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NEWS WATCH

War update

■ One American soldier was killed and seven wounded in a ground engagement. Marine Gen. Richard Neal refused to say where the engagement occurred.

■ U.S. commanders say they have evidence Iraq plans to use chemical weapons in response to an allied ground assault, forcing troops to fight in gas masks and bulky gear.

■ Somewhere north of the Saudi border, U.S. helicopters attacked an Iraqi bunker complex, the U.S. command said. Up to 15 bunkers were destroyed and as many as 500 Iraqis were taken prisoner.

■ A key French lawmaker said the Desert Storm allies would give Iraq until late today to respond to a Soviet peace proposal.

■ Baghdad radio said President Saddam was sending Foreign Minister Tariq Aziz to Moscow "soon" with the reply of the Iraqi leadership to the Soviet peace plan.

■ A U.S. military official said "the border is becoming wider" — meaning the Iraqis are pulling back from their more vulnerable front-line positions to bolster lines a little farther back. This is standard military procedure before an attack, he said.

■ Black rain fell again on the port city of Bushehr and the surrounding province in southern Iran, Tehran's government news agency said.

Speaking Out on the Gulf War



'Continuing American support will depend on how long the ground war drags on. We have to finish it though; we can't just go in and back out again.'

-- Rome Kleck, 31, restaurant manager

Yeltsin blasted

MOSCOW — The Soviet parliament formally censured Russian leader Boris Yeltsin on Wednesday for urging Mikhail S. Gorbachev to resign, and Gorbachev's former foreign minister pleaded for peace in the "war of presidents." The plea by Eduard A. Shevardnadze, in his first public remarks since his resignation as foreign minister last December, suggested the depth of the crisis in Soviet government. Shevardnadze quit after warning that the nation was heading toward dictatorship.

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President Bush

Bush unveils energy plan

■ Package calls for increase of domestic oil production; critics abound.

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — President Bush unveiled his long-awaited national energy plan Wednesday, saying it "strikes a sound and reasonable balance" without burdening the economy, but critics quickly assailed it for focusing on production over energy conservation.

One member of Congress called the blueprint "a back to the '50s" strategy to promote oil drilling, while another said it "falls far short" of what is needed to cut America's dependence on foreign oil.

Environmentalists also attacked the Bush plan as shortsighted because it ignores calls for development of more fuel-efficient cars, while pushing oil production in pristine areas.

Please see **PLAN**/6A

Independent producers express disappointment

By John Paul Pitts
Business & Oil Editor

Independent oil and gas producers' reactions were negative Wednesday toward President Bush's National Energy Strategy, saying it offered little for domestic producers.

Denise Bode, president of the Independent Petroleum Association of America, in a press statement called the policy "regrettable."

"We are not so much displeased by what is in the policy, as we are by what is not in the policy," said Julian Martin,

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A tense world waits

Baker: Kuwait will be liberated 'soon'

■ Skirmishes intensify as a million troops brace for all-out war.

Associated Press

DHAHRAN, Saudi Arabia — A waiting world watched Baghdad and the bleak Arabian desert Wednesday — Baghdad for word on peace, the desert for news of all-out war.

On the northern battlefront, where a million men braced for the fight of their lives, probing and skirmishing intensified. American helicopters carted off hundreds of Iraqi prisoners after one action, and Iraqi gunners zeroed in on a U.S. unit in another, killing one American and wounded seven.

From front-line bunkers to the distant corridors of power, reports and rumors flew of deadlines and ultimatums for the long-expected ground war.

A key French lawmaker said the Desert Storm allies would give Iraq until late today to respond to a Soviet peace proposal, or face a final offensive to drive its forces from Kuwait.

"One way or another, the army of occupation of Iraq will leave Kuwait soon," Baker predicted.

Late Wednesday, Baghdad radio said President Saddam was sending Foreign Minister Tariq Aziz to Moscow "soon" with the reply of the Iraqi leadership to the Soviet plan, believed to call for an unconditional Iraqi withdrawal from Kuwait, coupled with vague assurances that Saddam could stay in power and the Palestinian question would eventually be addressed.

The Soviet initiative was described by the U.N. secretary general, Javier Perez de Cuellar, as a "historic opportunity," and U.S. ally Italy also endorsed it. House Speaker Thomas S. Foley said that if the withdrawal is unconditional, "I don't know how (President Bush) could fail to accept it."

Bush kept a public silence on the issue

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AP Laserphoto

Tank commander Pat Armijo of El Paso speaks into his headset as he leads a column of M1 Abrams tanks along Saudi Arabia's northern border Sunday. Armijo's tanks are with the 3rd Armored Cavalry Regiment.

Hanging on thread between war, peace

By Mort Rosenblum
Associated Press writer

DHAHRAN, Saudi Arabia (AP) — Hanging on a thread between war and peace, Desert Storm soldiers, Kuwaitis and anxious bystanders keep an ear to the radio. And they wait, and wait.

"I hope this thing ends soon, one way or the other," said a U.S. officer toning bulging muscles at a hotel gym. "It's almost sinful how much punishment they're taking."

On the front lines, tension almost crackles. The mood swings abruptly from relief to dread and back again.

Many young men and women are praying that Soviet leader Mikhail S. Gorbachev's diplomacy will send them home without more death, possibly their own. But others are not.

"Honestly, what I felt was disappointment," Sgt. John Serna, 34, of Cimarron, N.M., told a pool reporter after hearing the Iraqis had discussed withdrawal with Gorbachev. He added:

"I felt they had taken so much of my time, (disrupted) my family, all the loving things a person needs. . . . We should at least go in there and kick somebody's -- for it. I wish it could be Saddam Hussein's."

Farther back, where war is less personal, most people just want a resolution.

Please see **HANGING**/6A

Reception honors veteran wildcatter

By John Paul Pitts
Business & Oil Editor

Joe Pevehouse, one of Midland's and Texas' most distinguished oilmen was honored Wednesday with a reception in which honors were bestowed upon him by the City of Midland, State of Texas and President of the United States.

Born in the boomtown of Ranger in 1925, Pevehouse has been a part of the oil patch all his life. A 1948 graduate of Texas Tech University, he began his petroleum career in 1957 as a geologist for Bay Petroleum. He later joined Permian Corp. as vice president of production and in 1960 formed Adobe Oil Co., which later became one of the most successful independent oil companies in the

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Joe D. Williams/Reporter-Telegram

Joe Pevehouse and his wife Beverly were greeted warmly by more than 500 well-wishers Wednesday.

Seasonal layoffs bump jobless rate

By Mella McEwen
Staff Writer

Texas Employment Commission officials were not surprised by an increase in the unemployment rate of the state's major cities.

In Midland, the unemployment rate rose to 5.2 percent for January from 4.8 percent in December. In January 1990, the rate was 5.5 percent.

"The drop was expected because of the seasonal influence of post-holiday layoffs," said Meris Kidd, office manager of the TEC's Midland office, who described the increase as moderate.

"When you figure that 4 percent of the work force are between jobs or changing jobs or are unemployable, we're not doing too bad."

The city's civilian labor force totaled 47,900, down from 48,200 in December, but up from

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Senate approves dramatic school finance legislation

AUSTIN (NYT) — The Texas Senate has approved dramatic "Robin Hood" school finance legislation amid comparisons to heartburn and bitter pills.

And those comparisons came from the people who voted for it.

The Senate voted on Wednesday along mostly partisan lines in approving, 20-7, a school finance bill that shifts millions of dollars in local property tax money from wealthy schools to poor ones and creates 20 regional taxing districts.

The share-the-wealth plan, the most radical ever approved in decades of school finance equalization efforts, is in response to an April 1 deadline set by the Texas Supreme Court. The court ordered lawmakers to change the method of paying for education so that every child has equal opportunity regardless of where they live.

The legislation now goes to the Texas House, where a similar plan is expected to be approved by the Public Education Committee as early as Thursday. The fast track schedule is intended to give lawmakers plenty of time to negotiate alternatives before the court deadline.

"This bill gives me heartburn, frankly," said Sen. John Montford, D-Lubbock. "But I'm not going to abdicate our legislative responsibility to the courts. This is the first of many tough decisions we're going to have to make."

Texas' $14-billion-a-year school finance system is heavily reliant on local property taxes, which make up roughly half the amount spent. State and federal dollars make up the rest.

The Senate legislation evens out inequities between the 1,050 school districts' vastly differing property tax bases by consolidating them into 20 taxing regions. The tax money would be pooled regionally and then redistributed on a per-pupil basis.

School districts within each region would maintain the ability to set tax rates and to make decisions locally about how to run their schools.

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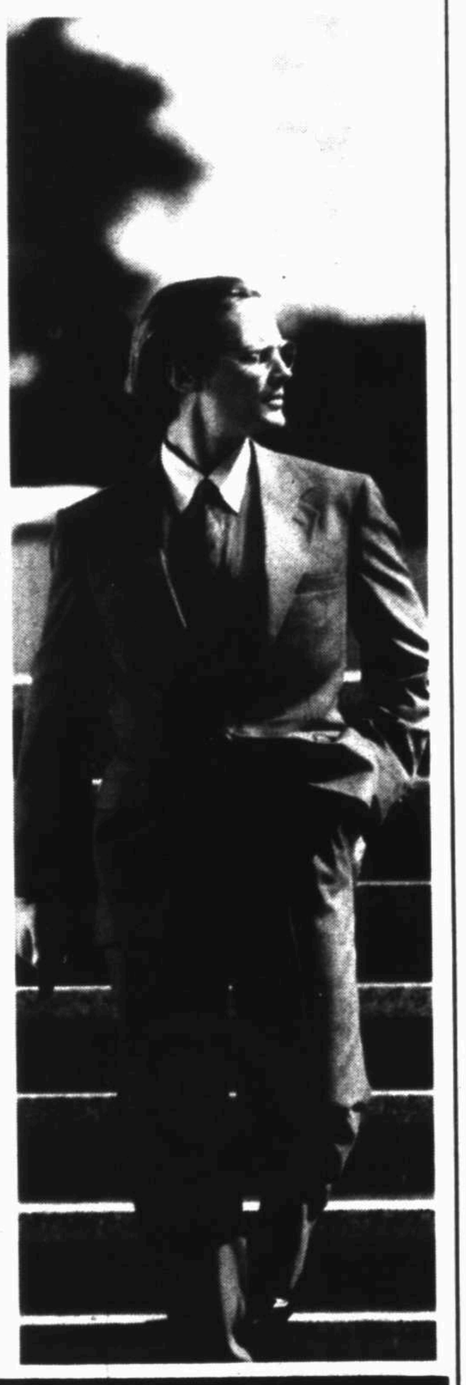
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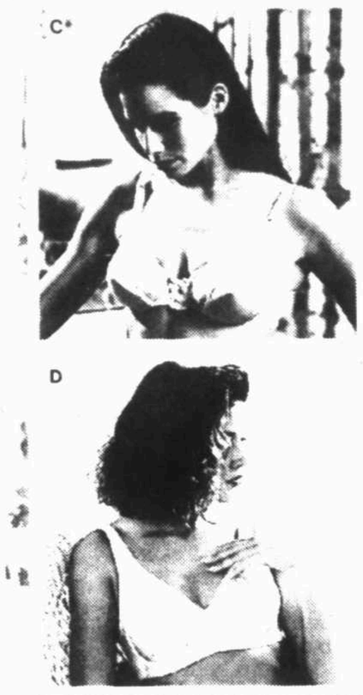
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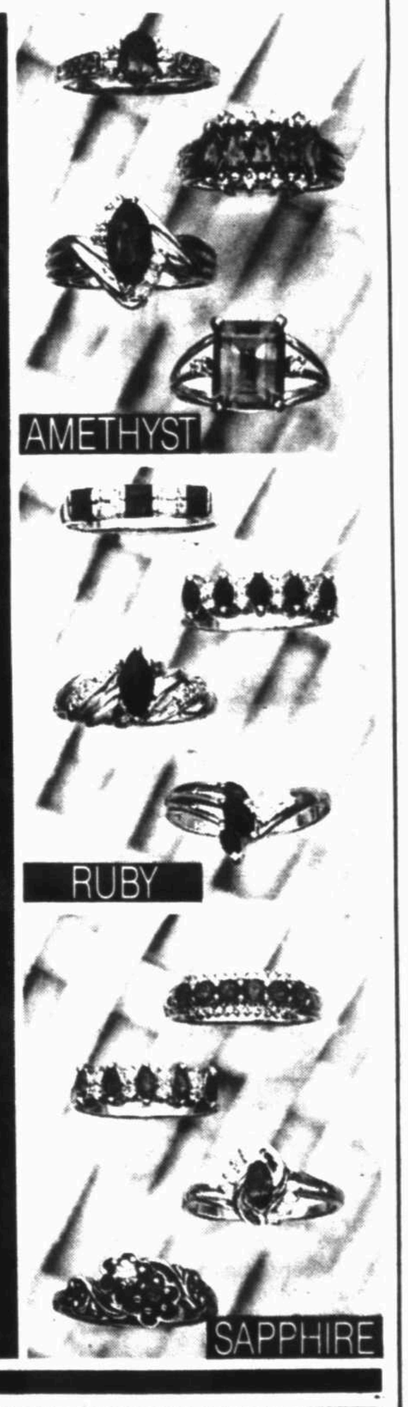
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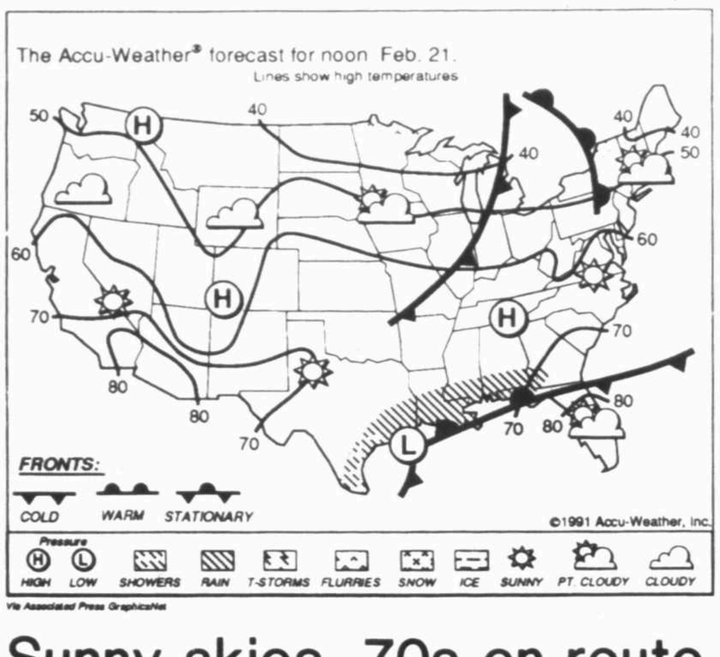
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WEATHER SUMMARY



Via Associated Press GraphicsNet

WAITS: Rumors of deadlines, ultimatums fly

(From 1A)

Wednesday, a day after describing the plan as "well short" of U.S. requirements. Although Bush did not elaborate on his objections, Republican House leader Robert H. Michel said, "We want to see conditions change" in Iraq — that is, Saddam ousted.

While Baghdad's beleaguered leadership kept the world waiting for its reply, its official radio remained defiant.

Dismissing the alliance's strategy for an assault on Kuwait, the radio declared, "Their paper plans will be nothing when the ground battle starts."

For his part, overall Desert Storm commander Gen. H. Norman Schwarzkopf said the Iraqi army, under aerial bombardment for a month, was "on the verge of collapse." Other senior U.S. officers added, however, that they still expected a bloody fight.

"There's still a formidable force out there," one said.

One formidable element was reported moving into place. British military sources said Iraqi troops were dispersing artillery at the front in apparent readiness to take on the allies with chemical weapons.

American commanders say intelligence information indicates Iraqi division commanders were issued chemical artillery rounds with authority to use them at will, said a news-pool report from the front.

Ground units on both sides have stepped up patrols and reconnaissance forays in recent days along the 400 miles of desolate border dividing Saudi Arabia from Kuwait and Iraq, and have encountered each other in sudden firefights.

Early Wednesday afternoon, a U.S. task force clashed with Iraqi forces south of the Saudi border, and the Iraqis called in artillery fire that killed one American and wounded seven others, the U.S. command reported. It said the Iraqi fire hit an American anti-aircraft gun and two Bradley personnel carriers, and U.S. forces destroyed five Iraqi tanks and 20 artillery pieces, and captured seven prisoners.

A short time later, the command said, U.S. Army strike helicopters attacked a complex of Iraqi desert fortifications just north of the border, destroying 15 to 30 bunkers and leading 400 to 500 stunned Iraqi infantrymen to surrender.

As darkness fell, Army Ch-47 Chinook helicopters were completing the task of ferrying the prisoners to a holding camp in northern Saudi Arabia, said command spokesman Brig. Gen. Richard Neal.

It was the largest roundup of prisoners yet by U.S. forces. The command did not specify the locations or identify the U.S. units involved in the two actions.

The command also reported U.S. aircraft pounded an Iraqi armor concentration 60 miles north of the border and destroyed 28 tanks, and B-52 bombers blew up an Iraqi Scud missile launch site.

Despite the nonstop bombardment, Air Force fliers said the Iraqis retain a powerful force of tanks and artillery in the battle zone. "There's stacks of military," said one F-111 pilot.

"I think ... the generals would want to hold off on a ground attack. Why not?" said another, Capt. Brad Roberts, 29. "We're taking relatively few losses and we're able to inflict a lot of damage, and the longer you wait, the better it's going to be for the ground guys."

Sunny skies, 70s en route

Staff Report

Today's forecast calls for sunny skies with a high near 70 and 5 to 10 mph variable winds, the National Weather Service in Midland said.

Tonight is expected to be fair with a low in the mid-30s, NWS said. Friday's forecast calls for sunny with a high in the low 70s.

Wednesday's high was 61, after an overnight low of 25. The record high of 86 for Feb. 20 was set in 1986, while the record low for today's date of 16 was set in 1939.

STATE

Showers and a few thunderstorms scattered over parts of South Texas put a damper on what was otherwise a sunny and mild Wednesday across most of the state.

Skies were cloudy over the Hill Country as high pressure continued to build to the north. Temperatures ranged from the middle 50s in northern sections of South Texas to the middle 60s in the deep south.

North to northeast winds blew across the area at 5 to 15 mph.

Some small patches of clouds dotted the Bend area as afternoon temperatures climbed to the 40s and 50s in the mountains and far west. Winds breezed from the north to the northwest at 5 to 10 mph in the Concho Valley and Edwards Plateau.

An upper level low-pressure system was lingering near the southern tip of Texas and northeast Mexico Tuesday, generating clouds and scattered showers southeast of Waco to Longview.

Temperatures around the region have climbed into the low and mid-60s with extremes of 54 degrees in Lufkin to 65 degrees in Wichita Falls at 3 p.m.

Winds were mainly from the north at less than 10 mph.

NATION

Rain fell Wednesday across the Southeast, adding water to areas flooded by thunderstorms a day before. Record highs warmed parts of the East and high wind warnings were posted in the Midwest.

Hundreds of residents remained out of their homes after rain sent rivers in Alabama, Tennessee and Mississippi spilling over their banks.

In Alabama, the National Weather Service issued flood warnings for low elevations along the Tombigbee, Black Warrior, Cahaba and Sucarnoochee Rivers. The Duck River stopped rising at 14 feet above flood stage when it stopped raining in Tennessee by Wednesday afternoon.

At 2 p.m. CST, rain was scattered across parts of Texas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Virginia, New Jersey and New York state. Parts of South Dakota, Wyoming, Idaho and Oregon also received rain.

Snow was scattered over parts of Minnesota, Michigan and Ohio.

Heavier rainfall for the six hours ending at 1 p.m EST included almost an inch at McComb, Miss. Snowfall for the period included one inch at International Falls, Minn.

HANGING: Tension almost crackles on front lines

(From 1A)

A new electricity energizes the 22nd floor of the Oberoi Hotel in nearby Dammam as Kuwaiti officials hustle preparations to go home and clean up the mess. Formerly long faces are now smiling.

Kuwaitis sense that their occupied emirate is not destined to remain as Iraq's 19th province. What they don't know, however, is how or when the end might come.

"What do you hear; have you any news?" asked Saad al-Dhafiri, an Information Ministry official, when a reporter went to him for information. War or peace, he wanted to get back to Kuwait.

Saudis and the foreign nationals who make their society function are eager to get back to their own lives. Although Scud alerts are rare, people keep their gas masks close to hand.

Some are making killings from journalists who lay last-minute plans to cover any eventuality in spite of strict U.S. and Saudi military guidelines.

Cellular phones cost $5,000 a month, with no room for haggling. "I have rented 20 in this hotel alone," one agent said, preparing to move on to the next office when a customer balked.

But many others are finding war is not as lucrative as it seems. Car rental agents, among others, are taking their lumps.

"We had a vehicle that was a total loss, 91,000 riyals ($24,000) and the insurance won't pay," said Mohammed Abu Tarek, forlornly collecting the keys of yet another smashed-up jeep.

Restaurants are empty. Lugubrious waiters hover over the few diners, waiting to lock up

Strategic checkpoints on the road slow traffic, adding an ominous air to the well-ordered tranquility that marks normal life in the kingdom.

PLAN: Administration rejects increasing taxes

(From 1A)

The president said he was aware he had his critics, but added "none of them will propose a plan that is more comprehensive or in my view more carefully thought out."

Bush's package calls for:

■ Increasing domestic oil production, including drilling in the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge in northern Alaska.

■ Easing regulatory barriers for construction of nuclear power plants and the disposal of atomic wastes to "revitalize" the nuclear option as an energy source.

■ Streamlining regulations for building natural gas pipelines as well as other actions to make natural gas a more competitive energy source.

■ Overhauling the regulation of the electric utility industry to increase competition and promote the use of renewable energy sources such as solar and wind power.

Although rejecting proposals that would require sharply higher fuel economy for automobiles, the strategy includes measures to increase the use of alternative motor fuels such as ethanol, and contains several modest proposals to encourage the use of mass transit and increase the energy efficiency of homes.

The administration rejected suggestions for higher energy taxes, such as an gasoline tax, that many energy experts argue is needed to gain significant reductions in energy use.

Bush called the plan "a strategy for an energy future that is secure, efficient and environmentally sound" but warned that Americans can expect, nevertheless, to rely heavily on foreign oil for many years to come.

"We are a long way from total energy independence," the president declared in announcing the energy package.

"Over the next two decades," Bush continued. "this strategy will make us more energy efficient without new energy taxes and it will mean savings for consumers in energy costs and it will improve our energy security and reduce our vulnerability in the years ahead."

Energy Secretary James Watkins said the proposals, most of which will require legislation, are designed to reduce oil consumption by 3.4 million barrels a day and increase domestic oil production by 3.8 million barrels a day over the next 20 years.

If the plan were adopted, however, the Energy Department anticipates imports still will account for 40 to 45 percent of the oil used in the United States by the year 2010, about the same as current levels. The department estimates that without any action imports would soar to 65 percent.

Watkins said the administration sought to avoid actions that "force Americans to change their lifestyles" in the cars they drive, the houses they occupy and the energy sources they have available.

BILL: Legislation now goes to the Texas House

(From 1A)

Under the Senate plan, schools would be guaranteed $5,500 a student per year in education money by 1995, compared to an average now of about $3,600 per student.

The state would have to pitch in an additional $2 billion during the next two years. Redistributed local tax dollars — $480 million by the 1995 — would also supplement spending in low-wealth districts.

Under the system, 125 school districts that would face local money redistribution. Those districts would have less to spend per student under the plan unless they raise their local tax rates substantially.

Representatives of high-wealth areas contend that the redistribution amounts to socialism.

Senate Education Committee chairman Carl Parker disagreed during lengthy floor debate, saying that the current unequal system is unfair.

"What we're talking about is sharing the wealth of this whole state among the students of this state. I fail to see that that's socialistic. It's more democratic," said Parker, D-Port Arthur.

While Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock called the legislation "the finest piece of legislation in Texas history," others were more restrained. Gov. Ann Richards congratulated lawmakers for moving the legislation on its way, saying, "I am glad the real process has begun."

All but one of the Senate Republicans present voted against the legislation. Sen. Chris Harris, R-Arlington, was the only Tarrant County representative to cast a vote against it. Arlington schools would lose state money under the proposal.

Education groups and a coalition of rich and poor schools are continuing to push for such a constitutional amendment as part of a package that would increase education spending levels substantially during the next few years, while still permitting the state's wealthiest districts to raise and spend more than their poorer neighbors.

REACTION: Plan encourages natural-gas imports

(From 1A)

executive vice president of Austin-based Texas Independent Producers and Royalty Owners Association.

"We were disappointed that there was nothing in the plan to stabilize oil prices. Without stable oil prices we are still going to be dependent on the Persian Gulf for our oil," Martin said.

Harry Spannaus, executive vice president of the Permian Basin Petroleum Association was more emphatic. He said the president's policy, which offers few incentives to increase production, was a "disaster" for the independent oil producer.

"The policy sidesteps all attempts to improve a declining oil industry, espcially in the lower 48 states," said Spannaus. He said the policy contained nothing for independents who drill 85 percent of the oil and gas wells.

Spannaus explained that the Department of Energy draft which went to the White House had called for a package of drilling and production incentives that would have helped the industry get back on its feet, drill more wells and produce more oil. "All of these incentives were penciled out at the White House," he said.

Spannaus noted: "It is a tragedy that after 18 months of DOE talks across the nation and thousands of pages of expert testimony about the need to increase domestic production that this is what we get."

Spannaus added that the national energy policy appeared unchanged. "It still seems to be, that the cheapest energy is the best energy, no matter where it comes from."

The IPAA's Bode said the President's strategy completely misses the surest, environmentally safest production opportunity — "domestic independent oil and gas production."

She said that in troubled times most people go back to the basics, but the Bush plan bets everything on more exotic schemes such as offshore drilling and opening of the Alaskan National Wildlife Refuge (ANWAR) for exploration.

She also noted that the plan openly encourages natural gas imports from Mexico and Canada by forbiding the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission to adjust rates at the border to obtain a "level playing field."

While independent oil companies were negative against the policy, the Associated Press reported majors are still studying the plan, but are initially pleased with it.

"I don't doubt that the majors are pleased," said Julian Martin, "They got pretty much what they have been wanting all along, which is the opening of offshore and ANWAR for drilling."

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Tonight: Fair, low in the mid-30s.
Friday: Sunny, high in the low 70s.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

Yesterday's High	61 degrees
Overnight Low	25 degrees
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Precipitation:	
Last 24 hours	00.00 inches
This month to date	00.01 inches
Year to date	01.81 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

6 p.m.	49	6 a.m.	27
7 p.m.	43	7 a.m.	26
8 p.m.	37	8 a.m.	28
9 p.m.	34	9 a.m.	37
10 p.m.	33	10 a.m.	47
11 p.m.	31	11 a.m.	51
midnight	31	noon	54
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2 a.m.	28	2 p.m.	59
3 a.m.	28	3 p.m.	60
4 a.m.	29	4 p.m.	61
5 a.m.	29	5 p.m.	60
		6 p.m.	59

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Amarillo	22	64	
Austin	44	56	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	52	58	0.15
Brownsville	54	63	
Bryan-College Station	45	56	
Corpus Christi	51	60	0.04
Dallas	34	65	
El Paso	29	57	
Fort Worth	31	64	
Galveston	52	56	0.05
Houston	48	61	
Laredo	44	59	
Longview	41	59	
San Angelo	25	63	
San Antonio	45	59	
Victoria	49	58	0.03
Waco	36	63	
Wichita Falls	26	65	

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Area forecast

West Texas: Fair through Friday. Lows Thursday night mostly 30s. Highs Thursday around 70 except mid-70s Big Bend. Highs Friday mostly 70s.

LAYOFFS: City ranks 3rd

(From 1A)

47,600 recorded last January.

Total employment was 45,400, down from 45,900 a month earlier but up from 45,000 seen a year ago.

The decline showed "most of those who lost their (holiday) jobs left the job market," Kidd said, speculating that many were students or teachers who returned to school.

"Anytime you have a town with a college, that will happen," she explained.

Total unemployment rose to 2,500 from 2,300; unemployment stood at 2,600 a year earlier.

In Odessa, the January unemployment rate stood at 5.9 percent, up from 5.4 percent a month in December.

Ms. Kidd observed that the city's unemployment rate was lower than the state average of 6.9 percent and added that though some layoffs have been announced, "I think those can be absorbed, because some of the oil companies have begun hiring some people where, before they weren't doing any hiring."

Midland's jobless rate ranked third among the state's metropolitan statistical areas. Bryan-College Station had the lowest rate in the state, 4.2 percent, followed by Austin with 4.8 percent, then Midland, Lubbock with 5.3 percent, and San Angelo with 5.5 percent. Odessa ranked 11th, tied with Fort Worth-Arlington at 5.9 percent.

McAllen-Edinburg-Mission had the highest rate in the state with 21.7 percent unemployed.

Statewide, the unemployment rate was 6.9 percent, up from 6.5 percent in December.

Total unemployment increased from 556,700 in December to 582,900 in January.

WILDCATTER: City, state, president pay tribute

(From 1A)

nation.

Longtime friend Jim Lacy said of Pevehouse: "There are many movers and shakers, but few company builders. He was a company-builder."

Lacy noted that when asked by a stock brokerage firm why it should push Adobe stock instead of Texaco, Pevehouse simply explained: "Because I can double the size of Adobe." Lacy said he did indeed double the size of the company the next year.

Adobe Oil Co. became Adobe Oil & Gas Corp. in 1973 when it went public, and in 1985 merged with Madison Resources of New York to become Adobe Resources Corp.

Several hundred friends and associates turned out for the reception at Midland Petroleum Club to honor the veteran wildcatter, his wife Beverly and their children. In proclaiming Wednesday as Joe Pevehouse Day, Mayor Carroll Thomas called him "a devoted and tireless supporter of Midland — one of the city's finest citizens and entrepreneurs."

He noted that Pevehouse had served on the Midland College Foundation board, president of the Midland United Way and on the Board of Executors of the Permian Basin Petroleum Association.

State Rep. Tom Craddick of Midland presented Pevehouse with a concurrent resolution of the Texas Legislature that recognized the Midland oilman as a prominent leader in the Texas oil and gas industry. The resolution, which was signed by Gib Lewis, Speaker of the House; Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock and Gov. Ann Richards, stated that Pevehouse exemplified the highest standards of excellence in dedication and leadership to his industry and state.

Craddick also presented Pevehouse with two state flags that had flown over the capitol. One was flown over the statehouse on Joe Pevehouse Day; the other on Feb. 15, the day on which his newest granddaughter was born.

Bobby Holt, a close friend of President George Bush, read a letter of congratulations to Pevehouse from the President. Bush said Pevehouse's efforts as founder of an oil company reflected his devotion to his fellow Texans, but that his willingness to put back into the community and state was as appreciated as his ability to take oil out of the ground.

The President also sent a pair of presidential cuff links as a gift to Pevehouse, who is still vice-chairman of Adobe Resources, but has given up an active role in the management of the company.

Joe and Beverly Pevehouse have two children, Clay and Melissa, and three grandchildren, Evan and Sara Pevehouse and Laura Catherine Hoelscher.

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OPERATION DESERT STORM

Scowcroft, Gates emerge as key aides

By Andrew Rosenthal
N.Y. Times News Service

WASHINGTON — At the State Department, envious officials snipe at them as the Siamese twins of the White House, "fused at the hip."

One runs at midnight and falls asleep in Cabinet meetings. The other jogs at dawn and stays up late reading intelligence on the Soviet Union.

One jokes with the president and stays close to his side. The other squires the paperwork and keeps watch on other agencies from the Situation Room in the White House basement.

In an administration where secrecy and loyalty are prime virtues, Brent Scowcroft, the president's national security adviser, and Robert M. Gates, his deputy, are the most virtuous.

Now they have leaped to prominence, filling the role in wartime that Secretary of State James A. Baker III filled in peacetime.

Their symbiosis has altered the lines of power in the national security apparatus, allowing the president to conduct his prewar diplomacy, and now his management of the war, with the speed and secrecy that he demands.

It has also permitted the two men to establish a new base of power at Bush's side as they help him draw control of foreign and military policy ever more closely to the Oval Office, while showing a new sense of confidence that lends fuel to the long-smolder rivalry between the White House and the State Department.

In recent weeks, White House officials and outside advisers have started to be more aggressive in getting out the message of Scowcroft's new ascendancy, predicting that when the war is over, Bush's personal stake in the Middle East will give Scowcroft, and through him Gates, more influence than ever over foreign policy.

They have also conveyed the impression that Scowcroft and Gates more than Baker have helped Bush steer a resolute course in the confrontation with Iraq.

"It was Brent's presentation at one of the meetings on Aug. 3, that Friday after the invasion, that made clear what the stakes were, crystallized people's thinking and galvanized support for a very strong response," said one of those officials.

Clearly, Scowcroft and Gates are in a far stronger position than they were in October 1989, when Scowcroft permitted Baker to cancel a Gates speech expressing what Baker considered an excessively pessimistic view of Mikhail S. Gorbachev's chances for success.

The call

A painful ritual

By Chris Hedges
N.Y. Times News Service

IN SAUDI ARABIA — After buying $156 worth of candy bars, King Edward cigars and Pepsi for his platoon, Sgt. Ted L. Smith walked through the shallow puddles that filled the streets of a northern Saudi border town toward a clothing store.

He entered the store, which had a painted sign out front that read, in shaky English: "Atantion: Here is Atelphone Service."

"This is what I came into town to do," he said as he unclipped his mud-covered web belt and cartridge cases and let them fall to the floor. "I have been thinking about this for a while."

The 30-year-old squad leader braced himself for what has become a painful ritual for troops who soon expect to go into combat — the final call home.

Soldiers, both men and women, often wait for hours outside the roadside telephone booths marked "International Telephone" or stores that have phones with international lines.

They use credit card numbers to call their spouses, parents and other loved ones, usually collect. By dialing 1-800-100 they can speak with an operator in the United States.

But the conversations that had dwelled on mundane affairs — financial worries, family problems, weather and loneliness — have now taken on a dark air as the soldiers verbalize, many for the first time, about where they want to be buried and what kind of life they want for children they may never see again.

"Hey, what's up?" the sergeant said to his sleepy wife, Wendy, in Panama, where he is based. "Wake up."

"How's the baby?" he asked about his 16-month-old daughter, Amber Elise.

"Are you hanging in there?" he asked.

Smith, his face and hands dark brown from six months in the desert, had not spoken to his wife since the first week in January.

"This is probably the last call," he said, his voice dipping almost to a whisper.

"It is good to hear your voice," he said. "Get a grip, get a grip, Wendy. You know me better than that."

"Take it one day at a time," he said softly. "That's what I'm doing. Everything passes. This will pass."

"I love you too, honey," he said, a phrase he would repeat innumerable times.

"Don't do that now," he said to his distraught wife. "You have got to be hard. I get tired of this too."

"I read an article about President and Mrs. Bush in that People magazine last night," he said. "Don't show weakness. You've got to stand your ground like President Bush."

The sergeant, who took part in the assault on the army command headquarters in Panama in December 1989 as part of the airborne branch of the 193rd Infantry, assured his wife that the battle would closely mirror the attack in Panama.

"I don't underestimate any armed man," he told his wife, "but I am not impressed with the Iraqis. They remind me of the Panama Defense Force. They just have a lot more guns."

His 24-year-old wife, apart from her husband for the last half year, went into the litany of problems of trying to run a house and raise a child alone.

"Family problems," he said, cupping his hand over the receiver.

Then it came time to deal with the issues that had gone unmentioned in previous letters and calls.

"Whatever happens keep your chin up, no matter what," he said. "If I get waxed I'm going to heaven and I'll be waiting for you."

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Ground war only one Bush worry

Now it appears that the man who pushed much of the world into war in Iraq will also bring it to a bloody and senseless ground war. Saddam Hussein has continually defied logic in his mad dash to destiny.

The Iraqi leader is said to be considering a new, 11th-hour peace plan put forward by the Soviet Union, but judging from Saddam's record, there is next to no hope that he will choose the reasonable course and pull his troops out of Kuwait. A deadly ground war with a potentially high body count and the psychological impact that would entail is not the Iraqi president's major concern. It is, as it should be, one of President George Bush's top worries.

We all remember the damage the body count did to national morale during the Vietnam War and don't want a repeat of it.

The Soviet peace move is another prime concern for Bush. Were Saddam to accept it, Bush would have to weigh the potential impact on the post-war world and the benefit Soviet President Mikhail Gorbachev and his supporters would realize from putting in place the diplomatic measures that led to the war's end.

While it may be fashionable to say that whomever brings an end to the war the result would still be positive, that totally ignores the goals of world communism that Gorbachev, despite all the changes he has brought to the Soviet bloc in the past couple of years, has vowed he would never abandon. Bush must work around the Soviet moves to still bring about a resolution of the gulf conflict in such as way that the lofty goals for which the war is being waged are not compromised.

To this point, President Bush has remained cool to the Soviet initiative. The White House has continued to stand by its policy saying, "Our military campaign remains on schedule." Officials still indicate they believe a ground war will be necessary to drive Saddam and his forces from Kuwait.

If it comes to a ground war, Bush should rest assured that he and the nation's fighting men and women have the full support of the American people. This is a difficult war with complex players who are all angling for better position from which to pursue their personal agendas once the shooting stops.

Bush must look out for the United States' interests.

LETTERS

Proposed lottery too great gamble

A state lottery is not the best answer to the financial woes that have beset Texas. And for one good reason it is not the best answer. It impacts the abject poor in a very adverse way. It makes more miserable lives that are already fraught with misery.

Psychiatrists tell us that this class of people entertain overly high hopes of getting rich quick by winning the state lottery or the Irish Sweepstakes. Gambling comes to represent a magical hope for reversal of all their defeats and bad fortune. Gambling is as compulsive to them as a drink is to an alcoholic.

Texans have always been known since the early days of the frontier for having compassion and looking out for their fellow Texans. Let's leave gambling as a means of raising funds to our friends in New Jersey, Nevada, New York, et cetera. Texans have too much class to follow these examples.

Joe N. Gifford
Midland

Even on a good day, drivers here are lazy

The traffic in Midland just gets worse and worse. Too many people drive too fast and fewer use their signals all the time. If everyone used their signals it would make the flow of traffic so much better. I was going along the other day and a driver pulled just a little to the left then turned right.

I think it's laziness. People who are too lazy to go by all of the traffic rules should have to walk.

While I'm on that subject the walkway in front of Midland Memorial Hospital is a hazard. Folks go through there and don't hardly slow down for the stop sign. I am surprised they haven't already run over a pedestrian in that walkway. You would think they can't read.

Billy Lee
Midland

CNN, Reese, colored condoms — what next?

CNN, broadcasting Saddam Hussein's propaganda. Why do advertiser's use this station?

Charley Reese, running down President Bush. What an intellect he must be!

Planned Parenthood handing out colored condoms. Who picks out the color?

What next?

William & Rosemary Brown
Midland

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Thursday, Feb. 21, the 52nd day of 1991. There are 313 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On Feb. 21, 1965, black activist Malcolm X was shot to death by assassins identified as Black Muslims as he was about to address a rally of several hundred followers in New York.

Today's Birthdays: Columnist Erma Bombeck is 64. Fashion designer Hubert de Givenchy is 64. Tricia Nixon Cox is 45. Actor Christopher Atkins is 30.

Thought for Today: "General notions are generally wrong." — Lady Mary Wortley Montagu, English author (1689-1762).

JACK ANDERSON

Army guards closely damage reports

RIYADH, Saudi Arabia — U.S. military officials and intelligence sources have confided that the biggest secret of the air campaign in the Persian Gulf war is the extraordinary extent of the damage inflicted on the Iraqi army and the elite Republican Guards.



Anderson

"The damage is much greater than we're willing to admit," one top military official said. Other sources agreed that the damage estimates given in official briefings are "extremely conservative."

In a wide-ranging interview with us, Gen. Norman Schwarzkopf hinted at this, saying that the kinds of damage reports taken for fact in Vietnam would not fly here. The military learned lessons about credibility in the last war.

"I would tell you that we are now and we are going to continue to be deliberately conservative in what we tell you and the American people. We don't want a credibility gap to generate. We don't ever want to lead the American people to believe something is going on that isn't going on. And therefore, we are very, very deliberately making sure that what we provide you is something we can back up if ever challenged."

Another hint that the destruction exceeds the published statistics is the increasing number of planes returning to allied bases in Saudi Arabia with full bomb racks because they could not find a target that hadn't already been hit.

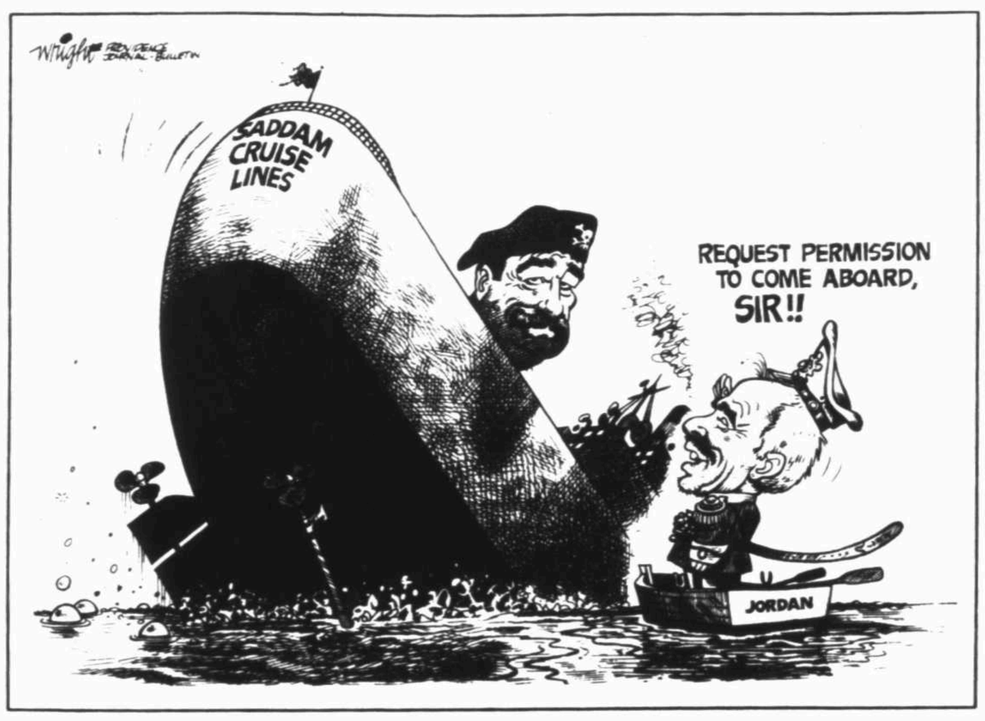
One knowledgeable military intelligence source here said that key units of the Republican Guards have lost as much as half of their troops and equipment. He cautioned, though, that a few units have not been touched at all.

The Republican Guards, numbering from 108,000 to 110,000, are the best fed, best trained and most highly motivated units in Saddam Hussein's army. Classified military maps show Saddam has spread them far back from the front — most in a crescent along the Iraq-Kuwait border. Some are in southern Iraq along the border with Saudi Arabia and others are guarding Saddam in Baghdad.

Schwarzkopf said he has targeted not just the troops, but their supply lines and communications. "The Republican Guard is having the same (resupply) problems everybody else is. They are having it in a greater degree because we have been hitting them harder than everyone else, with quite accurate bombardment. If secondary explosions are any indication, then we have been destroying a lot of things."

Aside from the destruction of the Republican Guards, involving thousands of deaths, the air strikes have been more effective than acknowledged against Iraq's estimated 4,000 tanks, 2,700 artillery pieces and 2,500 armored fighting vehicles. That success has encouraged the allied commanders to press on with the war in the skies.

While acknowledging that the damage estimates are on the conservative side, Gen. Schwarzkopf is careful not to underestimate his enemy. "There has been a lot of speculation that 'cracks are starting to appear' in the Republican Guard. OK, and that's probably the case. But I would hate to define how big the cracks are, how critical the cracks are, what the result of the cracks are, et cetera."



MINI-EDITORIAL — The Bush budget includes a "means test" for Medicare recipients — meaning that people who make at least $125,000 a year would pay higher Medicare premiums than lower-income people. The idea is reasonable and inevitable. Americans must stop thinking of Medicare and Social Security as the retirement programs that are their due from years of paying taxes. It is time to begin thinking of those programs as America's way of taking care of those who cannot take care of themselves.

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GEORGE WILL

You can't find history through a microscope

WASHINGTON — Edward Gibbon, historian and wit, was dryly funny even in his footnotes, such as this one on giraffes:

"...the tallest, the most gentle and the most useless of the large quadrupeds. This singular animal, a native of only the interior parts of Africa, has not been seen in Europe since the revival of letters."



Will

Was it mere coincidence or did the quickening of Europe's intellectual life actually cause the departure of the giraffes? Did they have an aversion to learning?

Gibbon was having fun with the historian's chore of discerning the causation behind events. Today some historians want to don white smocks and enlist science in their search for such explanations.

A government museum, which possesses some of Lincoln's hair, blood and skull fragments, may allow scientists to try to clone Lincoln's tissue for analysis of his DNA, which is the determinant of heredity. What will this enable historians to explain? Not much.

Scientists might determine whether Lincoln suffered from Marfan syndrome. Many victims of that disorder are tall and gangly and susceptible to sudden heart failure. Lincoln was 56 when assassinated, older than most 19th century Marfan victims lived to be. But suppose he had the syndrome. So what? Establishing that he had it would shed no light on history because it would not justify inferences about the causes of historic actions.

Perhaps someday science will be able identify a genetic cause of chronic depression and will establish that Lincoln was afflicted. But note the adjective "chronic."

We know Lincoln often was melancholy and depressed. It would have been odd if he had not been, living in a city infested with spies, inundated by reports of military debacles and national fratricide.

Anyway, for cloning to reveal something of historic importance the something would have to pertain to a mental impairment of personality pattern. Some people believe "genes define the essence of the person." Here we reach the heart of the matter: What is essential?

I believe persons are what they read. That formulation is shorthand for: The essence of a person is what he or she thinks, because history is the history of minds, which are undetermined.

Certainly physical facts about individuals can cause large historic effects. Perhaps (it would be nice to think so) Napoleon's hemorrhoids really did have some determining effect on his conduct at Waterloo. And there is evidence that a medical fact may have been the cause of a century-shaping effect.

Last spring Arthur Link of Princeton, biographer of Woodrow Wilson, received a large number of documents from the son of the man who was Wilson's personal physician at the time of Wilson's fight with Congress over ratification of the Versailles Treaty. Link says the papers show that Wilson suffered cerebrovascular disease long before his 1919 collapse that occurred while campaigning for ratification of the Treaty and membership in the League of Nations.

Wilson, says Link, was afflicted by hypertension and intermittent small strokes and vascular incidents that interfered with brain functioning, beginning perhaps as early as 1896. His intransigence and occasional incoherence during the Treaty debate (in conversation with the Senate Foreign Relations Committee in August, 1919, he made at least 30 errors of memory) may have been symptoms of this physiological problem, not, as many historians have concluded, signs of defects of character or deficits of political skills.

Obviously such science can inform history. What is worrisome is that some historians will try to find in science still more reasons for writing "history with the politics left out." Such history does not treat man as a political animal, a social creature acting autonomously, moved by reasons and convictions.

The art of biography already is suffering the ravages of psychobiographers who reduce their subjects' convictions to neuroses and ascribe to their subjects motives severed from ideas. May we at least be spared explanations of Lincoln's genius, or the "essence" of any individual, in terms of genetics.

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ART BUCHWALD

From the bottom line to the end of the line

The unemployment line is the great leveler. You now meet people there that you used to run into at Nordstrom's.

My buddy Joe Doubleday was in Row A when he recognized Sidney Tartar, the president of Megabear Manufacturers, standing behind him.



Buchwald

"Hi, Mr. Tartar," Doubleday said. "Long time no see."

Tartar asked, "Do I know you?"

"Joe Doubleday. I was in advertising. You laid me off six months ago."

"Oh, yes," responded Tartar. "I heard good things about you."

"Then why did you lay me off?"

"You were part of our economic safety net. We promised the bank we would let you go so that they'd ease up on our loans. It was nothing personal."

"That's what I told my wife," Doubleday said. "She never could understand why you didn't fire anybody on the 40th floor. After all, they were responsible for the dumb decisions the company made."

"We never made dumb decisions. We were victims of bad luck."

"What about the Velcro beer bottles you tried to sell to the breweries? There was no market for them, and they didn't work."

"Nobody's perfect."

"Remember the fast food chain specializing in calves' liver sandwiches? Why wasn't anyone strung up for that?"

"We laid off 5,000 high school kids. What more do you want?"

"You had a solid company before you started selling pothole insurance."

"Doubleday, just because we fired you doesn't mean that you're an expert on business practices."

"Mr. Tartar, as long as we're standing in line together, I'm going to take this opportunity to tell you what I think of the executives who are running businesses in America. A Japanese sumo wrestler could do a better job than any of them."

"Doubleday, if we weren't standing in the same unemployment line, I would take severe disciplinary measures against you."

"Mr. Tartar, you drove your company into the garbage dump because you chose greed for your bottom line."

"My employees never understood me."

"What are you doing in this place? I thought people like you had golden parachutes."

"I lost mine in the divorce court."

"It figures. You wreck the company and you can't even hold on to the money they gave you."

"Does everybody here have to take guff from everybody else?"

"No, the only ones who get it are those responsible for the rest of us being unemployed in the first place."

"Doubleday, I always worried about you. Megabear was one big happy family. Do you think I'll have any trouble getting my unemployment check?"

"I doubt it. In order to collect, you must prove that you are unable to handle another job — and you won't have any difficulty doing that."

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OPERATION DESERT STORM

For 101st Airborne Divison, the wait for battle is nearly over

By John Kifner
N.Y. Times News Service

IN SAUDI ARABIA — There is a sense along the miles and miles of bleak northern Saudi Arabian desert where the 101st Airborne Division is preparing for battle that the long wait is nearly over.

The soldiers here have a word for that: "Hooo-ah."

"Hooo-ah" and "good to go" are emerging as the all-purpose expressions of approval in this war. "Hooo-ah" can be used as an exclamation, or as a kind of adjective, as in "that's pretty Hooo-ah." The antonym for Hooo-ah, unfortunately, is unprintable.

Fighting all along the Saudi border has been picking up in the last few days, as reconnaissance parties probe for Iraqi strength and weaknesses. Airplanes drone overhead day and night.

The grunts are cleaning and packing their assault gear, and the white organizational markings on the dust-covered trucks and humvees, the 1991 equivalent of jeeps, are being cleaned off or repainted.

A sense of impending action is palpable at the "Flying Tigers" assault helicopter brigade, where pilots of Apache helicopters have been flying north

Spill cleanup hampered by lack of coordination

RIYADH, Saudi Arabia (NYT) — The cleanup of the Persian Gulf oil spill, the largest in history, has been severely hampered by poor coordination among Saudi agencies, an ill-equipped ministry leading the operation and a lack of money for equipment, Saudi and Western officials say.

Responding to the spill of an estimated 450 million gallons of crude oil — 40 times the Exxon Valdez spill — in the middle of a war zone has from the outset been considered a monumental task, requiring not just a national but an international effort.

There have been contributions from around the world, ranging from Norwegian oil-skimming ships to miles of Japanese floating booms.

But despite such commitments, Saudi and Western officials say, precious weeks have been lost in efforts to stem the gooey black tide washing up along a 60-mile stretch of the eastern Saudi coastline.

The officials attribute the delay to infighting among Saudi ministries over scarce war resources, a failure to adopt a 1983 emergency response plan for such oil disasters and an institutional aversion to crisis management.

"It took them two weeks to organize what could have been done in 12 hours," said a Western diplomat who has followed the cleanup closely. The diplomat, like most Western officials interviewed, insisted on anonymity because of the political sensitivity of the issue.

The Saudi government's environmental agency, which is coordinating the cleanup, "needs a lot of help" to cope with the spill, said Mohammed Sulayem, a senior official with the National Commission for Wildlife Conservation and Development, a leading Saudi environmental group.

But officials at the agency, the Saudi Meteorology and Environmental Protection Administration, denied any friction among Saudi ministries. The officials conceded that there were some coordination problems early in the cleanup, but added that the effort is running smoothly now.

"There are no problems," Abdul Bar al Gain, the agency's president, said in an interview. "It's a difficult task but not impossible."

Environmentalists say the delays compound the ecological calamity. Thousands of cormorants, grebes and other shore birds are washing up on beaches, their carcasses coated in oil. Nesting grounds for rare sea turtles, shrimp-spawning areas and important fishing waters have been choked with layers of oil 15 inches thick in some places.

Soviets wait for signals from Iraqis

By Serge Schmemann
N.Y. Times News Service

MOSCOW — Another day came and went Wednesday with no signals from Baghdad on whether it would agree to the Soviet initiative on Kuwait, as the debate in Moscow continued on the merits and motives of the Soviet plan, Iraq's options and Washington's response.

The Kremlin continued to say it expected a quick response from Baghdad on the confidential proposals that President Mikhail S. Gorbachev handed to Foreign Minister Tariq Aziz of Iraq on Monday.

"I am sure we will get a response, and we want it as soon as possible," said the Foreign Ministry spokesman, Vitaly Churkin.

The Baghdad radio announced Wednesday night that Aziz would be sent to Moscow "soon to convey the leadership's response to the Soviet proposal." The broadcast did not give any suggestion of what the response would be.

As suspense over the Soviet plan took center stage in the Persian Gulf crisis, debate swirled over why Gorbachev had chosen this moment to make his offer and to warn that the West was about to overstep the limits of the United Nations Security Council mandate sanctioning force to oust Iraq from Kuwait.

Western suspicions that Moscow was trying to reclaim a role in the Middle East crossed Soviet suspicions that Washington was trying to obliterate Iraq.

But Moscow insisted, evidently to Washington's satisfaction, that the plan adhered fully to the United Nations Security Council resolutions demanding Iraq's unconditional withdrawal from Kuwait.

Ballpark ballyhoo to show support

EL PASO (AP) — Organizers of a rally to support soldiers in Operation Desert Storm hope to fill a 10,000-seat stadium with flag-waving military veterans, families and other troop backers.

The "Rally Round the Flag" ballyhoo is planned for March 9 at Cohen Center, the minor league ballpark for the El Paso Diablos.

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Airliner crashes off Chile; 19 die

SANTIAGO, Chile (AP) — A chartered Chilean airliner carrying 72 people, mostly American tourists en route to Antarctica, crashed into a freezing channel Wednesday near the southern tip of Chile, the airline said. Authorities said 19 passengers died.

Seventeen of the 53 survivors from the British-made BAE-146 airplane were injured in the early afternoon accident, said a spokesman for the Chilean airline LAN.

The plane crashed in the Beagle Channel as it attempted to land in light rain at Puerto Williams, on Navarino Island, 1,500 miles south of Santiago, said the LAN spokesman.

"The airplane went beyond the end of the landing strip, and fell into the water," according to a LAN statement.

The airline said the cause of the accident was not immediately known.

The names of the passengers — all foreigners and mostly Americans, according to tour officials — were not immediately released.

LAN President Jose Luis Moure said all seven crew members — two pilots, four flight attendants and a mechanic — survived.

The airline said the plane was en route from Punta Arenas, 300 miles to the north.

Albanian president responds to protests

VIENNA, Austria (AP) — The president of Communist Albania, responding to unprecedented protests that toppled monuments to Stalinist founder Enver Hoxha, said Wednesday he would take direct control of a new government.

"I have decided to take the government into my hands and create a new government and a new presidential council," President Ramiz Alia said in an announcement broadcast nationwide on state television.

Alia, who succeeded Hoxha after his death in 1985, gave no details of who would be represented on the new council, but said he met Wednesday with leaders of all opposition parties and political organizations.

The move appeared to be an attempt by Alia to distance himself from the unpopular legacy of the communist government and use his personal appeal, even among anti-Communists, to pull the country through a period of turmoil.

He said the country was "at a critical point," and appealed for the cooperation of opposition parties. "We must all of us work to get out of this situation," he added.

It was unclear whether Alia intended to form a coalition government. The Communists face their first competition in free elections scheduled for next month.

The change was "necessary for peace and democracy," Alia said, appealing to Albanians to preserve the peace.

In a related development, Premier Adil Carcani announced he was bowing to demands by about 700 hunger-striking students and professors to rename Tirana's Enver Hoxha University.

The state news agency ATA reported the hunger strikers ended their fast late Wednesday after hearing Carcani's statement.

Anti-Communist demonstrators in two cities toppled Hoxha statues Wednesday, unleashing decades of pent-up wrath against the late dictator.

Police, some with dogs, at first fired in the air in an attempt to keep thousands of people from a 30-foot-tall bronze statue that dominated Skanderbeg Square in the center of Albania's capital, Tirana, state television showed.

But then the police began to embrace people in the jubilant pro-democracy protest, television and witnesses said.

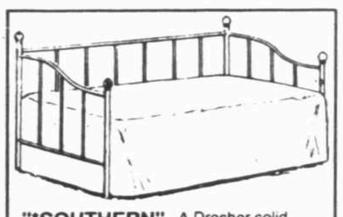
Slovenia votes for secession

LJUBLJANA, Yugoslavia (AP) — Slovenia's parliament voted overwhelmingly Wednesday to begin the republic's formal secession from Yugoslavia.

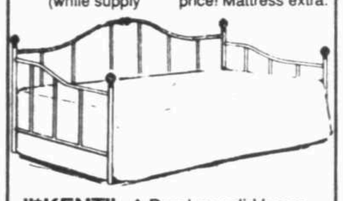
"The federal system can no longer safeguard the interests of the republics, therefore the country must devolve into two or more sovereign states," Slovenia President Milan Kucan told a news conference. "Slovenia intends to embark on the process of dissolution immediately."

By a vote of 173-1, with two abstentions, legislators adopted a resolution saying Yugoslavia "will peaceably dissolve into two or more sovereign, independent states." Whatever states emerge should do so with their former borders unchanged, the resolution said.

The non-Communist parliament also adopted a constitutional amendment declaring the supremacy of its own law over federal law in the Slovenian republic, whose capital is Ljubljana.



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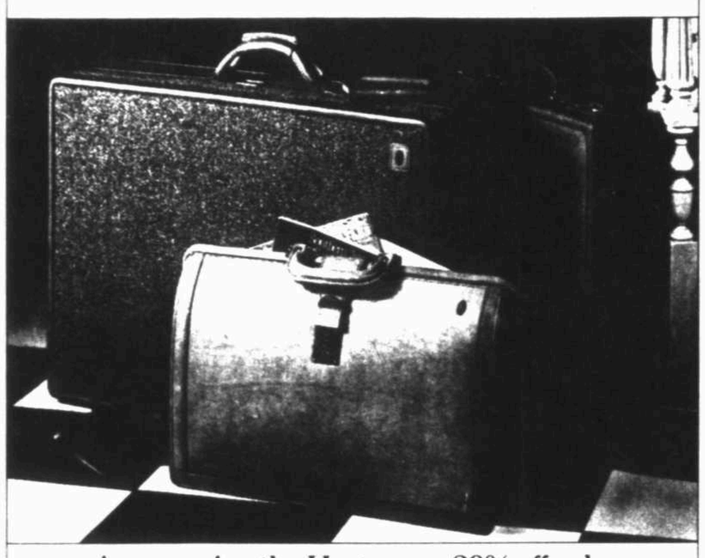


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Bunton denies Willeford retrial

■ Even though the federal court is denying former Upton County Sheriff Glenn Willeford a new trial, he is appealing a $1.5 million lawsuit judgment against him.

By David Morris
Staff Writer

U.S. District Judge Lucius D. Bunton III has denied defense motions for a new trial in former Rankin store owner Mary Turner's lawsuit against Upton County officials, court records show.

Meanwhile, former Upton County Sheriff Glenn Willeford has appealed a $1.5 million decision against him in the case to the 5th Circuit Court of Appeals in New Orleans.

In 1989, Ms. Turner sued Willeford, Upton County, county District Attorney J.W. Johnson Jr. and drug informant Walter Woolf for allegedly conspiring to convict her on false drug charges.

A federal jury in January awarded $3.6 million in damages to Ms. Turner: $500,000 from the county, $1.5 million each from Willeford and Johnson, and $100,000 from Woolf.

Bunton, who presided over the trial in U.S. District Court in Midland, dismissed damage claims against Johnson on Jan. 31.

He signed the order denying the defendants' motions for a new trial last Thursday. The order also rules out a judgment notwithstanding the jury's verdict.

Upton County Judge Peggy Garner said Bunton's order is a mere formality.

"That's the way that you go on the appeal," she said, adding that the county's appeal paperwork is "in the mail."

"The way I feel about it is, if the court of appeals reads the transcripts, they'll find no evidence substantiating a conspiracy," she said.

Willeford's attorney, Steven Woolard, filed a written notice of appeal for his client on Wednesday. He could not be reached for comment.

Ms. Turner claimed during the trial that Willeford paid Woolf $500 in August 1985 to plant about a gram of methamphetamine in her Rankin convenience store, Turner One Stop.

Sheriff's deputies arrested Ms. Turner on drug possession charges, but the case against her was dismissed during her 1987 trial in 112th District Court in Rankin.

She is now a legal assistant living in Midland.

Willeford was later convicted in connection with an unrelated incident in which he ordered drugs to be planted at a McCamey mobile home in order to justify a search warrant. He was sentenced to eight years probation and fined $5,000.

Willeford, who lost his job because of the conviction, is now an oilfield worker in Sheffield.



File Photo

Former Upton County Sheriff Glenn Willeford has appealed to the Fifth Circuit Court.

Locals smell trouble

■ After receiving citizens' complaints, Midland City Council is analyzing how other cities regulate illegal dumping of grease into the sewer system.

By Brian Pearson
Staff Writer

Life has been a lemon occasionally for Midland residents living in houses along Peach Street.

Newlyweds Robert and Holly Huckabee bought their 213 Peach St. home about 1½ years ago, only to find that their love nest was no bed of roses.

Raw sewage has backed up in their bathtubs and toilets four times, soiling carpets and leaving a lingering stench in the house, said Mrs. Huckabee, 25, a word processor for a law firm.

"We've had to pull up the carpet in the bathtub twice," she said. "We can smell the sewer in our house."

City of Midland health officials said the suspected sources of the problem are restaurants along Midkiff Road that may be dumping grease illegally in sewer lines, causing backups at nearby residences.

Midland Health Administrator Monette Burke said Wednesday that city officials are working on new regulations that would include stiff penalties for restaurants illegally dumping grease.

Although checking grease traps sometimes is part of restaurant inspections, Ms. Burke said city codes do not include fines or other penalties. A restaurant could be closed for the problem, but that has not occurred in recent memory, she said.

City officials are studying

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Beverly Shilling/Reporter-Telegram

Future fruiters

Local nurseries are receiving trees in preparation for the spring planting season. Heriberto Castillo unloads several pear and purple plum trees. Today's forecast calls for perfect tree-planting weather — sunny skies with afternoon highs in the low 70s.

9 Midland students named National Merit finalists

By Myra Lee Salcedo
Staff Writer

The results are in and Midland boasts nine National Merit Scholarship finalists — five from Lee High School, two from Midland High School and one from Trinity School.

All Midland semifinalists were named finalists, with the exception of a former MHS student who was accepted for early admission to John Hopkins University, which disqualified him from being a finalist.

"I am certainly proud of our students and pleased that our curriculum and faculty are able to generate students with this kind of success," said Joseph Baressi Jr., Midland Independent School District superintendent.

One finalist, Margaret "Peggy" Coffey of Trinity School, a private school, also was named one of 1,500 national semifinalists in the 1991 Presidential Scholars Program.

The presidential semifinalists were selected from more than 2.5 million students who expect to graduate from U.S. high schools in 1991. Peggy is the daughter of Mr.

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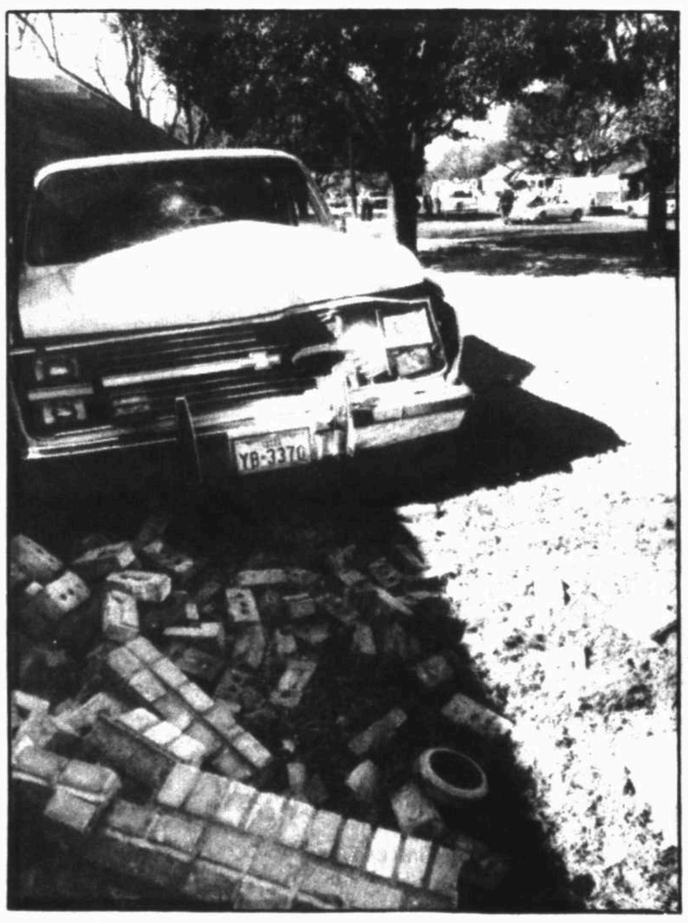
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Repeat performance

For the second time in 20 years, Wendell and Cora Westerfeld's house on Sentinel Drive was slammed into by a passing vehicle. The couple were inside their home of 35 years Wednesday morning when a Suburban driven by Patricia Wasmer Lowery, 31, hit the wall.

Ms. Lowery's 1984 Chevrolet Suburban was traveling south on Culver Drive, passed a yield sign at the intersection and was struck by a westbound 1986 Chrysler Fifth Avenue on Sentinel Drive driven by Carla Gwen Garrett, 36. Both women were transported to Midland Memorial Hospital. Ms. Lowery was treated and released; Ms. Garrett remained in satisfactory condition late Wednesday with a dislocated ankle.

Joe D. Williams/Reporter-Telegram

As arson probe of Cafe West fire continues, owners plan reopening

By Michael Kashgarian
Staff Writer

As an arson investigation into a fire that gutted the Cafe West restaurant on Feb. 11 continues, owners of the establishment anticipate re-opening in three to four months.

In addition to announcing renovation plans on Wednesday, Jeff Sharifi, president and shareholder of Cafe West Corp., commented on rumors surrounding the fire.

Sharifi — a 5½ percent shareholder — dismissed talk that the fire was intentionally set for insurance money and that the eatery was in financial trouble.

"We do not have the kind of insurance anyone can benefit from personally ... the amount we carry is not significant," he said.

"I and my company can gain nothing but loss. My restaurant was not booming but was not doing a bad business," said Sharifi.

Jerry Reid, accountant for Cafe West Corp., confirmed that the the restaurant was in good financial standing.

"It was making a profit but not a huge profit ... overall there has always been a profit," Reid said.

Reid added that the business profits were increasing due to a re-organization plan, implemented at the beginning of the year, that cut expenses.

Lon Dominguez, assistant fire marshal, said the fire was still under investigation Wednesday and that there were not any suspects or motive.

Dominguez said a "few leads are being chased down" and investigators are "pursuing a lot of evidence found at the place." Dominguez would not expound on the leads or evidence sc as not to interfere with the investigation.

According to Sharifi, federal agents were also involved in the investigation; Dominguez would not confirm whether other agencies were involved.

An employee of a fire-cleaning service outside the restaurant on Wednesday said federal investigators were in the establishment at the time.

Dominguez said the investigation may end in the next few days.

Cafe West, No. 9 Plaza Center off Wadley Avenue near Garfield Street, open since Jan. 1989, was set afire about 2 a.m. Feb. 11. Evidence found at the scene of the fire indicated the blaze was ignited with a flammable liquid in the second dining area.

The fire caused heavy damage to much of the restaurant.

Rumors that Sharifi could not be found following the fire were untrue, fire officials said.

Sharifi, who said he was angry and confused about the fire, said he will concentrate on rebuilding.

"We'd like to ask all our friends to keep supporting us until we get the Cafe West open," he said.

Cafe West Corp. also owns the Bourbon Street bar, immediately adjacent to Cafe West. Sharifi said part of the Cafe West menu is being served at Bourbon Street.

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DEATHS

J.D. Mims

LUBBOCK — Services for J.D. Mims, 69, of Lubbock are set for 10:30 a.m. Friday in the Resthaven Chapel with Ellmore Johnson, minister of the Quaker Avenue Church of Christ, officiating. Burial will follow in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Resthaven Funeral Home.

Mims died Wednesday at a local hospital following a lengthy illness.

A native of Nugent, he was raised in Stanton and moved to Lubbock in 1956 from Snyder. He was a drive-in restaurant operator for many years and had worked for Texas Instruments for 10 years before his retirement. He was a member of the Church of Christ and was a member of the VFW No. 2466. He was a veteran of World War II, serving in the U.S. Army.

He married Margaret Aycock in Clovis, N.M.

Survivors include: his wife; two daughters, Virginia Camp of Austin and Jo Ellen Meeks of Odessa; his mother, Carrie Mims of Stanton; one brother, Billy Mims of Stanton; one sister, Maxine Howard of Stanton; six grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Roy C. Thacker

Services for Roy C. Thacker are set for 9:30 a.m. today at Ellis Chapel with the Rev. James Denison officiating. Additional services will be held at 4 p.m. at the Paducah Church of Christ in Paducah. Burial will follow at Garden of Memories Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

He died Monday at his Midland residence.

Pallbearers will be nephews John Davis, Jim Davis, John Shavor, Bob Shavor, Harve Shavor and Gerald "Sonny" Shavor.

Honorary pallbearers will be Corky Fell, Donald Love, Bestine Goodwin, Afton Willingham, Earl Bates, Forrest Creamer and Buster Pippin.

Henderson Broadnax

Services for Henderson Robert Broadnax, 61, of Midland, are pending with Newby Funeral Home in Bastrop.

He died Wednesday at a Temple hospital.



AP Laserphoto

Light wave

Carnival workers descend the stairway of a giant slide at the site of the 42nd annual San Antonio Stock Show and Rodeo, which ended last Sunday.

WEST TEXAS IN BRIEF

MC students plan workshop

By Staff Reports

Midland College's African American Student Alliance, will have its first leadership training workshop noon to 5:30 p.m. Saturday in the Northeast YMCA, 2300 Butternut Lane.

The workshop will focus on developing and enriching academic, political and cultural awareness for black students.

One workshop goal is to establish a coalition of black student leaders to address concerns and problems of black students and to increase knowledge of African American history.

The workshop is open to all students in seventh through twelfth grade.

A dance featuring a disc jockey will follow the workshop, and dance hours are 10 p.m.-1 a.m.

Cost of the workshop is $10 and includes dinner and admission to the dance.

Conference coordinators are MC students Wanda Shelton and Crystal Bryant. For registration or more information call 685-4504. Registration will be accepted at the door.

NWS to train spotters

The National Weather Service will host two spring severe weather lectures at Midland College, Monday.

The Skywarn training sessions are open to the public, with a special emphasis on those interested in being tornado spotters. Hailstorms and safety tips also will be discussed.

Midland International Airport NWS station's meteorologist-in-charge, John Wright, will lead the free 2½ hour program, with assistance from other NWS staffers.

The lectures will start at 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. in the health science hall at Midland College. No reservations are necessary.

Health fair opens today

The Midlander and Physicians & Surgeons Hospital will sponsor a health fair today and Friday at the club, located at 225 Corporate Drive.

The fair, open to the public from 10 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. both days, will feature tests on blood sugar, blood pressure, pulmonary function, cholesterol levels and blood typing, as well as diet instruction and heart fitness tips, provided by Physicans & Surgeons.

The Texas Institute of Sports Medicine will do back and muscle strength testing. Tolia Eye Clinic will screen for glaucoma and perform vision tests.

A small fee may be charged for some of the services.

United Blood Services and Physicians & Surgeons will also hold a two-day blood drive at the club.

Scholarship offered

Wal-Mart Foundation Community Scholarship Program is offering $1,000 scholarships to high school students. Scholarships will be based on the student's scholastic and academic achievements, extra-curricular and work activities and financial need. Students must be planning on attending a college or university.

A team of area business and community leaders will serve as judges, according to Tom Van Vrankon, Midland Wal-Mart manager.

Interested students may obtain applications from their school counselors.

Hillander recognized

The West Texas Chapter of the National Multiple Sclerosis Society has recognized Hillander School for raising more than $9,000 during the organization's recent read-a-thon. Hillander students read more than 600 books to raise the funds, according to Monica Childs, MLS special events coordinator.

The school was awarded an IBM computer donated by MIDA Connecting Point Computers for its efforts.

Other schools honored for fund-raising efforts include Anson Jones and Rusk elementary schools. Midland students read a total of more than 27,000 books and raised more than $22,000 which will benefit persons with multiple sclerosis.

Science exhibit Saturday

More than 150 elementary science exhibits will be on view at Midland Park Mall Saturday from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.

The exhibits represent campus science fair winners from twenty-two Midland elementary schools.

The science fair features experiments and studies in the fields of life science, physical science, earth and space science and inventions.

Exhibitors will be competing for berths in the Regional Science Fair, to be held April 5 and 6 at UTPB. Judging will be at 9-11:30 a.m. Awards will be presented at noon.

MERIT: Local finalists among 6,000 others

(From 1B)



Raney



Renick



Smith



Vogel



Walton

and Mrs. Vincent Coffey.

Peggy also has the distinction of being Trinity's first National Merit Finalist since she is in the school's first graduating class of seniors.

James "Jay" Blaylock, Sharon Overton and Matthew Renick are finalists from Midland public schools who have already been awarded scholarships.

Trent, the son of Jud and Janet Walton, received an $8,000 award from the University of Texas. "It works out to $2,000 per year for four years," Trent said. "I really didn't expect to be a finalist. When I went into the office with everyone else from Lee who were all semifinalists, I didn't expect to hear: 'You all made it!' I felt good that all of us at Lee were named finalists."

Trent said he plans to study business at UT.

Jay, the son of Steve and Mary Ann Blaylock, said he was awarded several scholarships, including the Wagner Scholarship to attend Texas A&M University.

"I didn't think all of the semifinalists would be finalists," he said. Jay plans to major in hydrology. "I sure am ready to go to college," he said.

Sharon, the daughter of George and Elnora Overton, said she was awarded an alumnae scholarship of $8,000 to attend Texas A&M. "I just found out Monday," she said. "A&M was the college that I expressed interest in when I filled out the semifinalist forms."

Sharon said she is undecided about what she will choose as her major. "I plan to take basic courses and explore a little bit before making a decision," she said.

Matthew Renick, the son of Howard and Lynda Renick, said he plans to major in engineering and has not yet decided on a college.

"I kind of expected that I had a good chance of being a finalist," said Kristopher "Kris" Raney, the son of Richard and Doylene Raney. Kris said that he plans to major in physics at Cal-Tech in California.

Mike "Burr" Vogel, the son of Rodney and Suzanne Vogel, said he is "heavily considering" attending UT Austin where he will study engineering.

Kimberly ' Smith, the daughter of Joseph and M.J. Smith, said she plans to study journalism at the University of Southern California. She said the best part of being named a finalist was "having all of my friends make it along with me."

She said the next step for most of the finalists is waiting to be notified of those students who will be awarded merit scholarships.

Todd Giese, the son of Charles and Deanna Giese, said the 6,000 finalists who will be awarded merit scholarships will be notified in April or May.

"This is something we will find out later," he said. "The National Merit Scholarship Corp. will be going through our background — searching to see who gets the scholarships."

About 90 percent of the 14,000 semifinalists were named finalists, according to information from the corporation.

SEWER: City Council seeks an ordinance 'with some bite'

(From 1B)

grease-dumping codes in other Texas cities in order to shape Midland's regulations into "something that has a little more bite to it," she said.

A proposal, she said, is expected to go before the Midland City Council for review Tuesday.

Paul Moore, 64, a retired postal employee who lives at 215 Peach St., said he has been waiting for a solution to the sewer problem for about 15 years.

"It bubbles up in our toilets like you would drop a rock in a bucket of water," Moore said. "I'm not blaming any restaurants for it. I'm blaming the city for it. They're the ones who are supposed to take care of this."

Councilman Tom Johnston, who brought the Peach Street problem to the council's attention last week, said the city plans to install a bigger sewer line in the neighborhood.

Part of the problem has been caused by a sewer line too small to handle greasy sewage from nearby restaurants, Johnston said.

He said he hopes tightened sewer regulations will include forcing some restaurants to install larger grease traps.

Ms. Burke said Midland restaurants are inspected four or five times a year.

However, grease traps are not checked as often because the traps must be broken down, a time-consuming task, she said. In addition, it's difficult to pinpoint the source of illegal grease dumping unless an inspector witnesses it as it occurs, she said.

"And nowhere have I said it has totally been the restaurants' fault," Ms. Burke said. "We don't know it's all their fault."

Tom Lor, manager of T&T Donuts, 210 Midkiff Road, said he is unaware of any illegal grease dumping in the area.

"We're not doing it here," Lor said. "I don't know which restaurants people are complaining about. We inspect our grease traps every month."

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Baby 'G'

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'Killer' bees due back in March

HARLINGEN (AP) — New swarms of Africanized "killer" bees are expected to cross into South Texas from Mexico as soon as next month with the onset of the spring swarming season, scientists say.

"We might find some Africanized bees in March when we start doing our spring sampling," said Anita Collins, manager of the Africanized honey bee program for the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Research Service office in Weslaco.

Beekeepers and biologists are preparing for the next wave of the ill-tempered bees. The first and only confirmed AHB invasion of the United States was discovered last Oct. 15. A pioneer swarm was caught and destroyed near the border city of Hidalgo in the Lower Rio Grande Valley.

That was at the end of the fall swarming season, but officials in Mexico reported Africanized honey bee movement as recently as December. The spring swarming season begins in March as flowers bloom and provide the pollen bees use for energy.

"I wouldn't be surprised to see another detection (in Texas) next month or in April," Elba Quintero, manager of the Texas Africanized Honey Bee program for the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, said Tuesday.

Thirty-two AHB swarms also were trapped in December along a 20-mile stretch of the San Fernando River in Mexico, about 70 miles south of the border.

Jerry Newton of Mission, president of the Valley Beekeepers Association, said members of his organization plan to mark their queens and check hives regularly to ensure that AHB queens have not invaded.



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A bee trap, like this one in Harlingen, is the same type of trap scientists used to capture the first swarm of Africanized bees known to have crossed into the U.S. from Mexico last spring.

Beekeepers also have kept up a public education program to prepare for the South Texas' inevitable AHB infestation. Area beekeepers, who primarily provide crop pollination services, want to prevent anti-bee hysteria that could provoke strict ordinances regulating hives.

Beekeepers and scientists say that AHBs more readily spread to areas where there are no European bees competing for food.

"If we have to take our European bees out," Newton said, "it's going to create a void and the Africanized bees are just naturally going to go to it."

The highly defensive bees have expanded their range northward since they escaped from a breeding experiment in Brazil in 1957. They earned the "killer" nickname because they attack intruders in swarms and chase them long distances. European bees commonly used in America lost their fighting spirit through centuries of domestication.

The Oct. 15 trapping triggered a quarantine of the state's eight southernmost counties. No bees may be taken out of those counties.

Dallas, Fort Worth agree on rail service

DALLAS (NYT) — After more than eight years of feuding, mass transit officials in Dallas and Fort Worth have agreed to spend more than $65 million in the next year to begin commuter rail service between Dallas and Fort Worth.

The first stage of the service, which would be built by Dallas Area Rapid Transit, would carry passengers from Dallas to Irving by mid-1992.

The second stage, which would complete service to Dallas/Fort Worth Airport and to downtown Fort Worth, could be operational as early as 1994, officials said on Wednesday. It would be built by the Fort Worth Transit Authority and could cost an additional $65 million, officials said.

The Railtran policy committee, which controls the 34 miles of tracks that will be used, is expected to approve on Thursday the agreement with DART and The T to begin work on the project.

"This is the first concrete step toward getting rail service to Tarrant County," said John Bartosiewicz, executive director of the Fort Worth T.

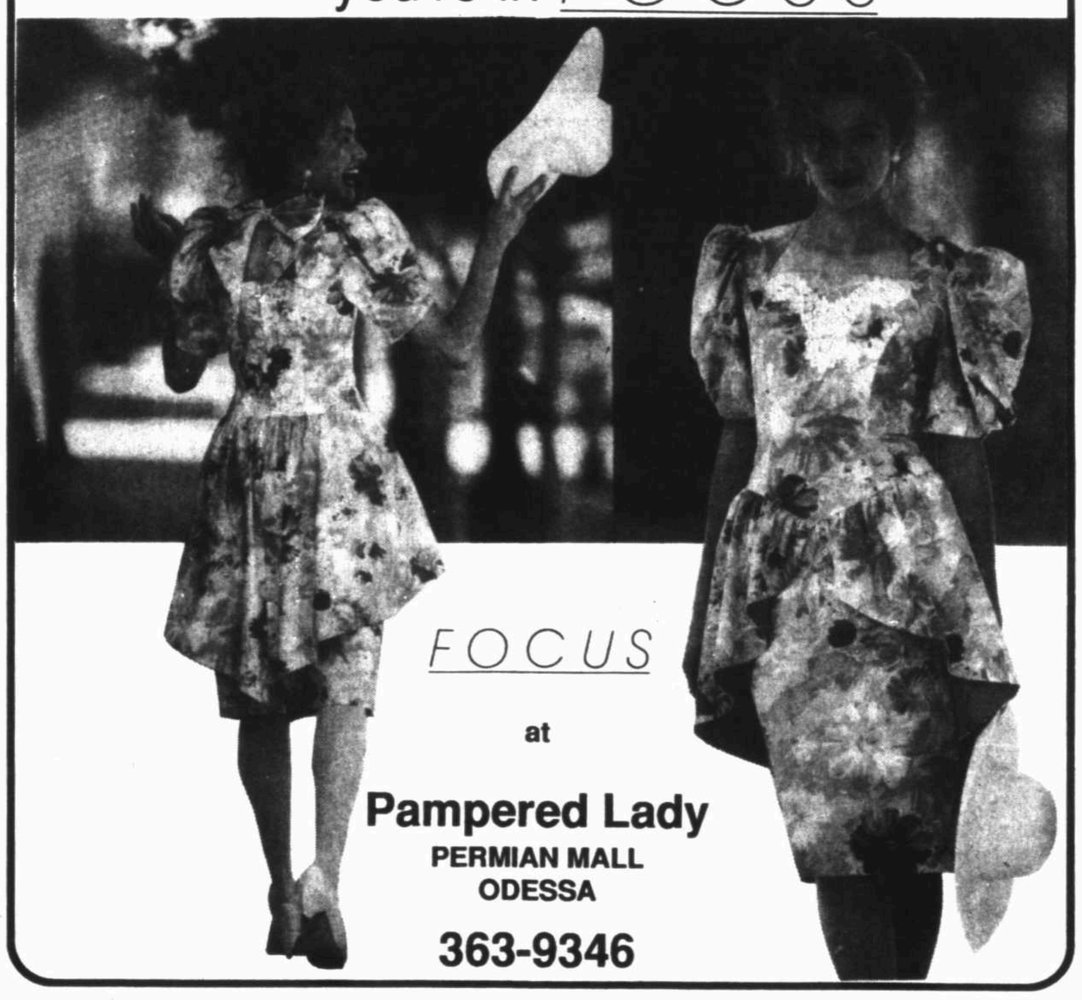
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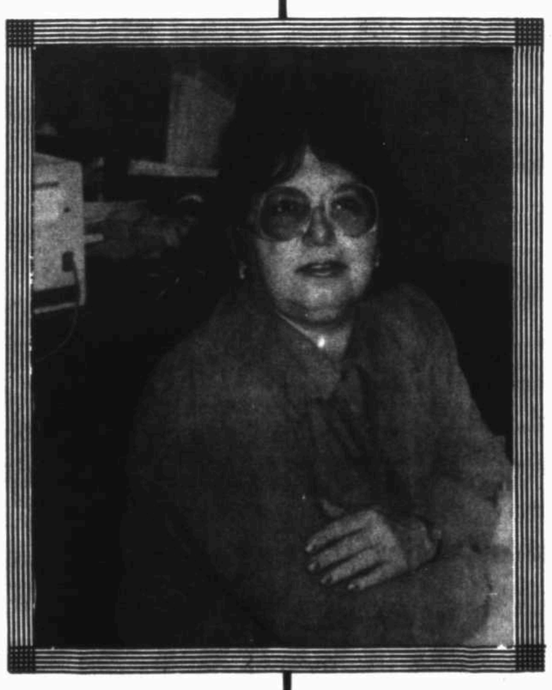
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Grand Canyon ranger gives pep talks

By Larry Margasak

GRAND CANYON NATIONAL PARK, Ariz. (AP) — When the climb up the slopes of the Grand Canyon saps your strength, when the blisters sting with every step and you tell fellow hikers you can't go any farther, you might get a lecture from Jerry Chavez.

Chavez, wearing his National Park Service uniform, is likely to happen by on one of his frequent hikes and launch into a pep talk, exhorting you to try harder. If you're too weak to lift a pebble, he might even offer to carry some of your load.

And when the talking is done — unless you're injured or truly sick — chances are Jerry Chavez will have you back on the trail.

The 45-year-old Vietnam veteran, a muscular 150 pounds at 5-feet-7, is a jack-of-all-trades in the nation's most popular canyon.

His official duty is to operate the pumping station at Indian Gardens campground, which sends water to the South Rim. The campground is on the popular Bright Angel Trail, 4.7 miles from the top.

But you get the feeling that he much prefers some of his other tasks, including rappelling down the imposing canyon walls to participate in rescues or to repair the water pipe.

A member of the park's 20-member rescue team, Chavez won a National Park Service achievement award for helping save a hiker found nearly dead from heat stroke.

CHAVEZ HAS given his pep talk to exhausted hikers perhaps hundreds of times during the five years he's lived in the canyon.

"I've given a lot of speeches to people who say, 'I can't make it,' Chavez says.

"People have given up. I tell them, 'I can't carry you. There's no taxi service. I know you're sore but you can make it.' I tell them 'I know what the human body can do if you're strong-willed. Then I say, 'We're only a mile from the top.' I'll carry their pack if they're hurting."

In case of a medical emergency, Chavez can summon medical help and an evacuation helicopter.

Chavez is a man at peace with his environment. He loves to be the first to hike out of the canyon after a snowfall, crunching the first boot imprints onto a trail. After the first snowfall this winter, he began hiking out at 2 a.m., just for the sheer enjoyment.

He used to keep in shape by running rim-to-rim, some 23 rugged miles, and has even run 100-mile endurance tests. But a back injury has limited him to fast-paced hikes, some on rarely used trails where Chavez claps his hands to scare off rattlesnakes.

He hates it when others abuse his environment.

"Sometimes I find myself getting irritated at people," Chavez says. "They walk on a revegetation area. And the thing I hate most is littering, including littering in the campground toilets."

BUT THE "dumbest thing," he says, is "hiking without food or drinking water. It looks easy. But people suffer from dehydration and heat strokes."

Like the rangers on duty inside the park, Chavez works nine days and then has five days off. He shares, with another pump operator, a Park Service house that has a modern kitchen, a wood-burning stove, a VCR, a stereo and two bedrooms. Supplies arrive by mule train.

He also has use of a Park Service house on the South Rim and has his own home in Leadville, Colo., where his wife, Jeri, lives along with children Michael, 10, and Sara, 8. Chavez has another son, Abad, by a previous marriage.

Chavez has seen a lot of wierd things in the canyon, including a guy hiking in a tuxedo and women in high-heel shoes.

"There are flights here from Las Vegas and he looked like a high-roller," he says. "His tuxedo was dustier than hell, but he still had the bow tie on."

Last June, the water pipeline broke and Chavez had to rappel down the rocks.

"I was on two ropes," Chavez says. "The rappel rope was anchored. Both ropes broke. I slammed onto a rock. The harness was twisted. I strained myself. I had back surgery twice."

AFTER 2½ months off work, Chavez was not only back on the job last fall but began learning to rappel from a helicopter in a new rescue training program.

The incident involving the heat stroke victim came three years ago. The three-member rescue team included Chavez and two rangers, one a registered nurse.

"When I saw that man, he looked like death," Chavez recalls. "We were talking to the clinic on the rim by radio. We had to carry him a mile up a steep embankment. His temperature was 109.

"We were running water from a creek and kept pouring it on him. When they flew him to Flagstaff, he still had a temperature of 105. The doctor called and said whoever worked on him saved his life. The three of us got National Park Service achievement awards. The guy walked out of the hospital as normal as can be."

Chavez complains about parents who, out of shape themselves, bring small children with them to hike the canyon.

One winter day in 1989, Chavez was out for a run when he came upon parents with two kids and heavy packs.

"The kids were lying in the snow and crying," he recalls. "I told them, 'You're going to have to carry those kids out.' I asked if I could help and the father said no. I could hear him yelling at the kids, who were about 2 or 3."

Chavez eventually got permission to carry the kids out. He carried the first child part way to the rim, leaving him with two rangers out on a training exercise. Then he went back for the second child, and made another trip to retrieve their packs.

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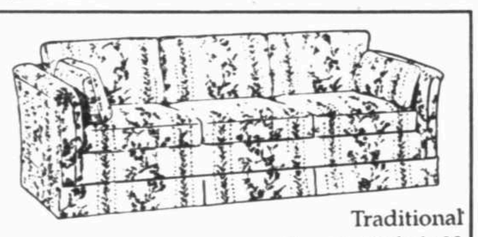
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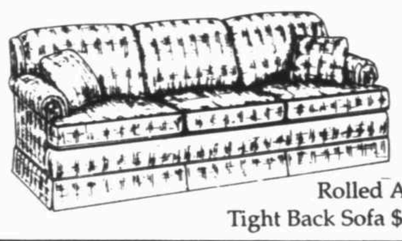
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Some antique diamond jewelry not 'the real thing,' say experts

Associated Press

Antique diamond jewelry boasts infinite variety and charm but the amateur buyer must beware of the reproductions that abound on the market. This is particularly true of the art deco style, according to an article in the current issue of Connoisseur, because it is so easy to copy.

"It's a horrible problem," said Edward Munvies of James Robinson, New York, noting that sometimes a reproduction is evident to the eye by the rough piercing of the setting.

Joyce Jonas, an appraiser who teaches a course in estate jewelry at New York University, advised prospective buyers: "Examine the setting. A dealer may not be aware of a stone replacement, and you may be able to feel a roughness around the collect (the collar that holds the stone)."

Pieces with smaller stones in pave settings are most likely not to have been tampered with and are your best bet if you want things in absolutely original condition.

The savvy amateur buyer should seek expert advice from an independent appraiser, for example, who would examine a piece on-site — in a dealer's shop or at an auction preview — to determine that at least the stones are in fact diamonds.

Judging purity of design requires another kind of connoisseurship. The carat weight of individual stones cannot be precisely determined without their removal from the setting, which is certainly not recommended with old pieces. Irreparable damage might be done.

The variety of antique diamond jewelry is wonderful and expensive. At one salesroom a minuscule diamond roadster, circa 1900, with wheels that turn, was recently priced at $8,500. In the same display case, a sparkling flower basket the size of a quarter could be had for $7,500.

In the diamond market, stones are assessed on the basis of inherent perfection. Antique diamond jewelry is appraised for style, quality of workmanship and condition more than for the overall quality of the stones.

"Sometimes humble materials are worth more than precious, primarily because of the way they've been worked," said Peter Schaffer of A La Vieille Russie, which sells Russian antiques and Faberge bibelots. A diamond mouse with garnet eyes, circa 1800, will set you back $8,500 there.

Many conventional forms, flower sprays, stars and bows, date back to the 18th century, when diamond cutting and setting preoccupied the European jewelry industry.

By the middle of the 19th century, diamond jewels like corsage ornaments and tiaras reached spectacular proportions. Art nouveau jewelers considered 19th-century naturalism stiff and uninspired and used diamonds mostly as accent gems. Artists such as Mucha, Lalique and Fouquet used translucent enameling, iridescence and unusual combinations of natural materials and semiprecious stones to create sinuous, often bizarre designs such as a dying anemone.

Only by educating yourself through looking and reading can you learn to recognize quality in antique diamond jewelry and tell authentic pieces from reproductions.

Heart-shaped accessories still loved even after Valentine's Day

By Carrie Donovan
N.Y. Times News Service

NEW YORK — Even after Valentine's Day has faded into memory, heart-shaped bits of adornment still look wonderful.

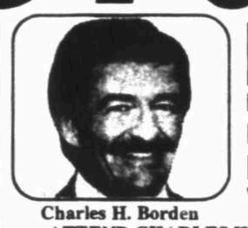
Who, for instance, would not want to be constantly pulling out the Yves Saint Laurent compact shaped like a heart? Made of layers of golden metal building up to a big, faceted rhinestone, it is luxuriously weighty and looks grand in the palm of the hand.

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Jeweler finds timepiece 'gem'

GREEN VALLEY, Ariz. (AP) — Collectors of antique timepieces have one more to lust for. And if Jim Michaels is right, it's a real gem.

Michaels, a Green Valley jeweler and watchmaker, says he's pretty sure he has the first watch ever made by Abraham-Louis Breguet (1747-1823), considered by many to be history's finest horologist.

Michaels bought the watch from a colleague on the East Coast, who got it from a man who said it had been in his family for years.

Michaels and townsman Evan Edwards, who is on the board of the National Association of Watch and Clock Collectors Inc., examined the timepiece when it arrived at Michaels' shop Dec. 14.

Known for making stylish and elegant watches for the rich, Breguet was a supreme master of technical innovation, Michaels says. He perfected the self-winding watch, invented the repeater gong and invented the shockproof device.

Till now, the oldest known Breguet watch was the one he made for Marie Antoinette in 1782, Michaels says. That timepiece bears the inscription "1782 No. 2," indicating the date it was made, according to historical records. But it hasn't been seen since the queen was executed during the French Revolution.

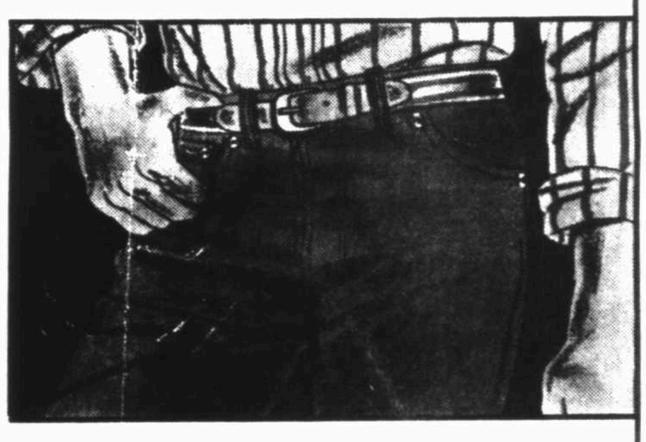
Michaels says the watch he has bears the inscription "882 No. 1," indicating it was made in August 1782, two months before that of Marie Antoinette.

The watch, undergoing repair by several craftsmen, has features other than the inscription that suggest Breguet, Michaels says.

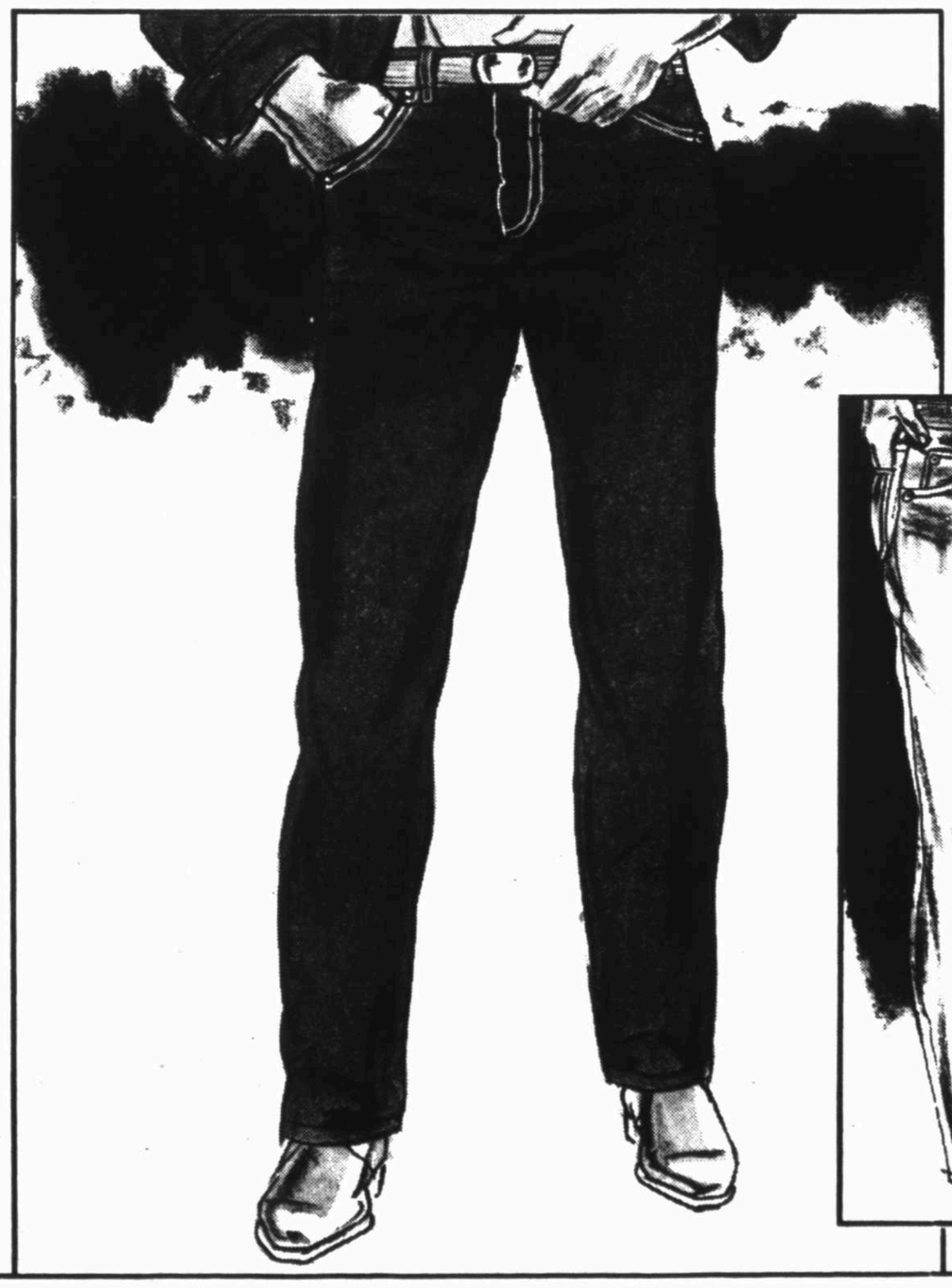
It has a ruby cylinder, for example, a distinctive Breguet mark, and incorporates six jewels — four on the balance and two plate jewels. The screw heads are another feature traced to Breguet by the design and style of the threads, he says.

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DEAR ABBY

Son's memories of mother are not clouded with guilt

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: Quite some time ago, you published a letter from someone who had lost his mother or father and had failed to communicate his love to them. Then it was too late.



Van Buren

I want you to know that I benefited from that letter and your response. Recently, I lost my mother. She was only 69 and died of a heart attack. She was such a sweetheart. Thanks to you, my sadness was not due to guilt, because for the last 10 or 12 years of her life I telephoned her regularly, wrote letters from time to time and remembered her on special occasions. I also visited her every three months although it was a 13-hour drive. On those occasions we had so many laughs and such a good time.

While I feel that I would have tried to be a good son, your column reminded me that we are on this Earth such a short time, and after someone dies, it's too late to say, "I love you." Thank you.

If you want to use this letter, you may use my name. — THOMAS T. MENEAR, ATLANTA

DEAR MR. MENEAR: The letter that made a difference in your life is one that has been clipped and carried in more wallets than any other. And here it is:

DEAR ABBY: I am the most brokenhearted person in the world. I could always find the time to go everywhere else, but never time to visit Mom and Dad. They sat at home and loved me just the same. It's too late now to give them those few hours of happiness I was too selfish and busy to give.

Now when I go to their graves and see the green grass above them, I wonder if God will ever forgive me for the heartaches I must have caused them while they were alive. I pray to God that those who still have their parents to visit, do so, and show their love and respect while there is still time, for it's later than you think. — TOO LATE

DEAR ABBY: The letter about the toddler who fell into a five-gallon bucket of water and drowned while his mother ran to answer the telephone prompts this letter. Actually, I want to address two separate, but related issues.

No. 1: The ridiculous belief that when a telephone rings, you have to run to answer it! I am a physician, and I've had a number of people come to my office due to injuries they have received when they tripped and fell while running to answer the telephone. I say, if the phone rings while you're busy, let the blasted thing ring — if it's really important, the party will call back.

The other issue: Many lives could be saved if everyone — including housewives — knew how to do CPR. One never knows when a friend or family member will black out or have a heart attack. Most American Red Cross chapters offer excellent courses for home and workplace emergency care. — DR. MAX WREN, MC ALISTER, OKLA.

DEAR DR. WREN: (I am not going to say you're for the birds.) Thanks for a fine and ever timely letter.

DEAR ABBY: I owe you big time, lady! — and after racking my brain for ways to "pay" my debt, I think I found a method that will please you.

Recently you published a list of "do's and don'ts" for a better relationship between mothers-in-law/daughters-in-law. Among them, to mothers-in-law, was: "Don't drop in without calling first." My husband's mom, who is retired and lives across the street, never misses your column and, much to our relief, she took your advice. Her unannounced visits were immediately reduced from two to three a DAY to twice a week!

Don't get me wrong; she is a wonderful person whom I love very much, but with our hectic schedules, her drop-in visits were very disruptive. Neither my husband nor I could figure out how to get that message across without hurting her feelings.

Abby, as a token of my heartfelt appreciation for solving this problem for us, I have doubled my United Way Fund contribution for 1991 in your honor!

Should you publish this, just sign me ... WORTH IT

DEAR WORTH IT: You are indeed unique. Most readers see others in my column, but rarely do they see themselves.

DEAR ABBY: I have always had a deep love for all living things. I have a house full of thriving plants.

About five years ago someone gave me a half-dead Boston fern. I took it home, repotted it, watered it and gave it plenty of love. (Boston ferns are very hard to grow.) It lived and grew into a huge, lush, thriving plant.

Every year, after the last frost, I put it outside. After being indoors all winter, it would grow like crazy! I kept it outside on my picnic table all summer. By the end of October I would bring it back inside for the winter, and it would be just beautiful.

Well, last Monday somebody stole my plant in broad daylight! Abby, it was in a 50-pound flowerpot. I cannot begin to tell you my shock and hurt. How could anyone be so low?

I hope that whoever took it knows how to care for it, because Boston ferns are very fragile and need loving care. Abby, why in this world would anyone want to steal a plant? Perhaps if you put this in your column, the thief will bring it back. — MOTHER EARTH

DEAR MOTHER EARTH: Sorry about your plant, but please don't hold your breath until the thief returns it. You ask why anyone would want to steal a plant. "Elementary, my dear Watson." A thief will steal anything that isn't nailed down. And, if a thief has the time and the tools, also things that ARE nailed down.

I doubt that a plant lover stole your plant. In all probability it was stolen because it could be sold for a few dollars to another crook who buys stolen merchandise to sell to sleazy characters who ask no questions.

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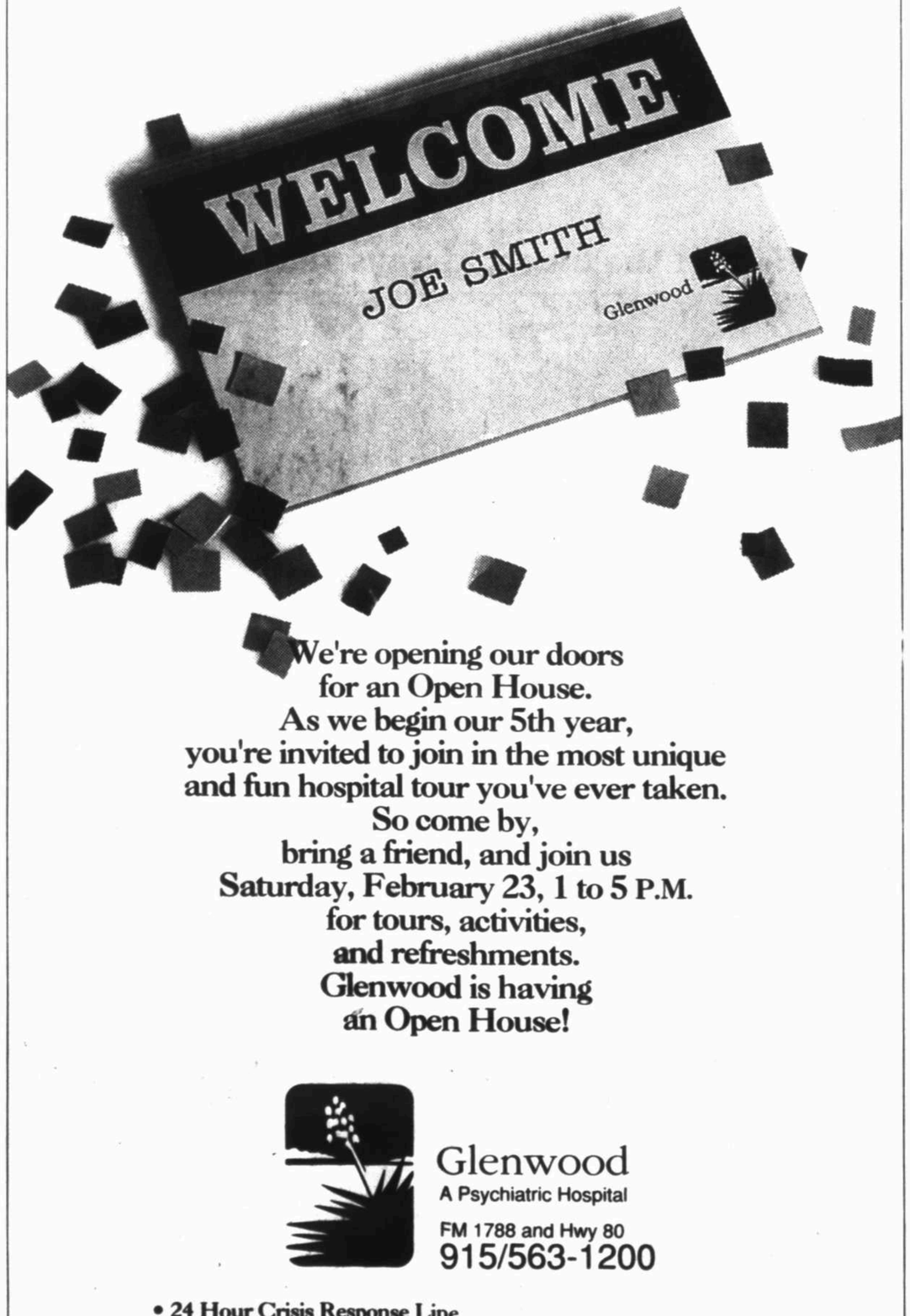
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Basic boxers transformed into one of man's goofy garments

By Francine Parnes
Associated Press

LOS ANGELES (AP) — If Joe Boxer's rebellion has its way, plain white boxer shorts will soon be history.

Nicholas Graham, the zany California designer behind the Joe Boxer label, has transformed basic boxers into one of the goofiest garments in a man's wardrobe.

Graham is the one who conjured up 3-D underwear and glow-in-the-dark boxers. They say "No! No! No!" when the lights are on, just the opposite in the dark. He's also credited with putting happy faces, hearts and billiard balls on many a backside.

He's put happy faces on a lot of retailers, too, by creating underwear that is fashionable, not just functional. Thus men's shorts become a fun buy, like a new tie, rather than something you replace when the old gets gray.

"It's whimsical, it's fun and we do very well with the line," says Nancy Nolan, a spokseman for Neiman Marcus in Denver. "We call it fun personal furnishings for men."

In less than six years, Joe Boxer has been licensed from Canada to Australia and sells some $10 million a year to stores in the United States. The product line has been expanded to include socks, loungewear and leisure wear, with an eye on children's and women's markets.

It seems Graham is limited only by his imagination, which at present is rife with visual one-liners.

On this day, Graham, who might have invented the spike to create eclat for his unruly hair, is decked out in a black and white houndstooth blazer, polkadot pocket kerchief and socks with "No" written all over one and "Yes" on the other.

"If I want to express myself without saying anything, I just cross my legs," he says.

For underwear, Joe Boxer gets around. John Travolta wore golf ball-covered pj's in "Look Who's Talking Too," and in "Kindergarten Cop" Arnold Schwarzenegger donned a silk set named Marla Aspen from Boxer's "Weekend with Ivana!" collection.

Graham, 32, is a transplant from a ranch in Alberta, Canada. He cruised through life as a California rock singer and Colorado ski bum. He even dabbled in dress design on the Greek islands and was designing ties in San Francisco when a friend predicted men's novelty underwear would become trendy.

Graham determined to make the prediction a reality. With no formal training in business or design and a minimum investment, he cranked out 50,000 pairs of boxers and a few T-shirts in his first year.

Daring young men — and women — started wearing the whimsical underwear as outerwear, and Graham was soon on his way to blurring the boundaries between the two.

Now, he has 38 employees at his San Francisco headquarters and ships more than 1.5 million pairs of boxers a year to U.S. stores. Retail prices range from about $13 for cotton boxers to about $180 for a silk robe.

People who don't know Graham well often lapse into calling him Joe, but that doesn't bother him. As assistant says Joe is his alter-ego, an all-American guy with a great sense of humor. Indeed, Graham says he's fascinated with Americana, thus the product tag line "Made in the U.S., eh?"

He likens his humor to that of Robin Williams, one of his heroes: the ideas just pop into his head.

Despite his success, Graham, his wife Margaret, an artist, and their 5-month-old son Christopher live a relatively simple life in Marin County.

For his spring line, everything from rockets to garden hoses are fit for a print. American flags adorn robes and boxer shorts. There's also the "Diamonds are a girl's best friend" collection where baseball motifs make an all-star debut.

A women's loungewear line exclusive to Neiman Marcus is to debut by June with about a dozen quirky silk pieces. And he's about to tackle the bed and bath and housewares markets. That means "Shut up and go to sleep" pillow cases, peeping Tom shower curtains and "Shut up and eat your dinner" tableware.

"Nick's ready to create a Joe Boxer culture," says Denise Slattery, vice Joe Boxer president. "He could bring the same level of tongue-in-cheek from boxers into other fashions.

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Kubicki installed worthy advisor for Rainbow Girls

Staff Report

Rachel Kubicki, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Kubicki, was installed worthy advisor of Norman Read Assembly No. 299, Order of the Rainbow for Girls. Other officers installed were Dee Ann Ivey, worthy associate advisor; Kasie Culbert, charity; Stacey Groce, hope; Kristi Wilson, faith; Amber Sanchez, recorder; Kriste Yeager, chaplain; Heather Brasel, drill leader; Dianne Rush, love; Amy Whitaker, religion; Taryn Barker, nature; Alisha Culhane, immortality; Shelley Robertson, fidelity; April Biechler, patriotism; Heather Mitchell, service; Tracy Andrews, confidential observer; and Allison Andrews, outer observer.

Installing officers were Allison Andrews, past grand musician, Grand Assembly of Texas, installing officer; Tracy Andrews, past worthy advisor, Norman Read Assembly No. 299, installing marshall; Ms. Sanchez, past worthy advisor, Norman Read Assembly No. 299, installing chaplain; Darcy Anderson, past grand representative from Rhode Island to Texas, Grand Assembly of Texas, installing recorder; and Betty Roy, mother advisor, Midland Assembly No. 193, installing musician.

Joanne Burbridge, worthy matron, Norman Read Chapter 1010, Order of the Eastern Star, installed Dawn Robertson, mother advisor, and advisory board members Ms. Anderson, chairman; Pam Culbert, assistant mother advisor; Gerald Kubicki, attending mason; Ms. Burbridge, secretary; Beth Mitchell, treasurer; Bob Burbridge, Edith Burbridge, Jacque Cooper, Les Cooper, Karen Groce, Wayne Groce, Wynojoe Ive, Cindy Wilson and Jerri Young.

Janet Stafford gave the invocation. Kubicki gave the welcome. Ms. Kubicki presented the worthy advisors Rainbow Bible. Miss Kubicki introduced her parents and other relatives. Amy Smith read "The Giving Tree" and Nicki Holloway read scripture. Steve Smith sang "The Wind Beneath My Wings." Kubicki presented the worthy advisor the gavel. Mrs. Stafford gave the benediction.



Rachel Kubicki

Men seek new look

N.Y. Times News Service

LOS ANGELES — Slick, short and dark. That's the new look in men's hairstyling that salons chains such as Supercuts are promoting during the current cycle of gangster movies.

The look is short on the sides with varying lengths on top, slicked back with generous amounts of gel or styling lotion.

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Don't buy used car from my son

By Erma Bombeck

Forget the stereotype of teenage boys tuning up car motors in their garages, customizing a chassis and building a Lamborghini out of spare parts. Our sons are not good with cars. They barely know where to insert the key.



Bombeck

When they buy a second-hand car, they always get the one formerly driven in a car chase by Starsky and Hutch, Rockford, Clint Eastwood or James Bond. The uniqueness of these clunkers is twofold. One, there were only two of them manufactured, so parts are not available, and two, anyone with an ounce of sense would not buy them in the first place.

Within weeks after they have purchased the vehicle, reality sets in. They will never be able to support this car and a wife at the same time. They can never plan children, take a vacation, afford a graduate degree, buy retail, get sick or eat out. The upkeep of this car will take all of their money and their energies to keep it running. The decision is made to unload it.

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Now comes the weird part. The first day the ad appears, there will be 200 phone calls from people who want to know everything about it. They will take down the address and tell you they will be right out to look at it. Some will even say, "Don't sell it until I've seen it."

No one will show up. I don't know why this is so, but there is an entire generation of young people who do nothing but read car ads and pass the time by calling about them. They do not want to buy a car. They don't need a car.

Cars are usually bought at a traffic light when one guy will eyeball yours and yell, "You wanta sell it?" At the next traffic light, if both cars are stopped again on red, the other driver will answer, "Maybe."

If a buyer sells his car, he is depressed because he made a bad decision to sell. If he doesn't sell, he is still depressed because he knows something else will fall off or die before the week is over.

A couple of days ago our son picked up the paper and read, "Classic foreign sports car, mint condition, must sacrifice."

"I'm going to call on this one," he said.

"It's the ad you put in for your own car," I said.

"I wasn't going to buy it," he said. "I just wanted to see if I was willing to come down on the price."

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L.A. Gear introduces 'catapult' basketball shoe

N.Y. Times News Service

A new basketball shoe introduced by L.A. Gear, the Los Angeles footwear company, is designed to add spring to a player's steps.

A rectangular component in the heel, which acts like a miniature springboard, is made to compress a bulblike bushing sealed within an air chamber in the shoe's heel.

The heel spring moves downward on the bushing as the shoe flexes, causing the foot to spring off the next step, say L.A. Gear officials. The heel device is made with a plastic core sandwiched by carbon fiber and fiberglass.

The outer sole and bushing of the heel area are made of crystal rubber, a transparent material that allows you to see the interior catapult mechanism.

Robert Greenberg, president of L.A. Gear, says it takes 20 pounds of weight to make the springboard hit the ball bushing. The shoe is called the Catapult.

The heel motion also diffuses shock in body joints and muscles as the foot hits the floor, says the company. Stabilizer bars inside the heel area are designed to keep the foot stable in basketball's side-to-side movements.

The catapult technology will be added to L.A. Gear's tennis, cross-training and walking shoes for fall 1991. The basketball shoes are expected to be available at sporting goods stores beginning Feb. 10 in men's sizes; the cost will be about $100.

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California at Arizona, 8:30 p.m., ESPN.

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Houston 74, Texas Tech 59.

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Sports Today

JUCO BASKETBALL — Western Texas College at Midland College, 7:30 p.m., Chaparral Center.

BOYS PREP BASKETBALL — San Angelo vs. Lubbock Monterey, Class 5A bi-district playoff, 8 p.m., Dorothy Garrett Coliseum, Big Spring.

Midland Christian vs. Dallas Lakehill Preparatory, TAPPS state semifinal, 8 p.m., Waco.

Palmer returns

BALTIMORE (AP) — The Baltimore Orioles confirmed Wednesday that they've invited Hall of Famer Jim Palmer to pitch during spring training camp.

However, Palmer hasn't yet accepted. He's still mulling over a contract offer from the team which was made contingent upon his making the grade.



Palmer

The pitcher's agent, Ron Shapiro, first broke news of the Orioles' invite Tuesday when he said negotiations on terms of a contract were in preliminary stages.

Shapiro didn't return phone calls Wednesday on the status of the contract offer. Palmer was also unavailable.

Palmer, 45, is attempting to becoming the first member of the Hall of Fame to return to the major leagues.

He has been throwing for the past week under the eyes of scouts from several major league clubs.

Palmer went to Baltimore Wednesday to talk with Orioles general manger Roland Hemond, but Hemond had already left for training camp in Sarasota, Fla.

One obstacle to Palmer's return, his Orioles broadcasting contract with Baltimore television station WMAR, was removed earlier in the week.

The station agreed to hold Palmer's job until a decision is made on whether he'll join the team.

Trivia Teaser

Thursday's Question — Name the last major college basketball team to finish the season undefeated.

Wednesday's Answer — Four years and three coaches after Lynn Patrick left the New York Rangers' coaching job, his brother Múzz began his first of two coaching stints with the Rangers.

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Then press 1400 for SPORTSLINE -- sports news, scores and updates.

Rangers sign Inky

■ While Detroit pitcher Dan Petry loses his arbitration bid, Texas left fielder Pete Incaviglia doubles his 1990 salary.

Associated Press

NEW YORK — While pitchers and catchers got ready to start reporting on Thursday, Detroit pitcher Dan Petry became the latest loser in salary arbitration and Dwight Gooden's agent called the Mets' latest offer unacceptable.

Thursday is the first day players officially can check in for spring training, and workouts for many teams begin Friday, 45 days before opening day.

In other contract negotiations, two players settled Wednesday, leaving three remaining in arbitration.

Texas outfielder Pete Incaviglia agreed to $1,675,000, a raise of $850,000, while Toronto shortstop Manny Lee agreed to $712,500, a raise of $332,500.

Petry lost his request for $1.35 million when arbitrator Raymond Goetz chose Detroit's offer of $650,000, a raise of



Pete Incaviglia

$175,000. Another Tigers' pitcher, Paul Gibson, argued his case Wednesday before arbitrator Stephen Goldberg. Gibson is asking for $565,000, while Detroit is offering a $200,000 raise to $350,000.

Petry's loss left owners ahead 9-5 among the cases that arbitrators decided.

California third baseman Jack Howell and Toronto pitcher Frank Wills are scheduled for hearings on Thursday in Chicago. The hearing for Pittsburgh's Jose Lind was postponed from Wednesday to Friday in New York after the shortstop had travel difficulties.

Among non-arbitration players, National League Rookie of the Year David Justice agreed with Atlanta on a one-year contract worth approximately $300,000.

While this was going on, Gooden and the New York Mets were jockeying for position in their contract talks. The pitcher, completing a $6.7 million, three-year deal this season, wants an extension similar to the $21.5 million agreement between Roger Clemens and Boston.

The offer New York made Wednesday would make Gooden the third-highest paid player in the game, behind Clemens ($5.38 million a year) and Jose Canseco ($4.7 million a year). But it would be more than Darryl Strawberry's $4.05 million average salary with Los Angeles.

"It's a start," said Gooden's agent, Jim Neader, who termed the offer "not acceptable."

Mets general manager Frank Cashen said he would not criticize Boston's deal with Clemens. Cashen then called the contract "inappropriate" and said it showed "questionable wisdom."

FRONT ROW SEAT

Bulldog bench players don't 'ride the pine'

■ Midland High's playoff bound basketball team relies heavily on the production of its eight players off the bench.

By Terry Williamson
Sports Editor

Playing against Midland High's basketball team is a bit like playing against the ocean. It comes against you in waves.

It is also the signature of a Jack Stephenson coached team. Players fall off the bench, and onto the court, sometimes in machine gun fashion before a game is even a minute old.

Probably no team in District 4-5A relies on its bench guns more than the Bulldogs. Stephenson has been criticized for this tactic at times, but it's what he believes in.

"There are two reasons why we use a lot of players in a game," Stephenson says. "First, we think it gives us an advantage. The way the game is played today is very strenuous. Vince Lombardi once said, 'Fatigue makes cowards of us all.' It keeps the players fresh, so they can do what we want when they are on the floor.

"Secondly, I've always felt that if a kid can make your team, they should have a chance to play. And I want every kid to think they have a chance to play. If you noticed, we platooned up to our district opener.

"Even the way we play, I'm sure that some of the kids and parents feel they don't play enough. There is a time when you have to do what you feel is best for the team overall, but all our kids have contributed to us being in the playoffs this year.

"This system goes back to when I was coaching junior varsity basketball under Paul Stueckler at (Midland) Lee. We used to do this all the time. I never did like having to distinguish between one player and another. Also, we saw Dallas Jefferson and Clear Lake win state championships doing what I'm doing."

So, this isn't exactly "New Wave" stuff, but there is no question that "The Wave" has been a big part of the MHS season.

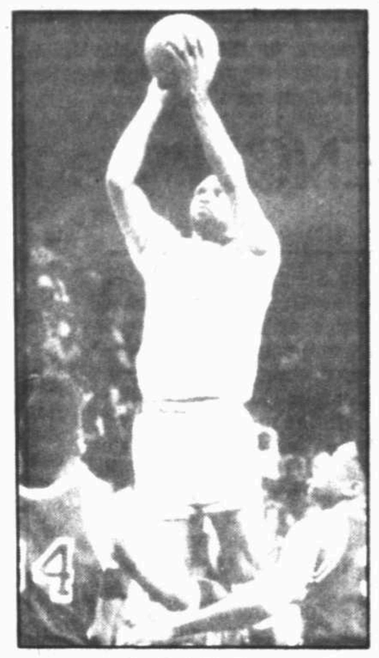
Here is a brief look and the eight MHS wave players off the bench, their major contributions and com-

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Midland High's "Wave" players are, front row from left, Jose Rios, Stephen Canon, Phillip Koss and Tyler Beard. Back row, John King, Mark Farias, Eric Johnson and Roy Allen.



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MC's Eugene Witherspoon.

Playoff berth on line

■ Before Midland College can battle New Mexico JC for a playoff spot, the Chaps must beat Western Texas tonight.

By Jimmy Patterson
Assistant Sports Editor

It has been clearly evident for almost a month now that next Monday's game between Midland College and New Mexico Junior College could very well determine who gets the fourth and final berth in next month's Region V basketball tournament.

First and foremost, however, Midland has to win tonight's game against Western Texas at Chaparral Center. Tipoff is 7:30 p.m.

A victory by the Westerners would effectively render moot any further discussion surrounding post-season action for MC.

The Chaps enter tonight's contest with a 6-7 record in the Western Ju-

■ Analysis

nior College Athletic Conference. WTC, once a a favorite to grab one of the top spots in conference play, comes in with a 4-9 mark.

It's quite simple, really, what it would take for Midland to make the regional tournament. It's called "winning out." It's not quite as simple, however, to just expect that to automatically happen.

After WTC, the Chaps make the 90 mile trek to Castor Center in Hobbs, N.M., for the game against the T-Birds. After that, the regular season is completed with a home date against Odessa.

Winning only one of their last three would not cut it for the Chaps; winning two may. Considering the toughness of the Wranglers — whether at home or on the road — a two-game winning streak beginning tonight and ending next Monday in New Mexico would be preferable.

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Mustangs open TAPPS tourney

■ After suffering through a 4-19 season a year ago, Midland Christian's boys have advanced to the Texas Association of Private and Parochial Schools basketball semifinals.

By Bill Grimes
Staff Writer

What a difference one year has made for the Midland Christian boys basketball team.

The Mustangs ride a 10-game winning streak into Texas Association of Private and Parochial Schools state tournament play against Lakehill Preparatory School of Dallas at 8 p.m. tonight in Waco — just one year after posting a 4-19 mark.

The MCS-Lakehill winner will face the winner of the other semi between Dallas Temple Christian and Conroe Truth Christian in Saturday's final.

Senior guard Tim Adams is a big reason why MCS has been able to turn around its basketball fortunes. Adams, a 5-10 senior, leads the team in scoring with 21.6 points per game after moving to Midland from Hobbs, where he was set to play for legendary Hobbs coach Ralph Tasker this season before the move.

Adams has scored 62 points in the Mustangs' playoff appearances this season.

Despite Adams' all-star play, MCS coach Homer Jackson said the Mustangs were going to be good before the senior arrived.

"Getting Tim was like the icing on the cake," Jackson said. "I think we would have been a decent team without Tim, because most of our players gained lots of experience last year."

David Minihan and Alan Weaver are two junior starters who know what Jackson is talking about. Minihan, a 6-0 point guard, and the 6-2 forward Weaver tried to carry most of the load last season, but have particularly blossomed with a year of experience.

Minihan averages 14.0 points per game, while Weaver chips in with 13.1 tallies a game.

Post Joe White leads the team in rebounding with 8.6 boards a game. White, a 6-1 senior, also averages 8.1 points per game and may have the primary responsibility for guarding Lakehill post standout Delmont Johnson, a 6-6 player who averages 21.4 points and 13.3 rebounds per game.

Forward Andy Bayley, a 6-0 senior, rounds out the starting lineup with about five points a game. Six-three junior Sammy Cox (6.7 ppg) and 6-0 junior Kevin Jackson (2.9 ppg), the coach's son, have been the first off the bench in recent games.

"If we play well, we have as good a chance of winning as anybody," Coach Jackson said.

Tisch buys one half of NFL champions

Associated Press

NEW YORK — Robert Tisch, the former postmaster general who for years has been trying to buy an NFL team, agreed Wednesday to purchase 50 percent of the Super Bowl champion New York Giants.

The surprise announcement by the NFL said Tisch, brother of CBS president Laurence Tisch, bought the 50-percent share of the team owned by Mrs. Helen Mara Nugent, her son Tim and daughter Maura Mara Concannon.

The transaction is subject to NFL approval. No purchase price was announced, but the last NFL team to be sold, the Dallas Cowboys, went to Jerry Jones for $150 million in 1989.

Aside from the exit of Tim Mara, the club's owner-vice president and treasurer, Tisch said "there won't be any changes." He said his title will be chairman and co-chief executive officer.

Tim Mara's uncle, Wellington, with whom he has feuded for years, will be president, co-chief executive officer and chief operating officer, Tisch said. Wellington, who had been owner-president of the Giants, retains 50 percent of the stock.

Tisch also declined to reveal a purchase price.

"There is a confidentiality agreement between the two Maras and myself," he said. "It will not be discussed."

Pistons drive past Hawks

Associated Press

AUBURN HILLS, Mich. — The Detroit Pistons won their fourth straight game against the Atlanta Hawks behind Bill Laimbeer's 19 points and 14 rebounds in a 97-89 victory Wednesday night.

The Pistons are 17-0 this season when holding opponents under 90 points.

Cavaliers 118, Kings 104

RICHFIELD, Ohio — Brad Daugherty scored 10 of his 24 points in the third quarter as Cleveland opened a double-figure lead and sent Sacramento to its 21st straight road loss.

NBA Roundup

Pacers 122, Magic 120 OT

INDIANAPOLIS — Detlef Schrempf's reverse layup with one second left in overtime gave Indiana a victory over the Orlando Magic.

Reggie Miller scored 34 points and Chuck Person 29 for the Pacers.

Warriors 108, Timberwolves 105

MINNEAPOLIS — Tim Hardaway's 3-pointer with 2.9 seconds left lifted Golden State to a victory over Minnesota.

BENCH: Second 'wave' produces

(From 1C)

ments by Stephenson:

■ **Tyler Beard**: This senior ranks 13th overall academically in his class, and could be considered MHS' sixth man. Averages 4.3 points per game and a season high 13 points in the third meeting with Lee. "I hate to even consider Tyler coming off the bench for us. He started 12 games this year and I've never had a problem with him being in there. He had some big rebounds for us in the win over Hobbs."

■ **Eric Johnson**: Averages 5.5 per game and was in double figures in nine games. He scored 32 points in the two games with Hobbs with 17 in the road game for a season high. "Eric is as good as anyone on our team and we are hoping that the (last) Hobbs game (15 points) is indicative of how he is going to play in the playoffs. He's one of those exceptionally nice kids who can play guard, post or forward for you. He's very valuable."

■ **Stephen Canon**: Ranks No. 1 in his senior class and has juggled basketball and soccer, where he is MHS' top scorer this year. Averages 2.0 per game with a season high of six in Amarillo. "We had a hard time early in the season trying to get our kids to understand what we wanted and I have to give the credit for our aggressiveness to Stephen. He stepped forward by example and it's rubbed off on the team."

■ **Mark Farias**: Averages 2.7 per game with a season high of 10 points in the first game against Abilene Cooper. "Mark could be a starter for us. In our very first game he turned an ankle and came back and turned the other one the next night. He then missed five games in a row and that made a big difference. He's such a smart player and can come in and really spark your team."

■ **Phillip Koss**: Played in 14 games after starting with the junior varsity and averaged 1.6 per game, scoring four points three different times. "Phillip has been one of the real pleasant surprises in my coaching career. He hasn't had a lot of playing time, but he understands that next year is his year. He's going to be one of the great players in the league next season."

■ **Roy Allen**: This senior averaged 1.1 points in 14 games with a season high of five against Pecos. "This team couldn't be what it is today without Roy Allen. He's first on the floor and last to leave. He could be a great coach. I'm sure he wants to play more just like everyone else, but he has accepted his role without a whimper. In our first game, he made an interception that allowed us to win a game."

■ **Jose Rios**: Averaged 1.2 per game in 18 games with a season high of six points in the first game against Hobbs. "We platooned early in the season and he was on the second five. He does exactly what I tell him to do and I really mean it when I say that he is on my top five list of nicest kids I've ever coached. There is never a practice second that he doesn't give all he has. It doesn't matter if he's playing or on the bench, he's into the game."

■ **John King**: Averaged 1.3 per game in 26 games with a season high seven points against Big Spring. "John was a guard on our second five when we were platooning early. He's the type of kid who is going to give you all he has whether he gets in the game early or late. You never worry about him being in a game. He will always give you a good effort and he is a very good shooter."

Of the wave players, Stephenson added, "Those eight kids missed a combined total of two practices all season. I don't know what more a coach could ask. All these kids are special to me."

"Front Row Seat" is a regular feature of your morning Reporter-Telegram, appearing each Thursday.

CHAPS: OC faces SPC

(From 1C)

Records and closing schedules for New Mexico Jr. College, Frank Phillips and Western, all of whom still figure in the outcome of the fourth spot in the WJCAC season, are:

— NMJC (6-7), at New Mexico Military, vs. Midland, at Frank Phillips. Unless a collapse is had by the T-Birds, they're looking at a 2-1 finishing record. If MC finishes 2-1 as well, a two-way tie for the fourth spot will exist.

— Frank Phillips (5-8), vs. Clarendon, at Western Texas, vs. NMJC. Realistically, only a sweep in their last three would enable the Plainsmen a shot. Their most important role, at least from the Chaps' perspective, is upsetting NMJC in the season finale next Thursday.

— Western Texas (4-9), at Midland, vs. Frank Phillips, at Clarendon. Not directly in the playoff picture anymore, the Westerners can only shape other teams' outcomes. Victories over Midland and Frank Phillips would not put WTC in, but would likely keep MC and FPC out.

In other conference action tonight, Odessa visits No. 2 South Plains; No. 3 Howard College is open.

WJCAC Standings

	CONFERENCE		
TEAM	W	L	Pct
x-South Plains	14	0	1.000
x-Howard Coll	13	1	.929
y-Odessa Coll	9	4	.692
MIDLAND COLLEGE	6	7	.462
New Mexico JC	6	7	.462
Frank Phillips	5	8	.385
Western Texas	4	9	.308
New Mexico MI	2	11	.154
Clarendon	1	13	.071

x-Clinched Region V tournament berth; y-clinched tie for Region V tournament berth.

Thursday's Games

Western Texas at Midland College, 7:30 p.m., Chap Center; Clarendon College at Frank Phillips; New Mexico Junior College at New Mexico Military; Odessa College at South Plains; Howard College open.

Youth kickers compete

Staff Report

Five soccer teams represented Midland at a pair of recent holiday soccer tournaments.

Excaliber defeated the Carlsbad Vipers 2-0 in the championship game of the under-16 division at the Presidents Day Cup in Carlsbad, N.M. And Midland Blast 77 outscored opponents 17-1 in the same tourney to take first place in the Under 14 bracket.

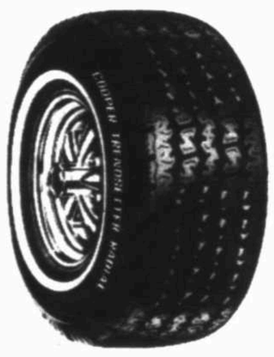
Three Midland teams competed in Phoenix, Ariz. at the Paradise Valley Presidents Day where the Blast '78 boys captured fourth place in the U-14 bracket, including a 1-0 win over America AAA, the Utah state champions.

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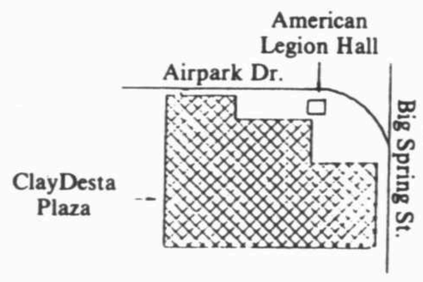
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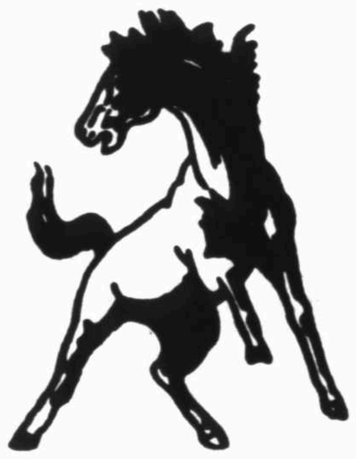


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Philadelphia	27	24	.529	11½	4-6	Won 2	18- 7	9-17	19-12
New York	22	30	.423	17	4-6	Lost 1	11-16	11-14	13-19
Washington	22	31	.415	17½	3-7	lost 1	15- 8	7-23	14-18
New Jersey	17	36	.327	22	3-7	Won 1	12-14	5-21	10-20
Miami	15	38	.294	23½	4-6	Lost 1	11-15	4-21	8-24
Central Division									
Chicago	37	14	.725	—	8-2	Won 7	21- 3	16-11	24- 7
Detroit	37	17	.685	1½	6-4	Won 2	23- 4	14-13	25- 9
Milwaukee	33	20	.623	5	6-4	Won 3	23- 4	10-16	21-12
Atlanta	28	24	.538	9½	4-6	Lost 1	19- 6	9-18	17-16
Indiana	23	28	.451	14	6-4	Won 4	17- 8	6-20	14-17
Cleveland	19	34	.358	19	5-5	Won 1	13-15	6-19	12-20
Charlotte	15	38	.294	22	2-8	Lost 3	11-16	4-20	9-24
WESTERN CONFERENCE									
Midwest Division	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away	Conf
San Antonio	33	18	.673	—	4-6	Lost 3	20- 6	13-10	22-11
Utah	34	17	.667	—	7-3	Won 2	24- 4	10-13	24- 9
Houston	29	23	.558	5½	7-3	Lost 1	19- 8	10-15	17-16
Dallas	20	30	.400	13½	6-4	Lost 1	13-12	7-18	12-20
Minnesota	17	34	.333	17	3-7	Lost 1	12-12	5-22	12-25
Orlando	15	36	.294	19	5-5	Lost 3	13-14	2-22	11-22
Denver	14	36	.280	19½	4-6	Lost 6	11-13	3-23	8-24
Pacific Division									
Portland	42	10	.808	—	7-3	Won 1	27- 2	15- 8	25- 8
LA Lakers	36	13	.745	3½	8-2	Won 2	22- 5	16- 8	24- 9
Phoenix	34	17	.667	7½	7-3	Won 2	20- 4	14-13	22-11
Golden State	29	22	.569	12½	5-5	Won 1	18- 6	11-16	18-15
Seattle	23	27	.460	18	4-6	Lost 3	15- 7	8-20	11-16
LA Clippers	16	36	.314	25½	2-8	Lost 2	12-12	4-23	12-19
Sacramento	15	35	.300	26	3-7	Lost 3	14-11	1-24	10-21

Wednesday's Games
Cleveland 118, Sacramento 104
Detroit 97, Atlanta 89
Indiana 122, Orlando 120, OT
Golden State 108, Minnesota 105
Phoenix 113, LA Clippers 93

Thursday's Games
Seattle at New York, 6:30 p.m.
Miami at Washington, 6:30 p.m.
LA Lakers at Dallas, 7:30 p.m.
Milwaukee at Houston, 7:30 p.m.
Portland at Denver, 6:30 p.m.

NBA Boxes

Pistons 97, Hawks 89

ATLANTA (89)
Wilkins 6-17 6-8 19, Willis 4-10 4-6 12, Koncak 2-4 1-1 5, Rivers 6-14 1-1 13, Webb 3-10 0-0 6, Malone 1-7 10-10 12, Ferrell 1-3 4-4 6, Moncrief 0-3 0-0 0, Battle 7-10 2-2 16. Totals 30-78 26-32 89.
DETROIT (97)
Rodman 5-8 1-4 11, Edwards 2-7 0-0 4, Laimbeer 8-15 2-4 19, Johnson 6-11 2-6 14, Dumars 6-14 13-16 25, Aguirre 4-12 3-4 11, Bedford 4-9 0-0 8, Long 1-2 3-3 5.Totals 36-78 24-37 97.

Atlanta	**22**	**15**	**21**	**31—89**
Detroit	**19**	**16**	**29**	**33—97**

3-Point goals—Atlanta 1-6 (Wilkins 1-4, Webb 0-2), Detroit 1-3 (Laimbeer 1-3). Fouled out—Rodman. Rebounds—Atlanta 49 (Malone 10), Detroit 58 (Laimbeer 14). Assists—Atlanta 12 (Webb 6), Detroit 18 (Dumars 6). Total fouls—Atlanta 27, Detroit 27. Technicals—Willis, Atlanta Assistant Coach Loughery. Ejections—Atlanta Assistant Coach Loughery. A— 21,454.

Cavs 118, Kings 104

SACRAMENTO (104)
Carr 18-29 5-9 41, Hansen 1-2 0-0 2, Causwell 2-3 0-0 4, Sparrow 8-11 1-2 19, Mays 4-9 0-0 9, Les 6-7 1-1 15, Calloway 3-9 1-2 7, Sampson 0-3 0-0 0, Wennington 2-8 2-3 6, Higgins 0-0 1-2 1. Totals 44-81 11-19 104.
CLEVELAND (118)
Nance 4-11 4-4 12, Brown 6-9 3-4 15, Daugherty 10-14 4-5 24, Ehlo 4-9 3-4 11, Valentine 5-8 9-9 19, Morton 1-1 0-0 2, Williams 4-8 2-3 10, Kerr 0-1 0-0 0, Ferry 4-10 1-2 9, Paddio 3-5 2-2 8, James 3-8 1-2 7, Chievous 0-0 1-2 1. Totals 44-78 30-37 118.

Sacramento	**24**	**23**	**24**	**33—104**
Cleveland	**33**	**21**	**31**	**33—118**

3-Point goals—Sacramento 5-11 (Les 2-3, Sparrow 2-4, Mays 1-4), Cleveland 0-5 (Ehlo 0-1, Ferry 0-2, James 0-2). Fouled out—Calloway. Rebounds—Sacramento 46 (Carr 9), Cleveland 41 (Daugherty 11). Assists—Sacramento 28 (Les 9), Cleveland 38 (Ehlo 9). Total fouls—Sacramento 26, Cleveland 19. Technicals—Valentine, Les, Sacramento coach Motta 2, Sacramento illegal defense, Sacramento assistant coach Hughes, Cleveland coach Wilkens. Ejection—Sacramento coach Motta. A—11,763.

Warriors 108 Timberwolves 105

GOLDEN STATE (108)
Tolbert 3-12 0-2 6, Mullin 6-11 8-8 21, Hill 2-6 0-0 4, Richmond 10-19 5-7 25, Hardaway 9-18 3-3 23, Higgins 5-9 14-16 24, Marciulionis 0-3 1-2 1, Petersen 2-2 0-0 4, Pritchard 0-1 0-0 0, Robinson 0-1 0-0 0, Mokeski 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 37-82 31-36 108.
MINNESOTA (105)
Corbin 2-11 2-2 6, Murphy 3-8 1-4 7, Spencer 5-7 8-9 18, Campbell 9-16 2-4 20, Richardson 5-15 3-6 14, Mitchell 12-16 5-5 29, Brooks 0-3 0-0 0, Breuer 0-1 1-2 1, Glass 4-9 2-3 10, West 0-0 0-0 0, Coffey 0-0 0-0 0.Totals 40-86 24-35 105.

Golden State	**29**	**26**	**27**	**26—108**
Minnesota	**28**	**27**	**30**	**20—105**

3-Point goals—Golden State 3-13 (Hardaway 2-4, Mullin 1-2, Marciulionis 0-1, Richmond 0-3, Higgins 0-3), Minnesota 1-7 (Richardson 1-2, Murphy 0-1, Breuer 0-1, Brooks 0-3). Fouled out—Mitchell, Hill. Rebounds—Golden State 56 (Richmond 9), Minnesota 53 (Murphy 12). Assists—Golden State 24 (Hardaway 12), Minnesota 26 (Richardson 10). Total fouls—Golden State 27, Minnesota 29. Technicals—Corbin. A—19,006.

Fight Schedule

Fight Schedule
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Feb. 20,
At Hacienda, Las Vegas, Arthur Williams, Las Vegas, vs. Joe Parker, Las Vegas, 10, cruisers; Jerome Coffee, Las Vegas, vs. Rene Gamboa, Las Vegas, 10, super bantams.

Feb 22
At The Sands, Las Vegas, Henry Anaya, Albuquerque, N.M., vs. David Gonzalez, Houston, 10, welters.

Feb. 23
At Caesars, Las Vegas, Pernell Whitaker, Norfolk, Va., vs. Tracy Spann, Plainfield, N.J., 12, for Whitaker's undisputed lightweight title; Hector "Macho" Camacho, New York, vs. Greg Haugen, Auburn, Wash., 12, Camacho's WBO junior welterweight title.

At Brighton, England, Chris Eubank, Britain, vs. Kevin Watts, Pleasanville, N.J., 12, for Eubank's WBO middleweight title.

Feb. 24
At Bally's Casino Resort, Las Vegas, Johnny Tapia, Albuquerque, N.M., vs. Louis Curtis, Washington, for Tapia's USBA super flyweight title.

Feb. 25
At Memorial Coliseum, Corpus Christi, Texas, Jesse Benvanides, Corpus Christi, Texas, vs. Rafael Orteg, San Antonio, 10, junior featherers; Richardo Capeda, New York vs. Tony Duran, Denver, 10, feathers.

The Great Western Forum, Inglewood, Calif., Raul Perez, Tijuana, vs. Greg Richardson, Youngstown, Ohio, 12, for Perez' WBC bantamweight title; Victor Rabanales, Mexico, vs. Javier Leon, Mexico, 12, for the Forum bantamweight title.

Feb. 27
At Aosta Valley, Italy, Welcome Ncita, South Africa, vs. Baby Rojas, Colombia, 12, for Ncita's IBF junior featherweight title.

March 1
At Merv Griffin's Resorts International, Atlantic City, N.J., Doug "Cobra" DeWitt, Yonkers, N.Y., vs. Tyrone Frazier, Philadelphia, super middles.

March 2
At Harrah's, Atlantic City, N.J., Riddick Bowe, Brooklyn, vs. Tyrell Biggs, Philadelphia, 10, heavys.

March 5
At the Blue Horizon, Philadelphia, Rodney Moore, Philadelphia, vs. Raul Torres, Mexico, 10, junior welters.

March 8
At Taj Mahal, Atlantic City, N.J., Carl Williams, Brigantine, N.J., vs. Tim Witherspoon, Philadelphia, 12, for Williams' USBA heavyweight title; Robert Daniels, Miami, vs. Bobby Czyz, Wanaque, N.J., for Daniels' WBA cruiserweight title; Leon Taylor, vs. Alfred Cole, Las Vegas, 12, for the vacant USBA cruiserweight title.

March 11
At Harrah's, Atlantic City, N.J., Dave Tiberi, New Castle, Del., vs. Troy Watson, Miami, 10, middles.

At the Great Western Forum, Inglewood, Calif., Rolando Pascua, Philippines, vs. Melchor Cob Castro, Mexico, 12, for Pascua's WBC light flyweight title.

March 15
At Sacramento, Calif., Tony Lopez, Sacramento, vs. Brian Mitchell, South Africa, 12, for Lopez's IBF-WBA junior lightweight titles.

Colo. Skiing

DENVER (AP) — Colorado Ski Country USA reports the following conditions at major Colorado ski areas on Wednesday, Feb. 20:
Arapahoe Basin — 4 new, 53 depth, powder, packed powder.
Arrowhead — 0 new, 36 depth, packed powder.
Aspen Highlands — 0 new, 50 depth, powder, packed powder.
Aspen Mountain — T new, 53 depth, powder, packed powder.
Buttermilk — 0 new, 37 depth, powder, packed powder.
Beaver Creek — T new, 45 depth, powder, packed powder.
Berthoud Pass — No new report.
Breckenridge — 1 new, 51 depth, powder, packed powder.
Broadmoor — 0 new, 24 depth, hard packed, spring conditions.
Ski Cooper — 0 new, 48 depth, powder, packed powder.
Copper Mountain — ½ new, 54 depth, powder, packed powder.
Crested Butte — 0 new, 47 depth, powder, packed powder.
Eldora — 0 new, 30 depth, powder, packed powder.
Ski Estes Park — T new, 40 depth, powder, packed powder.
Keystone — 2 new, 45 depth, powder, packed powder.
Loveland — 1 new, 52 depth, powder, packed powder.
Monarch — T new, 64 depth, powder, packed powder.
Powderhorn — 0 new, 45 depth, packed powder.
Purgatory — 0 new, 60 depth, powder, packed powder.
SilverCreek — T new, 24 depth, packed powder.
Snowmass — 0 new, 55 depth, packed powder.
Steamboat — 2 new, 62 depth, packed powder.
Sunlight — 0 new, 47 depth, packed powder.
Telluride — 0 new, 56 depth, powder, packed powder.
Vail — T new, 47 depth, powder, packed powder.
Winter Park — 2 new, 56 depth, powder, packed powder.
Wolf Creek — 0 new, 83 depth, powder, packed powder.

Snow depth in inches refers to unpacked natural snow at midpoint. Snowmaking means artificial snowmaking equipment in use. New snow refers to snow within last 24 hours. T means trace.

Transactions

By The Associated Press
BASEBALL
American League
TEXAS RANGERS—Agreed to terms with Pete Incaviglia, outfielder, on a one-year contract.
TORONTO BLUE JAYS—Agreed to terms with Manny Lee, shortstop, on a one-year contract.
National League
ATLANTA BRAVES—Agreed to terms with Dave Justice, outfielder, on a one-year contract.
MONTREAL EXPOS—Agreed to terms with Moises Alou, outfielder, and Kent Bottenfield and Doug Piatt, pitcher, on one-year contracts.
NEW YORK METS—Named Craig Sanders assistant director of public relations.
BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association
LOS ANGELES CLIPPERS—Traded Benoit Benjamin, center, to the Seattle SuperSonics for Olden Polynice, center, and Seattle's 1991 and 1993 first-round draft choices.
FOOTBALL
National Football League
CLEVELAND BROWNS—Named Hal Hunter offensive line coach.
DALLAS COWBOYS—Named Robert Ford tight end coach.
HOCKEY
National Hockey League
HARTFORD WHALERS—Traded Doug Crossman, defenseman, to the Detroit Red Wings for Doug Houda, defenseman. Recalled Chris Tancill, left wing, and Jergus Baca, defenseman, from Springfield of the American Hockey League.
NEW YORK RANGERS—Called up Brian McReynolds, center, from Binghamton of the American Hockey League. Recalled Paul Broten, right wing, from Binghamton after a two-week conditioning period.
OLYMPICS
U.S. OLYMPIC COMMITTEE—Named Bob Condron associate director of public information and media relations and Jeff Cravens assistant director of public information.
SOCCER
American Soccer League
MARYLAND BAYS—Announced the resignation of Pete Caringi, coach.
National Professional Soccer League
DETROIT ROCKERS—Placed Aaron Smith, midfielder, on the suspended list.

NHL Standings

All Times CST
WALES CONFERENCE

Patrick Division	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
NY Rangers	31	21	9	71	229	191
Pittsburgh	31	26	3	65	256	225
Philadelphia	29	27	6	64	204	193
New Jersey	25	25	11	61	212	202
Washington	27	31	3	57	195	210
NY Islanders	21	32	8	50	179	222
Adams Division						
x-Boston	36	18	8	80	235	202
x-Montreal	32	24	7	71	215	197
Hartford	28	27	6	62	180	198
Buffalo	22	25	14	58	210	211
Quebec	12	39	11	35	172	274
CAMPBELL CONFERENCE						
Norris Division	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
x-St. Louis	36	17	7	79	235	191
Chicago	36	20	5	77	201	161
Detroit	26	30	7	59	217	233
Minnesota	21	32	10	52	200	216
Toronto	17	38	6	40	177	248
Smythe Division						
Los Angeles	34	20	7	75	255	195
Calgary	32	21	7	71	249	190
Edmonton	29	29	3	61	208	204
Winnipeg	22	31	11	55	213	223
Vancouver	21	35	7	49	189	245

x-clinched playoff berth

Wednesday's Games
Hartford 5, Montreal 3
Minnesota 5, Edmonton 1
Vancouver 5, Winnipeg 5, tie
Los Angeles 6, Quebec 1

Thursday's Games
N.Y. Rangers at Philadelphia, 6:35 p.m.
Toronto at Pittsburgh, 6:35 p.m.
Boston at Chicago, 7:35 p.m.
N.Y. Islanders at St. Louis, 7:35 p.m.
Vancouver at Calgary, 8:35 p.m.

Whalers 5 Canadiens 3

Montreal	2	0	1—3
Hartford	3	1	1—5

First Period—1, Hartford, Krygier 10 (Samuelsson, Holik), 7:21. 2, Montreal, McPhee 17 (Courtnall, Daigneault), 8:04. 3, Montreal, S.Lebeau 20 (Lefebvre, P.Lebeau), 11:18 (pp). 4, Hartford, Verbeek 34 (Francis, Brown), 11:46. 5, Hartford, Tancill 1 (Evason), 13:06 (sh).

Second Period—6, Hartford, Krygier 11 (Holik, Tomlak), 14:21.

Third Period—7, Montreal, Savard 20 (Chorske, Daigneault), 11:58. 8, Hartford, Verbeek 35 (Francis), 13:26.

Shots on goal—Montreal 10-10-5—25. Hartford 10-7-13—30. Goalies—Montreal, Racicot. Hartford, Reaugh, Sidorkiewicz.A—12,555.

North Stars 5 Oilers 1

Edmonton	1	0	0—1
Minnesota	1	2	2—5

First Period—1, Minnesota, Propp 20 (Gagner, Modano), 7:19. 2, Edmonton, Klima 30 (Tikkanen, Murphy), 12:47 (pp).

Second Period—3, Minnesota, Bellows 26 (Modano, Gagner), 6:45. 4, Minnesota, Modano 18 (Gagner, Broten), 16:26 (pp).

Third Period—5, Minnesota, Modano 19 (Bellows), 10:30. 6, Minnesota, Dahlen 14 (Broten, McRae), 18:46.

Shots on goal—Edmonton 5-0-12—17. Minnesota 14-12-8—34. Goalies—Edmonton, Ranford. Minnesota, Casey. A—6,195.

Canucks 5, Jets 5

Vancouver	1	1	3—5
Winnipeg	3	1	1—5

First Period—1, Winnipeg, Olczyk 20 (Carlyle, Evans), :46. 2, Winnipeg, Osborne 9 (Numminen, Olczyk), 8:57. 3, Vancouver, Diduck 3 (Larionov), 10:42. 4, Winnipeg, McLlwain 11 (Sykes, Steen), 17:37.

Second Period—5, Vancouver, Adams 19 (Lidster, Mazur), 7:26. 6, Winnipeg, Donnelly 2 (Eagles, Olausson), 9:11.

Third Period—7, Vancouver, Quinn 14 (Kurvers, Linden), :39. 8, Vancouver, Adams 20 (Lumme), 11:40. 9, Winnipeg, Olczyk 21 (Housley, Essensa), 18:59. 10, Vancouver, Bozek, 19:53.

Overtime—None.

Shots on goal—Vancouver 10-1317-7—47. Winnipeg 8-13-13-0—34. Power-play Opportunities—Vancouver 0 of 4; Winnipeg 0 of 5. Goalies—Vancouver, Gamble (20 shots-18 saves), McLean, 9-21-3 (17:21 second, 14-13). Winnipeg, Essensa, 15-16-6 (47-42). A—11,832.

Kings 6, Nordiques 1

Quebec	1	0	0—1
Los Angeles	3	2	1—6

First Period—1, Los Angeles, Robitaille 34 (Elik, Blake), 6:35. 2, Los Angeles, Gretzky 35 (Granato, McSorley), 10:00. 3, Los Angeles, Tonelli 13 (Benning, McIntyre), 13:54. 4, Quebec, Lafleur 8, 17:17.

Second Period—5, Los Angeles, Robitaille 35, 4:32. 6, Los Angeles, J.Miller 8 (Duchesne), 16:43.

Third Period—7, Los Angeles, Sandstrom 31 (Gretzky, Granato), 9:51.

Shots on goal—Quebec 7-7-8—22. Los Angeles 19-17-12—48. Power-play Opportunities—Quebec 0 of 4; Los Angeles 0 of 3. Goalies—Quebec, Cloutier, 2-3-1 (48 shots-42 saves). Los Angeles, Berthiaume, 18-8-2 (22-21).

Top 25 Fared

How the Associated Press' Top 25 teams fared Wednesday:
1. UNLV (23-0) did not play. Next: vs. Pacific U., Thursday.
2. Ohio State (23-1) beat Illinois 73-64. Next: vs. Minnesota, Saturday.
3. Arkansas (26-2) beat Southern Methodist 79-70. Next: at Texas A&M, Saturday.
4. Indiana (22-3) did not play. Next: vs. Iowa, Thursday.
5. Syracuse (23-4) lost to No. 18 St. John's 77-72. Next: vs. No. 22 Pittsburgh, Sunday.
6. North Carolina (20-4) did not play. Next: vs. Clemson, Saturday.
7. Duke (23-5) beat North Carolina State 72-65. Next: at No. 9 Arizona, Sunday.
8. Kansas (19-5) lost to Colorado 79-71. Next: vs. Oklahoma, Saturday.
9. Arizona (20-5) did not play. Next: vs. California, Thursday.
10. Utah (24-2) did not play. Next: at Colorado State, Thursday.
11. Southern Mississippi (20-4) lost to Cincinnati 86-72. Next: at Florida State, Tuesday.
12. Kentucky (19-6) lost to Vanderbilt 98-87. Next: at Florida, Saturday.
13. East Tennessee State (24-3) did not play. Next: at Marshall, Saturday.
14. Nebraska (22-5) lost to Missouri 91-71. Next: vs. Kansas State, Saturday.
15. New Mexico State (19-3) did not play. Next: at Utah State, Thursday.
16. Oklahoma State (19-5) did not play. Next: vs. Colorado, Sunday.
17. UCLA (18-7) did not play. Next: vs. Oregon, Thursday.
18. St. John's (18-6) beat No. 7 Syracuse 77-72. Next: vs. Notre Dame at Madison Square Garden, Saturday.
19. LSU (18-7) beat Mississippi 89-78. Next: vs. Tennessee, Saturday.
20. Virginia (19-6) did not play. Next: at North Carolina State, Saturday.
21. Mississippi State (18-6) beat Florida 81-67. Next: at Alabama, Saturday.
22. Pittsburgh (19-6) beat No. 25 Georgetown 78-65. Next: at No. 5 Syracuse, Sunday.
23. Princeton (18-2) did not play. Next: vs. Columbia, Friday.
24. Seton Hall (17-7) did not play. Next: vs. Villanova, Saturday.
25. Georgetown (16-6) lost to No. 22 Pittsburgh 78-65. Next: vs. Connecticut, Saturday.

College Basketball Results

Top 25 Boxes

St. John's 77 Syracuse 72

SYRACUSE (72)
Johnson 9-17 1-3 25, Owens 12-26 3-4 28, Ellis 2-7 0-1 4, Autry 0-8 0-0 0, Edwards 6-12 0-0 13, McRae 0-2 2-2 2, Hopkins 0-1 0-1 0, McCorkle 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 29-74 6-11 72.
ST. JOHN'S (77)
Sealy 8-19 6-7 23, Singleton 3-8 6-14 12, Werdann 3-8 5-6 11, Buchanan 4-7 4-4 12, Sproling 5-7 3-7 14, Scott 2-6 1-5 5, Cain 0-2 0-0 0, Muto 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 25-57 25-43 77.

Halftime—St. John's 32, Syracuse 28. 3-point goals—Syracuse 8-22 (Johnson 6-8, Owens 1-4, Edwards 1-5, Ellis 0-1, Hopkins 0-1, McCorkle 0-1, Autry 0-2), St. John's 2-3 (Sealy 1-1, Sproling 1-1, Buchanan 0-1). Fouled out—Autry, McRae, Hopkins. Rebounds—Syracuse 42 (Owens, Ellis 10), St. John's 47 (Sealy 16). Assists—Syracuse 10 (Autry 3), St. John's 13 (Buchanan 7). Total fouls—Syracuse 31, St. John's 17. A—16,486.

Cincinnati 86 Southern Miss 72

SOUTHERN MISS. (72)
Haslett 6-15 0-2 17, Weatherspoon 5-11 2-4 12, Jenkins 4-6 2-2 10, Johnson 2-7 0-0 4, Chancellor 6-14 9-11 21, Courtney 2-3 2-2 6, Lacey 1-1 0-0 2, Dale 0-1 0-0 0, Rembert 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 26-58 15-21 72.
CINCINNATI (86)
Robinson 4-11 4-4 12, Jones 13-20 1-2 27, Scott 1-2 2-2 4, Banks 11-21 1-3 23, Jackson 2-8 6-6 11, Starks 4-10 0-0 9, Reicheneker 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 35-72 14-17 86.

Halftime—Cincinnati 37, Southern Miss. 35. 3-point goals—Southern Miss. 5-17 (Haslett 5-10, Weatherspoon 0-1, Chancellor 0-2, Johnson 0-4), Cincinnati 2-8 (Jackson 1-2, Starks 1-4, Jones 0-1, Banks 0-1). Fouled out—Scott, Starks. Rebounds—Southern Miss. 32 (Weatherspoon 14), Cincinnati 38 (Robinson 11). Assists—Southern Miss. 10 (Chancellor 4), Cincinnati 20 (Banks 9). Total fouls—Southern Miss. 15, Cincinnati 16. Technical—Southern Miss. bench. A—10,948.

LSU 89, 'Ole Miss 78

LSU (89)
Picou 0-0 0-0 0, Pugh 2-4 0-1 4, Burns 0-4 0-1 0, Griggs 0-2 2-2 2, Singleton 6-10 7-10 19, Moscovitz 0-0 0-0 0, Boudreaux 8-15 5-7 22, O'Neal 15-22 8-11 38, Krajewski 0-0 0-0 0, Hammink 0-1 2-2 2, Simms 1-5 0-0 2. Totals 32-63 24-32 89.
MISSISSIPPI (78)
Midlick 1-4 0-0 2, Luhtanen 0-2 0-0 0, Flemister 5-10 0-0 10, Murphy 0-0 0-0 1, Jumper 6-14 2-2 15, Bailey 3-5 2-2 8, Harvell 11-19 0-0 22, Davis 3-7 0-1 7, Jones 0-1 0-0 0, Peel 1-2 6-8 8, Eddie 3-9 0-0 6. Totals 33-73 10-14 78.

Halftime—Mississippi 38, LSU 36. 3-point goals—LSU 1-5 (Boudreaux 1-2, Pugh 0-1, Burns 0-1, Simms 0-1) Mississippi 2-12 (Davis 1-1, Jumper 1-2, Luhtanen 0-1, Flemister 0-1, Bailey 0-1, Jones 0-1, Harvell 0-5). Fouled out—Flemister. Rebounds—LSU 44 (O'Neal 9), Mississippi 33 (Harvell 7). Assists—LSU 19 (Picou, Boudreaux 6), Mississippi 14 (Bailey 7). Total fouls—LSU 18, Mississippi 23. A—6,413.

Pitt 78, Georgetown 65

PITTSBURGH (78)
Shorter 4-10 4-5 12, Jones 3-4 2-3 8, Martin 2-4 1-2 6, Miller 7-12 4-4 21, Matthews 3-5 10-10 16, Shareef 0-0 0-0 0, Porter 3-8 3-4 9, McNeal 0-1 2-2 2, Morningstar 0-0 2-3 2. Totals 22-44 28-33 78.
GEORGETOWN (65)
Churchwell 6-14 0-0 12, Mourning 6-13 5-7 17, Mutombo 8-12 2-7 18, Brown 3-9 1-1 8, Harrison 3-13 0-0 6, Thompson 0-4 0-0 0, Morgan 1-6 2-2 4, Kelly 0-2 0-0 0. Totals 27-73 10-17 65.

Halftime Score—Pittsburgh 37, Georgetown 27. 3-point Goals—Pittsburgh 6-13 (Miller 3-8, Matthews 2-3, Martin 1-1, Porter 0-1), Georgetown 1-11 (Brown 1-3, Mourning 0-1, Thompson 0-1, Harrison 0-3, Morgan 0-3). Fouled out—Churchwell, Brown. Rebounds—Pittsburgh 40 (Shorter 8), Georgetown 37 (Mutombo 11). Assists—Pittsburgh 14 (Miller 7), Georgetown 9 (Morgan 3). Total fouls—Pittsburgh 20, Georgetown 24. A—12,297.

Vanderbilt 98 Kentucky 87

KENTUCKY (87)
Mashburn 6-12 0-1 13, Pelphrey 4-9 0-0 9, Hanson 5-7 3-4 13, Woods 3-6 0-0 6, Farmer 7-17 0-1 19, Feldhaus 7-10 0-0 16, Brassow 3-7 0-0 8, Braddy 1-3 1-1 3, Martinez 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 36-71 4-7 87.
VANDERBILT (98)
Elder 5-7 9-10 21, Mayes 4-5 2-3 13, Grant 2-3 4-6 8, Draud 4-10 8-8 16, Anglin 5-8 8-14 19, Amaechi 2-6 0-0 4, Maloney 1-3 1-2 3, Daunic 0-0 0-0 0, Mitholland 2-4 8-8 12. Totals 25-44 40-51 98.

Halftime—Vanderbilt 38, Kentucky 35. 3-point goals—Kentucky 11-31 (Farmer 5-12, Feldhaus 2-4, Brassow 2-4, Mashburn 1-4, Pelphrey 1-5, Woods 0-1, Braddy 0-1), Vanderbilt 8-16 (Mayes 3-3, Elder 2-3, Draud 2-7, Anglin 1-1, Maloney 0-2). Fouled out—Mashburn, Pelphrey, Farmer. Rebounds—Kentucky 26 (Mashburn 11), Vanderbilt 32 (Elder 7). Assists—Kentucky 19 (Mashburn 5), Vanderbilt 18 (Anglin 7). Total fouls—Kentucky 28, Vanderbilt 11. Technicals—Kentucky bench 2. A—15,378.

Ohio St. 73 Illinois 64

OHIO ST. (73)
Jent 4-7 1-2 10, Lee 5-8 4-4 14, Carter 3-10 1-3 7, Brown 2-6 8-10 13, Jackson 4-12 4-4 12, Skelton 0-2 1-2 1, Davis 2-6 3-4 7, Brandewie 3-3 0-0 6, Robinson 1-2 1-2 3. Totals 24-56 23-31 73.
ILLINOIS (64)
Michael 0-0 0-0 0, Kaufmann 9-24 0-2 18, Pierce 3-6 1-1 7, Clemons 3-8 3-8 9, Smith 4-11 4-4 12, Geers 0-0 0-0 0, Taylor 2-3 1-1 5, Kpedi 6-10 1-3 13. Totals 27-62 10-19 64.

Halftime—Ohio State 39, Illinois 32. 3-point goals—Ohio State 2-9 (Brown 1-2, Jent 1-3, Jackson 0-1, Skelton 0-1, Davis 0-2), Illinois 0-6 (Clemons 0-1, Smith 0-2, Kaufmann 0-3). Fouled Out—Kaufmann. Rebounds—Ohio State 36 (Carter 9), Illinois 34 (Smith 7). Assists—Ohio State 14 (Brown 6) , Illinois 11 (Smith 6). Total fouls—Ohio State 17, Illinois 21. Technical—Kaufmann. A—13,885.

Mississippi St. 81 Florida 67

FLORIDA (67)
Grimsley 3-6 1-4 7, Poole 4-6 0-0 8, Davis 6-12 3-4 15, Garcia 4-9 0-0 8, Stewart 1-4 0-0 3, Chapman 4-10 0-2 8, Hogan 2-4 0-0 4, Rowe 0-0 0-0 0, Kuisma 3-3 0-0 6, Carter 2-3 0-0 5, Turner 0-1 0-0 0, Ulmer 0-0 3-4 3. Totals 29-58 7-14 67.
MISSISSIPPI ST. (81)
Carter 9-14 3-4 21, Burns 5-9 3-5 13, Merritt 0-2 2-2 2, Hartsfield 3-7 2-2 8, Smith 2-5 2-2 6, Watts 7-9 2-2 18, Nichols 0-3 0-0 0, Morris 1-3 0-0 2, Watson 1-1 1-2 3, Hooper 3-6 0-0 6, Domingue 0-0 0-0 0, Peterson 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 31-59 16-19 81.

Halftime—Mississippi St. 34, Florida 26. 3-point goals—Florida 2-7 (Carter 1-1, Stewart 1-3, Hogan 0-1, Garcia 0-2), Mississippi St. 4-11 (Smith 2-2, Watts 2-4, Merritt 0-1, Hartsfield 0-4). Fouled Out—None. Rebounds—Florida 30 (Davis 7), Mississippi St. 33 (Carter 9). Assists—Florida 15 (Grimsley 4), Mississippi St. 26 (Hartsfield 10). Total fouls—Florida 20, Mississippi St. 17. A—8,002.

Colorado 79 Kansas 71

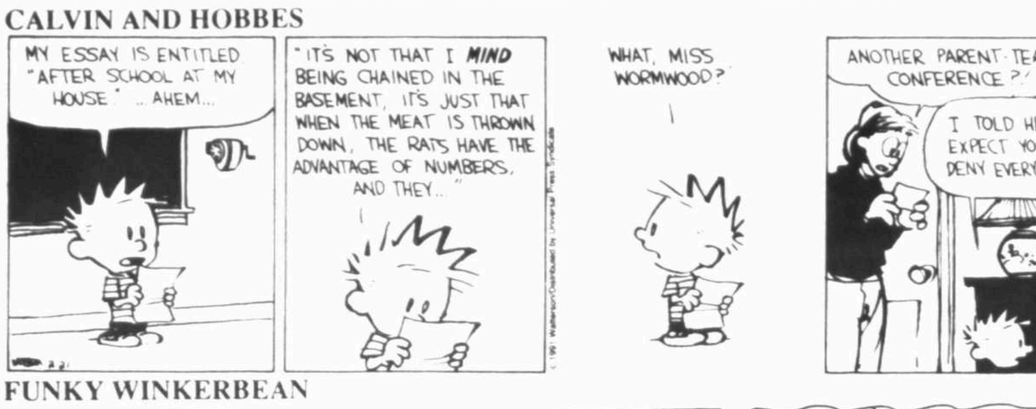
KANSAS (71)
Jamison 3-5 0-0 6, Maddox 4-9 0-0 8, Randall 5-9 3-5 13, Brown 4-11 2-3 12, Jordan 6-11 2-2 15, Woodberry 2-4 0-0 5, Richey 1-5 0-0 2, Johanning 0-1 0-0 0, Tunstall 1-2 0-0 3, Scott 3-4 1-2 7, Wagner 0-0 0-0 0, Nash 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 29-61 8-12 71.
COLORADO (79)
Guest 1-6 0-0 2, Hunter 8-15 4-4 23, Vandiver 6-10 3-5 15, Wise 11-20 4-4 32, Law 1-2 0-0 3, Ali 2-6 0-0 4, Walters 0-2 0-0 0, Markham 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 29-61 11-13 79.

Halftime—Colorado 45, Kansas 31. 3-point goals—Kansas 5-14 (Brown 2-6, Woodberry 1-1, Tunstall 1-2, Jordan 1-3, Richey 0-2), Colorado 10-21 (Wise 6-14, Hunter 3-6, Law 1-1). Fouled out—Jamison. Rebounds—Kansas 30 (Randall 6), Colorado 39 (Vandiver 12). Assists—Kansas 21 (Jordan 7), Colorado 21 (Law 8). Total fouls—Kansas 18, Colorado 13. Technical—Hunter. A—8,033.

Missouri 91 Nebraska 71

NEBRASKA (71)
Farmer 1-10 4-4 6, Hayes 5-12 4-7 14, King 6-11 6-11 18, Scales 2-8 0-0 4, Reid 0-6 4-6 4, Owens 0-1 0-0 0, Ramos 3-4 2-2 9, Moody 3-4 1-2 7, Chubick 2-2 0-0 4, Piatkowski 1-4 2-2 5. Totals 23-62 23-34 71.
MISSOURI (91)
D. Smith 11-24 0-0 22, Warren 2-3 0-0 4, Heller 3-4 0-0 6, Booker 3-6 4-5 10, Coleman 4-10 2-4 10, R. Smith 0-2 1-2 1

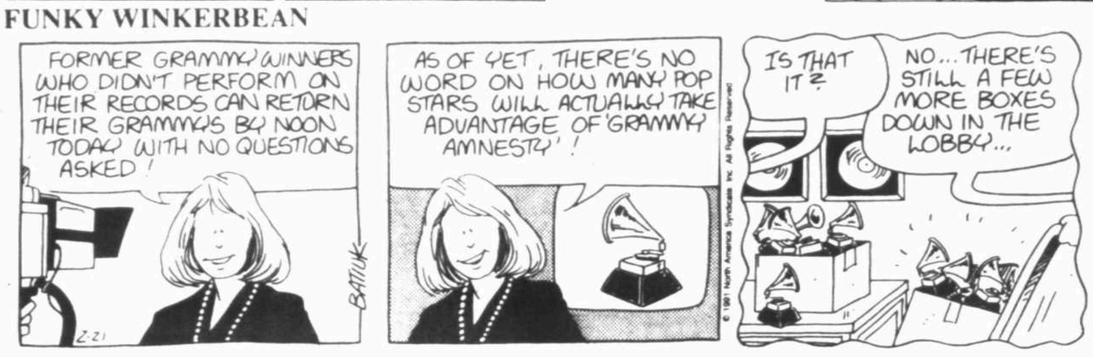
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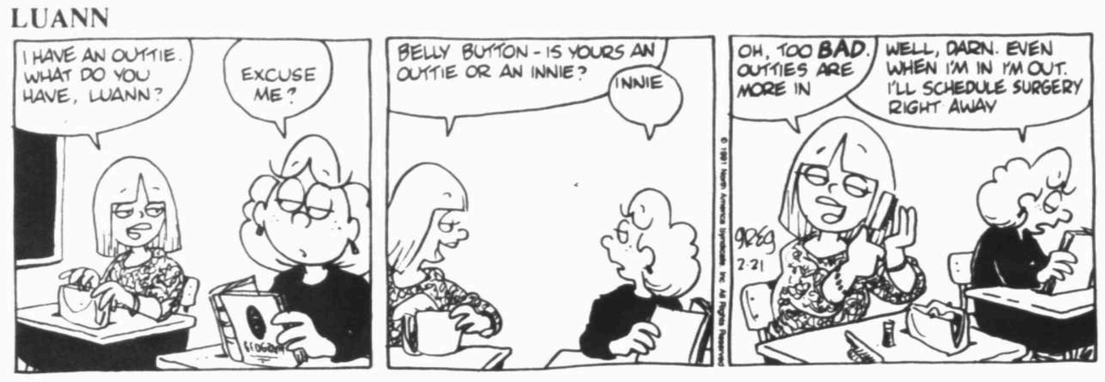
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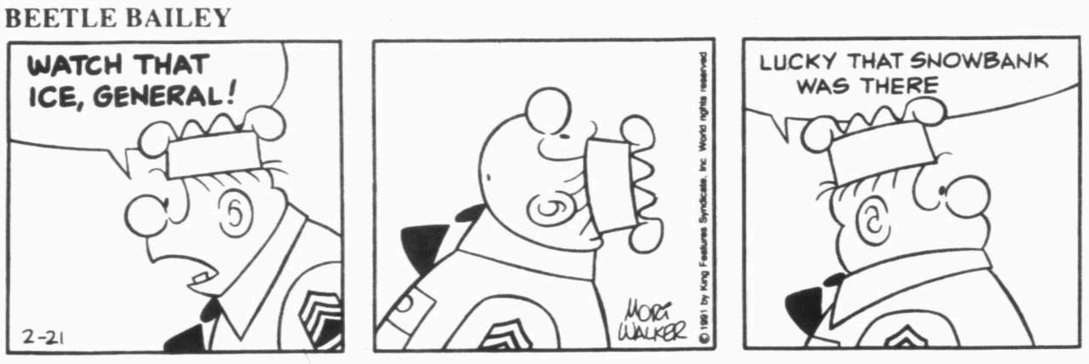
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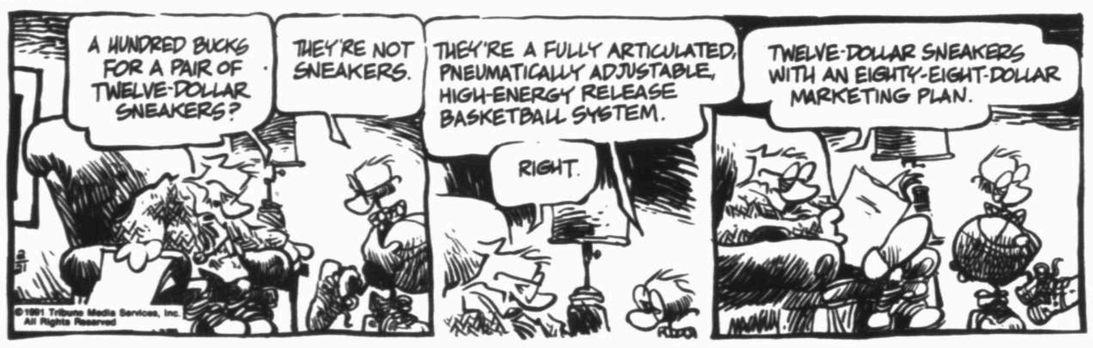
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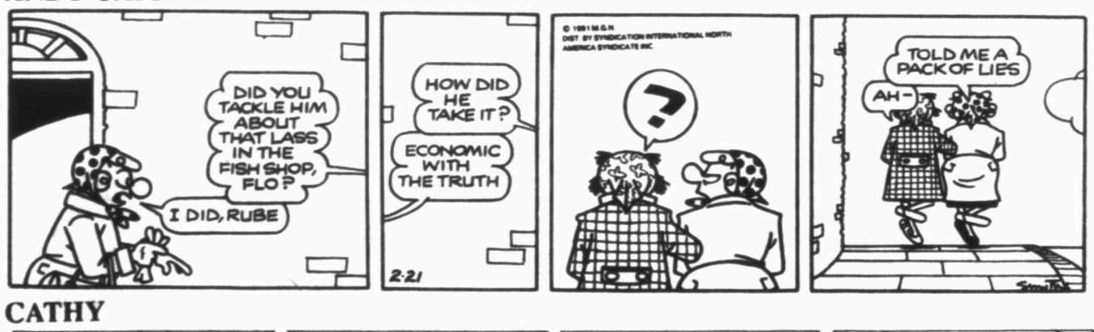
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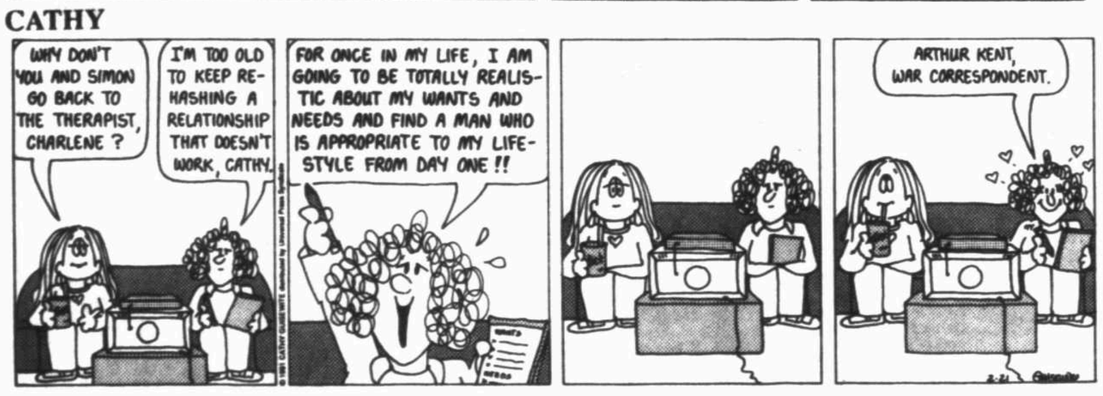
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THE WIZARD OF ID



STEVE ROPER



YOUR HOROSCOPE

By Jeane Dixon

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1991

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Redouble your efforts to climb the career ladder. Getting better organized at work will increase your chances. Higher-ups appreciate your efforts to safeguard company secrets. Stop being so shy around someone you have been attracted to for a long time. A romance that begins in June could reach a turning point by September. Important domestic decisions will be made as winter approaches.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: humorist Erma Bombeck, actresses Tyne Daly and Rue McClanahan, baseball's Alan Trammel.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Discuss your long-range plans with family. If buying a new home, make certain you take your spouse's preferences into consideration. This is no time to take unnecessary financial risks.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Smooth over any problems with relatives by extending an invitation to them. An attractive member of the opposite sex could ask you out tonight. Stay home if you are not interested.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Diplomacy helps you avoid embarrassment. Perform more services for yourself to hold down family expenses. A professional relationship takes an interesting turn.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): A positive attitude helps you get through difficult financial negotiations today. Do not suggest major changes. Romance will make an about-face if you become more attentive.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Do not be afraid to speak your mind to those in authority today. You could find a romantic partner especially demanding this evening. Plan to spend some time alone.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Do not expect too much from your coworkers now. An older person helps you cut through red tape. Show your gratitude! Write to or seek out friends who want to hear from you.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Trouble may be brewing on the home front. Avoid a confrontation by exercising more diplomacy. An influential person appreciates your no-nonsense attitude. Financial speculation should be avoided.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Your self-confidence is on the rise, helping you handle more work than usual. Teamwork is the key to even faster progress. Confide in a closemouthed pal if you need to let off steam.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Your business associates are more cooperative than in the recent past. Do not gamble with jointly owned funds. Give your loved one an unexpected treat this evening.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Beat your competitors to the punch! Originality counts big with prominent people. Let common sense be your guide if trying to sort out a romantic problem. An impulsive promise will not be kept.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Your friends rally around. Do not worry about asking them for favors. Make full use of the telephone and mails instead of taking expensive business trips. Set new personal goals.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Try to be less rigid in your habits. Dining out is fine if you share expenses. Examine your insurance policies and investments. Are you getting your money's worth? An experienced friend offers advice.

TODAY'S CHILDREN are full of schemes and dreams. Count on them to spend hours discussing fancy plans that may never see the light of day! Wise parents can help these children overcome a tendency to neglect important work by giving them small responsibilities at a young age. Idealistic and generous, these Pisces should choose business associates who share their values. Joining forces with someone who always puts profit first would be a mistake.

GOREN BRIDGE

With Omar Sharif and Tannah Hirsch

LOOK FOR A MIRACLE

North-South vulnerable. South deals.

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

WEST
♠ J 6 5
♡ K J 8 6 4 2
◇ 5 3 2
♣ J

EAST
♠ Q
♡ 9 7 3
◇ K 8 7 6
♣ K 9 8 5 4

SOUTH
♠ A K 10 8 7 2
♡ Void
◇ A Q J 9
♣ Q 10 7

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 ♠	3 ♡	Dbl	Pass
4 ◇	Pass	4 ♡	Pass
4 NT	Pass	5 ♡	Pass
6 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: Jack of ♣

Preemptive action is a two-way sword. While it can goad the opponents to impossible heights, it sometimes blueprints the play for declarer.

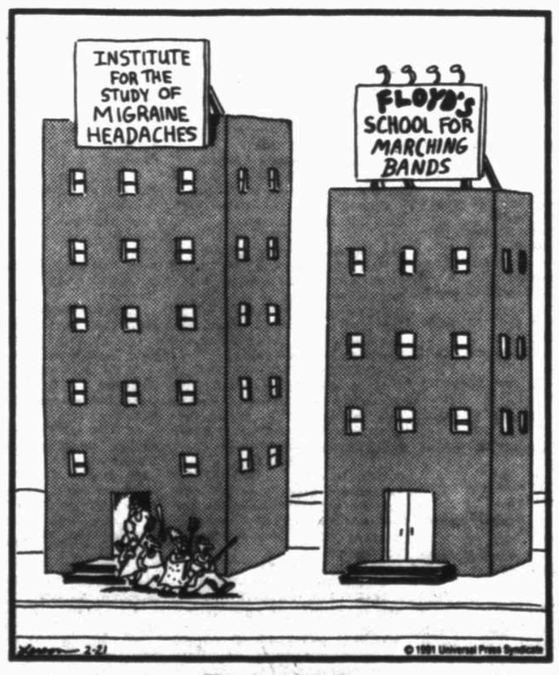
West's preempt is typical of the loose style in tournament bridge—after all, it doesn't cost coin of the realm if you go down many hundreds of points. With so much wasted values in hearts and no great fit for spades, North's four-heart cue-bid is difficult to comprehend. And once having cue-bid, North should have shown only one ace when responding to Blackwood to keep the auction from getting out of hand. South's bidding is also enigmatic—the long suit wasn't good enough to insist on a spade contract opposite unknown support.

West led the jack of clubs and declarer realized he was faced with an almost impossible assignment. Without the information provided by the bidding, declarer might well have allowed the jack of clubs to ride round to the queen, relying on the diamond finesse and a lucky position in trumps to bring home the bacon. Under the circumstances, however, the jack of clubs was quite likely to be a singleton, so declarer rose with the ace and ran the ten of diamonds. When that held, the diamond finesse was repeated before drawing two rounds of trumps.

Leaving the master trump outstanding, declarer cashed the ace of diamonds before leading the last diamond. West was a goner. If the defender ruffed, the forced heart return would give declarer a free finesse, enabling the two clubs to be sluffed from the closed hand. But discarding a heart proved to be no better. Declarer ruffed the diamond in dummy, returned to hand by ruffing a low heart and then threw West in with the high trump to force a heart return and allow the finesse. Who lives by the sword, dies by the sword.

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THE FAR SIDE



The dam bursts

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GARFIELD



FAMILY CIRCUS



"When I grow up do I hafta be called a dult?"

DENNIS THE MENACE



"MAYBE I JUST NEED NEW BATTERIES."

TODAY'S TV SCHEDULE

THURSDAY FEBRUARY 21, 1991

Due to the Persian Gulf conflict, regular programming may be altered or cancelled.

	KMID (2) Md/Od CABLE 3	KOSA (7) Odessa CABLE 8	KTPX (9) Odessa CABLE 9	KPEJ (24) Md/Od CABLE 14	FAM Family CABLE 4	WTBS Atlanta CABLE 7	SIN (33) Spanish CABLE 10	WGN Chicago CABLE 11	ESPN Sports CABLE 12	KOCV (38) Odessa CABLE 13	HSE Sports CABLE 20
7:00	Good Morning	This Morning	Today	Muppets	Dinosaucers	Gilligan's Isle	TV Mujer	Banana Splits	Nation's Bus.	Body Electric	
7:30	America	"	"	Chipmunks	Littles	Bewitched	"	Vacation With	SportsCenter	Reading	
8:00	"	"	"	Menace	Big Valley	Little House	Movie: "Can-	Bozo	Boxing	Sesame Street	
8:30	"	"	"	Flintstones	"	on the Prairie	asta de Cuen-	Bewitched	"	"	
9:00	Sally Jessy Ra-	B. DeAngelis	Wheel-Fortune	Live -- Regis &	700 Club	Movie: "That	tos Mexica-	Magnum, P.I.	"	Mister Rogers	
9:30	phael	Family Feud	Concentr.	Kathie Lee	"	Touch of	nos"	"	"	Sq. 1 TV	
10:00	Home	Price Is Right	Tell the Truth	Robert Tilton	Sheila Walsh	Mink"	Dulce Desafio	Joan Rivers	Getting Fit	3-2-1 Contact	Body by Janis
10:30	"	"	Trialwatch	"	Paid Program	"	"	"	Basic Training	Collectors	Tennis Mag.
11:00	Hard Copy	Young and	Joker's Wild	Andy Griffith	Let's Eat Well!	Perry Mason	"	Geraldo	In Motion	Strip Quilting	College Bas-
11:30	News	the Restless	Closer Look	B. Hillbillies	Healthy Kids	"	Cristal	"	Bodyshaping	Ciao Italia	ketball: Boise
12:00	All My Chil-	The Judge	Days of Our	Benson	Movie: "Made	Movie: "Fair	"	News	Body by Jake	MacNeil/	State at Nev-
12:30	dren	Boid, Bea.	Lives	It's a Living	for Each	Wind to Java"	Encadenados	"	LPBT Bowling:	Lehrer	ada
1:00	One Life to	As the World	Another World	Brady Bunch	Other"	"	TV Mujer	Andy Griffith	Central Flor-	Masterpiece	College Bas-
1:30	Live	Turns	"	B. Hillbillies	"	"	"	Dick Van Dyke	ida Classic	Theatre: 20th	ketball: Kan-
2:00	General Hospi-	Guiding Light	Santa Barbara	700 Club	Father Knows	Tom & Jerry's	Platavision	H'mooner	Black Sports	Anniversary	sas at Color-
2:30	tal	"	"	"	Father Knows	Funhouse	"	Cartoon	Inside Sr. PGA	Encore '90	ado
3:00	Geraldo	Oprah Winfrey	Challengers	Chip 'n' Dale	Batman	Flintstones	Natacha	Space Kidettes	Legends of	3-2-1 Contact	Tennis
3:30	"	"	Trump Card	Peter Pan	C.O.P.S.	Brady Bunch	"	DuckTales	Wrestling	Mister Rogers	"
4:00	Donahue	Growing Pains	Personalities	Tale Spin	Popeye	Good Times	Cristina	Chip 'n' Dale	Muscle	Reading	Coach's Show
4:30	"	Night Court	People's Court	Tiny Toon	Popeye	Jeffersons	"	M.A.S.K.	Glory Days	Sesame Street	Coach's Show
5:00	Cosby Show	Jeopardy!	News	Highway to	Our House	B. Hillbillies	Maria	Charles	Th'breds	"	Coach's Show
5:30	ABC News	CBS News	NBC News	Heaven	"	Andy Griffith	Noticiero Uni.	Not Admitted	Up Close	Sq. 1 TV	South. Fishing
6:00	News	News	News	Who's Boss?	Scarecrow	Happy Days	De Mujeres	Jeannie	SportsCenter	MacNeil/	Fisherman
6:30	Wheel-Fortune	Golden Girls	Current Affair	ALF	and Mrs. King	Sanford & Son	"	Night Court	College Bas-	Lehrer	Fishing
7:00	Father Dowl-	Top Cops	Cosby Show	Simpsons	Movie: "Ar-	Voice of the	La Noche de	Movie: "The	ketball: Mem-	Miracle Planet	Sportstalk
7:30	ing Mysteries	Flash	Dif. World	Babes	rowhead"	Planet	los Grandes	Desperate	phis State at	"	Winter World
8:00	Gabriel's Fire	"	Cheers	Beverly Hills,	"	"	"	Ones"	Florida State	Mystery!	This Week in
8:30	"	Good Sports	Wings	90210	"	"	"	"	College Bas-	"Poirot II"	NASCAR
9:00	Primetime	Knots Landing	L.A. Law	Hunter	700 Club	Movie: "The	"	News	ketball: Cali-	Vietnam TV	College Bas-
9:30	Live	"	"	"	"	Sheepman"	"	"	fornia at Ari-	"	ketball: Stan-
10:00	News	News	News	Arsenio Hall	Scarecrow	"	Fama-Fortuna	Night Court	zona	World of Ideas	ford at Ari-
10:30	Cheers	M*A*S*H	Tonight Show	"	and Mrs. King	"	En Vivo	Man Under-	SportsCenter	Telecourse	zona State
11:00	Ent. Tonight	America-Nite	"	Party Machine	Movie: "Ar-	Voice of the	Movie: "Can-	cover	Auto Racing	Telecourse	Polo Masters
11:30	Nightline	Stingray	David Letter-	Love Connect.	rowhead"	Planet	asta de Cuen-	Movie: "Cah-	"	Telecourse	"
12:00	Into the Night	"	man	Hawaii Five-0	"	"	tos Mexica-	ill, U.S. Mar-	Auto Racing:	Sign-Off	College Bas-
12:30	"	Night Heat	Bob Costas	"	"	"	nos"	shal"	BMW Festival		ketball

	SHOWTIME Mov/Spec CABLE 5	TMC Movies CABLE 17	DISNEY CABLE 18	MAX Movies CABLE 21	HBO Movies/Var CABLE 22	TNN Country CABLE 23	USA Variety CABLE 24	NICK Children CABLE 25	A&E Cultural CABLE 26	KMLM (42) Relig CABLE 31	TNT Turner Net CABLE 37
7:00	Dog Stopped	Movie: "10 Ril-	Donald Duck	"Return to	Movie: "Little		Cartoon Ex-	Insp. Gadget	Survival World	BJ Robinson	Popeye Hour
7:30	Movie: "The	lington Place"	Pooh Corner	Peyton Place"	Monsters"		press Cont'd	Heathcliff	Between Wars	Robison	Cont'd
8:00	Pathfinder"	"	Umbrella Tree	Movie: "The	"	VideoMorning	"	Lassie	Mrs. Columbo	Rich Roberts	Fraggle Rock
8:30	"	"	Dumbo	Goddess"	Movie: "Plain	"	"	Maya the Bee	"	Joy	Muppets
9:00	Movie: "Man	Movie: "Inti-	Movie:	"	Clothes"	"	New Mike	Eureeka's Cas-	Fugitive	Larry Lea	Movie: "Cath-
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10:00	Faces"	ters"	"	Movie: "The	"	"	Divorce Court	Elephant	Avengers	K. Copeland	Great"
10:30	"	"	Dragon	Last American	Movie: "Stage-	"	Divorce Court	Penner's	"	L.&E. Tripp	"
11:00	Movie: "Tap"	Movie:	Lunch Box	Hero"	coach"	Magazine	The Judge	David-Gnome	Movie: "Con-	McDowell	Movie:
11:30	"	"Glory"	Music Box	Going Holly-	"	Top Card	The Juige	Little Koala	spiracy of	Ron Cottle	"Young Cath-
12:00	"	"	Swiss Family	wood: The	"	Our Way	Chain Rea.	Noozles	Hearts"	Behind Scenes	erine"
12:30	"	"	Robinson	War Years	Chimps	With Dinah	Name Tune	Maya the Bee	"	J. Swaggart	"
1:00	Movie: "Dirty	Movie: "Han-	Danger Bay	Movie: "Never	Movie:	Country Stan-	Wipeout	Todays Sp	City of Angels	Robison	Movie:
1:30	Rotten Scoun-	na's War"	Wuzzles	on Sunday"	"Honeysuckle	dard Time	Lose or Draw	Lassie	"	Ben Hinn	"Young Cath-
2:00	drels"	"	Raccoons	"	Rose"	Magazine	Hollywood Sq.	Flipper	Movie:	700 Club	erine"
2:30	"	"	Care Bears	"It Came	"	Top Card	$25K Pyramid	Looney Tunes	"Frenchman's	"	"
3:00	Crumbcake	"	Donald Duck	From Beneath	Jack and the	Crook	Press Yr. Luck	Heathcliff	Creek"	Another Life	Movie: "Toy
3:30	Crumbcake	Picture Show	Lose or Draw	the Sea"	Beanstalk	On Stage	High Rollers	Yogi Bear	"	M. Hickey	Tiger"
4:00	"The Dog Who	Movie: "My	Kids Inc.	Movie: "The	"	VideoPM	Just Ten of Us	Looney Tunes	Fugitive	Praise the	"
4:30	Stopped the	Man Godfrey"	Mickey Mouse	Hot Rock"	Movie: "Her	"	Dance USA	Hey Dude	"	Lord	"
5:00	War"	"	Movie: "Benji	"	Alibi"	"	Cartoon Ex-	Double Dare	Avengers	"	Gilligan's Isle
5:30	Movie: "New	"	the Hunted"	"	"	"	press	Make Grade	"	"	Bugs Bunny &
6:00	York Stories"	Movie: "Co-	"	Movie: "Butch	Movie: "Plain	"	MacGyver	Insp. Gadget	Survival World	Jerry Barnard	Pals
6:30	"	coon: The Re-	Woman-Bear	Cassidy and	Clothes"	"	"	Looney Tunes	Between Wars	"	"
7:00	"	turn"	Big, Friendly	the Sundance	"	On Stage	Murder, She	Mister Ed	World-Action	Behind Scenes	Movie: "Fall
7:30	Movie: "Op-	"	Giant	Kid"	"	Music Shop	Wrote	Bewitched	Seas	Dale Evans	Safe"
8:00	posing Force"	Movie: "Out	"	Movie: "Skin	Movie: "Alien	Nashville Now	Movie: "Fri-	Get Smart	Movie: "Dar-	Dwight	"
8:30	"	of the Dark"	Movie: "Ghost-	Deep"	Nation"	"	day the 13th	Dragnet	lings of the	Thompson	"
9:00	"Hollywood	"	busters II"	"	"	"	-- A New Begin-	Best of SNL	Gods"	"	"
9:30	Hot Tubs 2: Ed-	Movie: "Three	"	"	Life in the Big	Crook	ning"	Fern. 2-Night	"	Praise the	Movie: "The
10:00	ucating Crys-	Fugitives"	"	Movie: "Fa-	House	On Stage	Miami Vice	A. Hitchcock	David Leisure	"	World, the
10:30	tal"	"	Movie: "The	mily Busi-	Movie: "Down-	Music Shop	"	Green Acres	at the Improv	"	Flesh, and the
11:00	Super Dave	Movie: "One	Crimson Pir-	ness"	town"	Nashville Now	Equalizer	Donna Reed	World-Action	"	Devil"
11:30	Movie: "Street	Man Force"	ate"	"	"	"	"	Dobie Gillis	Seas	"	Movie: "Above
12:00	Smart"	"	"	Movie: "Rain	Kids in Hall	"	Movie: "The	Patty Duke	"Darlings of	Behind Scenes	and Beyond"
12:30	"	Monkey Biz	Concert Amer.	Man"	Altered States	Crook	Exorcist"	My 3 Sons	the Gods"	Jay Sekulow	"

PEOPLE



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Blues brother

Blues guitarist Jimmy Vaughan raises his Grammy for best contemporary blues recording at the Grammy awards Wednesday. Vaughan accepted posthumously for his brother, Stevie Ray, who died in a helicopter crash this summer, just after completing their joint album, "Family Style."

Quincy Jones wins 6 Grammys; Phil Collins, Roy Orbison win too

NEW YORK (AP) — **Quincy Jones**, jazz musician, composer and producer of records and TV shows, burst back into the limelight as a performing artist Wednesday, winning six Grammy awards for his eclectic album "Back on the Block."

"I can't believe this," said Jones, a tremor in his voice as he accepted the album of the year award at the 33rd annual Grammy ceremonies.

Phil Collins, who led with eight nominations, won record of the year for "Another Day in Paradise" on homelessness. "If I'd have gone home with eight nominations and no awards, my mother would have killed me," Collins said.

Songwriter **Julie Gold** won the song of the year Grammy for "From a Distance," performed by **Bette Midler**.

Rap sensation **M.C. Hammer**, who performed before the audience at Radio City Music Hall, won three awards in the early going, one for his solo rap performance of "U Can't Touch This."

"Your love is all-l-l-l-l I need," sang **Luther Vandross**, accepting the male rhythm and blues vocal Grammy for "Here and Now." The late **Roy Orbison** won the pop male vocal award for his 1964 rock standard "Oh, Pretty Woman."

"His voice was a gift. He always felt grateful that he got to do what he wanted to play and sing," said **Barbara Orbison**, his widow. Orbison was 52 when he died of a heart attack in 1988 after a comeback with The **Traveling Wilburys**.

Mariah Carey, a former backup singer whose seven-octave range was showcased on her eponymous debut album, won Grammys as female pop vocalist for "Vison of Love" and as best new artist.

Harry Connick Jr., 23, won the male jazz vocal Grammy for "We Are in Love." **Ella Fitzgerald** won the female jazz award for "All That Jazz."

Linda Ronstadt and **Aaron Neville** won pop performance by a duo or group for the second consecutive year, this time for their "All My Life" duet. Last year it was "Don't Know Much."

Vince Gill won the male country vocal Grammy for "When I Call Your Name" and the **Kentucky Headhunters** won the country performance Grammy for a duo or group.

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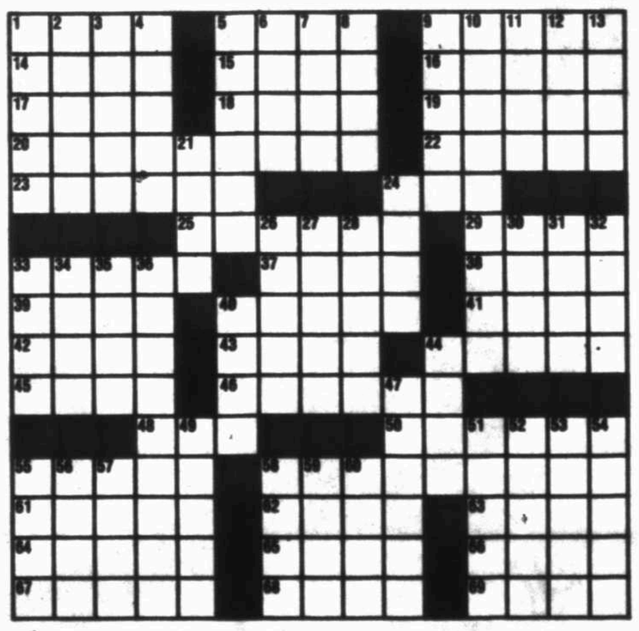
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St. John's drops Syracuse

Associated Press

NEW YORK — Malik Sealy scored 23 points and the other St. John's starters reached double digits as the 18th-ranked Redmen beat No. 5 Syracuse 77-72 on Wednesday night.

The Redmen (18-6, 9-6), who had to hold off a late 3-point barrage by the Orangemen, had lost four of six games and had dropped from the leaders in the Big East with the slump. They still have a chance at winning the title with just one conference game remaining, Monday night against Georgetown.

Syracuse (23-4, 9-4), which had a six-game winning streak snapped, entered play on Wednesday with a two-game lead in the conference.

No. 2 Ohio St. 73, Illinois 64

CHAMPAIGN, Ill. — Second-ranked Ohio State, coming off an emotional victory over Indiana, got 14 points from Treg Lee and made seven free throws in the final minute to beat Illinois.

The Buckeyes (23-1, 13-1 Big Ten), who led 50-49 with 8:35 remaining and 66-60 with 2:15 left, cruised to victory when the Illini (18-8, 8-5) resorted to fouling to get back in the game.

Top 25

No. 7 Duke 72
N. Carolina St. 65

DURHAM, N.C. — Christian Laettner scored 11 of the first 19 second-half points for No. 7 Duke as the Blue Devils' defense shut down high-scoring North Carolina State.

Duke (23-5, 9-3) took a one-half game lead over North Carolina atop the ACC standings. The Wolfpack, held 26 points below its season scoring average, fell to (15-8, 6-5).

Colorado 79, No. 8 Kansas 71

BOULDER, Colo. — Stevie Wise scored 32 points, including six 3-pointers, to lead Colorado to an upset of No. 8 Kansas.

The Buffs (15-9 overall, 5-6 in conference) extended their winning streak to three while snapping the Jayhawks' (19-5, 8-3) winning streak at 10 games.

Cincinnati 86
No. 11 Southern Mississippi 72

CINCINNATI — Herb Jones scored 27 points and Lou Banks had 23 as Cincinnati used superior inside quickness to beat Southern Mississippi 86-72, the Golden Eagles' most lopsided loss of the season.

Vanderbilt 98
No. 12 Kentucky 87

NASHVILLE, Tenn. — Bruce Elder and Kevin Anglin combined for 15 points during an 18-2 Vanderbilt surge in the second half to propel the Commodores.

Missouri 97, No. 14 Nebraska 71

COLUMBIA, Mo. — Doug Smith scored 22 points and became Missouri's leading career rebounder as the Tigers beat No. 14 Nebraska and Cornhuskers' bid for a school-record 23rd victory.

No. 19 LSU 89, Mississippi 78

OXFORD, Miss. — Shaquille O'Neal scored 38 points and keyed a decisive second-half spree as No. 19 LSU won its fifth straight Southeastern Conference game.

No. 21 Mississippi St. 81
Florida 67

STARKVILLE, Miss. — Greg Carter scored 21 points and Tony Watts 18 off the bench as No. 21 Mississippi State rolled to retain a share of the Southeastern Conference lead.

No. 22 Pittsburgh 78
No. 25 Georgetown 65

LANDOVER, Md. — Sean Miller scored 18 of his 21 points in the second half as No. 22 Pittsburgh gained sole possession of second place in the Big East.

Razorbacks outdistance Mustangs

Associated Press

DALLAS — Oliver Miller and Todd Day fueled an Arkansas second-half surge that overcame an eight-point halftime deficit and led the No. 3 Razorbacks to a hard-earned 79-70 Southwest Conference victory over Southern Methodist on Wednesday.

Arkansas improved its record to 26-2 and 13-0 in the SWC while SMU dropped to 11-14 and 6-8. The 26 victories tied an Arkansas school record for regular season victories set by the 1978 Razorbacks.

Miller, held to only four points in the first half, led a charge after the intermission that included four straight baskets.

Miller scored 21 points and Day added 20.

After Miller picked up his fourth foul with 14:26 left, Day took over. Day's two free throws with 13:55 left gave Arkansas the lead.

SMU stunned the Hogs before the sellout crowd of 9,007 fans in Moody Coliseum by scoring its most points of the season in a first half to lead 45-37 at intermission. The Mustangs never trailed and built their largest lead with 28 seconds to go when Troy Valentino hit two free throws.

It was the most points Arkansas had trailed at halftime and the second fewest the Hogs had scored all year in the first 20 minutes.

SWC Roundup

Texas A&M 66, Baylor 61

WACO, Texas — Brooks Thompson scored 24 points and had six steals to lead Texas A&M to a win over the Baylor Bears.

The win gives the Aggies a 7-17 record, with 2-11 in conference, while dropping the Bears to 11-12 and 4-10. The Bears are now 0-7 at home in conference play.

The two teams were tied up at the half and at the end of regulation. Neither team led by more than five points in the game.

In the end, the Bears couldn't figure out how to handle Thompson. With the Aggies up 62-61 and 36 seconds left in overtime, Thompson swiped the ball from Melvin Hunt, drew the foul on a lay-up attempt and sank both free throws to sink Baylor. He was 8-for-10 from the floor and a perfect 7-for-7 from the free-throw line. Shedrick Anderson also had 13 points and 15 rebounds for the Aggies.

Houston 74, Texas Tech 59

LUBBOCK — Byron Smith scored 22 points to lead Houston over Texas Tech.

Houston, fresh from an 82-73 upset of then-ranked No. 24 Texas on Saturday, improved to 16-8 overall and 8-5 in SWC play. Texas Tech, which shot a only 37 percent from the field, fell to 8-19 and 4-10.

Texas Tech was able to neutralize the Cougars' 7-foot-1 Alvaro Teheran, who finished with only eight points. But Houston fell back on the strength of its outside shooting to pull away from the Raiders.

Darrell Mickens scored 14 and grabbed 12 rebounds for Houston. Derrick Daniels had 12 points and Derrick Smith added 11 for the Cougars.

Tech pulled within 58-51 with 5 minutes to play, but Houston went on a 7-0 run and finished the scoring with three thunderous dunks by Teheran, Roger Fernandes and Derrick Smith.

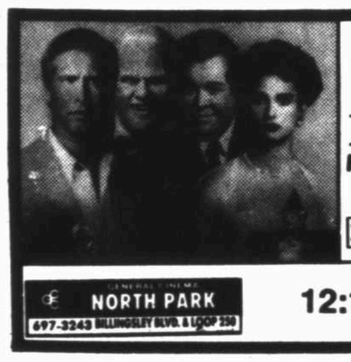
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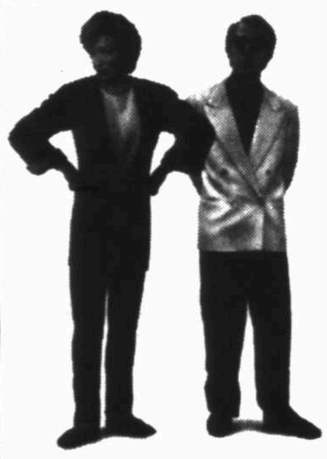
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- Thursday $20.48
- Previous Close $20.07
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- Today $19.00
- Previous Week $21.25
- One Year Ago $21.25

Prices gain

NEW YORK (AP) — Higher prices for heating oil in Europe and fading hopes for peace in the Persian Gulf pushed oil prices higher Wednesday.

West Texas Intermediate for delivery in March settled at $20.48 per barrel, up 41 cents as the contracts for that delivery month expired at the Mercantile Exchange.

Crude oil for delivery in April settled at $19.55 per barrel, up 76 cents, in New York.

Natural gas fell 2.5 cents to $1.355 per 1,000 cubic feet for delivery in April.

After the oil market was closed, the American Petroleum Institute released statistics showing the nation's supply of crude oil had risen to within 10 million barrels of where it stood a year ago.

The stockpile of crude was at 335.0 million barrels for the week ending Feb. 15, compared with 329.6 million barrels a week earlier and 344.9 million barrels a year earlier, the API said in its weekly report.

The nation's refineries were running at 84.1 percent of capacity, compared with 83.5 percent a week earlier and 88.4 percent a year earlier.

Stocks decline

NEW YORK (AP) — Disappointing inflation news and an accompanying rise in interest rates helped push stock prices into a broad decline Wednesday.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials fell 33.17 points to 2,899.01.

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Dollar mixed

NEW YORK (AP) — The dollar was mixed Wednesday following Federal Reserve Board Chairman Alan Greenspan's predictions of an improving economy and hint of further interest rate reductions if the economy sours.

Gold prices were flat. On the New York Commodity Exchange, gold bullion for current delivery settled at $364.70 per troy ounce, up 20 cents from Tuesday.

In Tokyo, the dollar rose 0.78 yen to a closing 131.33 yen.

In London, the British pound fell to $1.9475, from $1.9505 late Tuesday.

Other late dollar rates in New York, compared with late Tuesday's rates, included: 1.4955 German marks, up from 1.4935; 1.2785 Swiss francs, unchanged; 5.0865 French francs, up from 5.0825; 1,121.00 Italian lire, up from 1,112.00; and 1.1527 Canadian dollars, down from 1.1528.

Silver bullion rose in London to a late bid price of $3.70 a troy ounce, up from $3.69 bid late Tuesday.



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Central bank ready to lower rates

■ In his semi-annual report Greenspan said the central bank would continue to monitor the recession and would, if necessary, lower interest rates.

Associated Press

WASHINGTON (AP) — Federal Reserve Chairman Alan Greenspan said on Wednesday that it would be "most unwise" to discount the dangers facing the economy, but he assured Congress the central bank has the flexibility to lower interest rates further to combat the recession.

In his semiannual report on monetary policy, Greenspan said he continued to subscribe to the view held by the Bush administration that the current recession will be short and mild.

But he said that officials at the central bank recognized there were numerous risks that could make matters worse, ranging from the impact a prolonged Persian Gulf War could have on consumer confidence to persistent problems within the banking system.

While Greenspan did not specifically promise to lower interest rates further, he said the central bank would "remain alert" to signs that the economic slide is intensifying and would respond accordingly.

Private economists interpreted Greenspan's remarks as an assurance that the central bank, which has been aggressively pushing interest rates lower for the past three months, will continue to do so. They said the most likely timing for the next rate reduction was after the March 8 report on unemployment for February.

"Greenspan seemed to be saying that he is considerably more concerned about the economy deteriorating than he is about inflation right now," said Bruce Steinberg, an economist at Merrill Lynch. "He is clearly concerned that the recession could last longer."

The Labor Department reported Wednesday that consumer prices rose at an unexpectedly brisk annual rate of 5.5 percent in January although analysts blamed the spurt on temporary factors and said they still subscribed to a belief that declining inflation will give the Fed further room to lower interest rates.

The Fed remains under pressure from the Bush administration to take further credit-easing moves. Treasury Secretary Nicholas Brady told reporters Wednes-

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Alan Greenspan



Big jump in inflation

Associated Press

WASHINGTON (AP) — The government reported Wednesday that consumer prices jumped 0.4 percent in January, but analysts dismissed the sharp increase as a passing circumstance brought on, in part, by weather-caused food shortages and new federal taxes on alcohol and tobacco.

A potentially more worrisome note, meanwhile, was sounded by Federal Reserve Chairman Alan Greenspan, who told Congress an extended Persian Gulf war and persistent problems with the nation's banking system could prolong the recession.

January's 0.4 percent climb in the Labor Department's Consumer Price Index followed surges of 0.3 percent in each of the previous two months and, if sustained for the year, would produce a 1991 inflation rate of 5.5 percent — a particularly unwelcome thought in time of recession.

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New house bill seeks to change yearly average

By James Cullen
Reporter-Telegram Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — Mineral values would be based on a year-long average rather than on one day's price under a bill Rep. Tom Craddick, R-Midland, has filed.

House Bill 608, which was referred to the House Ways and Means Committee, would compute mineral values for ad valorem tax purposes by the average price of oil and gas throughout the year rather than the price on Jan. 1, Craddick said.

"I think that's a fair deal for everybody," he said.

The Permian Basin Petroleum Association in Midland requested that he file a similar bill late in the 1989 regular session, mainly because the price of oil happened to peak around Jan. 1 the past few years.

The 1989 bill, which would have based the value on the average on the first day of each month, emerged from its committee review too late to get through the crowded House agenda.

With more time to work the bill this session, Craddick thinks he will have better luck.

"I think it would be a lot fairer to the producers," he said.

This past January, the price of oil was more than $30 a barrel, compared with approximately $20 this past week, but he noted, "It could go up or down."

He said there will be no extra cost to the state, because state agencies already figure the daily average price of oil.

P&P converts partnership to corporation

Staff Report

Midland-based Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co. and Parker & Parsley Development Partners L.P. (PDP) have completed the conversion of PDP and its general partner to a corporation. In addition, the company has completed the acquisition of eight limited partnerships and corporations previously affiliated with Damson Oil Corp.

Limited partners holding a majority of PDP units and the Damson partnership interests approved both the conversion and the acquisitions at meetings held in Dallas Tuesday.

Scott Sheffield, chairman and chief executive officer of Parker & Parsley stated that "The long term strategy of the company will primarily continue to be that of building value by increasing the company's oil and gas reserves through a specialization in development drilling in selected geographic areas of concentration

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Government accused of not knowing what property it owns

■ After 18 months on the job Resolution Trust Corp. is getting a bad report card on it's job to date, however, some members of Congress believe that it is too soon to pass judgement.

Associated Press

WASHINGTON (AP) — The government has a hard time selling assets inherited from failed savings institutions because it often can't figure out what it has to sell, the head of the congressional investigation agency said Wednesday.

Charles A. Bowsher, comptroller general of the General Accounting Office, identified deficiencies in the Resolution Trust Corp.'s information system as the agency's No. 1 problem.

Those deficiences likely are behind the rash of complaints from people who say they cannot get a response when they offer to purchase property the government has inherited from bankrupt thrifts, he told the House Banking Committee.

"They've got to get a good information system so they know what they own, what's happening out there," he said.

Bowsher's testimony, billed as the GAO's report card on the first 18 months of the corporation's work, came as the House panel prepared to vote next Tuesday on the Bush administration's request for more bailout money.

Treasury Secretary Nicholas F. Brady has asked Congress to provide open-ended spending authority for bailouts on top of the $50 billion provided in the 1989 thrift rescue law.

Bowsher, however, said he agreed with members of Congress who opposed such an "open checkbook." He said Congress should provide an additional $30 billion for the fiscal year ending Sept. 30 and $50 billion more for the year after that.

Some legislators want to keep the agency on a tighter leash, arguing that it will not improve its performance without regular prodding by Congress.

"I'm fully convinced the RTC has lost control of the situation," said Rep. Henry B. Gonzalez, D-Texas, chairman of the House committee.

However, Bowsher said that if he were a teacher grading the agency, he would give it an "incomplete." It will be at least another year before the agency's performance can be judged, he said.

He said the agency has a "fair and open" process for selling the failed S&Ls it seizes, and his auditors have been unable to uncover any evidence of fraud or political favortism.

But, he said the agency needs to do a better job in selling the assets it has inherited from failed thrifts and needs a better system for overseeing the private contractors charged with selling the assets.

"The lack of contract oversight has already left the RTC in the position of paying its contractors in full when there is only partial or poor performance," he said.

Stephen Katsanos, a spokesman for the corporation, said agency officials are "keenly aware" of the need to improve information systems and said a new system to track real estate will be up and running in about 100 days.

But, he said, agency officials are disappointed the GAO was not more positive.

SCOTT BURNS

Retirement assets depends on income

By Scott Burns

Q. I am worried about my future. I am 64, single, employed now at $17,000 a year, receiving alimony of $14,000 and have a rental home bringing in $800 a month. All of the above might drop or cease to exist as I reach 65.



Burns

My assets are: a home worth $200,000; a rental home worth $100,000; $30,000 in an IRA; $80,000 in CDs; and $200,000 in Savings Bonds that I intend to convert to HH bonds to postpone taxes for a few more years. I should also receive about $400 a month in Social Security but no pension.

Should I sell my home when the market is better? How can I project how long my savings will last? It takes about $2,000 a month right now to keep up the two properties and live rather frugally — more if I have major repairs.

The years ahead are very scary. Please give me some idea of how long the savings will last and how much I will have to spend each month.

A. The first thing you should know is that there are a lot of people out there, your age or younger, who would be delighted to trade places with you. I understand your worry but give yourself the pleasure of knowing that you have more resources for dealing with your situation than the vast majority of the population: a net worth over $600,000.

A simple way to see the situation is to consider that if you sold both houses and invested your $600,000 at 6 percent — a return that would allow you to have a portfolio of 40 percent stocks, 60 percent bonds and cash — you would have a monthly income, before taxes, of $3,000. In addition, you would have Social Security. If your former husband is capable of paying $14,000 a year in alimony I suspect he has regularly earned at the top of the Social Security wage base. That means your Social Security benefits, as his former wife, might be higher than the benefits you could collect on your own account. You might get nearly $600 a month. You can live on that, even after paying taxes and rent.

What this means is that your problem is HOW you have arranged your assets, NOT whether you will have enough money. One thing you might do is sell your current house and move into your rent house; this would reduce the maintenance problems and avoid the need to sell both properties. Another is to sell both and reinvest in the smaller property where a manager provides maintenance.

The important fact here is that an intelligent rearrangement of your assets in a portfolio of stocks and bonds could produce an annual income that would rise with inflation — YOU WOULD NOT OUTLIVE YOUR INCOME.

Q. I purchased a new car with a 48 month loan. We are now in a position where I can double up on the payments and I would like to know how to do it — send in two checks each month, marking one "principal" or what. Or, should we put the extra money in savings until we have enough to pay off the loan?

A. Before you take either option, get a copy of your auto loan contract and read its pre-payment provisions. If it is a good contract it will allow you to prepay without bad effects. There are, however, still some consumer loans that have payoffs that work according to the "rule of 78.". For all practical purposes, this can mean you save very little in interest.

If its a good contract — one that charges monthly interest on the outstanding balance — it won't matter very much how you make your prepayments.

Q. My husband wants to invest $100,000 in a large annuity fund to reduce his taxable income. The agent offers him an $8,000 bonus if he does it soon. What is the catch? Is it safe? I wonder why everyone retired isn't rushing into this.

A. I've never heard of a "bonus" for investing. One good rule of thumb is that whenever a good opportunity is only available right now, you should walk away. And keep a firm hand on your wallet.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

NEW YORK (AP) Wed. national prices for New York Stock Exchange issues

Div. PE Sales Last Chg

A—A

B—B

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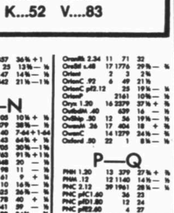
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Company	Ticker Symbol	Code
Data General	DGN	31 41 62*
Wyman-Gordon	WYMN	91 93 61 62*

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C...23	N...62	Y...93
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F...33	Q...01	****...13
G...41	R...72	
H...42	S...73	
I....43	T...81	
J....51	U...82	
K...52	V....83	

AMERICAN STOCK EXCHANGE

NEW YORK (AP) Wed. national prices for New York Stock Exchange issues

Div. PE Sales Last Chg

A—A

B—B

C—C

D—D

E—E

F—F

G—G

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MARKET PERFORMANCE

Ups & Downs

NEW YORK (AP) — The following list shows the New York Stock Exchange stocks and warrants that have gone up the most and down the most based on percent of change for Wed..
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Net and percentage changes are the difference between the previous closing price and today's 5:30 p.m. price.

UPS

Name	Last	Chg		Pct.
1 Square D	72¾	+20¾	Up	38.9
2 BengunB	1¾	+ ¼	Up	25.0
3 Whitehall	15⅝	+ 2⅝	Up	20.2
4 SunshMn pf	4⅝	+ ⅝	Up	19.4
5 Nat Steel	2⅛	+ ⅛	Up	17.6
6 CarterHaw	1⅞	+ ⅛	Up	15.4
7 BallyMfg	4⅛	+ ⅛	Up	13.3
8 PtCityBcp	6⅜	+ ⅜	Up	12.2
9 CasatSnFn	3⅜	+ ⅜	Up	10.7
10 Chaus	2⅝	+ ⅛	Up	10.5
11 WarnrCamptr	4	+ ⅜	Up	10.3
12 AM Intl	1⅜	+ ⅛	Up	10.0
13 Elect Assoc	2⅜	+ ⅛	Up	10.0
14 LTVCp pfA	5⅜	+ ⅛	Up	9.5
15 GrubEllis	1⅜	+ ⅛	Up	9.1
16 LoneStar	4⅜	+ ⅛	Up	8.8
17 AmBfty s	6⅜	+ ⅛	Up	8.7
18 Upjohn	44⅛	+ 3⅛	Up	7.6
19 Airgas	14⅜	+ 1	Up	7.3
20 Filtertek	7⅛	+ ⅛	Up	7.1

DOWNS

Name	Last	Chg		Pct.
1 Elgrlnd	9⅛	— 1⅜	Off	15.6
2 AmSvBkNY pf	2¾	— ⅜	Off	14.3
3 ReadgBte	1⅜	— ⅛	Off	14.3
4 AlliedPrd	4	— ½	Off	11.1
5 HarcrBrJ	1	— ⅛	Off	11.1
6 LTV Cp	1	— ⅛	Off	11.1
7 UnvHotchkss	3	— ⅜	Off	11.1
8 JapnOTC n	12¼	— 1⅜	Off	10.1
9 LeePharm	3⅜	— ⅜	Off	10.0
10 AmShipB	2⅜	— ¼	Off	9.5
11 MartnLav	2⅜	— ¼	Off	9.1
12 Masabi Tr	2⅜	— ¼	Off	9.1
13 Newhall	18	— 1⅜	Off	8.9
14 RepGyps	4	— ⅜	Off	8.6
15 Elscint	2⅜	— ¼	Off	8.3
16 PtCoastHld	2⅜	— ¼	Off	8.3
17 InspirRsc	2⅜	— ¼	Off	8.3
18 AmShBkNY	1⅜	— ⅛	Off	7.7
19 CooperCo	4½	— ⅜	Off	7.7
20 MNC Fnc	3	— ¼	Off	7.7

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Net and percentage changes are the difference between the previous closing price and today's 5:30 p.m. price.

UPS

Name	Last	Chg		Pct.
1 IversonTc	1⅛	+5-16	Up	38.5
2 SGCorp pwt	2⅛	+ ⅛	Up	20.0
3 WstmEng n	4⅜	+ ⅜	Up	18.8
4 PWrbkb Nk pwt	5⅜	+ ⅜	Up	17.5
5 Systemshrd	1⅜	+ ⅛	Up	16.7
6 ElsagBk wt	5⅜	+ ⅜	Up	15.4
7 DWG Corp	4⅛	+ ⅛	Up	13.8
8 ComSys	3⅛	+ ⅛	Up	13.6
9 WallHaw B	3⅛	+ ⅛	Up	13.0
10 Medicore	1⅛	+ ⅛	Up	12.5
11 VTX Elc	1⅛	+ ⅛	Up	12.5
12 HowaenEnt	5⅛	+ ⅛	Up	12.2
13 AmTr-Inwp sc	3⅛	+ ⅛	Up	12.0
14 PW cac pwt	2⅛	+ ⅛	Up	11.8
15 Conrcmtel	1⅛	+ ⅛	Up	11.1
16 AmTr-arc sc	22⅜	+ 2⅛	Up	10.5
17 BarryRG	4	+ ⅜	Up	10.3
18 DashMid n	2⅜	+ ⅛	Up	10.0
19 EspRLA	1⅜	+ ⅛	Up	10.0
20 CalMfgy	11⅛	+ 1	Up	9.9

DOWNS

Name	Last	Chg		Pct.
1 AIM Teleph	1	— ⅛	Off	33.3
2 Rurtec	1⅛	— ⅛	Off	28.6
3 HeliSonics	2	— ⅛	Off	15.8
4 Lecotnd	2	— ⅛	Off	15.8
5 Tecumtsc	8⅜	— 1⅜	Off	13.4
6 CityFnl s	3⅜	— ⅜	Off	10.7
7 HealthChm	1⅜	— ⅛	Off	10.0
8 IntlgSpLP	1⅜	— ⅛	Off	10.0
9 LeePharm	1⅜	— ⅛	Off	10.0
10 TII Ind	1⅜	— ⅛	Off	10.0
11 CNI Corp	1⅛	— ⅛	Off	9.1
12 SolNRs of5cvt	4	— ⅜	Off	8.6
13 Merrimac	6⅝	— ⅝	Off	8.5
14 AmTechCor	1⅜	— ⅛	Off	8.3
15 OxfordEngy	2⅜	— ¼	Off	8.3
16 Raulding	2⅜	— ¼	Off	8.3
17 InstruSys pf	2⅜	— ¼	Off	8.0
18 TabProd	10⅝	— ⅝	Off	7.8
19 Mallard	3	— ⅛	Off	7.7
20 NuHorizn	1⅜	— ⅛	Off	7.7

NEW YORK (AP) — The following list shows the Over-the-Counter stocks and warrants that have gone up the most and down the most based on percent of change for Wed..
No securities trading below $1 or 1000 shares are included.
Net and percentage changes are the difference between the previous closing price and today's last or bid price.

UPS

Name	Last	Chg		Pct.
1 Workscmn	1⅜	+ ⅜	Up	30.0
2 NetworkII	4⅝	+ 1⅛	Up	46.2
3 CPC Rescol	1 1-16	+3-16	Up	41.7
4 CortexPhrm	1	+ ⅛	Up	33.3
5 JamesMacdon	1	+ ⅛	Up	33.3
6 Unigene	2 1-16	+ ⅛	Up	32.0
7 Nucorp wt6	1 1-16	+ ⅛	Up	30.8
8 Artitech	3⅛	+ ⅛	Up	30.0
9 BlauBarry	1⅜	+ ⅜	Up	30.0
10 Selectcrm	3⅛	+ ⅜	Up	30.0
11 ACSBnr	1 29-32	+7-16	Up	29.8
12 Creatfnd	1⅜	+ ⅜	Up	27.3
13 QSR Inc	2 7-16	+ ⅜	Up	25.8
14 LondonMdk	1⅜	+ ⅜	Up	25.0
15 ParkerAut wt	2⅛	+ ⅛	Up	25.0
16 Quantmx	2	+ ⅛	Up	22.1
17 Carbco	1⅜	+ ⅛	Up	22.2
18 Bio wt	1⅜	+ ⅛	Up	22.2
19 KeithGp	1 1-16	+3-16	Up	21.4
20 PlastiLine	5⅜	+ 1	Up	21.1

DOWNS

Name	Last	Chg		Pct.
1 ChildWrld	1⅜	— 1	Off	38.1
2 StratAbact	1⅛	— ½	Off	28.6
3 SciAccess	1	— ⅛	Off	27.3
4 SystSoftwr	22	— 7⅛	Off	24.8
5 PatrickInd	4⅛	— 1⅛	Off	22.7
6 CentryBcpMA	1⅜	— ⅛	Off	22.2
7 Xyvision	1⅛	—11-32	Off	21.6
8 JacobElctn	1⅛	— ⅛	Off	21.1
9 Cochelnc	1	— ⅛	Off	20.0
10 LogicDev	2⅛	— ⅛	Off	18.5
11 NeurogenCp	3⅜	— ⅜	Off	18.4
12 EmbrCtrl	1⅛	— ⅛	Off	18.2
13 WarnerPCS8	1⅛	— ⅛	Off	18.2
14 PicTel wt	3 11-16	—13-16	Off	18.1
15 AMPSI Sy	1⅛	— ⅛	Off	16.7
16 MarbleFnci	3⅜	— ⅜	Off	16.7
17 AndvrTg	1⅜	— ⅛	Off	15.4
18 EarthScien	1 1-16	—3-16	Off	15.0
19 GlandBelc	4⅛	— ⅜	Off	15.0
20 AmMobile s	3⅜	— ⅜	Off	14.7

COMMODITIES

Petroleum

NEW YORK (AP) —Futures trading on the New York Mercantile Exchange Wed.:

	Open	High	Low	Settle	Chg.
CRUDE OIL					
1,000 bbl.; dollars per bbl.					
Mar	20.25	20.95	20.20	20.48	+.41
Apr	18.95	19.65	18.90	19.55	+.76
May	18.10	18.70	18.05	18.57	+.63
Jun	17.65	18.15	17.65	18.07	+.59
Jul	17.40	17.90	17.35	17.83	+.58
Aug	17.45	17.85	17.40	17.77	+.58
Sep	17.25	17.84	17.25	17.83	+.58
Oct	17.30	17.95	17.30	17.89	+.58
Nov	17.37	17.95	17.37	17.95	+.58
Dec	17.50	18.07	17.50	18.02	+.58
Jan	17.55	18.10	17.55	18.09	+.57
Feb	17.60	17.95	17.60	18.17	+.57
Mar	17.85	18.30	17.85	18.25	+.57
Apr	18.15	18.15	18.15	18.33	+.57
May				18.41	+.57
Jun	17.95	17.95	17.95	18.49	+.57
Jul				18.57	+.57
Aug				18.65	+.57
Sep	18.40	18.40	18.40	18.73	+.57
Dec	18.85	18.85	18.80	18.97	+.57

Est. sales 93,444. Tue.'s sales 1,202.
Tue.'s open int 274,754, off 7,980.

HEATING OIL
42,000 gal; cents per gal

Mar	62.10	65.00	61.90	64.72	+4.09
Apr	55.00	56.30	54.75	56.21	+2.27
May	51.25	52.40	51.25	51.96	+1.29
Jun	49.85	50.80	49.50	50.21	+1.24
Jul	49.70	50.20	49.10	49.61	+1.04
Aug	49.80	50.70	49.80	50.11	+.91
Sep	51.15	51.85	51.15	51.75	+1.25
Oct	52.25	52.90	52.25	52.36	+.86
Nov	53.65	53.75	53.65	53.36	+.83
Dec	54.25	55.10	54.25	54.36	+.81
Jan	54.25	54.75	54.25	54.31	+.86
Feb	53.60	53.60	53.60	53.60	+1.30
Mar	52.50	52.50	52.50	50.66	+.86
Apr				48.66	+.86
May				47.66	+.86
Jun				47.16	+.86

Est. sales 27,782. Tue.'s sales 28,210.
Tue.'s open int 85,500, off 322.

UNLEADED GASOLINE
42,000 gal; cents per gal

Mar	59.50	61.20	59.30	60.72	+2.08
Apr	61.25	62.70	61.20	62.37	+1.69
May	60.00	61.10	59.75	60.90	+1.45
Jun	58.40	59.20	58.40	58.95	+1.35
Jul	56.20	57.20	56.20	56.90	+1.30
Aug	54.25	55.30	54.20	54.90	+1.30
Sep	52.80	53.35	52.75	52.90	+1.30
Oct				50.40	+1.30
Nov				49.10	+1.30
Dec				48.20	+1.30
Jan				47.70	+1.30
Feb				47.70	+1.30
Mar				48.45	+1.30
Apr				51.70	+1.30

Est. sales 21,237. Tue.'s sales 15,668.
Tue.'s open int 70,811, up 1,201.

NATURAL GAS
10,000 mm british thermal units

Apr	1.370	1.373	1.355	1.355	—.025
May	1.400	1.405	1.390	1.392	—.018
Jun	1.435	1.435	1.420	1.425	—.015
Jul	1.460	1.460	1.450	1.450	—.010
Aug	1.485	1.490	1.480	1.480	—.010
Sep	1.510	1.510	1.502	1.505	—.005
Oct	1.580	1.581	1.580	1.581	—.004
Nov	1.805	1.805	1.805	1.805	
Dec				2.110	
Jan	2.240	2.250	2.240	2.250	
Feb				1.990	

Est. sales 1,024.
Tue.'s open int 13,595, off 507.

ANALYSIS

NEW YORK (AP) — Stock prices lapsed into a broad decline today, pressured by disappointing inflation news.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials dropped 28.47 points to 2,903.71 by 2 p.m. on Wall Street.

Losers outnumbered gainers by more than 2 to 1 in nationwide trading of New York Stock Exchange-listed issues, with 488 up, 1,046 down and 456 unchanged.

The Labor Department reported this morning that the consumer price index rose 0.4 percent in January. The so-called core rate of inflation, as measured by the CPI without its volatile food and energy components, came in at 0.8 percent.

Both figures exceeded most analysts' estimates, and raised some questions on Wall Street about recent assessments of how much progress had been made in subduing inflation.

Many Wall Streeters have been counting on low inflation rates this year to help sustain the recent decline of interest rates.

Meanwhile, Chairman Alan Greenspan of the Federal Reserve declined to tip his hand on the Fed's intentions for credit policy from here on out.

"We obviously do have flexibility to move when and if it is appropriate to move," Greenspan said in semiannual testimony to the Senate Banking Committee.

Losers among the blue chips included International Business Machines, down 1 at 138½; Pepsico, down ⅝ at 31⅝; Philip Morris, down ¾ at 64¼, and General Electric, down ⅞ at 68¾.

Square D jumped 21⅜ to 73⅜ in active trading. On Tuesday it was disclosed that Groupe Schneider of France made an unsolicited $78-a-share bid for the company.

The NYSE's composite index of all its listed common stocks dropped 1.76 to 199.64. At the American Stock Exchange, the market value index was down .86 at 342.84.

Volume on the Big Board came to 136.53 million shares with two hours to go.

MUTUAL FUNDS

NEW YORK (AP) —The following quotations, from the National Association of Securities Dealers, Inc., are the prices at which these securities could have been sold (not asset value) or bought (value plus sales charge) Wed..

SelBuyChg.

AAL Mutual:
CaGr p 12.03 12.63— .09
Inco p 9.78 10.27— .02
MuBd p 10.13 10.64— .03

AARP Invst:
CaGr 27.07 NL— .39
GlnIM 15.46 NL— .02
GthInc 25.59 NL— .22
HQ Bd 15.35 NL— .02
TxFBd 17.03 NL— .05
TxFSh 15.32 NL— .02

ABT Funds:
Emrg p 9.19 9.65— .07
FL TF 10.43 10.95— .07
GthIn p 9.31 9.77— .09
SectIGN P & ⅛ ⅜ & — ½ — .03
UtlIn p 12.03 12.63— .08
AHA Bal 10.76 NL— .10
AdmCa p 18.64 19.22— .12

AEGON USA:
CapApp 3.62 3.80— .03
HiYld 9.48 9.95 + .02
Gwth 5.54 5.82— .05
AFA NAv 10.05 10.55— .07
AFA Tele 14.77 15.51— .03

AIM Funds:
Chart p 7.27 7.69— .09
Const p 9.11 9.64— .10
CvYld p 10.51 11.03— .03
HiYld p 4.82 5.07 + .01
Limit p 9.94 10.12— .01
Summ 8.47 — .11
Weing p 13.65 14.44— .18

A M A Family:
ClsGt p 8.04 NL— .06
GlbGt p 21.72 NL— .20
GlbIn p 19.44 NL— .03
USGv p 8.70 NL— .01

AMEV Funds:
AstAl p 11.92 12.48— .07
CapIII p 14.37 15.09— .15
CaAp p 14.96 15.66— .26
Fidcr p 23.10 24.19— .36
Grwth p 20.43 21.45— .20
HiYld p 6.08 6.37 + .03
TF MN 9.78 10.24— .03
TF Nat 9.98 10.45— .03
US Gvt 9.85 10.31— .01

AMF Funds:
Cp Bd 9.26 NL— .01
IntlEq 10.57 NL— .01
MtgSc 10.99 NL— .02
AcornF 36.96 36.96— .27
Afuture 9.80 NL— .10

Advance America:
Eqinc 9.66 10.14— .03
TF In p 9.85 10.34— .03
US Gv p 9.34 9.81— .02

Advest Advant:
Govt p 8.57 8.57— .02
Gwth p 14.04 14.04— .17
HY Bdp 6.52 6.52 + .02
Inco p 10.75 10.75— .03
Spcl p 12.15 12.15— .19
AlgrSCp t 17.16 17.16— .25
AlgerG t 15.43 15.43— .19

Alliance Cap:
Alian p 5.97 6.32— .09
Balan p 12.14 12.85— .10
Canad p 6.03 6.38— .07
Conv p 7.21 7.63— .10
Corpn p 11.37 12.09— .14
GlbSAd p 9.61 10.17— .09
Govt p 8.21 8.69— .02
Grinc p 2.39 2.53— .03
HiYld p 4.80 5.08 + .01
IntlA p 15.01 15.88— .15
ICelT p 12.49 13.08— .10
InstMu 9.65 10.10— .05
Manln p 11.60 12.28— .02
Mortg p 8.85 9.37— .02
MuCA 9.75 10.31— .05
MuNY 9.94 9.47— .03
NtMu 9.71 10.17— .04
NtSurA p 9.71 10.28— .09
QuasA p 18.44 19.51— .18
ST Mtap 9.94 10.25
ST Mtbd 9.93 9.93— .01
Tech p 24.07 25.47— .19
WldInc 1.99 1.99
AlpnCA 10.10 10.49

Altura Funds:
GvtnB 10.24 10.67— .02
Gwth 13.03 13.57— .09
Inco 10.22 10.65—

Amer AAdvant:
Balan 10.62 NL— .07
Equity 11.11 CL— .11
Flxin 9.87 NL— .01

Amer Capital:
Cmstk 15.66 17.11— .20
CpBd p 6.47 6.79
EmGr p 17.11 18.15— .23
Entrp p 12.12 12.86— .15
Eqinc p 4.31 4.57— .03
Exch 87.85 — .73
FdMtg p 13.03 13.68— .03
GvSc p 10.38 10.90— .01
GvTgt97 10.28 10.60— .02
Grinc p 11.10 11.78— .11
Harbr p 13.66 14.49— .04
HiYld p 5.02 5.27 + .01
MunB p 19.06 20.01— .08
Pace p 12.12 12.86— .13
TEHY p 10.69 11.22— .03
TxE I p 11.00 11.55— .03
AExpEV 12.23 12.48— .11

American Funds:
A Bal p 10.96 11.65— .09
Amcp p 11.52 12.22— .16
AMutl p 20.04 21.26— .19
Bond p 12.62 13.25— .01
CapIB p 27.19 28.85— .35
CapW p 15.38 16.15— .04
Expnc p 30.42 32.49— .22
Fdmtl p 16.07 17.05— .13
Govt p x 13.59 14.27— .13
Gwth p 20.94 22.22— .19
Hi Tr p 12.36 12.98 + .04
Inco p 12.22 12.97— .06
IntBd p 13.66 14.34— .01
ICA p 16.15 17.14— .18
NEco p 21.58 22.90— .26
N Per p 11.54 12.24— .10
SmCpW p 15.70 16.66— .11
TxEx p 11.22 11.78— .04
TECA p 14.50 15.22— .05
TEMd p 14.36 15.08— .05
TEVA p 14.71 15.44— .04
Wsh p 14.82 15.72— .18
A GMFd 7.91 8.64— .06
A Hertg .91 NL + .02
A Invst 6.75 7.38 + .03
A Inv In 4.93 5.19— .01

Amer Natl Funds:
Grth 4.36 4.77— .05
Incp 20.53 22.44— .10
Trffkn 14.95 16.16— .13

Am Perform:
Bond 10.57 11.01— .03
Equity 11.20 11.67— .13
IntBd 10.42 10.85— .02
A Allnc 8.40 8.57— .01
APl Tr 11.81 NL— .13
Amway 7.86 8.10— .09
Analyt 12.53 NL— .05
Amstrg 6.70 NL— .06

Aquila Funds:
AZ TF 9.96 10.38— .01
CO TF 9.91 10.32— .02
HI TF 10.96 11.42— .03
KY TF 10.10 10.52
OR TF 10.04 10.46— .02
AscPlus 18.37 19.29— .19
AssurCA 10.29 NL— .02
IB&K 10.55 NL— .07
BakerGv 15.21 NL

Babson Group:
Bond 1.56 NL
Bstrep 12.32 NL— .01
Gwth 10.92 NL— .10
Shelter 8.26 NL— .02
ShortGv t 12.08 12.08— .18
Stock 23.36 23.36— .15
Euro t 9.45 9.45— .06
GBd t 9.98 9.98— .01
GPlus t 9.28 9.28— .03
HiYld 4.60 4.87— .01
Inlmd t 9.30 9.30— .01
NYTF t 11.18 11.18— .04
Utils t 10.70 10.70— .06
Optin t 9.05 9.05— .05
PacGr t 11.18 11.18 + .05
ProIn t 8.34 8.34— .01
SmalT p 11.43 11.43— .05
AdTx p 7.55 7.55— .03
Mngd t 10.31 10.31— .11
Strat t 12.07 12.07— .13
TaxEx 11.27 11.74— .04
USGvt t 9.40 9.40— .01

Benham Capital:
CatfL 10.90 NL— .03
CatfIn 9.43 NL— .04
CatfH 8.68 NL— .03
CalTFI 10.48 NL— .03
GNMA 10.28 NL— .02
GvtAdm 8.21 NL— .02
NITFI 10.36 NL— .05
NITFL 11.06 NL— .05
Tg1995 72.44 NL— .11
Tg2000 48.61 NL— .22
Tg2005 32.25 NL— .18
Tg2010 23.02 NL— .21
Tg2015 17.08 NL— .20
Tg2020 12.21 NL— .09
TNote 10.30 NL— .02

Berger Group:
100 8.11 8.11— .11
101 7.13 7.13— .07

Bernstein Fds:
GvSh 12.75 NL— .01
ShtDur 12.59 NL
IntDur 12.81 NL— .02
Co Mu 12.92 NL— .02
DivMu 12.97 NL— .03
NYMu 12.99 NL— .03
BlanPr p 5.44 5.44— .01
BlnSGr p 9.74 9.74— .05

Boston Co:
CaAp p 25.76 NL— .18
Intl 12.35 NL— .10
IntGv p 12.12 NL— .02
MgdI p 10.69 NL— .01
SpGth p 15.57 NL— .26
Bmdyw 18.12 NL— .12
Bruce 86.61 NL—3.62

Bull & Bear Gp:
CaGr p 6.96 NL— .07
Eqinc p 11.71 NL— .11
FNCI p 15.68 NL— .22
Gold p 11.67 NL— .08
HiYld p 7.91 NL— .01
SpEq p unavail
USGv p 14.06 NL— .03
Burnham 20.38 21.45— .06

CGM Funds:
CapDv 22.64 NL— .20
Mutl 23.92 NL— .13
CJL Trst 10.28 10.76— .03
Calmos f 11.18 NL— .10
CalMun p 8.71 8.71— .03
CalTrst 11.64 NL— .08
CalUS 9.80 NL— .02

Calvert Group:
Ariel 25.64 26.92— .21
ArielA 16.72 17.55— .16
CapIII p 20.31 21.32— .23
GvInd 14.89 15.19
Inco 16.10 16.90— .01
Social p 26.98 28.33— .12
SocBd 16.10 16.90— .03
SocEq 17.99 18.89— .13
TxF Lt 10.60 10.82
TxF Lg 15.60 16.38— .06
US Gov 14.85 15.59— .01
WshA p 11.07 11.62— .06

Capstone Group:
CshFnr 9.68 10.16— .07
Fd SW 14.30 14.91— .14
GvtInc 4.57 4.57
MedRs 15.94 16.73— .18
PBHG 10.30 10.81— .11
Ray El 6.72 7.06— .07
Trend 13.42 14.09— .17
CapRCm 11.36 12.17— .06

Carnegy Cappielo:
EmGr p 9.20 9.63— .06
Grow p 16.77 17.56— .20
TRets p 10.64 11.14— .10

Carnegie Funds:
Govt p 9.56 9.80— .02
TECMn p 9.22 9.65— .04
TENHI 9.68 10.14— .02
Cardnl 11.18 12.22— .13
CrdnlGv 8.90 9.32— .01
Cst Sts 18.88 NL— .14
ChartBIC 10.32 10.32— .17
Chastnt 103.60 NL—1.24

CIGNA Funds:
Agrsv p 13.97 14.71— .21
GvSc p 10.06 10.59— .01
Gwth p 14.00 14.74— .18
HiYld p 7.35 7.74 + .02
Incp p 7.57 7.97— .02
MEUMB p 7.79 8.20— .04
Util p 12.92 13.60— .07
Value p 15.61 16.43— .18

Citibank IRA-CIT:
Balan f 2.44 NL
Equit f 2.65 NL
Incom f 2.15 NL
ShtTr f 1.77 NL
Clipper 43.26 43.26— .49

Colonial Funds:
AGold p 15.49 16.44— .05
CalTE 7.01 7.36— .02
CpCsh p 41.93 42.79 + .04
Dvsdin 6.35 6.74
Fund p 19.41 20.59— .19
GvSec p 10.82 11.60— .03
Gwth p 12.26 13.01— .06
HiYld p 4.81 5.05 + .02
Incom p 6.11 6.49
IntEq p 17.13 18.18— .15
MATx 7.18 7.54— .02
MI TE 6.56 6.89— .03
MN TE 6.96 7.31— .01
NY TE 6.63 6.96— .02
OhTE 6.91 7.25— .03
SmlKN P ⅛ ⅛ .⅛— .11
TXIns p 7.77 8.16— .03
TxEx p 12.99 13.64— .04
US Gv p 7.05 7.40— .01
US Id p 17.87 18.96— .20

Colonial VIP:
DvStat t 10.93 10.93— .04
FdSec t 9.95 9.95— .02
Gwth t 11.10 11.10— .06
Hilnc t 7.82 7.82 + .03
HYMu t 9.64 9.64— .05
IntMid t 10.08 10.08— .04

Columbia Funds:
Fixed 12.90 NL— .02
Grth 24.81 NL— .29
Muni 11.93 NL— .02
Spcl 41.51 NL— .45

Common Sense:
Govt 11.19 12.00— .03
Grwth 13.65 14.92— .17
Grinc 13.39 14.63— .16
Muncp 12.56 13.19— .04
CvMkt 2.01 2.17— .01

Compass Capital:
Eqinc 11.23 11.79— .08
Fixdin 10.34 10.72— .02
Grwth 11.51 12.05— .10
Shint 10.36 10.74— .01

Composite Group:
BdStk p 10.77 11.22— .03
Gwth p 11.33 11.80— .02
InFd p 8.42 8.77
NWS0 p 23.84 24.96— .39
TxEx p 7.27 7.57— .02
USGv p 10.22 10.65— .02

Conn Mutual:
Govt 10.84 11.32— .01
Grwth 12.92 13.78— .09
TotRet 12.76 13.61— .06
Capley 14.38 NL— .06

Counsellors Fd:
CapAp 11.36 NL— .10
EQKTH ⅛ ⅛ .⅛ ⅛ NL— .12
Fixinc 9.28 NL
IntlEqu 12.60 NL— .10
IntGvt 10.51 NL— .02
NYMu 9.76 NL— .04
CityCo 16.72 17.36— .15
Convan p 10.64 11.18— .08
CounOp p 13.30 13.98— .19
CnbldG 10.55 10.55— .08

DR Funds:
Bal 9.38 NL— .04
Equity 10.42 NL— .07
EurSq 7.75 NL— .10

Dean Witter:
AstVl t 16.28 16.28— .14
CalTF t 12.14 12.14— .04
CapGr t 11.62 11.62— .11
Convt t 8.32 8.32— .02
DivGr t 12.08 12.08— .18
DivGr t 23.36 23.36— .15
Euro t 9.45 9.45— .06
GBd t 9.98 9.98— .01
GPlus t 9.28 9.28— .03
HYld 4.60 4.87— .01
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NYTF t 11.18 11.18— .04
Utils t 10.70 10.70— .06
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PacGr t 11.18 11.18 + .05
PrcM t 8.34 8.34— .01
SmalT p 11.43 11.43— .05
AdTx p 7.55 7.55— .03
Strat t 12.07 12.07— .13
TaxEx 11.27 11.74— .04
USGvt t 9.40 9.40— .01
Util f 11.83 11.83— .06
ValAd t 14.22 14.22— .15
WWin 10.18 10.18— .02
WldW t 14.88 14.88— .20

Delaware Group:
Decinl 15.80 17.27— .14
Decmtl p 12.63 13.36— .12
Delcrw 17.75 19.03— .04
Delcp p 18.87 19.81— .14
Delchl 5.41 5.80 + .01
Dlchtl p 5.41 5.68 + .01
Gvt II p 8.74 9.18— .02
Invr II p 9.83 NL— .01
TxFPn 7.86 8.25— .03
TF USI 10.83 11.37— .03
TxFU 11.45 12.02— .05
Trend 8.06 8.46— .06
Value 12.45 13.07— .08
Destinyl 14.76 NL— .20
Destfl 22.48 NL— .31

Dimensional Fds:
US Sml 5.44 NL— .03
Japan 28.09 NL— .10
UKing 19.86 NL + .03
Canad 16.04 NL— .07
Pacif 101.99 NL + .02
Govt 105.38 NL— .12
IntGv 105.55 NL— .19
DG Div 25.26 NL— .32

Dodge&Cox:
Balan 37.94 NL— .30
Inco 10.89 NL— .02
Stock 43.37 NL— .53

Dreyfus:
A Bond 13.71 NL— .01
CalTx 14.57 NL— .11
CapVl p 12.48 13.07 + .02
CvSec 7.56 NL— .02
Dreyf 11.83 NL— .14
GNMA p 14.79 NL— .02
GthOp p 10.05 NL— .08
Indxtr 15.48 NL— .18
InsMu p 17.81 NL— .11
Intern 13.59 NL— .05
Levgn 16.83 17.62— .23
Mas TICX ⅛ ⅜ .⅛ ⅜ NL— .09
NJ Mun 12.57 NL— .07
NwLd p 26.78 NL— .19
NY Tax 14.86 NL— .08
NYTE p 16.66 NL— .09
NYIn p 10.81 NL— .08
Peoplin 11.92 NL— .03
ShtInT p 12.67 NL— .02
ShtGv 11.35 NL— .01
StrAg p 30.16 31.09— .22
Strinc p 12.97 13.58— .02
Strsv p 17.70 18.53— .13
StrW p 26.62 27.44— .21
Tax Ex 12.47 NL— .05
Third C 7.17 NL— .03
USG Bd 13.44 NL— .05
USG In 12.56 NL— .02

Dreyfus General:
GnAg p 24.18 NL— .25
GnCA 12.71 NL— .07
GnMdBd 14.05 NL— .06
GNYIN p 18.47 NL— .09

Dreyfus Premier:
CAMu p 12.27 12.85— .07
CTMu p 11.25 11.78— .06
FLMu p 13.89 14.54— .05
Gnma p 14.54 15.23— .01
MDMu p 12.14 12.71— .06
MiMu p 14.27 14.94— .09
MAMu p 11.02 11.54— .06
MNMu p 14.26 14.93— .06
NYMu p 13.00 13.61— .08
OHMu p 11.93 12.49— .06
PAMu p 13.14 13.85— .07
MuBd p 13.15 13.77— .06
DupKynf 6.93 NL

Eaton Vance:
EV Stk 13.66 14.34— .14
GvtOb p 11.43 12.00— .02
Gwth p 7.61 7.99— .11
InBos p 6.30 6.61 + .02
Invst fp 7.18 7.54— .05
MunBd 9.29 9.75— .06
Nat'ls 14.03 14.73— .08
STGBd t 9.94 9.94— .01
SpEqt p 23.97 25.17— .35
TotRt p 9.25 9.71— .07
VS Spc p 11.22 11.78— .10

Eaton V Marathn:
CalMn t 9.91 9.91— .03
Eqinc t 10.85 10.85— .09
FltInF t 10.45 10.45— .07
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HiMun t 9.25 9.25— .05
NYTxF 10.32 10.32— .07
BdSpEq 10.33 NL— .04

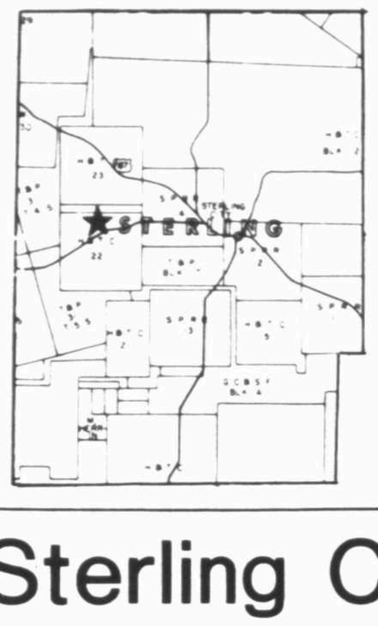
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EmEq 10.39 10.80— .05
IntGv x 10.46 10.90— .06
OH Reg 9.02 9.40— .08
RelEq 11.17 11.64— .09
SI Fnd x 10.16 10.58— .06
EmpBld 17.07 17.83— .09

Enterprise Group:
CapAp p 19.64 20.62— .12
GvSec p 12.12 12.72— .02
Grinc p 14.90 15.64— .10
Gwth p 7.14 7.50— .08
HYBd p 8.79 9.23
IntlGr p 13.37 14.04— .10
PreeM p 10.21 10.72— .11

Equitable Funds:
GovSc8 t 10.03 10.03— .02
Bal8 t 13.60 13.60— .12
GwthB t 15.04 15.04— .36
STWIF p 10.06 10.37
TxExB t 10.19 10.19— .09

Equitec Siebel:
AgGth t 13.50 13.50— .04
HiYld t 6.51 6.51 + .01
TotRt t 18.48 18.48— .18
USGv t 8.97 8.97— .01
EqStrat 26.80 NL— .45

Evergreen Funds:
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★ Sterling discovery

TriSearch Incorporated has completed a flowing wildcat well.

Sterling County yields big strike

Staff Report

TriSearch Inc. has drilled a 8,525 ft. prospect in Sterling County 10 miles southwest of Sterling City.

The No. 1 T.F. Foster is located at 1980 ft. from east and 660 ft. from south lines of section 6, block 13, SPRR survey.

The flowing well was completed on December 3, 1990 and potentialed five days later producing 360 barrels of oil per day, 257 Mcf per day with a gas/oil ration of 715:1.

A 32/64 inch choke was used with the flowing tubing pressure at 100 psi and the oil gravity at 30. A 5 1/2 inch choke was used at 8524 ft. with perforations at 5178 to 5308. The well was acidized with 7,000 gallons of 15 percent HCL. Reported formation tops were Leonard at 5177 and Fusselman at 8475 with top of pay at 5177.

COMPLETIONS

TRC DISTRICT 8

ECTOR COUNTY

Johnson

Oxy USA Inc. No. 806 Johnson GBSA Unit; 4290 fnl, 5610 fel, sec 34, blk 43, T1S, T&P RR, 10 nw Odessa, Elev. 3016 GR, TD 4550, PB 4498, Completed 1/26/91, Potentialed 2/11/91 pumping 6 bopd, 8 Mcfd, 72 bwpd, GOR: 1333:1, Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4541, Perforations 4111 to 4167, Acid: 5,500 gals 15 percent HCL, Frac: 17,000 gals gel and 77,480 lbs 12/20 sand, Formation tops: Grayburg 4036, San Andres 4410, Top of pay 4111.

GLASSCOCK COUNTY

Spraberry (Trend Area)

Arco Oil & Gas Co. No. 2 O.J. Hubbard; 719 fsl, 1320 fwl, sec 4, blk 36, T4S, T&P RR, 20 sw Garden City, Elev. 2708 GR, TD 9321, PB 9274, Completed 1/14/91, Potentialed 2/7/91 pumping 71 bopd, 110 Mcfd, 110 bwpd, GOR: 1549:1, Casing 5 inches at 9321, Perforations 6696 to 9220, Acid: 6,000 gals, Frac: 320,000 gals gel and 800,000 lbs sand, Formation tops: Upper Spraberry 6692, Lower Spraberry 7688, Dean 8222, Wolfcamp 8410, Top of pay 6696.

HOWARD COUNTY

Howard Glasscock

Southland Royalty Co. No. 37 Kloh; 709 fnl, 670 fwl, sec 13,blk 38, T2S, T&P RR, 5 sw Forsan, Elev. 2639 GR, TD 2575, PB 2526, Completed 11/2/90, Potentialed 11/8/90 pumping 18 bopd, 71 bwpd, Casing 5 1/2 inches at 2575, Perforations 2160 to 2396, Acid: 6,900 gals 15 percent HCL, Formation tops: Yates 1670, San Andres 2138, Seven Rivers 1851, Top of pay 2142.

Southland Royalty Co. No. 38 Kloh; 690 fnl, 300 fel, sec 13, blk 33, T2S, T&P RR, 5 sw Forsan, Elev. 2720 GR, TD 2575, PB 2512, Completed 11/6/90, Potentialed 11/9/90 pumping 48 bopd, 327 bwpd, Casing 5 1/2 inches at 2575, Perforations 2148 to 2342, Acid: 4,300 gals 15 percent HCL, Formation tops: Yates 1661, San Andres 2127, Seven Rivers 1840, Top of pay 2147.

Southland Royalty Co. No. 39 Kloh; 1229 fnl, 1340 fwl, sec 13, blk 33, T2S, T&P RR, 5 sw Forsan, Elev. 2691 GR, TD 2574, PB 2526, Completed 12/20/90, Potentialed 12/31/90 pumping 24 bopd, 904 bwpd, Casing 5 1/2 inches at 2574, Perforations 2094 to 2452, Acid: 9,900 gals 20 percent HCL and 3,300 gals 15 percent HCL, Formation tops: Yates 1673, San Andres 2080, Seven Rivers 1842, Top of pay 2084.

MARTIN COUNTY

Spraberry (Trend Area)

Adobe Resources Corp. No. 2 Clara Shoemaker; 660 fnl, 660 fwl, sec 40, blk 37, T1N, T&P RR, 9 nw Stanton, Elev. 2737 GR, TD 9250, PB 9125, Completed 2/4/91, Potentialed 2/8/91 pumping 87 bopd, 156 Mcfd, 40 bwpd, GOR: 1793:1, Casing 5 1/2 inches at 9250, Perforations 9014 to 9080, Acid: 1,000 gals 15 percent HCL, Frac: 60,000 gals gel and 96,000 lsb 20/40 sand, Formation tops: Yates 2537, San Andres 4120, Upper Spraberry 7450, Lower Spraberry 8095, Dean 8760, Wolfcamp 8975, Top of pay 7450.

MIDLAND COUNTY

Spraberry (Trend Area)

Henry Petroleum Corp. No. 1 Shackelford; 660 fsl, 660 fel, sec 44, blk 38, T4S, T&P RR, 24 s Midland, Elev. 2767 GR, TD 8425, PB 8393, Completed 12/10/90, Potentialed 2/10/91 pumping 35 bopd, 57 Mcfd, 150 bwpd, GOR: 1629:1, Casing 4 1/2 inches at 8425, Perforations 7376 to 8299, Acid: 3,000 gals 15 percent HCL, Frac: 142,000 gals gel and 301,000 lbs sand, Formation tops: Upper Spraberry 7373, Middle Spraberry 7712, Lower Spraberry 7955, Top of pay 7376.

STERLING COUNTY

Conger (Penn)

American Cometra Inc. No. 15 Glass; 3290 fsl, 700 fel, sec 29, blk 22, H&TC R, 12 sw Sterling City, Elev. 2671 GR, TD 8213, PB 8168, Completed 1/24/91, Potentialed 1/26/91 flowing 35 bopd, 442 Mcfd, 9 bwpd, GOR: 12,693:1, FTP 215 ps, API 49.3, Casing 5 1/2 inches at 8213, Perforations 7534 to 8068, Formation tops: Top Canyon 7920, Top Cisco 7476, Base of Wolfcamp 7450, Top of pay 7532.

American Cometra Inc. No. 19 Glass; 3330 fsl, 660 fwl, sec 29, blk 22, H&TC R, 12.30 sw Sterling City, Elev. 2560 GR, TD 8390, PB 8259, Completed 1/28/91, Potentialed 1/28/91 flowing 24 bopd, 238 Mcfd, 3 bwpd, GOR: 9722:1, 24/64 inch choke, FTP 175 psi, API 52, Casing 5 1/2 inches at 8300, Perforations 7454 to 7862, Formation tops: Top Canyon 7850, Top Cisco 7420, Base of Wolfcamp 7360, Top of pay 7450.

Wagner & Brown No. 1134 Allein A; 760 fel, 1980 fsl, sec 34, blk 32, T5S, T&P RR, 18 sw Sterling City, Elev. 2635 GL, TD 8450, PB 8380, Completed 12/31/90, Potentialed 2/7/91 pumping 24 bopd, 237 Mcfd, 7 bwpd, GOR: 9875:1, Casing 4 1/2 inches at 8450, Perforations 7936 to 8294, Formation tops: Yates 1392, Seven Rivers 1503, Queen 1899, Cisco 7885, Canyon 8135, Top of pay 7936.

TRC DISTRICT 7C

CONCHO COUNTY

Agaritta (King Sand Oil)

Wiser Oil Co. No. 3 Jacoby "B"; 350 fnl, 1000 fel, sec 71, BS&F survey, 5 w Eden, TD 2130, flowing 83 bopd, GOR: 233:1, 12/64 inch choke, Casing 5 1/2 inches at 2130, Perforations 2073 to 2092.

Wiser Oil Co. No. 8 Jacoby "A"; 330 fsl, 1685 fel, sec 71, BS&F survey, 5 w Eden, TD 2145, pumping 41 bopd, GOR: 439:1, Casing 5 1/2 inches at 2145, Perforations 2074 to 2112.

REAGAN COUNTY

Strawn

Exxon Corp. No. 2 Mary Katharine Trigg; 770 fsl, 660 fel, sec 23, blk F, C&M survey, 17 nw Big Lake, TD 10,570, PB 10,170, flowing 4,080,140 Mcfd, API 58.1, GOR: 23,726:1, Elev. 2532, Perforations 9408 to 9425, Acid: 1,500 gals, Formation tops: Dean 7115, Wolfcamp 7296, Strawn 9378, Devonian 9780, Fusselman 10,273, Recompleted.

NEW MEXICO

LEA COUNTY

Pearl

Manzano Oil Corp. Sun Pearl Fed. No. 4; 2310 fnl, 660 fel, sec 28, T19S, R34E, Elev. 3711.8 GL, TD 5190, PB 5066, Completed 12/7/90, Potentialed 12/18/90 pumping 50 bopd, 30 bwpd, 22 Mcfd, Casing 5 1/2 inches at 5190, Perforations 4785 to 4789, Top of pay 4785.

West Lusk

Yates Drilling Co. & Myco Industries Inc. Fed. "30" No. 1; 1650 fsl, 660 fwl, sec 30, T19S, R32E, Elev. 3526 GL, TD 73-0, PB 7189, Completed 12/22/90, Potentialed 1/23/91 pumping 117 bopd, 145 bwpd, 104 Mcfd, GOR: 889:1, Casing 5 1/2 inches at 7292, Perforations 6805 to 7118, Acid: 4,000 gals, Frac: 108,000 gals gel and 190,000 lbs 20/40 sand, Formation tops: Anhydrite 816, Salt 980, Base Salt 2362, Yates 2528, Dela 4420, Bone Spring 7164, Top of pay 6805.

CHAVEZ COUNTY

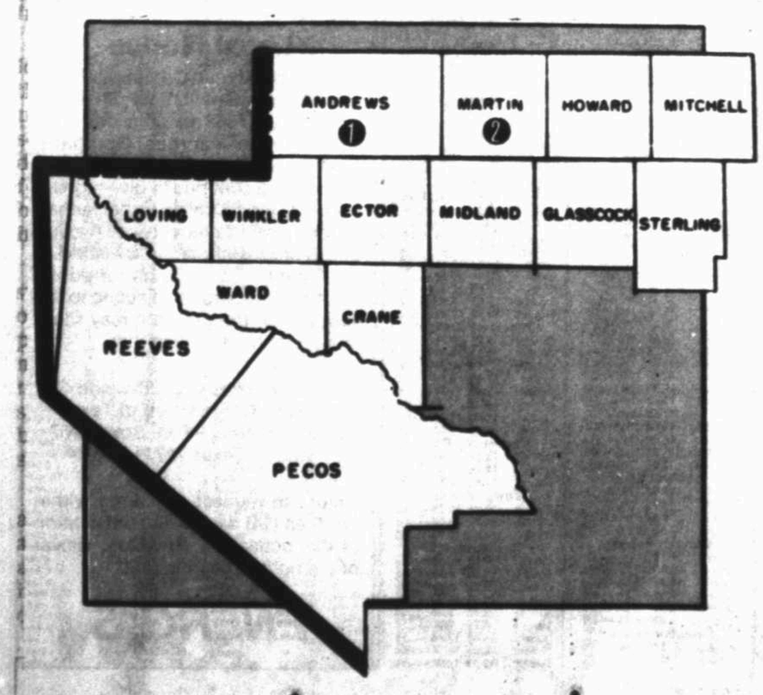
Diablo

Yates Petroleum Corp. Pathfinder "AFT" State No. 11; 1650 fsl, 1980 fel, sec 21, T10S, R27E, Elev. 3835 GL, TD 6430, PB 6425, Completed 1/7/91, Potentialed 1/7/91 flowing 228 bopd, 2 bwpd, GOR: 2232:1, 12/64 inch choke, FTP 1100 psi, API 41, Casing 2 7/8 inches at 6318, Perforations 6387 to 6397, Formation tops: San Andres 1381, Glorieta 2558, Yeso 2638, Abo 4840, Wolfcamp 5578, Penn 6173, Miss 6194, Top of pay 6387.

EDDY COUNTY

East Loving

Bird Creek Resources Inc. Markham No. 1; 330 fnl, 2250 fwl, sec 22, T23S, R28E, Elev. 3015.5 GL, TD 6349, PB 6312, Completed 1/5/91, Potentialed 1/8/91 flowing 144 bopd, 132 bwpd, 161 Mcfd, 17/64 inch choke, FTP 425 psi, GOR: 917:1, API 42, Casing 5 1/2 inches at 6341, Perforations 6105 to 6206, Frac: 22,400 gals gel and 61,000 lbs sand, Formation tops: Salt 340, Base Salt 2593, Bone Spring 6232, Top of pay 6105.



PRICES: Excise taxes pushes prices up

(From 7C)

But "We shouldn't be alarmed," advised economist Robert G. Dederick of the Northern Trust Co. in Chicago. "It's not a forerunner of a succession of bad readings."

Marilyn Schaja, an economist with Donaldson, Lufkin & Jenrette, a New York securities dealer, concurred. "The acceleration was a one-month phenomenon," she said.

Much of the gain, as the Labor Department itself noted, was attributable to the tax increases on liquor and tobacco products and to reduced fruit and vegetable supplies because of the California crop freeze.

Subsequent CPI reports will continue to reflect the effects of the recession — which tend to keep prices low because consumers have less money to spend, economists say.

For instance, the Labor Department also reported Wednesday that Americans' real earnings dropped a seasonally adjusted 1.9 percent in January. Average weekly earnings, before adjusting for inflation, were $345.09, up 2.5 percent from a year ago.

At the same time, the Commerce Department said housing starts fell 12.8 percent in January to a seasonally adjusted annual rate of just 850,000 units, a level even lower than the average seen during the severe 1981-82 recession.

RATES: Need seen to break economic fall

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day, "I continue to feel that there is ample room to lower interest rates."

Both Brady and Michael Boskin, chairman of the president's Council of Economic Advisers, told the House Appropriations Committee that the administration was sticking to its forecast that the economy will be rebounding by midyear.

his appearance before the Senate Banking Committee, Greenspan said he too held to the view that the recession will be "shorter and shallower" than the average for the previous eight downturns since World War II.

But in a note of caution, he said, "It would be most unwise to rule out the possibility that the recession may become more serious than already is apparent."

The Fed's new economic forecast was in line with the administration's current projections. The Fed said it expected modest economic growth for all of 1991 to be between 0.75 percent and 1.5 percent with inflation declining to between 3.25 percent and 4 percent, far below the 6.1 percent increase in 1990. The unemployment rate, which is currently at 6.2 percent, will rise to between 6.5 percent and 7 percent by the end of this year, the Fed forecast.

"The current outlook is unusually clouded, in part by uncertainties about the war and its effects," Greenspan said.

PARKER: Common shares

(From 7C)

and through acquisitions where a significant subsequent enhancement of production can be achieved by recompletions, secondary recovery techniques and additional drilling."

He added that "this strategy has been and will continue to be particularly effective in this continuing period of relatively low costs for the oil and gas industry. The anticipated primary focus of the company's budget for exploration and property enhancement activities in 1991 will be directed toward existing opportunities in the Permian Basin, South Texas and New Mexico's San Juan Basin."

The company has issued 21,187,546 shares of common stock in exchange for virtually all assets, liabilities and operations of PDP, Parker & Parsley Ltd. and eight Damson limited partnerships certain affiliates. It began trading under the symbol "PDP" on the American Stock Exchange Wednesday on a "when issued" basis and will begin trading "regular way" when certificates for over 30 percent of the shares have been delivered to stockholders.

PDP unitholders will receive two shares of common stock for each unit held and will be required to surrender their unit certifictes.

With the completion of the acquistion, Parker & Parsley believes it now ranks among the 15 largest public independent oil and gas exploration and production concerns in the U.S. based on the value of its oil and gas reserves.

DEVELOPMENTS

TRC DISTRICT 8

ANDREWS COUNTY

Parker (Penn)

Union Oil Co. of California No. 3 J.E. Parker "C"; 560 fnl, 560 fel, sec 1, blk A43, PSL, 1 1/2 w Andrews,a TD 12,745, Plugback.

HOWARD COUNTY

Howard Glasscock

Conoco Inc. No. 39 Belle Overton; 2260 fsl, 750 fel, sec 5, blk 32, T2S, T&P RR, 3 1/2 w Forsan, TD 2800.

Conoco Inc. No. 40 Belle Overton; 3050 fsl, 890 fel, sec 5, blk 32, T2S, T&P RR, 3 1/2 w Forsan, TD 2800.

Conoco Inc. No. 41 Belle Overton; 1370 fsl, 840 fwl, sec 5, blk 32, T2S, T&P RR, 3 1/2 w Forsan, TD 2800.

MARTIN COUNTY

Spraberry (Trend Area)

Parker & Parsley, Ltd. No. 1 Black; 1980 fwl, 660 fsl, sec 18, blk 36, T1N, T&P RR, 7 sw Lenorah, TD 9250.

Parker & Parsley, Ltd. No. 1 Glendening "A"; 660 fnl, 660 fwl, sec 1, blk 38, T1N, T&P RR, 7 1/2 sw Tarzan, TD 9500.

Parker & Parsley, Ltd. No. 2 Glendening "A"; 660 fnl, 1980 fel, sec 1, blk 38, T1N, T&P RR, 7 1/2 sw Tarzan, TD 9500.

Parker & Parsley, Ltd. No. 1 Orson "P"; 660 fel, 1980 fnl, sec 139, blk A, M. Curtis survey, 6 1/2 w Tarzan, TD 9700.

Parker & Parsley, Ltd. No. 1 Orson "Q"; 330 fnl, 1320 fel, sec 139, blk A, M. Curtis survey, 6 1/2 w Tarzan, TD 9700.

Parker & Parsley, Ltd. no. 1 Welch "F"; 1980 fel, 1980 fsl, sec 137, blk A, M. Curtis survey, 5 nw Tarzan, TD 9600.

MIDLAND COUNTY

Spraberry (Trend Area)

Parker & Parsley, Ltd. No. 1 Crespi "S"; 330 fel, 430 fsl, sec 40, blk 38, T2S, H.M. Horton survey, 7 se Midland, TD 9200.

Plains Petroleum Operating Co. No. 2 Midkiff "48"; 747 fwl, 1677 fnl, sec 48, blk 39, T4S, T&P RR, 29 se Midland, TD 8600.

WARD COUNTY

R.O.C. (Atoka)

BTA Oil Producers No. 805 708 B JV-S Pyote; 1320 fsl, 1320 fel, sec 80, blk F, G&M&MB&A, 1 1/2 e Pyote, TD 14,050.

TRC DISTRICT 7C

CONCHO COUNTY

Bloomin Cactus

Fortuna Exploration Inc. No. 1 Denis; 2510 fnl, 330 fel, sec 39, blk 8, H&TC RR, 8 w Eden, TD 2300, Reenter.

RUNNELS COUNTY

P.W.C. (Serratt)

Ice Brothers Inc. No. 1 A.N. Hoffman "B"; 2843 fnl, 330 fwl, R.S. Hamilton survey No. 3, 9 e Ballinger, TD 3955.

Ice Brothers Inc. No. 3 A.N. Hoffman "B"; 999.5 fnl, 3330 fwl, R.S. Hamilton survey No. 3, 9 e Ballinger, TD 2210.

Ice Brothers Inc. No. 6 A.N. Hoffman "B"; 2757 fsl, 1266 fwl, R.S. Hamilton survey No. 3, 9 e Ballinger, TD 2225.

WILDCATS

TRC DISTRICT 8

1. ANDREWS COUNTY SITE FOR SEVEN PROSPECTS. Exxon Corp. will drill a 9,000 ft. prospect 15 1/2 miles southwest of Andrews. The No. 124 J.E. Parker is located at 1800 ft. from north and 600 ft. from east lines of section 23, block A41, PSL survey.

Phillips Petroleum Co. will drill six prospects 18 miles northwest of Andrews. All wells are located in section 7, block A32, PSL survey at a depth of 10,500.

The No. 1 Bitler Deep is located at 2250 ft. from north and 2173 ft. from east.

The No. 2 Bitler Deep is located at 2173 ft. from east and 830 ft. from west.

The No. 3 Bitler Deep is located at 973 ft. from east and 2300 ft. from north.

The No. 4 Bitler Deep is located at 973 ft. from east and 1680 ft. from south.

The No. 6 Bitler Deep is located at 2173 ft. from east and 470 ft. from south.

The No. 8 Bitler Deep is located at 973 ft. from east and 470 ft. from south.

2. MARTIN COUNTY SITE FOR WILDCAT LOCATION. Midland Oil & Gas Inc. have drilled a 11,639 ft. wildcat one miles south of Lenorah. The No. 1 B.G. Mims is located at 660 ft. from south and west lines of section 47, block 36, T2N, T&P RR survey. The well is flowing 78 barrels of oil per day and 100 Mcf per day with a gas/oil ration of 1280:1. A 11/64 inch choke is being used with the flowing tubing pressure at 500 psi. Oil gravity is reported at 41. A 5 1/2 inch casing was set at the total depth and perforations were from 10,386 to 10,423. The well was fractured with 3,600 gallons of 15 percent HCL and the top of pay was 10,386 feet.

INVESTORS' GUIDE

Use 'basis' figure on mutual funds for taxes

By Bill Doyle

Q. In 1958, my uncle was selling mutual fund shares and I gave him $500 to invest in my name. The dividends and capital gains were left to accumulate. In 1990, I redeemed all 407 mutual fund shares on three different dates and received a total of $3,200.

How do I figure my "basis" — cost for tax purposes — so I can report this on Schedule D of my Form 1040, federal income tax return? Is there a simple way, or do I have to go back over 33 years of statements from the mutual fund and report each transaction?



Doyle

A. You're required to report the three redemption transactions as individual sales on Schedule D. And you do have to come up with your basis from those statements. Your total basis was the $500 you originally invested plus the amount of all those dividends and capital gains distributions you reinvested to buy additional shares.

Things would be less complicated if you had redeemed all your shares in one transaction. Then, the difference between your total basis and the money you received from the redemption would be one capital gain or capital loss to report on Schedule D.

Because you got out of the mutual fund in three redemptions, it will be necessary to go through those old statements more carefully.

With each redemption, you cashed in a certain number of whole and fractional shares. You'll have to pick out of the statements the shares you redeemed and the basis of those shares. The confirmation statement you received after each redemption lists the number of shares you cashed in.

There are three ways to determine the basis on multiple redemptions: identified share, first-in/first-out and average cost. The latter is by far the easiest. It goes as follows.

Divide your total basis by the number of shares owned before redeeming any shares. That tells you the average basis per share. Multiply that average basis per share by the number redeemed in a specific transaction to get the basis on those shares.

Do that calculation three times and you can report your three redemptions properly.

Q. I was told by my accountant recently that a certain mutual fund management company is not backed by the government. I have a $100,000 money market mutual fund with that organization. Being a widow and not yet able to collect Social Security benefits, I depend on this account to help pay my bills.

How safe is my money with this fund?

A. Your accountant is correct. Mutual funds are not backed or insured by any government — federal state or local.

Nonetheless, your money is virtually risk-free. Money market mutual funds use the money you and other investors pay in to buy short-term debt securities and use accounting techniques that keep the value of fund shares constant — at $1, in most cases.

There has been only one case in which money market mutual fund shareholders lost money. Back in 1978, investors in First Mutual Fund for Daily Income lost six cents on the dollar. But money market mutual fund rules have long since been tightened by the Securities and Exchange Commission. It is most unlikely anything such as that will ever happen again.

Don't confuse this with other types of mutual funds, which hold stocks and bonds as investments. The market values of shares in those funds can — and do — rise and/or fall.

Q. You wrote, "No mutual fund can insure principal." That's true for mutual funds holding stocks. However, some bond mutual funds do insure principal. Right?

A. Not the principal of mutual fund shareholders' investments. Some mutual funds holding municipal bonds as investments do have insurance, written by private companies, on those bonds. That insurance provides that the bonds will continue to pay interest and be paid off at face value when they mature, even if the bonds' issuers default.

But that doesn't prevent the value of the funds' shares from falling as the market values of the bonds drop, as often happens.

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More than half of U.S. now in metro areas

NATION

WASHINGTON (AP) — For the first time, more Americans live in huge urban areas than in small cities and rural localities, according to Census Bureau figures released Wednesday.

And while those urban centers grew rapidly in the 1980s, more people preferred the suburbs to the core cities.

"It's not flight" from the cities, said William Frey, a research scientist at the University of Michigan Population Studies Center. "It's a natural evolutionary process."

Among the biggest gainers in the period was Austin, Texas, which got most of its 46 percent growth, to almost 466,000, in the first half of the '80s, when oil and high-tech industries were booming.

Dallas grew by 32.6 percent in the period to 3.9 million, and Houston, hit hard by the oil boom and bust of the 1980s, still showed growth of 19.7 percent to 3.7 million. San Antonio grew by 21.5 percent to 1.3 million.

America's migration to the metropolis has gathered speed over a century. Still, in 1950, fewer than 30 percent of Americans lived in urban areas of 1 million or more.

By 1980, that figure had grown to 45.9 percent. And in 1990, the census found 124.8 million people living in metro areas. That's 50.2 percent of the total population of 248.7 million people. The bureau will report later in the year regarding the breakdown of the rest of the populace — those in smaller cities and on farms.

The big urban areas expanded in part because service industries — businesses that don't manufacture anything — played a bigger role in the economy, said Tom Kingsley of the Urban Institute.

Service industries "have always been more concentrated in larger cities, so when the structure of the economy expands, it's not surprising the larger cities would grow more," he said.

But more businesses are locating in the suburbs rather than downtown, and the core city has become just another shopping and office center among many, he said.

New York and its suburbs remained the largest urban concentration, with 18.1 million people, a growth of 3.1 percent from 1980.

Greater Los Angeles ranked second at 14.5 million, up from 11.5 million in 1980.

The Chicago area was third at 8.1 million, a slim increase from 7.9 million in 1980.

San Francisco, Oakland, San Jose and their suburbs grew by 16.5 percent to 6.3 million and took fourth place from Philadelphia.

And the metropolitan area created by Philadelphia, Wilmington, Del., Trenton, N.J. and their suburbs grew a scant 3.9 percent, to 5.9 million.

Here are some other facts about America's metro areas:

■ Charlotte, N.C.; Salt Lake City; Orlando, Fla.; and Rochester, N.Y.; were new additions to the list of metro areas topping 1 million in population. That brings the number of million-plus regions to 39, up from only 14 in 1950.

■ Two large metro areas exploded by more than 40 percent in the 1980s. In Florida, greater Orlando's population grew by 53.3 percent, largely due to tourism jobs spawned by nearby Walt Disney World. In Arizona, the population of greater Phoenix grew by 40.6 percent, in part because of climate and family ties that draw emigrants from Mexico.

■ Five large metro areas lost population: Pittsburgh, down 7.4 percent; Buffalo, N.Y., down 4.3 percent; Cleveland, down 2.6 percent; Detroit, down 1.8 percent; and New Orleans, down 1.4 percent. The causes were mainly economic: the collapse of the steel industry in Pittsburgh, an erosion of auto-industry jobs in Detroit, a draining away of manufacturing jobs in Cleveland and the oil bust in New Orleans.

Metropolitan areas

WASHINGTON — Here is a list of the 39 U.S. metropolitan areas with 1 million people or more.

Metro Area	1980 Pop.	1990 Pop.	Pct Chg.
New York	17,539,532	18,087,251	3.1
Los Angeles	11,497,549	14,531,529	26.4
Chicago	7,937,290	8,065,633	1.6
SanFrancisco	5,367,900	6,253,311	16.5
Philadelphia	5,680,509	5,899,345	3.9
Detroit	4,752,764	4,666,236	-1.8
Boston	3,971,792	4,171,643	5.0
Washington	3,250,921	3,923,574	20.7
Dallas	2,930,566	3,885,415	32.6
Houston	3,099,942	3,711,043	19.7
Miami	2,643,766	3,192,582	20.8
Atlanta	2,138,136	2,833,511	32.5
Cleveland	2,834,062	2,759,823	-2.6
Seattle	2,093,286	2,559,164	22.3
San Diego	1,861,846	2,498,016	34.2
Minneapolis	2,137,133	2,464,124	15.3
St. Louis	2,376,968	2,444,099	2.8
Baltimore	2,199,497	2,382,172	8.3
Pittsburgh	2,423,311	2,242,798	-7.4
Phoenix	1,509,175	2,122,101	40.6
Tampa	1,613,600	2,067,959	28.2
Denver	1,618,461	1,848,319	14.2
Cincinnati	1,660,257	1,744,124	5.1
Milwaukee	1,570,152	1,607,183	2.4
Kansas City	1,433,464	1,566,280	9.3
Sacramento	1,099,814	1,481,102	34.7
Portland	1,297,977	1,477,895	13.9
Norfolk	1,160,311	1,396,107	20.3
Columbus	1,243,827	1,377,419	10.7
San Antonio	1,072,125	1,302,099	21.5
Indianapolis	1,166,575	1,249,822	7.1
New Orleans	1,256,668	1,238,816	-1.4
Buffalo	1,242,826	1,189,288	-4.3
Charlotte	971,447	1,162,093	19.6
Providence	1,083,139	1,141,510	5.4
Hartford	1,013,508	1,085,837	7.1
Orlando	699,904	1,072,748	53.3
Salt Lake	910,222	1,072,227	17.8
Rochester	971,230	1,002,410	3.2

Hubble dazzles some, leaves others in dark

By Carlos Byars
Hearst News Service

WASHINGTON — Despite a series of flaws, the Hubble Space Telescope has started producing unique images of deep space, to the delight of some astronomers.

But problems with the $6 billion system have virtually shut out work by other scientists, who fear that discouraging delays will drive away young scientists.

The telescope, bearing four instruments, was launched last summer from a space shuttle into orbit 330 nautical miles above the Earth and is expected to operate 15 years.

Problems were found soon after launch. The mirror, billed as the most perfect ever made, was ground to the wrong prescription. As a result, some star images are blobs instead of points. Mounts for the two energy-producing solar wings are too flexible, causing the instrument to shake from temperature changes. And guidance sensors are not exactly aligned, making the location of targets difficult.

Study of these problems and devising fixes from the ground, by altering computer control programs, has eaten away at time planned for closely scheduled observing programs.

While most scientists speaking at the American Association for the Advancement of Science conference here say they have been able to get some data — and, in some cases, striking results — others have been virtually shut out so far.

Laurence Frederick of the University of Virginia has waited for years to work with the orbiting telescope and said his experience has had a negative effect on student scientists.

"It is very difficult to get young kids of 20 or 21 interested in this because they see me sitting around for so long," he said.

Frederick said a doctoral candidate he is advising expected to have his work related to telescope completed by 1993. But delays caused the student to give up and look for another project, he said.

Yet others have been delighted with Hubble's results, including John Brandt of the University of Colorado at Boulder, whose instrument maps slices of visible and invisible light beams.

Court upholds protection in illegal migrant cases

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Supreme Court on Wednesday upheld the power of federal judges to protect the rights of illegal alien farm workers seeking amnesty to remain in the United States.

The 7-2 ruling, in a case from Florida involving Haitian immigrants, is a defeat for the Bush administration, which said federal courts interfered improperly with U.S. immigration officials.

In other action, the court:

■ Ruled, 7-2, that state laws that unconstitutionally interfere with interstate businesses also may violate a federal civil rights law. The decision means an Ohio trucker can recover lawyer fees and other costs in his tax dispute with Nebraska.

■ Ruled unanimously in a maritime industry case from Baltimore that labor unions must cooperate with all reasonable requests from candidates for union office to distribute campaign literature, even if union rules restrict such requests.

In the immigration decision, the justices said the aliens were entitled to challenge before a federal judge rules that limited their ability to win legal residency status.

The ruling has the effect of upholding substantial procedural protections for the farm workers. The administration did not directly challenge those procedures, only the authority of federal judges to enforce them.

Lawyers for the Haitians said the ruling could have a broad impact, not only for farm workers but other aliens applying for federal benefits.

"We think it's a significant decision that is not only going to affect 40,000 farm workers, but over 100,000 applicants nationwide," said Ira Kurzban, an attorney for immigrants.

The case stems from a 1988 lawsuit by the Haitian Refugee Center, the Migration and Refugee Services of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Palm Beach, Fla., and 17 applicants for temporary residency.

Their class-action suit could help thousands of aliens.

The suit said applicants for legal status and temporary residency were being denied their rights under a sweeping immigration reform law Congress enacted in 1986.

The law was designed to grant amnesty to millions of illegal aliens in the United States.

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HEALTH

Antibodies now made to order

By Lawrence M. Fisher
N.Y. Times News Service

BERKELEY, Calif. — Working at a crossroads between chemistry and immunology, scientists are creating a host of custom-made antibodies that could speed chemical reactions in a way that no known naturally occurring catalysts or enzymes now do.

The refinement of these substances, called catalytic antibodies, could open the door to new, more potent drugs, and chemical processes.

Antibodies are proteins that the immune system produces in the bloodstream to attack disease. They work by binding with and neutralizing invading bacteria and viruses.

That process is aided by enzymes, the body's own catalysts, which accelerate chemical reactions without being used up themselves in the process. All reactions in the body are the work of enzymes.

Working separately at first, three groups of researchers, at the University of California at Berkeley, at the Scripps Clinic in La Jolla, Calif., and at Pennsylvania State University, questioned whether the immune system could be induced to generate antibodies that would also serve as enzymes.

These scientists produced the first chemical reaction catalyzed by antibodies five years ago, but more recent research has produced 50 different reactions.

Researchers say they now feel they can produce a catalytic antibody for almost any desired reaction.

At least two start-up companies — Affymax Technologies N.V., based in Palo Alto, Calif., and Igen Inc. of Rockville, Md., have been formed to pursue catalytic antibodies, and several major pharmaceutical companies are investigating the technology as well.

One early use of catalytic antibodies is likely to be the production of drugs with greater purity than is possible with conventional methods.

Because their action is extremely specific, catalytic antibodies could eliminate unwanted byproducts in the drug-making process that can be toxic or have other side effects.

Such byproducts are now thought to have caused the widespread birth defects associated with the drug thalidomide.

Catalytic antibodies could also be used as a kind of pre-drug, which would protect healthy cells in the body from the toxic side effects of chemotherapy or powerful anti-viral drugs like AZT.

An antibody could also be created to counter the effects of nerve gas or other chemical weapons, although nothing is likely to be developed in time for the Persian Gulf war.

Antibodies are very specific — each binds only with a particular invader, called an antigen — but they are also wonderfully diverse.

Because their action is extremely specific, catalytic antibodies could eliminate unwanted byproducts in the drug-making process that can be toxic or have other side effects.

The immune system can generate antibodies that will selectively bind with almost any molecule.

In most any chemical reaction, a stable starting substance proceeds through an unstable transition state to a final stable substance.

Catalysts work by binding to the transition state, partly stabilizing it and reducing the amount of energy, like heat or pressure, needed to reach it, thus speeding the reaction by as much as a million-fold. Chemists have long sought to make catalysts at will, but with only moderate success.

"It is very difficult to make molecules that recognize other molecules," said Peter G. Schultz, an assistant professor of chemistry at the University of California.

"Chemists have made huge strides, but they're about 200 million years behind the immune system," he said. Not only can the immune system make 100 trillion different molecules, "it can sort through them all and figure out which one is correct," he said.

Using chemical synthesis, Schultz creates molecules that mimic the shape and electronic charge of the transition state molecule, but which are stable.

Injected into a mouse, these analogs of the transition state molecule cause the mouse's immune system to create antibodies to fight off the invader. Harvested from the mouse, purified and multiplied, these antibodies will bind to the transition state molecule as well, making them potent catalysts.

The beauty of the process is that the immune system has performed the immense task of sorting through all the possible molecules and producing the right one.

"Catalytic antibodies awakened the chemical community that they can use biology to do a lot of the work," Schultz said. "All you have to do is give biology the proper intruder, which in our case means creating a transition state analog."

Another advantage of catalytic antibodies is they can cause reactions that would otherwise never occur. And just as each antibody will bind only with a specific antigen, catalytic antibodies prompt only the specific reaction for which they are engineered. This makes possible chemical reactions of high purity, which would help in making new drugs.

In conventional drug synthesis, molecules of identical composition but mirror-imaged in form are sometimes created. Usually only one form has the desired therapeutic effect.

Its mirror image can be toxic. Catalytic antibodies are generally "stereospecific," which means they produce only one of the forms.

"As pharmaceuticals become more complex, and take on more aspects of biological molecules, the classic chemical synthesis becomes more complex and costly," said Stephen J. Benkovic, a professor of chemistry at Penn State. "That leaves more room for exotics, like enzymes and catalytic antibodies," he said.

His group is collaborating with the Genex Corp. of Gaithersburg, Md., an antibody engineering company that supplies antibody fragments and so-called single-chain antibodies to achieve catalysis. These smaller molecules could be made more efficiently.

"We have demonstrated that you could downsize one of these molecules and make a fragment that retained all the catalytic activity of the original," Benkovic said.

The benefit is that the fragment is barely 10 percent the size of the whole antibody. "This allows you to consider using them as industrial catalysts because you get so much bang for the buck," he said.

Further down the road, catalytic antibodies could be directly used as drugs, protecting the body by altering the biochemical actions of specific diseases or toxins.

The body could be innoculated with catalytic antibodies, which would circulate in the bloodstream for a period of time, or with a transition state analog, prompting the immune system to create its own catalytic antibodies.

Enzyme-like antibodies could break up blood clots or dissolve artery-clogging plaques of cholesterol.

The Army recently got in touch with Schultz regarding the possible creation of an antibody against chemical weapons. "It should be possible to make an antibody which catalyzes a cleavage of the nerve gas," which itself works by destroying an enzyme in the central nervous system, Schultz said.

By inoculating a leukemia patient's bone marrow cells with a catalytic antibody that neutralized chemotherapy drugs, physicians could treat the cancer without weakening the immune system.

"In bone marrow transplants, catalytic antibodies can be used to endow the transplanted cells with unique properties," said Richard A. Lerner, director of the Research Institute of Scripps Clinic in La Jolla.

Because the production of antibodies in mice is slow and inefficient, the scientists at Scripps have developed a way to place mouse genes in bacteria cells, which reproduce far more rapidly.

YOUR FOOD PHARMACY

Certain veggies rev up immune system, new studies show

Here's more good news for people who eat lots of green and orange vegetables and/or take beta-carotene supplements. Beta carotene in high doses can greatly improve the makeup of your immune cells, according to new tests by researchers at the University of Arizona.


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In a study of 60 older men and women (average age 56), those who took 30 to 60 milligrams of beta carotene daily for two months had more natural killer cells, T-helper cells and activated lymphocytes. Such immune cells help protect the body from cancer and viral and bacterial infections, said Dr. Ronald R. Watson, study director.

As you age, certain immune functions are suppressed, increasing vulnerability to cancer and perhaps other diseases. Extra beta carotene may help make up for a faltering, aging immune system, says Dr. Watson.

He advises eating more high-carotene vegetables to help stimulate immunity, such as carrots, sweet potatoes, spinach and other green leafy vegetables. Half a cup of cooked carrots contains about 7 mg of beta carotene. Some people at high risk of cancer may also want to take beta-carotene supplements, he adds.

Caffeine-anxiety

If you have anxiety problems, try giving up caffeine. So suggests British researcher Dr. Malcolm S. Bruce at London's Institute of Psychiatry. He believes that too few doctors consider caffeine a cause of anxiety disorders, including panic attacks.

He recently found that about 25 percent of his patients with anxiety disorder improved greatly after virtually cutting out caffeine.

Dr. Bruce says much evidence shows certain people prone to anxiety disorders have an abnormal sensitivity to caffeine.

Anti-cholesterol drink?

Many readers wrote asking about the availability of a new cholesterol-lowering powdered drink mentioned in a recent column. The drink reduced total cholesterol in a group of 60 high-cholesterol men and women by 2 percent to 12 percent. The powder when dissolved in 8 ounces of water contains 5 grams total of four different natural soluble fibers and 70 calories.

The drink is not available in supermarkets, says California researcher Christopher Jensen, R.D. But it is soon to be sold by Shaklee Corporation, 6100 West 73rd Street, Bedford Park, IL 60638. For more information, send a self-addressed, stamped envelope.

Although this drink mix is one of the newest natural cholesterol-lowering potions, several common foods can also help reduce cholesterol. One of the cheapest and best is legumes — dried beans and lentils.

Tests show that half a cup of cooked beans, including canned baked beans, can reduce cholesterol in some people by up to 20 percent. Some other potential cholesterol reducers are oat meal, oat bran, rice bran, barley and apples.

Jean Carper's column is distributed by King Features Syndicate.

Certain smells help improve performance, research finds

N.Y. Times News Service

WASHINGTON — Science seems to be confirming what perfume companies have known all along: a sweet fragrance helps keep things interesting.

Researchers at the meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science described experiments in which people doing repetitive, mentally difficult jobs were given pleasant whiffs of peppermint and an aroma resembling lily-of-the-valley.

"We found performance and alertness both improved in a statistical significant way," William M. Dember, professor of psychology at the University of Cincinnati, said Tuesday.

What the researchers have not yet done is try the effect of foul smells.

On college campuses, psychological experiments depend on volunteers. "If we give them something unpleasant, we might not get as much science done," said Raja Parasuraman, professor of psychology at Washington's Catholic University.

So, a dead fish past the nose every few minutes might keep people on their toes, too.

Among possibilities is that careful use of odor might be useful for people who must stay alert during exacting but repetitive jobs, such as keeping an eye on radar screens. Odors may be as useful as coffee, or background music, for such workers.

"It is a relatively unexplored field," said Dember, whose research is paid for mainly by grants from the perfume and fragrance industry.

The session showed that scientists have been successful in isolating the precise chemicals that provide distinct smells to familiar things. Methyl salicylate is wintergreen, buteric acid smells like vomit, pyridine matches spoilt milk, C-16 aldehyde evokes strawberries, and amyl acetate has the air of banana.

In Dember's tests, volunteers wore surgical masks hooked to a plastic tube connected to an aquarium air pump. The air flowed through jars of granules that the test team saturated with essences of various fragrances, including the peppermint and a material called Muguet that smells like lily-of-the-valley.

In one test, the volunteers got a 30-second whiff every five minutes. For forty minutes, they watched a video screen with two vertical lines that appeared intermittently.

Most of the time they were about one half inch apart, but occasionally they were about three fourths inch apart. Their job was to push a button each time the lines were farther apart.

Both fragrances improved accuracy about 10 percent, although most subjects' performance fell off during the test with or without a fragrance.

In another test, subjects could decide for themselves when the fragrance was emitted.

During this, women's performance improved, but men's performance did not.

The psychologists said they do not know why, but separate research indicated that even little girls are more sensitive to odors than boys are.

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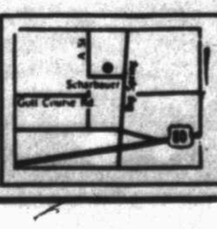
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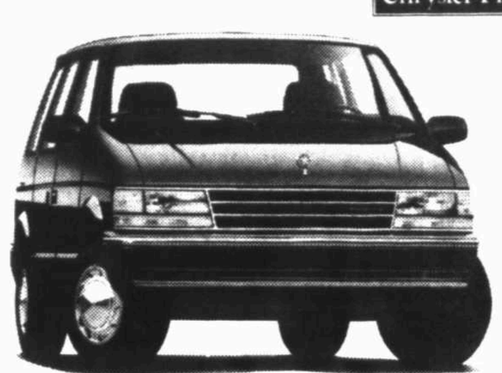
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The Savings Advantage: Choose $500 cash back or financing as low as **7.9% A.P.R.**** Then add $857 in savings with our Family Value Package.

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*Title and taxes extra. **On select new '91 dealer stock. Must take delivery by March 31. A.P.R. financing for qualified retail buyers through Chrysler Credit Corp. See dealer for details. †Savings based on sticker price of options if purchased separately on 4 cyl. engine only. ††Sales claim comparison to other manufacturers' vehicles.



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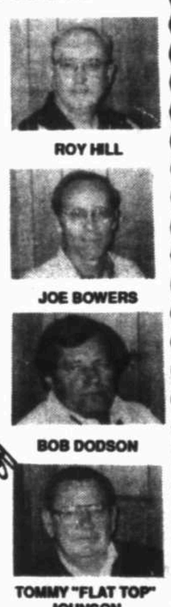
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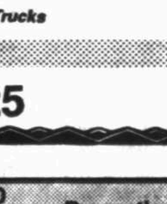
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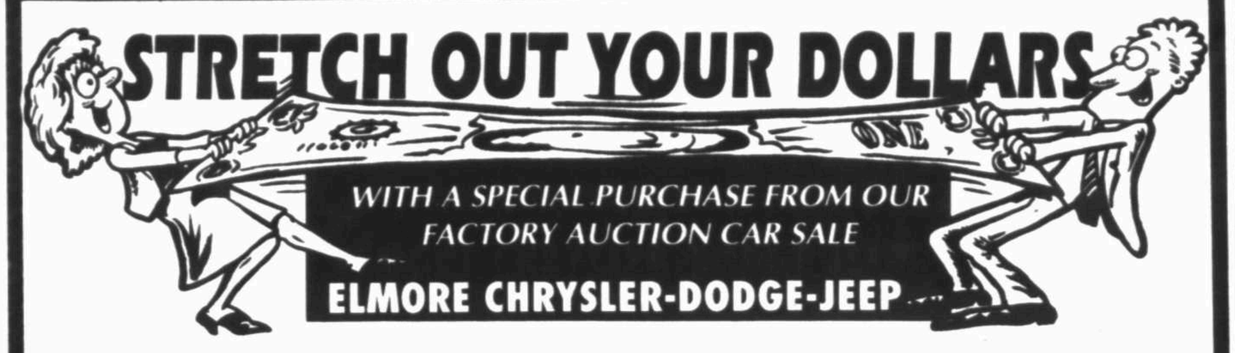
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$158.40 Mo.

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1991 Chevrolet Cavalier 2-Door

35 MPG Hwy./24 MPG City

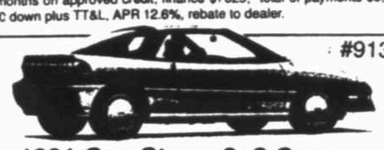
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#91329



1991 Geo Storm 2+2 Coupe

37 MPG Hwy./30 MPG City

$219.26 Mo.

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- Power Steering
- AM-FM Cassette Stereo
- Deluxe 2-Tone Paint
- And More

60 months on approved credit, finance $8,499, total of payments $11,498.40, $500 down plus TT&L, APR 12.6%.

"EPA Rated 27 MPG" 1991 GEO
TRACKER Convertible
"Low Tide" Edition

$217.34 Mo.
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60 months on approved credit, amount financed $9499, total of payments $13040.40, $500 down plus TT&L, APR 13.25%.

"EPA Rated 23 MPG" 1991 T-400 SILVERADO Short Bed Extended Cab HALF TON PICKUP

$13,299*
- Air Conditioning
- Tilt & Cruise
- Rally Wheels/White Lettered Tires
- Chrome Rear Step Bumper
- AM-FM Stereo Cassette
- And More...

Only A Few Available At This Price!
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"EPA Rated 21 MPG" CUSTOMIZED ASTRO EXTENDED-BODY VANS by...
U.S. Conversions & Gladiator
$18,488*
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- Customized Interior Seating
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- And Much More...

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310 General Help Wanted

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311 Medical Help Wanted

312 Professional Help Wanted

PINOCCHIO'S PIZZA

Now hiring phone operators. Full and part-time positions available. Office environment. Data entry experience helpful. Please apply in person:

PINOCCHIO'S PIZZA
3303 N. Midkiff
San Miguel Square

HOLIDAY INN MIDLAND
Now accepting applications for dependable front desk clerks. 3 to 11 pm shift.
Apply in person
4300 W. Wall Avenue

MATURE, dependable person for light housework and cooking, 2 to 3 hours per day. Must have own transportation. Please give experience and references. Send replies to BOX B-10 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

DELIVERY DRIVERS
Pizza Hut, Inc
is now hiring drivers. Earning potential up to $8/hour. Bonus for accident free hours. Flexible hours. Convenient locations. Drivers must be 18 and have own car and proof of insurance. Apply in person or call:
427 Andrews Hwy 682-3302
4320 Andrews Hwy... 697-5581
4400 N Midland Dr. 694-7225

IMMEDIATE Opening for heavy equipment field mechanic with own tools at least 3 years experience. Good pay and company benefits. Apply 1401 S. Grandview, Odessa.

HAPPY, energetic person needed to be child care counselor for the Central YMCA after school program. Class B drivers license preferred but not necessary. Apply in person, 800 N. Big Spring.

EXPERIENCED SLICKLINE Operator with minimum 5 years experience manipulating down hole pressure control tools, sliding sleeves, etc. Otis and Baker type tools. Also, need helper/ operator trainee. Must have good driving record and pass drug test. Call 563-5231 for appointment.

NEED HEAVY Equipment Mechanic, 3 years experience required. Must have tools, phone and dependable transportation. Apply at Cisco Equipment, 520 Southeast Loop 338, Odessa.

FULL and part-time Cooks needed. Apply between 2pm and 4pm, Monday through Friday, Harrigan's Restaurant, 418 W. Wadley.

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REPLYING TO A BLIND BOX NUMBER?
Address your reply to the Blind Box Number -(The Specific number in the ad you are replying to - for example A-3)
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The Midland Reporter-Telegram cannot disclose the identity of an advertiser using one of our box numbers to anyone for any reason. This information is confidential. However,readers who are interested in positions offered, but who desire to avoid sending a resume to certain companies can do so. Address your reply to the specific box number in the ad and place it in another envelope along with a note listing the companies you do not want your reply to reach. If the advertiser is anyone on your list, we will destroy your reply.

Be sure to use the specific Box number listed at the end of the ad. Without this number, it is impossible to forward replies. Call 682-6222 if you have questions about the procedure.

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HOLIDAY INN MIDLAND
Now hiring full time
2 pm - 10 pm, wait staff.
Apply in person
4300 W. Wall Avenue.

311 Medical Help Wanted

L.V.N.'s C.M.A.'s & CERTIFIED NURSING ASSISTANTS
Needed - All Shifts
Competitive Salary
Apply in person at
Terrace West Nursing Center
2800 N. Midland Dr.
Midland

DENTAL HYGIENIST
full time position for experienced, enthusiastic team member. Must have excellent people skills. Quality oriented office, great working atmosphere, new equipment. Please send resume to:
Lou Ann Gray, D.D.S.
3000 N. Garfield, Suite 220
Midland, Texas 79705

OUR FAMILY DENTAL PRACTICE
Is looking for enthusiastic, organized dental assistant w/excellent people skills, and a high degree of responsibility. Training available for the right person, great opportunity in a progressive atmosphere.
Please send resume to:
Randall W. Bell DDS,
2409 W. Illinois,
Suite B,
Midland, TX 79701

DENTAL HYGENIST
Opening for organized, efficient co-therapist, to assist in the evaluation, treatment and education of dental disease. You must be dedicated to providing a high quality service to our customers through continual growth in skills and knowledge. Send replies to BOX B-07 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

ATTENDANT to aid quadriplegic in morning, 2 - 3 hours per day. Must be reliable, references. Call 689-7780, leave message.

LVN CHARGE NURSES
Accepting applications for Charge nurse position. Salary is based on experience. Benefits included. Apply at:
STANTON CARE CENTER
1100 W. BROADWAY,
STANTON, TX
915-756-3387

NEEDED RN'S for DON'S and LVN's, competitive salary. Call Golden Manner Nursing Home 1-558-3888 Crane, Texas.

312 Professional Help Wanted

ST. LUKES Child Development Program, now interviewing for Co-teaching positions with toddler age groups. Two year previous experience required. Apply at St. Luke's Methodist Church. 3011 West Kansas. 694-2574.

311 Medical Help Wanted

Courtyard Care Center

GERIATRIC SPECIALISTS
Needed To Fill The Following Positions

WEEKEND R.N. SUPERVISOR
$18.00 per hr.

L.V.N. CHARGE NURSE
$10.00 per hour

STATE REGISTERED NURSE ASSISTANT
$4.50 per hour

MEDICATION AIDE
$5.50 per hour

HOUSE SUPERVISOR

Qualified applicants call for an interview appointment.

3303 Sage 683-5403

312 Professional Help Wanted

COMPUTER Hardware and software Technician needed for small manufacturing company. Salary DOE. Send resume to: P.O. Box 11323, Midland, TX 79702.

312 Professional Help Wanted

FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING MANAGER
Gas Pipeline Company needs accountant for consolidation, budget and treasury function for its San Antonio office. Send resume and salary history to: Personnel, 100 NE Loop 410, Suite 1000, San Antonio, Tx. 78216.

THE City of Big Spring is now accepting applications for the position of Health Care Provider at the Big Spring Correctional Center. Responsible for assisting in the health care of inmates in an adult male medium security correctional facility. Qualified applicants must be at a minimum advanced skill paramedic with current Texas Certification/ Licensure, 2 years recent current experience working for an advanced life support/mobile ICU, working in emergency room classified as a trauma center. Ability to speak, understand, and write Spanish is desirable. Salary $655 biweekly. Applications will be accepted through Friday, Feb. 22, 1991. For more detailed information contact City Hall Personnel, 915-263-8311, 4th and Nolan, Big Spring, Tx. The City of Big Spring is an equal opportunity employer. This ad is paid for by The Job Training Partnership Act.

SENIOR EDITOR/ PUBLISHER
Rapidly growing software development company has an immediate need. Duties to include marketing literature, newsletters, and user documentation. State-of-the-art equipment. Excellent benefits and salary for right person. Send resume to:
MS. PHYLLIS MITCHELL
Professional Datasolutions, Inc.
5301 Knickerbocker Rd.
San Angelo, TX 76904-7718

EXPERIENCED ACCOUNTANT
Wanted for oil operator. Computer, JIB and Revenue Disbursement knowledge required. Non-smoking environment. Send resume and salary requirements:
P.O. Box 4841
Midland, Texas 79705

NATIONAL REAL ESTATE FIRM
Seeking Property Manager/ Leasing Agent. Must have college degree and Texas Real Estate License.
Send Resume To:
RUBLOFF
500 W. Texas, suite 1280
Midland, Texas 79701

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ACCOUNTANT
Will be responsible for accounting and administrative duties for multiple entities. Minimum requrirements are:

★ Degree in accounting preferred.
★ Self starter
★ Ability to work without supervision
★ Experience with pay role reports.
★ Lotus, CYMA and or Word Perfect a plus.
★ Working knowledge of office procedures.

Send resume and salary requrirements in confidence to: BOX L-14 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

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PETROLEUM ENGINEER
Minimum requirements are an Engineering Degree, 4 years Engineer work experience and proficiency with Micro Computers.

Send resume to:
MWJ PRODUCING COMPANY
400 W. ILLINOIS
SUITE 1100
MIDLAND, TX 79701

SOUTHWEST ROYALTIES, INC.
Degreed Accountant with 5+ years revenue experience;

Supervisory abilities to include both Accountant and Clerical Staff;

Implementation and maintenance of control procedures;

"Hands-On" position requiring both management skills and detail orientation, "problem-solver"

Individual personality and skills should include: motivated, self-reliant, analytical, responsible, ability to handle multi, on-going projects;

All resumes and information held confidential;

Excellent benefit package and advancement potential.

Please mail resume in confidence to:
SOUTHWEST ROYALTIES
Att: Revenue
P.O. Box 2196
Midland, Texas 79702

316 Clerical Help Wanted

V.I.P. TEMPORARIES. Call for Temp. or permanent jobs available now! No Fees. 686-9722.

TEMP TIME TEMPORARY SERVICE
★ ★ ★ 687-1545 ★ ★ ★
Call for an appointment

SECRETARY
needed for a law office. Minimum typing 55 wpm. Word Perfect experience desired. Preferable bilingual. Salary negotiable. For appointment call Mrs. Jackson, 683-2399.

RECEPTIONIST
needed for busy law office. Must be bilingual. Starting Salary, $900 monthly. For appointment call Mrs. Jackson, 683-2399.

SECRETARY/ RECEPTIONIST
Must possess good secretarial, clerical and communicatin skills. PC skills and customer service experience helpful. Excellent fringe benefits. No phone calls please. Please send resume to:
SYSCO FOOD SERVICES
9727 County Road 129 West
Odessa, Texas 79765
Attn: Mr. Mike Perry
We are an equal opportunity employer M/F.

SECRETARY
Independent Service Company seeking mature, non-smoking Girl Friday. Must be able to operate 10 key by touch, accurate typing, 45-50 wpm, filing and payroll, and some bookkeeping knowledge. Please send resumes to:
BOX B-13, c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram,
P.O. Box 1650,
Midland, Texas 79702.

320 Sales Help Wanted

BUSY REAL ESTATE OFFICE has 2 openings in sales plus one front desk position. (License required). Earn while you learn. For an interview
Call Linda Nathern at Chaparral, Realtors 686-7000

SHOE SALES
Experience in children's shoes a must. Salary DOE
Phone 694-3255
Tuesday and Thursday for interview

MIDLAND Based manufacturing company has an opening for an aggressive self starter. Telephone and outside sales experience required. Salary DOE. Send employment history to P.O. Box 2641, Midland, 79702.

INDEPENDENT Oil Lubricant Manufacturer is seeking a career professional sales person for Odessa/ Midland/ TransPecos region. Direct sales experience necessary. With industrial construction, trucking, pipeline, natural gas compressor companies and agriculture. Overnight traveling is required. Compensation is a guarantee. Commission, expenses and car allowance. Send resume to: Sales Manager, 2621 W. 40th, Odessa, Tx 79764.

SALES REPRESENTATIVE
International oilfield chemical company has immediate openings for qualified, experienced sales persons. Base salary, bonuses, auto and benefits. Send resume to: BOX B-15 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

MAINTENANCE SUPPLY and Chemical Specialty Salesperson for local exclusive territory. Must have recent, successful, experience in the area of selling to Hospitals, Nursing Homes, Schools, Institutions and Commercial Accounts. Full-time employment for a motivated Professional Salesperson. Reply to: Chemicals, P.O. Box 542013, Dallas, Texas 75354, or call 214-358-3301.

FIELD SALES
Fluid Handling Products
Established Leader in Pumps and Related Product sales to Oil & Gas Producers and to Chemical Processors seeks experienced outside sales person for immediate opening on our Odessa Sales Please send resume and compensation history to following address; all responses kept in strictest confidence:
BOX B-08
The Midland Reporter-Telegram
P.O. Box 1650
Midland, Texas 79702

AREA REPRESENTATIVES
Needed for Physicians Mutual Ins. Company to market a REAL 100% Medicare Supplement. Call 806-354-8302. Equal Opportunity Company.

CHEMICAL Salesperson. Established Leader in oil field chemical sales. Salary, expenses, company vehicle, full benefits and bonus program. Must be willing to relocate within 100 miles of Midland/Odessa area. Please send Resume to: to BOX B-12 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

DO you want to be the best? Then we need you. Need highly motivated Sales People. High commissions, good benefits. No experience necessary - will train. Call Wayne Smith or Clark Duff at 337-2000 or 563-9330 for appointment.

MANAGEMENT Trainee needed for Home Service Insurance Company. $300 per week while training. Must be 21 and have a positive attitude and neat appearance. Apply in person, 204 South "8" in Midland.

NEED Ad Copy Pickup person that knows county well. Good transportation. $6 an hour plus gas. Call Tony, 214-270-6363.

OSHMAN'S SPORTING GOODS
PART Time sales, evening and weekends. Apply in person. No phone calls. Midland Park Mall.

Or respond via the CityLine Resume Service by calling 560-2400 and by selecting catagory 6101. Respond by Feb. 27.

CITYLINE

330 Situations Wanted

FULL CHARGE Bookkeeper needs approximately 30 hours per week employment. Ten plus years experience. Great organizational skills. Good references. Call 689-7645.

335 Adult Day Care

WANTED: Live-in to care for elderly lady at Manor Park. Must live-in. 694-6899, 682-0602.

340 Child Care

KIDS do you want to sing, dance and play while your parents work. Near Bush, $60 per week. Room for 2 children, 2 years & up. Call 697-6383 ask for Susie.

MOTHER would like to watch children in my home, weekdays only. No diapers! Have big yard, swing set, toys. 685-0755.

I BABYSIT in my home, anytime. References. Near the Hospital. Please call 697-7248.

HOME AWAY FROM HOME, care for your child. Lots of play area. Individual attention. Meals and snacks provided. Reasonable rates. 686-9746.

WOULD Like to keep children in my home, playroom and activities, meals and snacks provided and references available. 697-7139 or 694-4861, leave message.

FULL AND Part time teachers needed. Must have experience and associates degree in Child Development preferred. No phone calls, apply in person to 1321 S. Goode. 7:30 am - 5:30 pm, Monday - Friday.

IMMEDIATE OPENINGS, Registered home, 18 months and up, Greenwood Area. Call 685-0071.

340 Child Care

UP, UP AND AWAY Learning Center, now open. Located in Northland Shopping Center on Scharbauer and A. We will care for infants - 13 years. 687-2715.

LOVING Home has one full-time opening for your pre-schooler, weekdays. Reasonable Rates. Call 697-1509.

CHILD CARE with CPR and First Aid, fenced yard, day, night weekends, drop-ins. 682-0607 or 683-3662.

MOM with degree/ teaching experience has opening for 3 children, ages 0 - 2. Call 694-7913.

CHILD CARE. A Home registered with the Texas Department of Human Services is not licensed, inspected, or otherwise regulated by the Department.

REGISTERED CHILD CARE. Meals and snacks provided. 7am until 5:30pm, Monday through Friday. First-Aid and CPR certified. Non-smoker. References upon request. 697-5226.

WOULD LIKE TO babysit in my home. Monday through Friday, 6am to 6pm. Ages 2 to 5. 699-0737.

GREENWOOD - Child care, Monday - Friday, 6 a.m. - 6 p.m or after school, bus delivers. Meals, snacks, love and attention provided. 687-4618.

REGISTERED any age, 2 openings, have great references. 11 years experience Ridgeheights area. 687-3962.

350 Business Opportunities

WESTERN Schools is offering classes to obtain/ update your real estate license; locally owned, 682-4045.

350 Business Opportunities

SERIOUS Business. Serious Money. Low capital. We will train. Call Will 694-4316

VENDING Route. Your answer to extra income. Must sell. High traffic locations. Up to $1,000 per week, income possible. 1-800-822-2466.

MANAGERS/EXECUTIVES...Unique Financial Program--Commissions, Residuals, Equity. Call 560-5287, 24 hour recorded message.

FOR SALE
PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY serving the entire Permian Basin. 1990 annual net in excess of $110,000. Address inquiries to BOX B-11 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

UNLIMITED income. It's real! 560-5234. Twenty-four hour recorded message.

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UNLIMITED INCOME
It's real!
24 hour recorded message
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FAST Food resturant for sale. Excellent location, owner retiring, excellent price. For more information call 687-3300.

Local Vending Route for sale.
CALL IMMEDIATELY!
1-800-274-8088

BUILD Lifetime Residual Income Utilizing Vacation Travel and Financial Services Business. 686-6203, 24 hour message.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

NEW Images now has wigs & weaving hair. Easter perm sale. $28. Ask for sue 683-5311.

CULLIGAN MARK 89 Water Softener. Recently cleaned, very good condition. $300 complete. Call 1-535-2348, Midkiff.

TWO SOUTHWEST Airlines tickets to Dallas. Leave Midland March 9, return March 12. $40 each. 689-8910.

415 Miscellaneous Wanted

WANTED: Used cement mixer. Call 686-1096.

420 Good Things To Eat

GARDENDALE Pecan Processing. Custom shelling and pecan sales. Farm to Market 554, in Gardendale. 366-9793.

WE BUY PECANS
Small or large quantities.
Gardendale Pecan Processing
366-9793

★ DELICIOUS homemade decorated cakes for parties, weddings, etc. Reasonably priced. Call Mickie Perkins, 694-8445.

430 Household Goods

STAINLESS Steel, Waterless cookware. New 17 piece set worth $990, for $295. Terms Available. 689-8106.

EXCELLENT Condition, lighted hutch, pecan finish, $400. Call 699-1561.

WASHER, DRYER, Refrigerator, Freezer. $100 each. A-1 Appliance, 337-5026.

A-1 Appliance pays $CASH$ for your working and non-working appliances. 337-5026.

WE need good used furniture. We pay extra. Call D & K New and Used for estimate. 4404 W. Illinois. 697-4847.

MAYTAG Electric clothes dryer, harvest gold, $75. Call 697-0263.

SOFA. Excellent condition. Dark chocolate brown. Contemporary styling. $150. 694-0315.

QUEEN Size bed, good condition, $100. Call 687-2111.

MISCELLANEOUS household items, decorator pieces, old glass, ladies working wardrobe. Call 699-3068.

GOLD TONE Chromecraft dining room suit. Pastel Lavender. Octagon glass table, 4 chairs, swivel rockers with rollers. 7 months old. Used 1 time. $700 negotiable. 689-6541.

FIVE PIECE Solid Wood living room set, earth tones. Washer and Dryer. Call 689-6598.

GOLD COLOR easy chair. Good condition. Comfortable. Please call 686-8271.

BLUE VELVET Sofa, $200. Exercising Ski Machine, $100. Both in good condition. Call 684-7276.

BUNK beds, complete, never slept on, $325; 3 drawer and 4 drawer chests, $325. 697-6949.

POOL TABLE, regulation size in good condition. Asking $600 or best offer. Call 697-5924.

KENMORE Washer and Dryer, and Refrigerator. $100 each. Please call 697-5292.

BIRCH Queen Anne dining table with 6 chairs and china cabinet. $2,100. Call 686-9207, Monday - Saturday before 6 p.m.

THREE Piece sofa, 2 dinning tables with 4 chairs with rolling wheels, 2 bar stools, all in good condition. Call 697-9701.

OLD Classic Kohler Footed bathtub. Restored in good condition with brass faucets, $75. 684-8581.

NEED good used furniture. Buy, sell & trade used furniture and appliances. Rewe's New & Used. 1211 S. Big Spring. 687-5966.

ELECTRIC DRYER, $200. Will trade for gas dryer. Nearly new queen sized bed, $175. 694-8616.

COUCH good condition, $150. Call 699-3693.

NEW 10" Contracter's table saw, nearly new electric range, corner sofa piece with ottoman, exceptional floor stand stereo speakers. Day 686-0521, night and weekends 686-1028 or 697-0137.

BEIGE CARPET 13' x 13'. Excellent condition. $45. Call 699-1796.

G.E. PORTABLE dishwasher, white, speckled, formica top. Good working condition. $75. Call 697-0726 after 6:00pm.

COFFEE Table, end tables, chairs, and other pieces of furniture. Call 682-3857.

440 Firewood

THE WOOD YARD. Oak, Mesquite, Pecan. 701 N. Fairgrounds. Call 686-8107 or 684-8918.

MESQUITE wood, split, $120/ cord, $65/ half. Apartment stacks, $25. Also steel wood racks. 697-7373.

FIREWOOD FOR SALE: Choice of Oak or Mesquite. Call Larry Tucker, 689-7151.

DICK'S FIREWOOD. Spring Special. Oak, $100; Mesquite, $85. Delivered. 1-453-2151, Robert Lee. Void after 3/19/91.

450 Sporting Goods

SPRINGFIELD Armory M1A 308 NIB $1000. Valmet M-76 223, $850. Call 683-7759.

SHOOTING Instructions. Skeet, Trap, Sporting Clays. Private or group. NSCA & USSCA Certified Call Tom Cathey, 699-0215.

JIM'S Golf Club repair. Regrip $2.75; Reshaft $12.50; Custaimade Clubs; Terrific Ladies Clubs; Lowest Prices - Best work! 3115 Haynes. 694-1334.

NEW Stationary bike lifestyler programmable resistance, electronic speed, time and distance. Make offer! Call 697-4817.

BROWNING 9mm high power. Two clips, two grips, box. $385 cash. Call 684-9079, evenings.

LOSE inches fast with your own Elite Slenderizing and Toning bed. Instruction video and charts included. Price reduced - $1,800. Call 686-9207, Monday - Saturday before 6..

CAMPING TENT, Coleman floor 6 windows, sleeps 4 comfortably. Perfect for family vacations. $75. 699-5284.

AMMO- New UZI 9mm black tip. Super hot, $11.95 per box, cash. Call 689-7277.

460 Antiques and Art

WILFORD C. PHILLIPS Antiques. Open 11 am - 5 pm, closed Monday. Glass, china, decorator items, lots of furniture and paintings. 6 Widener Strip. 694-7396.

Merchandise

400	Auctions	460	Antiques & Art	510	Office Supplies
405	Garage/Yard Sales	470	Musical Instruments	520	Store, Shop, Cafe Equip.
410	Miscellaneous Sales	475	Crafts & Supplies	530	Air Cond. & Heating
415	Miscellaneous Wanted	480	Cameras & Supplies	540	Building Materials
420	Good Things To Eat	485	Radios, Stereo & TV	550	Portable Buildings
430	Household Goods	490	Computers & Access.	560	Machinery & Tools
440	Firewood	495	For Free	570	Oilfield Supplies
450	Sporting Goods	500	Pets & Supplies	580	Farm Equipment
		505	Livestock - Poultry		

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AUCTION
Saturday, February 23, 1991
10:00 AM
#3 Meta Drive (Corner of Wall and Garfield, behind Walgreens)
Midland, Texas

Margaret Thomlinson of Midland Liquidation and other consignors have commissioned us to sell by public auction the following:

1 Wells Fargo Concession Trailer, 1980 Oldsmobile Eighty-Eight, 1966 Mustang, 1988 Pontiac Trans-Am GTA, 1982 Lincoln Continental Mark VI, 1 750 Yamaha Motorcycle.

30 Racks of New Clothing, Over 5000 Pieces, Over 50 new Ladies Hand Bags, Clothing For Boys, Girls, Ladies, Men, Sporting, Casual, Dress, Over 500 VHS Video Tapes, Large Selection of Ladies Shoes, Children's Books, Wrapping Paper, Gift Cards, Paper Back Books, Cases of Shoe Strings, Children's Toys, Base Ball Caps, 10 Speed Bike, 6 pc. Living Room Suite, 3 pc. Living Room Suite (3 sets), 1 Couch, 11 Wing Back Chairs, Glass Top Coffee Table, 6 Child's Baby Rockers, Sofa Sleeper, 8 Rocking Chairs, 2 pc. Chair and Ottoman, 2 pc. Couch and Chair (3 sets), Black Lacquer Bedroom Suite, 2 pc. Couch and Love Seat, 7 Recliners, Glasstop Sofa Table, Office Chairs, Office Desks, 6-2 Drawer File Cabinets, 2 Friedrich Refrigerators, Produce Keepers, 1 Nu-Vu Double Oven, 1 Howard Reach-In Cooler, 1 Tyler Refrigerator, Produce Keeper, 1 Manley Popcorn Machine, 2 Tyler Meat Display Counters, 1 Pizza Oven, 1-6 Burner Commercial Stove, 1 Toast Rite Bread Toaster, 1 Star Hot Dog and Bun Warmer, 1 Cutting Table, 3 Steam Tables, 1 Redi-Hot Sandwich Box, 2 Hobart Meat Scales, 1 Sanitary Meat Scales, 1 Toast Master Bread Warmer, 1 Roaster Oven, 1 Citation Popcorn Machine, 1 Cut Up Machine, 18 Whirlpool Evaporative Blowers, 5-8 ft. Ladders, 1 Satelite Dish with Controls, 1 Moore Decollator, 16 Deli Heat Lamps, 2 Cash Registers, 1 Sexon 3 Copy Machine, 1 Lincoln Arc Welder, Complete Lighting Center, Over 50 Telephones, Lots of Displays, Commercial & Residential Shelving, Carpet Remnants, 2 walk-in Coolers, 1 Manitowac Ice Dispenser, 10 IBM Typewriters, 5 IBM Computers, Over 50 1/3 hp - 1/10 hp motors "New". Many, Many Items Too Numerous To Mention.

The list begins here...Come prepared to buy!!!
PREVIEW: Friday, Feb. 22, 1991; 8:00 AM-5:00 PM, and date of sale
Some rolling stock to be sold with a call.
Some items subject to change without prior notice
All other merchandise to be sold with no minimum, no reserve. As is, where is.
Payment terms: Cash, Cashiers Check, Pre-approved Check or Bank Letter of Credit.

Auction Conducted By
Auction Action Midland II
310 W. Illinois, Ste. 213, Midland Executive Center
Midland, Texas
682-1004, 699-4317, 687-0069
Fred F. Munoz Auctioneer TXS 6250

400 Auctions

BALOG & BALOG Auctioneering Business Liquidations. Estates, Antiques, Autos. (915)561-5133

405 Garage/Yard Sales

NEW GUN Cabinet, china hutch, antique china hutches. Good Selection of new and used king size beds, full size bedding, used sofas, love seats, hide-a-beds. New 5 piece bedrooms sets, $499 each, new and used dinette sets available.
JOHN'S SWAP SHOP
600 E. FLORIDA 683-7872

RESTOCKED! Appliances - refrigerators, freezers, washer/ dryers, butane, electric, gas ranges. Gas heaters, living/ bed/ dining room furniture, Keg cooler, tractor, cars, doors, commodes, sinks, car stereo, roosters. 687-6073.

TRADE Village Flea Market. Indoor, 2905 Rankin Highway. Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

The Texas Bedding Law requires all second hand bedding to be sanitized by a licensed germicidal treatment operator and properly labeled before being offered for sale.

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Judy Jackson's Bargain Barn
702 S. Main
Monday-Friday, 10am-5:30pm,
Saturday 10am-4pm.
WINTER CLEARANCE
1/2 price sale on winter clothing. Selected shoes 75% off. Come browse our recently opened used furniture department. Accepting spring consignments March 1st.
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2403 WEST WADLEY. Six family garage sale Thursday and Friday 8:00 am to 5:00 pm. couch, 2 rockers, headboard, infant/adults clothing, lots of miscellaneous.

ELECTRIC Stove, vacuum cleaner, dishes, clothes, lots of miscellaneous. 407 N. Tyler. Wednesday and Thursday afternoons.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS. Parrish Hall, 1208 Cherry Lane. February 23 & 24, 7am-6pm. Will sell clothing, house appliances. Also, food and drinks.

3501 TRINITY MEADOWS, Friday - Saturday. Furniture, ping pong table, golf clubs, vent-hood, household/kitchen items, teaching aids.

3605 NEELY. 9 am...Friday and Saturday. Antique, primitives, wardrobe, dressers, tables, and tables, chests, depression glass, small and window sized stained glass, oil paintings, dishes, lots of crocks, old cans, bottles, mirrors, household and garage items, lots of miscellaneous.

OLDIES - But - Goodies Antiques. Truckload new merchandise! 2305 W. Michigan, Tuesday through Saturday 10:30 - 5:30.

GARAGE Sale Thursday and Friday located Alamo Mini storage on Fairgrounds Road. Refrigerator, sewing machine and miscellaneous.

2012 WEST INDIANA, corner of Avenue N. Friday-Saturday. 8 am - 4 pm. Ya'll Come.

405 Garage/Yard Sales

MOVING-IN SALE. 4312 Trevino, (off Big Spring, near Loop 250), Friday - Saturday. 8 am - 5 pm. Typewriter, stuffed animals, children's/adult clothing, leather, lamps, tires, miscellaneous.

CORNER Rebel and Godfrey. Bike, weights and bench, clothes, smoker, speakers, golf clubs, 15" Chevy wheels, cellular phone. Friday and Saturday 8 - 4.

WAREHOUSE GARAGE SALE!!
New power tools, air tools, and hand tools at a fraction of normal cost. Brands like Makita, Hitachi, Vise Grip, etc. Used furniture, carpet and carpet samples, yard tools, sporting goods, and clothing. Too many other bargains to list. Thursday and Friday only, 9 am - 5 pm. 1501 W. Industrial.

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GARAGE SALE
5300 THOMASON
Friday Only
8 am - 5 pm
Clothes, toys,
TOO much to mention!
Come see!

PATIO Sale - 30 years accumulation, 4721 Crockett. Large ladies clothes, men's work clothing, window air-conditioner, yard tools, Avon, lots of miscellaneous. Friday - Saturday, 9 - 5.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

NEW KID'S on the Block tickets. 3/3/91, Lubbock. 4 seats together, $75 each. Jim, 806-795-5423.

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TWO Round trip Southwest Airline tickets from Midland to Las Vegas. Leaving March 5th returning March 9th. $354. Call 689-9980.

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410 Miscellaneous Sales

LIVE OAKS, East Texas Nursery Grown. $250, delivered and planted. $200, not planted. Crape Myrtles, $75 planted. 686-8035.

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AIRLINE TICKETS: One Roundtrip ticket from Midland to Dallas-/Love Field, leaving March 1, returning March 3. $50. One one-way ticket to San Antonio from Dallas/Love Field leaving March 3, $20. 694-8531.

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TWO NEW KID'S ON The Block Tickets, Lubbock, March 3. $65 each. Call 694-9821 after 5 pm.

BASEBALL Card Show, Sunday, February 24th, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Big Spring Mall, Big Spring Texas.

XXL LADIES blouse. Size 46. Blue tones, raglan sleeves, ¾ length. $5. Call 683-4531.

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FOR SALE: Pitney Bowes 5600 Mail machine, excellent condition; Postal scales and miscellaneous office furniture. 687-0781.

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TWO wood desks, steno chairs, file cabinet, supply cabinet, 6 side chairs, couch & miscellaneous items. 684-0867.

520 Store, Shop Cafe Equipment

NOTICE of private sale: Small business administration will sell all machinery, equipment and fixtures obtained from Kick's Imperial Bakery. Sale will be held February 26, 1991 at 10:05 a.m. at Hanway, Inc., 13710 W. Highway 80 East, Odessa, TX, 563-2504

520 Store, Shop Cafe Equipment

6' X 8' Walk-in Cooler For Sale. See at 2007 N. Big Springs. Call 682-9404.

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PUMPING UNITS. New and used, size 57 through 912. Available immediately. Call 694-2117.

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600 Rooms For Rent

$69 WEEKLY, remodeled, furnished, utilities, phone, 36 channels cable, 19" color TV, no lease. 697-3777.

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- close to mall.

$625 monthly
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1, 2 & 3 Bdrm Apt Homes

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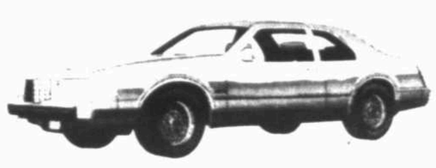
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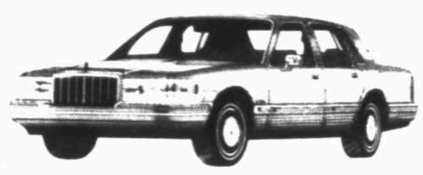
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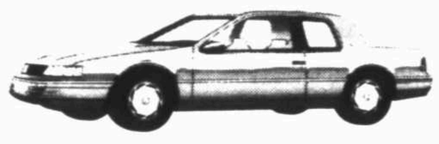
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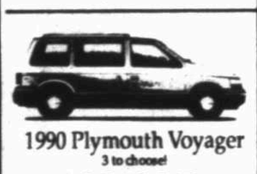
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$9,995



1990 Chrysler Le Baron
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$12,995



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Stk.#41042A
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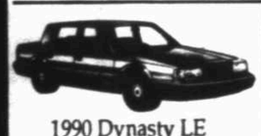


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$15,995



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$19,995



1990 Continental
3 to choose!
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Stk.#90030, several to choose!
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Stk. #41031A
SALE PRICE $7,995
$220 mo.



1990 Topaz
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$436 MONTH
$500 down on this 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick home on west side. Lots of updating. Kitchen recently refinished. Nice open bright floor plan. Outside storage building. Total move-in cost of approximately $2,875, $40,000 sp, 360 pmts, 9.38% APR.
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Lots of Care!
3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 living areas, storage building and 2-car carport on corner lot.
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REDUCED PRICE. Great location. Newly remodeled 3 bedroom, 2 bath. 2412 Cimmaron. $65,500. Call 694-9435.

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NEW HOME - 3 bedroom, 2 bath home on 1.6 acres. Priced below appraisal. Dan Emfinger Construction. 686-9064, 686-7415.

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750 Lots and Acreage

12 ACRES, fenced, good water, electricity, ready to move on - great for horses, ect., good land, Greenwood schools, Owner finance. 806-799-0934, after 6.

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GREENWOOD ACRES
1 Acre Tract $3,000
Good Water
Restricted
Financing Available
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OVERSIZED CORNER LOT
Inside location.
5115 Brighton
(Saddle Club South)
$29,500
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Good soil, good water, some lots fenced. Small livestock allowed. No swine. Low down payment, low monthly payment.
OWNER FINANCE
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