Spinks withdrew from the tournament, they would take his title away because he wouldn't fight — get this! — Tony Tucker.

Tony Tucker?

Don't look at me. Your guess is as good as mine.

You can see why defendant Lewis had a vested interest in seeing two tournament heavies stink the joint out the other night. If Tyson had proved to be the second coming of John L. Sullivan or if the fight had been one they write poems about, no one would care if Michael Spinks ever laced on another pair of gloves.

If Mike Tyson had electrified the world, Spinks — and Butch Lewis — would be standing there with no title, no place in the tournament, up to their hips in lawsuits.

As it is, Spinks may be holding the only pat hand. Butch Lewis didn't knock himself out, after all. He got up at 9 and looks as if he can still stick and move — and hit on the break if necessary.

(Jim Murray is a syndicated columnist for the LA Times)

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Sports Scoreboard

NCAA

NCAA Tournament
All Times EST
East Regional
First Round
Thursday, March 12
At Charlotte, N.C.

Texas Christian 76, Marshall 60
Notre Dame 84, Middle Tennessee State 71
Michigan 97, Navy 82
North Carolina 113, Pennsylvania 82

Friday, March 13
At Syracuse, N.Y.

Purdue, 24-4, vs. Northeastern, 27-6, 12:07 p.m.
Florida, 21-10, vs. North Carolina State, 20-14, 2:37 p.m.
West Virginia, 23-7, vs. Western Kentucky, 28-6, 7:07 p.m.
Syracuse, 26-6, vs. Georgia Southern, 20-10, 9:37 p.m.

Second Round
Saturday, March 14
At Charlotte, N.C.

N. Carolina, 30-3, vs. Michigan, 20-11
Notre Dame, 23-7, vs. Texas Christian, 24-6

Southeast Regional
First Round
Thursday, March 12
At Birmingham, Ala.

New Orleans 83, Brigham Young 79
Alabama 88, North Carolina A&T 71
Austin Peay 68, Illinois 67
Providence 90, Alabama Birmingham 68

Friday, March 13
At Atlanta

Clemson, 25-5, vs. Southwest Missouri State, 27-6, 12:07 p.m.
Kansas, 23-10, vs. Houston, 18-11, 2:37 p.m.
Georgetown, 26-4, vs. Bucknell, 22-8, 7:07 p.m.
Kentucky, 18-10, vs. Ohio State, 19-12, 9:37 p.m.

Second Round
Saturday, March 14
At Birmingham, Ala.

Providence, 22-8, vs. Austin Peay, 20-11
New Orleans, 26-3, vs. Alabama, 27-4

Sunday, March 15
At Atlanta

Georgetown-Bucknell winner vs. Kentucky-Ohio St. winner
Kansas-Houston winner vs. Clemson-SW Missouri St. winner

Midwest Regional
First Round
Thursday, March 12
At Indianapolis

Xavier, Ohio 70, Missouri 69
Duke 58, Texas A&M 51
Auburn 82, San Diego 61
Indiana 92, Fairfield 58

Friday, March 13
At Rosemont, Ill.

Temple, 31-3, vs. Southern U., 19-11, 1:07 p.m.
Georgia Tech, 18-12, vs. Louisiana State, 21-14, 3:37 p.m.
St. John's, 20-8, vs. Wichita State, 22-10, 8:07 p.m.
DePaul, 26-2, vs. Louisiana Tech, 22-7, 10:37 p.m.

Second Round
Saturday, March 14
At Indianapolis

Indiana, 25-4, vs. Auburn, 18-12
Duke, 23-8, vs. Xavier, Ohio, 19-12

Sunday, March 15
At Rosemont, Ill.

St. John's-Wichita St. winner vs. DePaul-Louisiana Tech winner
Georgia Tech-Louisiana St. winner vs. Temple-Southern U. winner

West Regional
First Round
Thursday, March 12
At Salt Lake City, Utah

Kansas State 82, Georgia 79, OT
Nevada-Las Vegas 95, Idaho State 70
UCLA 92, Central Michigan 73
Wyoming 84, Virginia 80

Friday, March 13
At Tucson, Ariz.

Iowa, 27-4, vs. Santa Clara, 18-13, 7:07 p.m.
Texas-El Paso, 24-6, vs. Arizona, 18-11, 4:37 p.m.
Pittsburgh, 24-7, vs. Marist, 20-9, 9:07 p.m.
Oklahoma, 22-9, vs. Tulsa, 22-7, 11:41 p.m.

Second Round
Saturday, March 14
At Salt Lake City, Utah

Nevada-Las Vegas, 34-1, vs. Kansas State, 20-10
Wyoming, 29-6, vs. UCLA, 25-6

Sunday, March 15
At Tucson, Ariz.

Ohio or Tulsa winner vs. Pittsburgh-Marist winner
UTEP-Arizona winner vs. Iowa-Santa Clara winner

WEST REGIONAL
At Salt Lake City, Utah
KANSAS STATE (82)

Stodola 9-12 1-4 13, Simmons 0-1 0-0 0, Richmond 10-19 6-12 34, Higdon 1-3 2-2 4, Scott 5-8 4-4 17, Coleman 8-12 2-6 18, Totals 39-58 16-28 82.

GEORGIA (79)

C.Kessler 7-11 2-4 16, Knox 1-2 0-0 2, Burdette 3-5 2-2 8, Williams 3-12 0-0 6, Anderson 13-20 8-8 30, Stanley 1-6 0-0 2, Harmon 0-0 1-2 1, A.Kessler 4-5 1-2 9, Totals 32-66 12-18 79.

Halftime—Georgia 39, Kansas St. 31. Regulation—Georgia 72, Kansas St. 72. 5-point goals—Kansas St. 9 (Richmond 5-5, Scott 3-4), Georgia 3 (Anderson 2-3, Stanley 1-2).

IDAHO STATE (70)

Miles 2-7 0-0 6, Woods 8-18 0-0 16, Hopson 8-19 0-1 20, Ogus 5-11 2-4 12, Yanakakis 3-5 2-2 8, Charleston 1-2 0-0 2, Purvis 1-7 0-0 2, Sullivan 0-0 2-2 2, Harris 1-1 0-0 2, Jennings 1-1 0-0 2, Totals 29-71 6-9 70.

NEVADA-LAS VEGAS (95)

Wade 1-1 0-0 2, Banks 7-16 2-2 23, Pabllo 3-9 4-5 11, Gilliam 4-8 4-5 12, Dasenbrock 4-5 3-4 11, Graham 6-7 0-0 16, Hudson 1-6 1-2 3, Willard 3-4 7-8 13, Totals 30-65 26-35 95.

Halftime—UNLV 46. Idaho St. 31. 3-point goals—Idaho St. 8 (Sullivan 2-4, Miles 2-5, Woods 2-8, Ogus 0-1, Yanakakis 0-1, Charleston 0-1, Purvis 0-1, Dean 0-1), UNLV 9 (Graham 1-1, Banks 7-13, Pabllo 1-3, Dasenbrock 0-1, Hudson 0-1).

CENTRAL MICHIGAN (73)

Murray 6-13 1-2 13, Lowry 9-18 0-0 18, Johnson 6-15 2-2 15, D. Miller 1-6 0-0 2, Meserve 0-2 0-0 0, Scott 1-3 0-0 2, McGuire 2-3 0-1 4, Totals 31-70 3-5 73.

UCLA (92)

Hurley 1-6 1-4 3, Richardson 4-8 5-7 13, Wittal 4-9 2-3 11, R. Miller 10-13 0-0 12, Rochelle 4-9 1-2 9, Wilson 4-8 0-0 8, Hatcher 4-6 0-0 8, Foster 2-3 2-3 6, Jackson 1-2 0-0 2, Totals 36-54 20-31 92.

Halftime—UCLA 53, Cent. Michigan 31. 3-point goals—Cent. Michigan 9 (Murray 1-5, Lowry 2-3, Johnson 4-8, Meserve 1-2, McKinnon 1-2), UCLA 4 (S.Wittal 1-1, R. Miller 3-3).

WYOMING (84)

Dent 6-7 2-2 15, Fox 3-7 1-2 8, Ilgenfritz 8-18 2-3 18, Lackner 10-13 2-3 22, D. Boyd 2-3 0-0 4, Jones 1-3 0-2 4, C. Tolzien 2-6 0-1 4, Totals 28-51 9-16 84.

VIRGINIA (80)

Johnson 5-10 2-2 12, Morgan 2-7 1-2 5, M. Kennedy 4-8 2-2 11, Sheehy 4-4 0-0 8, K. Kennedy 5-10 4-5 14, Sinking 3-5 0-0 6, Battle 1-1 0-0 2, Aplin 0-0 1-2 1, Totals 26-50 9-13 80.

Halftime—Virginia 30, Wyoming 29. 3-point goals—Wyoming 3-6 (Dent 2-3, Fox 1-2), Virginia 3-4 (Sheehy 2-2, M. Kennedy 1-1, Morgan 0-1).

NAIA

Thursday, March 12

St. Thomas Aquinas 63, Wilson Carey 59
Auburn-Montgomery 85, Eureka 70
St. Joseph's, Maine 79, Biola, Calif. 66
St. Mary's, Texas 74, Rio Grande 54
College of Charleston, S.C. 87, Wayland Bl. Colo. 51
West Virginia St. 88, Harding, Ark. 66
Washburn, Kan. 87, Cabrini, Pa. 84

NBA at a Glance

EASTERN CONFERENCE
Atlantic Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
x-Boston	46	16	.742	—
Philadelphia	35	28	.556	11½
Washington	32	29	.525	13½
New York	20	42	.323	26
New Jersey	18	44	.290	28
Central Division				
Detroit	41	20	.672	—
Atlanta	41	21	.661	½
Milwaukee	40	25	.615	3
Chicago	32	29	.525	9
Indiana	29	33	.468	12½
Cleveland	24	39	.381	18
WESTERN CONFERENCE				
Midwest Division				
Dallas	40	22	.645	—
Utah	34	29	.540	6½
Houston	33	30	.524	7½
Denver	26	37	.413	14½
San Antonio	22	41	.349	18½
Sacramento	19	43	.306	21
Pacific Division				
x-L.A. Lakers	50	14	.781	—
Portland	38	25	.603	11½
Seattle	33	31	.516	17
G State	32	32	.500	18
Phoenix	24	39	.381	25½
L.A. Clippers	10	50	.167	38

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Thursday's Games

New Jersey 123, Milwaukee 106
Cleveland 116, Phoenix 109
Houston 121, San Antonio 112
L.A. Lakers 125, Portland 116
Utah 113, Sacramento 109

Thursday's NBA Boxes
At East Rutherford, N.J.
MILWAUKEE (106)

Pressey 2-7 3-5 7, Cummings 6-11 0-0 12, Sikma 6-8 7-7 19, Moncrief 3-5 1-1 7, Lucas 5-14 2-2 13, Breuer 3-8 0-0 6, Pierce 5-15 1-3 11, Hodges 3-8 2-2 10, Mokeski 0-4 0-0 0, Bridgeman 5-7 2-2 12, Reynolds 2-4 5-5 9, Webster 0-1 0-0 0, Totals 40-90 23-31 106.

NEW JERSEY (123)

Woolridge 8-13 9-12 21, B. Williams 9-13 5-5 23, Gminski 6-13 11-11 23, R. Williams 7-12 0-0 14, Brown 8-12 2-2 18, Coleman 3-4 2-2 8, Wood 2-9 2-2 6, Engler 1-2 4-4 6, Turner 0-1 2-2 2, Washington 0-2 0-0 0, Totals 42-81 37-40 123.

Milwaukee	**24**	**23**	**29**	**30—106**
New Jersey	**30**	**37**	**27**	**29—123**

3-Point goals—Lucas, Hodges 2, Wood 2. Fouled out—Pressey, R. Williams, Coleman. Rebounds—Milwaukee 44 (Breuer 7), New Jersey 56 (B. Williams 13). Assists—Milwaukee 28 (Lucas 8), New Jersey 31 (R. Williams 12). Total fouls—Milwaukee 32, New Jersey 24. Technical—New Jersey Coach Wolfe. A—6,032.

At Richfield, Ohio
PHOENIX (109)

Pinckney 5-9 1-2 11, Nance 10-19 6-8 27, Adams 2-5 2-4 6, Humphries 2-8 0-0 5, Davis 14-27 4-4 34, Bedford 1-3 0-0 2, Sanders 5-11 1-1 11, Thompson 5-7 0-0 10, Horacek 1-5 0-0 3, Addison 0-3 0-0 0, Totals 45-97 14-19 109.

CLEVELAND (116)

Hubbard 3-7 6-10 14, Williams 5-9 5-6 15, Daugherty 10-14 5-8 25, Bagley 3-5 0-0 6, Harper 9-19 14-17 32, Price 3-6 0-0 6, West 0-4 0-0 0, Ehlo 1-4 0-0 2, Turpin 2-2 2-2 6, Corbin 0-1 0-0 0, Newman 1-3 0-0 2, Lee 3-9 2-2 8, Totals 40-83 38-43 116.

Phoenix	**24**	**30**	**34**	**21—109**
Cleveland	**29**	**26**	**27**	**34—116**

3-Point goals—Davis 2, Horacek, Humphries, Nance. Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Phoenix 46 (Nance 6), Cleveland 61 (Williams 13). Assists—Phoenix 32 (Humphries 10), Cleveland 23 (Daugherty 6). Total fouls—Phoenix 27, Cleveland 18. A—6,643.

At Houston
SAN ANTONIO (112)

Berry 7-13 3-3 17, Greenwood 4-6 4-5 12, Gilmore 5-6 2-6 12, Robertson 1-7 0-0 2, Sundvold 9-16 0-0 19, Krystkowiak 7-10 1-4 15, Nealy 5-10 0-0 10, Moore 6-13 1-1 13, Jones 1-2 0-0 2, Dawkins 4-11 2-3 10, Brittain 0-0 0-0 0, Totals 49-94 13-22 112.

HOUSTON (121)

McCray 6-11 10-11 22, Petersen 8-15 9-10 25, Olajuwon 10-19 2-2 22, Minniefield 7-13 3-4 18, Reid 2-12 2-2 6, Maxwell 6-9 5-6 17, Leavell 1-4 7-7 9, Harris 1-2 0-0 2, Johnson 0-0 0-0 0, Totals 41-85 36-42 121.

San Antonio	**31**	**39**	**18**	**24—112**
Houston	**40**	**29**	**31**	**21—121**

3-Point goals—Sundvold, Minniefield. Fouled out—Olajuwon. Rebounds—San Antonio 54 (Nealy 18), Houston 48 (Petersen 10). Assists—San Antonio 29 (Robertson 8), Houston 28 (Minniefield 9). Total fouls—San Antonio 30, Houston 20. Technicals—San Antonio illegal defense 2. A—18,279.

At Inglewood, Calif.
PORTLAND (116)

Jones 3-5 2-2 8, Vandeweghe 11-18 2-2 26, S. Johnson 7-11 4-6 18, Drexler 12-25 6-8 30, Porter 8-10 6-7 18, Duckworth 2-6 0-0 4, Kersey 2-5 3-4 7, Holton 2-5 0-0 5, Totals 45-85 23-28 116.

L.A. LAKERS (125)

Green 3-6 4-6 10, Worthy 10-17 2-2 22, Abdul-Jabbar 7-12 0-0 14, E. Johnson 12-21 1-2 25, Scott 6-14 5-5 18, Cooper 3-10 0-0 6, Rambis 2-2 3-3 7, M. Thompson 3-9 7-8 13, B. Thompson 5-8 0-1 10, Totals 51-99 22-27 125.

Portland	**29**	**29**	**32**	**26—116**
L.A. Lakers	**30**	**32**	**36**	**27—125**

3-Point goals—Vandeweghe 2, Holton, Scott. Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Portland 38 (Jones, Drexler 10), Los Angeles 43 (Cooper, Rambis 7). Assists—Portland 32 (Drexler 10), Los Angeles 36 (E. Johnson 16). Total fouls—Portland 21, Los Angeles 19. A—17,505.

At Sacramento, Calif.
UTAH (113)

Tripucka 9-14 2-2 20, Malone 17-24 3-3 37, Eaton 1-2 2-2 4, Griffith 4-11 2-2 12, Green 4-10 0-0 8, Bailey 10-22 2-2 22, Stockton 1-3 0-0 2, Curry 4-9 0-0 8, Ieavorn 0-0 0-0 0, Scurry 0-1 0-0 0, Totals 50-96 11-11 113.

SACRAMENTO (109)

Tyler 9-10 6-9 18, Thorpe 6-13 3-4 15, Kleine 3-10 1-1 7, Johnson 13-26 9-10 36, Theus 8-19 5-8 21, Thompson 4-8 0-0 8, Edwards 1-1 0-0 2, Olberding 1-1 0-0 2, Pressley 0-2 0-0 0, Totals 42-91 24-35 109.

Utah	**23**	**32**	**33**	**25—113**
Sacramento	**29**	**34**	**27**	**20—109**

3-Point goals—Griffith 2, Johnson. Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Utah 40 (Malone 11), Sacramento 45 (Thorpe 12). Assists—Utah 27 (Stockton 8), Sacramento 27 (Theus 11). Total fouls—Utah 26, Sacramento 17. A—10,555.

NHL at a Glance

WALES CONFERENCE
Patrick Division

	W	L	T	Pts.	GF	GA
x-Phila	41	22	5	87	275	208
Islanders	30	26	10	70	236	230
NY Rangers	32	30	9	68	270	260
Washington	29	31	8	66	233	247
Pittsburgh	27	32	11	65	265	254
New Jersey	24	37	8	56	253	300
Adams Division						
Hartford	36	26	7	79	247	234
Montreal	32	29	9	73	231	220
Boston	33	30	6	72	258	237
Buffalo	26	35	7	59	238	255
Quebec	25	35	8	58	221	278

x-clinched playoff berth

Thursday's Games

Boston 6, St. Louis 4
Pittsburgh 9, Quebec 3
N.Y. Rangers 5, Philadelphia 1

Thursday's NHL Suns
At Boston

St. Louis	0	3 1—4
Boston	3	2 1—6

First Period—1, Boston, Bourque 17 (Ranger, Duerr), :34. 2, Boston, Bourque 18 (Crowder, McCarthy), 4:20 (pp). 3, Boston, McKenzie 9 (Ranger, Bourque), 15:15.

Second Period—4, Boston, Neely 29 (Ranger, Duerr), 4:2. 5, St. Louis, Federko 15 (Gilmour, Hunter), 11:09 (pp). 6, Boston, Middleton 24 (Crowder), 16:31 (pp). 7, St. Louis, Bozoning 10 (Gavelin, Reese), 17:48. 8, St. Louis, Reese 2 (Wickenheiser, Bourgeois), 18:46.

Third Period—9, St. Louis, Bozoning 11 (Federko, Hunter), 1:51. 10, Boston, Kasper 15 (Markham), 10:19 (en).

Shots on goal—St. Louis 8-15-8—31. Boston 7-9-12—27.

Goalies—St. Louis, Millen. Boston, Kasha. A—10,754.

At Philadelphia
N.Y. Rangers 2 0 0—2
Philadelphia 0 0 1—1

First Period—1, New York, Sandstrom 38 (Puddubny), 1:03. 2, New York, Greschner 5 (Dupaic, Sandstrom), 6:29 (pp).

Second Period—None.

Third Period—3, Philadelphia, Kerr 33 (Daigneault), 1:57. 4, New York, Maloney 18 (Ruhl), 16:48. 5, New York, Maloney 19 (Patrick, Kasper), 17:55. 6, New York, Sandstrom 39 (Puddubny, Gartner), 17:59 (pp).

A—17,222. New York, Dionne 25 (Greschner, Sandstrom), 18:58 (pp).

Shots on goal—N.Y. Rangers 8-6-17—31. Philadelphia 15-10-9—34.

Goalies—N.Y. Rangers, Froese. Philadelphia, Hexter. Reach. A—17,222.

At Pittsburgh
Quebec 0 3 0—3
Pittsburgh 1 2 3—6

First Period—1, Pittsburgh, Lonsberry 4 (Miller, Lemieux), 13:49.

Second Period—2, Quebec, Dandenault 16 (Hull) (pp). 3, Quebec, P. Stastny 19 (Goulet, Sheel), 8:39 (pp). 4, Quebec, Rochefort 8 (Cote, Eagles), 9:03. 5, Pittsburgh, Martha (Dunn, Lemieux), 12:58 (pp). 6, Pittsburgh, Lefebvre 49 (Errey), 18:21.

Third Period—7, Pittsburgh, Fitzpatrick 10 (Bullock, Quinn), 4:17. 8, Pittsburgh, Lefebvre 50 (Martha, Dunn), 19:51 (en). 9, Pittsburgh, Lefebvre 51, 19:59 (en).

Shots on goal—Quebec 21-11-5—37. Pittsburgh 11-15-11—37.

Goalies—Quebec, Gosselin. Pittsburgh, Riggin. A—13,181.

Bay Hill Golf

(ORLANDO, Fla. — Bay Hill Classic)
Golf Tournament

Brad Faxon	33-33—66
Steve Pate	34-33—67
David Frost	34-33—67
Brad Bryant	35-33—68
Tom Kite	34-34—68
Tim Simpson	36-32—68
Ben Crenshaw	36-33—69
Larry Mize	35-34—69
Bob Murphy	35-34—69
Raymond Floyd	37-32—69
Clarence Rose	36-33—69
Andy Bean	34-35—69
Barnhard Langer	34-35—69
Payne Stewart	33-36—69
Curt Byrum	37-33—70
Buddy Gardner	35-35—70
David Rummells	35-35—70
Mark Lye	34-36—70
Tommy Nakajima	34-36—70
Brett Upper	34-36—70
Dan Pohl	34-36—70
Phil Blackmar	35-36—71
Mike Hulbert	35-36—71
Howard Twitty	37-34—71
Bobby Cole	36-35—71
Mark Hayes	36-35—71
Lou Graham	36-35—71
Tom Watson	36-35—71

College Baseball

Thursday's Scores
EAST

California, Pa. 1, Aquinas 0, 1st game
Aquinas 10, California, Pa. 9, 2nd game

SOUTH

Angelo, Christian 8, George Mason 0
Augusta 6, Stonehill 0, 1st game
Augusta 3, Stonehill 0, 2nd game
Bellarmine 9, Louisville 4, 1st game
Belmont 5, Freed-Hardeman 2
Louisville 9, Bellarmine 2, 2nd game
Campbell 10, Coastal Carolina 8
Cent. Florida 11, Stetson 2
Duke 9, Fairfield 1
Elon 8, Fairleigh Dickinson 2, 1st game
Elon 4, Fairleigh Dickinson 1, 2nd game
Georgia Southern 10, James Madison 4
Guilford 12, Mount Olive 7
High Point 8, Assumption 4, 1st game
High Point 4, Assumption 3, 2nd game
Lincoln Tech 14, Delta St. 2
Mid Am Christian 15, Johns Hopkins 1
McNeese St. 6, San Houston St. 4
N.Y. Tech 6, E. Michigan 0
Nicholls St. 10, Prairie View 0
N. Carolina St. 14, Va. Commonwealth 2
N. Kentucky 7, Monmouth, N.J. 4, 1st game
N. Kentucky 9, Monmouth, N.J. 0, 2nd game
NW Louisiana 8, Cent. Missouri St. 1, 1st game
NW Louisiana 5, Cent. Missouri St. 2, 2nd game
Pfeiffer 6, George Mason 1
S.C. Aiken 15, North Adams St. 2
S.C.-Spartanburg 5, Chester 2
S. Mississippi 5, Ms. Louisiana 1
South Florida 6, Detroit 0
SW Missouri St. 12, Mo. Western St. 3
Tampa 7, Detroit 0
Tuskin 5, Mississippi 4
W. Carolina 8-17, E. Kentucky 4-2
Wake Forest 12, Newberry 7, 1st game
Wake Forest 7, Newberry 5, 2nd game
Wayne Southern 13, Houghton 2
Wesleyan 16, Anderson-Brandon 6

MID WEST

Bradley 6, Kentucky 0
Cent. Michigan 4, Oklahoma City 1
Minnesota 3, Ball St. 0, 1st game
Minnesota 11, Ball St. 8, 2nd game

SOUTHWEST

Baylor 11, W. Kentucky 3
Houston 12, St. Francis, Ill. 7, 1st game
Houston 6, St. Francis, Ill. 5, 2nd game
New Mexico St. 4, Oklahoma 0
Tex.-Arlington 2, Quincy 0, 1st game
Tex.-Arlington 4, Quincy 0, 2nd game

FAR WEST

Hawaii Pacific 6, Lewis, Ill. 2
Pace 15, Grand Canyon 8
TOURNAMENTS
Palm Valley Tournament
Cent. Michigan 4, Oklahoma City 1
New Mexico St. 4, Oklahoma 0
Pan American 10, Arkansas St. 2
Thomas U. 500 Tournament
Fairleigh Dickinson 9, Creighton 2
St. Thomas Fla. 8, Georgetown 6
Rollinger Classic
Army 8, Florida Int. 0
Liberty 6, West Chester 4

NCAA Boxes

Thursday's NCAA Tournament Boxes
EAST REGIONAL
At Charlotte, N.C.
MARSHALL (60)

Holden 2-4 3-6 7, Lewis 5-14 6-6 17, Curry 2-2 6-7 10, Henderson 5-13 0-0 14, Humphrey 4-8 2-2 10, Bryson 1-3 0-0 2, Totals 19-45 17-21 60.

TEXAS CHRISTIAN (76)

Richard 1-4 5-6 7, Anderson 3-7 2-2 8, Pepa 2-2 2-2 6, Dixon 2-6 6-7 11, Holcombe 14-17 2-3 30, Lott 7-9 0-3 14, Totals 29-45 17-23 76.

Halftime—TCU 38, Marshall 27. 3-point goals—Marshall 5-10 (Lewis 1-2, Henderson 4-8), TCU 1-2 (Dixon 1-2).

MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE (71)

Tunstill 2-4 2-3 6, Henry 6-11 1-2 13, D.Rainey 8-19 6-7 22, Washington 1-9 0-0 2, C.Rainey 4-7 0-0 10, Baynham 2-4 3-4 7, Hammonds 4-7 3-3 11, Totals 27-63 15-19 71.

NOTRE DAME (84)

Royal 6-15 8-10 24, Stevenson 5-11 7-9 17, Voce 1-1 0-0 2, Rivers 8-15 10-11 27, Hicks 6-10 2-2 14, Totals 28-53 27-32 84.

Halftime—Notre Dame 37, Middle Tenn. 31. 3-point goals—Middle Tenn. 2-5 (Washington 0-1, C.Rainey 2-3, Snell 0-1), Notre Dame 1-2 (Rivers 1-2).

MICHIGAN (97)

Joubert 5-3 4-6, Rice 10-17 1-2 21, Grant 9-17 8-8 26, Thompson 11-14 2-3 33, Kramer 0-0 3-4 3, Vaught 3-3 0-0 6, Goaterbeer 1-2 0-0 2, Totals 35-60 15-21 97.

NAVY (82)

Turner 2-6 0-0 4, Lieber 5-10 2-3 12, Robinson 22-37 6-12 50, Wojcik 0-6 1-2 1, Rees 5-12 0-0 12, Fenton 1-4 0-1 3, Totals 35-75 9-18 82.

Halftime—Michigan 49, Navy 44. 3-point goals—Michigan 12-20 (Thompson 9-12, Grant 2-4, Joubert 1-4), Navy 3-14 (Rees 2-4, Fenton 1-4, Wojcik 0-6).

PENNSYLVANIA (82)

Pitts 4-14 4-6 12, Stovall 8-11 1-2 13, Lefkowitz 6-12 8-12 20, Brownell 8-15 0-0 19, Wilson 1-1 0-0 2, Frazier 2-3 0-0 4, Fikes 3-6 0-0 6, Mitholland 2-2 2-3 6, Totals 32-64 15-25 82.

NORTH CAROLINA (113)

Wolf 9-14 7-10 25, Popson 5-9 1-1 11, Reid 2-5 7-10 11, Lebo 6-9 2-2 18, K. Smith 4-10 4-4 15, Denny Buckley 4-5 2-4 10, Norwood 0-0 1-2 1, R. Smith 2-4 4-4 9, Williams 1-2 4-6 6, Hunter 2-5 0-0 4, Hensley 1-1 1-2 3, Totals 38-65 33-45 113.

Halftime—North Carolina 55, Penn 53. 3-point goals—Penn 3-4 (Brownell 3-4), North Carolina 8-20 (Lebo 4-7, K. Smith 3-7, R. Smith 1-1, Hunter 0-2, Buckley 0-1, Denny 0-1, Wolf 0-1).

SOUTHEAST REGIONAL
At Birmingham, Ala.
BRIGHAM YOUNG (79)

Chatman 11-17 3-4 25, Michael Smith 9-25 5-5 23, Gneiting 1-5 0-1 2, Call 1-2 0-0 2, Caperer 2-6 0-0 4, Taylor 2-2 1-1 6, Hawe 2-4 1-2 5, Stephenson 1-2 2-4 4, Usselton 3-3 2-4 8, Totals 32-66 14-21 79.

NEW ORLEANS (83)

Jones 3-7 0-0 7, Grandison 5-7 5-7 15, Mike Smith 1-2 2-4 4, Corchiani 2-6 3-4 8, Eackles 9-19 3-5 25, Perkins 1-5 0-0 2, Irving 2-4 1-1 6, Barlock 6-8 3-4 15, Totals 29-60 17-25 83.

Halftime—New Orleans 40, BYU 29.

NORTH CAROLINA A&T (71)

C.Williams 10-14 5-6 25, Robinson 2-6 1-2 5, Griffin 4-15 3-3 11, Cave 6-13 0-0 16, Davis 3-13 2-2 8, Cox 1-5 2-4 4, Totals 28-67 13-19 71.

ALABAMA (88)

Palmer 12-17 1-1 29, Ansley 2-5 2-3 6, Mulkey 8-14 8-8 25, Gottshall 3-5 0-0 8, Cinkar 1-3 0-0 2, Jackson 3-4 2-2 10, Askins 2-5 2-2 6, Devaughn 1-2 0-0 2, Totals 32-65 15-18 88.

Halftime—Alabama 37, N.C. A&T 27.

AUSTIN PEAY (68)

Reave 0-0 0-0 0, Mitchell 7-19 7-11 22, Bedford 9-20 1-2 24, Armstrong 4-7 0-0 8, Hicks 4-8 0-2 8, Totals 24-57 14-24 68.

ILLINOIS (87)

Ahlenberger 4-10 4-5 12, Norman 1-4 3-5 17, Kubes 1-6 0-0 2, Wyngar 7-12 2-2 16, Bando 3-9 0-1 6, Blackwell 1-3 0-1 2, Hamilton 6-8 0-0 12, Totals 29-64 9-14 67.

Halftime—Illinois 31, Austin Peay 30.

ALABAMA-BIRMINGHAM (80)

Turner 1-4 2-4 4, Cutting 5-11 1-3 11, Foster 2-8 4-4 8, Pinder 4-13 3-4 12, Reardon 1-2 0-1 2, Howard 3-9 1-2 7, Evans 1-1 0-0 2, Ogg 4-6 1-1 9, Totals 21-60 12-19 80.

PROVIDENCE (90)

Kipler 4-11 2-2 10, Lewis 2-8 0-0 4, Duke 1-3 0-0 2, Brooks 8-11 1-2 18, Donovan 12-17 5-7 30, Ford 0-0 0-2 0, Shamsid-Deen 5-7 2-4 12, Cuttino 1-1 0-0 2, D. Wright 4-7 0-0 8, Totals 38-68 10-15 90.

Halftime—Providence 48, UAB 37.

MIDWEST REGIONAL
At Indianapolis
XAVIER, OHIO (70)

Taylor 1-5 1-2 3, Campbell 2-4 7-8 11, Hill 3-8 0-0 6, Kimbrough 0-1 2-2 2, Lewis 6-20 10-10 22, Barnett 2-7 1-2 5, Totals 21-54 20-25 70.

MISSOURI (69)

Chapnick 6-11 4-6 16, Sandbothe 3-6 2-3 8, Leonard 1-2 0-0 2, Cowens 2-6 2-2 6, Hardy 9-22 0-0 21, Church 3-5 2-3 8, Dublin 4-7 0-0 8, Totals 28-59 10-14 69.

Halftime—Xavier, Ohio 36, Missouri 32.

TEXAS A&M (51)

Travinski 4-11 2-4 10, Holloway 2-9 4-4 8, Graves 1-5 0-0 3, Thomas 1-1 0-0 2, Totals 19-47 10-13 51.

DUKE (58)

Parry 0-1 0-0 0, King 1-3 3-4 5, Smith 2-2 2-2 6, Amaker 5-7 0-0 11, Brickey 5-6 2-6 12, Abdelnaby 1-2 2-2 4, Totals 30-58 14-22 58.

Halftime—Duke 30, Texas A&M 22. 3-point goals—Texas A&M 1-2 (Graves 1-1, Holloway 0-1), Duke 6-7 (Strickland 3-6, Amaker 1-1). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Texas A&M 29 (Travinski 7), Duke 23 (Parry, Brickey 5). Assists—Texas A&M 9 (McDonald 5), Duke 12 (Parry 4). Total fouls—Texas A&M 17, Duke 18. A—(3,582).

SAN DIEGO (61)

Meyer 5-10 0-0 11, Madden 3-8 1-3 7, Thompson 5-11 4-6 14, Leonard 3-7 0-0 6, Meany 7-12 2-3 16, Robinson 1-2 0-2 2, Musselman 1-2 0-0 2, Totals 25-54 7-12 61.

AUBURN (82)

Jones 11-16 2-4 24, Murray 6-12 1-1 13, Moore 4-13 0-1 10, White 2-5 0-0 4, Ford 2-5 2-4 6, Totals 25-59 11-16 82.

Halftime—San Diego 33, Auburn 29.

FAIRFIELD (58)

O'Toole 2-7 3-5 7, Duncan 1-3 0-0 2, Quinlan 5-10 5-6 21, Wynder 4-12 1-2 15, Golden 0-7 1-1 1, Totals 20-59 10-14 58.

INDIANA (92)

Calloway 5-11 5-6 17, Thomas 5-8 2-2 14, Garrett 7-11 0-0 20, Alford 4-5 3-3 13, Siegel 1-7 2-2 4, Smith 1-1 0-0 2, Eyl 2-4 0-0 4, Hillman 1-1 0-0 2, Fleming 1-1 0-2 2, Pelekoudis 1-4 0-0 2, Sloan 1-3 0-0 2, Minor 0-1 2-2 2, Gilliam 0-0 2-2 2, Totals 31-67 20-23 92.

Halftime—Indiana 48, Fairfield 21.

NIT

National Invitation Tournament
First Round
Wednesday, March 11

Nebraska 78, Marquette 76
Boise St. 82, Utah 61
Washington 86, Montana St. 80, OT

Thursday, March 12

La Salle 86, Villanova 84
Florida St. 107, Rhode Island 92
Cleveland State 92, Tennessee-Chattanooga 73
Arkansas-Little Rock 62, Baylor 61
Illinois State 79, Akron 72
Vanderbilt 74, Jacksonville 72
Stephen F. Austin 70, James Madison 63

Exhibition Baseball

Thursday's Exhibition Linescores
At Winter Haven, Fla.

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Boston	200	000	01x	—3 8 1

Haselman, Fassero (4), Drummond (7), Robinson (8) and Prince, Rodriguez (7), Schmidt, Leister (8), Stewart (8), Sambito (9) and Macarelli, Sax (7). W—Stewart, 1-0. L—Robinson, 0-1. Sv—Sambito (1).

At Tampa, Fla.

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Cincin	000	103	100	—5 9 2

Aguilera, Anderson (5), Sisk (7), Orosco (8), McDowell (9) and Carter, Gibson (4), Browning, Williams (4), Fajardo (8), Murphy (8), Franco (9) and Bulare, McClendon (8). W—Orosco, 2-0. L—Franco, 0-1. Sv—McDowell (2). HRs—New York, Mazzilli (1), Cincinnati, Davis (1).

At St. Petersburg, Fla.

Toronto	003	000	101	—5 12 2
St.Louis	000	000	021	—3 5 1

Key, Ward (5), Hanks (8) and Hamilton, Maguire, LaPoint (3), Arnold (7), Berger (8), Bowker (9) and Pagnozzi, Fitzgerald (7). W—Key, 1-1. L—Maguire, 0-1. HRs

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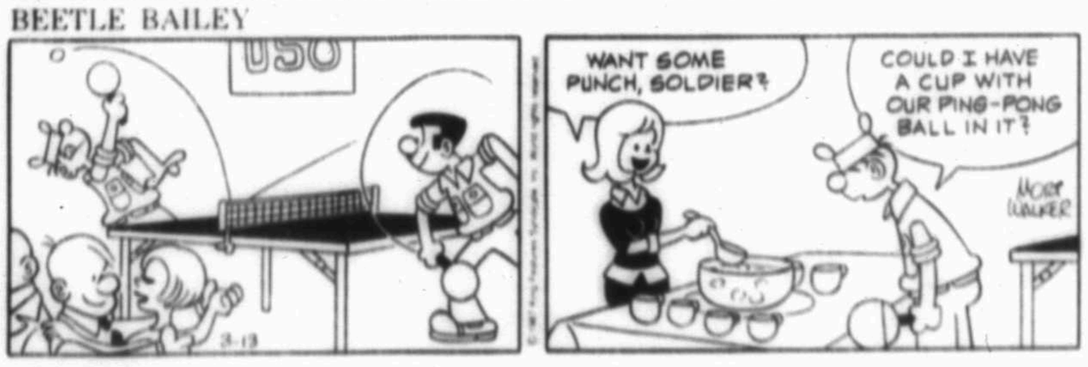

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HAGAR THE HORRIBLE

STEVE CANYON

MARY WORTH

JEANE DIXON'S your horoscope

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SATURDAY, MARCH 14, 1987

YOUR BIRTHDAY TODAY: Your senses are more acute than ever and can help you reach your goals. Avoid the woes of your peers by playing by the rules. Your creativity is at an all-time high. Do things for your own satisfaction! You deserve something better than what has been handed to you in the past. Work at strengthening family ties and business partnerships. Continue to keep an eye on spending.

CELEBRITY BIRTHDATES: Theoretical physicist Albert Einstein, comedian Billy Crystal, "Dallas" actor Steve Kanaly, cartoonist Hank Ketcham, New York Yankees catcher Butch Wynegar, Price Albert of Monaco, Cubs reserve catcher Steve Lake, bandleader Les Brown, actor Michael Caine, astronaut Frank Borman, music's Quincy Jones.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Get an early start today to complete weekend chores. You need to keep calm when discussing financial matters. This is not the time to lend or borrow money. Large social gatherings are favored this evening.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Your loved ones' happiness is very important to you today. It is possible to iron out the wrinkles in a difficult relationship. Someone at a distance figures prominently in your personal plans. Write letters.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): A good time to deal with distant affairs. You feel ready to tackle almost anything or anyone! Buy or sell real estate. Shoppers can find some fine bargains. A close relationship intensifies.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): The people around you today may be in a sober mood. You can lift their spirits with your gentle humor and easy-going manner. You shine as a host. Plan a small gathering.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Do not succumb to the temptation to spend more than you can afford. Refuse to listen to extravagant friends who are eager to spend your money. Spend more time with children.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Guard against impulsive buying if you go to a sale. Work harder at your personal relationships. A change of lifestyle increases your comfort. A social event is the highlight of your day.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Discuss an apparent impasse with neighbors or relatives. You should do everything possible to set the record straight. Seek the company of close friends and family tonight.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Friends rally around if you have an emergency. Do not worry about asking for special favors. Make full use of the telephone to prevent long and expensive journeys. Marital ties grow stronger.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Do not dip into money you have set aside to pay your regular bills. Gambling will not pay off. Influential person begins to show interest in your ideas. Put your best foot forward.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Nothing is likely to upset your plans. Family members look to you for leadership. You will not need to spend a great amount of money to feel happy and content at home.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): You can beat your competitors if you move quickly. Forge ahead. A good day for keeping any health resolutions. Leisure hours should be devoted to self-improvement projects. Get some exercise.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Family members are content to follow your lead today. Delegate some household chores so that you all will have time to play. Give your loved ones a treat this evening by dining out.

GOREN BRIDGE

BY CHARLES GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF

THE KING IS DEAD

East-West vulnerable. East deals.

NORTH
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♡ 10 5 2
♢ A K Q
♣ J 10 3

WEST
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♢ 7 5 3
♣ A Q 9 6 4

EAST
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♡ A Q J 8 4 3
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SOUTH
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♢ J 10 8 6 4
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Opening lead: Six of ♠.

"Ladies and Gentlemen of the Jury:

"It is obvious that there is no case against my client, West. The fact that East is suing him for malpractice is sheer vindictiveness—East refuses to give South credit for thoughtful declarer play.

"Let me recap the events of the day. My client admits that East had a classic weak-two opening bid at any vulnerability. He concedes that three no trump is a normal contract for North-South to reach under the circumstances.

"My client found the good opening lead of a club—even East is prepared to concede that his partner could not lead his suit. After dummy's ten won, declarer realized that West had to be void in hearts. So South cashed the table's three high diamonds and, since leading a heart would mean instant defeat and since he had no entry to his hand, declarer led a club to the king.

"The defendant cashed his club tricks as declarer sluffed hearts, but he was then forced to exit with a spade. Declarer ran that to his ten and made the rest of the tricks. Instead of this frivolous lawsuit, East should be congratulating declarer on his fine effort at trick five."

"In deference to learned counsel's excellent presentation of the facts, East does not contest that declarer performed most creditably. However, we do insist that West is fully to blame for the catastrophe that ensued. Instead of exiting with a low spade after cashing his clubs, West should have played the king!

"After winning the ace, declarer would have had a choice of ways to go down. He could cash dummy's spades and have no way to reach his hand, or he could win the second spade in hand with the ten and then be cut off from the table. Either way, declarer would be stranded with a losing heart at the end."

"Guilty as charged!"

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

MOGBAL

LAQUE

LOVIE

EDDGGO

The daughter had her first date. The hours just sped by, she grinned. "I know exactly how you feel," sighed Dad. "That's how I got to ------ ---."

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

2 PRINT NUMBERED LETTERS

3 UNSCRAMBLE LETTERS

SCRAM-LETS ANSWERS

Gambol — Equal — Dive — Dogged — MIDDLE AGE
The daughter had her first date. The hours just sped by, she grinned. "I know exactly how you feel," sighed Dad. "That's how I got to MIDDLE AGE."

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PEOPLE

'Les Miserables' luring theatergoers

NEW YORK (AP) — "Les Miserables" is pop opera of epic proportions.

A shrewd mixture of modern technology and old-fashioned emotion, the show celebrates the classic **Victor Hugo** novel in such a way that audiences apparently can't resist.

The only thing bigger than the musical's mammoth and intricate set is the show's advance sale. More than $11 million worth of tickets were sold before the opening night curtain went up Thursday at the Broadway Theater.

Theatergoers won't be disappointed with the spectacle, even if they find the story a little long-winded. Co-directors Trevor Nunn and John Caird have put an entire society — in this case, early 19th-century France — on stage. From prison to factory to bordello to the barricades and sewers of Paris, the settings and story flow with cinematic ease.

Designer John Napier performs most of his wizardry on a large turntable that never seems to stand still. He anchors this merry-go-round with two gigantic towers of debris on either side of the stage. They look like Louise Nevelson sculptures gone wild. These masses of twisted metal and wood quickly can be transformed into Parisian tenements or barricades during the abortive student revolt of 1830.

The musical was originally a French pop album by Alain Boublil and Claude-Michel Schonberg that found its way onto the stage of a Paris sports stadium.

The English version, first done by the Royal Shakespeare Company in London in 1985, has had a multitude of collaborators. Nunn and Caird are credited with the adaptation. James Fenton supplied additional material and Herbert Kretzmer translated the French lyrics.

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Carson

LOS ANGELES (AP) — **Johnny Carson** says he's glad NBC signed him to a new multi-year contract because he probably couldn't get another job.

The agreement means the talk-show host will celebrate his 25th anniversary with "The Tonight Show Starring Johnny Carson" this fall.

The network would not reveal details of the contract, which was announced Thursday and replaces one expiring in September. Carson's annual income is reported to be about $18 million, according to divorce papers filed last year by his third wife, **Joanna Carson**.

Carson said he was grateful to **Brandon Tartikoff**, NBC entertainment president, "for continuing my long-term relationship with NBC, as I have no other marketable skills in today's job market."

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SITKA, Alaska (AP) — Author **James A. Michener** has donated $500,000 to a small liberal arts college where he spent much of the past two years researching and writing a novel about Alaska.

Sheldon Jackson College will invest the gift, with the income used for student scholarships and library books, school president Michael Kaelke said Thursday.

"To host the Micheners the better part of two years was a gift in itself to the institution," Kaelke said. "The monetary gift is really an extraordinary addition."

Michener and his wife, Mari, finished their research last summer but have returned to Sitka since then for visits.

The Alaska novel has been sent to the publisher and is awaiting release, Kaelke said. The Micheners are in Florida to work on a book set in the Caribbean.

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LOS ANGELES (AP) — Actor **James Woods**, nominated for the best-actor Oscar for his role in the movie "Salvador," says he owes his career to cable television.

Many of Woods' movies found audiences only after they surfaced on cable television. Millions of pay-TV viewers first saw Woods as cop killer Gregory Powell in "The Onion Field."

Eventually, Woods became a draw at the box office, with movies like "Against All Odds" and on network television, where he played **James Garner**'s mentally ill brother in the television movie "Promise."

"The funny thing is, if it weren't for cable, I probably wouldn't be having a career right now," he said recently.

In "Salvador," he portrays a down-and-out photographer who takes off for Central America to make his fortune on combat photographs.

"If I were going to be nominated (for an Academy Award), this was the one I would want to be nominated for," he said in a recent interview.

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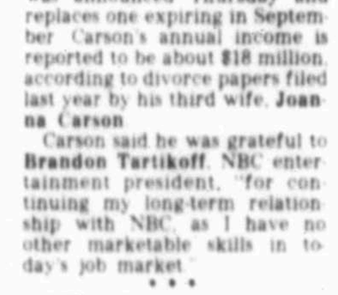

Anderson

CHICAGO (AP) — **Neal Anderson**, the Chicago Bears' 1986 first-round draft choice from Florida, has won the annual **Brian Piccolo** Award, a team spokesman said.

Anderson, 22, is the 17th recipient of the award, given to the first-year Bears player who best exemplifies the off-field qualities for which Piccolo was known — courage, loyalty, teamwork, dedication and sense of humor, spokesman Jim Carr said Thursday.

Anderson was chosen in voting by the team's veteran players, Carr said. The running back will receive a trophy on June 15 at the annual cancer research golf tournament at Indian Lakes Resort in Bloomingdale, Carr said.

Piccolo, a running back, was in his fourth season with the Bears when it was discovered he had cancer. He died on June 16, 1970, at age 26.

Ousted

William Lee Golden, 48, who spent 22 years as a member of the country music quartet the Oak Ridge Boys, has been voted out of the group by its other members. The three remaining members said Golden was asked to leave because of continuing musical and personal differences.

Evening TV Schedule

FRIDAY MARCH 13, 1987

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5:00	Newsweek	Divorce Ct.	News	Inspector	Praise The	Hillbillies	Vas	Facts		Sesame	
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6:00	News	News	Jeopardy	Benson	Praise The	Sanford	Lobos	B. Miller	College	MacNeil /	Racing
6:30	Fortune	M*A*S*H	Dating	Tax	Lord	Armstrongs	Prace	Jeffersons	Basketball	Lehrer	NHL
7:00	Website:	Magic: David	Amazing	I Wonder	The Scenes	NBA	La Gloria	Movie		Wash. Week	Hockey
7:30	Beach Boys	Copperfield	Amazing	Who's	Diane Bish	Basketball	Esa	"The Quiller		Wall St. Wk.	New York
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11:00	Nightline		Show	Mission	Praise The		Yolanda	P.I.	Davis Cup	UFO	New York
11:30	Nightlife	B. Miller	Friday Night	Impossible	Lord	Night	Lujan	Movie	Tennis	Bodywatch	Islanders at
12:00	Wrestling	Dance Fever	Videos	"Fly It	The Scenes	Tracks	Charyton	"The	Basketball		New Jersey
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6:30	Buddies"	"Dangerous	Zorro	Crazy"	"	Fandango	"	Movie	Anne Frank	Save	"
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7:30	Dundling	"	Creek	"Salvador"	"The Final	Now	"	Mister Ed	"	Vacations	Campbells
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12:00	Movie	Movie	Caper"	"	"Bad Boys"	"	Night Flight	My 3 Sons	Rock	Shopper's	Jack Benny
12:30	"Gang Its"	"Loved One"	Movie		"	Country	"	Ann Sothern	"	University	Dobie Gillis

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63 Light-Horse Harry
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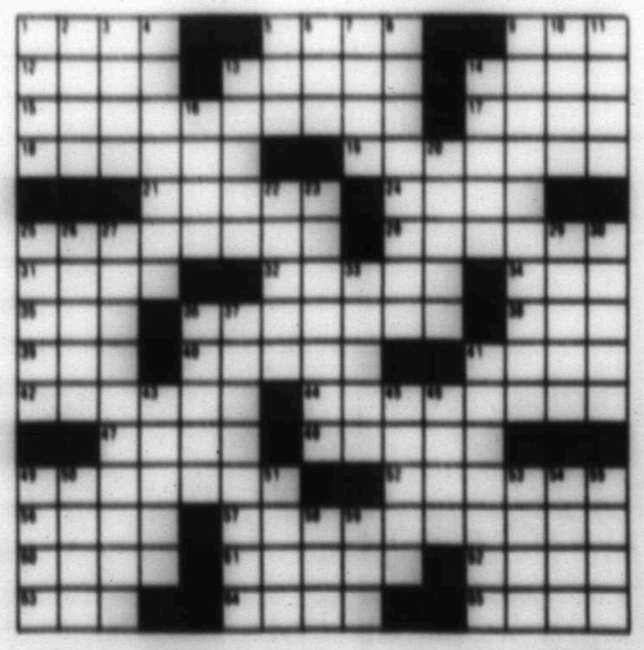

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Smalley sparks Twins; Clemens still holding out

Associated Press

Roy Smalley drove in three runs as the Minnesota Twins pounded Detroit starter Frank Tanana and two relievers for 17 hits, including three each by Tom Nieto and Ron Gardenhire.

Meanwhile, the Boston Red Sox rejected a suggestion that their salary dispute with AWOL pitching ace Roger Clemens be settled by an arbitrator. "You can't arbitrarily change the rules," said Red Sox General Manager Lou Gorman.

However, in the first move since Clemens bolted the Red Sox' training camp last Friday, Gorman said he talked with Alan Hendricks, one of the pitcher's agents, for 30 minutes.

"I think we softened the situation a little bit," Gorman said. "There's no animosity. We'll talk again tomorrow (Friday)."

From his office in Houston, Hendricks said, "The thing is we're back talking. Now let's see what happens. I don't want to give out a play-by-play of negotiations, but let's hope some good will come of it."

Earlier, Fehr said that "if Lou Gorman and the Red Sox really want to be fair, let them go to arbitration. They don't have to (Clemens is ineligible for arbitration), and the reason they won't is that they wouldn't win."

"We have no right to change the rules in the basic agreement, no more than they do," Gorman said. "He'll have the right to go to arbitration next year, and the next four or five years after that."

The Red Sox got strong pitching from Calvin Schiraldi, who turned in four scoreless innings in a 3-2 victory over the Pittsburgh Pirates. Filling in for for the second time, Schiraldi, normally a reliever, extended his scoreless string to seven innings.

"We're not considering Calvin Schiraldi as a starting pitcher," Manager John McNamara said. "Our thinking is that with a pitcher like Schiraldi, why not get him into the game early when he'll face regular hitters instead of in the late innings when minor-leaguers are in there."

Schiraldi, whose brilliant relief pitching in the second half of the 1986 season helped the Red Sox to their first pennant in 11 years, is coming back strong from losses to the New York Mets in Games 6 and 7 of the World Series.

"That's history. I have to get on with my life and my pitching," he said.

Exhibition Results

The St. Louis Cardinals' unbeaten streak ended at five games — it was their fastest spring start in 23 years — while the Cleveland Indians won for the first time in seven outings.

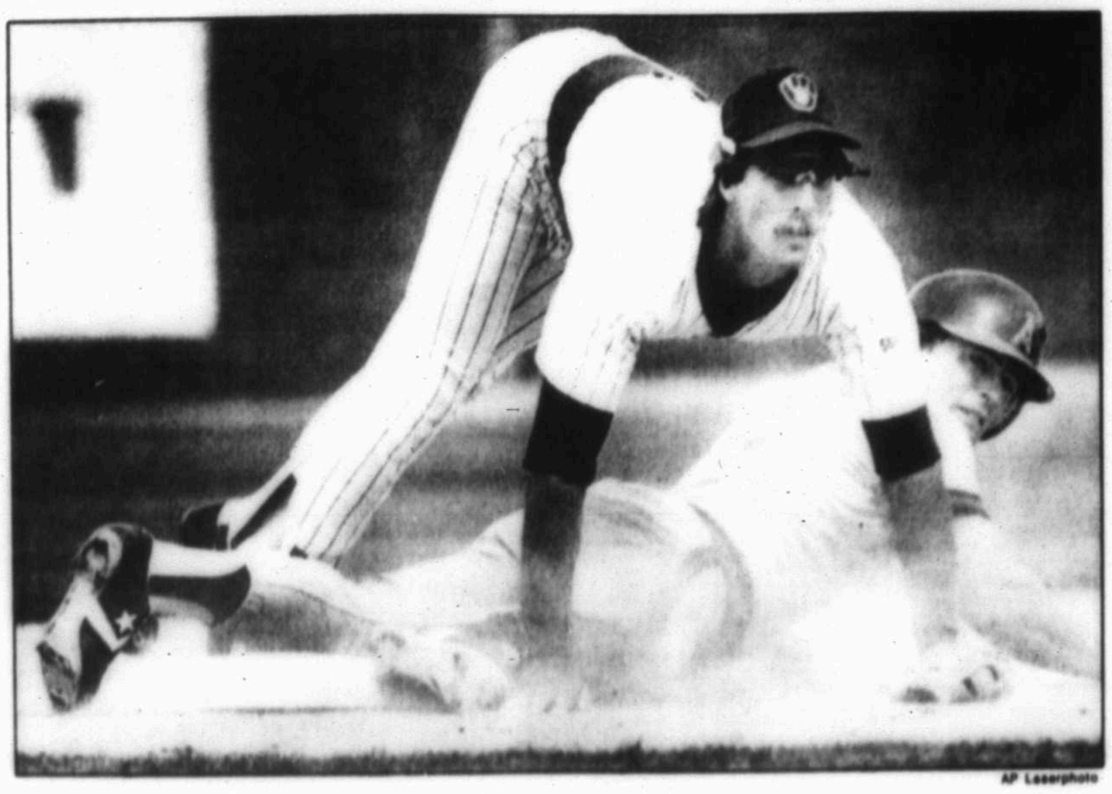
Kelly Gruber's third home run of the spring ignited a three-run third-inning rally that helped the Toronto Blue Jays defeat the Cardinals 5-3.

Toronto's Jimmy Key pitched four near-perfect innings while AL home run king Jesse Barfield had a double and two singles.

— Mel Hall had a solo home run and two singles as the Indians used a 16-hit attack to beat the California Angels 13-9. The Angels are also 1-6 after dropping their fifth game in a row.

— Jose Canseco had three hits, including a pair of mammoth home runs, to lead the Oakland A's to an 8-4 victory over the Chicago Cubs. The A's extended their winning streak after dropping their exhibition opener.

Spring Baseball



AP Laserphoto

Angels' Brian Downing, head firsting into second, and Brewers' shortstop Dave Sveum watch on a too-late double play attempt in Cactus League action at Chandler, Ariz.

More woe for SMU is possible

DALLAS (AP) — The chairman of the National Collegiate Athletic Association infractions committee says Southern Methodist University could face even tougher sanctions, including the loss of its football program, if anyone in the administration condoned the illegal payments to student athletes.

"The question is whether the institution knew whether (the boosters) continued the payments and did nothing to stop them," Frank Remington, chairman of the infractions committee, told the Fort Worth Star-Telegram Thursday in a telephone interview from Madison, Wis.

Remington, a law professor at the University of Wisconsin, said the NCAA has the authority to ban football forever.

"It's never been done forever, but the rules allow it," Remington said. "I'm not saying that we'd do that."

But David Berst, chief investigator for the NCAA, said it's too early to predict tougher sanctions against the school.

The NCAA last month invoked the so-called "death penalty" against SMU's football program, suspending the program for the 1987 season and placing other sanctions that will downgrade the program for years to come.

"The issue is what happened, who did it, and how can SMU avoid these problems in the future," Berst said.

Berst also said he is not sure that further sanctions would improve SMU's program.

The NCAA sanctions, the harshest punishment ever handed down against a school's football program were handed down because an investigation revealed that SMU boosters continued to pay student athletes even after the school was placed on three years probation in 1985 for similar violations.

SMU bishops not happy with scandal

DALLAS (AP) — United Methodist bishops, "appalled" at the pay-for-players scandal at Southern Methodist University, have begun their own probe into the events that led to the harshest NCAA penalty ever levied against a school's football program.

The bishops met for the first time Thursday to investigate whether current members of the SMU Board of Governors were involved in continuing improper payments to student-athletes.

Louis Schowengerdt, chairman of the executive committee of the church's South Central Jurisdiction, will head the Bishops' Committee. He was appointed by John Russell, president of the United Methodist College of Bishops, at the board's request.

"As United Methodists, we are appalled that SMU has continued to violate the rules of the NCAA," Russell said on presenting the charge to Schowengerdt. "I am greatly concerned corrective action promised the Board of Governors and Board of Trustees was never accomplished."

The NCAA Infractions Committee placed SMU on three years' probation for recruiting violations in 1985, then last month imposed a one-year "death penalty" on the university's football program for continued payments to student-athletes since then.

The National Collegiate Athletic Association canceled the school's 1987 football program and imposed other sanctions that are certain to cripple the SMU football program for several more years.

"We have no subpoena powers and we are not trying to conduct a lawsuit," Schowengerdt said. "We are looking for the truth so we can rebuild a relationship between a great university and a fine church."

'86 rookies howl over offers

By Phil Collier
Copley News Service

Baseball Report

TAMPA, Fla. — The rookie stars of 1986 are howling over being caught in the middle of the current war on salaries and having too little seniority for arbitration.

However, it's difficult to feel sorry for Boston's **Roger Clemens** for refusing a $500,000 pay offer, even though that's less than the **Red Sox** are paying **Tim Lollar**, $50,000 less than they're paying **Oil Can Boyd** and $200,000 less than they're giving veteran **Bruce Hurst**. Clemens is about a month short of the three full years required for arbitration. Boyd has a fraction over three years in the bigs, and Hurst slightly more than five.

The new sophomore crop isn't content with salary increases of 100 percent or more. Oakland slugger **Jose Canseco**, AL rookie of the year, has been offered a raise from $75,000 to $150,000 but wants $200,000. The Angels' **Wally Joyner**, who trailed Canseco by 12 votes, wanted to jump from $65,000 to $200,000 but had to settle for $160,000, plus incentives. Cleveland's **Cory Snyder** went from $60,000 to $90,000 and $20,000 worth of incentives after demanding $150,000.

The owners are retrenching after watching the Mets' **Dwight Gooden** go from $50,000 to $400,000 to $1.3 million in his first three big-league campaigns.

SIGN OF THE TIMES

Though they draw more than 3 million fans a year, the **Dodgers** trimmed their payroll by an estimated $1 million over the winter and believe they can save an additional $50,000 in spring training. They've stopped free tennis lessons for players' wives, have stopped serving doughnuts in camp, have substituted potato chips for cashews in the press room and are serving more grouper and less lobster in the Dodgertown mess hall.

WHAT'S BREWING?

New Milwaukee M Creditanager **Tom Trebelhorn** continues to suffer from an identity problem. The new Topps bubble gum cards picture Trebelhorn's predecessor, **George Bamberger**, as current manager of the Brewers.

The Brewers' **Harry Dalton** is unwilling to participate in the game of musical chairs that many big-league teams play with long-established managers. Dalton, who earlier was with the Orioles and Angels, has been a major-league GM for 20 seasons and twice has been chosen "executive of the year." He has employed 11 managers and only two of them, **Dick Williams** and **Rene Lachemann**, had previous big-league experience.

Dalton's rookie skippers have been **Bamberger**, **Trebelhorn**, **Earl Weaver**, **Del Rice**, **Norm Sherry**, **Bobby Winkles**, **Dave Garcia**, **Bob Rodgers** and **Harvey Kuenn**. "Managers have to start somewhere," Dalton says. "You can't be a retread manager forever."

MISSING PERSONS

Montreal Manager **Bob Rodgers** was talking about the world champion Mets. "They have one opening on their ballclub, at third base. We have as many as 10." The Expos have lost outfielder **Andre Dawson** to the Cubs through free agency, apparently have lost star outfielder **Tim Raines** via the same route and have woefully inexperienced pitching. Not counting veteran **Doug McClure**, the other 13 roster pitchers have a total of 18 seasons in the majors.

Expos GM **Murray Cook** is tired of hearing that Raines and Dawson aren't in camp. "Yeah, and neither are **Babe Ruth** or **Lou Gehrig**."

Andrews lands four on all-district team

From Staff Reports

ANDREWS— Andrews' Mustangs dominated the All-District 2-4A team, landing four players on the unit, led by Bernard Williams, a unanimous choice of the coaches.

Damon and Louis Clay, brothers with Midland backgrounds, were selected and Gym Bice was named sophomore-of-the-year. Louis is a senior and Damon a sophomore.

The Mustangs finished 29-4 and went 16-0 in district.

Also named to the team were Lamesa's Carl Pennington, Snyder's Chris Garrett, Big Spring's Charles Young and Sweetwater's Chris Harris, seniors; and juniors Cedric Mason, Lamesa, and Brian Mayfield, Big Spring.

Williams averaged 24 points a game and won the 2-4A point title.

Louis Clay averaged 10 points a game, but his real value was in the direction of the team. His 12 assists a game set an Andrews record. He also had three steals per game.

Damon Clay supplied a 20.4 ppg offensive kick and corralled 10.2 rebounds a game.

Bice was the team's third leading scorer with a 14.6 ppg. He also contributed 6 assists per game.

Transactions

BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association
NEW JERSEY NETS—Signed Buck Williams, forward, to a multi-year contract.
SEATTLE SUPERSONICS—Signed Eddie Johnson, guard, to a second 10-day contract.
FOOTBALL
National Football League
DETROIT LIONS—Signed Eddie Coleman, wide receiver.
PITTSBURGH STEELERS—Signed Mike Webster, center and Gordon Brown, running back.
SAN DIEGO CHARGERS—Signed Jeff Powell, Larry Shepard and Tag Otte, wide receivers, and Chuck Rogers, offensive lineman.
COLLEGE
KENT STATE—Named Jim Hilles defensive coordinator.
TENNESSEE—Announced the resignation of Jack Fertig, assistant basketball coach.

Rudy struck out two summers in a row.
This is his summer to score.
MEATBALLS III
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HSBC holds tourney

From Staff Reports

The High Sky Bass Club holds its monthly tournament at Lake Brownwood this weekend.

The HSBC also will hold its mini classic this spring and members wishing to be included in the drawing to fish with last year's top 10 finishers in the club standings must contact Fred Nobles (683 4680).

Other upcoming tournaments include the Brownwood Bass Club, March 29; Silver Bullet Classic for the benefit of the WT Rehab Center, April 4-5 at Angelo Lakes and Spence; Snyder/Tye Open at Spence April 11; and the next monthly HSCB tournament April 25-26 at Spence.

The HSBC Feb. tournament at Oak Creek Lake saw 13 anglers reel in 31.60 pounds of fish. Dean Armstrong won the men's division with nine fish for 21.80 pounds. Steve Hill was second and Lowell Wade third. Brian Saltzman won the Youth division.

STRIPED bass shared center stage with black and white bass at Lake Spence with Midland's Gene McQueen landing four blacks, largest 7-5; Bill Brown and Gordon Schmitt, Midland, took six blacks to 3-10; Jerry Brooks and party of Midland, seven blacks; Darrell Sorey, Midland, five blacks. Cecil Sudduth, Winters, sported the catch of the week with a 26 3/4 striper.

ETHEL, the state record 17-11 largemouth bass, came out second best in recent skirmishes with smaller fish.

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Recent surveys by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Dept. indicate the 4,600-acre reservoir is producing good populations of largemouth and crappie.

Sporting goods dealer falls into the fur trade

By GORDON ZEIGLER

PLAINVIEW (AP) — A promise made several years ago led a Plainview man unwittingly into the business of skinning coyotes.

Randy Warrick guaranteed area hunters a buyer would be at his sporting goods store each week to purchase coyote carcasses. He never expected that his buyer would show up only twice, never to return or explain.

Warrick found himself in a predicament. Hides kept coming in. Still hoping the man would show up, Warrick bought some carcasses himself.

"We told people there would be a man here to buy their coyotes," explained Warrick. "When he didn't show up, we bought them just to keep our word."

When the carcasses piled up at his back door, Warrick had to do something. He tried his then-primitive skills, and began a backbreaking job. It was either skin them out, or throw the animals, and an investment of about $5 each, in the dumpster.

He peeled off the hide, washed it, used a knife to remove flesh from the inside — sewing up wounds with thread, putting the carcass on a stretcher, wrong-side-out to dry — then turned the hide, combed it and groomed it to a "finished" look.

"It took me all day to skin the first one," Warrick recalls. "A man experienced at skinning had told me what to expect that first time, and what I found was true. But it took a lot of experience, learning short cuts, to speed up the process. Now I can average one skin in about 12 minutes."

The entire process — skinning to drying — takes about three to five days.

That first season, 1980, brought in five coyotes, but it was about all Warrick could handle. The next year resulted in a few more. His best year ever was last year, with more than 300 skins.

Skinning led him into another hobby — coyote trapping, but due to an unpleasant turn of events, the hobby was short-lived.

It was winter 1984, and for 78 consecutive days, Warrick and a trapping partner headed north out of Plainview every morning and set traps on a ranch along the Palo Duro Canyon.

The trapping venture turned sour, however, when a cow wandered into one of the traps. They had to buy it from the rancher and it wiped out all their profits.

"I learned a lot from that — how not to catch a cow," Warrick grinned.

Only the winter months lend themselves to fur trading. In cold weather, coyotes and other animals grow their thickest coats. Sometimes a hard winter makes quality good, but the season can end abruptly as it begins in West Texas. With the first warming trend, the coat of the animal breaks down and hair begins to "rub off." Furs are almost worthless the rest of the year.

"The colder the weather, the better the fur," Warrick explained.

"The 1986-87 season has been an excellent one quality and price wise," Warrick said, adding that the number of animals was less that half that of last year's crop.

Warrick said prices paid to hunters this year are about the best he has seen, zooming from $6 per carcass early in the season to near $15 as it wound down.

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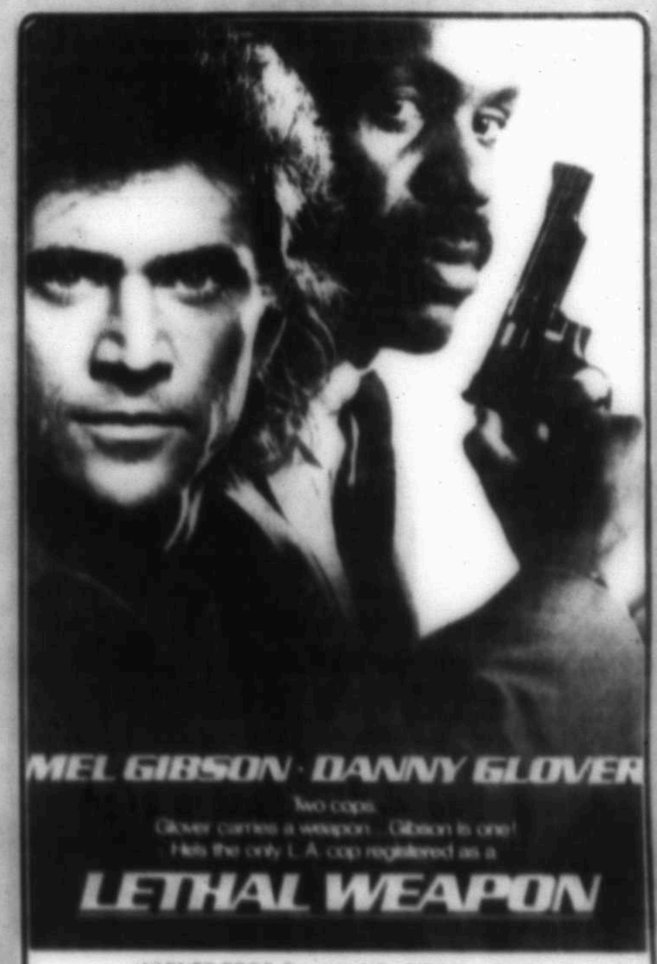

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MC tennis teams look for new fields to conquer

From Staff Reports

Seeking out the best competition possible, the Midland College tennis teams left today for a week-long tour of three states during its annual spring break tour.

"It's so hard to get enough competition that we use the spring break to play as many matches as possible, most of them against university teams," said MC tennis coach Joe Williams. "This gives us the matches we need to prepare for our conference, regional, and national events."

MC's men play TCU Saturday while the women play Cooke County Community in Gainesville. Monday both play the University of Arkansas-Little Rock, then go to Monroe the Tuesday for Northeast Louisiana and McNeese State in Lake Charles Wednesday.

The women play Southwest Louisiana in Lafayette Thursday and Friday Alvin Junior College in Houston.

The teams risk their unbeaten streaks during the grueling tour. The men are 10-0, including seven wins over university teams. They captured the New Mexico State Invitational last month and the Border Olympics title a week ago. They've lost just 15 individual matches, an average of 7.5 wins and 1.5 losses against all comers.

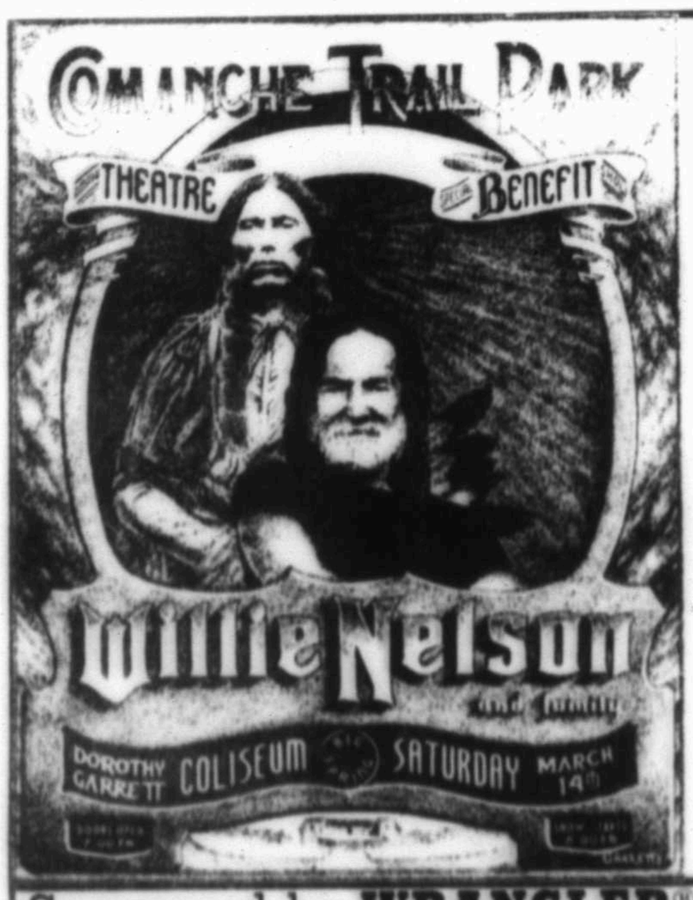
The women are 4-0, two wins over junior colleges and two over universities. Their only two match losses have been against conference rival South Plains College, while they've blanked their other three opponents.

Sophomore Jean Roussel is 13-0 in singles while playing the No. 1 position. He's 11-1 in doubles with Eric Lingg and 1-0 with Bret Campoy. Sophomore letterman Lingg usually plays No. 2 and has a 14-2 record. Gilles Ameline, who came to MC at the semester, is 7-0 in No. 3 or 4 singles and 7-0 in doubles with Lars Nordmark. Freshman Johan Dysholm has a 13-1 singles record, playing any of the top three spots. He has a combined 13-1 doubles record with three different partners. Sophomore transfer Lars Nordmark has a 13-2 record at No. 4 singles, is 5-1 with Nordmark and 7-0 with Gilles Ameline.

Sophomore letterman Herve Rousseau, who returned in January after surgery last fall, is 1-2 in singles and 6-0 in doubles with Dysholm. Freshman Bret Campoy usually plays No. 6 singles, where his record is 11-5. In his only doubles match, he won with partner Jean Roussel.

Freshman Caroline Bhaguandas is 11-1 at No. 1 singles and 5-0 with Rachel Wilson in No. 1 doubles. Sophomore letter winner Natasha Koprivica has a 12-2 record in singles, mostly at No. 2, and is 4-2 in doubles with three partners. Mostly recently, she is 2-0 with Rebecca Nevarez. Sophomore letter winner Helen Schildknecht is 8-2 in No. 2 and 3 singles. Her doubles record is 5-0. She played most recently at No. 2 with Sara Hancock. Freshman Jill Vallandigham has a 5-2 singles record at No. 5 and 6, and is 4-2 in doubles.

Freshman Rachel Wilson is 8-1 in singles, usually at No. 5. Rebecca Nevarez joined the team in January and is 2-0 in both singles and doubles. Sara Hancock also came this semester. She's 1-0 in singles and 2-0 in doubles.



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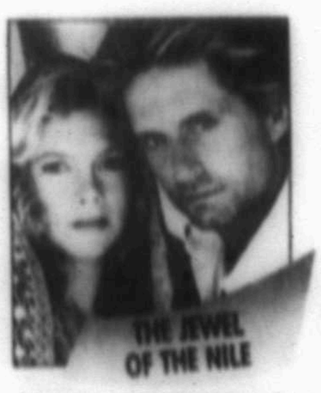

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22-year-old murder may net man life in prison

PAMPA (AP) — A man whose act of wife-murder took 22 years to catch up with him faces up to life in prison as the punishment phase of his trial resumes today.

Albert Eugene Branscum, 56, stared intently but without emotion at the courtroom floor Thursday as jurors delivered a verdict of guilty of murder with malice aforethought in the October 1964 shooting of 29-year-old Glenna Branscum.

"We're pleased with it (the verdict)," said Jerry Hollon of Amarillo, Mrs. Branscum's brother. "We don't want him to get probation. He hasn't served a day on this. We'd like to see him serve some jail time."

Branscum, who shot himself twice in the head minutes after shooting his wife to death in their Pampa home, was never prosecuted on the original murder charge because Gray County law officials believed he was a "mental vegetable" unfit for trial.

The case was reopened last year after a relative of Mrs. Branscum's questioned its status and authorities discovered Branscum had walked away from the hospital 20 years ago and had been quietly operating a salvage yard in Konawa, Okla., since then.

Branscum's attorney, John Mann of Amarillo, asked the jury in closing remarks for a verdict of that is similar to a lesser charge of voluntary manslaughter, a second-degree felony.

He said Branscum had acted "under the immediate influence of passion" because he had just learned his 29-year-old wife was leaving him.

"He sentenced himself to the one thing he didn't want — a life without her," Mann said. "This happened as the devil of torment of his soul built and built."

"I accept the jury's verdict and don't question it," said Mann, adding that he would ask for the minimum sentence of 5 years' probation.

The second day of testimony Thursday was highlighted when Branscum limped to the stand with the aid of a crutch to be questioned for more than an hour. He wept when Mann showed him a photo of his wife and said their marriage was "like heaven."

"I loved her so much, I worshiped the ground she walked on," he said. "It just came to a point where there was no way to go, nowhere to turn. I just couldn't accept it (Glenna leaving)."

He said he doesn't remember the shooting or his attempt on his own life. Branscum said the last thing he remembers before waking up in a hospital is washing his face and hands and lying across his bed in his home.

Former Assistant District Attorney David Hamilton, who investigated the case last year, has said Gray County officials — including Sheriff Rufe Jordon and former District Attorney Bill Waters — kept tabs on Branscum's condition by phone with officials in Oklahoma but never had him checked in person.

Stolen Indian pieces returned to Mexico

EL PASO (AP) — Seventeen artifacts from an Indian archaeological dig were returned to Mexico this week by the U.S. Customs Service, which had seized the items from a smuggling ring.

The artifacts from the 1,000-year-old Paquime community ruins near Casas Grandes, Mexico, about 200 miles south of El Paso, were confiscated by Customs agents at the Columbus, N.M., port of entry last July, said Mike Mack, acting district director for Customs in El Paso.

Enrique Buj Flors, Mexican consul in El Paso, said most of the pieces were dated to the Paquime Indians, a community of traders that flourished from A.D. 900 to 1,100. He said the painted pottery pieces, an ax head and a grinding stone may have been sold in the black market for more than $6,000.

Buj said robbery of archaeological sites in Mexico is a big problem.

"There are more than 1,100 important archaeological sites," said Buj. "Less than 100 are adequately supervised, and only 13 or 14 are undergoing restoration."

The artifacts were being smuggled into the United States by a ring that sells the pieces to collectors, Mack said. The artifacts were given back to Mexico under a treaty between the United States and Mexico that allows the return of stolen archaeological or cultural items.

The ruins of Paquime include multistory apartments and aqueducts that ran through the city for drinking water and sewage disposal. Parrots and other tropical birds were kept in cages and their feathers used for ceremonial headdresses, Buj said.

"They were highly skilled craftsmen," Buj said Wednesday. "Archaeological studies have proven that Paquime was the most important center for trade and ceremonial culture for 500 miles around."

Two of the pottery bowls in the confiscated shipment were traced to the Gila Indians of northern Arizona. Buj said the presence of the bowls in Paquime showed there was trade between the two distant tribes.

Mack said criminal charges of smuggling are pending against the driver of the car where the confiscated items were found.

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Enrique Buj Flors, the Mexican consul in El Paso, points to some Indian artifacts returned by the U.S. Customs Service to Mexico. The items were seized from a smuggling ring.

Democrats call combined primary 'GOP ploy'

By JIM WARREN
Reporter-Telegram Austin Bureau

The bill calls for combining Democratic and Republican polling places in primary elections and having bipartisan election officials in each of the state's 6,724 precincts. Currently, the GOP holds primaries in 5,113 of those precincts, while Democrats have primaries in all but 40 precincts.

AUSTIN — While Secretary of State Jack Rains and GOP lawmakers Thursday plugged a bill to combine polling places for primary elections, Democratic officials said the plan is a ploy by the Republicans to gain more primary voters.

Rains, the state's chief election officer, said the proposal has no partisan overtones and is merely a plan to save the state as much as $5 million dollars. Although some Democratic senators said the bill has little support and is dead, Senate sponsor Cyndi Krier, R-San Antonio, and House sponsor Richard Smith, R-Bryan, said their Democratic colleagues will come around when they understand how much money it will save the state.

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Ed Martin, executive director of the state Democratic Party, said the so-called unified primary bill would not save the state much money at all. Also, he said, most of the savings to the state would be passed on to local governments that run the elections.

But Rains said his non-partisan staff drew up the plan and the cash strapped state needs to save money where ever it can.

"There's been some criticism that somehow the Republican Party is trying to take over the election process," Rains said. But the local county clerks who run the elections, he noted, are almost all Democrats. "It brings professionalism to the primary system and saves a dramatic amount of money."

Rains also said the local counties and cities will not take on an additional burden. But Martin said the plan "is the old Republican tax shift" and he has "plenty of votes to kill it in the Senate."

Sen. Chet Edwards, D-Duncanville and a Democratic activist, said he doubts Senate Democrats will support the unified primary. "It seems to have so little support over here I haven't even worried about it," Edwards said.

Krier, however, said those Senate Democrats are "looking at it through partisan glasses" and will change their minds as the idea "takes on less of a partisan tint and more of an ability to save money."

House Elections Committee Chairwoman Ernestine Glossbrenner said Texas probably doesn't need a unified primary until it has official party registration, which she doesn't foresee. The bill, however, will receive a hearing in her committee.

Rep. Smith said House Democrats will understand the state — faced with huge budget deficit — cannot afford to have separate locations for the two parties and noted that the growing Libertarian Party also could sap money from the state Treasury.

"I talked privately with several members who support the idea but they're reluctant to do it publicly because it's being made a partisan issue," Smith said.

Dreams of Asian immigrant family shattered by killing

DALLAS (AP) — The dreams of an Asian immigrant family that survived an arduous trip to the United States were shattered after a scuffle that left one brother dead and another in jail as a suspect in the slaying.

Hann Louth, 19, has been arrested on an investigative murder charge and is in the Lew Sterrett Justice Center. His brother Hen, 15, was buried Wednesday.

The younger Louth died from a stab wound to the stomach inflicted during an argument with his older brother, the boy's mother said.

Khung Ly, a caseworker for the Multicultural Alliance of Dallas and one of the pallbearers at Hen's funeral, said the older brother pleaded with ambulance personnel to save his brother's life.

"The big brother started crying, saying, 'Please help my brother stay alive. I love him very much,'" said Khung Ly. "He said, 'Please take care of mother and our family,' and then he died."

The two got along well, family and neighbors said, and the family had held together through the tortuous labor camps in Cambodia and their escape a year ago.

But under the pressures of trying to adapt to a strange, competitive society and subsist on the family's meager income, the nerves of the brothers sometimes wore thin.

Hen, who liked to play soccer and help with chores, was fatally cut in the confusing seconds of an argument over how a plate of rice was to be divided, said Ou Moeun, the boy's mother.

"I am old, and I came from Cambodia to America to survive," she said through a translator.

Spa's wrap called hazardous to consumers' health

AUSTIN (AP) — State Attorney General Jim Mattox accused a chain of weight loss spas, in a suit filed Wednesday, of false advertising and using a hazardous chemical on its customers.

The Texas Health Department temporarily shut down four Total European Concepts spas in Austin, Dallas and Houston early Wednesday morning following the filing of the suit in a Travis County court.

"The defendants tried to convince consumers that their treatments were easier and a substitute for exercise and a proper diet," Mattox said.

Customers are wrapped in a material that has been soaked in a chemical then are seated in a chair for an hour and covered with blankets, the attorney general's office said in a news release.

No one was in at the Austin office of Total European Concepts to answer calls made by the Associated Press.

Mattox accused the spas of falsely claiming a person can lose six to 30 inches of body fat with the treatment, the suit says.

"The body wrap is not a valid substitute for exercise and diet. And I doubt that being wrapped up like a mummy for an hour at a time is more pleasant than exercise and diet."

Mattox said the chemical used in the treatment could cause damage to the eyes and irritation to the skin, mucus membrane and respiratory tract if a customer is overexposed to it.

The chemical also could be dangerous to customers with a variety of conditions and illnesses.

The spas were warned by manufacturers of the treatment chemical that goggles, gloves and full clothing should be used for protection, Mattox says in the suit.

Dallas Ballet not yet dead on its feet

DALLAS (AP) — The curtain won't go down on the Dallas Ballet — at least not for now.

Dance company officials announced Thursday that more than 2,400 contributors raised $535,000 in a week-long fund drive — $85,000 more than the $450,000 needed to keep the ballet alive.

"You'd never see this happen in any other place. We've seen Dallas at its very best this week," said Nancy Steorts, a member of the ballet's board of trustees.

Dancers were jubilant after the board reported the drive results.

"There was never a doubt in my mind that we would do it," said Artistic Director Flemming Flindt at the board of directors meeting in which the drive's results were announced. "It is our fate, it is our religion to dance. You don't give up your fate — you fight for it."

On March 5 when board President Karl Zavitkovsky told the dancers they would not be paid and that the company would fold unless it could raise $450,000 in one week, the dancers agreed to pitch in.

Since then, all 27 members of the company, three apprentices and several "extras" have made hundreds of telephone calls and frequent appearances at malls and parks, often in costume.

Dancers continued with rehearsals of "The Three Musketeers," in hopes that the ballet would open as scheduled March 18 at the Majestic Theatre.

The fund drive left the dancers exuberant, but tired.

"We've been running on desperation, exhaustion and caffeine," dancer David Curwen said.

The public appeal was "a big risk," Zavitkovsky said.

"The risk is that you acquire the stigma of being financially troubled, and that you've run out of alternatives. We didn't want to do it but we were up against the wall."

The fund drive brought in gifts ranging from quarters to a $100,000 grant from the Roy and Christine Sturgis Charitable and Educational Trust, a source that the ballet had never tapped. There were a total of 700 contributors.

Many donors sent letters along with their money.

"I am only 12 years old so I don't have much to offer ($2). But I hope this will help a little and good luck," one boy wrote.

The company must raise another $300,000 before June 30 to balance its $3.3 million budget and avoid adding to a $563,000 debt.

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Senate panel considering liability proposals

AUSTIN (AP) — A Senate committee has taken under consideration almost 50 proposals designed to stem rising prices of liability insurance and the increasing size of awards in personal injury suits.

The Senate Economic Development Committee Thursday completed public testimony on the proposals, which will be assigned to subcommittees for further study on Monday, said chairman Sen. O.H."Ike" Harris, R-Dallas.

A similar number of measures are pending in the House.

Most of the bills resulted from a year-long investigation by a joint House-Senate group on the cost and availability of liability insurance.

One of the last witnesses Thursday — Evelyn Ireland, representing the National Association of Independent Insurers — opposed one bill that would create a separate counsel to represent consumers in rate hearings before the State Board of Insurance.

"The state board has demonstrated an unusually high degree of consumer sensibility," she said.

Ms. Ireland said the NAII, along with the Insurance League of Texas, opposed a measure by Sen. Kent Caperton, D-Bryan, to create an office of insurance counsel in the Board of Insurance to represent consumers, similar to that in the Public Utility Commission.

"Insurance is a competitive business, not a monopoly like the utilities appearing before PUC," she said. "The state board sets maximum insurance rates but individual companies can deviate from those."

She said the state board has consistently set insurance rates, particularly in automobile insurance, at rates lower than those requested by the industry. The board also has counted income on investments in determining an insurance company's profits, much against the industry wishes, she said.

Sen. Gene Green, D-Houston, said Ms. Ireland's statement about telephone and electric companies being treated as monopolies before PUC was "not as clear as it might seem. Although they are treated as monopolies in the service area, they go before PUC individually when it comes to rate increases," he said.

Tom Bond, also representing the National Association of Independent Insurers, as well as the Insurance League, said many of the bills before the committee would not make liability insurance more available at better rates.

Bill could mean fewer glasses, hearing aids

By STEVE LEVINE
Reporter-Telegram Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — Eyeglasses and hearing aids for the poor — state services then-candidate Bill Clements last fall said he would not cut — could be reduced under the spending bill the governor has sent the Legislature, state officials say.

One Sunday during the fall campaign against Clements, former Democratic Gov. Mark White toured black churches accusing his Republican opponent of wanting to close two predominantly black state universities. "And they are going to cut out programs for eyeglasses for people who don't have good vision and hearing aids," White added.

Two days later, Clements accused White of "prevarication in the pulpit," calling the allegations "rash and without foundation." "I want the record to show that I categorically deny all those statements he made," Clements said at an Austin news conference.

The line-item budget Clements submitted to lawmakers this week calls for the state to spend $803 million per year on purchased health services in fiscal 1988 and 1989, $13 million less than current spending and $209 million a year under what the Legislative Budget Board says is needed to maintain current services.

Brian Packard, assistant commissioner for budget planning and management support at the Department of Human Services, said federal regulations give the state little leeway in reducing spending on Medicaid and other health care for the poor. "We just have to look at optional services and reducing reimbursement rates to hospitals and physicians," Packard said.

Those "optional services" include eyeglasses and hearing aids for the poor, chiropractic care, prenatal care for pregnant women and health services for poor children from two-parent households.

Packard said the state cut Medicaid reimbursement to doctors and hospitals by 10 percent last year.

STATE IN BRIEF

Bally may sell Six Flags chain, newspaper says

CHICAGO (AP) — Bally Manufacturing Corp. may sell its Six Flags amusement parks chain, a newspaper reported today.

Six Flags operates seven major theme parks around the country, several water recreation parks and other facilities.

Chicago-based Bally may have been approached by several prospective suitors, the Chicago Tribune said in today's editions, quoting sources it did not name. The sources said Bally could get about $300 million for the subsidiary.

Proceeds from the sale would be used to reduce Bally's debt and give it more financial flexibility, the newspaper said.

Bally Chairman Robert E. Mullane, when asked by the Tribune about the possible Six Flags sale and a possible sale of a minority stake in Bally's Health and Tennis Corp. subsidiary, said: "Those are certainly things that are under consideration." He did not elaborate.

With its $439 million purchase early this month of the Golden Nugget Casino Hotel in Atlantic City, N.J., Bally has seen its long-term debt swell to about $1.6 billion, or almost three times its equity of $600 million, the Tribune said.

Bally is the nation's largest gaming company, with four casino-hotels and gaming-equipment and lottery-supplies businesses.

Gilley concert to aid girl

WASHINGTON (AP) — Country music star Mickey Gilley says he plans to perform with his band at a March 21 benefit in Buffalo, Texas, to help a 6-year-old girl raise $200,000 to pay for a liver transplant.

Gilley said Thursday he was contacted by Rep. Joe Barton, R-Ennis, who told his wife about Myranda Murchinson's liver illness and asked if Gilley could help.

"My wife told me there was a little girl in need in Buffalo, Texas, and asked if anything I could do," said Gilley.

"When I found out the little girl needed help I said to myself, 'How about if this was happening to one of my kids and I couldn't afford it.' It just breaks your heart to see little kids suffering like that."

Barton, who has worked with the Buffalo Chamber of Commerce to organize the event on March 21, said the entire day will be dedicated to raising money for Myranda's operation. Festivities will take place in a downtown park.

Students admit illegal calls

DALLAS (AP) — More than 1,000 students at North Texas State University in Denton have admitted illegally using MCI billing codes to make more than $100,000 in phone calls, MCI officials said.

The confessions came after an offer from the long-distance telephone company not to prosecute students who came forward by Feb. 27.

The 1,020 students who admitted making the calls will be billed, and a small number of others who remained silent will be prosecuted, MCI spokesman John Houser said Wednesday.

"We're preparing cases on half a dozen of the most flagrant abusers," said Houser. He said those students either chalked up several hundred dollars worth of calls or were "bragging about having escaped our claws."

Most students began using MCI codes in August, but some started using the codes more than a year ago, Houser said.

"The rumor on campus was that MCI had given a free Watts line to the school," he said. "I can't believe that a lot of students were taken in under that guise, but they were."

Layoffs unlikely, official says

DALLAS (AP) — City Manager Richard Knight Jr. said Thursday that he expects the city to remedy severe budget shortfalls through means other than job cutbacks.

In a memo to 14,000 city employees, Knight said the reports that the city may face an overall shortfall of up to $16 million were wrong and he chastised unnamed city officials who had predicted the shortfall in media reports.

"We are not trying to downplay the issue...but it is totally irresponsible for the employee to even forecast such a figure," he said. "The city official is going to have to belly up to the bar and show us the methodology used for calculating that figure."

Knight said the city could be facing a budget shortfall of up to $9 million for the remainder of the year, about $1.7 million more than projected.

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Aerial photos show extensive quake damage in Ecuador

QUITO, Ecuador (AP) — A senior provincial official estimates that the death toll in last week's earthquakes could climb as high as 2,000, based on an aerial inspection which he said showed whole villages wiped out by torrents of mud and water.

Prefect Jorge Gonzalez, chief administrator of Napo Province, said at a news conference Thursday that 2,000 people were killed, 5,000 disappeared and another 50,000 were left homeless by the series of very strong earthquakes that hit this Andean nation a week ago.

The International Red Cross has said 300 people were killed and 4,000 are missing. The national government has not released an official death toll. It says 75,000 people have been driven from their homes.

Gonzalez said the hardest hit region was a 640-square-mile zone surrounding the volcano El Reventador, 40 miles northeast of Quito. The region is home to about 100,000 people.

"There are homes buried or submerged in water, there are bodies in the mud and the rivers are contaminated with oil," said Gonzalez, a member of the opposition Social Democrat party.

He said officials may never know the final death toll from the earthquakes, the worst catastrophe to strike this small Andean nation this century.

The 10 earthquakes struck last Thursday and Friday along the nation's 2-mile-high Andean spine, affecting an area from the Colombian border to Riobamba, 95 miles south of Quito.

The temblors spawned avalanches of mud and rocks that destroyed homes and villages, swallowed up entire villages in remote Amazon forest regions.

The mudslides also destroyed a 30-mile stretch of the nation's main oil pipeline, forcing Ecuador to stop payments for this year on its $8.2 billion foreign debt.

The government said it would take about five months to repair the pipeline and that oil exports would be halted for that period.

On Thursday, Venezuela said it had tentatively agreed to supply Ecuador's customers with oil until the pipeline is repaired.

Officials said details of the plan were still being negotiated. Ecuador had proposed that it continue receiving export payments, and repay the donor country later with oil.

The shattered pipeline also caused environmental damage, spilling oil into rivers near Baeza, 40 miles southeast of Quito.

Some of the worst quake damage was in Quijo and Gonzalo Pizarro, where all 400 residents disappeared after a muddy wall of water slammed into the towns, Gonzales said.

He appealed to the international community to maintain an air bridge between Quito and the devastated Napo areas to ferry food and supplies.

The Spanish Red Cross said it was giving $20,000 worth of supplies to Ecuador, while World Vision, a Christian relief agency, said it was donating $10,000 in aid.

Oswaldo Davila, executive secretary of Ecuador's National Development Council, said prior to the Venezuelan announcement that Ecuador stands to lose $1 billion due to the cutoff of exports, the cost of repairs to the pipeline, construction of a temporary pipeline and the import of emergency fuel.

Ecuador has appealed to the Organization of Oil Exporting Countries to temporarily increase its production quota nearly 50 percent, to 310,000 barrels. The government said it will need the additional production to pay back oil-producing nations that temporarily take over its oil obligations.

Before the earthquakes, Ecuador had been exporting 144,000 barrels a day.

WORLD

WORLD IN BRIEF

New Zealand shaken

WELLINGTON, New Zealand (AP) — A strong earthquake hit the west coast of South Island today, but no major damage was reported.

Seismologist Murray Lowry, of the National Siesmological Observatory, said the quake registered 5.1 on the open-ended Richter scale.

Emergency services officials said the temblor was felt strongest in the towns of Westport, Greymouth and Christchurch.

The Bay of Plenty region in New Zealand's North Island was hit by a series of earthquakes that caused widespread damage earlier this month.

The Richter scale is a gauge of the energy released by an earthquake, as measured by the ground motion recorded on a seismograph. Every increase of one number means that the ground motion is 10 times greater.

A quake of magnitude 5 can cause considerable damage in populated areas.

Baby back with mother

CIUDAD JUAREZ, Mexico (AP) — A 9-month-old baby was returned to its mother by a woman who denied claims from the child's father that she bought the child for $50, authorities say.

Iseia Gonzalez Vazquez, 18, turned her common-law husband over to police when he told her he had sold their baby to buy food. The husband, Martin Avila Morales, 18, was charged with child neglect and jailed.

Teresa Anvario de Salazar — a Torreon, Coahuila, traveling businesswoman — returned the baby to police, saying she had only taken it to provide temporary care, said Jose Refugio Rubalcava, commander of the State Judicial police in this border city.

Ms. Salazar said she gave the father 50,000 Mexican pesos, or about $50, only as a loan to Avila, not as payment for the baby.

Pilot carried passport

TEGUCIGALPA, Honduras (NYT) — Joseph Bernard Mason, the pilot of a DC-3 shot down by the Honduran air force, carried an empty passport with a Miami Springs address label that titled him a colonel, according to documents made public Thursday by the Honduran armed forces.

Mason, who would have turned 51 Friday, was killed Monday along with three other crewmen aboard the cargo plane after it crossed into Honduras from Nicaragua and ignored intercept signals from Honduran fighter jets.

Documents carried by Mason were shown to reporters here. The other three crew members, who have not been identified, either carried no documents or their papers were destroyed in the crash, said Col. Manuel Suarez Benavides, spokesman for the Honduran military.

Mason's passport, burned around the edges, had only blank pages with no entry or exit stamps from any countries, despite statements from Guatemalan authorities that he was in Guatemala for some time this month and took off from the Guatemala City airport on Monday morning.

The passport, issued in August 1985 in Houston, had a home address for "Colonel Joseph Mason" in Miami Springs, a suburb of Miami. Mason's Florida driver's license, issued in 1983, bore a different Miami Springs address.

More bombs rock Belfast

BELFAST, Northern Ireland (AP) — Four bombs exploded in Belfast today injuring at least five police officers, four of them at a cemetery where a slain colleague was being buried, police said.

A car bomb blew up near Roselawn Cemetery on the outskirts of Belfast as the funeral cortege was approaching with the body of reserve Peter Nesbitt, who was killed by a bomb in Belfast Tuesday night, said Superintendent Leonard Bleakney, a spokesman for the Royal Ulster Constabulary.

Three of the police officers suffered shrapnel wounds and a fourth was in shock, he said.

Another policeman was injured when a bomb exploded at Smithfield Market in the center of the province's capital, Bleakney said. A second bomb exploded at the enclosed shopping mall a few minutes later, but caused no casualties, police said.

A bomb also went off on the Dublin Road, a commercial thoroughfare, causing no injuries.

There was no immediate claim of responsibility for the blasts.

Another body recovered

ZEEBRUGGE, Belgium (AP) — Divers at the wreckage of the capsized Herald of Free Enterprise ferry have recovered the body of another crew member, raising to 55 the number of confirmed dead, an official said today.

Paul Ellis, spokesman for the ferry's owner, Townsend Thoresen, said the "chance discovery" of the body was made Thursday afternoon by divers employed by the Dutch salvage company Smit Tak.

Ellis said the victim, an officer of the ship that capsized last Friday near the entrance to Zeebrugge harbor, had been positively identified but that he could release no other information.

It was the second recovery of a body in as many days. On Wednesday divers searched the bridge of the ship and found the corpse of a crew member who they apparently knew had been in that area.

The latest recovery meant 55 bodies had been pulled from the wreck, of which 49 had been identified. Seventy-nine bodies are believed still trapped in the sunken hull. There were 409 survivers.

Greece protests remarks

ATHENS, Greece (AP) — Greece has protested as "boorish, inadmissible and unfounded," recent remarks by U.S. officials on the role of Turkish troops in Cyprus.

Foreign Minister Carolos Papoulias's protest to U.S. Ambassador Robert V. Keeley was made public Thursday. A U.S. Embassy spokeswoman confirmed that Keeley was summoned to the Foreign Ministry but declined any comment.

Turkish troops have occupied northern Cyprus since 1974, when a Greek-inspired coup on the Mediterranean island triggered a Turkish invasion.

Greece still regards Turkey as a major threat to its own security and insists on getting $7 dollars in American defense aid for every $10 that Turkey receives in order to keep a military balance between the two countries.

Babies given to mother

STAFFORD, England (AP) — A judge ruled that the natural mother of Britain's first surrogate twins can keep the 5-month-old children, saying it was important to preserve the maternal bond she had provided.

In a 90-minute judgment in Stafford High Court, Judge Sir John Arnold said Thursday that the twins had spent a lot of time with their natural mother since they were born, and must have developed a bond with her.

The judge ruled that despite a more stimulating intellectual environment in the home of the father and his wife, the link between mother and children must be preserved.

The mother broke down and sobbed when Arnold said she would be able to keep the babies, who have been in her care but under the auspices of a local authority.

The ruling came a day after another judge in London permitted a childless couple to adopt a 2-year-old girl borne for them by a surrogate mother for $7,500. The surrogate mother in that case did not contest the adoption.

The ruling also came as closing arguments began in a landmark case in the United States in which surrogate mother Mary Beth Whitehead refuses to hand over the child she agreed to bear for $10,000 for William and Elizabeth Stern.

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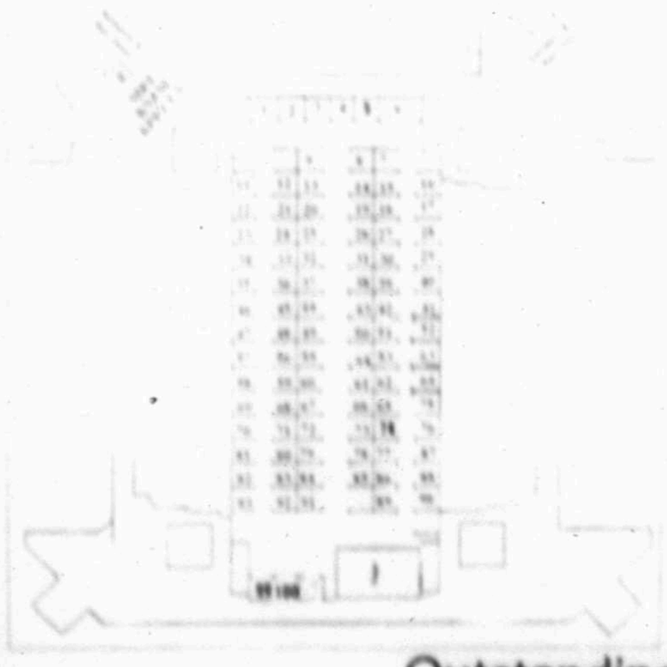

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'Tea ladies' disappearing from the British workplace

EDITOR'S NOTE: One more part of Britain's past is giving way to the machine — the tea lady, along with her smile and gossip. This is one of a series of occasional reports by Associated Press correspondents on the way of life in other countries.

By COTTEN TIMBERLAKE

LONDON (AP) — Just about every British office had at least one much-loved tea lady who came around twice a day, smilingly serving tea in fine china cups, dropping an occasional juicy bit of gossip and, when needed, passing along a little motherly advice.

But Britain's tea ladies are dwindling — replaced by machines.

It's a trend regretted by many.

"There is something very British about tea ladies," said Mark Chapman, an independent television producer.

He recently made a documentary about tea and said he discovered that "more and more people were going to tea-dispensing machines, and that the tea ladies were an endangered species."

One is Noreen Hosburgh, who has been a tea lady for more than 20 years. She's retiring in August but doesn't like the idea of machines dispensing tea.

"From the tea ladies' point of view it's a very said thing," she said, "because for lots of mothers, after bringing up children, it was sort of an opportunity to get back to work without having to study and everything else."

There are 180,000 machines dispensing tea in offices, factories and other locations throughout the country today, said Roboserve Ltd., a major vending machine maker.

That number will increase by 10 percent in each of the next five years, the London-based company predicted.

The number of British machine manufacturers, meanwhile, has grown to six, reflecting the size of the market in a country that leads the Anglo-Saxon tea-drinking world with an annual average of 1,355 cups per person.

The accounting firm Stoy Hayward let five tea ladies go when it moved to a new building and introduced machines three years ago. The firm kept one tea lady to serve the top partners and important meetings.

"The tea ladies were getting old and past retirement," said Brian Udell, a director. "It was an amicable arrangement. They went off happily."

But things haven't been the same since.

Stoy Hayward had to install a new make of machines in December because the previous ones weren't reliable, but the new machines already have had water-pressure problems.

The firm also has to charge employees 7.5 cents a cup; the tea ladies' tea was free.

Then there is the problem of people spilling their tea on the way back to their desks, although the firm does supply trays.

And, there are the gripes from the 800 employees.

"People like being served," Udell said. "They don't like getting up and getting it for themselves."

In addition, he said, "Some people don't like the quality. It doesn't please everybody. Most people don't like drinking out of plastic cups (although) most of us have gotten used to that."

The company is installing a sixth machine, and it dispenses beverages into your own cup.

The machines, which Stoy Hayward rents, are slightly cheaper than employing tea ladies, whose salaries are estimated at $4,500 to $9,000 a year.

But cost wasn't the primary consideration, Udell said. Convenience was.

"The main benefit is that we could produce drinks all day or night," Udell said. "We do have staff working late hours."

The machines also offer a much wider choice. Besides tea, they dispense coffee, soft drinks, soup and cold water.

But Sheila Brewin, a secretary, said she prefers a tea lady — and is lucky enough to still have one, because she works for a top partner.

"I like the personal touch," Mrs. Brewin said. "I also like a little gossip with her. A tea machine can't talk to you."

Mrs. Brewin swears the tea lady keeps mum about important business conversations she overhears.

"It's only the little tattle she gossips about, like who's having an affair wih whom, who's having a baby, etc.," Mrs. Brewin said.

Does Mrs. Brewin tell her tea lady her troubles?

"She usually tells me her problems," Mrs. Brewin said, and laughed.

Besides making their rounds, tea ladies traditionally have provided a social function, organizing Christmas caroling and such.

At Butlers Till Ltd., a money brokerage firm, two ladies ply tea on a frenzied trading floor, and Mike Redgwell, deputy managing director, said it's a tough job supplying the busy traders.

But Butlers is determined to persevere.

"We have a machine as well, but they (the tea ladies) won't be replaced under any circumstances," Redgwell said.

'Mrs. Harris' was first

LONDON (AP) — Britain's first recorded tea lady was a Mrs. Harris, who served the directors of the East India Company during their meetings in 1666.

The Tea Council, a modern day trade group, said its records do not show Mrs. Harris' first name, but the records do identify her as the wife of a house worker for the East India Company.

The number of tea ladies began to grow in the 1890s, when companies hired women to serve tea to executives previously served by secretaries, the Tea Council said.

Mexico's economic plan questioned

MEXICO CITY (AP) — Business leaders are accusing President Miguel de la Madrid's administration of being slow to implement a plan to reduce the government's bloated role in the battered Mexican economy.

They also say a lack of information about the progress of the plan is causing confusion.

The most precise criticism yet came in a report released this week by the Center for Economic Studies of the Private Sector, a research organization created by the country's leading business and industrial organizations.

Among other things, it accused the government of dragging its feet in divesting itself of hundreds of state-owned enterprises, which the de la Madrid administration promised to do four years ago in order to help reduce the huge national budget deficit.

Although there are no reliable statistics, the ballpark figure used by economists is that the government owns or controls about 80 percent of Mexico's economic activity, from industrial monopolies to tiny businesses.

Constitutional provisions stipulate the petroleum, heavy petrochemical, power generating, nuclear, telecommunications and railroad industries should be outright state monopolies.

But over the past 50 years, the government also has been acquiring part or complete ownership in hundreds of businesses, from airlines to nightclubs, hotels, movie theaters chains and studios, and even small laundry chains and tiny tortilla-making factories in remote areas.

It has virtual monopolies on coffee and sugar exports, steel and iron making, commercial aviation, banking and dozens of other activities. The various departments also have majority or minority shares in hundreds companies more, from automobile and truck assembly plants to shipyards.

The Mexico City government, for instance, owns Atlante, the country's most popular soccer team, which it bought at couple of years ago from the Mexican Social Security Institute.

Virtually all of them are money losers.

The enterprises were acquired by the government to keep them from closing down and thus save jobs — one of the main planks of the Institutional Revolutionary Party, which has held power in Mexico since its founding in 1929.

Mexico has a high population growth rate that far exceeds its economic capacity.

Although the growth rate dropped from a record high of 3.4 to 2.1 percent in the past decade, the country still needs to create 1 million new jobs annually — from now until the end of the century — just to provide for youths seeking employment for the first time.

The government traditionally has been the main source of employment.

Government employment, financed by oil-export dollars, soared to an all-time high under the 1976-1982 administration of President Jose Lopez Portillo, when the number of state-owned companies surpassed 2,000.

Canada to allow prosecution of war crimes

OTTAWA (AP) — The government announced it would change its laws to allow prosecution of people charged with Nazi war crimes following publication of a report recommending that urgent action be taken against 20 people accused of World War II atrocities.

Justice Minister Ray Hnatyshyn told Parliament on Thursday the government would propose legislation to change the Criminal Code to permit the prosecution of people on charges of war crimes they allegedly committed elsewhere.

He did not say when the government would submit the proposed bill, but the legislation is expected to pass easily in Parliament, where Prime Minister Brian Mulroney's Conservative Party has a large majority.

The government proposal was announced after the Commission of Inquiry on War Criminals released a report based on a two-year official investigation of more than 900 people suspected of war crimes.

The 996-page public report said that of those cases, 698 were dismissed for lack of evidence or because the suspects died or never reached Canada, and that further investigation was needed in 218 cases.

However, the commission, headed by Judge jules Deschenes, said it found sufficient evidence to recommend the government act immediately against 20 people, either by deporting them or putting them on trial.

No names were included in the commission's report, but the commission said most of the cases involved East Europeans.

Jewish groups have alleged there are 3,000 to 6,000 suspected Nazi war criminals in Canada, but the report said those numbers are grossly exaggerated.

Hnatyshyn rejected negotiating new extradition arrangements with countries seeking the return of suspects, such as Israel and the Soviet Union, and said the government would not strip suspects of citizenship retroactively.

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50 LEGAL NOTICES

LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed bids will be accepted in the office of the Midland County Auditor, Second Floor of the Midland County Courthouse, or P. O. Box 421, Midland, Texas 79702, until 4:30 o'clock P.M., Friday, March 20, 1987, to be opened by the Commissioners' Court Monday, March 23, 1987, at the 9:00 o'clock A. M. meeting for the following:

The City Council of the City of Midland, Texas will hold a public hearing at 11:05 a.m., on Tuesday, March 24, 1987 in the Council Chambers, City Hall, on a request by Parker & Parsley Petroleum Company to drill an oil and gas well in the City limits 660' from the north line and 1705' from the west line of Section 11, Block 39, T-2-S, T&P RR Co. Survey, City of Midland, Midland County, Texas. (Generally located approximately 1/8 mile south of I-20 and approximately 3/8 mile east of Rankin Highway.)
CITY OF MIDLAND
B.C. CLANTON
CITY SECRETARY
March 12, 19, 1987

ORDINANCE NO. 6736

An Ordinance closing "C" Street at its South intersection at Scharbauer Drive; Authorizing the installation of appropriate signs and barriers; Containing a Cumulative Clause; Containing a Savings and Severability Clause; Providing for a maximum penalty or fine of Two Hundred Dollars ($200.00); and ordering publication.

City of Midland
C. B. Clanton
City Secretary
March 13, 1987

ORDINANCE NO. 6734

An Ordinance establishing Intersection Stops at various locations within the City of Midland, Texas; Requiring and authorizing the posting of appropriate signs at said intersections; Containing a Cumulative Clause; Containing a Savings and Severability Clause; Providing for a maximum penalty or fine of Two Hundred Dollars ($200.00); and ordering publication.

City of Midland
B. C. Clanton
City Secretary
March 13, 1987

ORDINANCE NO. 6735

An Ordinance amending Title IX, "Public Ways and Property", Chapter 4, "Sidewalks, Driveways, and Curbings", Sections 5, "Removal of Curbing, Driveway Width", of the City Code of the City of Midland, Texas, so as to add an additional definition to the list enumerated in Section 9-4-5 (A); Containing a Cumulative Clause; Containing a Savings and Severability Clause; Providing for a maximum penalty or fine of Two Hundred Dollars ($200.00); and ordering publication.

City of Midland
B. C. Clanton
City Secretary
March 13, 1987

The Greenwood Independent School District is now accepting bids on a 1979 Ford Pickup, a 1981 Olds., 4 door, and a 1974 Ford Pickup.

These vehicles will be sold by sealed bids with Greenwood Independent School District reserving the right to accept or reject any or all bids. The vehicles may be inspected at the G.I.S.D. bus barn between the hours of 8:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M. (week days) from March 9th to March 20th. Bids must be in by 1:00 P.M. March 23rd. Bids should be presented to Miss Dickerson, G.I.S.D., Rt. 1, Box 163-D, Midland, Texas 79701.

If any questions, please contact Miss Dickerson, 683-6661.
March 6,7,8,13,14,15, 1987

The Greenwood I.S.D. is now accepting bids on three school buses:

Two 1971 International, 345 V-8, 5 speed transmission, with 71 speed seat, 72 passenger, good tires, good condition.

One 1974 International, 345 V-8, 4 speed manual transmission, 48 passenger, good tires, good condition.

The amended method of disposal shall be by sealed bid, with Greenwood I.S.D. reserving the right to accept or reject, in whole or in part, any bid submitted.

The bids must be submitted by 10:00A.M., March 23rd, 1987, to Greenwood I.S.D., Attention: Miss Dickerson, Rt. 1, Box 163-D, Midland, Texas 79701, phone 683-6661.

Buses may be inspected between 8:00A.M. and 5:00P.M., except Saturday and Sunday.
March 10 through 23, 1987

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Specifications and bid informa tion may be obtained from the County Auditor's Office, Second Floor of the Midland County Courthouse.
Midland County reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive all formalities.
JOE FLOYD JARNAGIN
MIDLAND COUNTY AUDITOR
March 6, 13, 1987

ORDINANCE NO. 6737

An Ordinance changing the zoning use classification of certain property described in Section One hereof, which is presently zoned "R-1" One-family Dwelling District, by permitting said property to be used under a specific use permit for an accessory building for living and sleeping quarters, making said permit subject to certain special conditions and restrictions contained herein; Providing for a maximum penalty or fine of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000.00); and ordering publication.

City of Midland
B. C. Clanton
City Secretary
March 13, 1987

American Produce & Vegetable Company Ernest Laborba Pres, Anthony Laborba V-P, Joseph Anthony Laborba V-P, James Anthony Laborba V-P, Carl Laborba Sec/Treas D/B/A American Wine & Importing Company is making application to the TABC for a Wholesaler's Permit on the address of 11317 County Road 125 West, Midland, Midland County, Texas. March 13, 14, 1987

105 HAPPY ADS

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110 LODGE NOTICES

Midland Lodge No. 623 A.F. & A.M., 1600 W. Wall, 682-3292. Meetings 2nd & 4th Thurs. 7:30pm. "Masonry and Kenya", Ramesh Patel 3/12/87. Floor class each Mon. 7:30pm. B.G. Reddin W.M. R.G. Kiker Sec.

The Midland Shrine Club, 2019 Trade Drive. Covered dish dinner 7:00pm. March 20, 1987. Regular Stated meeting 8:00pm. All Nobles and their Ladies invited. Jim Whitt, President. Aaron Cummings, Secretary.

Acacia Lodge No. 1414 A.F. & A.M., 1000 Upland St. Regular stated meetings every 2nd & 4th Tues. 7:30 pm. E.A. degree March 17th, 7 pm. F.C. degree March 23rd, 7 pm. Joe Agan, W.M. Max Domino, Secretary.

115 ANNOUNCEMENTS

JOYCE James is back in Midland and welcomes all old and new customers to visit at Hammits Stylon at 3412 Thomason.

120 PUBLIC NOTICES

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CEMETARY. Resthaven, Masonic area, one, two, three, or four spaces. (915)684-5668 after 5pm.

CITYWIDE Community Services will be conducting public hearings throughout March.

130 PERSONALS

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LOST! Small black female Poodle, lost Thursday at 3811 Mata. No collar. 694-7936.

LOST! Mamma Cat, gray long haired with some white & yellow on face. Near Cinda Park. 694-2889.

LOST pet posters available at the Midland SPCA. Call 684-7587.

HELP! Lost my best friend. Male Himalayan cat in the Midland High area. Reward! Call 686-9073.

MISSING! Boys bike, 21 Performer, all white with light blue wheels. $50 reward. Call 683-9509.

LOST: Black, White Boston Terrier, vicinity 4000 Block of West Illinois. Answers to "Baby". 694-0189 after 5.

FOUND! Cocker Spaniel mix, male, about 1 year old. Found in Aztec Mobil Home Park. Call 683-2941.

FOUND! Siamese color female cat in vicinity of 307 North Marienfield. 682-1797 or after 5pm, 683-3230.

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Interested applicants must hold at least a Texas Basic Certificate and be at least 21 years of age.
Applications will be accepted through Wednesday, March 18, 1987.
For more information contact:
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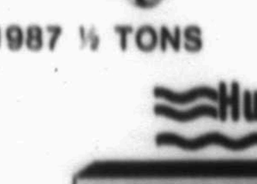

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665 Business Property, Offices For Rent

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½ acre fenced lot, paved road, 14x65, 3 bedroom, 1½ bath mobile home. South of Interstate, Rankin Hwy. 683-5073.

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1984 Tiffany Mobile Home, 16x80, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, with garden tub, wet bar, ceiling fans, blinds. Set up in nice park, (Runway 7). Take over payments, no equity. Call 563-2729. If no answer 694-6927, ask for Harold or J.D.

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14x65, 2 bedroom, 2 bath, good condition, $5000 or best offer. 694-9432.

MAGNOLIA 26x58, 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, fireplace, front kitchen, set up in mobile home park, some landscaping. Well maintained. $20,000, or take up payments. 682-3845.

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½ acre fenced lot, paved road, 14x65, 3 bedroom, 1½ bath mobile home. South of Interstate, Rankin Hwy. 683-5073.

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TWO FOR THE PRICE OF ONE. 2 bedroom with central air and heat. Also guest cottage, or income property now rented for $225. $42,500. Owner/Broker. 685-0881.

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'Clubhouse with Pool'
'Tennis, Jacuzzi & Sauna'
Traditional story and one-half thats next to new. Tall ceilings. Great family room adjoining kitchen/breakfast area. Formal living room and dining room, separated by F/P. Master bedroom and wonderful bath downstairs. 3 bedrooms upstairs. Many amenities including sprinkler and security system. $184,500.

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BY owner: $1 VA move-in. 3-2, fireplace, garage, fenced, brick home. 4613 Kiowa. $49,000. 699-0881.

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