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City may seek smaller bond issue

By CHRIS VAN WAGENEN
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The city of Midland is interested in presenting voters with a scaled down bond issue aimed strictly at street and drainage improvements, according to Councilman Gordon Marcum III.

"I'd say it will be greatly reduced from the last one," said Marcum. "It wouldn't be a five year type plan."

City officials had attempted to pass a $17.4 million issue last September, but voters, already tagged with four tax increases, gave a resounding no to three of the four measures.

Marcum and other council members say they were greatful to pass the public safety issue which has since enabled the city to put together one of the most modern centralized communications systems in the country.

However, Marcum and others say the city is running out of bond funds for streets and drainage — two areas that are critical to Midland's basic infrastructure.

"It's going to be another tough year ahead of us," said Marcum. "We're going to have to look at the budget again and we're going to have to look at some type of pay increase for the employees."

City Councilman Bob Monaghan agreed that the city may well have to attempt some bond issue. "We just don't think if we put too much in there that it will pass."

Monaghan sees drainage and police protection as council's most pressing problem coming into the new year. He also envisions additional headaches coming down the road if the northwest section of town develops as predicted.

But there will be no capital improvements if the money isn't there. And that's a real fear, according to City Councilman Bill Williams.

"The big challenge ahead of us now is to hold expenditures to zero growth. At the moment we have a very limited amount of money to work with. What we have to decide now is where we'll spend out last dollars."

And that gets back to the issue of placing voters in the position of whether or not to support a marginal bond proposition that can supply the city with enough funds to handle its most pressing problems.

When voters defeated the proposed $3.5 million drainage issue, it automatically put a crimp in Midland's plans to solve the woes of those living along the Northwest Drainage Channel and east of town along the Mulberry Draw.

Yet, city officials say they've done best with what voters have allowed them. Mayor pro tem Robert Rendall is one who is well aware of that fact.

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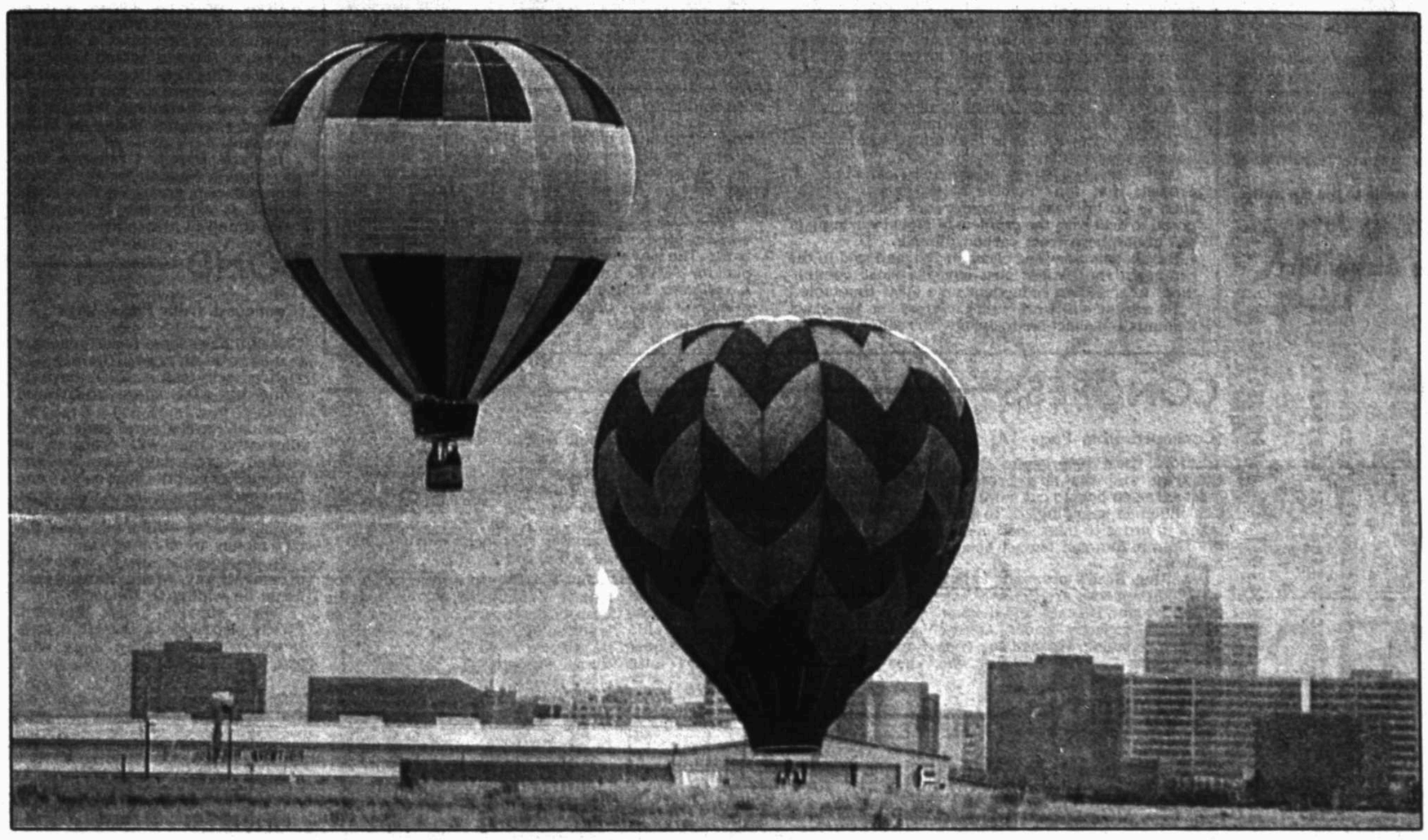

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Rising early

Midlanders up early on Monday might have seen these two hot air balloons gracing the skyline. They took off from Midland Airpark about 8 a.m.

Three officials switch parties

By JULIE HILLRICHS
Staff Writer

Three long-time Midland County Democrats announced Tuesday their intention to switch political parties and run for re-election in 1990 on the Republican ticket.

County Clerk Rosenelle Cherry, County Treasurer Dee Thompson and Justice of the Peace Robert Pine, bring to the Republican Party more than 90 years experience in county government.

"They are a welcomed and invaluable addition to the Midland County, Texas and National Republican Party," said local GOP Chairman Bro Seltzer.

Reacting to the announcement, Midland County's chief Democrat said she was disappointed but not suprised.

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Coast Guard can't find sinking ship

GALVESTON (AP) — U.S. Coast Guard officials who continued their investigation today of an unusual distress call of a burning, sinking ship, checked computer records to determine whether the vessel really existed.

A 15-hour air and water search off the Texas coast where the ship was reported on fire about 2 a.m. Monday yielded nothing.

A man called the Galveston station on an emergency radio frequency but did not initially report trouble. Switched to a non-emergency frequency, the caller began to "act panicky" and report that his 210-meter ship was ablaze and sinking with 21 people aboard, said Petty Officer Madison Thompson.

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Tail section located; 124 bodies released

LOCKERBIE, Scotland (AP) — Police said today that 80 percent of the wreckage of the sabotaged Pan Am Flight 103 has been located, including part of the tail section and a radio distress beacon.

Police superintendent Angus Kennedy said only 20 percent of the jet's wreckage has been recovered, due in part to the rough terrain around the Scottish town where Boeing 747 crashed Dec. 21 after a bomb blew it apart.

Kennedy said 124 of the 242 bodies recovered from crash have been released to relatives, up from the total of 81 bodies that had been released by Monday. All 259 passengers and crew aboard the plane and 11 people on the ground were killed in the explosion and crash.

T. Allen McArtor, head of the U.S. Federal Aviation Administration, arrived in London and called for tightened security on all American flights operating out of Middle East and European airports.

A London newspaper, The Independent, reported searchers around Lockerbie found luggage belonging to a Lebanese student whom news reports have said may have unwittingly carried the bomb aboard.

The Independent quoted an unidentified searcher as saying part of a zipped holdall contained the identity card of the student, Khalid Jaafar, 21, and a roll of currency "from a country in the Middle East."

"It (the luggage) was clearly nowhere near where the bomb exploded," the newspaper quoted the searcher as saying.

Jaafar's father, Nazir, who lives in Dearborn, Mich., has denied speculation in U.S. and British newspapers that his son may have been duped by terrorists into carrying the bomb aboard. The student was living in Frankfurt, where the flight to New York via London originated as a Boeing 727. It switched to the jumbo jet in London.

Kennedy refused to comment on the newspaper report.

West German authorities said today the bomb was in the plane's forward cargo compartment but that it was unclear whether the bomb was put aboard the flight in London or Frankfurt.

"All of the luggage from Frankfurt was in that compartment, as well as some of the luggage from Heathrow," Frankfurt prosecutor's spokesman Hubert Harth said.

Weak signals from the plane's radio distress beacon, located earlier but not retrieved, were picked up Monday by a search and rescue satellite crossing Britain, said Kennedy.

He said the beacon, which fell several miles outside Lockerbie, was probably triggered by a switch that reacts to water and was set off by rain.

■ *Reagan says U.S., PLO representatives discussing attack on Pan Am flight* — 2A

101st Congress opens with new leadership

WASHINGTON (AP) — The 101st Congress opens today with Democrats still firmly in control and House leaders from both parties calling for cooperation in solving budget and other problems under a Republican president.

New and re-elected members of the House and Senate were being sworn in today, and then the two chambers were set to carry out organizational chores for two days. Among them: a joint session on Wednesday to count the electoral votes for president.

"We're very optimistic that we're going to be able to work with President-elect) Bush and we can solve some of the problems," said Rep. Tony Coelho, D-Calif., House majority whip. "We need to have that cooperation. ... We'd like to resolve some problems and get rid of some of this confrontation."

"I think at least at the outset ... the appropriate tone is one of cooperation and a spirit of bipartisanship, and let's see how far we can go with that," said Rep. Dick Cheney, R-Wyo., House minority whip.

But the two, interviewed on "CBS This Morning", had differing views on possible tax increases.

"None of us would like to increase taxes but we're willing to listen and watch and we hope that as we get into this, and we have to get to the crunch, that if he (Bush) can't reach the magic number without raising revenue, that he would say so and we would go ahead and do it," Coelho said.

"I think the American people voted overwhelmingly in opposition to a tax increase and I don't believe that he should be giving away or making a concession on that point before we even sit down at the table to negotiate," said Cheney. "I think it's far too soon for us to be talking about tax increases. Let's talk about where we can save money by spending cuts."

After completing its organizational chores, Congress will adjourn until Jan. 20, although hearings could start before then on some of Bush's legislative proposals.

Possibly the most controversial decision members will have to make early in the session is whether to approve a pay raise for themselves. A presidential commission has recommended a 50 percent increase with members giving up lucrative honorariums in exchange. Many lawmakers contend their jobs make it dififcult to live on the $89,500 base salalry.

"If the president goes ahead and proposes a pay raise we're prepared to go ahead and eliminate the honorariums," Coelho said.

President Reagan sends his final budget to Congress Jan. 9, and Bush is expected to submit his own ideas after taking office.

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Bush must turn to budget, other legislative issues

By RITA BEAMISH

WASHINGTON (AP) — Now that President-elect Bush has nearly filled his Cabinet, his next major challenge is to fashion a legislative package that he can push through a Democratic-controlled Congress.

The problem of the nation's budget deficit looms as the overriding test for Bush, but his aides also are looking to move legislation on issues that Bush stressed during his campaign, including childcare, education, the environment and ethics.

The Bush team has said the budget deficit will take priority, and much of his legislative program will depend on the fiscal package he is able to work out with Congress.

"We'd have to have the framework first for dealing with the budget," said Craig Fuller, the Bush transition co-director.

But he said Bush will still pursue commitments he made during his campaign. That would mean legislative proposals in such areas as environment, childcare and education.

In the area of government ethics, where President Reagan vetoed a package from Capitol Hill last fall, Bush said recently that he will send an ethics bill to Congress "very, very early."

In his proposals on lobbying by government officials after they've left office, Bush applies the same standards to Congress as to executive branch workers, said Boyden Gray, who will serve as Bush's White House legal counsel.

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Mostly cloudy tonight and a less than 20 percent chance of rain. Details on Page 2A.

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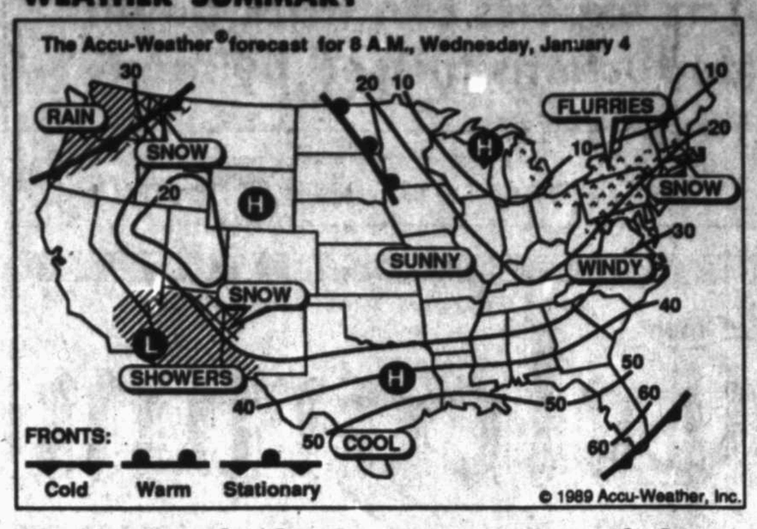

Isolated showers possible

From Staff and Wire Reports

Mostly cloudy skies and the possibility of isolated showers are in the forecast for tonight, according to the National Weather Service at Midland International Airport. There is a less than 20 percent chance of rain. The low will be in the middle 40s, and winds will be southwesterly 5-10 mph.

Wednesday is expected to be much the same with mostly cloudy skies and a continued less than 20 percent chance of rain and the possibility of isolated showers. The high will be in the middle 60s, and winds will be southwesterly 10-15 mph.

Monday's high of 69 was six degrees cooler than the record high of 75 set for that date in 1964. The overnight low of 38 was 30 degrees warmer than the record low of eight set for this date in 1983.

STATE

Skies were cloudy, but temperatures were rather mild across the Lone Star State early this morning.

Low level clouds and fog rolled in across much of South and North Texas during the early morning hours. At the same time, high clouds from the Pacific continued to drift over into Texas.

A few isolated showers and patches of drizzle formed in extreme East Texas and in parts of South Texas but amounts were small, the National Weather Service reported.

Early morning temperatures generally ranged from the 40s in the Panhandle to the 70s along the coast.

At 4 a.m., the extremes were 40 degrees at Dalhart and 72 degrees at the Corpus Christi Naval Air Station.

A surface low pressure area centered in northwest Arkansas extended down across Texas, resulting in a west to northwest wind flowing across the western half of the state. Meanwhile a southwest wind prevailed across the eastern half. Wind speeds were mainly in the 5 mph to 15 mph range.

Showers were expected tonight in far West and southwest Texas through tonight.

Several record high temperatures were set Monday in South Texas where it got into the mid and upper 80s.

Lows tonight should range from the 30s in the Panhandle to the 60s in the lower Rio Grande Valley.

Midland statistics

FORECAST

Tonight: Mostly cloudy and a less than 20 percent chance of rain. Low in the middle 40s, southwest winds 5-10 mph. Wednesday: Mostly cloudy with a less than 20 percent chance of rain, high in the middle 60s, southwest winds 10-15 mph.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

Yesterday's High	69 degrees
Overnight Low	38 degrees
Sunset today	5:57 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:50 a.m.
Precipitation:	
Last 24 hours	0 inches
This month to date	0 inches
Year to date	0 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES

6 a.m.	46	6 p.m.	60
7 a.m.	46	7 p.m.	55
8 a.m.	46	8 p.m.	53
9 a.m.	48	9 p.m.	51
10 a.m.	50	10 p.m.	51
11 a.m.	54	11 p.m.	52
noon	60	midnight	50
1 p.m.	66	1 a.m.	49
2 p.m.	68	2 a.m.	58
3 p.m.	68	3 a.m.	55
4 p.m.	66	4 a.m.	54
5 p.m.	64	5 a.m.	50
		6 a.m.	41

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Abilene	68	51	
Alice	85	68	
Amarillo	65	34	
Austin	68	63	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	75	66	.05
Beeville	84	68	.01
Brownsville	83	68	
Bryan-College Station	70	67	
Childress	58	47	
Corpus Christi	82	69	
Cotulla	80	62	
Dalhart	61	35	
Dallas	69	55	
Del Rio	71	52	
El Paso	57	38	
Fort Worth	69	53	
Galveston	71	63	
Hondo	74	58	
Houston Hobby	74	68	
Junction	77	55	
Kingsville	84	68	
Laredo	80	60	
Longview	66	66	
Lubbock	54	41	
Lufkin	73	66	.07
Marfa	63	45	
McAllen	85	69	
Midland-Odessa	69	41	
Mineral Wells	69	45	
Palacios	75	66	
San Angelo	76	46	
San Antonio	74	60	
Stephenville	71	54	
Texarkana	47	47	
Victoria	81	69	
Waco	73	58	
Wichita Falls	51	40	
Wink	62	47	

Texas area forecasts

West Texas: Mostly cloudy and mild through Wednesday. Widely scattered showers possible far west and southwest mountains through the period with isolated showers east of the mountains. Highs Wednesday in the 50s far west and ranging from near 70 to the mid 70s Concho Valley and along the Rio Grande to mainly in the 60s elsewhere. Lows tonight mid 30s southwest mountains and Panhandle to the low 40s far West and South Plains to the mid 40s Permian Basin to near 50 Concho Valley and along the river.

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albuquerque	51	30		cdy
Amarillo	65	34		cdy
Asheville	58	42		clr
Atlantic City	46	28		cdy
Austin	68	63		cdy
Billings	38	23		clr
Boston	42	34		clr
Brownsville	83	68		cdy
Burlington,Vt	35	22	.06	clr
Charleston,S.C.	55	49		clr
Charleston,W.Va.	41	34		cdy
Cincinnati	33	29		cdy
Cleveland	33	13		cdy
Denver	54	28		clr
Des Moines	29	23		cdy
Duluth	04	-03	.16	cdy
Grand Rapids	34	20		cdy
Great Falls	39	26		clr
Greensboro,N.C.	49	40		clr
Houston	70	66		cdy
Jackson,Miss.	60	55	.01	clr
Jacksonville	72	54		clr
Las Vegas	55	31		cdy
Little Rock	47	46	.03	clr
Los Angeles	67	47		cdy
Louisville	38	35	.01	cdy
Lubbock	64	41		cdy
Miami Beach	77	67		clr
Mpls-St Paul	13	06		cdy
Nashville	42	41		clr
New Orleans	74	66		clr
New York City	44	36		clr
Norfolk,Va.	51	43		clr
Omaha	32	23		clr
Orlando	78	56		clr
Phoenix	58	48		rn
Pittsburgh	36	24		cdy
Portland,Maine	31	25		cdy
Richmond	56	32		clr
Sacramento	49	32		clr
Salt Lake City	31	21		cdy
San Antonio	74	60		cdy
San Francisco	54	53		cdy
San Juan,P.R.	82	69		cdy
Spokane	35	33	.02	rn
Syracuse	39	25	.04	sn
Tampa-St Ptrsbg	77	63		clr
Tucson	61	41		rn
Tulsa	47	39		clr
Washington,D.C.	42	32		clr
Wichita	35	29		clr
Wilkes-Barre	39	28		sn

County forecasts

Midland, Ector, Glasscock, Upton, Reagan, Crane, Gaines, Andrews, Dawson, Borden, Martin and Howard counties: Tonight, mostly cloudy with isolated showers. Rain chance less than 20 percent. Low in the mid 40s. Wind southwest 5 to 10 mph. Wednesday, mostly cloudy with isolated showers. Rain chance less than 20 percent. High in the mid 60s. Wind southwest 10 to 15 mph.

Sterling, Coke, Irion and Tom Green counties: Tonight, mostly cloudy with isolated showers. Rain chance less than 20 percent. Low in the upper 40s. Wind southwest 5 to 10 mph. Wednesday, mostly cloudy with isolated showers. Rain chance less than 20 percent. High near 70. Wind southwest 10 to 15 mph.

Border forecasts

New Mexico: Widely scattered showers and higher mountain snow showers south and mostly cloudy central and north tonight. Showers spreading north and east Wednesday, snow level near 8,000 feet. Highs upper 30s to around 50 in the mountains to lower 60s southeast today, about 5 degrees of cooling on Wednesday. Lows tonight mid teens to upper 20s mountains with mostly 30s lower elevations.

Oklahoma: Fair statewide today through Wednesday. Highs today mid 50s to low 60s. Lows tonight low 20s Panhandle to low 30s southeast. Highs Wednesday upper 50s to low 60s.

Pan Am probe discussed with PLO

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The White House says representatives of the United States and the Palestine Liberation Organization have discussed possible PLO assistance in investigating the airliner bombing over Scotland that took 270 lives.

President Reagan says he would be happy to receive any information that PLO chairman Yasser Arafat might offer to help solve the mystery of Pan American Flight 103, which crash Dec. 21 en route from London to New York.

Arafat has condemned the bombing.

An administration official, speaking on condition he not be identified, said the United States stopped short of formally requesting PLO assistance.

Deputy White House Press Secretary Roman Popadiuk said Monday that Robert Pelletreau, the U.S. ambassador to Tunisia, met Saturday at the U.S. Embassy in Tunis with Hakam Balaoui, the PLO represetative in Tunis.

Popadiuk said the meeting was requested by Balaoui to introduce himself to Pelletreau. He said it was not a continuation of the contacts, which the United States calls a dialogue, which began with a meeting Dec. 16 between Pelletreau and three members of the PLO executive committee.

"The discussion centered on Middle East issues," Popadiuk said. "The ambassador took the opportunity to mention that the United States would welcome any information the PLO is able to develop concerning the Pan Am tragedy."

"This is in line with what we have already publicly stated, and is true for the PLO as well as anyone else who may have information on the bombing," he said.

The administration official who spoke anonymously said, "This was not a request for assistance from the PLO."

The official said Balaoui took note of Pelletreau's comments and told the ambassador he would relay them to Arafat.

Earlier Monday, Reagan was asked about reports that Arafat had offered his assistance in the investigation.

"We've not heard from him," the president. "We will be happy to hear from him. If he has anything to tell us, I'm sure he'll tell us."

The exchange took place as Reagan stepped off Air Force One at Los Angeles International Airport after spending New Year's weekend in the Palm Springs area.

He and his wife, Nancy, were then driven to the brick, ranch-style home in the expensive Bel Air section of Los Angeles where they will live after they leave the White House Jan. 20.

They are expected to remain behind the high walls of the estate until they return to Washington Thursday, except for an appearance at a $1 million fund-raising event Wednesday night for the Nancy Reagan Center for teen-age drug addicts, to be opened in a renovated hospital in nearby Pomona.

BUSH

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As his budget team toils over the the fiscal framework they will take into congressional negotiations, small groups of aides are working on that and other building blocks of the Bush agenda.

Research teams headed by Jim Pinkerton, head of policy development for Bush's transition operation, have gathered data from cabinet departments including synopses of measures pending in Congress and issues seen as key in the new congressional session.

Much of the "serious policy analysis" on the Bush legislative package is expected to occur early in January, said Robert Teeter, co-director of Bush's transition team.

The early proposals are expected to center on a domestic agenda, stressing the "kinder, gentler" approach to government that Bush discussed during the campaign.

Spending proposals — such as his plan to expand Medicaid coverage — ultimately will hinge on how the budget negotiations turn out. For instance, Bush's commitment to the tough anti-drug stance he took during the campaign could be tested in talks on financing the massive new anti-drug legislation Congress passed this fall.

The bill calls for $2.7 billion in new spending, but Congress initially appropriated only $976 million.

But other items, such as the ethics package, don't have a significant pricetag.

One idea is to stress presidential leadership on projects that don't involve large sums of money, such as an international conference Bush has proposed to deal with the problem of global warming of the atmosphere from carbon dioxide.

Bush wants a revised clean-air bill, and said in the campaign the nation must have "a clear commitment to emissions reductions on a clear timetable."

He said he will work with Congress "on the exact amounts and exact methodology" to reduce nitrogen oxide and sulpher dioxide emissions.

On one of the acid-rain sticking points, Bush proposes burden sharing of the costs among ratepayers nationwide rather than just in the polluting regions.

The Clean Air Act has been up for renewal every year this decade, but Congress has been unable to agree on the provision dealing with acid rain.

"There will be a long negotiation on acid rain and clean air authorization," predicted Bush adviser Bob Grady.

Environmentalists also are waiting to see how the Bush team handles some of the regulatory aspects of environmental protection and cleanup, a subject on which the Reagan administration was heavily criticized.

Another controversial topic is offshore oil drilling. Congress, in an ad hoc approach, has tacked on a drilling prohibition for the California coast, for example, when passing appropriations for the Interior Department each year.

Bush, a former oilman, has shied away from blanket bans, saying he will look at the drilling situation on a tract-by-tract basis.

Bush also emphasized education issues during the campaign. His proposals include a $500 million merit schools program, $50 million for magnet schools, and $50 million for programs in teaching reform and innovation.

He also promised to push for a big increase in Heat Start funding, to extend it to all eligible 4-year-olds.

Bush during the campaign pledged a childcare plan, to include a government refund for childcare expenses for the poor, with a $1,000 tax credit per child under age 4.

Differences between Bush's childcare plan and versions offered by Congress are expected to spark a battle. The new president also will send Congress his plan for YES, or Youth Entering Service to America. It calls for $100 million to match private sector grants for young people to volunteer in community service programs.

CONGRESS

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Before fiscal 1990 begins Oct. 1, Congress and the new president must agree on how to cut more than $25 billion in spending, or to raise taxes, in order to meet the goals of the Gramm-Rudman budget balancing law.

Awaiting Bush's proposals before offering their own are House Speaker Jim Wright, D-Texas, and the Senate's new majority leader, George Mitchell of Maine. Mitchell succeeds Sen. Robert C. Byrd, D-W.Va., who will also play a key fiscal role as he moves over to the chairmanship of the Appropriations Committee.

Bush pledged repeatedly during the campaign he would not support any new taxes, but many Democrats are openly skeptical he can keep that promise.

Among the doubters are the chairmen of the House and Senate Budget committees — both new to those posts — Rep. Leon Panetta, D-Calif., and Sen. Jim Sasser, D-Tenn. Sasser has publicly predicted that Bush would be coming to Congress within two years asking for a tax increase.

Even Bob Michel, R-Ill., who returns as the House minority leader, said he suspects some new taxes might have to be combined with spending cuts for the deficit goals to be achieved.

Sen. Bob Dole of Kansas, re-elected Senate Republican leader, said he hasn't seen any indications that Bush is softening his anti-tax position. But he warned demands on the federal till are increasing.

SWITCH

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"I had heard rumors that this was going to happen," Democratic Chairman Janet Massey said.

The lastest party switch leaves only three Democrats — State District Judge Vann Culp, County Commissioner Louisa Valencia and County Court-at-Law Judge Willie Dubose — holding elected offices in Midland County.

However, Ms. Massey refused to put the blame on the Midland County Democratic Party, which has been losing membership since 1970.

She said Democrats plan on having a full slate of candidates running for office against Republicans in 1990.

Seltzer asserted that all three of the new Republicans are among the most efficient, conscientious and hard working county officials in Texas, but had special words of praise for Ms. Cherry, whom he described as one of his oldest and dearest friends.

"Rosenelle Cherry is recognized throughout Texas as one of the best, if not the very best, county clerk in the state," he said.

In 1983, Ms. Cherry received the Outstanding County Clerk award from the Texas District and County Clerks Association.

She has served in the County Clerk's office since 1948 and was appointed to the top post in 1951 to fill an unexpired term. Elected to the office in 1952, Ms. Cherry has run unopposed every year since then.

Ms. Thompson acknowledged that she, in reality, had switched parties by voting in the 1988 Republican primary election.

"I have always been very conservative," said the county treasurer who won her first election in 1958. "I believe anyone I have ever worked with in county government would verify that fact."

Seltzer described the announcement as a "wonderful way to start the new year."

He said the three new Republicans discovered what Railroad Commissioner Kent Hance and U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm discovered long ago: that the Democratic Party no longer represented their personal or political beliefs.

"In short, the Democratic Party abandoned Ms. Cherry, Ms. Thompson and Judge Pine. And in this case, the Democrats' loss is the Republicans' gain," he added.

Pine, who was first appointed to the Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1, Place 2, seat in 1964, agreed.

"The Democratic Party has changed drastically since I first ran for office in 1966 and I now more closely identify with the goals and the beliefs of the Republican Party," he said.

SHIP

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His signal was weaker than would be expected from the area where he claimed the ship was going down, and he refused to give specific information that would aid in the search, Thompson said. As a result, the search area had to be expanded.

Despite the caller's vague report, Thompson said, he quickly repeated key phrases during an approximate 20-minute conversation, suggesting he "knew exactly what he wanted to say."

The man who radioed the distress call said he was about 21 nautical miles south-southeast of Galveston, but would not specify what Galveston point he was using as a reference, nor give a latitude and longitude. There are three widely spread reference points — a jetty and two buoys — along the island.

Thompson said the Coast Guard had to assume the report was real.

"We can't just say this is someone calling in a false report and then have 21 people dead," he said.

"We've covered the whole area with a combination of four crafts and we had negative sightings," Thompson said after the search was called off shortly before 5 p.m. "There was no use in keeping them out there any longer. We should have had a sighting of something that indicated a boat had been on fire or sunk, one of the two."

He said the Coast Guard was looking into the possibility the distress call was a ruse.

"I don't want to get into much speculation, but this is a good thing for drug smugglers, they try to do it all the time, put out false reports," Thompson said. "Anyone with common sense knows that if you don't want anyone around, you send them somewhere else."

Soviets deny rescue report

MOSCOW (AP) — The Soviet government today denied Western media reports that 17 survivors of the Dec. 7 Armenian earthquake had recently been found in a wrecked bakery, saying the last survivor was rescued 10 days ago.

Tass, the official news agency, contradicted French and British broadcast reports that said 17 people had, by eating grain and melted snow, survived in a devastated bakery in the town of Spitak for more than three weeks.

"The Western press reports ... have no foundation," Tass quoted Norik Muradyan, chief of rescue operations in the town, as saying today in a telephone interview.

"The last living person was removed by rescuers from the ruins of buildings and structures in Spitak 10 days ago," he was quoted as saying.

Since Thursday, the bodies of 28 more earthquake victims have been pulled from the rubble, bringing the total of recovered bodies to 24,888, Tass said.

In Paris, Europe 1 radio on Monday quoted a nurse for the French humanitarian group Doctors of the World as saying the 17 survivors were found in a bread factory.

BOND

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"We still have some needs out there that can't be addressed. Drainage is a high priority issue. We'll have to come up with some additional funds."

Rendall says a bond issue is one alternative that will probably be studied — especially after the city managed to end the year on a strong fiscal note. Rendall also is well aware that the city's bond ratings are as strong as ever, which can save the city money in the long run.

So the question now is, what type of issue, if any, would Midland residents be willing to support?

"We'll survive," says Marcum. "We'll just have to take it a little slower and accomplish more with less."

Bomb threats delay some flights

GENEVA (AP) — Bomb threats forced a four-hour stopover by an Alitalia airliner at Zurich's Kloten airport and delayed Pan Am and Dan Air departures from Geneva, police said today.

The Scandinavian airline SAS, prompted by a bomb threat reportedly from an Iranian Shiite Moslem group, maintained the highest alert in its history, causing flight delays for a third day.

Airlines have been especially sensitive to threats since a bomb exploded aboard a Pan Am jumbo jet on Dec. 21, killing 270 people on board and in the Scottish village of Lockerbie.

"In most cases, such calls prove to be a hoax," said Peter Gutknecht, spokesman at Kloten airport. "But we have to take every threat seriously."

The Alitalia DC-9 was on a flight from Paris to Venice when the pilot was told by Munich air controllers of an anonymous bomb threat and decided to land in Zurich. The flight continued early today after a search.

Another anonymous threat forced about 30 passengers of an Istanbul-bound Pan Am Boeing 727 to spend the night at Geneva hotels. Their flight continued this morning after the plane was searched.

The departure of a 727 of the British charter airline Dan Air with about 170 British children returning from a Swiss holiday was delayed by several hours Monday after Geneva police received a telephone call from a man who said security forces had 15 minutes to evacuate the plane. Police said the caller identified himself as a member of the Irish Republican Army, which is fighting to end British rule of Northern Ireland.

The plane was searched, but no bomb was found.

Passengers flying Scandinavian Airlines System from some 90 airports worldwide were asked to identify their luggage before it was loaded onto planes, and cargo was undergoing extra scrutiny, SAS officials said.

Domestic fliers in Sweden took their own baggage to the aircraft, and unattended bags were hustled into secure areas and x-rayed.

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1988 called dazzling peacemaking year

UNITED NATIONS (AP) — Outgoing U.S. Ambassador Vernon A. Walters says U.N. peacemaking successes last year — ending wars in Afghanistan and Angola and between Iran and Iraq — are unprecedented in the annals of the world body.

Walters

These successes and warming U.S.-Soviet relations have made the United Nations "a better place for the United States to do business," Walters said in a farewell interview.

The former deputy head of the Central Intelligence Agency said the U.S. view of the world body, once hostile and disdainful, has changed to appreciation. "If properly handled," Walters said, "the U.N. can be advantageous in promoting our goals of peace, prosperity and freedom."

"If it didn't exist, it would have to be invented."

He spoke as the General Assembly concluded its 43rd session, a dazzling year of achievements.

It was the year of the Nobel Peace Prize for U.N. peacekeeping operations, the farewell speech by President Reagan, the U.N. debut of Soviet President Mikhail S. Gorbachev and a move to Geneva to hear PLO Chairman Yasser Arafat.

Walters, 71, who has served as U.S. permanent representative here since 1985, described what he called an "extraordinarily successful" year.

"We got agreements to end the Afghan War, the Persian Gulf War (between Iran and Iraq) and the war in Angola. There is nothing like it in the annals of the United Nations," said Walters, who is being succeeded by Thomas Pickering, ambassador to Israel.

"And, God willing," Walters said, "We will shut down the Western Sahara and Cambodia wars very soon."

Walters refused to disclose his next posting, but diplomats speculated he might be assigned to a European capital.

Last month, Angola, Cuba and South Africa signed agreements providing for Namibian independence from South Africa and the withdrawal of Cuban troops from Angola. A U.N. independence plan for Namibia will be implemented next year and U.N. peacekeepers and observers deployed.

Walters also said he believed the United States will pay about $400 million in arrears. He has opposed U.S. withholding of U.N. dues to protest what Washington considers U.N. bias and inefficiency and has urged restoration of full funding.

The United Nations is far more effective today than in the past, and anti-U.S. name-calling, which flooded this forum several years ago, is virtually nonexistent.

"We no longer get the 'blood-sucking vampires of Wall Street draining the last drop from the toiling masses of the Third World.' That stuff is gone," Walters said.

He attributed the change almost entirely to the new international environment and improved U.S.-Soviet relations.

"In the old days, if we said it was 'black,' the Soviets said it was 'white,'" he said. "That's no longer there and the possibility of playing off East against West has largely disappeared."

Walters said he gave "a great deal of the credit to Mr. Gorbachev, who had the courage to make very difficult decisions. He clearly was the one who decided to change the style and content of foreign policy."

He added, however, that "a lot of obstacles were created by the Soviet Union through its contrariness and desire to inflict its ideology on others."

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Afghan party changes name; Advisers leave

ISLAMABAD, Pakistan (AP) — Six weeks before the promised Soviet withdrawal of all troops from Afghanistan, members of the Kabul government have moved dependents to new homes near the Soviet border, Western diplomats said today.

The diplomats also said the country's ruling Peoples Democratic Party is changing its name and that of its newspaper in an effort to broaden its appeal and remove references to the bloody 1978 revolution it rode to power.

The moves coincide with the exodus of Soviet civilian advisers from the Afghan capital and warnings from foreign embassies that their nationals leave the country unless they have essential business, the diplomats said.

Under U.N.-mediated accords, half of the roughly 100,000 Soviet troops that had been in Afghanistan fighting Moslem guerrillas left the country by Aug. 15 and the balance are to be out by Feb. 15.

Soviet troops intervened in Afghanistan to prop up the government in 1979.

In the western part of the country, the Soviet pullout has begun from Shindad and Herat, said the Islamabad-based diplomats, who spoke on condition of anonymity. They quoted Afghan officials as saying the the main military withdrawal will begin Jan. 15.

The diplomats said senior members of the Peoples Democratic Party of Afghanistan have been allocated apartments in Mazar-e-Sharief, 165 miles northeast of Kabul. Most of them have sent their dependents and household goods to town near the Soviet border.

The Special Guard, which protects party and government officials, has increased to at least 4,000 members and is expected to rise to 20,000 to withstand guerrilla attacks when the Soviets leave, the diplomats said.

Special Aeroflot flights have taken Soviet advisers from the capital, and the Soviet Embassy has been reduced to about 100 workers, the diplomats said.

The ruling party will change its name to the Liberal, Democratic and National Party and adopt "free market policies along the lines of Western Social Democratic parties," said one Western diplomat, citing Afghan sources.

The name of the party newspaper has been changed the more moderate Message from Truth of the April Revolution, diplomats said.

A cease-fire President Najib offered on New Year's Day has been ignored by guerrillas and by government troops.

State-run radio said 82 people — including 79 guerrillas — were killed and 40 wounded in fighting Sunday and Monday. It said the three others were civilians.

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Ferry captain charged with negligent homicide

GUATEMALA CITY (AP) — Authorities charged a 22-year-old ferry captain with negligent homicide after the boat, overcrowded with New Year's travelers, sank off the Caribbean coast. Sixty-seven people drowned and 14 were missing.

Officials said 46 people survived the sinking of the ferry Justo Rufino Barrios II in Amatique Bay on Guatemala's east coast Sunday.

Juan Pablo Ezquibel was arrested after authorities determined that about 120 people were aboard the 30-ton ferry, which was authorized to carry 90, said Capt. Anibal Giron Arreola, second-in-command at the Puerto Barrios naval base.

He said by telephone that the ferry ran out of fuel midway on a 16-mile run across the bay from Livingston to Puerto Barrios and sank after a naval patrol boat tried to tow it to port.

Officials had yet to determine the exact cause of the sinking, but Giron Arreola said the ferry captain was slow to respond to requests by the skipper of the naval patrol boat to take control of the ferry's wheel once it was under tow. He said the patrol boat captain believed the ferry's rudder was unmanned while under tow.

Esquibel radioed that he had taken the wheel just as the boat began to capsize, Giron Arreola said.

Giron Arreola also said that passengers ran to one side of the ferry while it was under tow just before the ferry sank.

"It appears the boat rode a wave and that as it was leaning the people ran to one side out of fear," he said. Although seas were only 1-to-1½ feet, passengers were not used to traveling by sea, he said.

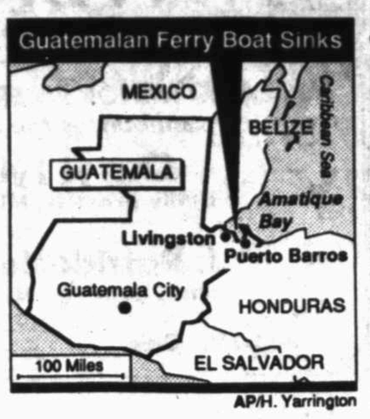
No Americans were on board, he said.

A morgue official said 13 bodies were identified.

Navy patrol boats, fishing vessels and other private craft searched for the missing Monday.

Puerto Barrios, 187 miles northeast of Guatemala City, the capital, is Guatemala's main east coast port. There are no roads to Livingston and most travel along the coast is by boat.

The Rufino Barrios Maritime Transport firm owns the ferry and operates two other ferries along the Livingston-Puerto Barrios route.



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Former mayor blamed for massacre flees Haiti

PORT-AU-PRINCE, Haiti (AP) — The former mayor of Port-au-Prince blamed for the church massacre of 12 people has fled Haiti after receiving a safe-conduct pass from the military government.

Franck Romain left Port-au-Prince on Saturday after spending three months in the Dominican Embassy, the Information Ministry said. He was given political asylum in the embassy after the Sept. 17 military coup that brought Lt. Gen. Prosper Avril to power.

The ministry statement, issued Sunday, did not say where Romain had gone, but he was believed to be in the Dominican Republic, which shares the island of Hispaniola with Haiti. He was given an official pass assuring his safe departure at the request of the Dominican government, the ministry said.

In the Dominican Republic, the daily newspaper El Nacional reported Monday that Romain was in the country on Sunday.

The newspaper quoted sources in the Dominican Embassy in Haiti as saying Romain was taken to the border in an embassy automobile under military escort. Once at the border, Romain traveled to Santo Domingo, where he is staying with friends, the newspaper reported.

El Nacional said Romain's wife and a son left the embassy two weeks earlier. But it did not say whether they also traveled to the Dominican Republic.

Jose del Carmen Acosta, the Dominican ambassador in Haiti, declined comment.

Romain, who has not been charged, was accused of directing the Sept. 11 massacre at a Roman Catholic church in a Port-au-Prince slum. Attackers armed with guns, machete knives and spikes killed 12 people and wounded at least 70 others.

The Information Ministry said Romain's departure did not "prejudice the legal proceedings" against him, but did not elaborate.

The former mayor was a reputed leader of the Tonton Macoutes, the dreaded militia set up during the 29-year Duvalier dictatorship, and perpetrators of the church massacre were identified as City Hall employees.

The soldiers who overthrew Lt. Gen. Henri Namphy in September said they were provoked by the atrocity and wanted to end state-sponsored violence.

Namphy fled to the Dominican Republic and remains there with his wife and daughter.

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WORLD in brief

Soviets unhappy with shuttle project

MOSCOW (AP) — It was hard to tell the Soviets from the Americans without a scorecard this week as squabbling grew louder over spending huge amounts on a Soviet space shuttle project while other needs go begging.

The Communist Party newspaper Pravda said Monday, without giving details of the debate, that some scientists involved in the project joined consumers upset by food and clothing shortages in questioning the value of the program.

In the years before scientists here revealed their own shuttle program, they assailed the U.S. project as too costly and of questionable use. Many Soviet scientists said they could gain the same goals with more standard, single-use rockets.

Pravda said in a full-page article devoted to the development and testing of the Soviet shuttle that a "major rethinking and a fierce clash of ideas, concepts and proposals are under way" even within the space shuttle program.

The Soviets successfully launched the space shuttle Buran (Snowstorm) on Nov. 15 on an unmanned 3-hour, 20-minute test flight.

Pravda said that only a small part of the Soviet shuttle's program has been fulfilled, and the Buran has yet to prove that it can perform useful work in orbit.

The newspaper said that the reaction of Soviet citizens to the 1961 launch of cosmonaut Yuri Gagarin was much more positive than the reaction to the space shuttle program, even though people were poorer then.

It said the hopes for a better life that people lost during years of corrupt government and a stagnant economy were to blame.

The techonological advancements of the shuttle program eventually will work their way into everyday life, however, Pravda said.

Five die in Beirut clashes

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — Rival Shiite Moslem militias blasted each other with grenades, mortars and cannons in Beirut's southern slums all night, and police today said five combatants were killed and seven others wounded.

Thousands of residents remained huddled in basements and bomb shelters as the fighting raged into a fourth day, police said.

The sound of explosions reverberated across the Lebanese capital as militiamen of the Syrian-backed Amal, Arabic for hope, and the pro-Iranian Hezbollah, or Party of God, battled under parachute flares.

Iran had planned to send its deputy foreign minister, Mohammed Javad Larijani, to Beirut to try to attain a cease-fire, according to radio stations in Moslem west Beirut. But Larijani flew to the Soviet Union today, Iran's official Islamic Republic

Army cutbacks feared

JERUSALEM (AP) — Critics of a government austerity plan said Monday some provisions could hurt the army by forcing cuts in weapons purchases or training programs.

Ministers and legislators from both major political blocs accused Finance Minister Shimon Peres of not working out the details of his plan before announcing it Sunday.

His proposals call for controlling inflation by curbing cost-of-living pay increases and cutting about $600 million from government spending on the army, schools, hospitals and welfare.

Peres, who leads the center-left Labor Party, said his inflation target was 9 percent by the end of 1989, about half of the current annual figure of 18 percent. He did not say where spending cuts should be made, leaving that to a ministerial committee expected to convene Wednesday or Thursday.

Rebels willing to meet

SAN JOSE, Costa Rica (AP) — Nicaraguan rebel leaders on Monday told Costa Rican President Oscar Arias they are willing to attend peace talks in Washington with the leftist Nicaraguan government.

"We have the honor of confirming to you, Mr. President, our willingness to reach a political solution to the conflict and that we have decided to accept Washington as the city where negotiations with the Sandinista government should continue," the leadership of the Nicaraguan Resistance, the rebels' political organization, told Arias in a letter.

Arias is the author of a 1987 peace plan for Central America that calls, in part, for negotiated solutions to civil conflicts in Nicaragua, El Salvador and Guatemala.

A tenuous cease-fire agreement between the U.S.-backed Nicaraguan rebels, known as Contras, and the leftist Sandinistas has been in effect since March. Negotiations on a permanent end to the seven-year-old civil war broke down in September.

Iran builds fighter plane

NICOSIA, Cyprus (AP) — Iranian Premier Hussein Mussavi said Monday that Iran is nearing military self-sufficiency by building an advanced fighter plane and maintaining its aging U.S.-made F-4 and F-5 fighters, Tehran television reported.

The broadcast, monitored in Nicosia, said Mussavi spoke after inspecting Iranian air force facilities, but showed footage of only one single-propeller trainer plane said to be locally built.

Mussavi said Iran now was able to repair its U.S.-made Hawk surface-to-air missiles without outside help.

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Base closing plan needs careful study

The announcement that a Pentagon commission has directed the closing of three dozen military bases is being met with mixed reviews around the nation. The move, part of a proposed realignment of military installations nationwide, has been discussed in recent years as a way of pruning unnecessary costs from the federal budget while updating and modernizing defense concepts.

Without a doubt the proposal will bring sharp remarks from Congress — if Defense Secretary Frank Carlucci doesn't opt to veto it on his own before Jan. 16th. Closing military bases strikes close to home with political constituents and, thus, with members of Congress. In fact, because of the sensitivity of base closing plans some observers already are saying the plan is doomed.

Although defense expenditures can be correctly labeled political plums, to the degree that they benefit local economies, there are other considerations involved in such a sweeping cut as the one now proposed. First and foremost, the cuts should be rendered without compromising national security. Local considerations shouldn't really play into the decision, although from a legislative standpoint they do, of course.

That fact underscores the battle coming in the Congress if Carlucci doesn't act. And without a doubt self-interest will be the battle cry of many who will crouch behind the shield of national security.

Texas fared well in the commission's recommendation. Only one installation — the Navy's home port in Galveston — would be abandoned if the plan is approved. With that fact out in the open, Texas must stand up to charges that acceptance of the Pentagon plan is based on the state's vested interests.

Regardless of local concerns, however, it would be foolish for the nation to face further debt provided the number of military installations can be scaled back without jeopardizing national security. Ironically this most recent move to close bases comes in the wake of a troop and armaments reduction move by Soviet President Mikhail Gorbachev. That would seem to bolster this plan to cut U.S. military installations in the interest of reducing the national debt.

We favor a strong defensive posture, but also recognize that a nation can damage itself fiscally if it attempts to arm and defend itself in a way that isn't needed. The Pentagon commission has made a recommendation that could lead to a significant savings of tax dollars. Now it's up to Carlucci and the Congress to review the commission's recommendations and act in the national interest.

Another View:

Murder in the forest

Francisco Mendes Filho, gunned down a few days ago at his home in Brazil's Amazon rain forests, didn't start out as an environmentalist. He was a labor leader, the head of a union of 3,000 rubber tappers. But his union's fight to preserve the rain forests of the Amazon, whose resources sustained the workers, also was the world's environmental fight. His murder was everyone's loss.

For the rubber workers of the Amazon, the rain forests represent a way of life. Tapping trees for latex and scouring the forests for nuts, fruits and plans, they exploit the forest for their livelihood, but without destroying it. For the rest of the world, those forests represent an absorber of carbon, vital to maintaining the climatic balance of the earth at a time of carbon dioxide buildup in the atmosphere and the global warming it causes.

But for the plungers and speculators of Brazil, the rain forest is an obstacle to be burned and turned into pasture for cattle and profits. According to scientists' estimates, would-be ranchers burned 77,000 square miles of Brazilian rain forest last year alone, accounting for up to 10 percent of the global outputs of man-made carbon dioxide dumped into the atmosphere.

When Mendes led his rubber tappers to sit in front of bulldozers to protect the trees, it was to save the workers' livelihood. But that courage in the face of threats by ranchers and speculators served us all.

Mendes' murder, arranged by the son of a prominent local rancher, underscores the difficulties and high stakes in the effort to preserve the world's tropical forests. That is particularly true in Brazil, where the government has yet to live up to its duties either to protect the environment or the human rights of the people of the Amazon. Scores of other rubber tappers and Indians who have resisted the destruction of the forests and their way of life have died violently, and their killers go unpunished.

The killing of Francisco Mendes, winner of the United Nations' Global 500 award for environmental protection, is a black mark on Brazil's reputation. That reputation won't change until Brazil punishes the violence against those who would protect the forests and institutes effective policies that put the government on the side of those fighting against the torches and the bulldozers.

— The Sacramento Bee

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Tuesday, Jan. 3, the third day of 1989. There are 362 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Jan. 3, 1959, President Dwight D. Eisenhower signed a proclamation admitting Alaska to the Union as the 49th state.

On this date:

In 1521, Martin Luther was excommunicated from the Roman Catholic Church.

In 1777, George Washington's army routed the British in the Battle of Princeton, N.J.

In 1833, Britain seized control of the Falkland Islands in the South Atlantic. Almost 150 years later, Argentina seized the islands from the British, but Britain took them back after a 74-day war.)

In 1871, Henry W. Bradley of Binghamton, N.Y., received a patent for oleomargarine.

In 1938, the March of Dimes campaign to fight polio was organized.

In 1946, William Joyce, known as "Lord Haw Haw" for his pro-Nazi radio broadcasts from Germany, was hanged in London. Although American-born, Joyce held a British passport.

In 1961, the United States severed diplomatic relations with Cuba.

In 1967, Jack Ruby, the man who shot presidential assassin Lee Harvey Oswald on live television, died in a Dallas hospital.

In 1983, Republican George Deukmejian was sworn in as California's 35th governor, after eight years of leadership by Democrat Edmund G. "Jerry" Brown Jr.

One year ago: The Israeli army ordered nine Palestinian activists deported as part of a controversial crackdown to stop the uprising in the occupied territories.

Today's Birthdays: Comedian Victor Borge is 80. Consumer reporter Betty Furness is 73. Singer Maxene Andrews is 71. Actor Jesse White is 70. Sportscaster Hank Stram is 66. Record producer George Martin is 63. Actor Eddie Egan is 59. Actor Dabney Coleman is 57. Journalist-author Betty Rollin is 53. Singer Stephen Stills is 44. Actress Victoria Principal is 39. Actor Mel Gibson is 33.

Thought for Today: "Infinity converts the possible into the inevitable." —Norman Cousins, American editor.

JACK ANDERSON

Meat industry finds legislative friend

WASHINGTON — The American meat industry has found a friend in Sen. Rudy Boschwitz, R-Minn., and vice versa.

Jack Anderson

A new and drastically reduced meat inspection program will go into effect by the middle of this year, in part because of some quick thinking by Boschwitz in the waning hours of the 99th Congress in 1986.

The powerful meat industry lobby was working feverishly that session for a law to radically change the way the government inspects processed meats such as hot dogs and bologna.

Boschwitz tacked a rider on the Commodities Futures Trading Reauthorization Act, and, without so much as a hearing, the Senate passed it.

As a result, the Agriculture Department may soon pull daily inspectors out of some meat processing plants. The department has tested the new reduced inspection plan and is going through the formality of taking public comments until Feb. 2. The new rules could be implemented by the middle of this year.

Before Boschwitz came to the Senate, the tall, dapper man was best known for the television commercials he filmed for his Plywood Minnesota lumber yards. It appears he has taken a liking to another major Minnesota industry — meat packing.

In 1986, after Boschwitz gave a speech to meat moguls, a woman from the American Meat Institute ran up to the senator and planted a kiss on his cheek. Boschwitz should have been the one doing the kissing. The American Meat Institute, the industry's political action committee, donated $1,000 to his campaign that year and paid him another $1,000 for the speech.

A spokesman for the senator told us Boschwitz was performing a constituent service by sponsoring the meat bill. The stockyards of St. Paul, Minn., became the country's largest after the Chicago yards shut down. Boschwitz looks out for that industry.

While Boschwitz may have gotten the job done in the Senate, Charles Stenholm, D-Texas, started the ball rolling in the House. He tacked the bill onto the fastest moving congressional vehicle in 1986, the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act.

Like Boschwitz, Stenholm has received modest campaign sums from the American Meat Institute. We don't have any reports of kisses.

Stenholm denies that his bill will reduce processed meat inspection. It reduces the frequency of inspections at some plants, but the law also gives the Agriculture Department more power to shut down a plant producing dirty meat. Stenholm's theory is that it's better to have 1,100 inspectors armed with "shoulder rockets" than 2,200 with bows and arrows.

As a concession to consumer groups, Stenholm included a sunset provision, which means the new policy will have to be reviewed and approved again by Congress in 1992 or it will expire.

Under the law, meat company employees will assume many of the inspection duties now done by the federal government, including the power to condemn meat and shut down the assembly line. There is nothing in the law to protect company whistleblowers from reprisals by their bosses. Government inspectors who used to be at the plants every day will now make random visits. Any way you slice it, that looks like deregulation.

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HIGGINS IS PAWN — The highest ranking American hostage, Col. William Higgins, is a victim of the power struggle that is raging in Iran. An Iranian deputy foreign minister announced in Lebanon that Iran will seek the release of Western hostages. But the terrorists who hold Higgins have threatened to kill him. Our sources believe the threat was a rebuff by the radicals who accuse Iranian pragmatists of renouncing the pure revolutionary doctrines taught by the Ayatollah Khomeini. One source told us that the hostages are held by the Musawi Clan in Lebanon which gets its signals from Iran, but the signals are mixed.

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MINI-EDITORIAL — The United States is no longer sending military aid to the Nicaraguan contras. But American taxpayers are still paying for that losing cause at home at a rate of $460,000 a month. That's the cost of running the investigation into the Iran-contra conspiracy. To date, investigators and attorneys have cost the taxpayers more than $12 million. That goes a long way to diminish Oliver North's status as a "hero."

Jack Anderson and Dale Van Atta are columnists for United Feature Syndicate.

WHOM TO WRITE

Following is a list of the names and addresses of various state and federal officials Midlanders may wish to contact from time-to-time:

PRESIDENT: Ronald Reagan (R), The President, The White House, Washington, D.C. 20500.

SENATORS: Lloyd Bentsen (D) and Phil Gramm (R), Senate Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20510.

GOVERNOR: Bill Clements (R), State Capitol Building, Austin, Texas 78701.

EVANS & NOVAK

Bennett surprising top choice for drug czar

WASHINGTON — William J. Bennett, who resigned as secretary of education last fall to make some money in the private sector, has suddenly appeared as front-runner to fill the newly created post of drug czar.

The outspoken Bennett was not George Bush's favorite member of the Reagan Cabinet and has been considered too controversial by the Bush transition team. But Bennett, who makes no secret of long-term presidential ambitions, has not enjoyed being out of the limelight since leaving the Cabinet and is an eager applicant for the drug post.

Bush advisers originally wanted a law enforcement official for the drug post, created by act of Congress last year, and somebody fitting that description might yet be named. But as thinking in the Bush inner circle has moved toward a high profile drug czar, Bennett has moved into first place.

SCHLESINGER REPEATING?

Incoming White House chief of staff John Sununu has given a green light for President-elect Bush to pick James Schlesinger for secretary of energy, the same job he held under President Jimmy Carter.

Schlesinger, a registered Republican but a free spirit politically, contributed to Bush's campaign last fall with a Time magazine article assailing Michael Dukakis' national security policy. Besides his political help, the former defense secretary and CIA director in Republican administrations fills Bush's specifications for an energy secretary with broad nuclear weapons experience to deal with outdated plants making weapons-grade nuclear fuel.

Rowland Evans and Robert Novak

That need put Schlesinger, a caustic and tough administrator, on Bush's short list for the last unfilled Cabinet seat. But political advisers to the president-elect warn that Schlesinger is tarred with energy control policies that he presided over in Carter days.

TOWER TV BLOOPER

Bush transition officials are steaming over Secretary of Defense-designate John Tower's appearance on CBS's "Face the Nation" without asking special permission for an exemption from blackout orders.

Tower went on the program because of a personal commitment to its host, Lesley Stahl, before he received routine blackout orders following his nomination not to talk to the news media prior to Senate confirmation. Nevertheless, his appearance on the Christmas Day program came as an unpleasant surprise to the Bush transition team.

Apart from aggravation that their rules were broken, Bush aides were unhappy about the substance of the Tower interview. They contend no purpose was served when the often repeated and denied charges of womanizing and drinking against the former senator were raised by Stahl.

WORLD BANK TO TOKYO?

An intriguing shuffle is being talked about in Bush transition circles with World Bank President Barber Conable getting the critically important post of ambassador to Japan and being replaced by former Federal Reserve Chairman Paul Volcker.

Conable, a former Republican congressman from upstate New York, is close to President-elect Bush and was his presidential campaign chairman in 1980. He is reported by insiders to be tired of administering the huge international lending organization. He would satisfy the Japanese demand for a comparably prestigious figure to replace departing longtime Ambassador Mike Mansfield.

Conable to Tokyo would pave the way for Volcker's return to government after a two-year absence. Volcker is making big bucks for the first time in his life, but friends say the World Bank is the one public post he would consider taking.

BUSH'S CIA PALS

With George Bush's old pal James Lilly the leading choice for assistant secretary of state for Far Eastern affairs, his post as ambassador to South Korea is now slated for Donald Gregg, Bush's much-investigated national security aide.

That would send one ex-CIA officer to replace another. Lilly was the agency's station chief in Beijing when Bush was U.S. envoy to China. Gregg once served as CIA station chief in Seoul.

Gregg, Bush's close friend, was repeatedly but unsuccessfully charged with playing a hidden role for the vice president in the Iran-Contra affair. What to do with him has been on Bush's front burner for weeks.

Rowland Evans and Robert Novak are columnists for North America Syndicate.

CHARLEY REESE

Congress ready to sucker public — again!

There must be something in the drinking water that makes people in Washington go crazy. Otherwise no one could say with a straight face that an $89,500 a year salary constitutes a hardship. Or that a payraise jumping it to $135,000 represents a reform.

Charley Reese

Both things are being said as Congress prepares to sneak through another outrageous payraise for itself as well as other top federal bureaucrats.

Here are the tricks involved, all of which are designed to bamboozle you, the public.

Some years ago the cowards in Congress decided they could no longer stand the heat of voting for their own payraises, as previous congresses had done since the beginning of the Republic.

They devised this scheme whereby a federal commission, made up mainly of beltway lawyers and corporate honchos, recommends a pay raise. The president then incorporates that recommendation or his own into his budget request and 30 days later, abracadabra, the pay raise takes effect and Congress never votes on it.

The only way for Congress's pay hike to be halted is for a majority to vote for a resolution rejecting it. Last time, when they hiked their pay from $75,100 to $89,500, House Speaker Jim Wright, the master trickster, delayed a vote until one day after the deadline. In other words, they could then all vote against the payraise but get it anyway.

This year they have coupled the payraise with a prohibition against honorariums so they are, in effect, saying give me a 50 percent pay hike and I'll give up one form of unethical behavior. Or, to put it more bluntly, pay me not to take bribes in the form of honorariums.

I'm tempted strongly not to write about this subject since voters were dumb enough to re-elect 99 percent of the incumbents. These incumbents have, naturally enough, taken their re-election as a signal that no amount of outrageous behavior on their part, fiscal irresponsibility, and rape of the taxpayer will jeapordize their cushy jobs.

If their constituents ask for it, then they will certainly shove it in to the hilt.

Congress is already overpaid, both in real and comparative terms. Since when do people who will not balance the budget, who have run up nearly $3 trillion in debt and another several trillion in unfunded liabilities, deserve to be rewarded?

In the Great Depression, a Congress with more integrity cut its own pay. In the present fiscal crisis, this Congress, though sorely lacking in integrity, should cut its pay — not raise it.

Last year, 99 million Americans filed income taxes. Just over 98 million of them were in income brackets below the present salary level of Congress. The median income for households is about $24,000 and the average annual pay in the U.S. is about $19,000.

And these guys can't make it on $89,500 plus the best pension system in the universe, an outrageous array of perks, an enormous expense account, and special tax breaks? Bull.

I don't see any of them anxious to give up their seats. I don't see any shortage of candidates. There is in fact no shortage of candidates for Congress, for federal judgships or the top federal bureaucratic slots because the pay and benefits are more than adequate.

In human beings, you can't buy quality. A human being is what he or she is regardless of his compensation. No crook was ever turned honest by paying him more. No greedy person ever became satisified with whatever he was getting. Stupidity, venality, greed, dishonesty, arrogance, cowardice, and irresponsibility are all traits which cannot be redeemed by pay raises.

If most congressmen were paid what they are worth, they would owe the U.S. Treasury.

Charley Reese is a columnist for King Features Syndicate.

Supreme Court justices take oath

AUSTIN (AP) — Two newly sworn justices on the Texas Supreme Court — one Democrat and one Republican — say they look forward to serving on a court that works together.

"I want to be part of a Supreme Court that is the pride of Texas and an example to others across the country," said Republican Justice Nathan Hecht, a former Dallas appeals judge.

Democratic Justice Lloyd Doggett, also elected in November, said, "I believe that what this court will be about is gaining renewed respect from our people by the way that we interpret and handle the decisions that we have to hand down."

Hecht and Doggett — an Austin attorney and former state senator who said he lost a coin toss and so takes the court seat lowest in seniority — were among five justices sworn in Monday by Justice Anthony Kennedy of the U.S. Supreme Court.

The ceremony before a crowd in the Capitol's House chamber marked the first time in Texas history the oaths have been administered by a U.S. Supreme Court justice, according to the state court.

Sworn in was Chief Justice Thomas Phillips, a former Harris County district judge who in November became the first Republican elected to the court's top job since Reconstruction. Justice Eugene Cook, a Houston attorney who also was given the oath, and Hecht were the first elected Republican justices.

Phillips and Cook won seats they were appointed to by Republican Gov. Bill Clements after Democratic judges resigned.

Democratic Justice Raul Gonzalez, who in 1986 became the first Hispanic to win statewide office, also was sworn in. Gonzalez was appointed to the court in 1984 after serving as state appeals judge in Corpus Christi and district judge in Cameron County.

The oath first was given jointly to the three incumbents, then to the new justices. Tributes also were read for Justices Ted Robertson and William Kilgarlin, who are leaving the court. Robertson lost to Phillips for chief justice, and Kilgarlin lost to Hecht.

Clements, who has cheered the election of GOP court members, praised the new court after the swearing-in ceremony.

The court was criticized after refusing to hear an appeal of the $11 billion judgment against Texaco Inc. and after national news reports about large political contributions to some justices.

Democratic Justice Jack Hightower, a former North Texas congressman, also was elected to the Supreme Court in November. Hightower was sworn in last month to replace Justice Barbara Culver Clack, a Republican who had been appointed by the governor to fill an unexpired term.

Earlier Monday, justices elected to the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals were sworn in at the House chamber.

Presiding Judge Michael McCormick, a Democrat who moved up from the job of judge, was sworn in by John Onion Jr., who retired as presiding judge.

McCormick swore in Judges Charles Campbell and Chuck Miller, also Democrats, who were re-elected.

U.S. District Judge James Nowlin swore in Judge David Berchelmann Jr., a former state district judge from Bexar County.

Woman's death seen as symbol of 'fight for peace'

HOUSTON (AP) — The death of Myra Royal, a flight attendant killed in the explosion of Pan Am Flight 103, should be considered a symbol of the global fight for peace, a pastor said at her funeral.

Almost 200 friends and family members heard flight attendant Myra Royal eulogized as a helpful, kind-hearted woman.

Ms. Royal, daughter of Missouri City resident Eloisa Royal, was one of 259 passengers and crew members to die 54 minutes after Flight 103 left London for New York on Dec. 21. She had just turned 30 the day before the crash.

"Nothing Myra did deserved her exit," said Dr. Samuel Ratliff, pastor of Brentwood Baptist Church. "Her memory and legacy will be one not only affirming the reality of evil but affirming the reality of peace."

The plane exploded over Lockerbie, Scotland, killing at least 11 residents there.

"Myra leaves us today as a result of terrorism, a result of evil," Ratliff said. "So many things happen to us we don't understand. We're going to pray for peace on Earth."

Based in Hanwell, England, Ms. Royal had been a flight attendant for one year. A handful of Pan Am employees attended the funeral.

"We're here just as colleagues," flight attendant Jean Ward said. "She's a member of our family."

Cosmetologist Ann Francis, a member of the Brentwood congregation, said members of her church came to comfort Ms. Royal's mother.

"She (Royal) had not really had a chance to live. She didn't get a chance to explore," Ms. Francis said.

Born in the Dominican Republic, Ms. Royal moved to the United States in 1963. She attended State University of New York at Binghamton and was a member of the U.S. Air Force Reserve.

She also is survived by three brothers and a sister.

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Shootings believed drug related

DALLAS (AP) — A 14-year-old boy was shot to death and a 16-year-old critically wounded and left partially paralyzed in an attack police believe was retaliation by the teen-agers' drug suppliers.

Dallas police detectives said they believe the two youths had been selling "crack" — a cocaine derivative. Investigators think the youths' drug supplier shot the two Monday morning in a vacant lot because they believed the youths had shortchanged them.

At about 12:50 a.m. Monday, police found Toma Enrico Brown, 14, dead of gunshot wounds. Police found the 16-year-old lying face up in a puddle of water 30 feet from Brown's body. He had been shot several times, run over by a car and left to die, police said.

Before an ambulance took the teen-ager to the hospital, he told police the man who shot him was his drug supplier — a Jamaican known as "Killer," said homicide Detective Bobby Hammer.

Police searched for the man Monday and for several others believed involved in the attack.

Hammer said the search is complicated by the fact that "nobody will tell us who 'Killer' is — nobody knows his real name."

Trooper cheers lack of serious accidents

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Department of Public Safety trooper Tom Mobley said he'll remember New Year's 1989 for something law officers didn't have to do — notify any Austin-area families that relatives were killed or seriously hurt in alcohol-related traffic accidents.

"All I can say is hooray for our side," Mobley said. "We're doing a good job as far as traffic fatalities are concerned, but it's not so good for the lawyers who depend on DWI (driving while intoxicated) cases for their business.

"It was quite unusual that Austin, being a party town, was quiet on a party night, but it was," he said.

Law officers credited a decrease in alcohol-related arrests to a combination of increased public awareness of the dangers of drunken driving and the success of the annual Dial-A-Ride program. Volunteers in the program gave rides home to more than 500 people.

Travis County law officers — including police, sheriff's officers and DPS troopers — arrested 17 people for DWI from 10 p.m. Saturday to 6 a.m. Sunday, down from 32 arrests a year ago.

Fog delays some flights

Associated Press

Fog early Monday at San Antonio International Airport delayed some flights, but due to the light holiday traffic there weren't major backups.

Southwest Airlines was operating on an abbreviated holiday schedule and planned to schedule delayed travelers on later flights. American Airlines reported delays in early morning departures from San Antonio, and Delta Air Lines reported some cancellations because of the San Antonio fog.

Dense fog in Houston slowed some flights, but no air traffic was diverted and arrivals were back on schedule by mid-morning, Houston airport spokesmen said.

The forecast calls for moisture to continue to spread across south Texas through Tuesday, when a cold front is expected.

School for the Blind first state agency to provide child care

AUSTIN (AP) — The Texas School for the Blind has become the first state agency to provide on-site child care, with a program that includes employing students of child development from the school.

The Magic Years Children's Learning Center opened its doors at the school Monday, when 15 children aged 6 weeks to 5 years arrived, said Eileen Reed, owner and manager of the center.

A measure enacted by the last Texas Legislature allowed state agencies to lease space in their buildings for child care. Plans for the center at the School for the Blind began last January, after a survey of the 384 employees indicated an interest in on-site child care.

Ms. Reed said the curriculum at the center will be based on the children's social and emotional development, as well as language and motor skills. Older children also will have a math program.

"Students (in the School for the Blind's child development program) with usable vision will be working with toddlers," Ms. Reed said.

Having the visually impaired students present will enable the staff to teach the children about disabled people, Ms. Reed said, and a series of programs has been planned around that.

"This is part of a trend toward acknowledging that people who work long hours want their children close to them during the day," said Cyral Miller, executive assistant to the school superintendent.

Ms. Miller, parent of a 16-month-old boy, said that having her child close makes her feel more secure.

"Your hear stories about child care centers," Ms. Miller said. "You leave your child eight or nine hours a day...This (on-site care) will get close scrutiny form parents going in and out all day. I can go and see my son at lunch. This brings me peace of mind."

Other state agencies have shown an interest in having on-site care, but Ms. Miller said state laws governing them make it difficult for them to do so.

"Our board of trustees has full control over our facilities," she said. "Other agencies have to go through state purchasing and coordinate with other state agencies."

The center at the School for the Blind will also be open to children of other state agencies' employees, Ms. Miller said.

The center will be licensed for 60 children and should be filled in two or three months, Ms. Reed said.

"We're starting with a partial staff," she said. "When we're full, we'll have six full-time teachers. Some have teaching certificates — especially those for our older students."

Monthly fees for child care range from $250 for older children to $310 for infants. The center will be open from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m.

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Students overlook teachers' handicaps

By PHILLIP L. HAMILTON

PLAINVIEW (AP) — When it comes to accepting the disabled, students probably could teach their parents a thing or two.

Plainview teachers Sam Kendall and Dan Brown say young people are more willing to accept handicaps than their parents. And the educators should know. Despite crippling disabilities, they are in their classrooms every day teaching students.

"Kids don't wear masks," says Kendall, a dean at Estacado Junior High School. "They accept a lot of things that some adults cannot accept.

"Generally students are very receptive," he said. "They forget about my physical problems, so I forget about them."

Born with cerebral palsy, Kendall has had to learn how to live with his disability. He has adjusted his lifestyle to make the most of his physical problems.

While Kendall has been teaching at Estacado for 23 years, Brown is in his first year at Plainview High School.

"I thought there might be some problems with my handicap, but there haven't been any problems at all," Brown said. "You have less acknowledgment of a handicap among kids than you do adults. Kids come forward quicker than adults and they can see through things better."

Brown contracted polio when he was less than 2 years old. With the assistance of a brace on his left leg, the technology systems teacher walks with a limp down the halls of Plainview High School.

Brown, who moved here from southwest Oklahoma, believes local students are more tolerant of all kinds of differences including disabilities, ethnic backgrounds and income levels.

"One thing that I think may have helped is the amount of racial tolerance among the kids," Brown said. "They seem to accept differences in people here better than in some places."

Both men say their disabilities have given them an advantage in their classrooms. By overcoming handicaps to lead normal lives, the educators have become role models for students who may be disadvantaged physically, emotionally, economically or academically.

"I think it gives me an advantage in working with kids that may not have everything some of the other kids have," Brown said. "There are all kinds of handicaps. Students see that even if they don't have all the breaks they can still make it."

"I think we are role models for handicapped kids," Kendall said. "These kids are self-conscious of their handicaps whether they be physical or speech or whatever. If they see a handicapped adult functioning within the community as a positive role model, hopefully this has a positive effect on their outlook."

The teachers also are role models for advantaged students, according to the administrators who work with them.

"Sam Kendall has a very warm feeling for the kids and they in turn have that same feeling for him," said Wendell Dunlap, principal at Estacado Junior High School. He has worked with Kendall for nine years.

"He's one of the good ones," Dunlap said. "He is a very fine individual and an excellent teacher. His rapport with the students is just super."

Brown draws the same kind of praise from Jerry Don George, principal at Plainview High School.

"He's done a super job with the young people this year," George said. "He's gained the students' confidence and his rapport is growing. He's an excellent teacher. I don't think they look at him as being handicapped."

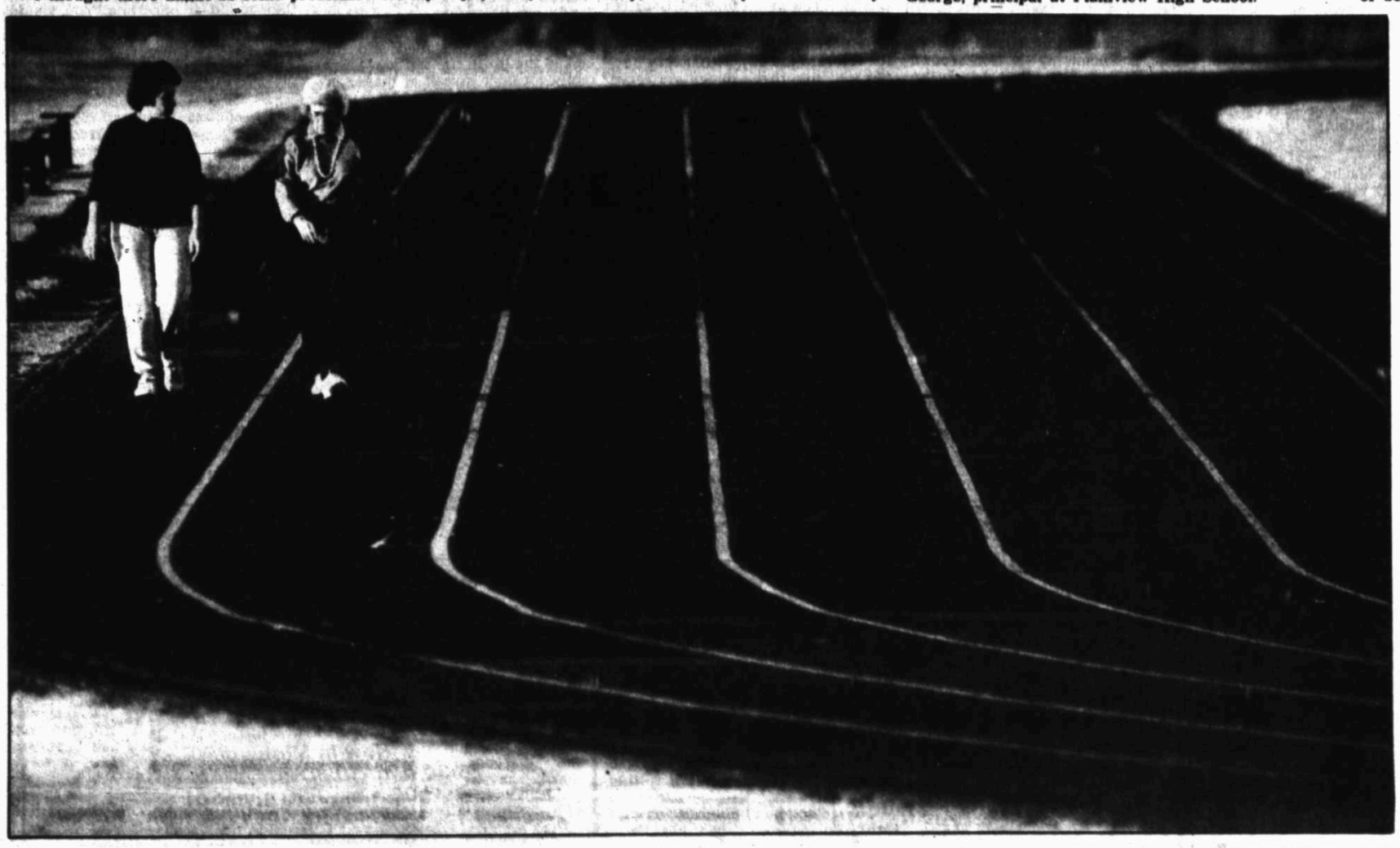
Having grown up with their physcial disabilities, neither educator thinks of himself as handicapped.

"I don't really think much about it," Brown said. "I've had the brace so long that I don't have anything to compare it to. To me it is normal. I don't think of it as unique."

"I lead a normal life," Kendall said. "I was raised to be independent, to roll with the punches and adjust as necessary. If I don't succeed in one area, I move on to another area or readjust and try again."

Kendall's determination has paid off. School officials recognized his service in the classroom as a math teacher this year by making him a dean.

For 15 years, Brown ran a farm implement store in Oklahoma with his father. When they sold the business last year, Brown decided to make his childhood dream of becoming a teacher come true.



Running around

Enjoying the recent warm weather were Fay Baum, left, and Nelda Foster, who walk a few laps around the track at Lee High School.

Brian Adamcik/Reporter-Telegram

Texas educational spending ranks below average

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas is spending each school year $500 less per student than the national average on education, a loss in the reform movement that is bound to be a major problem for the state legislature when it convenes next week.

"The reform movement has soured in Texas," said John Cole, president of the Texas Federation of Teachers, the only major teachers' group to endorse all of the education reforms passed in 1984.

"Everything interesting that is going on in school reform is taking place in other states. Texas has pulled over to the side of the road and allowed the parade to pass by," Cole said.

After the 1984 legislation, Texas was 29th in spending and closing in on the national average.

But Texas now ranks 35th among the states with an average $3,685 per pupil spent in the 1987-88 school year, $500 below the national average, The Dallas Morning News reported Monday.

State Sen. Carl Parker, D-Port Arthur, chairs the Senate Education Committee, and wants to get the state back on track.

"You can forget about any serious improvement in our schools without more funding," said Parker, who sponsored the 1984 reform law.

About half of all funding for public schools in Texas comes from local property taxes. The state provides about 42 percent, with the rest coming from the federal government.

With the state's fiscal picture so bleak, there is little agreement on how to provide more money for education.

Hurting the most are hundreds of property-poor districts that have been unable to pay for all the changes — such as smaller classes and incentive pay for teachers — that were ordered by the state.

The issue has been brought to a head by a lawsuit filed by 67 poor districts, which maintain that the current $11 billion-a-year school finance system is unfair to them.

District Judge Harley Clark ruled in 1987 that the funding system discriminated against students in poor districts and had to be overhauled to channel more money to those districts.

The state appealed, and the 3rd Texas Court of Appeals overturned Clark's decision last month.

So the issue is headed for the Texas Supreme Court, which is not likely to rule on the case before the regular legislative session ends in May.

State Comptroller Bob Bullock proposed a school finance plan last fall that would boost state education aid $800 million a year and provide state construction money to school districts for the first time.

The plan also would shift millions of dollars from wealthy districts to poor districts, although the cuts would be phased in over five years to soften the blow.

Although there is uncertainty as to whether there will be a significant increase in state education aid this year, support is building for a proposal that would link at least some funding to student achievement.

Also facing lawmakers is lobbying from teacher groups who will be pushing for raises, which they haven't received from the state since the 1984-85 school year.

Texas now ranks 27th among the states in teacher salaries, the same ranking it had before the massive $2.8 billion reform law was enacted in 1984.

Legislative leaders are sympathetic to the plight of teachers, but they point to the lack of additional state revenues to pay for a raise.

TEA says schools spending too much time on TEAMS test

DALLAS (AP) — Elementary school students are being deprived of complete educations because administrators push teachers to boost students' scores on the state-mandated minimum basic skills test, Texas teachers say.

Some educators say they have been ordered by administrators to teach only items that will help students do well on the Texas Educational Assessment of Minimum Skills, ignoring the daily curriculum and other subjects not covered by the test, such as social studies and science.

"The test becomes the almighty thing," said Bob Baker, president of Classroom Teachers of Dallas. "You're teaching to a specific test, which is, by nature, limited."

Dallas Independent School District officials deny issuing such orders, the Dallas Times Herald reported.

State education officials, who have taken note of such complaints in Dallas and other Texas school districts, agree that some overzealous schools might be compromising the test's original purpose, and the state plans to change the exam because of that.

The test was introduced in fall 1985 as part of the sweeping education reforms. It was designed to pinpoint students' weaker areas so districts could correct them, but was not designed to measure the quality of education in a district or become the focus of months of class work, state officials say.

That, however, has been the result.

"We're going to change the test because of these kinds of things," said Keith Cruse, director of the Texas Education Agency's student assessment division. "It's become clear to us that there is a different use being made of it."

The plans include testing during the fall, rather than spring, to reduce the amount of time teachers can spend on pretest drills. Also, questions would be selected from a broader range of material, forcing teachers to cover the complete curriculum to prepare students. Cruse said the new tests should begin in the 1990-91 school year.

The test measures mastery of basic skills and contains three sections — reading, writing and math — with about 50 questions each.

The test costs almost $5 million annually to design, administer and grade. It is developed by an out-of-state contractor from specifications provided by the state.

At one Dallas elementary school, teachers say substitutes have been brought in to teach classes while the more experienced teachers tutor borderline students for the test in another room for several hours each day.

The arrangement hurts the students who remain in the class and those who are being coached, both miss essential lessons, said a teacher who asked to remain anonymous. The teacher said although the borderline students might improve their test scores, there's no guarantee they will continue to get the special help they need once they return to the regular schedule.

"We're not putting out students," the teacher said. "We're putting out robots who can answer questions on a test."

Schools and districts are rewarded for good test scores with merit certificates from the state and appreciation from the public, which tend to equate high scores with quality education.

Boy's leg amputated after accident on train tracks

LUBBOCK (AP) — A young boy who tried to grab onto a boxcar of a slow-moving frieght train lost the lower portion of his right leg after he fell under the cars.

John Sallee, 8, was taken to Lubbock General Hospital after the 3:30 p.m. accident Monday and underwent surgery Monday night. Police Sgt. Ralph Bowen said the boy's leg was amputated below the knee.

The boy was playing with his sister and brother, who were not injured. They had been placing pennies and part of a swing-set chain on the track prior to the accident, Bowen said.

"They were up there playing as kids will do, putting pennies on there," Bowen said. "He (John) reached up to grab a ladder on a boxcar and, apparently, it pulled him off his feet, or he lost his balance, and fell under the cars."

Six flattened pennies and the crushed chain were found on the track when police arrived, according to Police Patrolman Theron French.

Susan Metcalf, manager of public affairs for Santa Fe Railway in Chicago, Ill., said the Levelland Local was moving about 10 mph. Crew members were unaware of the accident until the train was stopped by authorities almost two miles away.

"Apparently other kids, not only these three, have been playing over there," Bowen said.

The boy's brother and sister hid in a nearby trestle when the locomotive approached, Bowen said.

"They were really shocked," he said. "They jumped up and ran screaming for help. They didn't call on the phone, but their screaming apparently aroused a neighbor who called for help."

No single operator 'shoe-in' for city shoeshiner

By THOM MARSHALL
Hearst News Service

HOUSTON — Historically, the shoeshine has been the simplest of business transactions: customer puts shoe on stand, shiner shines shoe, customer pays shiner.

It was such a quick, up-front, no haggling, take-it-or-leave-it, low overhead sort of thing — a simple service for a simple fee.

Simple, that is, until now, when City Hall gets involved.

Now, the city of Houston wants to put shoeshine stands in the Civic Center.

Hold on, there, Den Mother. Tell your Scouts to climb out of the Wagoneer and put their polish back in the closet.

Not just anyone will be allowed to shine shoes in the Civic Center. There will be a selection process involving several steps. Requirements must be met.

For openers, interested shine operators must pick up a "Proposal Package." This is 22 pages, including the "Request for Proposal" and a draft of the agreement that will be signed by the lucky party chosen by the city.

Some information in this document is easily digested. For example, Section C of Article II deals with Rates. "The General Operator agrees to institute the following rates in connection with services to be provided hereunder: Shoes $2. Boots $3."

But some portions are not as easily understood, such as the "Indemnification" portion of Article V, which includes one sentence that is 145 words long. The sentence concludes, "...and all premiums charged upon appeal bonds required in such legal proceedings and defense."

Another entertaining portion is found in Article VIII, "Miscellaneous Provisions," where a 114-word sentence deals with "Force Majeure."

Back in Article I, "Definitions," it is explained that Force Majeure includes "acts of God, acts of the public enemy, war, blockades, insurrection, riots, storms, floods, wash outs, tornados, hurricanes, arrests and restraints of government and people, explosions, breakage or damage to machinery or equipment."

Shineola. A can of brown, a can of black, a can of neutral and some rags and brushes is all it takes. Shoeshining is a basic business. And most shoeshine operators in Houston don't appear too interested in the Civic Center.

"I can't find enough help for this one," said James Chambers at Dowling Shoe Shop. I mostly do it all myself."

Ed Lastee said it can be rough out there, and he's one of the big ones. He runs the shoeshine stands at the Astrodome. A lot of people pass by his stands, but Lastee said business is the pits at ball games.

"Nothing there but a bunch of tennis shoes," he said.

Lastee expressed interest, in the Civic Center deal and plans to pick up his proposal package and then attend the "pre-proposal conference" scheduled for Jan. 17. That's right, a pre-proposal conference.

Jordy Tollett, director of the city's Civic Center Department, said the conference will be to "tell what the specs (specifications) require, to just go over it all."

Prospective shoeshine operators will be bidding against each other, so much per stand per day of operation, and Tollett said he will not speculate upon what the range of bids might be.

"That's why we're doing it this way. Those people know more about it. We'll tell them the kinds of shows we have scheduled in the next year and the kinds of attendance projected and let them arrive at their own conclusions."

Tollett also said he has no idea how many shoeshine operators will wade through all the red tape to make a serious attempt to become the city's designated shoeshine operator.

"There are a few companies out there that might be interested in coming in," he said.

Townfolk worried about changes SSC will bring

By BRYAN WOOLLEY

MAYPEARL (AP) — On this particular fine morning, the talk around the tables at the Busy Bee Cafe is about things you can't eat with false teeth, squirrel hunting, hauling firewood or a cow named Dorene.

It isn't much different from conversations most mornings at the Busy Bee, where the men of Maypearl gather to drink coffee, gossip, kid each other and express opinions about what's going on in the big world outside — a world that until recently had thoroughly ignored Maypearl.

But in November the Department of Energy announced its intention to build the $5.4 billion super collider — the world's largest atom smasher — in a 53-mile, doughnut-shaped tunnel under the fields and pastures of Ellis County. Maypearl is about to become part of the big world, and life here is speeding up.

"Reporters came from everywhere," says Ann Heath, the Busy Bee's owner and chief cook. "A TV crew from Houston spent a whole day in here. They even came in the kitchen and took pictures of us cooking. When they showed it on the news, we had people driving all the way from Houston just to see Maypearl and eat at the Busy Bee."

If the super collider actually is built, everyone agrees, life in Ellis County will be transformed. And Maypearl will undergo the most radical transformation of all the towns. Just outside Maypearl a campus resembling a small university will be built for the offices of the project's researchers and administrators and the laboratories where the giant instrument's brain work will be done.

Thousands of people will move in, particularly construction workers, during the years it will take to bore the tunnel and build the related facilities. Maypearl, a quiet farming community of 400-some odd souls, about a dozen businesses and one policeman, will be one of the major science centers of the world.

Though the government says it wants the super collider in Ellis County, the fight in Congress to pay for its construction has only begun, and there is still no assurance lawmakers will agree to pay the needed billions.

If the money is approved, though, the super collider would be the biggest thing that has happened to Maypearl since April 29, 1903, when Miss Irene Bowers hammered in the golden spike that signified the completion of the International & Great Northern railroad line.

It's beginning to make people nervous.

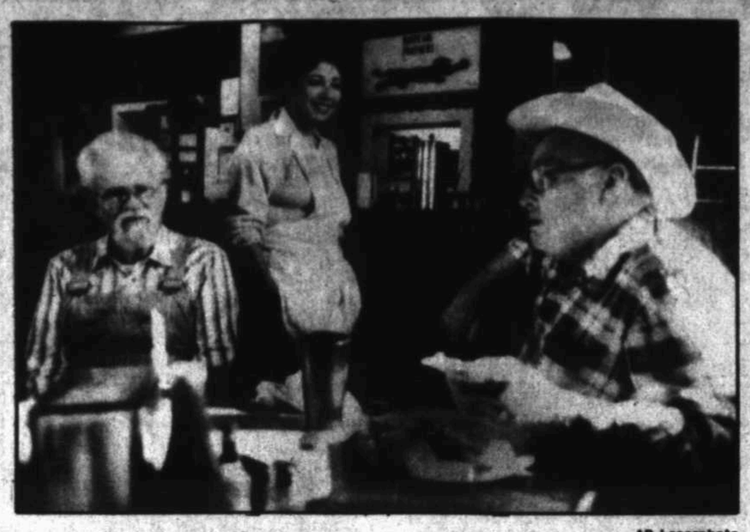
"They ain't going to get the money to build that thing, do you think? With that deficit and trying to balance the budget and all," says Nick Petty, owner of the cow, Dorene.

"Oh, they will," replies Winston Winn. "Them politicians waste more money than that every day. Billions. That ain't no money to them."

"They told me they're going to have to move my house," Petty says. "What benefit are they going to get out of that thing? They can't make electricity with it, can they? They can't produce nothing."

"What happens is they get those things spinning in there at the speed of light," says Marlin Tanner, "and when one hits the other one, they bang."

"What the hell do they want with a bang?" Petty asks.



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Ann Heath, center, owner and chief cook at the Busy Bee Cafe in Maypearl, chats with customers Marlin Tanner, left, and Mayor Jim Bynum. Maypearl is expected to undergo the most radical changes of all the towns involved with the superconducting supercollider.

"It just tickles me to death that they decided to put it here," Heath says. "The economy's so bad around here. But on the other hand, I'm scared to death Maypearl will change and people won't care as much about each other as they do now."

Heath thinks of her regular customers as "the Busy Bee family." The two days before Thanksgiving, she baked 58 pies for people who asked her to. On Thanksgiving morning, she cooked a turkey and dressing free and served it free of charge to senior citizens who had no family to celebrate the day with. Every day, she and her three daughters serve the Senior Citizens Plate for $2.

"I'm not making nothing on it," Heath says, "but they're eating a proper meal every day, and I'm getting a thrill out of it, seeing them well.

"All the business people in Maypearl work together as a family. We're not trying to dog-eat-dog. I know it's going to be different when they start building that thing, but I hope it won't be too different. I love the cafe. I love all these people. They're my family. And if the time comes when I don't have a family any more, I'll have no purpose here. I'll have to move out to some other little town and adopt another family. I'm just a country girl. I don't like a fast life."

Outside the Busy Bee on this particular day, life is as slow and lovely as anyone could want it. The trees are dressed in the deep reds and golds of autumn. The air is crisp and bright. A flock of sparrows, cheep-cheeping, is lined up along the edge of the awning that shades the headquarters of the town's only cop. From time to time, a pickup moseys through on Farm to Market 66, the main street. Just beyond the edge of town, a sign informs a stranger of Maypearl's best-known citizen:

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Jim Bynum is the mayor of Maypearl, but he doesn't want to be. "I was on the City Council," he says, "and I was elected mayor pro tem. I didn't mind that. But two months ago the mayor resigned and they kicked me up to the top job. I don't really consider myself as mayor material, because you need to know a little bit about municipal law and everything, and I don't know anything about it, and I'm not even interested in learning. I just don't want to be mayor."

Bynum is standing in front of City Hall, across the street from the Busy Bee and the Maypearl School of Dance-N-Fitness, talking with Buster Marion, a member of the City Council. They're worrying.

"There ain't no doubt this thing will make Maypearl grow, and there ain't no doubt we could use some new blood in the town," Bynum says. "We've got lots of old boarded-up buildings that's vacant. They could be restored, and we could get some businesses in there. That would help the local economy, you know. And a lot of people see it as a chance to sell some high real estate, which is fine and dandy. I own about 600 acres around here. But I always felt like if I wanted to live in a big city, I would have moved to a big city instead of Maypearl. A lot of people feel like I do."

One of them is Marion, who has watched the life of Maypearl since 1948.

"I've seen this town go from four grocery stores down to one, and then back up again to one and a convenience store," he said. "I've seen dry goods stores here. We used to have two banks. Now we've got one. We used to have two doctors here. I would like to see Maypearl thriving like it did at one time. You would come to town on a Saturday night and people would be walking the streets and businesses would be open. I'd like to see that again."

He shakes his head. "But the growth is going to be so tremendous that this little city hasn't seen anything like it. It's going to be so overwhelming that we may not be able to stand it. We're going to have to make long-term plans for water, sewers, streets, everything."

DEATHS

William H. Manns

Manns

William H. "Bill" Manns, 62, died early Monday at a local hospital.

Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. Wednesday at the Ellis Funeral Home chapel with Rev. Jarrell Sharp, pastor of St. Luke's United Methodist Church, presiding.

Burial will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park with Masonic graveside rites.

Manns was born Feb. 11, 1926 in Centralia, Ill., where he was reared and went to school. In 1943 he joined SOHIO in Centralia as a roustabout and worked there until he entered the U.S. Army in 1944. He served in the U.S., was discharged in 1945 and returned to Centralia.

Manns played minor league baseball for the Chicago Cubs farm team in Illinois during the 1946 and 1947 seasons. He married Alfrieda Kramer in Mayfield, Ky., on July 17, 1948. He rejoined SOHIO in August 1948 and worked in Centralia until a transfer to Midland in 1960.

He became a production foreman in the early 1970s, and worked in Midland until his transfer to Haskell in 1976. He returned to Midland in 1981 and retired as production foreman in 1985.

He was a past master of Sprayberry Lodge #1365 A.M. and F.M., was a member of the Scottish Rite and a member of the Haskell Chapter #892 Order of the Eastern Star. He was an attending mason with the Rainbow Girls, Norman Reed Assembly #299.

Survivors include his wife, Alfreda Manns of Midland; two daughters, Vicki Porter of Plano and Terri Carter of Conroe; three brothers, Dean "L.D." Manns of Las Vegas, Nev., C.E. Manns of Edinburg, Ill. and James P. Manns of Hawthorne, Calif.; five sisters, Doris Bean and Nancy Deomes, both of Centralia, Ill., Betty Timmins of Long Beach, Calif., Shirley Jose of Salem, Ill., and Judy Hood of Cypress, Calif.; his mother, Mrs. Georgia J. Manns of Centralia, Ill.; three grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his father, Ernest V. Manns, and a brother, Donald Manns.

The family requests memorials be directed to the Heart Association, the Diabetes Association, St. Luke's United Methodist Church or Rainbow Girls.

Halbert McMullen

Services for Halbert McMullen, 36, of Midland are pending with Sizemore Funeral Home.

He died Monday at a Midland hospital.

Edgar Shelburne

Funeral services for Edgar A. Shelburne are pending with Ellis Funeral Home.

Shelburne died Monday in Conroe.

Man charged in stabbing out on bond

ODESSA — A 42-year-old man charged with attempted murder in the stabbing of a 38-year-old man New Year's Eve was released from the Ector County jail Monday after posting a $10,000 bond.

Carl L. Milligan, 1344 E. 2nd St., No. 3, was arrested Saturday night after officers responding to a call found L.A. Carter in front of the Sunset Motel, 1344 E. 2nd St.

Carter, also a resident of the motel, was transported to Medical Center Hospital for treatment of stab wounds in his arms, chest and abdomen.

Carter's condition today at MCH has been described as stable.

Milligan was arraigned Sunday before acting-Municipal Judge Mike Holmes on a charge of attempted murder. Holmes set bond at $10,000 and Milligan was transferred to the county jail.

Clergymen spend night with Houston's homeless

HOUSTON (AP) — Six clergymen who spent a 12-hour overnight stay with Houston's homeless say their first-hand look at life on the streets has helped them understand the scope of problems faced by the city's homeless, estimated at 20,000 to 25,000 people.

"I think the president has never been on the streets at night as we have," said Monsignor James Jamail of St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church, referring to President Reagan's remark that homeless people were on the streets because they want to be.

"Some people do choose to be homeless, but we spoke with enough people who choose not to be," Jamail said.

The clergy members, accompanied by United Way president Betty Beene and Jewish Community Center President Bubba Silberstein, are leaders in the 1989 Houston Campaign for the Homeless, a project geared to raise $1.2 million through collections in churches, synagogues and temples.

The campaign officially starts Wednesday, but the Sunday night venture began a spiritual effort for many participants.

"God led us to last night's experience," said Ms. Beene, a Southern Baptist, "and with God's leadership, we can change this problem."

A van first drove the religious leaders to various shelters for the homeless around the city, including a home for the mentally ill, a family shelter and a center for runaway teen-agers.

They were dropped off at about 1 a.m. Monday at a gathering spot for the homeless under an elevated freeway near downtown, where about 40 people have made camp.

They wandered into a nearby bus station for coffee, and later were offered cold pizza by two men who drove by their urban campground.

"Most of the homeless you never see," said the Rev. Steve Bancroft of Trinity Episcopal Church. "The ones who end up on the street are those who've run out of options."

The clergymen spent the rest of the night wandering about the city, stopping at Tranquillity Park, City Hall and Sam Houston Park. Rabbi Shaul Osadchey of Congregation Brith Shalom in Bellaire unsuccessfully tried to sleep on a park bench.

"Our tradition addresses the widowed, the homeless and the downtrodden," Osadchey said later. "I was surprised by the scope of the problem. I wasn't used to the homeless who are mentally ill."

Pilot makes emergency landing near Austin dry cleaners

AUSTIN (AP) — A pilot was forced to make an emergency landing in North Austin, where his plane clipped branches and power lines before skidding to a stop five feet from a dry cleaners on Airport Boulevard.

The pilot, computer scientist James Knox of Austin, said he experienced mechanical trouble about 5:10 p.m. Sunday on his final approach to Robert Mueller Municipal Airport. Knox escaped injury.

Knox said he was returning from a day flight to Lake Livingston in a Cessna 152 he had rented at Mueller when the engine began sputtering as he prepared to land.

"My gauges indicated I had fuel," said Knox, who has been flying about six months. "I went through a systems check and, after shutting everything down to reduce the chance of fire, looked for the best place to put it down."

Police Sgt. Manuel Villegas said the plane hit a power line. It bounced and skidded in a parking lot for about 100 feet before coming to rest behind the cleaners. Police said the plane didn't come close to traffic or pedestrians.

"He was very lucky," Villegas said.

At least one foot of the left wing tip was sheared away, and most of the wing's leading edge crumpled. The propeller, nosewheel and tail sections also were damaged.

Federal Aviation Administration investigator David Wagner, after a preliminary on-site inspection of the plane, declined to speculate on the accident's cause.

Downed lines knocked out power for about 35 minutes to 50 area homes, said Steve Gallagher of the city's electric department. Patricia Bagby said power to her apartment was knocked out.

"All I know is that it's a heck of a way to start the New Year," Ms. Bagby said.

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'Image' was trendy during Reagan years

Copley News Service

The Reagan years were an era of formality, and we dressed for success, as well as for dinner.

The tuxedo celebrated its 100th anniversary in the '80s, and black-tie invitations became the norm. Not only did men rush out to rent their tuxedos, but plenty purchased them. And instead of basic black or the brighter colors of the Carter years, they suited up in higher-profile styles, richer fabrics and the new designer tuxedos.

Men began pampering themselves, too. Even non-managerial types began trying facials, skin bronzers and tinted moisturizers. They shaved their mustaches, slicked their longish hair back and seriously considered plastic surgery for a more youthful edge on the career market.

The man in the White House may have been the oldest president in history, but he was also among the most stylish. His constituents took notice.

Meanwhile, women embraced the '80s by getting color-charted, made over at posh salons, manicured with silk and acrylic fingernails, dressed by personal shoppers and turned into management material by image consultants. They lifted weights, ran and cycled themselves into better bodies and kept healthy with supermarket salad bars, Lean Cuisine and tofu.

They wore pink and gray sweats to jog in and wore man-tailored suits with quarterback-sized shoulder pads (known as power pads) to the office. They carried briefcases, wore Rolex watches (or knock-offs) and had a closetful of navy blue dress-for-success pumps. And they doused themselves with sexy, aggressive new scents such as Giorgio, Obsession and Poison.

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Image was "in" during the Reagan administration, as Ronald and Nancy made fashion — such as this dress by Bill Blass — fashionable again.

NANCY REAGAN made fashion fashionable again as she bought and borrowed numerous designer dresses (Adolfo, Bill Blass, James Galanos, Oscar de la Renta, Geoffrey Beene and David Hayes) to show off her dainty size 4 figure. As her reign came to a close, Nancy got a lot of bad press over those gowns, especially when Time magazine reported that she didn't always claim them to the IRS — or return them to the designers when the party was over. Even TV talk-show host Johnny Carson stirred the fire with, "It's 10 p.m., Adolfo. Do you know where your dress is?"

Nasty, below-the-designer-belt blows aside, Nancy set a standard for the ladies-who-lunch with her red Adolfo knits accented with bows at the throat. In turn, the Council of Fashion Designers of America tipped its collective hat to her this year by honoring her with its Lifetime Achievement Award for outstanding contributions to American fashion.

"Women came by the hundreds to Adolfo shows at Saks Fifth Avenue in Beverly Hills during the Reagan administration," says Saks' fashion director Patricia Fox. "It's not that they said, 'I want a dress like Nancy Reagan,'" she says, but the first lady's choice gave a subliminal fashion message.

"Let's do lunch" became a favorite phrase used when waving goodbye. When they ate lunch or went to brunch (which became an almost religious ritual during the '80s), men wore elegant country gentleman-styled brown suits favored by Reagan or the new black-and-white tweedy jackets over vegetable-dyed shirts worn sans tie, a look created by Italian designer Giorgio Armani.

And women, if they weren't wearing the Nancy uniform with pearls, opted for bright-colored silk dresses popularized by designer Liz Claiborne or the menswear-for-women separates with crests on the breast pocket.

EAGER FOR the new Republican sophistication, women shopped till they dropped, buying into the newly coined phrase, "It's not who you are, but what you wear that matters." In the '80s, image became everything.

"During the Reagan years, we found a new interest in the trappings of the gentried class that went beyond clothing. Charm schools boomed like they did in the '50s and early '60s, and the use of the fish fork was the most popular subject," says Alese Marshall, owner of a charm and modeling school in Torrance, Calif.

Enrollment in etiquette classes has tripled in recent years, says Marshall, who adds students often are 30 to 50 years old and include socially prominent husbands, wives of corporate executives and a lot of real estate people who want to look as polished as the property they're selling.

In the middle of the Reagan era we also located and labeled a new generation. It was the era of the yuppies, an acronym for young urban professional people.

Ex-preppies, the yuppies might be loosely defined as those under 40 who make more than $40,000 annually. They were a product of the overall economic success of the '80s, and they indulged themselves with everything a credit card and 24-hour banking could afford. They drove BMWs, Mercedes and Saabs to work and '57 Chevy convertibles and Jeeps on the weekend.

Anything yuppies liked became trendy. Getting married and having children was in again, and the yuppie puppies (children) were dressed in designer fashions just like Mom's and Dad's.

STAYING HOME, called cocooning, became a way to escape the freeway madness and office politics, and we rushed out to neighborhood video stores and 24-hour vending machines to rent movies for our VCRs.

Trying to relive the good old days of Ozzie and Harriet, a la Ronnie and Nancy, we snuggled in our Lanz flannel nighties, ate popcorn and Mrs. Field's chocolate chip cookies and did our banking on a home computer.

In retrospect, the Reagan years were all about class distinction and formality. We learned how to dress thin and rich and how to give a gala. In an era of self-enlightenment, we learned a new appreciation for art deco, Russia and Coco Chanel.

Old administration one of most fashionable in history

Copley News Service

■ **1979:** Carter era ends. Patchwork quilts and country cabin ambiance are decorating trends. The Farrah Fawcett hair style is numero uno. The Chanel revival begins with a return to the classics foreshadowing the Reagan elegance. Ralph Lauren debuts his Western wear line.

■ **1980:** Fashion faces a new decade. Bill Blass designs Nancy Reagan's inaugural gala gown. Jelly beans become trendy. Catalog shopping and home cable TV predicted to be hot in the '80s. Norma Kamali makes fashion headlines with linebacker shoulder pads in day dresses. It's becoming fashionable for women to have muscles.

■ **1981:** A new frontier. Trendies dress like urban cowboys and ride mechanical bulls in nightclubs. Nancy's red knit dress and Ronnie's brown suit become trademarks of stylish dressing. Kitchens are all white with Santa Fe details.

■ **1982:** Full of new ideas. Yves Saint Laurent shows short leather skirts and strappy high-heeled sandals. Nancy Reagan buys new Lenox china for the White House and promises to report any borrowed designer gowns to the IRS. Computerized hair care is born. Four years shy of its centennial anniversary, the tuxedo is actually trendy. Ronald Reagan gets the credit for making black-tie galas de rigueur.

■ **1983:** Formality reigns. A new fad is walking to work in sneakers (pumps stashed in briefcase). Rolex ads appear in fashion magazines; Swatch watch is born. JC Penney promotes its Halston III collection.

■ **1984:** A class act. The yuppie is born, or at least validated, as The Times of London announces a new term has been introduced into the American political lexicon. The young urban professionals even have their own uniforms and handbook. Calvin Klein designs women's underwear that looks like men's briefs.

■ **1985:** A colorful year. Art deco art and furniture are revived. Swing skirts swing again. Earrings are so big and heavy that we wear clips again. The "Dynasty" look prevails.

■ **1986:** A retro year. White lipstick and fake pony tails are back. Reebok high-tops with slouch socks make a fashion statement. Fredericks of Hollywood turns 40. Perry Ellis dies of AIDS. Black wedding dresses have shock-appeal.

■ **1987:** We're mad about Paris. French designer Christian Lacroix gives new life to the fashion industry. It costs $2,000 to go to the prom. Yuppie puppies are as fashionable as their parents.

■ **1988:** The end of an era. Women's trousers and plaid are big news. It's a wave of '50s nostalgia, with saddle shoes, poodle skirts and old Chevies. Women are cutting their hair; men are wearing it long. Pale faces are now considered healthy.

DEAR ABBY

Remembering lost loved ones eases pain of grief

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: This is in response to "Bereaving, Too," who wondered whether to acknowledge the birthday of her sister's son who had committed suicide. I had to write because I was in very much the same position.

My best friend — I'll call her Millie — had a beautiful teen-age daughter I'll call Karen. Three years ago, Karen died of a rare blood disease. Every year since Karen's death, a few of Millie's close friends remember Karen's birthday by sending a donation to Karen's school. We then visit Millie with flowers and a card saying, "We remember Karen and miss her, and are thinking of you and her today."

Millie's relatives have never acknowledged Karen's birthday since her death. I know they think they are being kind, but they are mistaken. "Remembering" Karen would please her mother.

Abby, please continue to tell people that when a young person dies, the grieving parents and siblings are left to cope with the loss. Failing to mention their loved one is like saying that their child never existed.

All one needs to say is, "I remember, and I care." — BEEN THERE

DEAR BEEN THERE: Many others who have "been there" wrote to say essentially what you have said. I thank you all for writing. Perhaps thousands will learn from it. I did.

DEAR ABBY: I just read "Bereaving's" letter asking whether she should send her sister and her husband a nice card or call them on their dead son's birthday. (He committed suicide.) I'm glad you told her not to just ignore the day, as so many people are inclined to do because they are afraid of "stirring up emotions."

I speak from experience, Abby. We lost the eldest of our three sons nearly two years ago when he fell from the roof of a building. Keith was only 21 years old. Sometimes I wonder if everyone he knew has forgotten him because his name is never mentioned. I suppose they think they're being kind and don't want to upset me by reminding me that Keith is dead. Abby, believe me, there is never a minute of the day that I am not aware that my son is dead. No one needs to be afraid of "reminding" me.

How I would love to talk about the son I lost with someone who knew him.

Please keep advising people to send a card or call those who are grieving on the birthday or death date of their loved one. I am a "still-grieving-but-getting-on-with-her-life mother," and you may sign my name. — CAROLE EDWARDS, ORMAND BEACH, FLA.

DEAR CAROLE: My heart goes out to you. Perhaps some of Keith's friends will see this, and now, knowing how you feel, they will visit you and reminisce about Keith. I hope so.

(For Abby's booklet, "What Every Teen-Ager Ought to Know," send a check or money order for $2.50 and a long, stamped (39 cents), self-addressed envelope to: Dear Abby, Teen Booklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054.)

Abigail Van Buren is a columnist for Universal Press Syndicate.

Spring fashion reflects old Hollywood

Hearst News Service

LOS ANGELES — From casy elegance to frankly funky, almost anything goes in fashion trends from the California Mart for spring 1989.

"California is not one look, it is not one place, it is not one time. There are a lot of different lifestyles," said Yvette Crosby, fashion coordinator for the mart, during the recent trend forecast.

Colors range from traditional white and pastel for spring to dusty, even dark, shades. The new neutral, not named yet, is a mix of ivory and gray. Other neutrals include brown in a warm sand shade, desert colors and very dark navy.

These shades are mixed with burgundy, berry and brick, for an unusual summer color palette. Green in many shades — but primarily pales including mint — stands as a color class on its own.

Crosby divided the California trends into several categories.

Old Hollywood evokes reminiscences of movie queens of the '30s and '40s.

"It is not 'costumey,' not retro. It is contemporary, pared-down elegance," she said.

Pants are wide-legged, classic and sporty and paired with suit coats that sport wide, cinch-belted jackets. A wide-leg, pallazo pant is the most popular. There also are slim and full cropped styles, as well as shorts suits.

Matching jackets are soft with fluid lines that give a very feminine look.

Softness in style is often derived from the fabrics. Organzas, tulles, meshes and crocheted lace work for daytime and evening.

In direct opposition to the romantic and feminine mystiques is Hippy Couture. This trend includes a lot of high-contrast colors — mustard and green, for example — often in leather and patent.

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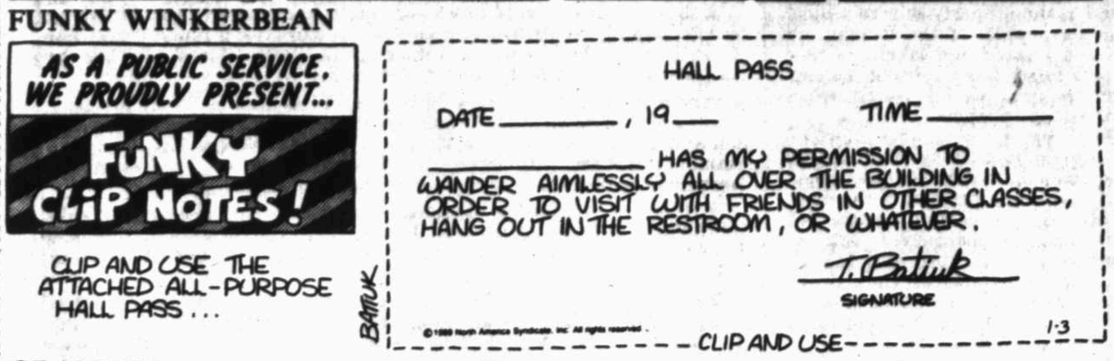

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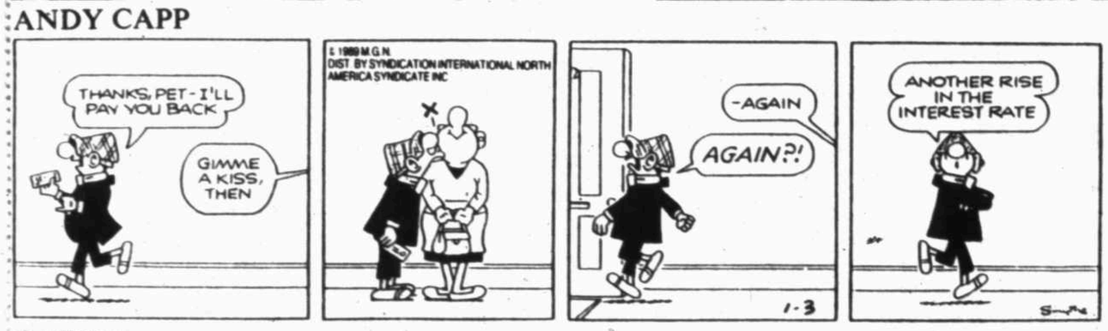

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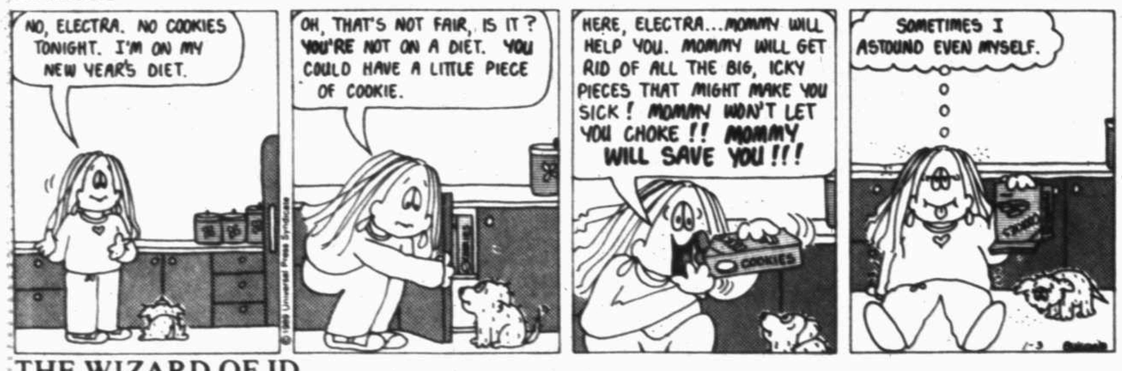

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JEANE DIXON'S *your horoscope*

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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 4, 1989

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Money gains come from an independent source. Take business and financial steps that will ensure 1989 gets off on a sturdy foundation. Look forward to fresh choices, new adventures. Romance will be happier than ever. Substantial shared goals make existing ties more binding. Speed is not as important as doing things right. Maintain high standards. Share your deepest, most heartfelt thoughts with mate and children.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: inventor Louis Braille, mythologist Jacob Grimm, actress Jane Wyman, actor Sorrell Booke, actress Dyan Cannon, coach Don Shula, boxer Floyd Patterson.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Now is the time to show you have faith in yourself and your job. Outside income helps solve a nagging cash-flow problem. Improvement in a relationship depends on your commitment.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Break out of a rut. It is not too late to learn about computers. Handling a health problem will be easier than it seems. Your future is temporarily in the hands of others.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Old friends can help you the most today. Postpone signing legal documents until a third party can inspect them. Positive thinking and the implementation of new ideas make you a winner.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Break an old habit and improve your health. Build a new relationship slowly and deliberately. The unexpected may happen in the workplace, leading to new offers of employment. Be choosy.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Let your guard down and make peace with someone in the marketplace. Your financial luck changes for the better. Stay in shape, but do not overdo the exercise.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Show more tact if working with jealous or aggressive co-workers. A last-minute change of plans may be upsetting but will give you more time to plot your course. Romance is perking along.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Prove your efficiency. Get better organized and do your own research. Influential person is in your corner but you may not know it. Romance is a source of deep happiness. Show tenderness.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Keep a closer eye on personal spending and collect materials for tax accountant. Mate or partner is helpful and understanding. Increase profits by strengthening overseas contacts. Develop a reputation for reliability.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Some last-minute news could upset certain business or career plans. Investigate employment leads if dissatisfied with your position. A school friend could be extremely helpful.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Your special talents are in great demand. Make certain you are adequately compensated. Sudden domestic changes are best avoided. A great time for eligible singles. Someone sets the date.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Lend an ear to a friend's tale of woe. Offer to help out, but avoid putting your own family's savings in jeopardy. Be more direct with mate, business partner. An older person plays Cupid.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Travel could prove as fruitful as hoped. A professional or business undertaking progresses nicely. Romance and adventure tend to go hand-in-hand now. Avoid making promises you may not want to keep.

GOREN BRIDGE

BY CHARLES GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF

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NORTH
♠ 7
♡ A 8
◇ J 4 2
♣ Q J 9 8 6 4 3

WEST
♠ J 10 8 6 5
♡ K J 4 3
◇ K
♣ 10 7 2

EAST
♠ A Q 9 4 3 2
♡ 9 7 5 2
◇ 10 5
♣ K

SOUTH
♠ K
♡ Q 10 6
◇ A Q 9 8 7 6 3
♣ A 5

The bidding:

West	North	East	South
Pass	Pass	2 ♠	3 ◇
3 ♠	4 ♣	Pass	5 ◇
Pass	6 ◇	Pass	Pass
Pass			

Opening lead: Jack of ♠

Here's an unusual hand from a team match at the recent Fall North American Championships, held in Nashville. At the table where North-South played in five diamonds, the contract was defeated one trick. At the other table, a diamond slam was bid and made.

East's two-spade opening was weak, showing a six-card suit and a hand not strong enough for an opening bid. The rest of the auction was all completely natural, although rather aggressive.

At both tables the opening lead was the jack of spades, and East's ace dropped the king. Both defenders found the heart shift, won by the ace in dummy. The declarer who was only in game tried the diamond finesse. When that lost, West cashed a heart for down one.

At the other table the contract was six diamonds, reached on the auction above. After winning the second trick on the table with the ace of hearts, declarer realized that he would have to find the king of clubs onside if he was going to land his slam. Therefore, East could not have the king of diamonds as well—with ace-queen of spades and two kings, he would have opened one spade.

At trick three, therefore, declarer led a diamond to his ace. When that fetched the king, declarer got back to dummy by leading a middle trump to the jack for the club finesse. A club ruff established that suit, and the preciously preserved three of trumps, overtaken with the four, was the entry to run the board's winners.

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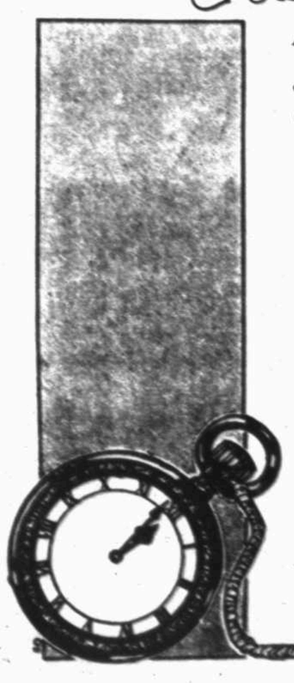

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1 Rearrange letters of the four scrambled words below to form four simple words

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MEEHT

CAKKN

WESNUI

Philosopher: "Don't mistake knowledge for wisdom. One helps you make a living; the other helps you — a —."

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

2 PRINT NUMBERED LETTERS IN SQUARES

3 UNSCRAMBLE FOR ANSWER

SCRAM-LETS ANSWERS

Solly — Theme — Knack — Unwise — MAKE a LIFE
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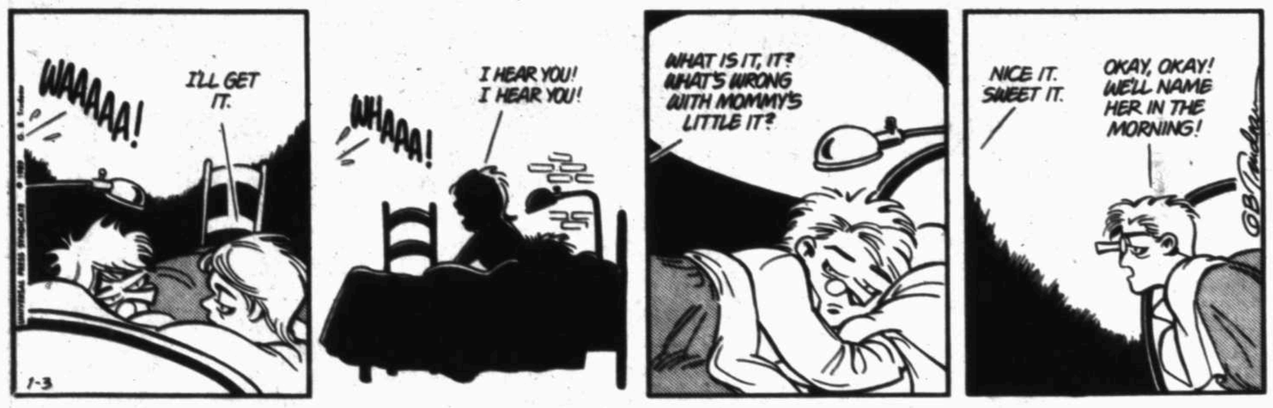

PEOPLE

Reagans receive silver buckles

PALM SPRINGS, Calif. (AP) — **President Reagan** and his wife, **Nancy**, received his-and-hers silver belt buckles from an admirer as they prepared to leave this desert resort and wind up their final presidential vacation.

Gerry Fitch, 72, of Cherokee Village, Ark., on Monday handed the president an ornately carved box with the gifts as the Reagans prepared to board Air Force One at Palm Springs International Airport.

"When I gave it to him, his eyes sprang open," Fitch said. "He told me, 'Thank you very much and have a very happy new year.'"

The buckles were crafted by Fitch and designed by his wife, Twyla, 70, for a presidential visit in 1986 to celebrate Arkansas's 150th anniversary, but that trip was canceled.

Reagan's buckle bore a map of the United States, marked with places where Reagan spent his life in California, including a horseshoe to mark the president's Rancho del Cielo home in the Santa Ynez Mountains and a circle to define Hollywood.

Mrs. Reagan's buckle, imbedded with coral, turquoise and a gold heart, simply read: "No. 1 Lady."

The Reagans left Palm Springs, where they stayed at the Rancho Mirage home of millionaire publisher **Walter Annenberg**, and traveled to Los Angeles where they will spend time at their Bel-Air home.

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Sajak

Hall

LOS ANGELES (AP) — "Wheel of Fortune" host **Pat Sajak** said he decided against having a female sidekick on his late-night talk show because it might upset viewers accustomed to seeing him with letter-turner **Vanna White**.

Explaining why he chose sidekick **Dan Miller** rather than a woman, Sajak said some viewers might feel "as though Vanna and I had gotten a divorce or something."

CBS spent more than $4 million to build a new sound stage and other facilities for Sajak's 90-minute show, which debuts Monday. The show will rely on a traditional format spiced by live interviews.

Hip comic **Arsenio Hall**, whose hour-long syndicated talk show debuts tonight, says he will try to reach a new audience.

"I think people place too much emphasis on the competition; I'm running my own race," he said. "It's a personal best, it's me against me."

Hall said he will try to create an air of spontaneity and plans to avoid relying on guests with youth appeal.

"I'd love to talk to **Ronald Reagan**," he said. "There isn't anyone who I would consider too old and square."

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MILWAUKEE (AP) — Millionaire Democrat and U.S. Senator-elect **Herbert H. Kohl** says he will continue to run the Milwaukee Bucks basketball team but will give two trustees control of his other assets.

Kohl, who was being sworn in today, said Monday he wanted to insure that the National Basketball Association team he purchased in 1985 would not be sold and moved from Milwaukee.

Kohl said his brother, **Sidney Kohl**, of Palm Beach, Fla., and **Ralph Loewenberg**, a New York City investment adviser, would take control of his assets.

"I have taken this step for two reasons: to eliminate the potential of any conflict of interest and to assure the people of Wisconsin I will be a full-time senator," he said.

Kohl, 53, defeated Republican Susan Engeleiter for the seat vacated by retiring Democratic Sen. William Proxmire.

Kohl said he will continue to release his state and federal income tax returns each year, but he has refused repeatedly to release the value of his assets. He said in October his net income in 1987 was $4.2 million.

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Bogdanovich

Hoogstratten

SEATTLE (AP) — **Peter Bogdanovich** has married the younger sister of **Dorothy Stratten**, a murdered Playboy playmate with whom Bogdanovich was once romantically linked, the movie director's lawyer said.

Bogdanovich, 49, whose films include "The Last Picture Show," "Paper Moon," and "Mask," married **Louise Hoogstratten**, 20, also known as L.B. Stratten, near Vancouver, Canada, on Friday, said attorney Joel R. Junker of Seattle.

Dorothy Stratten, the 1980 Playmate of the Year who acted in one of Bogdanovich's films, was shot to death by her estranged husband, **Paul Snider**, in August 1980 in California. The killing reportedly occurred after Snider learned his wife was having an affair with Bogdanovich. Snider committed suicide after killing Stratten.

Nelly Hoogstratten, Louise's mother, told Canadian Broadcasting Corp. Television that she was not informed about the wedding.

"I've cried before, and I cry now because I've lost another daughter," she said when interviewed on the doorstep of her home in Vancouver.

In his book, "The Killing of the Unicorn: Dorothy Stratten, 1960-1980," Bogdanovich said **Hugh Hefner**'s Playboy empire played a role in her death.

He also claimed Hefner demeaned Stratten.

Bogdanovich wrote of how he was captivated by Dorothy Stratten, whom he directed in the movie, "They All Laughed," a comedy with **John Ritter**, **Audrey Hepburn** and **Ben Gazzara**, and quoted her as expressing distaste for the lifestyle of at the Playboy mansion.

He once called her "the noblest person I ever met."

She was the subject of the 1983 movie "Star 80," and the 1981 television movie "Death of a Centerfold."

In the mid-1980s, stories surfaced referring to a relationship between Bogdanovich and Stratten's younger sister.

The younger Stratten later filed a slander lawsuit against Hefner and **Burl Eldridge**, who was married to her mother from May 1980 to January 1981.

The lawsuit contended Hefner and Eldridge falsely told reporters Bogdanovich had seduced Louise Stratten when she was 13 and had sex with her mother after Stratton was killed.

The lawsuit also contended Hefner and Eldridge falsely claimed Bogdanovich had paid for Louise Stratten to have plastic surgery to make her look more like her late sister.

She dropped the lawsuit in August 1985 and Bogdanovich said at the time he hoped that resolution would end his feud with Hefner.

Evening TV Schedule

TUESDAY JANUARY 3, 1989

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4:00	Donahue	Jeopardy!	Sup. Court	Jetsons	Big Valley	Munsters	Nina Bonita	C.O.P.S.	Bowl XVI	Sq. 1 TV	NWA: Main Event
4:30	"	M*A*S*H	People's Court	DuckTales	"	Laverne	"	Fun House	K.I.D.S.	3-2-1 Contact	
5:00	Cosby Show	Current Affair	News	Double Dare	Bonanza: The	Day at a Time	El Tesoro	Facts of Life	SportsLook	Sesame Street	Scuba World
5:30	ABC News	CBS News	NBC News	B. Hillbillies	Lost Episodes	9 to 5	Noticiero Uni-	WKRP	Tee It Up	"	D. Brown
6:00	News	News	News	Star Trek	Our House	Andy Griffith	Mi Nombre es	College Bas-	SportsCenter	Humanities	Gerald Myers
6:30	Wheel-Fortune	Lose or Draw	USA Today	"	"	Sanford & Son	Coraje	ketball: Notre	Tractor Pull	Life Matters	John Shumate
7:00	Who's Boss?	Tour of Duty	Matlock	Airwolf	Movie: "The	NBA Basket-	Primavera	Dame at Penn-	Muscle Maga-	MacNeil/	Sportstalk
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8:30	thing	ror on High-	the Night	zil"	"	York Knicks	"	Twilight Zone	ing: John Du-	"	ketball:
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10:30	Cheers	Night Heat	Best of Car-	Soap	Steele	riors"	Heroe"	Hill Street	College Bas-	ing	Cliff Ellis
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6:00	"	"	Mouseterpiece	"	The Golden	Fandango	Miami Vice	Gadget	Chronicle	James Ken-	Pals
6:30	"	"	Art of Disney	"	Age of Sport	Crook	"	Looney Tunes	Survival	nedy	Fraggle Rock
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8:30	Celebrity	"	wreck"	"	Movie: "Sister	VideoCountry	McGraw	Donna Reed	ing the	"	"
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12:00	"The Color of	"	"	"	"	"	Search Tom.	Patty Duke	"Naming the	Behind Scenes	Mrs. O'Malley
12:30	Money"	"	Yosemite: Gift	"	"Taffin"	VideoCountry	Hollywood Ins.	Sat. Night	Names"	E.V. Hill	& Mr. Malone

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9 Blue grass
12 Laminated rock
13 Film director's order
14 Loosen
16 Actress Black
17 Peruvian
18 Diligence
19 Uncertainty
21 Writer Grey
22 Like
23 String instruments
25 Philadelphia university
29 An Allen
31 Winglike parts
32 Lawyer's place
33 Arabian prince
37 Circumnavigate
39 French one
40 Feedback system, for short
41 Does a good turn
42 Privileges: Abbr.
43 Attach in a way
44 "Key —": Bogart film
46 Comical Richard
48 Hold in awe
51 Ventilation
52 Wall St. abbr.
53 Uncertainty
60 Singer Tennille
61 Landed
62 More particular
63 Coup d'—
64 Bulrush
65 Humor of a sort
66 Ron who played Tarzan
67 Cuchulain's wife
68 Ice-cream treat

DOWN
1 Sleuth Charlie
2 Fat
3 Downwind
4 Writer, of sorts
5 Search
6 An Anderson
7 Tropical dog
8 Peek
9 Uncertainty
10 Ryan or Tatum
11 "A Bell for —"
12 Snow runner
15 Corrida cheers
20 — de la Cite: Paris
24 Marie Saint et al.
25 Stain, of old
26 Actress Sommer
27 Letters
28 Uncertainty
29 — Domingo
30 Three, in Madrid
32 Village
34 Part of QED
35 Sinful
36 Function
38 Peter or Ivan
45 Deduction of a sort
46 Adjective for Abner
47 Peaceful
48 Velocity
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56 Spanish painter Joan
57 Social sci.
58 Hawaiian state bird
59 Taste

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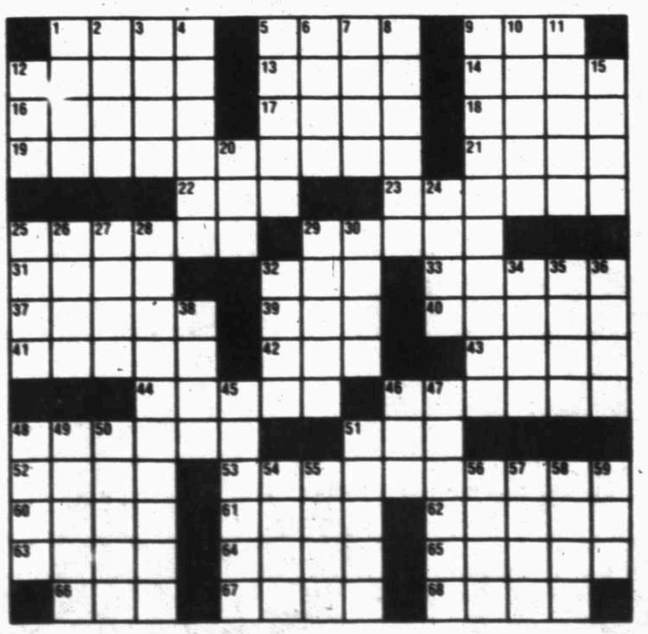

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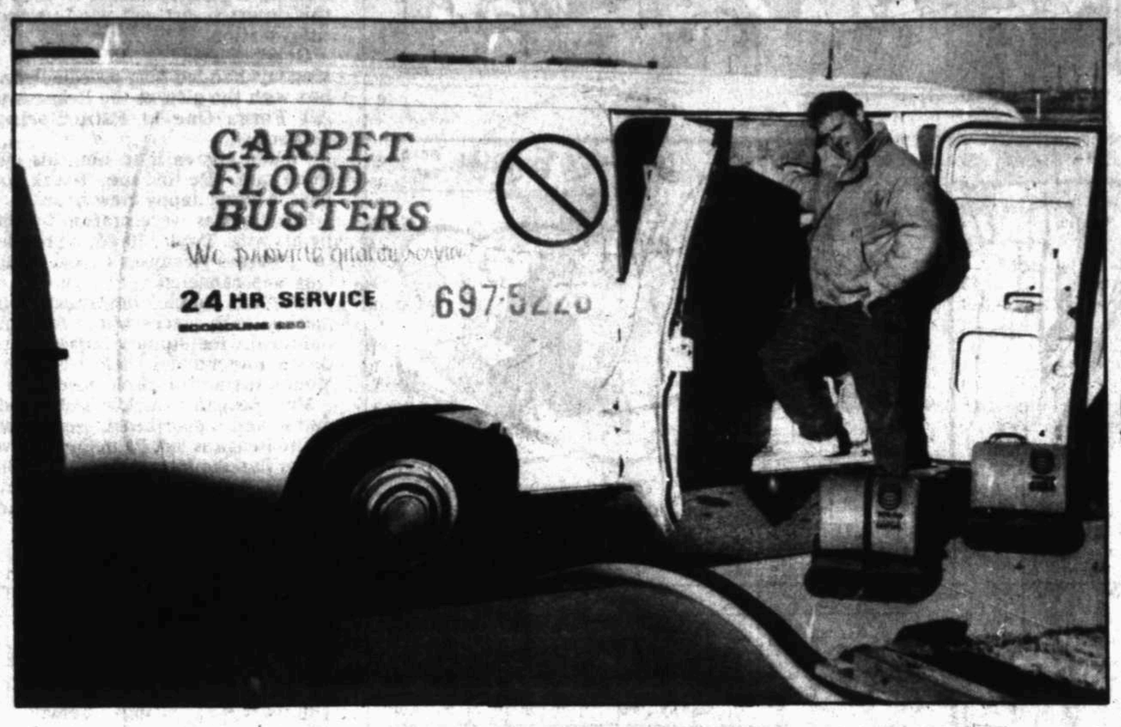

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Lee-MHS cage rivalry heads for Chaparral Center

By JIMMY PATTERSON
Sports Writer

It happens once a year in football and twice a year in baseball. But in basketball, sports fans can enjoy four intra-city match-ups a year between Midland High and Midland Lee.

The first two of the season are set for tonight at Chap Center. And for the true basketball fan, who enjoys traditions and rivalries, tonight's offing is indeed something to look forward to.

"When Midland and Lee play it's a very competitive situation," Lee girls coach Shirley Stephenson said. "An extraordinary situation. Anytime, in any sport, kids just naturally get more enthusiastic and get up for it more when you have a cross town game. I think the game plans will basically remain the same. It's an old cliche, but the adrenaline will be flowing a little faster."

The girls will tip off at 6:15 p.m., the boys at 8 p.m.

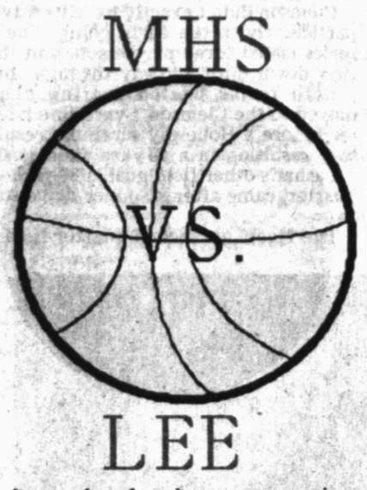
THE LADY Rebels are on a roll, having won the Kerrville Lions Club Invitational Saturday with a 56-42 landslide over host team Kerrville Tivy.

Lee brings a 12-5 record into tonight's matchup while the Lady Bulldogs are at 4-12.

Lee's Monica Ramirez scored 21 points in the Kerrville championship game while Midland High's Kim Jackson had 20 in the consolation game.

Ramirez and Jackson are their team's leaders, and the two will no doubt provide an interesting matchup both offensively and defensively tonight. Ramirez is averaging 22 points per game while Jackson is reliable for just under 20 per game.

Both teams got off to a rather slow start in the District 4-5A race, MHS with an 0-2 record; Lee, 1-1. Neither



have played a league game since well before Christmas, but, Stephenson said, it's the non-district games that are the less-strenuous.

"I'm sure every coach likes non-district games," she said. "You can see other teams play.

"And when you get into district, you're always thinking about wanting to play one more game after the season's over. And the only way you can do that is to be one of the top two finishers and that's probably what causes the pressure you put on yourself."

One other aspect of tonight's girls game is not only does it pit one Midland school against another, but also Stephenson against her sister, MHS head coach Jane Young.

And on the subject of sibling rivalries, there's Midland boy's coach Jack Stephenson, he who is the brother of both the girl's coaches.

STEPHENSON, WHOSE Bulldogs downed Paul Stueckler's Lee Rebels 65-62 last year, said his team's win in the first meeting between the two last year was one of the best team efforts he had ever witnessed in his career.

Tonight, while Stephenson's Bulldogs have been hot and cold, he may witness a great team effort from the competition.

"Lee's a good team," he said. "They're playing very, very well.

"Anytime Midland and Lee play, it's going to be a good basketball game. It is to basketball fans what the (MHS-LHS) football game is to football fans. Anytime you have an intra-city rivalry it's a big thing."

The Bulldogs are 8-9 while their counterparts at Lee are 12-6.

Midland High won the consolation final in the Kerrville tournament, downing Laredo United 73-63.

Lee, the only school not to go to Kerrville, made it to the championship game of the Clovis, N.M., tournament, losing to the host team.

The Bulldogs are led by the expert play of senior Greg Lewis, one of the brightest prospects in West Texas. Lewis averages over 18 points a game, a mark he has held ever since the second game of the season. Lewis pumped in 25 against Laredo in the Kerrville consolation.

Lee does not have a clear cut No. 1 player, spreading the worth around to a number of capable players. Scoring-wise, Torval Crisp (15.2 ppg) and Jared Edwards (12.9) lead, while Darren Dortch and Ed Hartmann offer tough play on defense and underneath the basket.

As for district play, Stephenson said the Bulldogs are in good physical shape for it, but declined to speculate on who might be a contender for one of the two playoff spots.

"He could," Stephenson said of Stueckler. "I could. I don't think anybody in our district is any better than anyone else. It just depends on who gets on a hot streak and who's playing well."

Fighting Irish lay claim to national championship

Holtz fibbed, but joins myth

By BARRY LORGE
Copley News Service

TEMPE, Ariz. — Now that Notre Dame, which leads the nation in football mythology, has won the mythical national championship for the first time in 11 years, Coach Lou Holtz should go to confession. Forgive him, Father, for he has fibbed. Big-time.

The undefeated Fighting Irish leveled the previously unbeaten Mountaineers of West Virginia, 34-21, in Monday's Sunkist Fiesta Bowl, belying Holtz's pregame sermons and soliloquies about how his team was overrated, undersized, offensively one-dimensional and seriously flawed.

In truth, the squad Holtz fielded in his third season in South Bend must rival in talent any of the seven previous Notre Dame teams that have finished No. 1 since the quasi-official Associated Press rankings began in 1936, or the 12 that won earlier versions of the national title in the days of Knute Rockne and Elmer Layden.

The only real problem with Holtz's team was that it was so aggressive, it was penalized eight times for personal fouls, late hits and unsportsmanlike conduct — including a rash in the closing minutes that put an unfortunate blemish on a tour de force.

"I was so upset over the penalties at the end of the game, it took a lot of the joy and the thrill out," said Holtz. But even on this point you had to question his veracity, for minutes later he gushed: "This is the happiest I have ever been in my life."

Holtz is a clever coach — sly as a fox, truthful as the boy who cried wolf. Any time he starts a statement with "I've got to be honest with you ...," brace for a bit o' blarney.

The last time Hollywood made a movie about Notre Dame football, Pat O'Brien was cast as Coach Rockne and Ronald Reagan as George Gipp. If this championship season were committed to celluloid, Holtz could be played by a native West Virginian: Don Knotts. They have similar physiques and self-deprecating humor.

Going into the big bowl-day showdown, Holtz kept saying his team was young, inconsistent, smallish and inexperienced in the offensive line and unable to pass the ball or make big plays. Presumbly, the Irish's 11-0 record and No. 1 ranking were miracles — heavenly reward for nuns lighting candles to rekindle "win one for the Gipper" lore.

Actually, Holtz has far more than four horsemen. If his team is imbued with Notre Dame spirit, its success starts with flesh — strong, swift-athletes, and lots of them.

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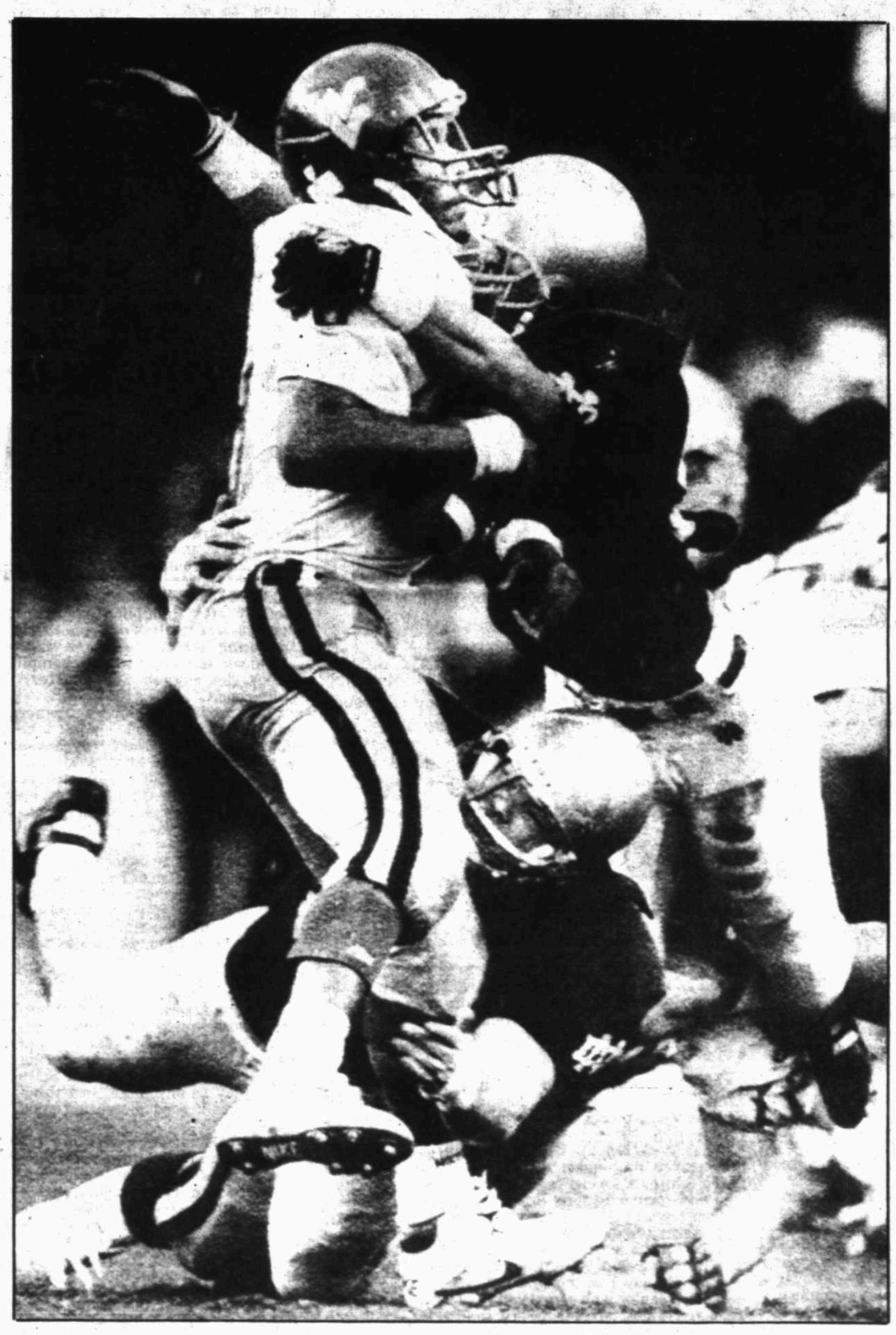

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The Fiesta Bowl was a "Major" disappointment for West Virginia because of plays like this where Notre Dame defenders Arnold Ale (standing) and Frank Stams (on ground) sack QB Major Harris.

Notre Dame drops West Virginia

Fiesta Bowl

TEMPE, Ariz. (AP) — It was only a rumor that the clouds over the Fiesta Bowl looked like Knute Rockne's face, and that he smiled watching Notre Dame reclaim the national championship.

If Rockne's visage wasn't in the air, though, his spirit surely was on a day of glory for America's team at the end of a perfect 12-0 season.

The Fighting Irish spirit was alive in the current coach, Lou Holtz, who has hummed the Notre Dame Victory March since childhood.

It was alive in Tony Rice, the best rushing quarterback in Notre Dame history and now, surprisingly, a slick passer in a 34-21 victory over No. 3 West Virginia.

Holtz and Rice christened a new football era and joined an old tradition by winning Notre Dame's first national title in 12 years.

They also stirred nostalgia for the days of Rockne, Frank Leahy, Ara Parseghian and Dan Devine, who won 13 titles among them.

"I think Knute Rockne would be proud of this football team," Holtz said in a raspy but firm voice moments after the game. "I think this football team is what Notre Dame's spirit is all about."

Holtz heard the Notre Dame victory song through his youth when it was played at his school, run by the Sisters of Notre Dame. He has been a success nearly everywhere he's worked, but never more than this year for the team he's always dreamed of coaching.

THIS YEAR'S Fighting Irish were a scrappy, ornery bunch who earned every bit of Monday's 11 penalties for 102 yards.

The Mountaineers didn't play well, but they didn't roll over. They played a proud, tough game worthy of their ranking despite injuries to several key players in the first quarter, including quarterback Major Harris.

Harris, a righthanded passer, hurt his left shoulder when he ran on the third play, and played more cautiously afterward.

"It definitely affected my scrambling," said Harris, who ran for only 11 yards and passed for 166. "I think on certain plays, I was thinking about my shoulder. Every time I landed on it, I could feel the pain."

Meanwhile, Rice, selected the offensive player of the game, was a cool general and a one-man terror.

The Fighting Irish battle plan against the Mountaineers was simple much of the time: Rice runs left, Rice runs right, Rice passes.

Rice threw standing still, on the run and jumping like a basketball player, which he also is, and finished with a career-high 213 yards and two touchdowns. He also rushed for 75 of Notre Dame's 242 yards on the ground.

Notre Dame's defense didn't shut down the high-scoring Mountaineers, but it kept them to 282 net yards by sacking Harris three times and pressuring him most of the rest of the time.

Holtz, who has been hesitant about calling his team the best in the country, claimed it for his players now after beating the second, third and fourth ranked teams this season.

"They deserve the national championship for their continued hard work," he said. "If it weren't for us, Southern California, Miami and West Virginia would all still be undefeated."

The national title, officially conferred today when results of the final Associated Press poll of the season are released, is coming to Holtz in his third season as coach — just as it did for Leahy, Parseghian and Devine.

Leahy won in 1943, 1946, 1947 and 1949, Parseghian in 1966 and 1973 and Devine in 1977.

Rockne won six other national titles before The Associated Press poll began in 1936.

The Mountaineers couldn't get a first down until 9:22 of the second quarter, and that was on a late-hit penalty.

The Irish were a little too aggressive at times. Their taunting behavior even lured Holtz into the huddle late in the game to chide his players.

"I told them to be quiet and conduct themselves properly," Holtz said. "We got frustrated. Our players were complaining about being held. Our players were completely in the wrong."

WEST VIRGINIA coach Don Nehlen had hoped for his first national championship, but left with memories of "a great season" only slightly marred by this loss.

"We didn't play very well," he said. "Major was hurt the first half but Notre Dame is a better football team than we are. They beat us up front. They deserved to win. They are better than we are."

Nehlen wondered about all those pregame comments from Holtz about Rice's supposed inability to pass.

"For a guy who isn't supposed to be able to throw, he sure looked like he could throw to me," Nehlen said.

Rice threw touchdown passes of 29 yards to freshman Raghib "Rocket" Ismail late in the second quarter and a clinching 3-yarder to backup tight end Frank Jacobs early in the final period.

On Notre Dame's first possession, Rice scrambled for 31 yards to the West Virginia 31 on third-and-7. Four plays later, Billy Hackett booted a 45-yard field goal, the longest of his career, to start the scoring.

A 23-yard pass from Rice to freshman Derek Brown set up Anthony Johnson's 1-yard touchdown run at 10:26 of the first quarter that made it 9-0. One of Notre Dame's few mistakes came when holder Pete Graham muffed the snap on the conversion try.

Miami rips Nebraska, but Canes can't repeat

Orange Bowl

MIAMI (AP) — No matter what second-ranked Miami did in the Orange Bowl — and the Hurricanes did everything right — it didn't matter.

Miami will not repeat as national champions. The title already belongs to Notre Dame.

"I have the feeling we gave Notre Dame No. 1 when we didn't kick the extra point in midseason," Coach Jimmy Johnson said after Miami overwhelmed No. 6 Nebraska 23-3 Monday night.

"I think there's a difference of opinion as to who the best team in the country is," he said. "We might not be No. 1, but at this time we're the best team in the country."

Tell that to Notre Dame. The top-ranked Irish beat No. 3 West Virginia 34-21 in the Fiesta Bowl, which ended just before the Orange Bowl began.

"That game got us a little fired up that the national championship was out of our reach," said All-American Steve Walsh, who threw two touchdown passes to Leonard Conley.

"We wanted to show that we were the best team in the country, not in the polls but on the field," he said.

Miami had its chance earlier in the season, on Oct. 15 at South Bend. But Walsh's two-point conversion pass in the last minute failed and Notre Dame won 31-30.

Johnson, given the opportunity again, said he would still go for two instead of kicking the tying extra point.

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BASKETBALL — Celtics vs. Knicks, 7:05 p.m., WTBS.
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BASKETBALL — Midland Lee vs. Midland High, girls at 6:15 p.m., boys at 8 p.m., Chaparral Center.

Trivia Teaser...

Tuesday's Question: Before becoming an NFL commentator, Ahmad Rashad was an All-Pro wide receiver. What was his given name?

Monday's Answer: TCU defeated Marquette 16-6 in the 1936 Cotton Bowl game behind quarterback Sammy Baugh.

Aikman leads UCLA win

Quarterback finds permanent home in Dallas

DALLAS (AP) — Troy Aikman may have found himself a permanent home in Dallas.

The UCLA quarterback led the ninth-ranked Bruins to an NCAA record seventh consecutive bowl victory on Monday with a 17-3 Cotton Bowl Classic triumph over the eighth-ranked Arkansas Razorbacks.

He did so under the watchful eye of officials from the Dallas Cowboys, who own the NFL's No. 1 draft pick.

"(Coach) Tom Landry will make the final choice but I would be shocked if he didn't take Troy Aikman," said Cowboys' personnel director Gil Brandt. "I think Troy played real well."

Aikman has a preference: The Cowboys.

"I'd love to play for Dallas," said Aikman, who will finish his collegiate career at the Hula and Japan bowls. He was 20-4 as a starting quarterback at UCLA.

Cotton Bowl

Aikman was almost overwhelmed by "Aikmania" when the Bruins came to Dallas for their historic first Cotton Bowl visit.

"I was more distracted this week than in all of the other weeks combined," Aikman said. "I didn't feel the pressure but it was hard to prepare for the football game. I got shut off rom the media on Thursday and that helped. I was finally able to focus on the game."

What he saw was an Arkansas defense that tried to negate the long passes.

So Aikman picked apart Arkansas with a short passing game. He hit 19 of 27 passes for 172 yards and one touchdown and converted 12 of 20 third-down situations to earn Cotton Bowl offensive MVP honors.

Aikman, who bounced back after an early interception, directed scoring drives of 93 and 74 yards, the second of which ended with a 1-yard scoring pass to Corwin Anthony.

UCLA led 14-0 at halftime, and the Bruin defense made it stand up.

Arkansas' only points came on a 49-yard field goal by Kendall Trainor in the third period. It was his 24th consecutive field goal.

UCLA countered on Alfredo Velasco's 32-yard field goal in the fourth period.

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Clemson ends ACC loss streak against Oklahoma

Citrus Bowl

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP) — Oklahoma coach Barry Switzer says that not only was No. 13 Clemson the better team in the Citrus Bowl, but the Tigers also had more motivation than his 10th-ranked Sooners.

"We were coming in as a loser. They were coming as a winner. That's obviously a motivating factor," Switzer said after Monday's 13-6 loss.

"When you work two weeks, with one week of two-a-days, you ought to be better prepared than a team that works one week of one-a-days," he said. "They prepared like they were playing for a national championship."

Clemson coach Danny Ford wouldn't go that far, although he admitted playing the Sooners guaranteed his team would have no problem getting emotional.

"Just playing Oklahoma is great for our program, but beating them is even more of a plum," Ford said. "Our youngsters played awfully hard against a team that has a football reputation every year, not just every now and then."

Clemson, which finished 10-2, earned a berth in the Citrus Bowl by winning the Atlantic Coast Conference title. Oklahoma, 9-3, came to Orlando after losing the Big Eight title game — and the automatic berth in the Orange Bowl — to Nebraska.

The victory represented the first by an ACC team over Oklahoma in 17 tries.

The Sooners had hoped to begin the new year with a victory if for no other reason than the fact they can't go to a bowl game after the 1989 or 1990 seasons, due to NCAA probation for recruiting violations.

A hapless offensive performance kept it from happening.

The Sooners came in averaging 410 yards of offense per game. At halftime, Oklahoma had 56 total yards. After three quarters, the total was 99 yards.

The Sooners finished with 254 yards, but only because Jamelle Holleway threw — that's right, threw — for 138 yards in the fourth quarter.

"I think the only thing we did improperly was give up the big pass," Ford said. "We really didn't think that they had that big a passing game. But we didn't give up the big run and we're happy and fortunate there."

Oklahoma was held to only 116 yards rushing, 227 below its average.

Clemson didn't exactly have its way with the Sooners, particularly in the early going. The Tigers' first four series lasted three plays each, and they didn't make a first down until midway through the second quarter.

Both teams wasted scoring chances. Oklahoma moved to the Clemson 1-yard line late in the first quarter before a Holleway scramble resulted in an 18-yard loss, resulting in a 35-yard field goal by R.D. Lashar.

Lashar's other field goal, a 30-yarder late in the third quarter, came after a Sooner drive stalled at Clemson's 14.

The Tigers got second-quarter field goals of 20 and 46 yards from Chris Gardocki. An illegal procedure penalty — one of seven first-half penalties against Clemson — pushed the Tigers back after they had reached Oklahoma's 2-yard line. A chop block penalty and a sack on their next drive ended any thoughts of a touchdown.

The game-winning score came with 10:28 remaining in the fourth quarter when Terry Allen scored on a 4-yard sweep to cap a 15-play, 80-yard drive. Allen, with 53 yards rushing and 47 receiving, was named the game's most valuable player.

"On that drive they made things happen," Switzer said. "They executed."

The result was a sweet victory for Clemson. Perhaps not the same as winning a national championship — Ford got a taste of that in 1981 — but sweet nonetheless.

"I guess I better brag on them a bit," Ford said of his players. "Those little ol' fellas from Conway, S.C., and Loris, S.C., and up the mountains of North Carolina, and our little East Coast youngsters have represented us well."

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"I have no regrets," he said. "We play to win."

Nebraska coach Tom Osborne thought his team had a chance to win. That was until the Hurricanes put on a speed-and-strength show that rivaled the laser-and-light halftime extravaganza.

"As far as I'm concerned, they are the best team we've faced this season," Osborne said. "I'm sure that Notre Dame will be No. 1, but I don't think there are many teams that would come into the Orange Bowl and be favored to beat Miami."

Nebraska's 20-point loss rivaled its worst in 11 seasons.

Miami's pro-style passing attack confused the Cornhuskers early and led to a 20-0 halftime lead. The Hurricanes also held Nebraska's rushing game, which led the nation with a 382-yard average, to a puny 80 yards on 38 tries.

"We just got beat by a better football team," Osborne said. "Our big problem was that we couldn't generate enough offense to keep the pressure off of our defense."

Miami, 11-1, confused the Cornhuskers early with its pro-style passing attack and shut down Nebraska's rushing game, which led the nation with a 382-yard average. Nebraska, 11-2, was was 1-for-14 in third-down conversions.

The Hurricanes also dominated special teams play. Senior Bubba McDowell blocked the 10th punt of his career and it set up Carlos Huerta's second of three field goals for a 20-0 halftime lead.

"We're really disappointed," Nebraska coach Tom Osborne said at halftime. "We tried to do everything we could do, but we haven't done anything well."

This was the first Miami-Nebraska game since the classic 1984 Orange Bowl, when the then-No. 1 Cornhuskers failed on a last-second conversion pass and Miami held on 31-30. That result vaulted the Hurricanes from No. 5 to their first national championship.

In that game, quarterbacks Bernie Kosar of Miami and Turner Gill of Nebraska played brilliantly. This time, neither Walsh nor Nebraska's Steve Taylor, finished with great statistics.

Walsh was 21-for-44 for 277 yards and three interceptions, setting an Orange Bowl record for completions and attempts. Taylor was just 8-for-21 for 55 yards, threw two interceptions and, despite quick feet, was sacked five times by Miami's fast defenders.

Walsh, however, did what he always does best. The junior, who can become eligible for the NFL draft if he graduates this spring, found a way to win. Walsh is 23-1 as a starter, including 16-0 at the Orange Bowl. He entered the game with 29 touchdown passes — tops in the country.

Walsh found Conley wide open over the middle for a 22-yard scoring pass on Miami's second possession. They hooked up again in the second quarter, Conley shaking his shoulders to shuck would-be tacklers on the way to a 42-yard touchdown pass.

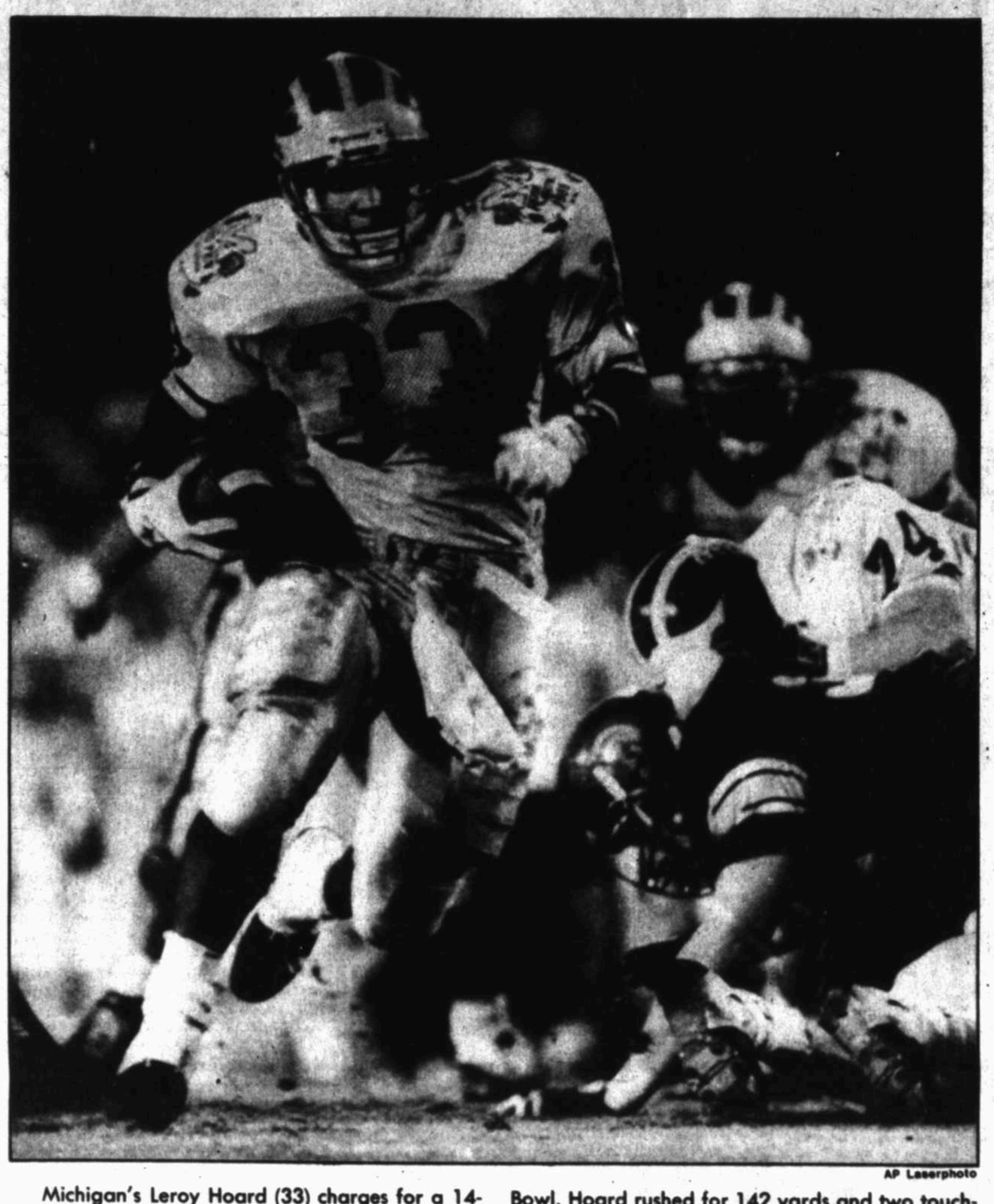
Nebraska averted its first shutout since 1973 on Gregg Barrios' 50-yard field goal in the third quarter. That was all for the Big Eight champions who had been scoring nearly 40 points per game.

Johnson has claimed throughout the bowl season that his team was the best, and he intended to show it. By the time he left the field waving to the crowd, few at the Orange Bowl would have disagreed.

MIAMI HELD a 212-29 yards advantage and 11-2 first-down edge at halftime, and several times Nebraska players were left lying on the turf, seemingly from frustration and fatigue on the humid south Florida night.

Walsh went into action after getting the ball for the second time. Darryl Spencer returned a punt 21 yards to the Nebraska 33 and it took six plays for the Hurricanes to score.

On third-and-10 at the 22, Walsh got plenty of protection and found Conley circling from the right slot. Walsh lofted the pass over linebacker LeRony Etienne and Conley breezed in.



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Michigan's Leroy Hoard (33) charges for a 14-yard gain against Souther California in the Rose Bowl. Hoard rushed for 142 yards and two touchdowns to lead the Michigan victory.

Bo finally finds a smile

No. 11 Wolverines beat No. 5 USC

Rose Bowl

PASADENA, Calif. (AP) — Bo Schembechler was smiling and laughing for a change when the Rose Bowl ended.

"The last time I was here we lost, and I want you to know that no matter how you add it up, there's a lot of difference between winning and losing," said Schembechler, no stranger to Rose Bowl losses.

The 11th-ranked Wolverines had just beaten No. 5 Southern California 22-14 to give Schembechler only his second victory in nine trips to the Rose Bowl, and his first since 1981.

"Losing just tears your heart up, and I don't have a good one to begin with," said Schembechler, who had quadruple bypass surgery a little over a year ago and also missed the Wolverines' 1970 Rose Bowl game — a 10-3 loss to Southern Cal — when he was hospitalized after a heart attack.

This time, fullback Leroy Hoard, a stocky 6-foot, 220-pound sophomore, rushed for 142 yards and a pair of 1-yard touchdowns in the fourth quarter as the Wolverines came from behind to beat Southern Cal.

Hoard, suspended by Schembechler for one game earlier this season for missing some classes, and quarterback Demetrius Brown, another former resident in the coach's doghouse, keyed the Wolverines' victory in the 75th Rose Bowl.

Schembechler had demoted Brown, prone to throwing interceptions last year, to second string this season, giving the starting job to Michael Taylor. But Brown got the job back when Taylor suffered a broken collarbone in the ninth game of the season.

Brown guided the Wolverines on two long scoring drives in the second half as Michigan overcame a 14-3 halftime deficit.

"They didn't have any difficulty with me," Schembechler said of Hoard and Brown. "I had difficulty with them. I might expect a little more of people ..."

Hoard, voted the game's most valuable player, said, "I wish I could divide this up among all the seniors. They guided me through when I was in the doghouse."

Hoard, who carried 19 times, put the Wolverines ahead 15-14 with his short touchdown run early in the final period, then locked up the victory with another 1-yard scoring burst with 1:52 remaining.

He also set up the last touchdown, breaking loose for a 61-yard gain that put the ball at the Trojans' 9-yard line.

Quarterback Rodney Peete, frustrated most of the game by the Wolverines' defense, provided all the Southern Cal points, scoring on on runs of 1 and 4 yards.

"They deserved to win the football game because they played four quarters," said Southern Cal coach Larry Smith, a former assistant under Schembechler who now has an 0-2 Rose Bowl record himself. Smith's Trojans lost the 1988 Rose Bowl to Michigan State 20-17.

"It seemed like maybe we thought we had the game won at halftime. They blocked and tackled and we didn't," Smith said. "Call it determination, experience, whatever. They had it and we didn't."

Peete, a senior who completed 15 of 21 passes for 158 yards but was intercepted twice, said, "This is going to be hard to live with. We lost the last two games (including a 27-10 decision to top-ranked Notre Dame in the regular-sean finale) and we knew we had a chance to win the national title. There's a real empty feeling."

The Trojans made one final drive into Michigan territory, but that last chance ended when John Milligan intercepted Peete's pass inside the Michigan 40-yard line in the closing minute of the game.

Brown directed the Wolverines on a 70-yard scoring drive to open the second half, capping the march with a 6-yard touchdown pass to Chris Calloway. The Trojans maintained a 14-9 lead when Hoard was stopped short on a running try for the two-point conversion.

Brown then guided the Wolverines 92 yards, with Hoard scoring four seconds into the final period to make it 15-14.

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"We took what Arkansas gave us and we've been doing that all season," Aikman said. "You can't argue with success. When it came to the crunch we were able to convert third downs and keep drives going."

UCLA Coach Terry Donahue said Aikman did a good job of staying under control.

"Troy needed to play his game and he did," Donahue said. "He was under an unusual amount of pressure and come through."

Donahue said it was a great honor to become the first coach to win seven consecutive bowl games.

"It's a significant win for our program," he said.

It was UCLA's first visit to the Cotton Bowl and the first appearance by a West Coast team since Oregon lost to Southern Methodist 40 years ago.

"We had a great time," Donahue said. "I'd recommend this bowl to any Pac-10 team and we'd come back, that's for sure."

UCLA, 10-2, was runner-up in the Pac-10 behind Southern California while Arkansas, 10-2, was the Southwest Conference champion.

The Razorbacks praised Aikman for his poise under pressure.

"He's the $1 million man and he showed it," said Arkansas safety Steve Atwater. "He's very agile and hard to contain on the rollout. He's got great zip on the ball."

Arkansas Coach Ken Hatfield blamed himself for the collapse of the Arkansas offense, which produced only 42 yards and four first downs.

"We may have tried to put in too many things," he said. "Our defense did a pretty good job. Aikman is a tremendous player. We were afraid of his potential to go deep so it's hard to stop and lot of the short passes.

"No team has ever dominated us like UCLA did.' "

Arkansas' 42 total yards was the second lowest in Cotton Bowl history, 10 yards behind Tennessee's total in a loss to Texas in 1953.

"They just dominated the line of scrimmage and that's where you win football games," Hatfield said.

Arkansas quarterback Quinn Grovey said UCLA just smothered him.

"My mother could have done a better job of running the wishbone," Grovey said.

UCLA noseguard Jim Wahler said he was shocked the Bruins stopped the Hogs the way they did.

"I didn't think we could stuff Arkansas like that," Wahler said.

Arkansas linebacker LaSalle Harper, who had 20 tackles, was named the defensive MVP.

"We had our problems with Aikman," Harper said. "In fact, we all had our problems."

Syracuse blisters SEC's LSU, 23-10

Hall of Fame

TAMPA, Fla. (AP) — Syracuse seems always to be trying to prove they belong among the nation's college football elite.

Coach Dick MacPherson's team talked as good a game as they played Monday after humbling Louisiana State 23-10 in the Hall of Fame Bowl, answering skeptics who felt LSU would win because it was co-champion of the rugged Southeastern Conference.

"LSU probably did have a tougher schedule than we had. I won't take that away from them," Syracuse quarterback Todd Philcox said. "But we both played some great teams, some of them the same. The bottom line is that they won eight games and we won nine."

MAKE THAT 10 victories for Syracuse after the Hall of Fame destruction. The Orangemen rushed for 208 yards and intercepted Tommy Hodson three times to finish 10-2, with losses to Ohio State, which also beat LSU, and West Virginia.

"I think the SEC, from teams one through seven, is the strongest conference in America," said MacPherson, whose squad tied league member Auburn in last year's Sugar Bowl. "We've lost our measuring stick in the East, since Penn State won't play us any more, so I think this makes a good measuring stick for us."

Robert Drummond rushed for 122 yards and two touchdowns and Philcox threw for 130 yards and one touchdown to lead Syracuse, which got one interception from All-American safety Markus Paul and two by cornerback David Holmes.

The Orangemen, wearing special armbands in remembrance of Syracuse students who died in the crash of Pan Am Flight 103, pulled away from a 10-10 tie on Drummond's 1-yard dive with 5:53 left in the third quarter and Philcox's 4-yard TD pass to Deval Glover six minutes later.

"We didn't do anything right today — throw, pass, block, tackle, anything," LSU coach Mike Archer said. "When you don't do those little things, the big things don't work either."

The SEC co-champs finished with an 8-4 record. The Tigers have been to bowl games five consecutive seasons and lost four times, but Archer disputed the suggestion his team might have underestimated their Hall of Fame opponent.

"I don't think there's any question about our respect for Syracuse," he said. "They should've won the West Virginia game. They played Auburn tough last year in the Sugar Bowl and we played Auburn this year ... We all looked at film. They were very large and physical and proved it."

The Orangemen set the tone for the game when they marched 80 yards in 14 plays to take a 7-0 lead on Drummond's 2-yard touchdown run. The senior running back carried six times in the drive for 43 yards, and Daryl Johnston gained 23 yards on five attempts.

"From that first drive, when we moved the ball so well, I knew the game was ours," said Drummond, who carried 23 times. "They just didn't know what we were going to do next."

Johnston finished with 74 yards on 19 carries. Meanwhile, Philcox completed 16 of 23 passes and did a superb job of running Syracuse's option offense, which amassed 338 yards to LSU's 297.

HODSON completed 16 of 33 passes for 192 yards for LSU, but two of the interceptions he threw stopped scoring threats in the first half, and the Tigers were also stopped on downs at the Syracuse 11.

Still, LSU trailed only 10-7 at halftime after Calvin Windom scored on a 19-yard run. David Browndyke's 35-yard field goal, 3:21 into the third quarter, tied the score before the Orangemen regained control.

"We weren't worried because we knew we were performing well," Philcox said. "Sure, they had scored 10 points, but if our defense lets us play against teams that score only 10 points a game, I'd be delighted."

Drummond, taking up the slack in the absence of suspended backup Michael Owens, was voted the game's most valuable player. The 6-foot-2, 212-pound back felt the victory was as significant as any Syracuse has had in four years.

"Everyone ridicules us because we're from the East, and they say the Eastern boys can't play football," he said.

HOLTZ

(Continued from Page 1C)

Junior Tony Rice — a gifted option runner and ballhandler whom Holtz had downplayed as "not a total quarterback" because "he can't pass" — was the deep threat the coach said he lacked. Rice threw strong-armed spirals worthy of Johnny Lujack, Ralph Guglielmi, John Huarte, Terry Hanratty, Joe Theismann, Joe Montana or any other celebrated Notre Dame passers of the past, completing strikes of 57, 47, 35 and 29 yards.

One-dimensional? Rice gained 75 of Notre Dame's 242 rushing yards and completed seven of 11 passes, to six different receivers, for 213 yards and two TDs. "For a guy that wasn't supposed to be able to throw," said Mountaineer coach Don Nehlen, "he sure looked like he could throw to me."

Blushed Holtz: "I did say that Rice had been throwing the ball this week better than ever."

Notre Dame's offensive line, more than making up in quickness anything it lacked in size or seasoning, opened gaping holes for a host of speedy ball-carriers. The Irish defense, which had limited opponents to 12.3 points per game, swarmed like banshees and hit like holy hell. Guys with names like Stonebreaker and Flash Gordon lived up to them. When West Virginia saw flashes of daylight in overcast Sun Devil Stadium, blue shirts and gold helmets seemed to materialize out of the desert air like ghosts of Irish All-Americans past, closing the holes quicker than you could say "Leahy" or "Parseghian."

Often West Virginia's best offense was penalties on Notre Dame for over-zealous contact. The Irish inflicted corporal punishment on Mountaineer field general Major Harris and his troops.

Harris had his left shoulder injured on the game's first series, and West Virginia lost three regulars in the first quarter — offensive guard John Strola and middle guard Jim Gray with concussions, tailback Undra Johnson with a strained knee.

Nehlen, a pretty fair country coach himself, knew that Holtz was playing rhetorical possum, but he learned the hard way just how good and bully-boy tough the Irish are.

"They just beat us up front," said Nehlen, who is as plain-speaking as Holtz is fancy-talking. "They were more aggressive on both sides of the line of scrimmage. They made big plays, and we didn't ...Their offensive line was very, very good. Their defense is exceptionally good. They're quick as the devil. Their defensive backs can run. They just have excellent team speed ... And they were more physical than we were. That's why they deserved to win ... It was obvious from where I was standing that they were beating us both offensively and defensively with their people up front."

Even Holtz had to admit, sort of, that he had more horsepower than he had advertised.

"I really felt that I've underestimated this football team in a lot of areas," he said afterwards. "Even today, though, we couln't fall into a rhythm on offense, but we found a way to put some points on the board. This football team has done everything that I've asked of them. They went 12-0. If it wasn't for us, Miami, West Virginia and Southern Cal would still be undefeated. I don't know how you rate or evaluate a football team, but this team has got to go down as being an excellent one."

He paused momentarily to let the wind die down, then added: "Let me say this: I wasn't downplaying our football team. I've got to tell you in my honest heart, I was scared to death of West Virginia ... I said I dreamt about winning a national championship. I've got to honest with you, I didn't think there was any way in this world I was ever going to be part of it as a head coach. That's for movie stars."

Don Knotts returned a moment later when a rogue called his bluff, asking Holtz how he would feel coming into next season ranked No. 1 — which is almost inevitable, considering the number of players he has coming back.

Holtz smiled impishly, then summoned all his oratorical sincerity andstarted: "We've really got some real problems on our team ..."

That's a speech you would not hear at confession.

Sports Scoreboard

NBA

National Basketball Association
EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	18	10	.643	—
Philadelphia	15	14	.517	3½
Boston	13	14	.481	4½
New Jersey	12	17	.414	6½
Charlotte	8	19	.296	9½
Washington	8	19	.296	9½
Central Division				
Cleveland	21	5	.808	—
Detroit	20	7	.741	1½
Atlanta	19	9	.679	3
Milwaukee	15	11	.577	6
Chicago	15	12	.556	6½
Indiana	5	22	.185	16½

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Midwest Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
Dallas	17	9	.654	—
Houston	18	11	.621	½
Denver	17	11	.607	1
Utah	17	12	.586	1½
San Antonio	7	20	.259	10½
Miami	3	24	.111	14½
Pacific Division				
L.A. Lakers	19	10	.655	—
Phoenix	17	11	.607	1½
Portland	16	11	.593	2
Seattle	14	12	.538	3½
Golden St.	11	14	.440	6
L.A. Clippers	10	18	.357	8½
Sacramento	6	19	.240	11

Monday's Game
Phoenix 125, Washington 122
Tuesday's Games
New Jersey at Charlotte, 6:30 p.m.
Detroit at Atlanta, 6:30 p.m.
Indiana at Cleveland, 6:30 p.m.
Boston at New York, 7 p.m.
L.A. Clippers at Chicago, 7:30 p.m.
Utah at Houston, 7:30 p.m.
Denver at San Antonio, 7:30 p.m.
Dallas at Sacramento, 9:30 p.m.
Miami at Portland, 9:30 p.m.
L.A. Lakers at Seattle, 9 p.m.

Monday's NBA Box
At Landover, Md.
PHOENIX (125)
Chambers 9-19 11-11 29, Gilliam 9-15 10-13 28, Lang 2-2 1-1 5, Corbin 4-8 2-4 10, K.Johnson 6-16 2-4 14, West 6-6 0-0 12, E.Johnson 10-18 3-4 23, Hornacek 1-5 2-2 4, Perry 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 47-92 31-39 125.
WASHINGTON (122)
Catledge 8-15 5-9 21, King 9-18 9-10 27, Feitl 2-5 1-1 5, Malone 11-24 3-3 26, Walker 4-12 0-0 8, Williams 4-8 2-2 10, Colter 0-2 0-0 0, Alarie 5-12 0-0 11, Eackles 4-12 2-2 10, Grant 1-4 2-2 4. Totals 48-112 24-29 122.

Phoenix	36	30	32	27	—125
Washington	30	40	30	22	—122

3-Point goals—Malone, Alarie. Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Phoenix 59 (Gilliam 18), Washington 63 (Catledge 11). Assists—Phoenix 29 (K.Johnson 13), Washington 30 (Walker 8). Total fouls— Phoenix 27, Washington 26. Technicals—Catledge, King. A—3,729.

NHL

National Hockey League
WALES CONFERENCE

Patrick Division	W	L	T	Pts
Pittsburgh	23	13	3	49
NY Rangers	21	14	5	47
Washington	20	15	5	45
Philadelphia	21	18	2	44
New Jersey	13	19	7	33
NY Islanders	10	24	2	22
Adams Division				
Montreal	27	10	6	60
Boston	16	15	9	41
Buffalo	16	19	4	36
Hartford	15	21	3	33
Quebec	13	23	4	30

CAMPBELL CONFERENCE

Norris Division	W	L	T	Pts
Detroit	18	15	5	41
St. Louis	14	18	7	35
Toronto	14	23	3	31
Minnesota	12	20	7	31
Chicago	10	24	5	25
Smythe Division				
Calgary	24	8	6	54
Los Angeles	24	14	1	49
Edmonton	21	14	4	46
Vancouver	15	20	5	35
Winnipeg	14	14	7	35

Monday's Games
Washington 8, Pittsburgh 0
Boston 8, St. Louis 7
New York Rangers 5, Hartford 4
Edmonton 3, Minnesota 2, OT
Tuesday's Games
Philadelphia at New York Islanders, 7:05 p.m.
Quebec at Calgary, 8:35 p.m.

Monday's NHL Sums
At Landover, Md.

Pittsburgh	0	0	0	—0
Washington	1	5	2	—8

First Period—1, Washington, Stevens 3 (Murphy), 1:02 (pp).
Second Period—2, Washington, Ridley 25, 4:50. 3, Washington, Gustafsson 11 (Hatcher, Stevens), 6:57 (pp). 4, Washington, Gould 5 (Druce, Franceschetti), 6:25. 5, Washington, Christian 17 (Ridley), 7:38. 6, Washington, Gustafsson 12 (Christian, Murphy), 11:46 (pp).
Third Period—7, Washington, Christian 18 (Hunter, Sheehy), 2:22. 8, Washington, Courtnall 22 (Gartner, Ridley), 10:24.
Shots on goal—Pittsburgh 5-6-3—14. Washington 10-14-21—45. Goalies—Pittsburgh, Barrasso 13-11-3. Pietrangelo. Washington, Peeters 7-3-2. A—18,130.

At New York

Hartford	2	1	1	—4
N.Y. Rangers	1	1	3	—5

First Period—1, Hartford, Dineen 20 (Reeds, Francis), 2:32. 2, New York, Shaw 2 (Leetch, Mullen), 4:45 (pp). 3, Hartford, Dineen 21 (Francis, Lawton), 9:43.
Second Period—4, New York, Sandstrom 14 (Patrick, Wilson), 9:45. 5, Hartford, MacDermid 7 (Tippett), 14:34.
Third Period—6, New York, Wilson 14 (Granato, Sandstrom), 4:51. 7, New York, Shaw 3 (Leetch, Kisio), 7:26 (pp). 8, New York, Granato 20, 18:41. 9, Hartford, Ferraro 17 (Francis), 19:35.
Shots on goal—Hartford 11-8-9—28. New York 14-13-13—40. Goalies—Hartford, Sidorkiewicz, 9-8-2. New York, Vanbiesbrouck, 16-9-3. A—16,328.

At Boston

St. Louis	2	1	4	—7
Boston	4	3	1	—8

First Period—1, Boston, Sweeney 2 (Janney), :51. 2, Boston, Wesley 11 (Janney), 3:04 (pp). 3, St. Louis, Hull 17 (Ronning, Zezel), 6:30. 4, St. Louis, Evans 4 (Ronning), 11:25. 5, Boston, Kasper 9 (Burridge, Neufeld), 14:23. 6, Boston, Carter 4 (Linseman, Crowder), 17:45.
Second Period—7, Boston, Crowder 7 (Wesley, Hawgood), 1:55 (pp). 8, St. Louis, Benning 5 (Gingras, Hull), 4:04 (pp). 9, Boston, Linseman 11 (Wesley, Crowder), 13:10 (pp). 10, Boston, Neely 12 (Galley, Janney), 19:44.
Third Period—11, St. Louis, Hrkac 12 (Paslawski, Zezel), 11:27. 12, St. Louis, P.Cavallini 3, 14:03. 13, St. Louis, Ronning 10 (Benning), 15:12. 14, Boston, Joyce 12 (Janney), 15:53. 15, St. Louis, Ewen 3 (McKegney, Tilley), 19:20.
Shots on goal—St. Louis 9-9-10—28. Boston 18-16-9—43. Goalies—St. Louis, Millen, 10-12-3. Boston, Moog, 11-4-6. A—13,889.

At Bloomington, Minn.

Edmonton	0	0	2	1	—3
Minnesota	0	1	1	0	—2

First Period—None.
Second Period—1, Minnesota, Broten 11 (MacLellan, Habscheid), :49.
Third Period—2, Edmonton, Carson 31 (Anderson, Huddy), 1:56. 3, Edmonton, Huddy 8 (Carson, Messier), 13:03 (pp). 4, Minnesota, Gavin 2 (Rouse), 15:26.
Overtime—5, Edmonton, Tikkanen 24 (Kurri, Messier), 3:10.
Shots on goal—Edmonton 7-10-15-3—35. Minnesota 13-14-6-2—35. Goalies—Edmonton, Fuhr, 11-10-3. Minnesota, Casey, 7-9-6. A—7,732.

Transactions

Weekend Sports Transactions
By The Associated Press
BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association
DENVER NUGGETS—Placed Jay Vincent, forward, on the injured list. Signed Eddie Hughes, guard, to a 10-day contract.

College Bowls

College Bowl Games
By The Associated Press
Saturday, Dec. 10
California Bowl
At Fresno, Calif.
Fresno St. 35, Western Michigan 30
Friday, Dec. 23
Independence Bowl
At Shreveport, La.
Southern Mississippi 38, Texas-El Paso 18
Saturday, Dec. 24
Sun Bowl
At El Paso, Texas
Alabama 29, Army 28
Sunday, Dec. 25
Blue-Gray All-Star Classic
At Montgomery, Ala.
Blue 22, Gray 21
Aloha Bowl
At Honolulu
Washington St. 24, Houston 22
Wednesday, Dec. 28
Liberty Bowl
At Memphis, Tenn.
Indiana 34, South Carolina 10
Thursday, Dec. 29
All American Bowl
At Birmingham, Ala.
Florida 14, Illinois 10
Freedom Bowl
At Anaheim, Calif.
Brigham Young 20, Colorado 17
Friday, Dec. 30
Holiday Bowl
At San Diego
Oklahoma St. 62, Wyoming 14
Saturday, Dec. 31
Peach Bowl
At Atlanta
North Carolina State 28, Iowa 23
Sunday, Jan. 1
Gator Bowl
At Jacksonville, Fla.
Georgia 34, Michigan State 27
Monday, Jan. 2
Hall of Fame Bowl
At Tampa, Fla.
Syracuse 23, Louisiana State 10
Citrus Bowl
At Orlando, Fla.
Clemson 13, Oklahoma 6
Cotton Bowl
At Dallas
UCLA 17, Arkansas 3
Fiesta Bowl
At Tempe, Ariz.
Notre Dame 34, West Virginia 21
Rose Bowl
At Pasadena, Calif.
Michigan 22, Southern Cal 14
Orange Bowl
At Miami
Miami, Fla. 23, Nebraska 3
Sugar Bowl
At New Orleans
Florida St. 13, Auburn 7

Monday's Bowl Summaries
By The Associated Press

Syracuse 23, LSU 10

HALL OF FAME BOWL
At Tampa, Fla.

Louisiana St.	0	7	3	0	—10
Syracuse	7	3	7	6	—23

Syr—Drummond 2 run (K.J.Green kick)
Syr—FG K.J. Green 38
LSU—Windom 19 run (Browndyke kick)
LSU—FG Browndyke 35
Syr—Drummond 1 run (K.J. Green kick)
Syr—Glover 4 pass from Philcox (kick failed)
A—51,112.

	LSU	Syr
First downs	14	24
Rushes-yards	26-76	51-208
Passing	221	130
Return Yards	6	27
Comp-Att-Int	18-35-3	16-23-0
Punts	3-32	5-40
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties-Yards	5-48	4-37

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING—LSU, Windom 7-32, Jones 4-25, Egloff 5-18, E.Fuller 7-14, Guidry 1-8, Hodson 2-(minus 21). Syracuse, Drummond 23-122, Johnston 19-74, Moore 1-8, Philcox 8-4.
PASSING—LSU, Hodson 16-33-3-192, Guidry 2-2-0-29. Syracuse, Philcox 16-23-0-130.
RECEIVING—LSU, Moss 5-96, E.Fuller 5-53, Haliburton 2-24, Wi.Williams 2-15, Jones 2-5, V.Fuller 1-19, Windom 1-9. Syracuse, Moore 6-56, Glover 4-41, Davis 2-15, Johnston 2-9, Drummond 2-9.

Clemson 13, Okla. 6

CITRUS BOWL
At Orlando, Fla.

Oklahoma	3	0	3	0	— 6
Clemson	0	6	0	7	—13

Okla—FG Lashar 35
Clem—FG Gardocki 20
Clem—FG Gardocki 46
Okla—FG Lashar 30
Clem—Allen 4 run (Seyle kick)
A—53,571.

	Okla	Clem
First downs	17	12
Rushes-yards	43-116	48-187
Passing	138	57
Return Yards	36	7
Comp-Att-Int	10-24-1	5-11-0
Punts	5-38	7-44
Fumbles-Lost	4-1	1-0
Penalties-Yards	5-50	7-76

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING—Oklahoma, Perry 12-52, Gaddis 12-37, Holieway 15-17, Anderson 2-8, Stafford 2-2. Clemson, McFadden 9-55, Allen 17-53, Johnson 10-31, Williams 8-29, Henderson 3-10, G.Cooper 1-9.
PASSING—Oklahoma, Holieway 10-24-1-138. Clemson, Williams 5-11-0-57.
RECEIVING—Oklahoma, Ca.Cabbiness 3-78, Guess 2-25, A.Cooper 2-12, Stell 2-11, Ch.Cabbiness 1-12. Clemson, Allen 4-47, R.Cooper 1-10.

UCLA 17, Arkansas 3

COTTON BOWL
At Dallas

Arkansas	0	0	3	0	— 3
UCLA	0	14	0	3	—17

UCLA—Estwick 1 run (Velasco kick)
UCLA—Anthony 1 pass from Aikman (Velasco kick)
Ark—FG Trainor 49
UCLA—FG Velasco 32
A—74,304.

	Ark	UCLA
First downs	4	22
Rushes-yards	22-21	55-199
Passing	21	172
Return Yards	4	23
Comp-Att-Int	4-14-1	19-27-1
Punts	6-49	3-36
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	3-2
Penalties-Yards	7-61	7-74

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING—Arkansas, Grovey 7-19, Foster 6-16, Johnson 2-3, Jackson 1-1, Rouse 2-(minus 1), Russell 1-(minus 6), P.Williams 3-(minus 11). UCLA, Wills 18-120, Brown 16-56, Estwick 8-16, Toy 2-7, Ball 2-3, Aikman 9-(minus 3).
PASSING—Arkansas, Grovey 2-7-0-10, P.Williams 2-4-1-11, Bland 0-3-0-0. UCLA, Aikman 19-27-1-172.
RECEIVING—Arkansas, Jackson 1-8, Harshaw 1-7, Horton 1-4, Foster 1-2. UCLA, M.Farr 4-48, McCracken 2-16, Wills 2-9, Estwick 2-6, Arbuckle 1-35, Richardson 1-20, Moore 1-10, Toy 1-8, Berkley 1-8, Brown 1-5, Ball 1-3, Thompson 1-3, Anthony 1-1.

ND 34, W.Va. 21

FIESTA BOWL
At Tempe, Ariz.

Notre Dame	9	14	3	8	—34
West Virginia	0	6	7	8	—21

ND—FG Hackett 45
ND—A.Johnson 1 run (kick failed)
ND—Culver 5 run (Ho kick)
WVa—FG Baumann 29
ND—Ismail 29 pass from Rice (Ho kick)
WVa—FG Baumann 31
ND—FG Ho 32
WVa—Bell 17 pass from Harris (Baumann kick)
ND—Jacobs 3 pass from Rice (Rice run)
WVa—Rembert 3 run (Rembert pass from Jones)
A—74,911.

	ND	WVa
First downs	19	19
Rushes-yards	59-242	37-108
Passing	213	174
Return Yards	28	35
Comp-Att-Int	7-11-1	14-30-1
Punts	4-37	7-45
Fumbles-Lost	2-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	11-102	3-38

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING—Notre Dame, Rice 13-75, Green 13-61, Brooks 11-35, A.Johnson 5-20, Culver 4-20, Banks 5-12, Belles 3-10, Watters 3-5, Mihalko 1-2, Eilers 1-2. West Virginia, A.B.Brown 11-49, Tyler 2-21, Taylor 6-12, Harris 13-11, Napoleon 3-7, U.Johnson 1-5, Rembert 1-3.
PASSING—Notre Dame, Rice 7-11-1-213. West Virginia, Harris 13-26-1-166, Jones 1-4-0-8.
RECEIVING—Notre Dame, D.Brown 2-70, Watters 1-57, Green 1-35, Ismail 1-29, A.Johnson 1-19, Jacobs 1-3. West Virginia, Bell 4-44, Taylor 3-34, Winn 3-31, Rembert 2-40, A.B.Brown 1-17, Tyler 1-8.

Michigan 22, USC 14

ROSE BOWL
At Pasadena, Calif.

Michigan	3	0	6	13	—22
Southern Cal	0	14	0	0	—14

Mich—FG Gillette 49
USC—Peete 1 run (Rodriquez kick)
USC—Peete 4 run (Rodriquez kick)
Mich—Calloway 6 pass from De-Brown (run failed)
Mich—Hoard 1 run (pass failed)
Mich—Hoard 1 run (Gillette kick)
A—101,688.

	Mich	USC
First downs	19	15
Rushes-yards	48-208	39-138
Passing	144	158
Return Yards	41	8
Comp-Att-Int	11-24-0	15-21-2
Punts	4-35	4-50
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	3-3
Penalties-Yards	4-20	11-83

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING—Michigan, Hoard 19-142, Boles 14-49, Kolesar 1-16, De.Brown 11-1, Bunch 3-0. Southern Cal, Emanuel 16-55, Peete 9-42, Holt 9-33, Ervins 5-8.
PASSING—Michigan, De.Brown 11-24-0-144. Southern Cal, Peete 15-21-2-158.
RECEIVING—Michigan, D.Walker 3-54, Kolesar 3-49, McMurtry 2-25, Calloway 1-6, Boles 1-6, Hoard 1-4. Southern Cal, Affholter 5-56, Jackson 3-23, Wellman 2-47, Holt 2-12, Galbraith 1-11, Emanuel 1-6, Ervins 1-3.

Miami 23, Nebraska 3

ORANGE BOWL
At Miami

Miami, Fla.	7	13	0	3	—23
Nebraska	0	0	3	0	— 3

Mia—Conley 22 pass from Walsh (Huerta kick)
Mia—FG Huerta 18
Mia—Conley 42 pass from Walsh (Huerta kick)
Mia—FG Huerta 37
Neb—FG Barrios 50
Mia—FG Huerta 37
A—79,480.

	Mia	Neb
First downs	20	10
Rushes-yards	26-69	38-80
Passing	285	55
Return Yards	47	31
Comp-Att-Int	23-48-3	8-22-3
Punts	4-40	9-37
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	7-60	5-45

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING—Miami, Conley 10-40, Crowell 5-23, Highsmith 4-17, Dawkins 1-5, Gary 6-(minus 2), Walsh 2-(minus 14). Nebraska, Clark 14-36, Carpenter 5-15, Bell 1-13, Taylor 17-12, Gdowski 1-4.
PASSING—Miami, Walsh 21-44-3-277, Erickson 2-4-0-8. Nebraska, Taylor 8-21-2-55, Gdowski 0-1-1-0.
RECEIVING—Miami, Chudzinski 5-81, Gary 5-47, Conley 4-94, Hill 2-29, Dawkins 2-12, Highsmith 2-8, Smith 2-7, Bethel 1-7. Nebraska, Bell 2-39, Bahe 1-12, Turner 1-6, Millikan 1-5, Worden 1-5, Brinson 1-(minus 4), Carpenter 1-(minus 8).

Fla. St. 13, Auburn 7

SUGAR BOWL
At New Orleans

Florida St.	10	3	0	0	—13
Auburn	0	7	0	0	— 7

FS—D.Williams 2 run (Andrews kick)
FS—FG Mason 25
FS—FG Mason 31
Aub—Reeves 20 pass from Slack (Lyle kick)
A—61,934.

	FS	Aub
First downs	21	18
Rushes-yards	47-148	36-108
Passing	157	162
Return Yards	11	38
Comp-Att-Int	14-27-1	19-33-3
Punts	4-35	4-36
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	3-2
Penalties-Yards	6-45	5-65

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING—Florida St., S.Smith 24-115, Carter 7-25, D.Williams 7-16, Butts 1-6, Floyd 1-5, Dawsey 1-0, Ferguson 6-(minus 19). Auburn, Danley 19-68, Joseph 8-47, Harris 4-6, Weygand 1-(minus 4), Slack 4-(minus 9).
PASSING—Florida St., Ferguson 14-26-1-157, B.Johnson 0-1-0-0. Auburn, Slack 19-33-3-162.
RECEIVING—Florida St., Anthony 3-47, Carter 3-25, O'Malley 2-31, D.Williams 2-20, Dawsey 2-10, R.Johnson 1-16, Butts 1-8. Auburn, Taylor 5-35, Danley 5-2, Tillman 4-48, Weygand 3-40, Reeves 2-37.

National Champs

National Champions
By The Associated Press
Annual winners of the Associated Press college football poll's top ranking:
1988—Notre Dame
1987—Miami, Fla.
1986—Penn St.
1985—Oklahoma
1984—Brigham Young
1983—Miami, Fla.
1982—Penn St.
1981—Clemson
1980—Georgia
1979—Alabama
1978—Alabama
1977—Notre Dame
1976—Pittsburgh
1975—Oklahoma
1974—Oklahoma
1973—Notre Dame
1972—Southern Cal
1971—Nebraska
1970—Nebraska
1969—Texas
1968—Ohio St.
1967—Southern Cal
1966—Notre Dame
1965—Alabama
1964—Alabama
1963—Texas
1962—Southern Cal
1961—Alabama
1960—Minnesota
1959—Syracuse
1958—Louisiana St.
1957—Auburn
1956—Oklahoma
1955—Oklahoma
1954—Ohio St.
1953—Maryland
1952—Michigan St.
1951—Tennessee
1950—Oklahoma
1949—Notre Dame
1948—Michigan
1947—Notre Dame
1946—Notre Dame
1945—Army
1944—Army
1943—Notre Dame
1942—Ohio St.
1941—Minnesota
1940—Minnesota
1939—Texas A&M
1938—Texas Christian
1937—Pittsburgh
1936—Minnesota

Sunland

SUNLAND PARK (AP) — Here are the results of Monday's horse races at Sunland Park:
First — 350 yards; Evasive Native 5.20, 2.80, 2.40; Requested Be Sweet 3.00, 2.40; Smercy 2.80. T—18:03.
Quiniela — $12.
Second — 400 yards; Dustina Gray Lady 6.60, 3.40, 2.80; Jets Easy 3.40, 3.00; At Last Perfect 2.60. T—20:19.
Quiniela — $10.80.
Exacta — $24.80.
Daily Double — $31.40.
Third — 6 furlongs; Oso Prieto 8.40, 5.00, 3.20; Nasrullah's Pride 8.00, 5.40; Mojo Money 3.60. T—1:12.
First Half Tri-Super — $111.00.
Fourth — 6½ furlongs; Captain Bolitho 23.80, 11.40, 6.20; Modest Mayhem 16.60, 11.80; Staunch's Holiday 4.00. T—1:19 4-5.
Quiniela — $230.60.
Exacta — $682.60.
Second Half Tri-Super: no winners. Tri-Super carryover — $12,290.00.
Fifth — 1 Mile; Luzonshah 12.80, 4.80, 3.00; Sailing Master 3.00, 2.60; Olden Hills 4.00. T—1:39 4-5.
Quiniela — $22.40.
Exacta — $735.40.
Sixth — 1,000 yards; Bold Egotist 5.80, 4.00, 3.00; Lady Be Sure Burnett 6.00, 5.40; Rebel Rube 8.00. T—54:63.
Seventh — 5½ furlongs; Northern Hawaii 6.20, 3.00, 2.60; Dedicated Dancer 4.40, 3.20; Paso Jem 3.60. T—1:05 2-5.
Quiniela — $13.60.
Exacta — $23.60.
Big Q — $95.40.
Eighth — 5 furlongs; Near The Woodpile 15.60, 6.00, 4.40; Dandy Arrival 4.20, 3.40; Fleet Luci 3.20. T—59:1.
Trifecta — $198.60.
Ninth — 5½ furlongs; Western Schley 7.20, 3.20, 2.60; Quickie Quick 3.60, 3.20; Quando Victory 5.00. T—1:04.
Exacta — $21.80.
Tenth — 1 Mile; Foxy Expression 12.80, 5.80, 4.00; B.B.'s Blue Ice 4.00, 3.00; Miller L. Johnson 6.00. T—1:41.
Trifecta — $238.40.
Eleventh (simulcast of Las Flores Handicap from Santa Anita) — 6 furlongs; vvery Subtle (Pincay) 2.60; Sadie B Fast no place or show wagering; Comical Cat no place or show wagering. T—1:08 3-5.
Quiniela — $6.40.
Exacta — $9.40.
Trifecta — $8.80.
Twelfth (simulcast from Santa Anita) — 1 1-16 Mile; K.'S Charger 18.20, 8.40, 7.80; To B. A Ruler 3.80, 3.40; Slam Dance 11.00. T—1:43 3-5.
Daily Double — $27.20.
Quiniela — $35.40.
Exacta — $12.80.
Trifecta — $907.00.
Handle — $257,760.
Attendance — 2,142.

Cage Scores

Monday's College Scores
By The Associated Press
EAST
Colby 114, St. Joseph's, Maine 89
Delaware 68, Widener 40
Fordham 67, Lafayette 61, OT
Husson 89, Maine-Machias 74
Jersey City St. 113, Hunter 79
Lowell 76, Florida Atlantic 70
NYU 70, York, N.Y. 64
SOUTH
Athens St. 81, Tenn. Temple 67
Cent. Florida 69, William & Mary 65
Georgia St. 86, Kennesaw 70
LSU 79, Maryland 77
Louisiana Tech 96, North Texas 57
Murray St. 74, E. Illinois 55
N. Carolina St. 83, Towson St. 77
Radford 87, St. Paul's 80
Rollins 74, Sewanee 56
South Carolina 103, Augusta 68
Wake Forest 72, N.C.-Wilmington 61
Winthrop 90, Averett 72
MIDWEST
Buena Vista 73, Wartburg 66
Chicago St. 95, Detroit 80
Ill.-Chicago 78, Creighton 76
Marquette 78, Furman 56
St. Louis 76, W. Kentucky 66
St. Xavier 77, Marian, Wis. 50
W. Illinois 70, SW Texas St. 56
Xavier, Ohio 87, Prairie View 71
SOUTHWEST
Pan American 75, Texas Lutheran 63
FAR WEST
Biola 92, Glassboro St. 49
Buffalo St. 83, Los Angeles St. 64
California 70, Colorado 54
Grand Canyon 92, Wis.-Oshkosh 85
Hayward St. 85, Cal-Santa Cruz 70
Loyola Marymount 85, Wis.-Green Bay 83
S. Utah 80, N. Arizona 50
Seattle Pacific 117, San Francisco St. 64
U.S. International 74, Vermont 63
Utah 75, San Diego 57
Wyoming 97, Drake 85
TOURNAMENTS
Freeport Sunshine Shootout
First Round
High Point 108, Ill. Benedictine 91
IUP Holiday Classic
First Round
Indiana, Pa. 114, Penn St.-Harrisburg 79
Wis.-Eau Claire Holiday Classic
First Round
Hawaii-Hilo 79, S. Nazarene 62

Super Series

NHL-Soviet Union Super Series
By The Associated Press
Monday, Dec. 26
Red Army 5, Quebec 5, tie
Tuesday, Dec. 27
Calgary 2, Dynamo Riga 2, tie
Wednesday, Dec. 28
Edmonton 2, Dynamo Riga 1
Thursday, Dec. 29
Red Army 3, N.Y. Islanders 2
Friday, Dec. 30
Vancouver 6, Dynamo Riga 1
Saturday, Dec. 31
Red Army 5, Boston 4
Dynamo Riga 5, Los Angeles 3
Monday, Jan. 2
Red Army 5, New Jersey 0
Wednesday, Jan. 4
Red Army at Pittsburgh, 7:05 p.m.
Dynamo Riga at Chicago, 7:35 p.m.

Red Army	3	2	0—5
New Jersey	0	0	0—0

First Period—1, Red Army, Konstantinov 1 (Larionov, Moskarov), 11:14. 2, Red Army, Bykov 3 (Kasatonov, Khomutov), 14:20. 3, Red Army, Kasatonov 1 (Kamenski, Bykov), 17:51 (pp). Penalties—Shanahan, NJ (holding), 17:08; Red Army bench, served by Kostichkin (too many men on ice), 18:43.
Second Period—4, Red Army, Fetisov 2 (Krutov, Larionov), 4:38 (pp). 5, Red Army, Khomutov 1 (Gusarov, Bykov), 9:24 (pp). Penalties—Daneyko, NJ (interference), 3:07; Chernykh, RA (tripping), 6:22; Shanahan, NJ, major-game misconduct (high-sticking), 7:36; Khomutov, RA (tripping), 13:18.
Third Period—None, Penalties—Cirella, NJ (holding), 17:37.
Shots on goal—Red Army 7-16-5—28. New Jersey 4-7-6—17. Power-play Opportunities—Red Army 3 of 5; New Jersey 0 of 3. Goalies—Red Army, Mylnikov (17 shots-17 saves). New Jersey, Terreri (28-23). A—15,309.

NFL Playoffs

NFL Playoffs
Saturday, Dec. 24
AFC Wild Card
Houston 24, Cleveland 23
Monday, Dec. 26
NFC Wild Card
Minnesota 28, Los Angeles Rams 17
Conference Semifinals
Saturday, Dec. 31
Chicago 20, Philadelphia 12
Cincinnati 21, Seattle 13
Sunday, Jan. 1
Buffalo 17, Houston 10
San Francisco 34, Minnesota 9
Sunday, Jan. 8
Conference Championships
Buffalo at Cincinnati, 11:30 p.m.
San Francisco at Chicago, 3 p.m.

MISL

Major Indoor Soccer League

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Baltimore	11	3	.786	—
Dallas	10	6	.625	2
San Diego	8	7	.533	3½
Wichita	7	7	.500	4
Tacoma	7	9	.438	5
Los Angeles	6	10	.375	6
Kansas City	5	12	.294	7½

Cotton Winners

Cotton Bowl Winners
By The Associated Press
1937—Texas Christian 16, Marquette 6
1938—Rice 28, Colorado 14
1939—St. Mary's 20, Texas Tech 13
1940—Clemson 6, Boston College 3
1941—Texas A&M 13, Fordham 12
1942—Alabama 29, Texas A&M 21
1943—Texas 14, Georgia Tech 7
1944—Texas 7, Randolph Field 7
1945—Oklahoma St. 34, Texas Christian 0
1946—Texas 40, Missouri 27
1947—Arkansas 0, Louisiana St. 0
1948—Southern Methodist 13, Penn St. 13
1949—Southern Methodist 21, Oregon 13
1950—Rice 27, North Carolina 13
1951—Tennessee 20, Texas 14
1952—Kentucky 20, Texas Christian 7
1953—Texas 16, Tennessee 0
1954—Rice 28, Alabama 6
1955—Georgia Tech 14, Arkansas 6
1956—Mississippi 14, Texas Christian 13
1957—Texas Christian 28, Syracuse 27
1958—Navy 20, Rice 7
1959—Texas Christian 0, Air Force 0
1960—Syracuse 23, Texas 14
1961—Duke 7, Arkansas 6
1962—Texas 12, Mississippi 7
1963—Louisiana St. 13, Texas 0
1964—Texas 28, Navy 6
1965—Arkansas 10, Nebraska 7
1966—Louisiana St. 14, Arkansas 7
1967—Georgia 24, Southern Methodist 9
1968—Texas A&M 20, Alabama 16
1969—Texas 36, Tennessee 13
1970—Texas 21, Notre Dame 17
1971—Notre Dame 24, Texas 11
1972—Penn St. 30, Texas 6
1973—Texas 17, Alabama 13
1974—Nebraska 19, Texas 3
1975—Penn St. 41, Baylor 20
1976—Arkansas 31, Georgia 10
1977—Houston 30, Maryland 21
1978—Notre Dame 38, Texas 10
1979—Notre Dame 35, Houston 34
1980—Houston 17, Nebraska 14
1981—Alabama 30, Baylor 2
1982—Texas 14, Alabama 12
1983—Southern Methodist 7, Pittsburgh 3
1984—Georgia 10, Texas 9
1985—Boston College 45, Houston 28
1986—Texas A&M 36, Auburn 16
1987—Ohio State 28, Texas A&M 12
1988—Texas A&M 35, Notre Dame 10
1989—UCLA 17, Arkansas 3

NBA Leaders

NEW YORK (AP) — The NBA individual scoring, rebounding, field goal percentage and assist leaders through January 1:

Scoring	FG	FT	Pts	Avg
Jordan, Chi.	356	228	952	35.3
Malone, Utah	291	278	860	29.7
English, Den.	341	106	789	28.2
Ellis, Sea.	276	134	729	28.0
Wilkins, Atl.	297	178	777	27.8
Barkley, Phil.	270	249	800	27.6
Drexler, Port.	288	155	743	27.5
Mullin, G.S.	250	139	644	25.8
Cumings, Mil.	262	121	645	24.8
Olajuwon, Hou.	263	174	700	24.1
Johnson, LAL	236	213	696	24.0
Chmbrs, Phx.	238	148	632	23.4
Tripucka, Chr.	217	150	601	23.1
McHale, Bos.	230	158	618	22.9
Ewing, N.Y.	236	142	614	21.9

Field Goal Percentage	FG	FGA	Pct
Barkley, Phil.	270	457	.591
Parish, Bos.	212	370	.573
Schayes, Den.	116	204	.569
McHale, Bos.	230	406	.567
G.Anderson, S.A.	190	336	.565
Levingston, Atl.	114	205	.556
Davis, Den.	213	387	.550
Ewing, N.Y.	236	430	.549
Jordan, Chi.	356	649	.549
Nance, Clev.	175	320	.547

Rebounding	Off	Def	Tot	Avg
Olajuwon, Hou.	119	280	399	13.8
Barkley, Phil.	154	215	369	12.7
Parish, Bos.	117	214	331	12.3
Malone, Utah	102	243	345	11.9
Malone, Atl.	124	193	317	11.7
Thorpe, Hou.	99	216	315	10.9
Oakley, N.Y.	100	192	292	10.4
Williams, N.J.	119	180	299	10.3
Eaton, Utah	75	223	298	10.3
Dnidan, Dal.	64	188	252	9.7

Assists	G	No.	Avg.
Stockton, Utah	29	390	13.4
Johnson, LAL	29	387	13.3
K.Johnson, Phoe.	27	304	11.3
Porter, Port.	27	246	9.1
Price, Clev.	25	227	9.1
Cheeks, Phil.	23	201	8.7
Thomas, Det.	27	230	8.5
Jackson, N.Y.	28	231	8.3
Lever, Den.	24	194	8.1
Floyd, Hou.	29	234	8.1

Team Offense	G	Pts.	Avg
Denver	27	3411	126.3
New York	26	3094	119.0
Phoenix	26	3027	116.4
Philadel	28	3200	114.3
Portland	27	3058	113.3
Seattle	25	2821	112.8
Lakers	28	3135	112.0
Atlanta	27	3006	111.3
Houston	27	3003	111.2
Cleveland	25	2747	109.9
S. Antonio	26	2802	107.8
Golden St.	25	2691	107.6
Boston	25	2687	107.5
Milwkee	25	2676	107.0
Clippers	27	2888	107.0
Dallas	25	2656	106.2
Indianapls	26	2756	106.0
Chicago	25	2640	105.6
Wahngtn	24	2516	104.8
Utah	28	2934	104.8
New Jrsey	28	2910	103.9
Detroit	26	2700	103.8
Charlotte	26	2662	102.4
Sacrmnto	25	2514	100.6
Miami	25	2370	94.8

Team Defense	G	Pts.	Avg
Cleveland	25	2476	99.0
Utah	28	2814	100.5
Detroit	26	2644	101.7
Dallas	25	2543	101.7
Chicago	25	2601	104.0
Milwkee	25	2604	104.2
Miami	25	2659	106.4
Atlanta	27	2885	106.9
Boston	25	2673	106.9
New Jrsey	28	3002	107.2
Lakers	28	3018	107.8
Houston	27	2931	108.6
Charlotte	26	2832	108.9
Seattle	25	2731	109.2
Portland	27	2981	110.4
Sacrmnto	25	2767	110.7
Golden St.	25	2803	112.1
Philadel	28	3140	112.1
Phoenix	26	2917	112.2
Wshngtn	24	2693	112.2
S. Antonio	26	2925	112.5
Indianapls	26	2931	112.7
Clippers	27	3092	114.5
New York	26	2989	115.0
Denver	27	3253	120.5

NHL Leaders

NEW YORK (AP) — National Hockey League regular-season statistics through Sunday, January 1:

Scoring Leaders	GP	G	A	Pts	Pim
Lemieux, Pgh	36	43	61	104	50
Gretzky, LA	38	29	57	86	16
Nicholls, LA	39	37	48	85	38
Yzerman, Det	38	37	43	80	29
Brown, Pgh	38	27	40	67	74
Savard, Chi	37	15	45	60	94
Robitaille, LA	38	27	32	59	39
Kurri, Edm	38	23	36	59	39
Carson, Edm	38	30	23	53	16
Tikkanen, Edm	38	23	30	53	55
Gallant, Det	34	19	32	51	69
Poddubny, Que	37	26	23	49	75
Olczyk, Tor	40	21	28	49	36
Naslund, Mtl	42	18	31	49	8
Hawerchuk, Wpg	34	16	32	48	8
Coffey, Pgh	34	13	35	48	76
Kerr, Pha	39	27	20	47	44
Maclean, Det	38	23	24	47	52
Mullen, Cal	37	22	25	47	6
Duchesne, LA	39	14	33	47	40

GOALTENDERS RECORDS
(Empty-net goals in parentheses)

	MP	GA	SO	Avg.
Wamsley	933	40	2	2.57
Vernon	1387	66	0	2.86
Calgary (1)	2323	107	2	2.76
Moog	1271	58	0	2.74
Lemelin	1117	55	0	2.95
Boston (2)	2391	115	0	2.89
Roy	1474	65	3	2.65
Hayward	1134	60	0	3.17
Montreal (2)	2615	127	3	2.91
Gamble	302	12	0	2.38
Weeks	1271	59	0	2.79
McLean	848	50	1	3.54
Vancouver (9)	2434	130	1	3.20
Hextall	1890	96	0	3.05
Laforest	581	41	0	4.23
Philadel (1)	2478	138	0	3.34
Beaupre	20	1	0	3.00
Malarchuk	1684	93	0	3.31
Peeters	666	37	1	3.33
Wshngtn (2)	2372	133	1	3.36
Sidorkiewicz	1087	53	1	2.93
Liut	1203	78	1	3.89
Hartford (2)	2298	133	2	3.47
Millen	1505	84	5	3.35
Riendeau	805	46	0	3.43
St.Louis (4)	2314	134	5	3.47
Vanbiesbrouck	1631	88	0	3.24
Froese	727	48	0	3.96
NYRangers (4)	2365	140	0	3.55
Beaupre	59	3	0	3.05
Casey	1394	77	0	3.31
Takko	636	38	0	3.58
Myllys	218	19	0	5.23
Minnesota (6)	2315	143	0	3.71
Ranford	845	48	0	3.41
Fuhr	1467	97	0	3.97
Edmonton (1)	2315	146	0	3.78
Stefan	1113	68	0	3.67
St. Laurent	141	9	0	3.83
Hanlon	1050	69	0	3.94
Detroit (2)	2314	148	0	3.84
Puppa	1486	82	1	3.31
Cloutier	334	21	0	3.77
Barrasso	545	45	0	4.95
Wakaluk	4	2	0	30.00
Buffalo (3)	2373	153	1	3.87
Pietrangelo	384	20	0	3.13
Barrasso	1094	65	0	3.56
Guenette	574	41	0	4.29
Young	206	21	0	6.12
Tabaracci	33	4	0	7.27
Pittsburgh (2)	2297	153	0	4.00
Fitzpatrick	563	30	0	3.20
Healy	1633	108	0	3.97
Janecyk	30	2	0	4.00
Melanson	120	13	0	6.50
L.Angeles (4)	2353	157	0	4.00
Burke	1752	111	1	3.80
Terreri	100	7	0	4.20
Sauve	518	41	0	4.75
NewJersey (5)	2380	164	1	4.13
Hackett	32	2	0	3.75
Hrudey	1640	107	0	3.91
Smith	498	40	0	4.82
Islanders (4)	2176	153	0	4.22
Reddick	1125	76	0	4.05
Chevrier	1012	73	1	4.33
Winnipeg (2)	2141	151	1	4.23
Bester	638	41	1	3.86
Wregget	1646	116	0	4.23
Reese	125	13	0	6.24
Toronto (3)	2415	173	1	4.30
Gosselin	1079	75	0	4.17
Mason	1109	87	0	4.71
Brunetta	226	19	0	5.04
Quebec (2)	2423	183	0	4.53
Belfour	578	38	0	3.94
Pang	1297	96	0	4.44
Waite	494	43	0	5.22
Chicago (4)	2375	181	0	4.57

Top 20 Box

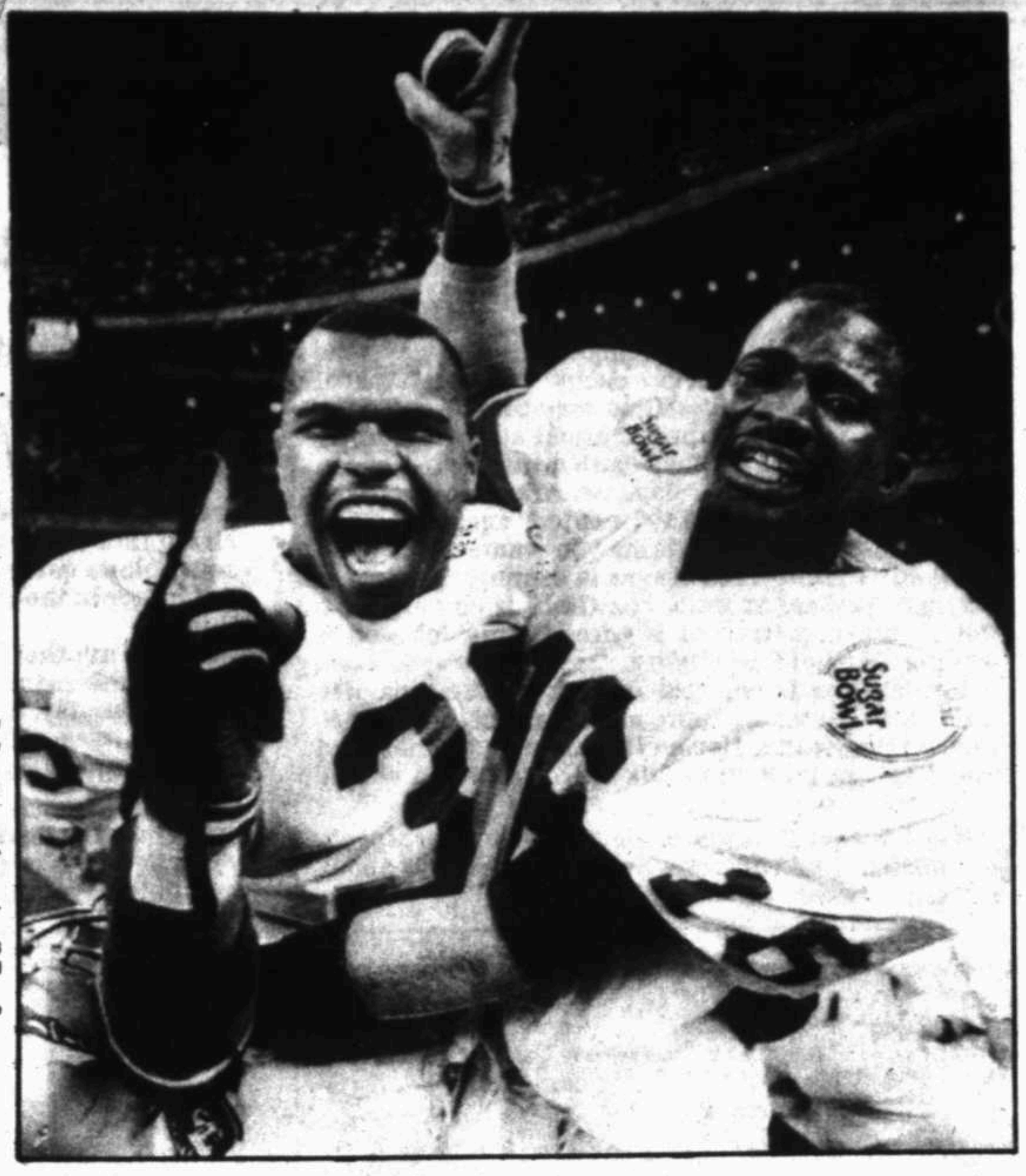
Monday's Top Twenty Box
By The Associated Press
At Raleigh, N.C.
TOWSON ST. (77)
Williamson 5-10 2-2 12, Bays 4-8 4-4 16, Dorsey 3-5 4-4 10, Boyd 6-13 3-5 15, Lee 4-9 2-2 12, Jones 0-2 0-0 0, Martin 0-0 0-0 0, Muldrow 0-0 0-0 0, Waller 4-8 2-2 10, Morin 1-2 0-0 2. Totals 27-57 17-19 77.
N. CAROLINA ST. (83)
Howard 8-11 0-1 18, Brown 10-17 3-6 23, Lester 2-7 1-5 5, Corchiani 2-5 4-6 8, Monroe 7-15 5-8 23, Weems 3-3 0-0 6, Hinnant 0-1 0-0 0, D'Amico 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 32-60 13-26 83.
Halftime—N. Carolina St. 46, Towson St. 38. 3-point goals—Towson St. 6-9 (Bays 4-4, Lee 2-4, Boyd 0-1), N. Carolina St. 6-14 (Monroe 4-9, Howard 2-2, Brown 0-1, Corchiani 0-2). Fouled out—Lee. Rebounds—Towson St. 39 (Dorsey 10), N. Carolina St. 29 (Brown 9). Assists—Towson St. 16 (Bays 6), N. Carolina St. 21 (Corchiani 11). Total fouls—Towson St. 21, N. Carolina St. 19. Technical—Towson St. bench. A—8,100.

N.M. Ski

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. (AP) — Here are Monday's conditions at New Mexico ski resorts as provided by the state Department of Economic Development and Tourism:
Angel Fire — 22 inches midway; no new; powder, packed powder; roads clear; 75 percent open.
Cloudcroft — no report.
Red River — 30 inches midway; no new; packed powder; roads clear.
Sandia Peak — 14 inches midway; no new; packed powder; roads clear; beginner's hill only.
Santa Fe — 15 inches midway; no new; packed powder; roads clear; 20 percent open.
Sipapu — 26 inches midway; no new; packed powder; roads clear; 80 percent open.
Ski Apache — 29 inches midway; no new; machine groomed, packed powder; roads clear.
Ski Rio — 26 inches midway; no new; packed powder; roads clear, 75 percent open.
Sugarite — 15 inches midway; no new; packed; roads clear.
Taos Ski Valley — 38 inches midway; no new; packed powder; roads clear.

How Top 20 Teams Fared

How the Associated Press Top Twenty college football teams fared Monday:
1. Notre Dame (12-0-0) beat No. 3 West Virginia 34-21 in the Fiesta Bowl.
2. Miami, Fla. (11-1-0) beat No. 6 Nebraska 23-3 in the Orange Bowl.
3. West Virginia (11-1-0) lost to No. 1 Notre Dame 34-21 in the Fiesta Bowl.
4. Florida State (11-1-0) beat No. 7 Auburn 13-7 in the Sugar Bowl.
5. Southern California (10-2-0) lost to No. 11 Michigan 22-14 in the Rose Bowl.
6. Nebraska (11-2-0) lost to No. 2 Miami 23-3 in the Orange Bowl.
7. Auburn (10-2-0) lost to No. 4 Florida St. 13-7 in the Sugar Bowl.
8. Arkansas (10-2-0) lost to No. 9 UCLA 17-3 in the Cotton Bowl.
9. UCLA (10-2-0) beat No. 8 Arkansas 17-3 in the Cotton Bowl.
10. Oklahoma (9-3-0) lost to No. 13 Clemson 13-6 in the Citrus Bowl.
11. Michigan (9-2-1) beat No. 5 Southern California 22-14 in the Rose Bowl.
12. Oklahoma State (10-2-0) did not play.
13. Clemson (10-2-0) beat No. 10 Oklahoma 13-6 in the Citrus Bowl.
14. Houston (9-3-0) did not play.
15. Wyoming (11-2-0) did not play.
16. Louisiana State (8-4-0) lost to No. 17 Syracuse 23-10 in the Hall of Fame Bowl.
17. Syracuse (10-2-0) beat No. 16 Louisiana State 23-10 in the Hall of Fame Bowl.
18. Washington State (9-3-0) did not play.
19. Georgia (9-3-0) did not play.
20. Alabama (9-3-0) did not play.



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Florida State's Chris Parker, left, and Tracy Sanders ...celebrating Sugar Bowl win over Auburn

Sanders goes Prime Time with key, late interception

NEW ORELANS (AP) — Deion Sanders admits that he loves the glare of the television lights. At least he loves them when he's wearing a football uniform.

For most of the week before Florida State's 13-6 victory over Auburn in the Sugar Bowl, Sanders had ducked the cameras and avoided the glare.

Then with five seconds left in the game, he stepped in front of Auburn receiver Lawyer Tillman in the end zone and latched onto the football.

Lights, camera, action. It was Prime Time again.

"The ending of the game was a story book ending. All week in my mind I visualized what would happen in this game and how it would end," Sanders said.

Sanders had presented a low profile all week, telling reporters he was being judged in a brush with the law Christmas Eve by his flamboyant on-field personality, not the quiet person he was away from the televison lights. After his game-saving interception he was back in character again.

"We had man-to-man coverage. I was trailing the receiver by two or three yards and in the end I was able to come up with the big play. I've got to admit that by the end of the game

Sugar Bowl

I was tired, but no quarterback can pick on me," Sanders said.

Sanders was arrested in his hometown of Fort Meyers, Fla. after a department store dispute over payment for some earrings.

"People were saying things to me all game. The Auburn players kept yelling 'Prime Time' on just about every play. It didn't bother me," he said.

Sanders admitted that before he made the game saving interception he opened the door for Auburn.

Reggie Slack threw a 20-yard touchdown strike to Walter Reeves who got past Sanders, dragging the All-American cornerback with him into the end zone.

The talk buzzing around him during the week bothered him, Sanders said. Not talk about his scrape with the law, however.

"They're good but they said a lot of things throughout the week to offend us by saying none of us can play for Pat Dye because of our attitudes and things like that. We were really upset by things like that. By things like their saying Couch Bowden had no control over us," he said.

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Stay tuned: Hatfield, Broyles show sure to heat up

An AP Sports Analysis
By HARRY KING
AP Sports Writer

DALLAS (AP) — The hiring of Ray Goff as head football coach at Georgia clears up the status of Arkansas Coach Ken Hatfield only for the moment.

Unanswered is whether Hatfield and Athletic Director Frank Broyles have settled their differences.

During the past few days, as Arkansas prepared for Monday's Cotton Bowl contest against UCLA, you could hear most anything you wanted to hear — Hatfield is gone, Fred Akers is coming; Hatfield is staying; Hatfield is gone, Joe Gibbs is coming; Hatfield is staying; Hatfield is gone, Jimmy Johnson is coming; Hatfield is staying.

Hatfield confirmed at mid-week that Georgia officials had contacted him about succeeding Vince Dooley; Broyles confirmed that Georgia officials had asked for permission to talk with Hatfield a couple of weeks ago.

Word is that Georgia made up a list of prospects and made initial contact with all those schools about the same time.

Hatfield insisted he was never offered the Georgia job; he never said whether he would accept it. He tried desperately to keep the focus on the football game — he didn't want anything to detract from the Razorbacks' 10-1 season and their first appearance in the Cotton Bowl in 13 years.

There was some talk that UA Chancellor Dan Ferritor, UA President Ray Thornton, Broyles and Hatfield would meet Sunday.

One person in the UA athletic program said that the administration is tired of Broyles and Hatfield airing their dirty laundry. He said it was similar to a squabble between a dean and a professor — a rift, but minor in the overall university-system scheme of things.

Others say that part of the problem is the stubbornness of the principals.

Late Sunday night, it seemed obvious that the situation was still up in the air.

Those close to Hatfield say he wants some assurances for his assistant coaches, who he calls his family. When Hatfield left the Air Force Academy five years ago to take the Arkansas job, he brought with him defensive line coach Wally Ake, offensive line coach Larry Beckman, running back coach Larry Brinson, defensive coordinator Fred Goldsmith, outside linebacker coach Roger Hinshaw and defensive backfield coach Bob Trott. All are still on the UA staff.

During Broyles' career as UA head coach, rarely did an assistant stay more than a couple of years before moving on to a head coach. To some, an assistant who doesn't push for a promotion, doesn't push his players.

But Arkansas was 45-14-1 prior to today's game and only Oklahoma, Nebraska, Miami, Brigham Young and Auburn have won more games during that span.

Last year, while the Razorbacks were in Hawaii, it was reported that Broyles would demand that Hatfield fire an assistant or two and make some changes in the Razorbacks' scheme. Hatfield has said that news ruined what should have been a great trip.

When the team returned, Hatfield and Broyles met behind closed doors and the media descended on Fayetteville. Hatfield apparently stood up for his assistants and told the media he would work harder and do a better job. He also promised more flash on offense and some defensive changes.

Another sticking point may be that Broyles is still a coach at heart. Broyles was 144-58-5 as Arkansas head coach from 1958 through 1976 and took the Razorbacks to the Cotton Bowl four times. Until a couple of years ago, Broyles was often out of town each week doing color on a network telecast. Now, he's around much more.

"He's a coach still in his heart and it's hard to separate his duties of coach and athletic director," Hatfield was quoted as saying last week. "And he hasn't. I'd say that has been a problem."

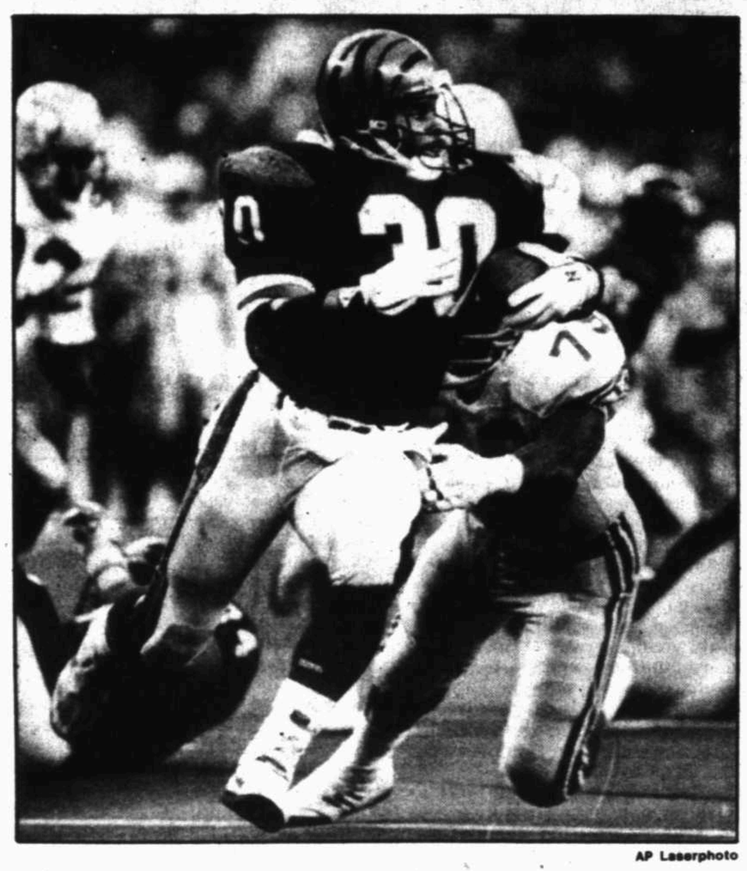
Hatfield was an All-American punt returner for Broyles' 10-0 team in 1964 and came home when Lou Holtz left after the 1983 season. His record at Air Force was 27-31-1, including an 8-5 season in 1982 and a 10-2 record the following year.

"Today's world is a fast-food world where everything has got to happen in a hurry," he said.

Broyles has said that he wants to keep Hatfield and that a very generous contract awaits Hatfield's signature.

"I have not talked to one coach about this job," Broyles said. "I don't intend to or want to."

They'll talk again. Stay tuned.



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Cincinnati's Ickey Woods
...running through 'The Jungle'

Bengals find 'Jungle' like enchanted forest

CINCINNATI (AP) — Fans have dubbed Riverfront Stadium "The Jungle" this year, but it has been more like an enchanted forest for the Cincinnati Bengals.

The Bengals and the Buffalo Bills, who meet Sunday in the AFC Championship at Riverfront Stadium, were the only two NFL clubs with perfect home records this season.

The Bengals' overall 13-4 mark includes nine victories at Riverfront, the scene of their worst horror shows last year. The last two victories have been characterized by unusual happenings that rescued the Bengals from close calls.

There's little wonder that the Bengals have a little swagger in their voices when they talk about their home-field advantage Sunday against a Buffalo team that already has lost at Riverfront this season.

"Any team that comes to The Jungle, they're going to feel the heat," cornerback Eric Thomas said.

The Bengals were the ones feeling the heat from fans there last season. They failed to run out the clock and lost to San Francisco on the now-famous desperation pass from Joe Montana to Jerry Rice in the final pre-strike game last season. That game, which set the tone for a 4-11 season, was played at Riverfront.

After the strike, the Bengals suffered their worst collapse at home, wasting a 15-point lead in the last six minutes to lose to Houston. In all, the Bengals were 1-7 at home last season, including two losses by the strike-replacement team.

Cincinnati's 6-0 start this year, including three home victories, won the fans back and created the fan excitement that led to the Jungle nickname.

"Our fans really have been tremendous," said quarterback Boomer Esiason, who was mercilessly booed last year. "That gives us an added advantage."

The Bengals also have gotten the benefit of the breaks at home.

Needing to win their final regular-season game to clinch their first AFC Central title since 1981, the Bengals were outplayed by a Washington team that was in position to win the game in the closing seconds. But Chip Lohmiller's field-goal attempt hit the right upright dead center and bounced back, giving Cincinnati a chance to win in overtime 20-17.

In their 21-13 playoff victory Saturday over Seattle, the Bengals also got an unusual break to scuttle a Seahawks' comeback. The Seahawks scored on Dave Krieg's 1-yard touchdown run with 6:05 to play, but Norm Johnson — who was 40-for-40 in extra points this season — kicked the conversion try wide to the right. The ball flirted with the same upright that Lohmiller had smacked exactly two weeks earlier.

One reporter was led to ask Coach Sam Wyche whether it's a magic goal post for the Bengals.

"Is it a magic goal post? No, but it made a difference in the game, coming when it did," he said of the botched extra point.

There was a logical explanation for the unusual miss — holder Steve Largent, one of the most sure-handed receivers in the NFL, didn't get the ball down properly.

"I just didn't handle the snap very quickly," he said. "The snap was fine. I just didn't get it down quickly."

Wyche's players think something else might have been at work on the two decisive missed kicks.

"That's the Jungle," linebacker Carl Zander said. "I'm beginning to think there is some fairy dust on that goalpost."

Will Buffalo pass or run?

By GERALD ESKENAZI
New York Times News Service

NEW YORK — In studying for his master's degree in history at Harvard, Marv Levy learned George Santayana's dictum: "Those who do not learn the lessons of history are doomed to the repetition of its mistakes."

Those words are true even for a football coach.

Even for a coach who shocked the Houston Oilers by employing a passing game when everyone knew that Levy's teams run.

Levy was not about to say he would take his Buffalo Bills in a different direction when they face the Bengals in the American Conference championship game Sunday at Cincinnati, when they will be only 60 minutes from Miami and Super Bowl XXIII.

Levy knows that historically, the teams that run better are the teams that win the Super Bowl.

"Did you know that the top-passing team in the NFL has never gone on to win the Super Bowl?" he asked.

ON SUNDAY, the Bills passed 33 times and ran only 29 times in defeating the Oilers. That is uncharacteristic. Levy's style is run, run and more run, a fact that often dismays his quarterback, Jim Kelly.

Levy often has said that Kelly is "unselfish," the perfect temperament for the Bills. It is a team based on defense, with stars such as Cornelius Bennett and Bruce Smith.

So Levy doesn't take chances on offense. He asks that Kelly hand off when told to and not surprise everyone by throwing when he's not supposed to.

"I'm not in love with the run, I'm in love with winning. And if running will help us win, I'll use it," Levy said after the 17-10 victory Sunday over Houston in an American Conference semifinal.

Yet with his team's passing performance against the Oilers, Levy established doubt in the Bengals' minds: Will Buffalo be the running team that was a major factor in its 12-4 season, or will it start passing on first down for a second straight Sunday?

"Every game's an entity in itself," Levy said.

He dismissed the result of the only game these teams have played in two seasons, the Bengals' 35-21 victory at Riverfront Stadium on Nov. 27.

The Bills ran only 18 times in that loss. They passed 35 times. But they had to after the Bengals took a 21-0 lead. Cincinnati rolled ahead for 232 rushing yards. The Bills had 110.

"There is something to be said for a team playing at home," Levy conceded. The Bills and Bengals were the only teams that were 9-0 at home this season, including playoff games.

"The crowd did a great job for us this season," said Levy. "I think that should be the end of it now, and next week, it shouldn't happen."

Of course it will in Riverfront Stadium, where the fans have renamed the place The Jungle in honor of their tigers.

Levy is not allowing his team merely to be grateful for the chance to appear in a championship game for the first time in 22 years. After all, a team that had not even been in the playoffs since 1981 could be expected to be happy just to be around.

"Our objective is not to get in the playoffs, and our objective is not to win a playoff game," he explained.

AP Laserphoto

The Chicago Bears' Neal Anderson (35) is hoping his head is headed in the other direction Sunday when he meets with the San Francisco 49ers in the NFC championship game.

Ditka undecided on quarterback

SUWANEE, Ga. (AP) — The Chicago Bears are back in Georgia with injuries and the San Francisco 49ers on their minds.

The Bears, who practiced here prior to their 20-12 victory over the Philadelphia Eagles in the NFC semifinals Saturday, returned to the Atlanta Falcons training camp Monday night.

Coach Mike Ditka said he won't pick a quarterback until mid-week. Starter Mike Tomczak bruised his left shoulder, which was already tender from an earlier injury, and was replaced by Jim McMahon in the third quarter.

"We'll have our first full-scale practice on Wednesday and we'll see then how Mike is doing," Ditka said.

Tight end Cap Boso strained a knee ligament against the Eagles, an injury that could keep him out of Sunday's game against the 49ers.

Otherwise, the Bears, bothered by injuries all season, emerge without any other major ailments.

"I think we're pretty healthy. We're not as bad as we could be," Ditka said.

He said the Bears would practice on today, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday before leaving the mild weather for Soldier Field.

Before the Philadelphia game, Ditka was worried about running back Neal Anderson's sore groin and ankle, and defensive lineman Dan Hampton's knee. Both appear to be in good shape.

"Neal's going to be a lot better this week than he was last week. Hampton is probably no worse than he was last week," Ditka said.

Ditka said the defense must find a way to stop the 49ers' runners, who piled up 201 yards against the Vikings in San Francisco's 34-9 playoff victory on Sunday.

Ditka compares Roger Craig, who gained 135 yards against Minnesota, to a former Chicago runner.

"He's a thoroughbred. He's a lot like Walter Payton was. He has great pride. He's all business," the coach said.

Because dense fog reduced visibility during the second half of Saturday's game at Soldier Field, the Bears and 49ers will exchange only first-half films of their respective playoff games.

On matters off the field, Ditka said he hadn't made any New Year's resolutions.

"I made a few resolutions in the middle of the season when I had my little setback," he said, referring to his heart attack, "so those ought to hold me for the next 100 years."

After the mild heart attack two months ago, Ditka promised to give up cigars and contain his emotions.

Walsh, DeBartolo playing game of clue

SANTA CLARA, Calif. (AP) — San Francisco 49ers owner Eddie DeBartolo Jr. and coach Bill Walsh are playing a game of clue.

Walsh, who hinted again on Sunday after recording his 100th victory with the team that he might resign if the 49ers win the Super Bowl, said Monday that he has "not necessarily" made up his mind one way or the other, as DeBartolo believes.

"I'm thinking about the Chicago Bears right now. That (job issue) is secondary," said Walsh, who indicated he won't be dropping any more clues on the subject until the season ends.

DeBartolo, who considers himself a good friend of Walsh despite the fact he didn't talk to him for six weeks after the upset playoff loss to Minnesota last January, thinks he has an idea of what Walsh will do.

"I think he is going to do his thing," DeBartolo said after Sunday's 34-9 playoff victory over the Vikings. "I think he'll coach."

DeBartolo publicly issued an often-fatal "vote of confidence" for Walsh last fall, but he is now going further in his statements of support.

"I hope he decides he wants to coach another year," he said. "Without question, he is the best coach in the NFL.

"Bill Walsh has a year left on his contract, and he can coach as long as he wants with the 49ers," he said.

The New Year's Day rout in Candlestick Park ended three years of postseason futility for the 49ers, and Walsh admitted to being relieved. He said it re-established the 49ers "to the entire NFL" as still on the league's highest level.

"It meant an awful lot to all of us," he said. "We were beginning to be stigmatized as a losing team (in the postseason), having lost really badly in the playoffs.

Cowboys impressed with Aikman's audition

By HANK WESCH
Copley News Service

DALLAS — All in all, Troy Aikman's audition went pretty well Monday, (Jan. 2).

Before the watchful eyes of Gil Brandt, chief talent scout for his potential future employers, the Dallas Cowboys, Aikman won the most-valuable-player award as UCLA defeated Arkansas, 17-3, in the Cotton Bowl.

And when NFL draft day comes this spring, expect Dallas to use the No. 1 choice to get Aikman.

"I thought he played well," Brandt said of Aikman's 19-for-27, 172-yard, one-touchdown performance.

"Arkansas dropped eight guys back in pass coverage and did everything it could to try and stop him. But I thought he did everything UCLA could have wanted him to do, as far as running the game.

"He's a good player, but the thing people have to understand is that he's not Clark Kent. He's not going to win the Super Bowl for you in his first year."

Even before the game, Brandt seemed sold on Aikman. Asked if Aikman needed to be impressive in the Cotton Bowl for the Cowboys to draft him, Brandt said no.

"You don't judge by one game," Brandt said. "You look at his physical makeup (6-3½, 217 pounds), you look at things like 64 percent completions (overall) and 63 percent on third-down.

"There are a lot of things you consider, not just what he does in his last game."

Aikman concluded 1988 with a school-record 228 completions in 354 attempts for 2,771 yards. The 24 touchdowns he threw for also set a school record.

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Purchasers report economy growing

By KURT EICHENWALD
New York Times News Service

NEW YORK — Fueled by an increase in exports, the nation's economy grew in December at its highest rate in five months, the National Association of Purchasing Management said in its monthly report, which was scheduled to be released today.

Production and new orders reached their highest levels since July. The employment rate slowed slightly, but it still reached its highest level of 1988.

Prices and inventories were reported to be up, but vendor deliveries declined.

The report surveys managers at more than 250 companies in 21 industries. Economists consider its findings to be a preliminary indicator of the previous month's economic performance.

The association's composite index, reflecting the end-of-the year economic strength, rose to 58.1 percent, compared with 56.6 in November.

An index above 50 percent indicates the economy is expanding, while a reading below 50 percent implies a contraction, according to the purchasing management group.

December was the 29th consecutive month that the index, which is seasonally adjusted, exceeded 50 percent. With the December results, the 1988 average stood at 56.4 percent.

Robert J. Bretz, chairman of the association's business survey committee and director of materials management at Pitney Bowes Inc., said that, except for a downward trend in the inflation rate, the December results indicated no slowdown in the nation's seven years of economic expansion.

"December exited like a lion," Bretz said. "The continued robust growth capped the final quarter at what could be the strongest rate of the year."

New orders rose in December for the 43rd consecutive month, after normal seasonal variations are taken into account. After several months of decline, the rate posted a strong gain. The index for new orders rose to 60 percent, from 58 percent in November.

Twenty-four percent of the purchasers reported increased new orders, and 17 percent reported declines, while the rest reported no change.

Exports provided a strong boost for new orders. After growing at a slower rate for four months, export orders reached their highest level since July. Among exporters, 30 percent reported more orders, up from 22 percent in November. But the figure was still low compared with earlier in the year.

The report also indicated that production grew in December, marking the 29th month that the rate increased. The production index rose to 61.3 percent, up from 58.2 percent in November. Twenty-two percent of the purchasers reported higher production, while 13 percent said production had declined.

STOCK MARKET OUTLOOK

Stock market expected to remain strong

By ANISE C. WALLACE
New York Times News Service

NEW YORK — At the beginning of 1988 fear hung over the stock market as investors worried that the October 1987 crash would be followed by a 1930s-like depression and market decline. But the market surprised them and turned in a remarkably strong performance, with the Dow Jones industrial average climbing 11.8 percent, ending the year at 2,168.57.

Now, of course, the question is: Can it rise again in 1989? Many professional investors think so and are even betting that the average will break out of the narrow trading range of 1,800 to 2,200 that confined it in 1988.

But few portfolio managers or Wall Street investment strategists expect the Dow to approach the record of 2,722.42 set in August 1987. Indeed, some believe that high may take on the same psychological importance that 1,000 on the Dow held for so many years in the 1970s.

"It may be the barrier on the bull side," said Richard T. McCabe, first vice president and manager of market analysis at Merrill Lynch Capital Markets in New York.

And despite the Dow's 508-point drop on Oct. 19, 1987, market professionals do not believe stocks are likely to decline in 1989.

Robert J. Farrell, chief market analyst for Merrill Lynch, foresees a range of 1,800 to 2,400 for the Dow. "Stock selection and timing will remain the key to investment success in 1989," he said, and only the highest-quality issues should be held.

Institutional investors have high levels of their clients' portfolios parked in short-term cash instruments, and most newsletter writers are bearish, two indicators that often signal that the stock market is not likely to decline over the near term.

"This is not a vulnerable market," said Michael Metz, investment strategist at Oppenheimer & Co., who characterized the market as one of "low expectations."

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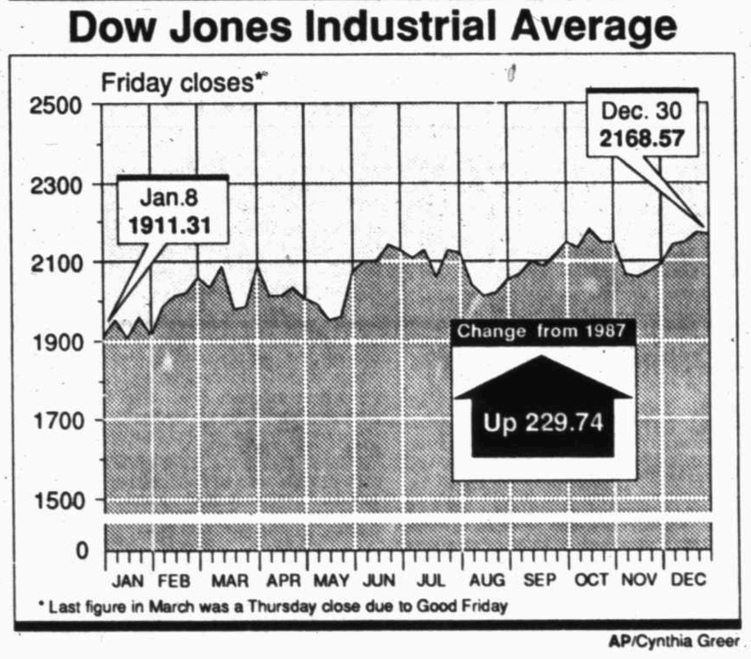
Dow Jones Industrial Average



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Schwab sees brokerages retrenching in 1989

By KURT EICHENWALD
New York Times News Service

Schwab

NEW YORK — Many stockbrokers will remember 1988 as a year they would like to forget. After the crash of October 1987, a steady stream of money from individual investors became only a trickle.

Nearly every brokerage firm reported sharply lower profits, and many cut their staffs in an effort to compete in a tough new environment.

Charles R. Schwab, the founder, chairman and chief executive of the Charles Schwab Corp., the nation's largest discount brokerage, said in a recent interview that he expects the new year to bring new business to the brokerage industry.

He added, however, that increased competition to attract individual investors could cause several firms to close their doors and others, including his own, to make acquisitions.

Q. How badly did the flight of the small investor affect the brokerage business in 1988?

A. You have to put what happened over the past year into context. After every bear market that I have been associated with over the last 25 years on the professional end of this business, the investor fled. But in percentage amounts, this time it wasn't a total exit. Probably retail investing was down by some 35 percent in terms of equity transactions and trading. That's one measure of their apathy toward the stock market. Also, portfolios have shifted from a 90 percent invested position to about 65 or 70 percent investments in equities right now for the average investor at our firm.

Q. Are there signs that the small investor has begun to come back?

A. The level of apathy is still very much there. On the whole, people coming in with new monies seem to be going into money-market-type investments, certificates of deposit and other fixed-income.

The major challenge in successful investing, I think, has always been understanding the emotions of the environment. Right now, the apathetic emotional level is the reverse of the buoyancy of the middle of 1987. But if you go back over history,

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Feds wheeled and dealed as 1988 drew to close

By NATHANIEL C. NASH
New York Times News Service

WASHINGTON — With a stunning display of its ability and willingness to strike deals and spend money, the Federal Home Loan Bank Board put on a show last week the like of which is seldom seen in Washington.

The agency that regulates the nation's 3,000 savings and loan associations worked full-tilt: bands of lawyers negotiated early into the morning, carloads of documents were shuttled from room to room and an army of corporate lawyers set up headquarters at key Washington hotels.

When the dust settled, the agency had completed 14 transactions to sell 34 institutions with almost $62 billion in assets to bankers, financiers, takeover artists and even the Ford Motor Co.

The bank board's goal was to continue the process of closing, merging or selling insolvent savings institutions. Its method was to find investors who, in return for government assistance and tax breaks, would invest money and effort in an attempt to make the institutions profitable.

Some insolvent institutions were the victims of mismanagement; others, especially those in Texas and the Southwest, were hurt by the collapse of oil and real estate prices.

In a five-day period that ended on New Year's Eve — when some tax breaks were halved — the bank board agreed to spend $13.8 billion over the next 10 years to cover the losses at those institutions. But hundreds of insolvent institutions remain, and how federal regulators will deal with them and how much taxpayers, through the Treasury, will have to put up remains unresolved.

Most industry observers think the agency will never have those funds unless Congress approves the largest taxpayer bailout on record. Yet the bank board's chairman, M. Danny Wall, has said he does not anticipate that taxpayer funds will be needed.

"In the end it was like a sprint," said Scott Shay, a partner of Lewis S. Ranieri, a Wall Street investment banker. "We were operating on such adrenaline."

Shay said he left a bank board conference room at 5:15 a.m. Friday. "By the looks of it, it could have been 5:15 in the afternoon," Shay said, because the office was full of employees working flat out.

The pace was so frantic, he said, that negotiators decided they did not have time to throw paper in wastebaskets. Instead, they adopted a "garbage rule": anything not needed was dropped on the floor; any paper on the table was a valid document.

It was a fitting finale to a busy year.

Trying to deal with more than 500 hopelessly sick savings institutions, the bank board liquidated, sold or took over 217 institutions with assets of $100 billion. In the process it agreed to provide financial assistance totaling $38.6 billion.

Whether the transactions turn out to be good or bad for the government remains to be seen. Some fear that in the rush to beat the Jan. 1 deadline, some of the agreements could be sweetheart deals, far too costly to the government.

Often, in the last-minute negotiations, investors sought concessions from the bank board, insisting they needed those terms to complete the deal. And in several instances the agency balked and threatened to call the deal off.

Lawyers spent the night in their offices and bank board officials had to be called at their homes and asked to come back into the office to sign papers before deals could be closed.

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Meat exporters seek new markets after ban

New York Times News Service

NEW YORK — American meat-exporting companies say that they have already found alternative markets for many products they normally sell to Europe but that the industry will not escape some harm.

Effective Sunday, the European Community banned all beef raised with growth hormones, of which the United States is the largest exporter.

The United States retaliated with 100 percent tariffs on a variety of European foods.

Most of the meats banned by the community are livers, hearts, kidneys and other specialty meats popular in Europe but not in the United States. Japan, Mexico and Egypt have already emerged as strong alternative markets, but meat companies said some surpluses were likely to mount.

"There ought to be some hellacious good buys on sweetbreads in the coming weeks," said Kenneth Monfort, president of the Conagra Red Meat Cos., which is based in Greeley, Colo.

Unsold sweetbreads, the thymus glands of beef cattle, would probably be rendered into tallow and sold to soap manufacturers, industry experts said.

Alan Middaugh, president of the United States Meat Export Federation, a trade group in Washington, said meat manufacturers and exporters had realized for several months that the ban was inevitable and have been actively seeking other buyers.

"Packers have hedged their bets over the past 30 to 45 days," Middaugh said. "They had hoped the market would stay open, but if it didn't they'd better have a home for kidneys, livers and tongues that have been the traditional kinds of meats going to Western Europe."

Most meat companies said a drop in price was practically inevitable for all the banned products.

Eastern enters new year facing crucial mediation

MIAMI (AP) — Eastern Airlines, smaller and deeper in debt than a year ago, begins 1989 facing federal mediation considered crucial to what the carrier will look like a year from now — if it still exists.

"We simply cannot survive if the National Mediation Board persists in holding Eastern hostage as it has been doing," wrote Tom Matthews, Eastern's senior vice president for human resources, in a Dec. 28 letter to Walter C. Wallace, chairman of the mediation board.

Wallace will participate in Jan. 6 mediation at an undisclosed location between Eastern and its Machinists union. The mediation sessions, with no deadline set by the federal board, are aimed at settling a 16-month-old contract dispute that has been before the board for a year.

Failure to reach agreement could lead to the mediation board's declaration of an impasse.

While some union leaders suspect the hard-line Texas Air Corp. ownership would like a strike so that it could try to break the strike and bust the union, the struggling airline might not last through disruptions and much more negative publicity.

Eastern ended the year with new public questions about its safety after an emergency landing Dec. 26 in Charleston, W.Va., of an Eastern flight with a hole in its fuselage. There were no injuries and company officials say Eastern has one of the industry's best safety records.

But the incident came after Eastern earlier in the year went through a comprehensive Federal Aviation Administration probe and Department of Transportation scrutiny. Those studies said Eastern was safe, but its unusually bad labor-management relations could threaten safety.

BUSINESS GLANCE

MARKETS

Futures hold on to Friday's gain

From Staff and Wire Reports

Crude oil prices were sustaining gains made Friday on technical factors in early morning trading on the New York Mercantile Exchange.

By midmorning, the near-month delivery contract — February — was trading at $17.23, off a penny from Friday's early closing.

In pre-holiday trading, the contract closed up 47 cents a barrel, at $17.24.

Pride Pipeline Co. matched Permian Corp. and Phillips Petroleum Co. by moving their posted price for West Texas Intermediate up 50 cents to $16 a barrel effective Saturday morning.

A random check with other buyers at midmorning showed no other purchasers moving up so far.

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W.T. INTERMEDIATE

- Mid-morning Quote $17.23
- Friday's Close $17.25
- Previous Close $16.75
- One Year Ago $16.90

W.T. SOUR

- Friday's Close $15.82
- Previous Close $15.33
- One Year Ago $15.45

SOURCE: NYMEX

POSTED PRICE

- This Week $16.00
- Last Week $15.50
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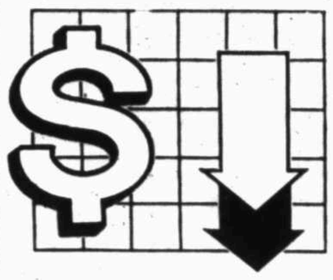
Dollar weaker in first '89 trading



LONDON (AP) — The U.S. dollar was lower in modest European trading today, pressured by sporadic selling in Asian and European markets. Gold prices rose on the dollar's weakness.

"We see commercial interests selling dollars that are coming out of the Far East," said a dealer at a major West German bank in Frankfurt.

Frankfurt and Milan dealers said trading volume was likely to stay moderate until the New York market opens.

"There's no real hard news to trade on," said one trader in Milan.

In Tokyo, markets were closed for an extended New Year holiday. In Europe, the dollar was quoted at 123.80 yen, down from 125.10 yen in Tokyo last Friday.

The British pound jumped nearly two cents against the dollar, apparently boosted by government assurances that it will keep raising interest rates if necessary to combat inflation.

In London, the British pound rose to $1.826, from $1.8062 late Friday.

Gold opened in London at a bid price of $412.30 a troy ounce, up from $410.05 bid late Friday.

Earlier, in Hong Kong, gold rose 70 cents to close at a bid $414.11, compared with Saturday's $413.41.

Silver was quoted in London today at a bid price of $6.07 a troy ounce, up from Friday's $6.04.

BUSINESS IN BRIEF

Saudis, Texaco close joint venture deal

NEW YORK (NYT) — Texaco Inc. and Saudi Arabia said Monday they had closed their deal for a joint venture to refine and market petroleum in the United States.

Under the joint venture, known as Star Enterprise, Texaco and Saudi Refining Inc. will refine, distribute and market petroleum products in 23 Eastern and Gulf Coast states.

Texaco said last year that it expected to receive $812 million for a 50 percent interest in its refining assets and marketing system and an additional $1 billion in benefits and savings.

The agreement, first outlined in June, provides Saudi Arabia with a secure outlet for its products while guaranteeing Texaco a steady stream of crude oil.

The venture has the right to purchase up to 600,000 barrels a day of Saudi crude oil at prevailing market prices. Star Enterprise will be based in in Houston.

Consumers more confident in economy

NEW YORK (AP) — Consumers' confidence about the state of the economy increased in December, boosted by low inflation, low unemployment and growth in personal income, a business-financed research organization reported.

The Conference Board's Consumer Confidence Index increased to 119.8, up nearly 7 points from November, the board said in a report for release today. The index had declined in November to 113.1 from October's figure of 116.9.

Farmers' revenue ends '88 on up note

WASHINGTON (AP) — Prices farmers get for raw products are ending 1988 on an upbeat note, averaging about 14 percent more in December than they did a year ago, the Agriculture Department said.

The department's Agricultural Statistics Board said in its final report of the year Friday that preliminary figures showed prices rose an average of 0.7 percent from November to December.

Salomon Brothers slips as top underwriter

NEW YORK (AP) — Merrill Lynch & Co. Inc. took the No. 1 spot in domestic securities underwriting in 1988, ending the five-year reign of Salomon Brothers Inc. in that position, according to a company that follows the industry.

Merrill Lynch's total underwritings for the year were $39.7 billion, or 14.5 percent of the $273 billion overall total brought to market in 1988, according to a report Friday from IDD Information Services.

Second overall was Goldman, Sachs & Co., with $36.9 billion, while Salomon Brothers Inc. — which held the top spot for the previous five years — slipped to third place at $33.9 billion, IDD said.

Mercedes pays record gas guzzler penalty

WASHINGTON (AP) — Mercedes-Benz has paid a record $20.2 million fine because its 1986 cars guzzled too much gasoline, the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration said.

The luxury German automaker was fined because the 86,020 cars it sold in the United States in the 1986 model year fell 4.7 miles per gallon short of meeting that year's required fleet average minimum mileage, 26.0 mpg, agency spokesman Tim Hurd said Friday.

Court rules against Interior leasing plan

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Reagan administration did not adequately study the protections needed for migratory wildlife before adopting a plan last year for offshore oil and gas leasing through 1992, a federal appeals court ruled.

The U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals said Friday that the Interior Department "failed to perform an adequate analysis of the cumulative impacts of the program on migratory species." It ordered the department to try again, though the ruling does not immediately impede the leasing.

Drexel barred from New York bond sale

NEW YORK (AP) — Drexel Burnham Lambert Inc., which has agreed to a plea deal to settle securities fraud charges, has been barred by New York City from the sale of $500 million in municipal bonds.

The announcement Friday came one day after a federal judge in Boston stalled a Drexel-financed $970 million takeover effort of Prime Computer Inc. because of the deal.

Drexel, one of the most profitable Wall Street firms, was to have been one of 16 participants in the New York City bond sale, tentatively scheduled for February. The city is one of the biggest issuers of municipal bonds.

ACTIVITY HIGHLIGHTS

Trend reports Strawn discovery

From Staff Reports

A Strawn discovery has been recorded in Howard County, south of the Brenannd Ranch field.

TREND EXPLORATION CO. potentialed the No. 3401 J.M. Sterling to flow 226.2 barrels of 47.3 gravity crude. 557.241 Mcfd and 1.7 barrels of water on a 13/64 inch choke from perforations 7,762 to 7,791 ft. Flowing tubing pressure was 1,030 psi and the interval was acidized with 250 gallons of acid. Gas-oil ratio was 2,463:1.

Permitted as an 8,500 ft. wildcat, the well was drilled to 7,886 ft., where 5 1/2 inch casing was set, and plugged back to 7,831 ft.

The well topped the Strawn at 7,778 ft. on ground elevation of 2,990 ft. Pay was topped at 7,778 ft.

Location is 330 ft. from north and west lines of Section 34, Block 26, H&TC survey, 2.25 miles southeast of Vincent.

Trend has proposed a field name of Sterling for the discovery.

★Strawn discovery

Trend Exploration has completed a 226 barrel Strawn discovery in Howard County, south of the Brennand Ranch field.

Ellenburger producer flows 349 barrels oil

The King Lake field of Ector County gained a new Ellenburger producer as PENWELL ENERGY INC. completed activity in the area.

On potential test, the No. 1 Shoe Bar Ranch "C" flowed 349 barrels of 44.6 gravity crude, 180 Mcfd and no water on a 32/64 inch choke with a flowing tubing pressure of 50 psi. The well flowed from open hole interval 10,855 to 10,920 ft., which had been acidized with 2,500 gallons of 15 percent NeFe acid. Gas-oil ratio is 515:1.

The well was drilled to 10,920 ft. with 5 1/2 inch casing set at 10,855 ft.

On ground elevation of 2,998 ft., formation tops include the San Andres at 3,937 ft., Clearfork at 5,123, Pennsylvanian Lime at 7,807, Devonian at 8,592, Fusselman at 9,595, and Ellenburger at 10,869 ft. Pay was topped at 10,869 ft.

Location is 467 ft. from east and south lines of Section 26, Block 45, T-2-S, T&P survey, seven miles northwest of Penwell.

Houston operator extends Crockett field

CONQUEST EXPLORATION CO., Houston, has extended the Live Oak North (Strawn) field of Crockett County 1-3/4 miles south-southeast with completion of its latest project.

Conquest tested the No. 2-4 J.L.Henderson Jr. "B" for a calculated absolute open flow of 10.3 Mmcfd from perforations 8,557 to 8,834 ft., no treatment recorded. Condensate gravity was 53.9 degrees API and gas-liquid ratio was 504,237:1.

Permitted as a 9,500 ft. wildcat, the well was drilled to 9,000 ft., where 5 1/2 inch casing was set, and plugged back to 8,885 ft.

The well topped the Lower Canyon at 7,650 ft. and Strawn at 8,548 ft. on ground elevation of 1,100 ft.

Location is 2,000 ft. from south and 1,100 ft. from east lines of S. Roscoe survey 4, Abst. 4799, 10 miles southeast of Ozona.

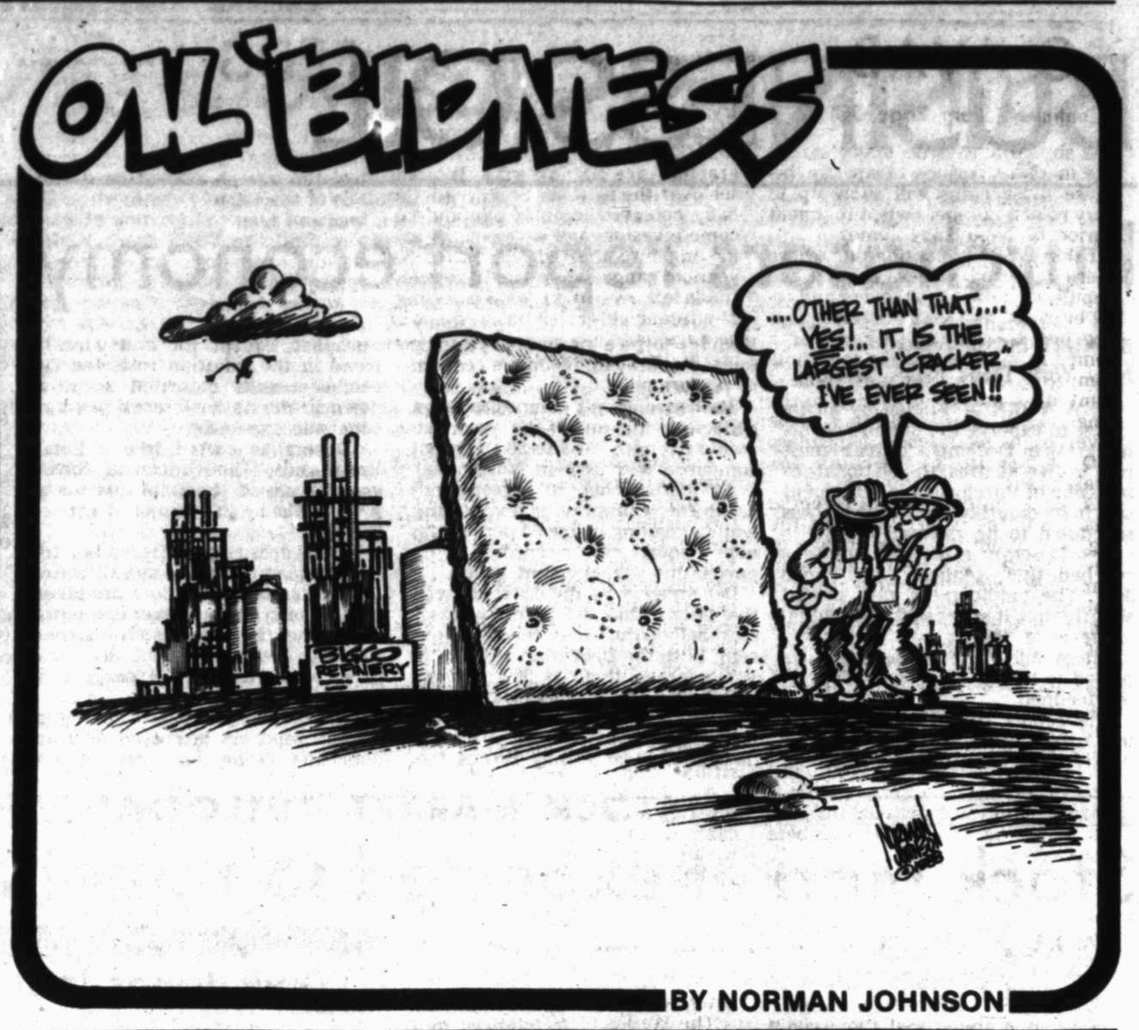
Borden field gains 158 barrel producer

A recompletion project in Borden County has yielded new Strawn production in the Hood North field.

EP OPERATING CO., Midland, reentered the No. 1 Miller, completing it to pump 158 barrels of 44.8 gravity crude and no water from perforations 8,382 to 8,387 ft. Gas-oil ratio is 791:1.

It was scheduled as a 9,400 ft. wildcat deepening. Orignal depth is 8,720 ft., where 5 1/2 inch casing was set.

Location is 990 ft. from south and 1,980 ft. from east lines of Section 589, Block 97, H&TC survey, 13 miles northeast of Gail.



OIL FACTS

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February — Two offshore drilling structures, largest yet built with space for drilling one vertical and four deflecting wells to 20,000 ft., are being fabricated for Gulf of Mexico by Superior Oil Co.

OIL AND GAS DIGEST

NL separates petroleum, chemicals businesses

HOUSTON (AP) — Shareholders of NL Industries overwhelmingly approved the company's previously-announced restructuring plan that separates the company's petroleum services and chemicals businesses, officials said.

The restructuring separates NL's petroleum services business — conducted by Baroid Corp. — from the chemicals division and makes it a new publicly-held company. It also affects the redemption of the company's depositary receipts respresenting its Series C preferred stock.

NL's charter also will be amended to effect a one-for-10 reverse split of the oustanding NL common stock — with a cash payment being made for any resulting fractional interests. Immediately following that will be a redemption of NL's Series C preferred stock for either one share of post-split common stock per depositary receipt or $15.66 in cash per depositary recepit.

Sun finals upgrades at gas processing facilities

DALLAS — Sun Exploration & Production Co. has completed a year-long modification program to increase capacity at two natural gas processing facilities, one in the Rio Grande Valley and the other in south Louisiana.

Capacity at the Sun plant in Starr County, Texas has been increased to 120 million cubic feet per day from 88 Mmcfd. Modifications at the facility include replacement of a 40-year-old oil-based process system with a more efficient cryogenic natural gas processing system, and installation of a hydrocarbon liquid recovery section, product fractionation facilities, product treating system, condensate stabilization equipment and 7,900 horsepower of recompression.

At the Fordoche Plant in Pointe Coupee Parish, La., Sun has replaced a 20-year-old oil-based system with a cryogenic liquid recovery process. The company has also installed a new notrogen rejection unit to produce pipeline-quality methane gas and a nitrogen gas stream that is injected back tinto the reservoir to increase oil production.

Cost of the modifications was approximately $17 million.

Pacific Gas seeks to expand pipeline facilities

SAN FRANCISCO (SWN) — Pacific Gas Transmission Co., a wholly owned subsidiary of Pacific Gas & Electric Co., has filed an application with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission to expand its existing gas pipeline facilities from the British Columbia-Idaho border to the Oregon-California border.

The filing kicks off a proposed $945 million expansion of the PGT and PG&E gas systems aimed at bringing additional Canadian gas supplies to Pacific Northwest, intermountain region and southern California utility markets. PG&E will file an application next year with the California Public Utilities Commission to expand its facilities from the Oregon-California border to Fresno County.

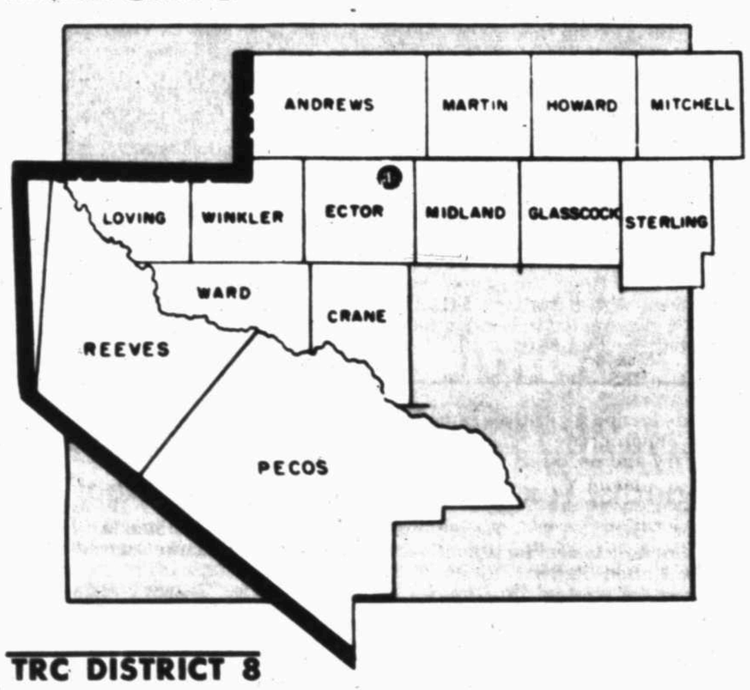
The expansion will have the capacity to transport approximately 600 million cubic feet a day (MMcf/d) of gas to utilities in southern California and 150 MMcf/d to the Pacific Northwest and intermountain region. This will increase the total capacity that PGT delivers at the Oregon-California border to approximately 1.6 billion cubic feet a day.

Pengo asks to make Chapter 11 filing voluntary

FORT WORTH (SWN) — Pengo Industries, Inc. has presented an order to the U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Texas in Fort Worth to convert the involuntary Chapter 11 bankruptcy proceeding pending in that court into a voluntary Chapter 11 bankruptcy proceeding. Pengo stated that the Bankruptcy action is in the nature of a reorganization and does not affect its operating subsidiaries. The company has no operating divisions.

The Involuntary Petition was filed on April 25, 1988 by Chemical Bank, N.A. as trustee of the Pengo Finance, N.V. 8-1/2 percent Convertible Subordinated Guaranteed Debentures 1995 ("8-1/2 percent Eurobonds") and two holders of the "8-1/2 percent Eurobonds," Anthony Ben Walsh of New York, New York and Matthew Metcalfe of Mobile, Alabama. Pengo understands that Metcalfe and Walsh hold approximately $600,000 in principal amount in 8-1/2 percent Eurobonds between them.

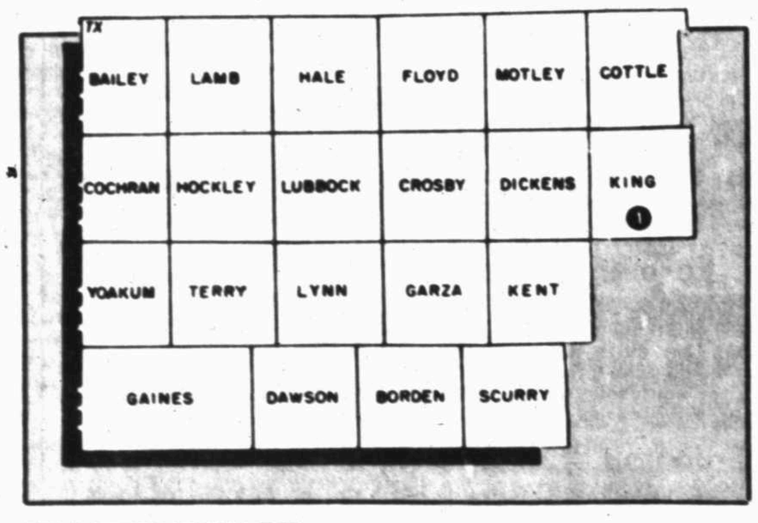
WILDCATS



TRC DISTRICT 8

■ 1. REENTRY SET IN ECTOR. Union Texas Petroleum Corp., Houston, will reenter a former dual Ellenburger and Fusselman producer in the Circle Bar field of Ector County and plug back to 9,500 ft. for wildcat tests.

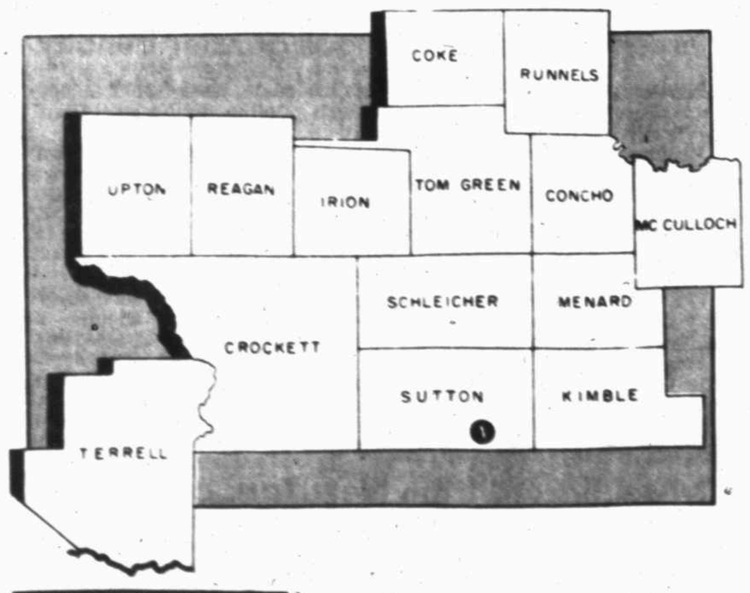
The No. 3 Fasken "G-45" is 550 ft. from south and west lines of Section 45, Block 41, G&MMB&A survey, 21.5 miles south of Andrews. Original depth was 12,969 ft.



TRC DISTRICT 8A

■ 1. KING DRAWS WILDCAT LOCATION. A 6,200 ft. wildcat is planned for King County, 13 miles southeast of Guthrie.

Gunn Management Co., Wichita Falls, has staked the No. 29-RRR S.B. Burnett Estate 5,141 ft. from north and 466 ft. from east lines of L. Upton survey, Abst. 1191.



TRC DISTRICT 7C

■ 1. STANDARD EYES SUTTON PROSPECT. Standard Gas Production, San Antonio, has staked a 4,500 ft. prospect in Sutton County, 30 miles southeast of Sonora.

The No. 3 Stewart is 660 ft. from south and east lines of Section 2, GC&SF survey, Abst. 991.

COMPLETIONS

TRC DISTRICT 8

ANDREWS COUNTY

Dollarhide (Devonian)
Union Oil Co. of California No. 3903D Dollarhide Unit; 4060 fel, 10,150 fsl, sec 4, blk A-55, PSL, 31 sw Andrews, Elev. 3168.8, TD 7780, PB 7742. Completed 9/12/88. Potentialed 12/2/88, pumping 5 bopd, 12 bwpd, 41.1 API. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 7780. Perforations 7521 to 7696. Acid: 7000 gals. 15 percent HCL. Formation tops: Rustler 1172, Yates 2652, San Andres 4020, Clearfork 5527, Clearfork A 6037, Clearfork B 6567, Devonian 7540. Top of pay 7521.

Martin (Clearfork)
Sun Exploration & Production Co. No. 7 Nellie C. Martin; 660 fnl, 1992 fwl, sec 17, blk A-41, PSL, 14 sw Andrews, TD 6525, PB 5920. Completed 11/21/88. Potentialed 12/19/88, pumping 42 bopd, 56 Mcfd, 56 bwpd, 41 API. GOR 1333:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 6525. Perforations 5618 to 5840. Acid: 6300 gals. 15 percent NeFeHCL. Frac: 38,508 gals. gel, 55,654 lbs. 16/30 sand, 87,400 lbs. 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Yates 2772, San Andres 4199, Glorieta 5381, Clearfork 5614, Tubb 6170, Tubb Carbonate 6254. Top of pay 5614. Plugback from Tubb formation.

Shafter Lake (Ellenburger)
Arco Oil & Gas Co. No. E-8 University "154-3, 155-F"; 555 fnl, 2080.7 fel, sec 24, blk 13, ULS, 15 w Andrews, TD 11,805, PB 11,802. Completed 12/7/88. Potentialed 12/13/88, pumping 220 bopd, 19 Mcfd, 200 bwpd, 32.6 API. GOR 95:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 11,800. Perforations 11,674 to 11,773. Acid: 1000 gals. Formation tops: Wolfcamp 8200, Pennsylvanian 8450, Devonian 9210, Fusselman 10,460, Ellenburger 11,466. Top of pay 11,674. Deepen from Devonian formation.

Triple N (Grayburg)
Sun Exploration & Production Co. No. 219 O.B. Holt; 810 fsl, 1980 fel, sec 7, blk 43, T-1-N, T&P, 15 s Andrews, Elev. 3122, TD 9100, PB 8950. Completed 12/1/88. Potentialed 12/16/88, pumping 4 bopd, 1 Mcfd, 116 bwpd. GOR 250:1. Liner 4 1/2 inches 4579 to 9100. Perforations 4495 to 4565. Acid: 3500 gals. 15 percent NeFeHCL. Top of pay 4227. Polugback from Upper Penn formation.

ECTOR COUNTY

Cowden North
Arco Oil & Gas Co. No. 208 Corrigan Cowden Unit; 1650 fnl, 990 fel, sec 25, blk 43, T-1-N, T&P, 8.5 ne Goldsmith, Elev. 3024, TD 4600, PB 4555. Completed 12/17/88. Potentialed 12/21/88, pumping 366 bopd, 23 Mcfd, 247 bwpd, 33.3 API. GOR 63:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4600. Perforations 4322 to 4500. Acid: 2000 gals. Frac: 28,000 gals. gel, 81,000 lbs. sand. Formation tops: Rustler 1856, Yates 2875, Grayburg 4196. Top of pay 4322.

Johnson
Oxy U.S.A. Inc. No. 1604 Johnson Grayburg San Andres Unit; 2913 fsl, 440 fwl, sec 40, blk 43, T-1-S, T&P, 10 se Odessa, Elev. 2992, TD 4300, PB 4239. Completed 12/23/88. Potentialed 12/28/88, pumping 19 bopd, 11 Mcfd, 21 bwpd, 35.8 API. GOR 553:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4300. Perforations 4058 to 4176. Acid: 6000 gals. 15 percent NeFeHCL. Formation top: Grayburg 4058. Top of pay 4058.

King Lake (Ellenburger)
Penwell Energy Inc. No. 1 Shoe Bar Ranch "C"; 467 fel, 467 fsl, sec 26, blk 45, T-2-S, T&P, 7 nw Penwell, Elev. 2998, TD 10,920. Completed 12/24/88. Potentialed 12/24/88, flowing 349 bopd, 180 Mcfd, 32/64 inch choke, FTP 50 psi. API 44.6. GOR 515:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 10,855. Perforations (open hole) 10,855 to 10,920 ft. Acid: 2500 gals. 15 percent NeFe. Formation tops: San Andres 3937, Clearfork 5123, Pennsylvanian Lime 7807, Devonian 8592, Fusselman 9595, Ellenburger 10,869. Top of pay 10,869.

HOWARD COUNTY

Wildcat
Trend Exploration Co. No. 3401 J.M. Sterling; 330 fnl, 330 fwl, sec 34, blk 26, H&TC, 2.25 se Vincent, Elev. 2990, TD 7886, PB 7831. Completed 12/19/88. Potentialed 12/19/88, flowing 226.2 bopd, 557.241 Mcfd, 1.7 bwpd, 13/64 inch choke, FTP 1030 psi. API 47.3. GOR 2463:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 7886. Perforations 7782 to 7791. Acid: 250 gals. Formation top: Strawn 7778. Top of pay 7778. Proposed field name: Sterling.

TRC DISTRICT 8A

BORDEN COUNTY

Hood North (Srrawn)
EP Operating Co. No. 1 Miller; 990 fsl, 1980 fel, sec 589, blk 97, H&TC, 13 ne Gail, TD 8720. Pumping 158 bopd, 44.8 API. GOR 791:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 8720. Perforations 8382 to 8387.

TRC DISTRICT 7C

CROCKETT COUNTY

Live Oak Draw North (Strawn)
Conquest Exploration Co. No. 2-4 J.L. Henderson Jr. "B"; 2000 fsl, 1100 fel, S. Roscoe survey 4, Abst. 4799, 10 se Ozona, Elev. 1100, TD 9000, PB 8885. CAOF 10.3 Mmcfd. API 53.9. Gas-liquid ratio 504,237:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 9000. Perforations 8557 to 8834. Formation tops: Lower Canyon 7650, Strawn 8548.

UPTON COUNTY

Spraberry (Trend Area)
Exxon Corp. No. 4702 Midkiff Unit; 7320 fsl, 7260 fel, sec 13, blk 38, T-5-S, T&P, .7 ne Midkiff, Elev. 2684, TD 8819, PB 8160. Completed 11/30/88. Potentialed 12/6/88, pumping 26 bopd, 26 Mcfd, 119 bwpd, 37.9 API. GOR 995:1. Liner 4 inches 6258 to 8819. Perforations 7698 to 8018. Acid: 1300 gals. 15 percent HCL. Frac: 59,514 gals. gel, 175,000 lbs. 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Upper Spraberry 7120, Lower Spraberry 7960. Top of pay 7698. Plugback from Calvin (Dean) field.

Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co. No. 1 Powell "G"; 760 fnl, 1967 fel, sec 23, blk 40, T-5-S, T&P, 17 n Upland, TD 9400, PB 9334. Pumping 52 bopd, 70 bwpd, 38.9 API. GOR 942:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 9400. Perforations 7676 to8544. Acid: 4000 gals. Frac: 120,000 gals. gel,340,000 lbs. sand.

DEVELOPMENT WELLS

■ UNOCAL PLANS PROGRAM IN ECTOR FIELD. Union Oil Co. of California, Midland, plans to drill four new wells in the Cowden South field of Ector County. All four are in the Moss Unit, Section 6, Block 42, T-3-S, T&P survey, two miles southwest of Odessa. Contract depth is 4,800 ft.

■ DRILLING PLANNED IN WINKLER AREA. Mobil Producing TX & NM Inc., Midland, has applied to drill four new wells in the Kermit (Yates) field of Winkler County. Two are located in the State Walton lease, Section 4, Block B-3, PSL survey, 3.5 miles north of Kermit. The other two are on the J.B. Walton lease, Section 17, Block 77, PSL survey, four miles northwest of Kermit. Contract depth for all four is 2,900 ft.

TRC DISTRICT 8

ANDREWS COUNTY

Andrews
Mobil Producing TX & NM Inc. No. 27 Elizabeth Armstrong; 560 fwl, 2450 fsl, sec 2, blk A-46, PSL, 2-1/4 nw Andrews, PD 9500.

CRANE COUNTY

Sand Hills (Tubb)
Chevron U.S.A. Inc. No. 590 W.N. Waddell et al; 2123 fnl, 2078 fwl, sec 11, blk B-21, PSL, 25 nw Crane, PD 4578, OTD 6025. Plugback from Wolfcamp formation.l

MIDLAND COUNTY

Spraberry (Trend Area)
Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co. No. 1 TXL "O"; 660 fnl, 1972 fel, sec 47, blk 37, T-3-S, T&P, 20 se Midaind, PD 8750.

Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co. No. 2 TXL "O"; 1980 fnl, 660 fel, sec 47, blk 37, T-3-S, T&P, 20 se Midland, PD 8750.

Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co. No. 1 Shull "A"; 1980 fsl, 1980 fel, sec 15, blk 38, T-2-S, T&P, 4 s Midaind, PD 9325.

WINKLER COUNTY

Hendrick
Keystone Energy Oil & Gas Inc. No. 1 Leck "B"; 330 fel, 990 fnl, sec 15, blk 74, PSL Abst. 1684, 7.5 nw Kermit, PD 3300.

Keystone Energy Oil & Gas Inc. No. 2 Leck "B"; 330 fnl, 330 fel, sec 15, blk 74, PSL Abst. 1684, 7.5 nw Kermit, PD 3300.

TRC DISTRICT 7C

UPTON COUNTY

King Mountan North (Cisco)
Chevron U.S.A. Inc. No. 16 McElroy Ranch Co. "M"; 660 fsl, 990 fwl, sec 143, blk E, CCSD&RGNG, 11 se Crane, PD 10,100. Reentry.

PLUGGED WELLS

TRC DISTRICT 8

ANDREWS COUNTY

McFarland (Queen)
Mobil Producing TX & NM Inc. No. 7 McFarland Queen North Unit; 660 fel, 720 fsl, sec 8, blk A-19, PSL, 10 ne Andrews, TD 5700. Completed 5/4/55. Plugged 12/8/88. Oil well.

ECTOR COUNTY

Goldsmith (5600)
Chevron U.S.A. Inc. No. 1380 C.A. Goldsmith et al; 9994 fnl, 4024 fwl, sec 7, blk 44, T-1-S, T&P, 6 ne Goldsmith, TD 6500. Completed 8/13/83. Plugged 12/12/88. Oil well.

MITCHELL COUNTY

Ellwood Ranch (Ellenburger)
Tucker Drilling Co. Inc. No. 1 Ellwood; 660 fnl, 1140 fel, sec 35, blk 18, SPRR, Abst. 256, 21 sw Colorado City, TD 7900. Completd 12/1/88. Plugged 12/1/1/88. Dry hole.

Wildcat
Baytech Inc. No. 1 Allison "67"; 1310 fsl, 467 fwl, sec 67, blk 25, T&P, Abst. 413, 4.5 se Colorado City, TD 7466. Completed 12/4/88. Plugged 12/3/88. Dry hole.

WARD COUNTY

Ward South
Chevron U.S.A. Inc. No. 31 J.F. York Tract 1; 2310 fsl, 990 fwl, sec 10, blk 34, H&TC, 6 nw Royalty, TD 2533. Completed 9/25/51. Plugged 11/11/88. Oil well.

TRC DISTRICT 8A

COTTLE COUNTY

Wildcat
Gunn Oil Co. No. 2-28 Swenson; 660 fsl, 1960 fwl, sec 28, blk B, J.H. Stephens, 10 sw Paducah, TD 4550.

DAWSON COUNTY

Wildcat
RK Petroleum Corp. No. 1-20 Etheridge; 1600 fsl, 467 fwl, Labor 20, League 273, Loving CSL, 12 sw Lamesa, TD 12,522.

SCURRY COUNTY

Wildcat
Mitchell Energy Corp. No. 1-A Scrivner; 467 fsl, 660 fwl, sec 348, blk 97, H&TC, 13 w Snyder, TD 8282.

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Snyder Oil declares distribution to unitholders

FORT WORTH (SWN) — Snyder Oil Co., the general partner of Snyder Oil Partners L.P. ("SOI"), has declared a distribution to holders of SOI common units for the first quarter of 1989 at the rate of $.15 per unit. A quarterly distribution of $.5225 per preference unit was also declared. The distributions are payable January 30, 1989 to unitholders of record on January 16, 1989.

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one should always do major investing in those periods of apathy, because those gains will show up in very robust numbers when that next period of buouyancy comes.

I think 1989 is starting out where there are good values. Look at the popularity now of takeovers and total buyouts. The smart investors are not just buying some shares of a company, they are buying the whole company. And so, for individuals, I think it's a matter of looking to the longer term. This is the time to be investing in good, sound companies.

Q. What is the outlook for brokerages?

A. Well, there are lots of potential changes in the wind. Obviously, the big one coming up is a change of government. And there has been some talk about the whole arena of policy toward capital formation, which is important to the economy and to our industry.

Still, I think the first half of the year will be a continuation of what we have seen recently. I am more optimistic about the second half. So for now, I think we will just have to be prepared for more apathy, and when the environment becomes clearer, then the individual investor will come back in great numbers once again.

One of the good things our industry does have working for us, both discount firms and the full-commission firms, is the fact that the demographics are so powerful. We will see over the next six or so years the baby boomers come of age and become investors and savers. They are moving into that 40-year-old to 50-year-old range, when you have some funds left over to do some investing. The financial service businesses will be huge beneficiaries of the increasing of that age group.

Q. What about the landscape of Wall Street? Do you see it changing over the year?

A. I do think in the brokerage business there will be further mergers and some people will drop out of the business. We have seen, for instance, that the banks have receded from the retail and discount brokerage business for the most part, and I believe that will continue. We have seen several companies, small ones, leaving the business. You will probably see acquisitions over the next few months, and that will probably continue until a turnaround in the market.

Q. Will Schwab make any acquisitions over the next year?

A. I think you will probably see several, yes. We are always looking. I can't identify any in particular, but we are aggressively looking at those options.

STOCKS

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Of course, these predictions could be wrong. In general, both bull and bear markets are characterized by their ability to surprise most investors. Few professionals anticipated that the market would be on an even keel in 1988 after the 1987 crash. Many believed that a recession was a foregone conclusion and would lead to lower stock prices.

"Who would have thought the economy would be this strong?" remarked Robert M. Raiff, managing director of research at Cyrus J. Lawrence Inc., a Wall Street brokerage.

Still, because their jobs require it, money managers and investment strategists continue to make forecasts. And these experts cite other factors that will lift stock prices: a continuation of merger and buyout activity, slow economic growth, low inflation and, some believe, falling interest rates in the second half.

The least important part of the equation, they say, will be corporate earnings. Demand for stocks by acquirers and the level of interest rates will be far more important.

The Wall Street consensus is that any earnings rise will probably be much lower than the 30 percent increase in 1988. William F. Harnisch, president of Forstmann-Leff Associates, which invests more than $4 billion for pension-fund clients, expects earnings growth to be flat or only about 5 percent over 1988.

Among the best-performing stock groups last year were tobacco, foods, specialty retailers, banking and textiles. Their gains were attributable in large part to takeover activity.

The poorest-performing groups were computer software, semiconductors, gold mining and health care, according to Standard & Poor's.

Even though the professional investors expect slow growth, many of them say they are investing in companies whose fortunes are tied to economic swings. They are focusing on heavy industry and cyclical areas like metals, machinery, chemicals, papers, computers and semiconductors.

FEDS

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Wall said as many as four deals fell through. And even the crown jewel of all the transactions — the sale of the $30 billion American Savings and Loan Association of Stockton, Calif., to the Robert M. Bass Group — came close to disaster last week.

But in the end the agency completed a majority of the transactions it hoped for, though some deals teetered on the brink of disaster.

Negotiators for the Michigan National Corp., a bank holding company, were havig trouble at midweek reaching final wording on a plan to acquire the Beverly Hills Savings and Loan Association of Mission Viejo, Calif.

Both sides desperately wanted to close the deal, but the bank board particularly wanted to get Beverly Hills off its books, since it had been a notoriously high-risk savings association and had suffered enormous losses. The bank board wanted to deal with Michigan National because it was a $9 billion banking organization that would be able to put significant resources into Beverly Hills.

On Thursday, Michigan National's general counsel met for an hour with the bank board's chief lawyer, Jordan Luke. Luke said the two attorneys worked on a few "three- or four-word fixes" and thought they had worked out a compromise.

"But by that evening another problem had cropped up," Luke said, so that when Wall convened a board meeting on Friday morning, "it seemed like the deal had fallen through."

Eventually the differences were worked out. The Michigan National deal took its place as the last transaction completed in 1988.

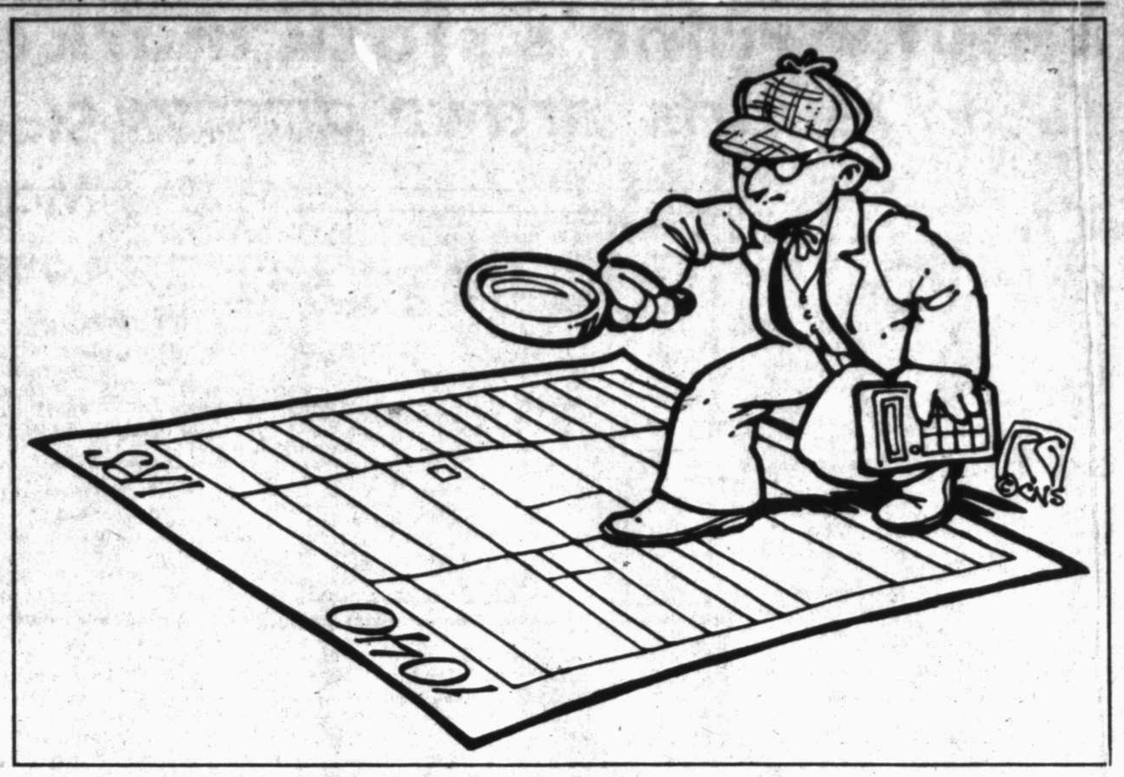
"In a world in which there is so much to be done, the process of making a sausage is not going to be a pretty one," Luke said.

He noted that throughout the last weeks of the year, he pleaded with his colleagues for "parallel processing, standardization and keeping deals as simple as possible."

Though he has more than 200 lawyers under him and an additional 100 paralegal and clerical staff members, he lamented that he had only about one-third the staff he needed.

He said he repeatedly told negotiators on the other side: "You better be as pliable at the closings of the transactions as you possibly can be. We are becoming a fragile operation."

One attorney for a would-be buyer put in 100 billable hours for his client in a five-day period, he told Luke.



Tax expert sleuths for deductions

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Nobody has an obligation, even a patriotic obligation, to overpay their taxes by even a penny.

The bold ad in The New York Times stopped us cold: "Get your '87 tax return audited and find out how much the IRS should've paid you."

Audit Uncle Sam? Surely, it's a joke.

But Jerry Kindman, a New York City certified public accountant has been doing it for years for clients and potential customers all over the country.

Occasionally, he finds the overlooked deductions add up to a couple thousand dollars, enough to warrant the hassle of filing an amended return to get some of that money back.

Usually, Kindman and the 16 CPAs in his office unearth $1,000. If the taxpayer is in a 35 percent (federal and state) bracket, the $350 potential savings isn't worth the time and cost of filing an amended tax return. But it does wake up the client, says Kindman, to the fact that he or she is tossing money down the drain.

"I am paraphrasing a quote by Justice Learned Hand who said nobody has an obligation, even a patriotic obligation, to overpay their taxes by even a penny. So we carefully comb the Internal Revenue code, tax rulings and regulations to make sure our clients take full advantage of all appropriate tax exemptions."

Adds Kindman: "We're aggressive. Most accountants are unwilling to dig and push for all deductions. That's because most accountants learn in college the primary principle of accounting is conservatism. We don't think that's true."

For example, many of Kindman's clients are in the advertising business and he claims many of them are legally entitled to deduct the cost of every movie they attend and even every video they rent. And buying a new television set or a video cassette recorder is also a legitimate deduction for these creative people.

His rationale?

"People in advertising make 30-second films, so in order to make it you must see films. Thus, going to the movies is tax deductible. The cost (or depreciation) of a television set, VCR, renting video tapes, even reading publications that carry advertising, books, newspapers, are all tax deductible for these people," Kindman argues.

Yet the CPA says deductions must be tailored to a specific business and profession. Few people can legally claim moviegoing as a writeoff, but Kindman says he has never lost that point in a face-off with the IRS.

Businesspeople in other fields can buy products or services from competitors and categorize them as "samples" to be studied "for comparison purposes," says Kindman. "This could include cosmetics, apparel or whatever field you are in."

Where it becomes abusive is when you violate the spirit of the IRS' interpretation of a real business expense, he says.

"While IRS code and regulations do not broadly define what a business deduction is, it's generally held to be 'appropriate to the business, ordinary and necessary, and reasonable in amount.'i'

Hence, an around-the-world trip to scout locations for a book could cost a budding novelist an audit. Or if a salesman tries to write off his video cassette rentals, those would be likely be disallowed.

But a self-employed person can deduct the cost of briefcases, File-O-Fax, the business portion of home telephone bills, the space devoted to a home office.

Unlike some accountants who work with a laundry list of possible deductions, Kindman spends "at least an hour" grilling clients on their business to "find out how they work, do their job, what it entails" and then plans his deduction strategy from there. His firm works with clients nationwide and his CPAs travel but the interviews and tax preparation can be conducted via phone, fax and overnight mail.

But it is his auditing of a person's last tax return that is rather novel.

"For every 10 returns," he contends, "we find substantially greater deductions than they actually took."

What is "substantial?" Says Kindman: $1,000 or more.

Plus, as his ads put it: "You'll discover the one thing our audits have in common with the IRS. They're both free."

Now is Jerry Kindman simply a shrewd marketeer or does his aggressive accounting work? He claims his clients are not singled out by the IRS for audits; about 1 percent are audited, a typical audit percentage.

However, an IRS spokesman in Washington, D.C., wouldn't comment on whether such creative tax deducting is a red flag to Uncle Sam's computers — "As long at they can prove it," were the only words we heard.

INVESTORS' GUIDE

'Suckers' can get money refunded on savings bond chain letter scam

By BILL DOYLE

Q. Nine years ago, I got into a chain letter-pyramid scheme using U.S. Savings Bonds. To make a long story short, I did not make anything and I still have one of the two E bonds I purchased in other people's names. I paid $18.75 for this $25 face value bond but was unable to sell it.

Can I redeem this bond? If so, how do I go about it?

Doyle

A. You and others who were foolish enough to take part in savings bond chain letter scams and who still have the bonds you bought can get your money back. You won't get any interest. You'll just retrieve the price you paid for the bond.

Old Phineas T. Barnum said it best with his classic crack: "There's a sucker born every minute." So many have been conned into savings bond pyramid schemes that the U.S. Treasury Department devised a special procedure to make you whole.

You'll have to fill out Form PD 2966, which you can obtain from a bank or other savings bond paying agent. That form is a special bond of indemnity in which you promise to pay the Treasury Department three and a half times the face amount of the E bond involved if some other rightful owner claims it.

Q. What is the largest amount of Series EE, U.S. Savings Bonds, a person can purchase annually? If the bonds are in two names, does that make a difference in the amount?

A. The most an individual can put into EE bonds each year is $15,000. That buys $30,000 face amount of EEs, which are issued at one-half their stated maturity values.

For EE bonds in coownership form, with the word "or" between the two named owners, the annual purchase limit doubles to $30,000 issue price — $60,000 face amount.

Q. As part of my investment program, I have purchased a number of U.S. Savings Bonds. Why do some banks require me to fill out a long, complicated form, while others simply type out the bonds?

A. Form PD 4882, "Application for United States Savings Bonds, Series EE," is supposed to be filled out with each purchase — unless you're buying through a payroll savings plan at work or bond-a-month plan at the bank.

That form is 12 by five inches but not complicated. It needs to be filled in only five places.

Q. My local bank is reluctant to sell U.S. Savings Bonds, especially in large amounts. I assume they prefer I put my money into their certificates of deposit.

Is it possible for me to send my check to a Federal Reserve Bank to purchase EE bonds?

A. Of course. Get a Form PD 4882. Fill it out. Mail it, with your check, to the Federal Reserve Bank or branch serving your area. The EE bonds will be mailed to you.

Your local bank should be able to provide a Form 4882 and the Federal Reserve Bank address.

Q. We have five Series E bonds, purchased Sept. 25, 1949. They will mature in 1989. How should we proceed?

A. Along with all E bonds issued before May 1952, your bonds will reach "final maturity" and stop accumulating interest 40 years after the first day of the month in which they were issued. That's Sept. 1, 1989, for your bonds.

Either redeem them on that date or exchange them for Series HH bonds.

If you cash them in, you'll collect their redemption values — the price you paid plus the interest that has built up over the years. Assuming you have not reported that interest annually on your federal income tax returns, you'll be required to report all that interest on your 1989 return.

If you exchange those old Es for HHs, you'll postpone the tax on the E bond interest until you redeem the HHs received in the exchange. Meanwhile, you'll receive interest on the HHs. The HHs now being issued pay 6 percent.

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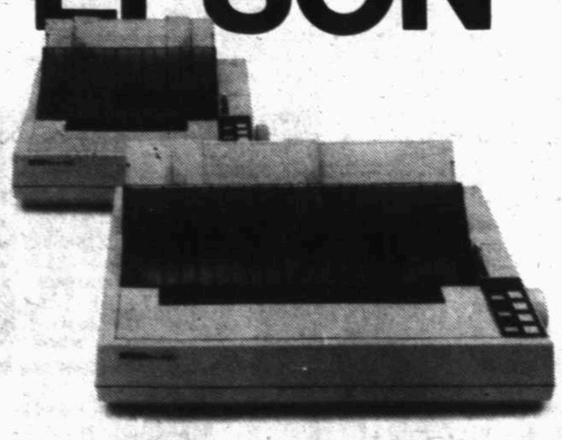

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This morning's stock market

NEW YORK (AP) Midday national prices for New York Stock Exchange issues

		PE	Sales	Last	chg.
A—A					
AMR		9	715	52½	—1⅛
ARX		11	26	6⅝	
ASA	3a		309	38	
AbtLab	1.20	15	1341	47⅝	— ⅝
AetnLf	2.76	8	1457	46⅝	— ⅛
AirPrd	1.20	11	666	42½	+1⅛
AlskAir	.20	10	52	20⅜	+ ⅛
Alcan	s1.20	7	1256	32⅝	— ⅛
AlcoStd	.76	12	5237	27⅝	— ⅛
Algint			36	1⅝	+ ⅛
AllgPw	3.08	10	190	37⅞	— ⅛
AldSgnl	1.80	11	835	32⅝	+ ⅛
Alcoa	1.40	6	1174	55⅝	— ⅛
Amax	.40	11	1166	22⅝	— ⅛
AmHes	.60		426	31	— ⅝
AmBrnd	2.44	11	2455	63½	—2
ACyan	1.20	14	1132	46	— ⅛
AEIPw	2.32a	9	1033	26⅝	— ⅛
AmExp	.84	16	4026	26⅞	— ⅛
AFamly	.28	10	216	13⅝	— ⅛
AHome	3.60	13	632	81⅝	—1⅛
Amrtch	5.84	10	546	95	— ⅝
AIntGr	.40	9	1122	66⅝	— ⅛
AmRlty	.72	3	339	4⅝	— ⅛
AmStor	1	17	161	57	— ⅛
AT&T	1.20	14	9657	28⅛	— ⅛
Ametek	.60	15	251	12⅝	— ⅛
Amoco	3.50	9	1027	74⅜	— ⅛
AMP	1	17	1326	43⅝	— ⅛
Anacmp		8	3291	6½	— ⅛
Anadrk	.30	42	99	25⅝	+ ⅛
Anheus	.72	13	1977	31	— ⅛
Anthny	s.44	8	17	11⅝	
ArchDn	.10b	10	1091	20⅜	— ⅛
Armco		25	338	10	
ArmWI	1	10	540	34⅞	— ⅛
Asarco	.80	5	380	27⅝	+ ⅛
AshOil	s1	8	23	33⅝	— ⅛
AtlRich	4	10	1206	80⅝	— ⅛
AtlasCp			23	28⅛	+ ½
Augat	.40		24	11⅝	— ⅛
AVMCO	.34	13	24	25⅜	
Avery	.48	20	394	22⅝	— ⅛
Avnet	.50	15	434	22⅛	— ⅛
Avon	1		1633	19⅜	+ ⅛
Aydin		s10	6	15¼	— ⅛
B—B					
BakrHu	.46	31	1531	13⅜	— ⅛
BallyMf	.24	23	731	21⅝	— ⅛
BaltGE	2	9	544	31	— ⅛
BncOne	.92b	9	820	22½	+ ⅛
BkNY	1.92	6	681	36⅝	— ⅛
BnkAm		9	2114	17⅝	— ⅛
Bausch	1	14	151	43⅛	— ⅛
Baxter	.50	14	2949	17⅝	+ ⅛
BellAtl	4.08	11	680	70⅝	— ⅛
BellSo	2.36	11	4344	39⅝	— ⅛
BenfCp	2	9	210	43⅝	+ ⅛
BengtB	.19r	5	74	3⅞	
BethStl		5	1201	23	— ⅛
Bevrly			1573	6⅝	+ ⅛
BlackD	.40	14	875	22⅝	— ⅛
BlckHR	1.04	17	457	27⅜	— ⅛
Boeing	1.60	16	2880	59¼	—1⅜
BoiseC	1.40	7	885	40½	— ⅛
Borden	1.56	14	553	58¼	—1
BostEd	1.82	10	250	16⅝	+ ⅛
BristMy	2	16	1422	44⅝	— ⅛
BritPt	3.28e	13	2512	55⅛	+1⅛
BrwnFr	.56	18	719	27½	+ ⅛
Brnwk	.44	7	1309	16⅞	
BriNth		n	2087	22⅝	— ⅛
C—C					
CBS	4.40	15	138	170¼	— ⅛
CIGNA	2.96	8	331	46½	— ⅛
CMS En		7	544	24⅛	— ⅛
CNW		9	48	25⅝	
CPC	1.60	14	777	51¼	— ⅛
CRSS	s.24	19	40	26⅝	— ⅛
CSX	1.24	57	1971	31¼	— ⅛
Caesar		10	847	30⅛	— ½
CampSp	.92	17	228	30⅝	— ⅛
CapCits	.20	17	260	363⅝	+1⅝
CarPw	2.84	16	1452	37	— ⅛
CartHw		10	41	8¼	— ⅛
CastlCk		13	76	27⅜	— ½
Caterp	1.20	11	1071	63⅛	— ⅛
Centel	1.84	14	x351	49⅛	— ⅛
CentEn	1.60	6	971	13½	
CenSoW	2.44	8	689	31⅝	— ⅛
CnlIPS	1.76	9	128	22⅛	
Chmpln	1	7	766	31⅛	— ⅛
ChamSp	.20	40	120	13⅝	+ ⅛
ChartC	.05e	2	107	4	— ⅛
Chase	2.16	3	858	28⅜	— ⅛
ChmBnk	2.72	3	319	30⅝	— ⅛
Chevrn	2.60	9	800	45⅝	— ⅛
ChrisCr	53t	20	135	21⅝	— ⅛
Chryslr	1	6	1856	25½	— ⅛
CircleK	.28	12	213	11½	+ ⅛
CirCty	.12	13	539	35½	+ ⅛
Citicorp	1.48	5	3436	25⅝	— ⅛
ClarkE		22	91	30½	— ⅛
Clorox	1.04	12	148	30⅝	— ⅛
Coastal	.40	16	273	34	— ⅛
CocaCl	1.20	16	3371	44	— ⅛
Colec			46	1⅛	
ColgP	1.48a	14	1434	45⅜	—1⅛
ColGas	2	17	171	34⅝	+ ⅛
CmbEn	1		80	27⅛	— ⅛
Comdre		9	963	13⅝	— ⅛
CmwE	3	9	7437	32⅝	— ⅛
Comsat	1.32	9	106	27⅛	+ ⅛
ConsEd	3.20	10	1133	46⅝	— ⅛
ConsNG	1.76	16	285	40⅛	— ⅛
Conrail	1.20	7	317	33⅝	— ⅛
CnStor		16	2013	6⅝	— ⅛
Contel	2.08	24	2319	40⅛	— ⅛
CntlCp	2.60	18	229	31⅝	— ½
CtData		93	700	19½	— ⅛
Cooper	1.80	13	166	54⅛	+ ⅛
CornGl	1.60a	10	204	68⅝	— ⅛
CrayRs		19	449	60⅝	
CwnCk		s14	98	46	— ⅛
CumEn	2.20		388	63⅜	— ⅛
D—D					
DPL	2.16	11	185	25⅛	— ⅛
DanaCp	1.60	11	331	38⅝	— ⅛
DataGn			474	18⅛	— ⅛
DaytHd	1.02	14	1247	39⅛	— ⅛
Deere	1.20	12	604	47⅝	— ⅛
DeltaAr	1.20	7	562	50⅝	
DetEd	1.68	9	1219	17⅝	
Digital		10	3159	99	+ ⅛
Disney	.40	17	1040	65⅛	— ½
DomRs	3.20	9	607	42	— ⅛
Dover	s.68	14	693	28½	— ⅛
DowCh	2.80	8	1430	87	— ⅛
DowJns	.68	12	238	29½	
Dresr	.80	14	292	29½	+ ⅛
duPont	3.80	10	1629	87⅛	—1⅛
DukeP	2.96	10	603	45⅝	— ½
DuqLt	1.28	10	563	18⅝	— ⅛
E—E					
ERC		9	17	10⅝	
EastGF	1.30	11	143	23⅝	+ ⅛
EKodak	2	11	3276	44½	— ⅛
Eaton	s2	10	133	55	— ⅛
Echlin	.62	14	287	16⅛	— ⅛
EKCO		43	69	3	+ ⅛
EmrsEl	1.12	13	569	29⅝	— ½
Enron	2.48		208	36	— ⅛
Ensrch	.80		393	18⅝	
Ethyl	.48	11	1270	21⅝	— ⅛
Exxon	2.20	11	9707	43½	— ½
F—F					
FMC		11	575	31⅞	— ⅛
FPL Gp	2.20	9	756	30⅛	— ⅛
Fairchd	.20		64	15⅜	
Fairfd			127	5⅛	— ⅛
Feders	.32	16	779	12½	— ⅛
FedNM	.96	7	352	50⅝	— ⅛
FnSBar		10	8	28	3⅜ + ⅛
FtBkSy	1.64	8	1102	20⅛	— ⅛
FCapHd		4	256	6½	
FstChic	1.50	7	162	29⅛	— ⅛
FIntste	2.92		767	43⅜	+ ⅛
FstPa		10	78	12⅝	— ⅛
FtWach	1.52	9	313	37⅝	— ⅛
FleetEn	.64	9	125	24⅝	— ⅛
FlghtS	s.16	18	176	24½	— ⅛
FlaPrg	2.56	10	196	34⅛	— ⅛
FlwGen		10	122	5⅛	— ⅛
Fluor	.04e	32	716	22⅝	— ⅛
FthillG	.20	6	31	7⅛	
FordM	2.40	5	4434	50⅛	— ⅛
FrptMc	2.71e	7	229	27¼	— ⅛
G—G					
GAF	.10	13	2111	46½	
GTE	2.68	12	916	43⅝	— ⅛
Gannett	1.08	16	1134	35	— ⅛
GenCrp	.60	7	333	16⅝	— ⅛
Genetch		22	1332	16⅛	+ ⅛
GnDyn	1	6	322	50⅝	
GenEl	1.64	12	6128	44⅝	— ⅛
GnHous	.24	14	3	7	+ ⅛
GnInst	.50	10	613	25⅝	— ½
GnMills	1.88	15	525	51⅝	— ⅛
GMot	5e	7	3061	83⅝	— ⅛
GM E	.68	14	388	44⅝	— ⅛
GPU	1.80	8	174	37⅝	— ⅛
GnSignl	1.80	51	247	47¼	— ⅛
Gensco		11	62	4⅛	— ⅛
GaPac	1.40	8	836	36⅝	
GerbPd	1.48	25	224	58⅜	+ ⅛
GibrFn			279	1⅛	
Gillete	.86	14	1765	33½	— ⅛
Glaxo	.55e	15	1278	19⅛	
GldNug		5	211	17⅛	+ ⅛
Gdrich	1.72	8	836	51	— ⅛
Goodyr	1.80	6	401	51	— ⅛
Grace	1.40	11	559	25⅝	— ⅛
GtAtPc	.60	14	174	44⅛	— ⅛
GtNNk	1.12	7	762	39⅛	
GtWFn	.76	8	707	14⅝	— ⅛
Greyh	1.32	45	223	29⅝	— ⅛
Grumn	1	40	311	19⅜	+ ⅛
GlfWst	s.70	13	875	40⅛	— ⅛
GlfStUt		10	388	7⅝	— ⅛
H—H					
Halbtn	1	25	999	27½	— ⅛
Harind	.58	16	71	21⅝	— ⅛
Harley		7	26	25⅛	— ⅛
Harris	.88	16	1234	27	
HeclaM	.05e	22	691	12⅝	+ ⅛
Heinz	1.44	15	595	46⅛	+ ⅛
Hercuis	2.24	14	590	44⅜	— ⅛
Hrshey	.70	11	1543	25⅝	— ⅛
HewlPk	.34	16	1481	52⅝	— ⅛
Holiday		6	472	28⅝	— ⅛
Hmstke	.20	8	1204	12⅝	
Honwell	2.10	17	677	59⅝	— ⅛
HCA	.72	13	1214	44	
Hotlinv	.1	26	35	9⅝	+ ⅛
HousInt	2.14	9	139	56⅝	— ⅛
Houlnd	2.96	8	679	27⅝	— ⅛
Human	.92	11	774	25⅝	
I—I					
IRT	1.40	13	21	16⅛	
ITT Cp	1.48	6	1165	50	— ⅛
IdahoP	1.80	24	32	23⅛	
IdealB			281	2	
IllPowr	2.64	9	4328	19⅝	
ITW	.48	14	277	34⅛	— ⅛
ICI	4.19e	7	646	73⅛	+ ⅛
ICA	.60	3	55	9⅛	
INCO	.80a	5	1610	26	+ ⅛
IngerRd	1.04	12	144	33⅝	— ⅛
InldStl	1	7	602	41⅜	+ ⅛
Intrlke	1.50	9	55	42⅛	
IBM	4.40	14	6501	121⅜	— ⅛
IntFlav	1.92	15	293	49⅝	
IntMin	1	11	526	39	+ ⅛
IntPap	1.48	6	4796	46½	+ ⅛
Ipalco	1.64	9	240	22⅛	+ ⅛
J—J					
JRiver	.48	11	443	28⅝	— ⅛
JohnJn	2	15	1063	84	—1⅛
JohnInd	.50e	6	1	16⅝	
Josten	.64	8	65	18⅛	— ⅛
K—K					
K mart	1.32	9	2611	34⅛	— ⅛
Kaneb			60	2⅛	+ ⅛
KCSou	1.08	20	110	34⅝	+ ⅛
KanGE	1.60	10	130	20⅝	— ⅛
KanaPL	1.72	9	242	22⅝	— ⅛
Katyin		13	30	u18½	+ ⅛
KaufBd	.32	8	93	13⅝	— ⅛
Kellogg	1.52	17	254	63⅝	— ⅛
KerrMc	1.10	18	221	37⅝	— ⅛
KimbCl	1.60	13	1736	58⅝	+ ⅛
KnghtR	1.22	16	450	45	— ⅛
Kroger		n	864	8⅝	
L—L					
LTV			1061	2⅛	
Learnl	.48	15	26	16⅝	+ ⅛
LeeEnt	.68	16	4	26⅝	— ⅛
Lehmn	1e		182	11⅝	
Lilly	2.70	17	1258	85⅝	— ⅛
LincNtl	2.48	17	285	43⅝	+ ⅛
Litton		11	106	71⅝	— ⅛
Lockhd	1.60	4	1006	41	— ⅛
Loews	1	6	450	78	— ⅛
LnStar	1.90	13	58	27⅜	+ ⅛
LILCo		6	1616	12⅝	+ ⅛
LaLand	1		193	31⅛	— ⅛
LaPac	.92b	7	168	28⅛	+ ⅛
Lukens	.80	8	5	26⅝	— ⅛
M—M					
MCA	.68	30	1025	46	+ ⅛
MDU	1.42	11	78	19	
MfrHan	3.28	3	712	28⅛	— ⅛
Manvl		n	225	7⅛	+ ⅛
MAPCO	1	7	179	54⅝	— ⅛
Marriot	.24	16	706	30⅝	—1
MartM	1.10	6	353	40⅝	— ⅛
Masco	.48	13	759	25	— ⅛
Maxus	.05e		491	6⅝	
MayDS	1.28	11	769	35⅝	— ⅛
Maytag	.90a	11	1939	19⅛	— ⅛
McDerl	1		350	15	+ ⅛
McDnl	.56	14	1327	46½	—1⅝
McDnD	2.56	10	219	75⅛	— ⅛
McGrH	1.84	17	1623	63⅜	+1½
McKes	1.44	15	207	31⅛	+ ½
Mead	.76	7	1364	39	
Mellon	1.40b		202	25⅛	+ ⅛
Melvill	2.10	13	615	74⅛	— ⅛
MercSt	.80	12	75	42⅛	— ⅛
Merck	s1.48	20	2034	56⅝	— ⅛
MerLyn	1	14	730	24⅛	+ ⅛
MidSUt	.20e	10	1517	15⅝	— ⅛
MWE	1.56	10	15	19⅛	
MMM	2.12	13	2470	61⅛	— ⅛
MinnPL	1.72	11	113	23⅛	— ⅛
Mobil	2.40	10	3695	45⅝	— ⅛
Monsan	3	10	354	81½	— ⅛
MonPw	2.76	12	122	35⅝	— ⅛
Morgan	1.66	7	1578	34⅝	— ⅛
Morton	.92	11	360	37⅛	+ ⅛
Motorla	.76	13	1465	41⅝	— ⅛
N—N					
NCNB	1	11	362	27⅛	— ⅛
NCR	1.24	10	711	53⅝	+ ⅛
NIPSCO	.84	13	1051	13½	— ⅛
NL Ind		n	534	18⅝	— ⅛
NWA	.90	14	644	51⅝	— ⅛
Nalco	1.32	14	146	35⅛	+ ⅛
NatFGs	1.26	11	32	18⅝	— ⅛
NII	.19e		318	17½	+ ⅛
NtSemi			3660	9⅝	— ⅛
Navistr		6	2393	5⅝	
NevPw	1.52	10	34	20⅝	
NEngEl	2.04		234	23⅝	— ⅛
NwtMg	.60	17	257	32⅝	— ⅛
NiaMP	1.20	13	246	12⅝	— ⅛
NflkSo	1.32	9	1921	30⅝	— ⅛
Nortek	.10a		404	8⅝	— ⅛
NoestUt	1.76	11	342	19⅝	
NoStPw	2.12	10	210	32⅝	— ⅛
Nortrp	1.20	6	1173	27⅝	
Norton	2	12	230	48⅝	+ ⅛
Norwst	s1.34	7	90	32	— ⅛
Nynex	4.04	10	1076	66	
O—O					
OcciPet	2.50	18	4701	25⅛	— ⅛
OhioEd	1.96	10	853	18⅝	
OklaGE	2.38	10	214	32⅜	
Olin	1.80	12	101	50⅝	— ⅛
ONEOK	.64j	12	45	18⅝	— ⅛
OrngCo	.02e	18	80	10⅝	— ⅛
OwenC		5	304	22½	+ ⅛
Oxford	.50		167	10½	
P—Q					
PHM	.12	134	165	10⅝	— ⅛
PPG	1.36	10	431	40½	— ⅛
PSI		6	184	13⅝	
PacEnt	3.48	10	170	37½	
PacGE	1.40	12	1671	17⅝	+ ⅛
PacTel	1.76	12	2626	30⅝	— ⅛
Pacifcp	2.64	9	807	35⅛	+ ⅛
PanAm			2079	2⅝	+ ⅛
PanEC	2		363	25⅛	— ⅛
Patter	.12	5	162	3⅝	
Pennoy	2	11	781	50⅛	+ ⅛
PaPL	2.76	10	269	35⅝	— ⅛
Penwlt	2.40	25	1058	102⅝	— ⅛
Pennzol	3	41	346	72	+ ⅛
PepBoy	.10	19	288	12⅛	+ ⅛
PepsiCo	.84	14	2222	39⅛	— ⅛
PerkEl	.68	15	866	24½	— ⅛
Pfizer	2.20	12	1241	57⅝	— ⅛
PhelpD	1.60	5	588	52½	— ⅛
PhilaEl	2.20	8	891	19⅝	— ⅛
PhilMr	4.50	11	2354	100⅝	—1
Philpln	.52	12	247	19⅝	— ⅛
PhilPet	.72	8	4805	19⅝	— ⅛
Phlcorp			45	11½	— ⅛
Pilsbry	1.20	100	874	65⅝	— ⅛
PinWst	1.60	7	776	15⅝	+ ⅛
PitnyBw	.92	14	493	42⅝	— ⅛
Pittstn			287	17¼	— ⅛
PlcrD	g.30		884	13½	
Polaroid	.60	71	746	36⅝	— ⅛
PortGC	1.96	14	362	21⅛	+ ⅛
Primca	.28	10	1033	21½	— ⅛
Primc	wi		12	d21⅛	— ⅛
ProctG	2.80	14	1444	85½	—1½
PSvCol	2	8	78	21⅝	+ ⅛
PSEG	2.04	10	583	24⅝	+ ⅛
PugetP	1.76	9	482	18½	
Pyro			165	6½	
Qantel		2	49	⅝	+1-16
QuakrO	1.20	66	264	53⅛	+ ⅛
QuakSC	.80	36	540	17⅛	+ ⅛
Quantm	3a	8	4731	103⅝	—2
Quntm	wi		1716	d53½	—2⅛
Questar	1.88	40	27	32	— ⅛
R—R					
RJR Nb	2.20	16	9535	90⅛	— ⅛
RLC	.20	8	106	10⅝	— ⅛
RalsPur	1.50	15	472	81⅝	
Ramad			591	9	
RangrO		50	81	5	
Raythn	2	9	1653	67⅛	+ ⅛
ReadBt			437	⅝	—1-16
ReyMtl	1	7	690	53½	— ⅛
RiteAid	.74	14	852	32½	— ⅛
Robins		14	15	25½	— ⅛
Rockwl	.72	7	2061	21⅝	— ⅛
RoHaas	1.12	10	342	34⅛	— ⅛
Rohr		14	113	27¼	— ⅛
Rorer	s.80	25	2113	43	+ ⅛
Rowan			1240	5⅝	
RoylD	7.24e	7	862	114½	+ ½
Ryder	.56	16	1030	26	
S—S					
SCEcp	2.48	9	971	32⅛	— ⅛
SPSTec	1.20	29	7	43	
SFeSP	s		554	17⅛	
SaraLee	1.44	15	2170	43⅝	+1⅛
SCANA	2.40	11	121	31⅞	— ⅛
SchrPlg	1.60	17	530	55⅝	— ⅛
Schlmb	1.20	13	3155	32⅛	— ⅛
ScottP	s.80	8	707	39	— ⅛
Seagrm	1.20	10	336	61	— ⅛
Sears	2	11	4816	40⅝	— ⅛
SecPac	1.96	10	641	35⅝	— ⅛
ShellT	s2.61e	9	423	36⅛	+ ⅛
Shrwin	.64	11	178	25⅝	
Skyline	.48	12	65	15⅝	— ⅛
SmkBck	1.84	24	1828	47½	— ⅛
Sonat	2	11	151	29	
SonyCp	.30e	34	157	58⅛	+ ⅛
SouthCo	2.14	9	2115	22⅛	— ⅛
SwBell	2.48	12	x2285	39⅝	— ⅛
SwtPS	2.20	11	287	27	+ ⅛
SquarD	2	12	50	47⅝	— ⅛
Squibb	1.60	16	952	65⅝	— ⅛
SunCo	n1.80		455	31⅝	— ⅛
Syntex	1.30	15	676	40⅝	+ ⅛
Sysco	.36	18	412	37⅝	—1⅛
T—T					
TECO	1.42	12	120	23⅛	— ⅛
TRW	1.72a	9	326	41⅝	— ⅛
TacBt			109	⅝	
Talley	.30	66	259	13⅝	— ⅛
Tandem		17	1744	16⅝	— ⅛
Tandy	.60	12	603	40⅝	— ⅛
Tndycft		24	1	12⅝	
TchSym		13	33	11⅝	— ⅛
Tektrnx	.60	27	403	20⅝	— ⅛
Teldyn	4	9	82	333⅛	+1
Tenneco	3.04		640	48⅝	— ⅛
Tesoro		294	100	11⅝	— ⅛
Texaco	3	12	1964	50⅝	— ⅛
TexEst	1	9	171	28	
TexInst	.72	11	1112	40⅝	— ⅛
TxPac	.40	48	7	30⅝	— ⅛
TexUtil	2.88	7	997	28⅛	
Textron	1	8	353	23⅝	— ⅛
Tigerln		11	3958	19⅝	+ ⅛
Time	1	22	785	106	—1
TmMir	1	15	273	32½	— ⅛
Timkn	s.80	20	235	35	— ⅛
Tokhem	.56	11	10	19⅝	— ⅛
Tosco		4	209	3⅛	
Transm	1.88	6	285	33⅝	— ⅛
Transco	1.36		222	35	— ⅛
Travler	2.40	13	445	34⅝	— ⅛
TriCon	2.06e		134	19⅝	
Tribune	.76	15	435	38⅛	— ⅛
Trinova	.64	11	484	27½	
TucsEP	3.90	10	139	49⅝	+ ⅛
U—U					
UAL		Cp10	427	107⅛	—2⅛
UGI	2.14	10	85	30⅝	+ ⅛
UNCInc		15	150	8⅝	— ⅛
USFG	2.64	8	614	28⅝	+ ⅛
USG		n	3	314	5⅝
USX	1.40	15	1007	29⅝	+ ⅛
UCarb	.80	7	3399	25½	— ⅛
UnElec	2	9	1194	24	— ⅛
UnPac	2.20	12	638	64	— ⅛
Unisys	1	8	1775	27⅝	— ⅛
UBrnd	s.20	11	21	16½	+ ⅛
USWest	3.52	10	329	57½	— ⅛
UnTech	1.60	8	1610	40⅝	— ⅛
UniTel	1.92	30	1577	45⅝	— ⅛
Unocal	1		3312	38⅛	+ ⅛
Upjohn	.88	16	x1735	28⅜	+ ⅛
USLIFE	1.36	8	165	34½	— ⅛
UtaPL	2.32	12	191	31⅝	— ⅛
V—V					
Varian	.26	22	181	27½	— ½
Varity		8	540	2⅝	— ⅛
W—W					
Wackht	.60a	12	16	17½	+ ⅛
WalMrt	.16	22	4428	30⅛	—1⅛
WarnC	.56	14	617	36⅝	— ½
WarnrL	2.56	16	461	77	—1⅜
WshWt	2.48	10	28	27½	
WellsF	3	7	327	59½	— ⅛
WUnion			632	1⅝	
WstgE	2	9	1285	51⅝	— ⅛
Weyer	s1.20	10	2132	24⅜	— ⅛
Whrlpl	1.10	12	525	24½	— ⅛
Whitmn	.96b	13	x2017	32⅝	— ⅛
Whittak	1	16	605	51⅝	— ⅛
William	1.40	8	323	30⅛	— ⅛
WinDix	1.92	15	71	43⅛	— ⅛
Winnbg	.40	26	66	9	— ⅛
Wolwth	1.64	12	565	51	— ⅛
Wynns	.60	97	75	21⅜	+ ⅛
X—Y—Z					
Xerox	3	10	926	57⅝	—1
ZenithE			201	18⅝	— ⅛

Cotton

NEW YORK (AP) — Cotton futures No. 2 were higher in midday dealings today.

The average price for strict low mid-dling 1 & 1-16 inch spot cotton advanced 64 points to 54.71 cents a pound Friday for the eight markets, according to the New York Cotton Exchange.

Midday prices were $1.00 to $1.75 a bale higher than the previous close. Mar 58.75, May 58.80, Jul 58.80, Oct b57.60, Dec 57.60, Mar b57.00 and May b57.00.

n.a.-not available; n.q.-not quoted; a-asked; b-bid.

Dow Jones averages

STOCKS

30 Industrials	2148.04	—20.53
20 Transportation	961.74	— 8.10
15 Utilities	185.10	— 1.18
65 Stocks	818.73	— 7.21

BONDS

20 Bonds	88.57	- 0.02
10 Public Util	88.24	— 0.04
10 Industrial	88.91	

American Exchange

NEW YORK (AP) Midday national prices for American Stock Exchange issues

		PE	Sales	Last	chg.
Acton		9	8	11⅝	+ ⅛
Alza	.45		96	22⅝	+ ⅛
Amdhl	s.10	11	1989	20	— ⅛
AScIE		288	305	u 5⅛	+ ⅛
AmSwM	1.66e		71	8	— ⅛
Ampal	.08	5	1	1⅜	+ ⅛
Andal			13	5⅝	— ⅛
ArcAls		n	80	8⅛	— ⅛
Armtrn		59	2	2⅝	+ ⅛
Astrtc		n	10	2	+ ⅛
Atari		11	219	5⅛	+ ⅛
AtlsCM			101	1⅝	
Atlas		wt	32	9	+ ⅛
Audvox		11	15	4⅝	+ ⅛
B&HO	n.20e		277	16½	
BAT	.35e		50	8 3-16	+ ⅛
Banstr		g	2	6⅛	
BergB	s.32	11	150	22⅝	
BolrPh	.03	15	772	21⅛	
Brscn	g.96		17	22⅝	+ ⅛
CMI Cp		12	56	3⅛	
CalEgy	.60t		56	16⅝	
CarnCr	.40a	11	67	15⅛	— ⅛
CFCda	.10		118	4⅝	+ ⅛
ChmpEn			24	3⅝	— ⅛
ComFd	.25	12	132	5⅛	— ⅛
CmpCn		11	80	12⅝	
Conqst			15	2	
ConsOG			173	1	
CoronA		n52	3	6⅛	
Cross	1.12	17	16	35	— ⅛
DWG		5	104	6⅝	— ⅛
DataPd	.16		885	13⅝	+ ⅛
Delmed			54	11-16	— ⅛
Duplex	.68	14	8	18½	
EchoBy	.07	26	599	14⅝	+ ⅛
Endvco	1.01		18	7	
ENSCO		11	152	2	
EntMkt			164	2	— ⅛
Fidata			43	7⅛	+ ⅛
FAusPr	1.13		303	9⅛	
Fluke	.20	13	14	18⅛	+ ⅛
ForstL		23	111	24⅝	+ ⅛
FruitL		8	859	6⅝	
GntYl		g	32	10⅝	+ ⅛
Glatfltr	1	12	11	38⅝	
GldFld			15	5-16	— ⅛
GCda	g.40		60	12	— ⅛
Hasbro	.12	16	740	15½	— ⅛
HollyC	s.14i	6	11	19⅝	— ⅛
HomeSh		16	205	4½	
HrnHar			124	7⅝	— ⅛
ImpOil	g1.80		184	42	+ [illegible]
InstSy		7	110	1⅛	+ ⅛
IntBknt		56	41	3⅝	
Jacobs		1.571	17	24	23
Kirby	10e	4	5	4⅝	
LdmkSv	.30	4	3	7⅛	+ ⅛
Lionel			183	5	+ ⅛
LorTel		13	571	12⅝	— ⅛
MSR			70	1½	+ ⅛
Maxam		10	49	24⅛	— ⅛
Media	.40	20	97	34⅝	+ ⅛
MtchlE	.24a		123	11½	+ ⅛
NtPatnt	.10		101	6½	
NProc	1.51e	12	16	41	+ ⅛
NY Time	.48	14	350	26⅝	— ⅛
Numac			23	7⅛	+ ⅛
OOkiep	1.17e		2	10⅝	+ ⅛
PallCp	.40	18	147	27⅝	— ⅛
PegGld	.10e	15	82	11⅝	+ ⅛
PhlLD	.15e	5	815	10⅝	
Pittway	1.80	11	18	95⅝	+ ⅛
PlyGem	.12	13	20	12	+ ⅛
RAC	n1.23e		49	8	— ⅛
Ransbg		139	150	16⅝	— ⅛
SecCap			46	7-16	+1-16
SterlSft			82	5⅝	— ⅛
TIE			63	1⅝	
TelDta	s.24	61	853	27⅛	— ⅛
Telesph			1306	1⅛	+ ⅛
TexAir			991	12	+ ⅛
Thrlns		s21	87	10⅝	— ⅛
TotlPt	g.40	22	1	20⅛	+ ⅛
TwCty		13	16	9⅞	— ⅛
TubMex			19	4⅝	— ⅛
Unicorp	.30		19	5⅝	
UFoodA		5	5	1⅝	
UFoodB		5	10	1⅛	
US Cell			33	20⅝	
UnvPat		43	39	3⅝	
WangB	.16	17	579	8⅝	— ⅛
WshPst	1.56	17	45	210½	— ⅛
WDigitl		9	808	14⅝	— ⅛

Ups & downs

UPS AND DOWNS

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UPS

Name	Last	Chg		Pct.
1 BeardOil n	3⅛	+ ⅝	Up	10.7
2 AmSci Eng	5⅝	+ ½	Up	9.8
3 Daxor	5⅝	+ ⅝	Up	6.8
4 Astrotch n	2	+ ⅛	Up	6.7
5 PrepaidLgl	2	+ ⅛	Up	6.7
6 Tofutti	2	+ ⅛	Up	6.7
7 IGI Inc	8⅛	+ ⅛	Up	6.5
8 Jetronic Ind	2⅛	+ ⅛	Up	5.9
9 NtlRlty	2⅛	+ ⅛	Up	5.9
10 FriesEnt	2⅝	+ ⅛	Up	5.6
11 Gen Emply	2⅝	+ ⅛	Up	5.6
12 PicoProd	2⅝	+ ⅛	Up	5.6
13 Ketchum	7⅝	+ ⅝	Up	5.4
14 IncstarCp	7⅛	+ ⅜	Up	5.0
15 Escagen	5⅝	+ ¼	Up	4.9
16 NuvnNYMu n	11	+ ½	Up	4.8
17 VircoMf	11⅝	+ ½	Up	4.4
18 Angeles	6	+ ¼	Up	4.3
19 GnMicrwve	6	+ ¼	Up	4.3
20 Hltcrelnt	3	+ ⅛	Up	4.3
21 HealthCre	12⅝	+ ½	Up	4.2
22 HealthChm	3⅛	+ ⅛	Up	4.2
23 CtrlFdCda un	9⅝	+ ⅜	Up	4.0
24 IntlTelchg	6⅝	+ ¼	Up	3.8
25 DiagRet A	7⅛	+ ¼	Up	3.6
26 Nasta	3⅝	+ ⅛	Up	3.6
27 SwiftEngy	7⅛	+ ¼	Up	3.6

DOWNS

Name	Last	Chg		Pct.
1 Laserlnd	3⅛	— ⅛	Off	6.7
2 Biotheraput	3⅝	— ¼	Off	6.5
3 TrustAm	7⅝	— ½	Off	6.2
4 AmTr-s sc	4	— ¼	Off	5.9
5 EntrMkt	2	— ⅛	Off	5.9
6 Hinderliter	2⅛	— ⅛	Off	5.6
7 MagmaCpr wt	2⅛	— ⅛	Off	5.3
8 AmTr-xon sc	28½	— 1⅝	Off	5.0
9 CentyComm s	12	— ⅝	Off	5.0
10 BarrLab	5	— ¼	Off	4.8
11 BermudaStr	2½	— ⅛	Off	4.8
12 LinPro	2½	— ⅛	Off	4.8
13 Organog	15⅝	— ⅝	Off	4.7
14 AmerTr shp sc	10½	— ½	Off	4.5
15 Medicore	2⅝	— ⅛	Off	4.5
16 Andal	5⅝	— ¼	Off	4.3
17 CrosbyPhil	5⅝	— ¼	Off	4.2
18 LifetimeCp	2⅞	— ⅛	Off	4.2
19 Newcor	8½	— ⅜	Off	4.2
20 AmTr-ek sc	6	— ¼	Off	4.0
21 BSN	6	— ¼	Off	4.0
22 ManufactHme	6	— ¼	Off	4.0
23 ResidMtg	3	— ⅛	Off	4.0
24 Thermedics	11⅝	— ½	Off	4.0
25 Presidio pf	6⅛	— ¼	Off	3.9

UPS AND DOWNS

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UPS

Name	Last	Chg		Pct.
1 vjPubSvcNH	5⅝	+ ⅞	Up	18.4
2 MCorp cvpf	7⅝	+ ⅞	Up	13.5
3 GenlEngy	2⅛	+ ¼	Up	13.3
4 Pan Am	2⅛	+ ¼	Up	11.1
5 TitanCp	2½	+ ¼	Up	11.1
6 Fruhl pfA	6⅝	+ ⅝	Up	10.4
7 EmerRad	4⅛	+ ⅜	Up	9.7
8 SnyderOil	4⅛	+ ⅜	Up	9.7
9 Utdllum pr	22⅜	+ 2	Up	9.6
10 LaZ Boy	20⅝	+ 1⅝	Up	8.6
11 vjPSNH 2.81pf	11½	+ ⅞	Up	7.0
12 DiamdShOf	11⅝	+ ¾	Up	6.9
13 FruehaufB	2	+ ⅛	Up	6.7
14 vjToddShp	2⅛	+ ⅛	Up	6.3
15 Intelogic	4½	+ ¼	Up	5.9
16 KanebSvc	2¼	+ ⅛	Up	5.9
17 Zapata Cp	2¼	+ ⅛	Up	5.9
18 Kerr Glass	9⅛	+ ½	Up	5.8
19 BMC Ind	7⅝	+ ⅜	Up	5.4
20 WstnSL	2½	+ ⅛	Up	5.3
21 vjPSNH 4.25pfC	15½	+ ¾	Up	5.1
22 vjLTV pfD	2⅝	+ ⅛	Up	5.0
23 ValerNGs	16⅛	+ ¾	Up	4.9
24 Wedgestone	2⅝	+ ⅛	Up	4.5
25 AssetInvst	11⅝	+ ½	Up	4.4
26 BritPet pp	32⅝	+ 1⅜	Up	4.4
27 KerrGls 1.70pf	17⅝	+ ¾	Up	4.4

DOWNS

Name	Last	Chg		Pct.
1 Integra n	2	— ⅝	Off	27.3
2 GenCinema	23½	— 2	Off	7.8
3 Munsingwr	3	— ¼	Off	7.7
4 GrowGp	10⅝	— ⅞	Off	7.4
5 US Home	2	— ⅛	Off	5.9
6 FrMcMOG	4⅛	— ¼	Off	5.7
7 AfilPubl s	35½	— 2⅛	Off	5.6
8 FamDlrSt	13	— ¾	Off	5.5
9 CareerCom s	8⅞	— ½	Off	5.3
10 NatSemi	9⅛	— ½	Off	5.1
11 Harnischfg	16½	— ⅞	Off	5.0
12 MitelCp	2⅜	— ⅛	Off	5.0
13 CenturyTel s	30	— 1½	Off	4.8
14 FstUnionCp	21⅛	— 1	Off	4.5
15 Hanson wt	2⅝	— ⅛	Off	4.5
16 CrossldSv pfA	19½	— ⅞	Off	4.3
17 Varity	2⅝	— ⅛	Off	4.3
18 WMS Ind	5½	— ¼	Off	4.3
19 CanalCapitl	5⅝	— ¼	Off	4.2
20 Varco	2⅝	— ⅛	Off	4.2
21 FairCom	5⅝	— ¼	Off	4.1
22 LeslieFay	8⅝	— ⅜	Off	4.1
23 WalMart	30⅛	— 1¼	Off	4.0
24 Nucor	45⅜	— 1⅞	Off	3.9
25 Filtertek	9⅝	— ⅜	Off	3.8
26 McDonld	6⅛	— ¼	Off	3.8
27 MedusaCp n	12½	— ½	Off	3.8

Market Index

NEWYORK(AP)—NewYorkStockExchangeNoonIndex:Market—23cents Index 155.18—1.08 Industrial 188.07—1.35 Transport 145.71—0.89 Utility 74.15—0.54 Finance 127.44—0.75

NEWYORK(AP)—AmericanStockExchange Noon Index: 305.52 —0.49

Additional listings

The following lists of New York and American stock exchange listings are not reported in the Reporter-Telegram's regular daily postings for the exchanges.

(This list is compiled by Rauscher Pierce Securities Corp.)

New York

	LS	PC
Adobe Resrcs ADB	6⅜	---
ADBA	---	17
ADBB	---	20⅛
Cameron Iron Works	15⅛	15⅝
Coastal States	34	34⅛
Datapoint Corp	4⅝	4½
Elcor	8⅜	8⅝
First Mississippi	17⅝	---
Fluor Corp	22⅝	23⅝
Helmrich & Payne	20⅝	20⅝
Baker Hughes Tool	13⅝	14
Luby's	23⅝	23⅝
Mesa Royalty Trust	37⅝	38
Murphy Oil Corp	29⅝	29⅝
Noble Affiliates	12⅝	---
First City	---	26⅛
Parker Drilling	4⅝	4½
Pennzoil	72	71⅝
PepsiCo	39⅛	39⅝
Pogo Producing	4½	---
NCNB	27⅛	27⅛
Rowan Co	5⅝	---
Sabine Royalty	13⅛	13½
Schlumberger, Ltd	32⅛	32⅝
Smith International	8½	---
SunExp	25⅝	25⅛
Tandy Corp	40⅝	41
Texaco	50⅝	51⅛
TexAmer Bancshares	.44	.28
Tidewater	7⅛	7⅝
Tosco	3⅛	---
Western Co	.26	---
Zapata Corp	2⅛	2⅛

American

	LS	PC
Adobe Coal	---	2⅝
Houston Oil&Mineral	---	⅛
Sage Energy	5⅛	---
Permian Corp.	4⅝	4⅝
Ohio Edison	18⅝	---
Battle Mt. Gold	13⅝	14
Regal International	.26	.22
Parker & Parsley Dev	12⅝	11⅝
Intelogic Trace	4½	4⅛
Dillards	41⅝	42⅝

LS-Last Sale
PC-Previous Closing

Stock Market Loses

NEW YORK (AP) — The new year began on a sour note on Wall Street today.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials was off 20.53 to 2,148.04 as of noon EST.

Declining issues were ahead of advancers by a margin of about 8-to-5, with 491 stocks up, 852 down and 481 unchanged on the New York Stock Exchange.

Big Board volume totaled 59.83 million shares at midday.

Analysts said interest rate worries and program selling combined to bring the market down.

The interest rate concerns were fueled by soaring yields in the credit markets. The rate on the Treasury's bellwether 30-year issue surged to 9.09 percent today from 8.98 percent late Friday.

The dollar was down on foreign exchange markets, adding to the concerns of Wall Street players, said Michael Metz, a market analyst with Oppenheimer & Co.

Traders feared the Federal Reserve would step in to support the U.S. currency by raising interest rates, he said.

The most actively-traded issue on the NYSE today AT&T, down ¼ to 28⅛.

Among other most-active stocks, IBM was down ⅛ at 121¾, General Electric was off ⅛ at 44¼ and Exxon was down ⅝ to 43⅝.

Big decliners included Boeing, off 1⅜ to 59¼, Procter and Gamble, down 1½ to 85½, and UAL, off 2¼ to 107¼.

Gaining issues included Reebok, up ⅛ to 12⅝, and Digital Equipment, up ⅝ to 99.

The NYSE's composite index of all its listed stocks was off 1.08 at 155.18. On the American Stock Exchange, the market value index was down 0.49 at 305.52.

Livestock

AMARILLO, Texas (AP) — Texas Panhandle and western Oklahoma feedlot report. Confirmed: 4,700. Trading moderate in the Panhandle area early Tuesday. Slaughter steers and heifers steady to firm. Feedlots reported good interest and inquiry from buyers. Sales on 2,200 slaughter steers and 2,500 heifers; 8,000 head sold for the week to date. Note: All live cattle prices based on net weights f.o.b. the feedlot after a 4 percent shrink.

Slaughter steers: Select and mostly choice 2-3, 65-80 percent choice, 1025-1300 lbs 74.50 To mostly 75.00. Few mixed select and choice 2-3 1100 lbs. 74.00. Two loads select, few choice 2-3 1150-1250 lbs. 71.00-72.00.

Slaughter heifers: Select and mostly choice 2-3 975-1000 lbs. 74.00 To mostly 74.50. Mixed select and choice 2-3 975-1000 lbs. 73.50-74.00.

Gold

Selected world gold prices Tuesday.

Hong Kong late: $412.35, up $2.10.
London morning fixing: $413.60, up $3.10.
London afternoon fixing: $411.60, up $1.10.
London late: $411.75, up $1.70.
Paris afternoon fixing: $414.95, up $2.23.
Frankfurt fixing: $414.02, up $2.89.
Zurich late afternoon: $411.25 bid up $0.25, $411.75 asked.
NY Handy & Harman: $411.60, up $0.70.
NY Engelhard: $412.95, up $0.95.
NY Engelhard fabricated: $433.60, up $1.00.
NY Comex gold spot month close Fri. $410.00, up $1.80.
NY Republic National Bank 4 p.m. Fri. $410.00, up $1.60.

Over the counter

Quotations from the NASD are representative interdealer prices as of approximately 11 a.m. Interdealer markups change through the day. Prices do not include retail markups, markdown or commission.

(This OTC is compiled by Shearson-Lehman Brothers.)

	B	A
Alta Energy	⅛	⅛
Arch	½	⅝
Blyvoors	3⅛	3⅛
Coors	19⅝	20
Cyprus Minerals	---	---
Dawson Geophysical	5	5⅛
Delta Drilling	⅛	⅛
Flare, Inc	⅛	⅛
Forest Oil Corp	10⅝	11⅛
Oceaneering Intl	2⅛	2⅝
Parallel Petroleum	⅛	⅛
Service Mdse	---	---
Tom Brown, Inc.	6⅝	7⅛
Tucker Drilling	4⅛	4⅛
Texas Van Guard	⅛	⅛
Union Texas	---	---
Vaal Reefs	6⅛	6⅛
Welkom Gold	4⅛	5
Western Deep Levels	26⅝	26⅝
Exploration Co.	⅛	⅛

B-Bid
A-Asked

Diverse group driving forces behind biggest issues of '88

New York Times News Service

M. Danny Wall, Federal Home Loan Bank Board

Wall

Before he assumed the chairmanship of the Federal Home Loan Bank Board in July 1987, the question asked most frequently of M. Danny Wall was why he wanted the job.

The agency was in a shambles. Top executives were fleeing to the private sector. Morale was decimated. More than 500 insolvent savings and loan associations were piling up huge losses and needed to be shut down.

So why in the world did Danny Wall want the job? The answer seemed a touch prosaic: "I like a challenge."

Eighteen months later, many in Washington are asking him more probing questions, and with greater urgency, as the savings and loan industry needs a huge taxpayer bailout. And because Wall is the chief regulator of the nation's 3,000 savings and loan associations, he has endured a year of steady sniping from the industry, Congress and even fellow regulators.

Wall has been criticized by Congress for, in effect, giving away government assets to financiers who put up little of their own money and sometimes have no experience in banking.

He has come under fire from fellow regulators for understating the size of the crisis. Earlier this year, Wall said the total cost of dealing with 500 insolvent savings and loans would be $22.7 billion. After two revisions, his figure is now $50 billion, but others maintain the true cost is closer to $80 billion. By the close of the year the expenditure was already not far from Wall's most recent estimate, with $35 billion in government assistance having been committed.

And he has had a running battle with the industry over his proposal to impose extra deposit insurance premiums on its members for 30 years.

But despite the nipping at his heels, Wall, the former chief of staff of the Senate Banking Committee, cannot be faulted for lack of action. Oddly, perhaps, in light of the bank board's recent activity, Wall had earned the reputation in the Senate job of a very deliberate manager who was slow to take action.

As the right-hand man to Sen. Jake Garn, Republican of Utah and at the time the chairman of the Banking Committee, Wall was highly respected for his candor and accessibility. But Congress produced only one substantial piece of banking legislation during the Garn-Wall tenure.

Faced with the colossal problems of the savings industry, Wall found it impossible to take a passive approach.

In 1988, he closed or found buyers for more than 200 sick savings institutions, including some of the biggest and shakiest. In 1987, only 48 institutions were closed or rescued.

In addition, bank board officials point to these reforms: a tougher examination process, new regulations to increase capital requirements, and a quicker response to applications by institutions for mergers, acquisitions and other life-saving transactions.

Despite the criticism of some of his actions, the 49-year-old Wall seems to be secure for the time being in his position as bank board chairman. There has been little talk among Bush administration officials about replacing him.

Alan Greenspan, Federal Reserve Board

Greenspan

Alan Greenspan, chairman of the Federal Reserve Board, emerged in 1988 as the interim captain of the American economy.

In the election campaign, the big economic issues seemed to be what the candidates would do about taxes, the deficit, jobs, Third World debt. Only after Nov. 8 did everyone remember that the president-elect's impact on the economy was still months away and that the Greenspan Federal Reserve has the power to push the economy toward inflation or recesssion — or keep it hovering somewhere in between.

Greenspan, who is 62 years old, became the Federal Reserve Board's chairman on Aug. 11, 1987, and he has been quite lucky. The stock market crash came two months after he took the job, and it seemed to herald a recession, no matter what Greenspan tried to do to prevent one.

What he did was to flood the country with lending money so that consumption and investment would not have to shut down for lack of low-interest credit. But the economy was growing more strongly than anyone realized, and by springtime the Fed's problem — as Greenspan saw it — was no longer preventing a slowdown, but stopping inflation.

If there was any question about his priorities, Greenspan clarified it by telling Congress that he would fight inflation. (The Fed wages this battle by pushing up interest rates until loans get costly; buying and investment then slow down, sometimes so much that a recession is born.)

Since March, the Fed has been nudging interest rates higher, and inflation has eased recently. Maybe it would have happened anyway because inflationary forces in the economy may not be very strong, but Greenspan has received the credit.

Meanwhile, he has settled into Washington. A bachelor, he has taken an apartment in the Watergate complex, near the Federal Reserve building and shows up occasionally at White House functions.

Otherwise, he mostly avoids the capital's busy social life, instead working long hours, friends say, using the Fed's huge data-gathering network to track the economy.

Henry R. Kravis, Kohlberg, Kravis, Roberts

The buyout specialist Henry R. Kravis began last year by donating $10 million to build the Henry R. Kravis wing at the Metropolitan Museum of Art and followed with $10 million for the Mount Sinai Medical Center in New York.

His year culminated in the $24.88 billion buyout of RJR Nabisco Inc., after a bruising battle. The deal was twice as large as any previous corporate acquisition. Even the 44-year-old Kravis, who has built a fortune of several hundred million dollars, admitted that the numbers had become pretty big.

With his three sumptuous homes; a wife, Carolyne Roehm, who is a prominent fashion designer, and his frequently photographed appearances at elegant parties, Kravis became something of a symbol for a glittering era on Wall Street.

His tiny but powerful firm, Kohlberg, Kravis, Roberts & Co., has just five partners, of which Kravis is by far the most visible, and 15 professionals. Regardless of how well Kohlberg, Kravis, Roberts copes with the more than $20 billion of debt it took on to acquire RJR Nabisco, its conquests have made a deep impression.

Kravis is a man of prodigious energy and an iron will to succeed, underneath his big smile and politeness. He was born in Tulsa, Okla., and never wavered in his business ambitions. He graduated from Columbia University's business school in 1968, a year of student rioting, in which he showed not the least interest.

Eight years later, Kravis started the pioneering buyout firm with Jerome Kohlberg Jr., his former boss, and George R. Roberts, his cousin. The firm's reputation zoomed with the perfection of a little-used negotiating tool: silence.

Kohlberg, Kravis, Roberts had noisily acquired a large stake in Texaco in the midst of its takeover battle with the raider Carl C. Icahn and then said nothing about its intentions. The uncertainty drove up the company's stock price. Only later would Wall Street learn that Kohlberg, Kravis, Roberts had sold at a profit of more than $100 million.

Not that Kravis is immune from serious setbacks. Kohlberg, Kravis, Roberts was rebuffed last year in its bids for Kroger and Macmillan. But it won the ultimate prize, RJR Nabisco.

Nicholas F. Brady, Treasury Department

Brady

Nicholas F. Brady has a machine to read quotes from the markets, and he uses it. He has a fascimile machine hooked up in his Washington apartment. He calls in assistants and deputy assistants to explain Treasury business, and they say he is a rigorous interrogator. "He scrutinizes you," one said.

Yet the impression that Brady has made in five months as secretary of the Treasury is barely detectable.

The 58-year-old former chairman of the Wall Street firm Dillon, Read & Co. has appeared in Congress once in recent months. That was when Brady, who once served eight months as a Republican senator from New Jersey, gave senators a chance to examine him before approving his apppointment.

He has given just one noteworthy speech. In December, at a conference of the world's finance ministers in Berlin, he defended former Treasury Secretary James A. Baker 3d's troubled plan to increase lending to debtor countries in return for their adoption of free-market economic policies.

He has appeared on television for interviews only twice. He has submitted a single report to Congress, criticizing South Korea and Taiwan for policies that he said manipulated their currencies to the disadvantage of the United States.

In fact, Brady played his most conspicuous role before his Treasury appointment, as chairman of the President's Task Force on Market Mechanisms that was set up to investigate the stock market collapse in October 1987.

The Reagan administration and the Federal Reserve rejected the report's principal recommendation, that market regulation be consolidated within the Fed.

But the exchanges have adopted one important proposal, the institution of "circuit breakers" to halt trading when markets turn volatile, and have partly accepted another recommendation, which urges more consisteney in margin requirements among the exchanges.

President-elect George Bush has nominated Brady to continue as Treasury secretary, and groups within the department are already working on three important issues: the tax system, changes in the Baker plan, and dealing with the insolvencies among the nation's savings and loan institutions.

With respect to taxes, the president-elect has promised no increases and has pledged to reduce the capital-gains tax. But the odds are good that Brady's tax team is devising something novel, like a tax increase that can be described as something else, and perhaps making any cut in capital-gains taxes apply only to long-term gains.

J. Carter Bacot, Bank of New York

In an industry sometimes denigrated for its lack of boldness, J. Carter Bacot, chairman of the Bank of New York, stands out in 1988 as the banker who redefined the boundaries of what is acceptable.

By making a bid for the Irving Bank Corp. and persisting through a bitter yearlong legal battle, Bacot changed not only the industry's lineup but also its preconceptions.

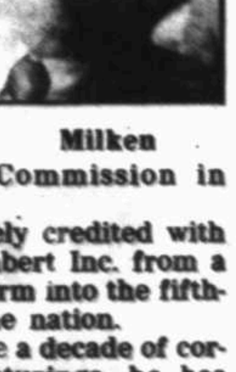
For instance, he removed any suspicion that the Federal Reserve Board might stand in the way of a hostile takeover of one large U.S. bank by another.

Hostile takeovers have occasionally been attempted in the banking industry before. Joseph J. Pinola, the chairman of the First Interstate Bancorp in Los Angeles, for example, made an unsuccessful run at the BankAmerica Corp. in 1986. But the unsolicited takeovers that have actually been completed involved much smaller banks.

With assets of $23 billion, Irving is by far the largest bank to have been acquired in a hostile transaction. As a result of the $1.45 billion deal, the two institutions will merge into the 12th-largest U.S. bank.

But Bacot was noteworthy not just because he was willing to think big. He outlasted a variety of legal challenges, regulatory hurdles and counterbids by an Italian bank.

Michael R. Milken, Drexel Burnham Lambert



Milken

Although Michael R. Milken will remember 1988 as a year in which he spent more time with his lawyers than he cared to, 1989 could be worse.

Within weeks, Milken is expected to be indicted by a federal grand jury on charges of racketeering and violating a range of securities laws. He has often asserted his innocence in two years of investigation and in a related complaint brought by the Securities and Exchange Commission in September.

Milken, 42 years old, is largely credited with building Drexel Burnham Lambert Inc. from a small, second-tier Wall Street firm into the fifth-largest investment house in the nation.

Using "junk bonds" to finance a decade of corporate takeovers and restructurings, he has pushed the buttons on the money machine for many of the nation's leading takeover artists. In the process, he has amassed enormous wealth for himself and his colleagues.

All of Milken's ingenuity and drive will now be tested in ways he perhaps never considered possible.

Two weeks ago, Drexel agreed to plead guilty to six felony counts charging a pattern of securities fraud. The felonies describe circumstances in which the firm — along with Ivan F. Boesky — cheated a client, manipulated the marketplace and tricked a corporation into being taken over.

Drexel will pay $650 million for its crimes. The settlement cannot be introduced as evidence in Milken's criminal and civil proceedings, but it means he will not be joined at the defense table by the firm he propelled to power.

The impending indictment confronts Milken with a harsh choice: he can admit guilt and help the government to snare other big players in what seems like a general indictment of Wall Street's infatuation with big deals, or he can seek vindication through a trial; in that case, he would have to leave the firm and endure more months of publicity.

GENERAL NEWS

Cleanup of nuclear complex considered

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Energy Department is proposing an $81 billion, 20-year program to clean up and modernize the nation's troubled nuclear weapons production complex.

"The cost of modernization and environmental restoration will require a significant increase in funding for the next two decades," said an Energy Department report for delivery to Congress.

The $81 billion total includes $52 billion to modernize outdated facilities, some of which are more than 30 years old, while $29 billion would go toward efforts to deal with radioactive and chemical contamination at many sites throughout the weapons complex.

The long-range plan would involve building new facilities in South Carolina and Idaho as well as phasing out weapons production activities in Washington state, Colorado and Ohio.

The Energy Department has refused to release any portions of the classified document, known as the "2010 Report" because it looks ahead as far as the 2010 fiscal year.

Gail Bradshaw, deputy chief spokesman for the department, said this week the department could not release the report's unclassified executive summary until it had received permission to do so from the National Security Council.

A copy of the summary was obtained by Morris News Service and made available to The Associated Press.

Energy Secretary John S. Herrington said Dec. 22 the next administration faces "hard choices" in dealing with the problems of the nuclear weapons complex.

He told a National Press Club audience that cannibalization of some warheads to build or upgrade others is something "we must look at to keep our options open." But Herrington added, "I do not anticipate the need" to resort to such methods.

The possibility of cannibalizing warheads was raised after safety and equipment problems closed the nation's three reactors for producing tritium, a radioactive isotope of hydrogen. Because tritium decays at a rate of 5.5 percent a year, it needs to be regularly replenished to keep warheads at peak explosive power.

Herrington has said it will be spring or summer before any of the three reactors at the Savannah River Plant near Aiken, S.C., can be restarted.

The 2010 Report raises questions about whether the Savannah River reactors can be brought back to efficient production of tritium.

It noted that "all three reactors are shut down for safety system improvements and are not expected to be fully operational until late 1989. Despite these improvements and increasingly extensive maintenance, the reactors may not be able to achieve acceptable production efficiencies."

Other key findings of the report:

■ The nuclear weapons complex must be modernized so nuclear deterrence can continue to be a vital element of U.S. security policy.

■ Operations of the complex will require environmental, safety and health remedial actions and a program to ensure that its operations comply with applicable laws, standards and regulations.

■ Much of the nuclear weapons complex was constructed more than 30 years ago, and many facilities are approaching the end of their useful lives.

■ Full funding for the modernization and environmental cleanup effort will probably be difficult to achieve, in view of competition with other programs.

The report said that while the budget for fiscal 1990 will be "generally consistent" with the plan, accomplishing all recommendations on schedule probably will require more resources than are now expected to be available in subsequent years.

■ "Major environmental restoration" will be required at the Rocky Flats Plant near Denver, the Hanford Reservation near Richland, Wash., and the Feed Materials Production Center in Fernald, Ohio, when nuclear weapons activities there are either relocated or terminated.

As an interim measure, certain upgrade steps will be required at the Rocky Flats Plant to maintain operations "at an acceptable level of risk" while the relocated facilities are being constructed.

■ New production reactors are slated for the Savannah River Plant and the Idaho National Engineering Laboratory. DOE has proposed building a heavy water reactor at Savannah River and a gas-cooled reactor at the Idaho facility.

■ Both the administration and Congress recognize the need for the modernization and cleanup program, and "expeditious implementation" of the proposed plan is recommended, the report summary said.

NATION

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Mark Zuckerman, left, editor of the Roosevelt Borough Bulletin, talks with Anita Cervantes, center, and Hortense Socholitzky about the small-town newspaper business. The publication serves the 911 residents of the New Jersey community.

Roosevelt residents stay on top of news

By TODD RICHISSIN

ROOSEVELT, N.J. (AP) — The reporters at the Roosevelt Bulletin know their readers. Almost all of them.

There are only 911 people in this tiny central New Jersey town founded in 1936 as an experiment in socialism and named after FDR.

"But there are a lot of people expecting babies," said Honey Socholitzky.

At 78, Mrs. Socholitzky is a copy editor at the monthly newspaper run by residents who volunteer to cover their school board, their planning board and their neighbors.

The staff is serious about its work. Since the Bulletin's birth 11 years ago, it has grown from a mimeographed newsletter to a sharp tabloid of 24 or so pages, neatly packaged with modern graphics.

Its content also has evolved.

"We're a small town with some fairly large problems," said editor Mark Zuckerman. "We have some big decisions that have to be made."

Reporters still write stories about matters such as the geese camping out at the town's only gas station. But they also pay close attention to issues facing the little town.

Decisions must be made on how to pay for a revised sewer plan and school repairs. The Bulletin reports on the possibilities and the residents take to the opinion columns.

"We've become a little more hard-newsy," Mrs. Socholitzky said recently. "There are a lot of problems in town in that some people want to see it grow and some don't."

There are about 600 acres of city-owned farmland in the path of developers, and residents are debating whether to sell to help pay for some of the needed improvements.

"Some people think if we let in the developers we can double the population and bring in some money," Zuckerman said. "Some people don't think that's such a great idea."

That keeps Bob Clark busy on his planning board beat.

"I've always just had a desire to stay involved in the affairs of the community," he said. "It gets to be a bit of a drain because you have to keep up with it, going to meetings and so on, but it's worth it."

Clark said his "real" job, deputy director of the state division of investigation, precludes him from political involvement, but the Bulletin provides an outlet.

"Occasionally someone will question the objectivity of a hard news story, but I chalk that up to them not getting their favorite quote printed," he said.

The newspaper is as unusual as the town's history. Roosevelt, named after the president whose New Deal financed its founding, was established by immigrant Jews who moved here from New York.

Garment workers would make coats in the winter for sale in a cooperative factory and grow their own food in the summer. The experiment in socialism failed after three years but the town remained.

Like most of the newspaper staffers, Clark and Mrs. Socholitzky don't have journalism backgrounds.

Reporters write their stories and then have them edited in an office owned by Zuckerman's company. Zuckerman takes care of the graphics on a computer.

For Mrs. Socholitzky, editing is of paramount importance.

"I took a two-year hiatus once, but I had to come back because I wasn't satisfied with the quality of the editing," she said. "I'm a purist grammatically."

And she's picky.

Mrs. Socholitzky once discovered a grammatical error on a list of ingredients of a baby food company's product.

"I wrote to them and said I didn't want to raise a baby on a baby food with a split infinitive in it," she said. "They wrote back and said they had already printed thousands of labels, but would correct their error on the next printing. And they did."

Will 'Al Capone of Italy' be deported?

CHICAGO (AP) — He says he is a hard-working chef chasing the American dream. But the U.S. government contends Carmine Esposito is the "Al Capone of Italy," a ruthless mob boss linked to a dozen killings.

Esposito, 31, facing a Jan. 13 deportation hearing, is fighting a return to Italy that he says would mean certain death at the hands of mobsters or corrupt law enforcement officials.

"Would the 'Al Capone of Italy' come to Chicago and work like a dog? Would he leave behind his protection and his money?" he demanded in a recent interview from the federal Metropolitan Correctional Center, where he has been held in solitary confinement for 21 months.

"Would the 'Al Capone of Italy get up at 4 a.m. each day to go buy meat, to make sausage alone, to deliver it at night ... not have enough time in a day to even wash yourself?"

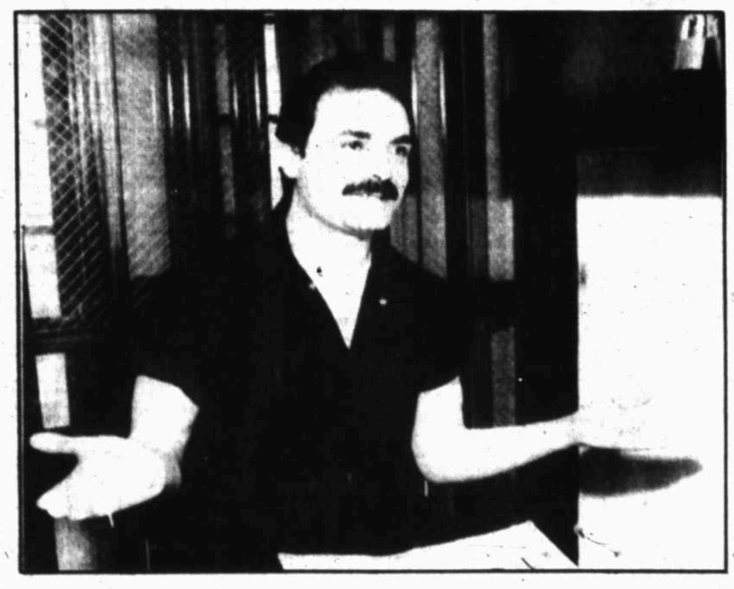
But the U.S. government has concluded that Esposito is the man named in an extradition request from Italian authorities.

The document charges that Esposito ordered or committed 12 killings in Italy from April 1982 through June 1983 while holding a top post in the Nuova Camorra Organizzata, a criminal clan similar to the Mafia that operates in and around Naples, near Esposito's hometown of Acerra, Italy.

"Esposito is big fish," said Italian Judge Vicenzo Scolastico, who was involved in the investigation of the organization.

"As a member of the (Camorra's policy-making) Council of Nine, Esposito had people strangled. Some had to dig their own graves before they were shot. Bodies were mutilated or disappeared.

"He is one of the last great Nuova Camorra figures still at large, and if he ever decided to talk, he could cast light on many unsolved crimes," Scolastico added in an interview with The Chicago Tribune.



Carmine Esposito gestures during a jail-cell interview at Chicago's Metropolitan Correctional facility, where he has been held for 21 months. He has been variously identifed as a hardworking immigrant and the "Al Capone of Italy."

Esposito was arrested in March 1987 as he and several employees finished lunch at Bravissimo, the modestly successful restaurant he and his wife opened in May 1986. He also worked as a chef there, and earlier had worked as an auto body repairman, car salesman and sausage-maker.

He entered the United States in 1984, had no trouble with the law and appeared to have been what he claimed — a contented, hard-working immigrant whose sweat earned him a growing business and a home in the suburbs. He earned enough money to send his children to parochial schools.

But all that changed with Esposito's arrest. A lengthy court fight drained his resources and forced his family onto public-aid rolls. He also said his prison confinement has worsened a heart condition.

"The authorities make him out to be a one-man crime wave," said Esposito's attorney, Philip Parenti, "and for all that, there is not one eyewitness, one photograph, one fingerprint.

"There is not one piece of corroborating evidence, except for the pentiti."

"Pentiti," which literally means "penitent" but has taken on the more pedestrian definition "informant."

Assistant U.S. Attorney Thomas Scorza argued that even though some informants' criminal histories might raise questions, those matters are best addressed in Italian courts. The U.S. government does not have to prove Esposito's innocence or guilt, Scorza said.

"Besides," he said, "the witnesses almost always are (informants) in gangster cases. And in this instance, the people pointing at him are saying, 'I did it with him.'

"They're not doing it to save their necks. They're confessing to the crimes as well."

Esposito admits to having known Camorra members while working at his father's auto body shop in Acerra, to fixing their getaway cars and on at least one occasion, to sawing off the barrels of shotguns.

His refusal to join the Camorra, he said, resulted in harassment by Italian police, and later in his decision to pack up his family and run. He left Acerra and spent the next three years in several Italian cities — Caserta, then Rome and Milan, before heading for the United States.

"In Italy, the Camorra have so much influence with the government and with police, there is no way to be safe," he said. "Always I think, 'If only I am successful to reach the United States, it will be different.

"Now," he concluded, "I am not so sure."

Computer hacker seen as legend, threat

LOS ANGELES (AP) — To the associate who turned him in, Kevin David Mitnick is the ultimate computer nerd, a "big, fat slob" obsessed with fast food and breaking into computer systems.

To the authorities holding him without bail, the 25-year-old Los Angeles man is an expert hacker who calls himself Condor and is so dangerous he must never be allowed to use even a telephone without supervision.

"He is truly a threat to society, someone who uses computers to act out personal vendettas against people," said Jim Black, a computer crime specialist with the Police Department.

"The bottom line with Kevin is that if you have a job, pay a gas bill, use a phone or drive a car he can find you and ruin you electronically," Black said in a telephone interview. "If he wasn't in jail, he could be listening to us right this minute.'

Mitnick was being held today in a maximum-security cell at the federal Metropolitan Detention Center.

A federal grand jury indicted him Dec. 20 on charges that he used unauthorized MCI long-distance codes to tap into computers at Leeds University in England and the University of Southern California and that he caused $4 million damage to a Digital Equipment Corp. (DEC) computer system.

Mitnick will plead innocent, said his attorney, Alan Rubin.

"We will also try to get bail set," Rubin said. "I am shocked and astonished that my client is being held without bail and in solitary confinement. This thing has been blown completely out of proportion."

Longtime associate Leonard DiCicco, 23, of Calabasas, said he reported Mitnick's activities to authorities because Mitnick had been threatening him.

"He was using DEC computers where I work and threatening that we would both go down if I said anything," said DiCicco, who faces no charges in the inquiry.

"He has no sense of right or wrong and no respect for anyone else's privacy," DiCicco said. "I was beside him through all this hacking and it's scary to think of the things he is capable of."

"He could pick apart almost any computer system in the United States," Black said. "There are probably only a handful of computer specialists with his capabilities."

In his electronic activities, the 5-11, 240-pound Mitnick referred to himself as Condor, Black said. DiCicco said Mitnick named himself for Robert Redford's character's code name in the spy movie "Three Days of the Condor."

"All he did was eat Fat Burgers, drink Slurpees and work on computers," DiCicco said. "He was a big, fat slob of a guy who couldn't get through a day without breaking into a computer somewhere."

Mitnick began his hacking career using telephones, authorities said. By age 13, he was under investigation by the police department, Pacific Bell telephone company and the Federal Communications Commission, the Los Angeles Daily News said Monday.

"Mitnick was a legend to the computer world by 1981," said John Christ, his high school computer teacher.

In 1982, DiCicco said, he and Mitnick used USC's 24-hour student computer lab to get into many computers, including classified systems.

"Our favorite was the National Security Agency computer because it was supposed to be so confidential," DiCicco said. "It was like a big playground once you got into it."

Premarital tests find little evidence of AIDS

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. (AP) — In making their wedding plans, Rhonda Hufford and Todd Kellermann chose musicians, pink dresses and gray tuxedos. And they were tested for AIDS under a year-old law some officials say isn't worth the cost.

The nation's only premarital AIDS testing law may not be a law much longer, primarily because, like the Kellermanns, the overwhelming majority of those tested have shown no signs of the AIDS virus.

Illinois' mandatory testing program took effect Jan. 1, 1988. But only 23 of the 150,000 people tested in the first 11 months were found to be infected with the virus, the state Department of Public Health said.

That's about one in 6,500 tested.

The cost of the AIDS test in Illinois, including the doctor's visit, ranges from $25 to $125 per person, said state Health Department spokesman Tom Schafer. Based on a "conservative" $35 per test average, the cost of finding each of the 23 infected people came to more than $228,000, he said.

Still, to receive a marriage license for their June wedding, Kellermann and Ms. Hufford, a nursing student, had to show the Macon County Clerk's office a certificate verifying they had been tested.

"I'm easygoing about it," said Kellerman, a 22-year-old Springfield computer analyst.

But the law has resulted in a 25 percent drop in the number of marriage license applications in Illinois, state Public Health Director Bernard Turnock said.

NATION IN BRIEF

Jim, Tammy Bakker make TV comeback

PINEVILLE, N.C. (AP) — Jim Bakker returned to the TV pulpit with his wife for the first time in two years and blamed his downfall and subsequent indictment on Satan, not on PTL's sex-and-money scandal.

"I believe the devil said, 'I have to smash Jim and Tammy Bakker,'" he told viewers Monday.

The broadcast originated in the living room of the Bakkers' borrowed home and was sent by satellite to a half-dozen stations, mostly cable, in California, Ohio, New York, Pennsylvania and Louisiana, Bakker said.

"Jim, I think this is probably the happiest day of my life," Mrs. Bakker said as the show began. Sporting her trademark heavy eye makeup, she broke into tears two minutes into the hourlong show.

Bakker and a former top associate were indicted last month on charges of diverting $4 million in PTL money for their benefit.

The Bakkers had not preached together on television since January 1987. Two months later, allegations surfaced of his 1980 sexual encounter with church secretary Jessica Hahn.

Parade count disputed

PASADENA, Calif. (AP) — Police have said for years that more than 1 million people line up along the 5½-mile route the Tournament of Roses Parade takes annually, but a more scientific count cuts the number in half.

The Pasadena Star-News used a formula devised by Al Hibbs, a retired physicist at NASA's Jet Propulsion Laboratory, to estimate the number of people attending Monday's gala procession of flower-covered floats.

It was the first time in the 100-year-old extravaganza that anyone estimated the crowd size by counting heads, police and Tournament of Roses officials said. Neither group disputed its accuracy.

Hibbs' formula was based on the assumption that at least 18 inches separate spectators and that at least 10 rows of spectators line the sidewalk. Multiplying the estimated number of one row by 10 equaled 387,200. Adding the 125,000 holding tickets to grandstand seats put the total at 512,200.

More subpoenas likely

LOS ANGELES (NYT) — Three more Reagan administration officials expect to receive subpoenas to appear as defense witnesses on behalf of Oliver L. North at his trial on conspiracy charges arising from the Iran-Contra affair, an administration spokesman said here Mondav.

North's attorneys subpoenaed President Reagan and Vice President George Bush on Friday. The additional officials are Secretary of State George P. Shultz, National Security Adviser Colin L. Powell and former Defense Secretary Caspar W. Weinberger. None had been served as of Saturday afternoon, the spokesman said.

North's trial is scheduled to begin Jan. 31 in U.S. District court here.

Old hotel closes doors

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The 68-year-old Ambassador Hotel, a landmark where Charlie Chaplin once lived and where Robert Kennedy was assassinated, checks out its last guest today and closes its doors.

Employees and visitors walked the nearly empty lobby Monday as Christmas decorations were taken down. People snapped pictures and swapped memories about the hotel, which had once put up the likes of Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev and actress Elizabeth Taylor, but which has lost money in recent years.

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Acacia Masonic Lodge #1414. 1000 Upland. Stated Meetings 2nd & 4th Tuesday, 7:30 pm. Visiting masons and family welcome.
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110 LODGE NOTICES

The Midland Shrine Club, 2019 Trade Drive. Regular stated meeting third Thursday each month - January 19th, 1989. Hospitality 6:30 pm. Catered dinner 7 pm. Business meeting 8 pm. All nobles and their ladies invited.
Ron Yeager, President,
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Keystone Chapter & Council R.A.M. & R.S.M. 1st Tuesday of month, 7:30 p.m. Midland Commandery #84 1st Thursday of month, 7:30 p.m. Practice Wednesday nights 7:30 p.m.

50 LEGAL NOTICES

Notice is hereby given that the Community Council of Reeves County is initiating the selection process for an auditor to render an audit in accordance with the single audit concept for the programs and grants administered by the Council.

50 LEGAL NOTICES

Sealed bid proposals are to be submitted to the Community Council of Reeves County not later than 5:00 pm, Thursday, January 19,1989.

For further information and a bid package, contact Cynthia Woodruff at (915) 447-4913 or at:
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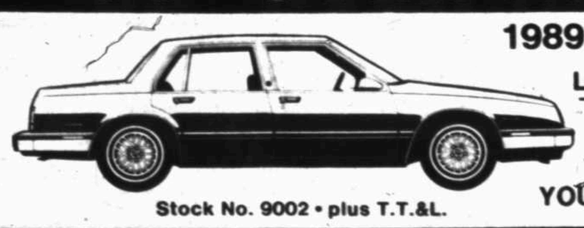

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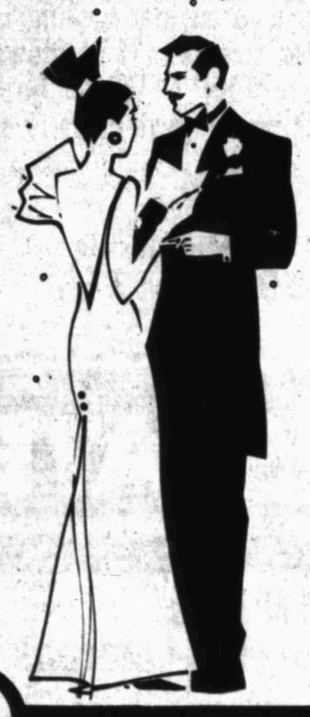

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QUAIL RUN 3101 N. Midland Dr. 697-6111			●	●				●		●		●		●		●			●	●			●		
ROYAL CREST 4201 Andrews Hwy. 697-5631	●		●				●	●								●			●	●			●		
HYDE PARK 3329 W. Wadley 697-4149			●	●	●		●	●		●		●		●	●	●	●		●	●					
REGENCY TOWNHOMES 721-723 W. Dengar 563-4550				●		●	●				●	●				●						●		●	
MIDLAND VILLAGE 2438 Whitmire 686-8418				●	●		●	●		●	●	●	●		●	●			●	●		●	●	●	●
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QUAIL HOLLOW 3001 Midland Dr. 697-6039			●	●			●	●	●			●	●	●	●	●			●	●			●		●
LAKEWOOD 4410 Lanham St. 687-0305			●	●			●	●		●		●	●			●				●					
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WYDEWOOD APTS. 4715 W. Wadley 697-3239			●	●		●	●	●		●	●	●	●									●	●		
GARDEN COURT 501 Neely 683-9270			●	●			●	●		●	●	●	●			●			●	●		●	●	●	●
SANDSTONE APTS. 4315 Neely 697-6900	●		●	●				●		●	●	●	●			●			●	●			●	●	
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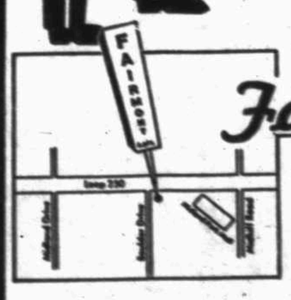

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NICE, very clean, three bedrooms, 1½ bath, garage, fenced, mini blinds, $600 monthly. 694-9853.

1708 W. TEXAS. Two bedroom, double garage, stove, washer, dryer. Bills paid. Deposit required. 682-7468.

610 Apartments Unfurnished

625 Houses Unfurnished

1801 MORGAN Way. 1711 English. 704 S. Tilden. 1908 E. California. 1603 Scharbauer. $195 monthly, $100 deposit. 683-3296.

ONE bedroom duplex: Loaded with appliances including washer/ dryer, storage, carport. $260, Deposit $150. 685-3327.

DUPLEX for lease. Three bedroom, two bath, fireplace, two car garage, close to Midland Park Mall. $600 monthly. 697-4306 or 694-8422.

2503 NEELY. Four bedroom, two living areas. $700 monthly. $350 deposit. Carriage Co. Realtors. 684-5881.

2206 NEELY
Executive home, six bedrooms, 5½ bath, swimming pool. $1600 monthly.
Carriage Company Realtors
684-5881

TWO bedroom, large fenced backyard, garage, $325 per month, $100 deposit. 3204. West Franklin. 699-6421.

FOR Lease: Nice executive 3 bedroom, 1 ¾ bath, 2 car garage with openers, 2 living areas, sun porch. 3524 Hyde-park, $850 monthly. Call 685-0003 or weekends 367-7820. Ask for Charlie.

NORTHGATE: For Lease by owner. Three bedroom, two bath, two car garage, fireplace, large living area. $675 monthly, $325 deposit. 694-2275. After 6pm, 694-7541.

EXTRA nice two bedroom duplex. Microwave, dishwasher, stove, refrigerator, washer and dryer. Spa and garage. $525 a month. Ask for Willa Dean Berry, Dene Kelly, Inc. Realtors, Apartment Placement 687-2384, evenings 683-5450.

NICE, spacious newly decorated two bedroom, one bath. Carport, storage. Couple or small family. 694-0124.

SMALL 1 bedroom unfurnished house, $135 per month. You pay utilities. No appliances furnished. 699-5433

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102 WAVERLY. Two bedrooms, one bath. $350 monthly, $150 deposit. Evenings call 694-5564 or 694-6575.

610 Apartments Unfurnished

625 Houses Unfurnished

LEASE. Contemporary Three bedroom, two bath, two car garage. 2,000 sf. WBSP, very nice. 3307 Dunstreet. 214-233-1028, 214-242-1110, 915-694-8299.

LARGE duplex. 1,450 sf. two bedrooms, kitchen appliances, washer/ dryer connections, storage, excellent location. 697-2616.

CLEAN attractive two bedroom duplex. Stove and refrigerator. $190 plus $100 deposit. 2600-B Marianna. 697-2724.

HOUSE for rent Southside: 3 bedroom, 1 bath, $125 monthly, Big Spring. Call collect, (915)263-0095.

640 Condos & Townhouses Unfurnished

SAGEWOOD condominium. Large 2 bedroom, 2½ bath, townhouse. All amenities, $500 monthly; 699-1693.

LUXURY condo: large one bedroom with sitting area; two fireplaces; 1½ bath; appliances & washer/ dryer connections; pool. $425/ month. Call 683-5265 or 689-0076.

SAGEWOOD One bedroom, ceiling fans, washer dryer, water furnished. Very clean. No pets. Deposit, Lease. 683-2797 after 6pm or weekends.

ONE bedroom, 1075 square feet, convenient, parking, no pets. Call 697-3451, leave message.

TWO bedroom, 1½ bath, unfurnished townhouse, fenced backyard, near Alamo YMCA. $375 monthly. Call 683-1091.

650 Mobile Homes Furnished

FOR Rent: Two and Three bedroom trailer homes, furnished and unfurnished, no pets. Call 684-4832 or 685-3866.

GREENWOOD DISTRICT. 2 Bedroom, completely furnished, including washer and dryer. Partial bills paid. Call 684-5920.

655 Mobile Homes Unfurnished

TRAILER. Three bedroom, one bath. 70x12. $200 Month. Call after 5:00 689-9952.

TWO bedroom, water furnished, County Road 1140 North, $225 monthly, deposit required. 683-5161 or 686-8607.

ONE Acre. Nice two bedroom, 1½ bath, paved roads, excellent schools, trees, sprinkler system, extras. Rent or owner finance. Low payments. 687-2943.

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THREE bedroom mobile home, $225 monthly, $50 deposit, water furnished, off Rankin Highway. 684-6704.

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610 Apartments Unfurnished

660 Mobile Home Spaces For Rent

$39 MONTHLY for TWO years. Nice park, cable available, six minutes from town. 1-362-4617, 682-7650

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FOR Rent: Furnished office, 364 square feet. In professional location. Call 687-3101 or 694-5072.

OFFICE warehouse combination, several available. One 30x15 walk-in freezer with loading dock. Approximately 600 ft of office, 1400 ft of warehouse. Great westside location. 5025 Princeton. Call 697-2685.

NICE offices with yard and warehouse space available, with secretary, receptionist and bookkeeping services. Reasonable rates. Call 697-7937.

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THREE Office suites at 2509 North Big Spring. Free parking, bills paid. Convenient to downtown/ Claydesta. 683-3532.

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Large two room suite available.
3001 North Big Spring
Call Terry Hancock, Realtor686-8638

MIDLAND Executive Center, 310 W. Illinois, two room office, $110. Contact Beverly Vaughn, 686-2008

3108 N. Big Spring. Beautiful design with reception, two large executive, file, big conference/ work room. $800. Available now. Contact Beverly Vaughn 686-2008.

AVAILABLE January: 4,000 Square foot Shop, Office, Warehouse with fenced yard. Near I-20 and Rankin Hwy. 682-6561, 682-9266.

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670 Warehouses and Storage Area

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GRIFFIN Mini-Storage: Now Leasing. 10x10's, 10x20's and 20x20's. Call 686-7817 for the lowest rates in town!

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10x20's, 10x12's & 10x10's
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RUIDOSO: Three bedroom, two bath cabin, very nice, fully equiped. 697-1337 or 683-1871. No pets please.

LUXURIOUS CONDOS (Ruidoso, New Mexico) Furnished, all utilities, phone and cable. Daily, monthly and weekly rate. Call for reservations. Winston Ranch, 505-378-8578 if no answer 409-634-6321.

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700 Manufactured Homes

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720 Homes For Sale

***BARGAIN, BARGAIN, BARGAIN**
Here's one you can't pass up. Gorgeous 3 bedroom, 2 bath home newly painted with wallpaper and restained cabinets. Light and bright with tile floor. Unique and stunning backyard made for entertaining.
CALL B.L. YOUNG, Associate
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***LOW MAINTENANCE TOWNHOUSE**
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Spacious and lovely newly listed 4 bedroom, 2½ bath home with double garage on large corner lot with big trees. Formal dining, sequestered guest room with bath plus hobby or study. Only $105,000.
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Spacious picture perfect 4 bedroom, 3 living areas, sequestered bedroom. Lots of storage inside and out with storage building, RV parking, sprinkler system and much more.
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ASSUMPTION, non-qualifying. Low payments. Brick, three bedroom, 1½ bath, garage, privacy fence, many extras. 4213 Pasadena. Appointment only. 694-9493 after 4pm, ask for Brant.

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Owner will pay 6 points (6%) toward buy-down or help with closing cost on this large, lovely 4-3-2 on Crestridge. Three living areas great for large family, utility room plumed for 2 washers, lovely landscaping all for only $129,900.
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2603 NORTHRUP, HAA warranty. Three bedroom, 1 ¾ bath, dining room, fireplace, jacuzzi, 2 car garage. Fruit trees, storage. Assumable 8.75% GI Loan. Call 697-5051 or U-market, 563-0595.

OWNER FINANCE
$500 DOWN
307 W. HAMBY. Two bedroom, 1 bath, 1-car garage, washer/ dryer utility room, good carpet, fenced backyard. Good neighborhood. Payments approximately $325 a month, include taxes and insurance.
Owner/ Agent
Drive by first then call 689-6454

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ASSUMPTION By Owner. West side, 4311 Parkdale. Large 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car, den, fireplace, two living areas, covered patio. Recent paint, carpet and vinyl floors. Balance $36,800. Assume with $3,500 down. Owner pays all closing cost. Call Collect 713-360-2766.

4319 FERNCLIFF. By Owner. Three bedroom, two bath brick home. Rusk/ Lee district. $54,000. 699-7629.

TWO bedroom, one bath, garage, storm windows, large workshop, new roof. Qualifying assumable loan. 699-6391.

TWO Builder-owned three bedroom brick homes, two bath, fireplace and fenced yard. 3806 and 3803 Mark Lane. Most closing costs paid by seller. FHA financing. 689-7801.

TWO houses. $36,500. Little house rented. Live in big house for $215 per month. Three bedroom, two bath, Stucco, central air/ heat. 1600 West Washington. Low down payment. 699-4461.

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GREENTREE Executive Home by Owner, qualifying assumable. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, formal dining, breakfast room, FP, light, bright like new with all the extras. 5104 Greentree. 689-7478.

MOTHER-IN-LAW SPECIAL!
OWNER FINANCED
300 W. Hamby. House and apartment. 2 bedroom, 1 bath, and 2 bedroom, 2 bath. Recently remodeled. Carport, new roof, good neighborhood. Down payment, $500, payment approximately $465 a month, (includes taxes and insurance). Easy to qualify. Owner/ agent.
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$2,500 EQUITY assumable, non-qualifying, three bedroom, 1¾ bath, sprinkler system. 4608 Anetta, 699-4582.

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4417 HUMBLE. $39,800. Three bedroom, 1¾ bath, very clean. If qualify for new loan, call 684-4703 evenings till 8 PM.

FOR Sale by Owner: 4 bedroom, 2 bath, large den, 2 car garage in rear. Near Jones Elementary. Call 699-1780. Will work with any serious offer.

ASSUME 8½ % IN FAIRMONT PARK. 3 BEDROOM, 2 BATH, ATRIUM, SPRINKLER, WARRANTY, 699-1958; 563-0595.

SPACIOUS five bedroom home. New kitchen, 3 living areas, 2 ¾ baths. Lots of storage, sprinklers, shed. Lee/ Rusk school district. Owner anxious to sell. No agents please. Call 694-8796 for appointment.

★ $8,000 Equity, assume payments of $440 on this three bedroom, two bath, two living area home. 682-8818, Tierra Realtors.

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BEAUTIFUL BILL HICKEY TOWNHOME
Open and airy floorplan with separate large formal dining room overlooking spacious entertaining patio. Low maintenance. Assumable non-qualifying...$119,500.
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NON-QUALIFYING assumption, by owner, 4313 Parkdale. Three bedroom, two bath, double garage, large kitchen, dining area, new carpet, tile, ceiling fans, mini blinds. Assume monthly payments, $490 w/$3,500 down. 694-9416.

730 Suburban Property

***HORSE LOVERS DREAM**
Super 2 bedroom, 2 bath home with 2-car garage, spacious living area, hardwood floors, wood burning stove, remodeled country kitchen on 2 acres with pipe fencing, horse stalls and tackroom. Priced in the 40's.
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740 Out of Town Property

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RUIDOSO - Two joining lots (in Woodland Hills sub division). Excellent mountain top, sunny, 2 minutes from downtown, adjacent to Mescalero land. 915-949-1562.

OVER 1½ acres restricted, Greenwood. Water well, septic system. County Road 1128 South, $8,500. 699-4582.

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FOR Sale: One acre with improvements, full facilities, electricity, water, septic, telephone. 683-4345 leave message.

COUNTRY Living!! For sale: two acres, well and septic, five trees, near TI. $9,500. Call 686-7200.

TEN acres, tubing fence, cultivated, electricity, 50 GPM well, large dirt tank, north Midland, 5 minutes from downtown. $20,000. 694-7936.

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720 Homes For Sale

760 Farms and Ranches

100 ACRES SOUTH OF MIDLAND Lake Amistad area. Deer, Turkey, Quail, Dove. $195 per acre. $495 down. Long term financing by owner. No credit check.
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780 Business Property

SELL or Lease: 3000 square foot warehouse on one acre. $39,900. Ask for Kaye 682-6629/ 682-9495 Owner/ Agent.

AVAILABLE January: 4,000 Square foot Shop, Office, Warehouse with fenced yard. Near I-20 and Rankin Hwy. 682-6561, 682-9266.

5000 SQ. FT. RETAIL SPACE
Excellent location
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Beginning immediately FHA has increased its insured loan ceiling in Midland, Tx. to $101,250.00. The formula for minimum FHA down payment will remain the same. This is extremely GOOD NEWS for both buyers and sellers! For complete details on this timely news call any of the knowledgeable agents at Action Realty.

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Renters wishing to accomplish home ownership, regardless of prior credit experience, should consult a broker. You may qualify for vendee financing to complete the purchase of one of these homes.

CLOSING DATE FOR RECEIPT OF OFFERS IS 4:30 PM **JAN. 11, 1989**

PM NUMBER	ADDRESS/CITY/ZIP	PRICE	DOWN PMT	BED/BATH/ GARAGE	STATUS/B*
370131	Pecan-Goldenrod, Gardendale 79758	25,000	1,250	3/1.7/1	SR2, SR14(Term Offers Only), B
585963	1304 Delmar St., Midland 79703	34,000	1,700	3/2.0/1	SR1, SR14
021188	401 Alabama, Odessa 79762	30,000	1,500	3/2.0/2	SR2, SR6, SR7, SR14
020384	4613 Bonham, Odessa 79753	34,000	1,700	3/2.0/1	SR2, SR14
369401	2910 Catalina, Odessa 79764	28,000	1,400	3/2.0/2	SR1, SR14
537951	400 Lasseter Ave., Odessa 79762	17,000	850	2/1.0/1	SR1, SR14, B
022311	3105 W. 15th St., Odessa 79761	24,000	1,200	3/1.5/0	SR2, SR14(Term Offers Only)
022678	8900 W. 16th St., Odessa 79763	78,000	3,900	3/3.0/2	SR2, SR6, SR7, SR14
568545	4231 Wayside Ave., Odessa 79761	45,000	2,250	3/2.0/1	SR2, SR14

*SR-1	Qualifies for GI/FHA financing or VA will repair to qualifying condition. VA will also repair defects in the plumbing, heating and electrical systems if reported to the VA Management Broker within 30 days of loan closing.
SR-2	No repairs by VA. Strictly "AS IS." NOT ELIGIBLE FOR GI FINANCING.
SR-3	VA will make no repairs to swimming pool/hot tub or related equipment.
SR-4	Foundation settlement - no warranty from VA on foundation.
SR-5	Flood insurance required.
SR-6	Water serviced by well. VA does not warrant water or well equipment.
SR-7	Sewer service - septic tank. VA does not warrant system.
SR-8	Liquefied petroleum gas service. VA does not warrant system.
SR-9	Property is condemned and does not meet city code. Property must be repaired to code or demolished.
SR-10	Maintenance assessment to be paid to homeowners' association, not included in mortgage payments. (Information in listing)
SR-11	Water service is by community system. Purchaser must pay all fees, deposits, etc.
SR-12	_____ will be reinstalled at sales closing.
SR-13	_____ will be repaired/replaced at sales closing.
SR-14	On term sales only, for owner occupied properties, seller will contribute 5% down payment on behalf of buyer if offer is submitted at or above listed term price.
SR-15	_____ believed inoperable and VA will not repair.
B	*A $500 bonus will be paid to broker by VA at closing.*

The offer which best serves the interest of VA will be processed for acceptance. The name of the successful offeror and sales broker will appear in subsequent publications. VA will accept cash offers up to 10 percent below the advertised term sales price. VA also will pay reasonable loan discount points and buyers' closing costs on cash offers when requested on the Cash Sale Addendum to Offer to Purchase. However, the combined loan discount points, buyers' closing costs to be paid by VA and the discount for cash may not exceed 10 percent of the term list price. Offers must be submitted at term listed price when buyers request a new GI loan with $1.00 move-in. Interest rate of available financing is 10 percent (APR 10.1 percent).
Purchase offers requesting VA vendee financing (Term Sales) must have VA Form 26-6705B, Credit Statement of Prospective Purchaser and Verification of Employment/Income, as outlined in Sales of VA-Acquired Properties Manual, attached to their VA Form 26-6705, Offer to Purchase and Contract of Sale. Effective June 8, 1988, all credit underwriting for purchase offers requesting VA vendee financing is being referred to Miller and Davis PC. All brokers are reminded to refer to PM letter #17-88 dated May 25, 1988, outlining these new procedures. Purchase offers not accompanied by the required employment/income verification WILL RESULT IN REJECTION OF THE PURCHASE OFFER.
VA has properties for sale statewide. If you desire to purchase properties in other areas, please contact any sales broker located in the area in which you are interested.

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VA Property Management Section
1400 North Valley Mills Drive
Waco, Texas 76799

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The Property Management Computer Bulletin Board for Listings and Offers is available during the hours of: Monday through Friday 5:00 pm to 7:00 am • Saturday and Sunday 24 hours.

Acceptable offers have been received on the following properties:

PM NUMBER	ADDRESS/CITY/ZIP	LIST PRICE	OFFEROR/BROKER
544259	314 Douglas, Odessa 79762	29,000	Salgado/Guess, 35180, DP 1780
601305	1210 E. 44th St., Odessa 79762	32,000	Natividad/Harbold, 32100, DP 1600

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