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Night lights get a needed lift as Berry of Abilene, work on a traffic sign above Willis, left, and cousin Rick Willis, right, both West Highway 80.

Iran says Iraq undercutting truce efforts

UNITED NATIONS (AP) — As U.N.-mediated cease-fire talks began, Iran's foreign minister accused Iraq of trying to sabotage peace efforts with attacks he said involved the "large scale" use of chemical weapons.

"We said (to Secretary-General Javier Perez de Cuellar) that if (the Iraqis) continue their attack, we will give them a lesson that they won't forget," Ali Akbar Velayati said Tuesday after twice meeting with the U.N. chief.

The Iranian and his Iraqi counterpart, Tariq Aziz, were to meet separately today with Perez de Cuellar.

Velayati told reporters that he discussed with Perez de Cuellar a timetable for implementing the year-old U.N. cease-fire plan that his country agreed to accept last week.

"We also talked about the recent escalation of the war on our border with the Iraqis," he said.

Perez de Cuellar said he dispensed with formalities and began peace talks Tuesday, one day ahead of schedule, because Velayati had already arrived.

Aziz arrived later Tuesday, but did not make a statement.

Velayati and Perez de Cuellar discussed implementation of Security

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Council Resolution 598, which was passed unanimously on July 20, 1987 and demands an immediate cease-fire in the 8-year-old Iran-Iraq war.

The plan also calls for withdrawal to internationally recognized borders, prisoner exchanges, peace negotiations and an investigation to determine which side started the war. Iraq quickly accepted the resolution last year. Iran's announcement of acceptance came after a string of battlefield defeats that began in the spring.

Iraq asked for direct talks with Iran in New York, but Perez de Cuellar said he would not try to compel the two sides to meet face to face initially.

Before meeting, the secretary-general, Velayati told reporters that Iraq was trying to sabotage the peace process by in the past week invading Iran and using chemical weapons "in a large scale."

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Odessa teen-ager killed in accident on Loop 250

From Staff Reports

A 17-year-old Odessa youth was fatally injured late Tuesday after the car he was riding in rolled over on Loop 250 in west Midland, police reported early today.

Melvin Fred Sherman, 609 Vine St. in Odessa, was pronounced dead at the scene shortly after the 11 p.m. accident by Midland County Justice of the Peace Keith Jobe, according to a police report.

A passenger in the car, 17-year-old Gloria Miranda, 414 Snyder St. in Odessa, suffered head injuries and was listed in critical but stable condition early today at Midland Memorial Hospital, spokeswoman Sue Ris-

tom said.

The driver of the 1987 Mazda 323 four-door sedan, Bonnie Lynn Quitt, 20, Rt. 14, Box 1960 in Ector County, was treated and released from MMH, Ms. Ristom said. A third passenger in the car was not injured, according to reports.

The accident occurred on the loop just north of its intersection with Thomason Drive after Ms. Quitt was distracted by one of the other passengers and lost control of the vehicle, police said. The car, which was traveling south at the time, rolled and came to rest on its right side, police said.

Sherman was riding in the back seat of the vehicle, reports said.

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GNP posts 3.1 percent growth rate

WASHINGTON (AP) — The U.S. economy expanded at a healthy 3.1 percent annual rate from April through June, but inflation shot up at the fastest pace in almost six years, the government reported today.

The Commerce Department said growth in the gross national product, the broadest measure of economic health, was down only slightly from a 3.4 percent increase in the first three months of the year.

Inflation, however, picked up substantially during the spring, with a price index tied to the GNP climbing at an annual rate of 4.7 percent, the biggest advance since a 5.5 percent rise in the third quarter of 1982.

This inflation index, which measures a fixed selection of goods, had risen 3.5 percent in the first quarter.

Today's report blamed the pickup in inflation on higher costs for a wide range of consumer goods.

While the U.S. economy is performing substantially better than had been expected at the start of the year, the more robust growth has triggered inflation fears.

Recently, Federal Reserve Chairman Alan Greenspan warned that if economic activity did not slow in coming months, the central bank was prepared to dampen demand by pushing interest rates up further. Economists worry, however, that if credit is tightened too severely it could trigger a recession next year.

Today's GNP report was accompanied by benchmark revisions in GNP data over the last three years, part of an annual review to update the data to reflect new information.

The revisions substantially boosted growth last year to an annual rate of 3.4 percent, largely because of higher consumer spending. The earlier estimate had put GNP growth last year at 2.9 percent.

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'Excel' cut as requests exceed grant possibilities

By CHRIS VAN WAGENEN
Staff Writer

A long list of projects ranging from paving to housing rehabilitation needs \$2,378,109 in Community Development Block Grant funds this year.

Midland's share of those federal dollars is \$791,399.

Somehow it just doesn't add up. Among the scores nixed from special target funding by city council

was a \$100,000 request from "Excel" Youth.

"Excel" — the single-largest group represented at a Tuesday public hearing on CDBG expenditures — was developed by the Midland Black Chamber of Entrepreneurs and Midland College.

Its goal: to promote an understanding of business concepts among high school teenagers, both in theory and practice.

But city officials say they're not in

the business of education and referred "Excel" backers to the school district.

That didn't sit well with program leaders, who claim council already set the precedent.

That precedent, according to "Excel," officials involved certain funding aspects related to a \$30,000 request by the Black Advisory Council.

Council had initially approved the funds for a senior citizens program, until it learned that more than half

were earmarked for a word-processing program aimed at training area unemployed.

City Councilwoman Oralie Corrales, for one, misunderstood the direction of that funding, even though two years ago, the city had approved purchase of the equipment.

While the training occurred, it also opened a can of worms.

"Excel" leader James Fuller, who serves as vice president of education for the Black Chamber, said he saw

no difference in providing education for the unemployed or for youth.

But that's where the city and "Excel" disagreed.

"We feel they're duplicating services," said Corrales, referring to programs at Junior Achievement, the Job Training Partnership Act, Midland College and Midland Independent School District.

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Baby born size of most 3-month-olds

ALTAMONTE SPRINGS, Fla. (AP) — Doctors had told Amalia Lara to expect a big baby, but their 10-pound estimate wasn't even close. Her newborn son, Isaac, tipped the scales at 13 pounds, 6 ounces.

Isaac, born Sunday, is off the chart at the state Bureau of Vital Statistics, which only goes up to 11 pounds, 1 ounce.

He's already wearing medium-size diapers and scrunching to fit into a cradle.

"We were pretty surprised," Mrs. Lara said Tuesday. "The nurses were saying to my husband 'Did you do this?'"

Mrs. Lara said she feels fine and is looking forward to taking her son home today. The newborn, 24 1/2 inches long and about the size of a 3-month-old, was a star attraction at the hospital.

"We had quite a few extra visitors wanting to see the baby," said Carol Harwell, a nurse on duty the night Isaac was born. "Other nurses on break, other moms who had just had babies...everyone wanted to see him."

The boy is the fifth child for Apolonio Lara, 30, and his wife, 27, of Altamonte Springs. The baby was four days overdue and delivered naturally, unusual for a baby his size.

"He has to be pretty close to the world record for a vaginal delivery," said Dr. Jeffrey Koren, who delivered Isaac.

The 1988 Guinness Book of World Records has no such category. It says the two heaviest viable babies weighed 22 1/2 pounds at birth.

Sporting events can make Midland big winner

By ALLEN E. HOWLAND
Assistant Business/Oil Editor

Amateur athletics can pay big dividends — not only for the athletes, but for the cities who host their activities.

Over a single weekend earlier this month, softball tournaments at Midland ballparks drew more than 5,000 visitors — players and fans — which the Chamber of Commerce's Convention & Visitors' Bureau estimated brought in more than a half-million dollars.

At least that much revenue is expected to be generated by this weekend's Texas State American Softball Association Class 'C' softball tournament, to be played at the Hogan Park complex Friday through Sunday.

Carl Reagan of the Midland Softball Association said that 97 of the tournament's 114 teams are expected to come from out of town and will represent more than 50 cities across Texas.

"We expect these visitors to spend an average of \$100-105 a piece on food, lodging, transportation and entertainment," said George Logan of

the Midland Parks & Recreation Department.

Using a conservative estimate of 15 people per team — including players, substitutes, families and fans — the city is expecting nearly 1,500 softballers for the weekend, Reagan said.

At \$105 per day for the three-day tournament, the direct economic impact of this single event should top \$450,000.

With a turnover factor of seven times on each dollar within the local economy, the total impact could top \$3 million ultimately, Logan said.

Softball, among the fastest growing and most popular team sports, will take the spotlight again in late September, as Midland hosts the National Ladies' Class 'C' tournament. The four-day event is expected to draw nearly 70 teams from across the country.

The Convention and Visitors Bureau credits the city local softball associations for creating and promoting one of the finest softball complexes in the country.

This weekend's tournament will

use 11 of the 12 fields at Hogan Park, with Sunday's final rounds scheduled for the Bill Williams "four-plex" the newest of the fields, Reagan said.

The city is not content to reap the economic benefits of aggressive softball marketing by local associations.

The Midland United Girls Softball Association all-star tournament drew 1,400 players and another 2,000 spectators and parents over the July 16-17 weekend. At the same time, men's and women's tournaments at Hogan Park were estimated to draw an additional 3,000 players and fans, the Chamber of Commerce reported.

Logan said the Parks & Recreation Department is encouraging all local amateur sports organizations to solicit regional, state and national events which Midland has the facilities to host.

The Midland Soccer Association already hosts a major regional event annually.

Baseball, track and field, swimming and gymnastics all hold untapped potential as athletic attractions for the city, Logan said.

State Class 'C' Softball Tournament
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Mentally handicapped casts line toward fishing gear project

ORANGE, Texas (AP) — Careful hands fashion colorful bundles of tiny streamers, mini-rainbows covering curved steel spikes underneath. With swiftness born of patient practice, workers make individual fishing lures and place them in plastic packages with a note to the buyer: "With this purchase, you have just helped the mentally handicapped."

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There are 14 steps in packaging lures, leaders, weights, hooks, swivels, jigs, plastic worms, bobbers and the lures called the "Mini River Ratt" for the newest company at the Orange County Association for Retarded Children, Inc. — The Sabine River Tackle Co. — "tackle" being deliberately misspelled to ensure the trademark.

Those 14 steps help create jobs for very special people, and the jobs may help the OCARC become totally self-supporting in the very near

future.

"Our workshops are already 80-percent self supporting through the products they produce," said OCARC Director John Thomas. "The main thing is to provide as many jobs as possible."

Workshop extension programs at OCARC cover a wide range of services for private companies or individual customers such as engraving, metal cleaning, sandblasting, wire baling, making trophies and plaques, parts for electrical lines and the now three-month-old fishing tackle project.

On Friday and Saturday, Sabine River Tackle is sponsoring the 36-hour Sabine River Tackle Brackish Water Fishing Tournament.

Fishermen who take an OCARC client in their boat during the tournament will automatically get an eight-ounce bonus at weight-in time, a good start on a first, second or third-place win in any of 20 categories.

"A lot of these people have never been on a fishing trip before," said

Thomas. "This tournament is not about making a profit — in fact, we'll probably take a loss. But it's to help get our clients into the public eye and promote our products."

"I just want to go," said Ronnie Long, a client in his 30s who works in OCARC's engraving-sign shop. "If I can get some fish, too, that will be good. But I just like to go fishing."

Thomas said he began planning the tournament as a way to involve his clients in an activity that everyone could enjoy, a special event for very special people.

"At this workshop, it's one of those places in the world that can make a difference in your life," he said. "You can walk in here, depressed, and one of them says, 'What's

wrong?' — really concerned. And you look at them, realize what they have to cope with, and have to say, 'Nothing.' And mean it."

Thomas said it is the center's goal to employ as many of the 80-plus mentally impaired clients as possible in a variety of skill levels, from running power tools to folding red shop towels.

While it is difficult to find work the largest group — the slower, low-level clients — red shop towel

work helps them stay busy.

One of the center's oldest programs is the 20-year-old engraved sign shop. Thomas says he would place the quality of the complex work done by his higher level clients "up against anybody in the country." The workers in that project are adept in creating all types of signs, desk sets and namepins in both plastic and metal, Thomas said.

Talented metal-cleaning clients in the machine shop have also helped

the venture land recent contracts with Gulf States Utilities and Houston Lighting and Power, Thomas said.

Currently, all programs at OCARC are funded with "just a little bit" of money from the state through Beaumont's Mental Health-Mental Retardation program and through certification as a non-public school through the Texas Education Agency.

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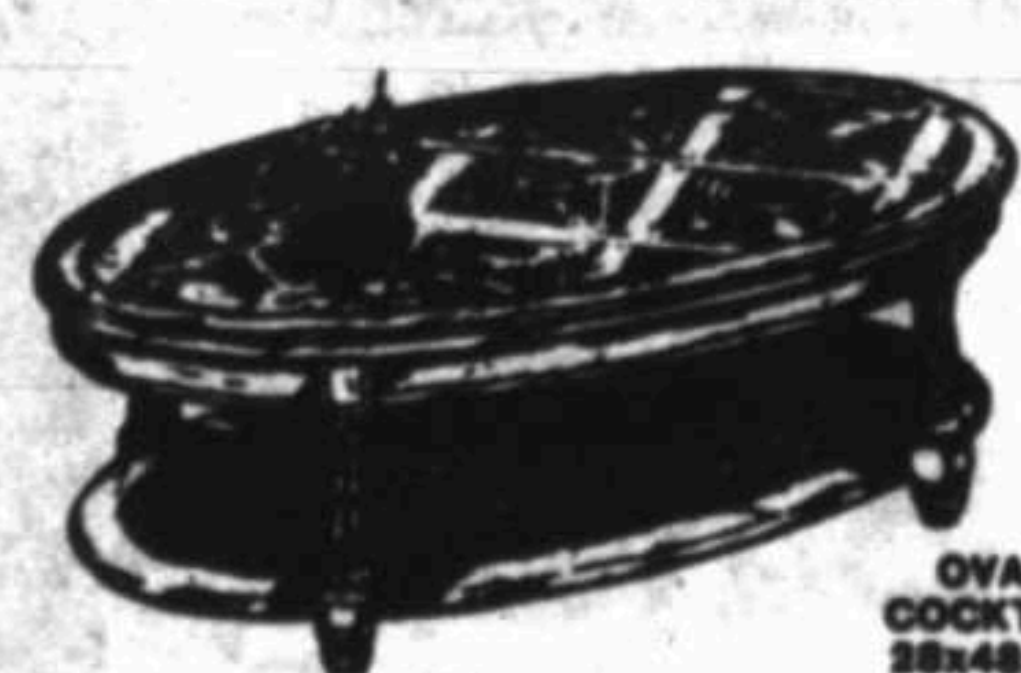
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Bush searches for running mate; Bentsen strikes out on own

Associated Press

Democratic presidential candidate Michael Dukakis zeroed in on law and order Tuesday after attacking the ethics record of the Reagan administration. Vice President George Bush intensified his search for a vice presidential running mate as the Republican National Convention that will nominate him draws ever closer.

Dukakis' running mate, Sen. Lloyd Bentsen of Texas, began his first solo campaign trip today with stops in Texas, New Mexico, California, Nevada, and the deep South.

The chairman of the Senate Finance Committee planned to address a businesswomen's group in Albuquerque, three days after Bush went before the group and unveiled a plan for a child care tax cut. Bentsen said he would highlight his Senate accomplishments, including prenatal and child care legislation.

Kept close to his home base by of-



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official duties, Dukakis planned to tour a prison construction site, meet with his anti-crime council and sign legislation imposing stiff penalties on producers and sellers of child pornography.

The Massachusetts governor is highlighting law-and-order themes after coming under attack for his prison furlough program. After some participants committed violent crimes during their release, the program was revised.

Bush on Tuesday stepped up his search for a running mate, and ex-

panded the list of possible candidates with the addition of New Hampshire Gov. John Sununu. Sununu is chairman of the National Governors' Association, one of five co-chairmen of the Bush campaign, and a harsh critic of Dukakis.

Bush asked Washington lawyer Robert M. Kimmitt to begin background checks on several prospective nominees. The Washington Post reported today.

The winnowing process will include selective polling, said Sheila Tate, Bush's campaign spokes-

woman.

Bush has said he wants to keep his running mate a secret until the convention, which opens Aug. 15 in New Orleans.

Dukakis, during an afternoon news conference Tuesday in Boston, said the American people "are embarrassed and ashamed by some of the things that they see" in the Reagan administration.

He blasted President Reagan and Bush for supporting Attorney General Edwin Meese III even after two Justice Department officials quit because of the attorney general's conduct.

Dukakis also renewed his criticism of Bush for not trying to block the arms-for-hostages deal at the center of the Iran-Contra affair, and he questioned the viability of Bush's day-care proposal.

"A policy that would require every welfare mother in the country to

hire an accountant just doesn't make sense," he said. Bentsen also criticized the proposal in an interview Tuesday, saying, "I don't know what the cost would be."

Bush this week proposed what he said would be a \$2.2 billion program that would give tax credits to working mothers, initially targeting those with low family incomes.

In a speech Tuesday, Bush broke with the Reagan administration and endorsed the use of independent counsels to investigate wrongdoing by federal officials. He also said Congress should come under the same law.

He said civil penalties as well as criminal sanctions should be used to punish violators.

Bush said that under the current system, an official is charged either with a felony or nothing at all. "This is plainly unacceptable," the vice president said.

Jesse Jackson, a Democratic challenger until last week, met with aides in Chicago to plan for a new phase in this year's political activity. Jackson aide Frank Watkins said the transition of some Jackson aides to the Dukakis campaign was discussed, but said no specifics about Jackson's role had yet been decided.

And a dispute over some Dukakis campaign funds turned out to be short-lived. The Federal Election Commission voted 6-0 Tuesday to release \$46 million to the Dukakis campaign despite objections from a Republican group. The group complained about Bentsen's dual campaigns as Dukakis' vice presidential running mate and as a senator seeking re-election from Texas.

The survey, reported Tuesday by radio station WEEI in Boston, found Dukakis with 54 percent support to 37 percent for Bush.



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Forest Service employees Ralan Hartzell of Ft. Apache, Ariz., left, and Jim Cafferty of Boise, Idaho, monitor a forest fire burning near Grant Village in Yellowstone National Park late Monday.

Fire forces South Dakotans from homes; Yellowstone blazes continue

Associated Press

Hundreds of firefighters battled a fast-moving wild-fire today that forced 500 South Dakotans from their homes, while smokestackers at Yellowstone National Park fought the worst forest fire outbreak there since the late 1800s.

"As the fire passes one area, the engines are moving ahead and trying to get ahead," fire spokesman Corbin Newman said of the blaze that destroyed four homes and damaged a fourth in rural subdivisions west of Rapid City, S.D.

The fires, fueled by drought, were among blazes burning in eight Western and Midwestern states, where tens of thousands of acres of forest, brush and meadow have gone up in smoke. The other states with major fires are Alaska, Arizona, Idaho, Oregon, Utah and Washington.

Interior Secretary Donald Hodel planned a helicopter tour of Yellowstone for this afternoon to survey the devastation in America's oldest national park.

Hodel was to visit Yellowstone's Grant Village section, scene of some of this week's heaviest firefighting. Firefighters also kept watch on a 6,000-acre blaze burning six to 10 miles west of Old Faithful. The blaze posed no immediate threat to the famed geyser, but

officials planned to use helicopters today to start backfires with a napalm-like substance to slow its advance.

The fire in Rapid City was reported Tuesday afternoon, and rapidly consumed 1,800 acres of forest and meadow in the southwestern South Dakota area that's home to 90,000 people.

"There were areas where you might have a hundred acres go up at once," said Rich Homann, another fire spokesman.

A firefighter and a resident suffered smoke inhalation, and another resident was hurt in a smoke-caused traffic accident, but none of the injuries was serious, Newman said. The fire also burned four vehicles and destroyed a bridge.

More than 250 firefighters fought the blaze through the night, and 140 others were expected to join the battle this morning, said Homann.

Four helicopters and an airplane dropped water and fire retardant to protect homes.

By late Tuesday, the fire was 30 percent contained despite light winds, Newman said.

"The problem with a fire this size and this severe is that it creates its own weather to some degree. It creates its own wind by sucking in oxygen," he said.

Boon for dairy farmers tacked onto House drought-relief bill

WASHINGTON (AP) — Critics of a \$145 million milk price support increase tacked onto the House drought-relief bill say it could invite a presidential veto, but the amendment's chief sponsor says it's needed because "cows don't drop from the sky."

Rep. James Jeffords, R-Vt., says that without the 50-cent price support increase, dairy farmers in his state and elsewhere will reduce the size of their herds, eventually leading to milk shortages.

Critics produced two studies saying the chances of such shortages are slight, but the House Agriculture Committee approved the milk price support increase anyway on a 15-12 vote and then sent the drought-relief bill to the full House.

"This amendment makes the whole bill more vulnerable," said Rep. Dan Glickman, D-Kan. He said the amendment makes the measure subject to criticism that it treats "one segment of agriculture more favorably than other segments of agriculture."

The committee action also came despite a warning from President Reagan against special benefits for favored segments of agriculture.

"Creating windfalls for some will mean less for the truly deserving," Reagan said in a letter sent Monday to House Agriculture Committee Chairman E. "Kika" de la Garza, D-Texas.

"To put it very simply, we must not bust the budget," Reagan said.

As the bill was written two weeks ago, it would have canceled an expected price-support cut of 50 cents for each hundred pounds of milk. The new plan adopted at Jeffords' urging would not only cancel the reduction but would increase the price-support level by 50 cents per hundredweight to \$11.10.

"It is the duty of this committee to assure that there is an adequate supply of milk," said Jeffords, whose home state is a major source of the East Coast's milk.

He said that without additional help, dairy farmers will reduce their herds and the lost production capability could not be restored overnight.

"Cows don't drop from the sky," Jeffords said. He said that if milk shortages set in, "you're going to hear screams from consumers that you won't believe."

Rep. Jim Olin, D-Va., presented

Drought aid expected to spur domino effect

CHAMPAIGN, Ill. (AP) — Farmers, equipment suppliers and bankers eagerly await \$6 billion in prospective drought relief for a depressed farm economy that was just beginning to recover when Nature pulled out the rug.

Without the aid, John Schroeder's financial future could be grim. The farmer estimates that the drought has cut his corn production by at least 40 percent, and he isn't certain yet how much damage it has done to his soybeans.

"Some bills are due in the fall, and next spring we'll have another whole round of them," said Schroeder, who farms 1,300 acres with his father and brother in northeastern Illinois' Champaign County.

In parched central Illinois, banker Bob Behrens thinks the aid would ease loan repayment problems. Farm equipment dealer Norman Duitman hopes it would slow a sales slump. And grain elevator manager Chuck Kemper believes it could help his fertilizer business.

"Many farmers will have significantly less income from grain sales because of the drought, and that can have a domino effect," said Behrens, senior vice president at Marine Bank of Champaign-Urbana. "If he gets benefits from a federal program, he will have that much more money to pay for other things."

On Tuesday, the House Agriculture Committee approved a drought relief bill totaling \$6 billion, including \$145 million pushed by dairy-state lawmakers for milk producers. The bill is expected this week on the House floor.

Robert Spitzer, a University of Illinois farm policy specialist, said the public realizes agriculture has "been through a wringer and is just beginning to work its way out."

one study by the Agriculture Department and another by private agricultural economists that saw no milk shortage in the offing if the system remains as it is.

Proponents of the measure, however, shrugged off such studies. Rep.

Charles Stenholm, D-Texas, said that because of the drought a 50-cent increase in the price-support level actually is in keeping philosophically with the 1985 farm program, even though it calls for successive 50-cent cuts in supports.

Arrest stuns preschool operators

ALBANY, N.Y. (AP) — Operators of a preschool program say they were stunned to learn the woman they hired as an aide five years ago was wanted for allegedly hijacking a jetliner to Havana in 1969.

"If we had any indication that this woman was a hostage-taker, we wouldn't be sitting here today," Robert Burns, head of the board of directors of the Albany Head Start program, said Tuesday. "There's nothing in her five-year history that would indicate any abuse or violence toward children."

But authorities said the quiet mother her neighbors knew as Hazline Eytina was 39-year-old Linda Joyce Grinage, who was arrested Monday on a 19-year-old indictment for air piracy.

Rifle-toting FBI agents surrounded the home of Grinage and her husband, lawyer Mylo Eytina, then took her into custody on charges of hijacking a Miami-bound Eastern Airlines flight with 146 people aboard in 1969 and directing its pilot at gunpoint to fly to Cuba.

Grinage and her then-husband, Tyrone Ellington Austin, allegedly took a 2-year-old boy hostage on the flight from New York's Kennedy International Airport, authorities said. The woman, who had her own infant strapped to her back, ran screaming up the aisle of the plane, followed by Austin who was shouting "Black power, Havana" to terrified passengers and crew members, according to news accounts of the hijacking.

The passengers and hostage returned to Miami unharmed, and Grinage apparently spent some time in Cuba with her husband, officials said. Authorities said they do not know how Grinage returned to the United States from Havana, but they lost track of her during the 1970s.

Austin died in 1971 from gunshot wounds suffered in a bank robbery attempt in New York City.

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'Miracle' isn't Dukakis's alone

Despite the doom and gloom that flowed from Atlanta over the past few days, several studies showed that personal income is rising in the United States and keeping ahead of inflation. Precisely what that means is that most of Americans have money to pay their bills and have some dollars left over to enjoy themselves.

The Commerce Department has reported that during the 12-month period that ended on March 31, personal income rose 6.3 percent. Inflation, on the other hand, rose only 3.8 percent. While the income rise slowed to 0.8 percent for the first three months of this year, it was still above the 0.6 percent rise in inflation.

Another study, this one by the U.S. Census Bureau, showed that after-tax income for the typical American household rose in 1986. It was the fifth straight year in which income increased. After taxes, the typical American family had \$23,383 to spend, a 2.6 percent increase over 1985. From 1981 to 1986, income rose 12.3 percent for the typical American family.

What's more, the bright outlook is expected to continue. In March, for example, exports of goods manufactured in the United States zoomed to record levels, thus helping swell the nation's gross national product to what would constitute a 3.9 percent increase on an annual basis.

Adding to the rosy outlook, May marked the 60th consecutive month of expansion of the United States economy. Throughout much of this time Democrats have been predicting a recession, but things just keep getting better.

"The economic indicators point to moderate growth and job creation — without a resurgence of the inflation that ripped through the economy in the 1970s and early 1980s," according to Beryl W. Sprinkel, chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers. Yes, the days of Jimmy Carter's sky-high "misery index" are gone, thank goodness.

Of course all this optimism does not mean everybody has shared in this economic boom. In Massachusetts, to cite one example, the number of industrial jobs has decreased by 90,000, or 13 percent, since 1984. Overall, the national gain in industrial jobs was 2 percent over that period. With that in mind, one has to wonder, can this be the "Massachusetts miracle" that Gov. Dukakis talks about all the time?

Another View:

ABC's of child care

Vice President Bush has just proposed a remarkable Republican initiative, a "Children's Tax Credit" that would give poor parents \$1,000 per year per child to pay for day care while the parents work.

Such a credit, to cost \$2.2 billion, is not a complete response to the tormenting issue of child care. The vice president presents it, illogically, as an alternative to the "ABC" day care bill now facing its next congressional hurdle. But if Mr. Bush's proposal is seen as a complement to that legislation, it is triply welcome.

In principle, it demonstrates the vice president's acceptance of the need for Washington to help provide day care. In funding, it demonstrates a willingness to spend almost as much as the ABC bill, though in a different way. In timing, it focuses attention on Senate and House committees at the very moment they are about to consider ABC.

Reality in modern America is that more than 10 million preschool children have mothers in the work force. Meanwhile, child care has remained a hodgepodge of insufficient services and stratagems, and polls show strong public support for governmental assistance.

Mr. Bush proposes a refundable tax credit of \$1,000 for each child, sensibly directed, at first, to the poorest families. The amount is too little for quality day care; experts think that costs \$3,000 a year. More important, enabling parents to buy day care would do nothing to assure the minimal health, safety, training and competence often lacking in the present hodgepodge.

Assuring such standards is the principal aim of ABC, the pro-

posed Act for Better Child Care Services, sponsored by Senator Christopher Dodd, Democrat of Connecticut, and Representative Dale Kildee, Democrat of Michigan. The bill proposes \$2.5 billion a year to help states, which would match 20 percent of the Federal money, provide child care for lower-income working families. It would also establish a commission to set national standards for, among other things, staff-to-child ratios and personnel qualifications and would require states to provide grants and loans for more child care, training and enforcement.

Some critics, including Mr. Bush, describe ABC as a precursor to yet more government and state bureaucracy, and they have a point. Building a day care infrastructure, which the bill would do, inevitably requires personnel, paperwork and rules. Others would prefer to see more money go directly to the neediest children.

Yet children from the lowest-income families would receive priority, and \$250 million goes directly to programs like Head Start. For such children, more than for most, decent — and not just custodial — day care could well be their salvation.

On the whole, ABC offers a sensible way to give low- and lower-middle-income working families safe, decent child care. There's abundant room for the vice president's new proposal and ABC. The next move is up to Edward Kennedy in the Senate and Augustus Hawkins in the House, and the committees they lead. A fair chance for children at risk now depends on them.

— The New York Times

JACK ANDERSON

U-2 development unrivaled today

WASHINGTON — The Pentagon procurement scandal threatens to blossom into a military-industrial disgrace rivaling anything in its class since World War II. The investigation obscures the fact that there was a time when the Pentagon bought things at a fair price, received them on time and didn't scratch any backs in the process.



Jack Anderson

Some investigators are telling us it may be too late to reform the procurement system since so many people, members of Congress included, benefit from business as usual.

It hasn't always been a disgrace. There was one success story carried out by the Central Intelligence Agency which should be a lesson to the Pentagon. It was a story about which the public heard little — the purchase of the U-2, the ultra-secret spy plane in 1956.

Some of the details of that episode are still secret, but CIA sources have given us some insight into what happened.

In 1955, the U.S. government needed a spy plane and needed it fast. The Air Force said it couldn't do the

job due the secrecy required, so the CIA took on the project. A contract was negotiated in 1956 with Lockheed for 19 U-2s at an estimated cost of \$27 million a piece. The deal was cheap and clean.

Only one government lawyer was involved — Lawrence R. Houston, the CIA's first general counsel.

The contract had no technical specifications. The specs were understood. Today, specs are written in tedious detail, so when the contractor later gets blasted for producing an overpriced coffee pot or toilet seat, he need only point to the contract and say Uncle Sam made him do it.

The contract allowed no changes or enhancements. Today, the Pentagon tinkers with the product until gold-plated hardware comes off the assembly line.

Lockheed set a target price of \$5 million below the estimated cost, then offered to cut its profits if costs ran too high. Lockheed never took a corresponding increase in profits when the plane came in under cost.

Lockheed delivered all 19 planes as ordered, \$3 million below the contracted price and \$8 million below the estimate, only 19 months after the contract was signed.

Surprise. Apparently no one was on the take, the terms didn't have to be spelled out in reams of paper and the planes worked. The U-2s flew without incident until Francis Gary Powers was shot down in one that flew over Sverdlovsk in the central Soviet Union on May 1, 1960. U-2s

continued to fly successfully after the Powers incident and some are still in use today.

Details of the procurement process are contained in a secret CIA in-house publication called "Studies in Intelligence." The Spring 1986 issue of the publication includes a rundown of Lawrence Houston's accomplishments up until his retirement from the CIA in 1973.

The Pentagon could use a few Lawrence Houstons today. He was assigned to work out the U-2 deal with Lockheed. The U-2 stemmed from an Eisenhower administration arms inspection proposal to the Soviets called "Open Sky."

Open Sky was based on the notion that "each nation could fly over and photograph the other's fixed military installations, thereby ensuring no surprises. The USSR would have none of this," the CIA report says. Since the aerial inspections were not tied to any disarmament agreement, Soviet leader Nikita Khrushchev said the United States was not trying to control the arms race but simply to find out what the Soviets had.

Eisenhower went ahead with his own aerial spying plan. He decided the United States should build a plane that could fly low enough to photograph Soviet facilities and high enough to escape Soviet fighters and missiles.

Government experts and at least one outsider, Edwin Land, of Polaroid fame, studied the concept. When they decided it was doable, the Air Force begged-off and the CIA took

over. "CIA officers ... commenced work with one of the most innovative airplane designers in history, Kelly Johnson, of Lockheed Aircraft Corporation's famous 'skunk-works,'" according to the CIA history.

In January 1956, Johnson and Houston sat down to talk specifics. "Because of the sensitive nature of the project, for a considerable period Houston was the only attorney to get a clearance for it and thus had to write all the documents himself — the letter of intent, the contract, etc.," the CIA reported.

Instead of giving Lockheed a list of technical specifications, the CIA handed over a list of performance specs. They didn't care what the plane looked like, only what it could do.

Houston made it clear he didn't want Lockheed coming back to the feedbag with expensive changes. Johnson opened the negotiations at \$26-\$27 million per plane. Like a horse trader, instead of a bureaucrat with an expense account, Houston responded, "That's too much; I only have \$22 million to spend." (By today's standards, it sounds like a novel concept.)

Johnson reckoned he could do the job for less than \$27 million, so the two men dickered for a while and reached a compromise. They set \$22 million as the target price. If it looked like Lockheed's costs were running higher, the CIA would simply cut Lockheed's profit percentage. If the planes came in below \$22 million, the CIA would raise the company's profit margin. That way, Lockheed had an incentive to save money. (Another novel idea.)

The CIA report says the first U-2s came off the assembly line for \$19 million, and Lockheed decided not to exercise its option to raise its profit percentage.

"Through the skill, trust and imagination of all involved, the first U-2 flew in August 1956, just nine months after the project started. This feat was and continues to be unparalleled in large systems design and development," according to the CIA.

The process was so swift, it took the Soviets nearly four years to develop a missile that could shoot down the U-2.

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JAMES RESTON

Dukakis goes after Bush and brawl in fall

Governor Dukakis talked a lot about "unity" and "issues" at the Democratic convention, but this campaign promises to be about as intellectual as a prize fight.

Dukakis praised President Reagan's nuclear reduction policy, but was not so gentle on Vice President Bush. And Dukakis clearly is going to make a personal issue between his own shirt-sleeves background and the silver foot in George's mouth.

The little guy, with his determined bob of the head, bunted his way into the nomination and hit a grand slam with his acceptance speech.

A week ago, it was said he was about as cold and appetizing as a dried Boston cod, but he put an end to all that fishy criticism. He not only rallied the Democrats but promised them a new grandchild around Inauguration Day, introduced his beam-

ing wife and Mother and wept for his dead father. In Washington, that's called "good policy planning."

He came out of the convention with two good bumper stickers: "Let's Go Mike" and "Where Was George?" With one eye on the liberal Jesse Jackson and the other on the conservative Lloyd Bentsen, he had to choose between disaster and evasion, and he chose the latter, concentrating in his speech and platform on a string of desirable political and moral objectives while avoiding any hint about how he would achieve or pay for them.

It's a gamble, unavoidable but awkward. With Jackson on the left and Bentsen on the right, and Dukakis juggling these two big guys in the middle, Bush will demand to know which of these three marketeers speaks for the Democratic Party.

Will it be Jackson, calling for a redistribution of the nation's wealth, and a transfer of funds and soldiers from Europe to the home front? Or will it be Bentsen, who has favored tax cuts, more military aid to the Nicaraguan Contras and prayer in the schools? Or will it be the little giant, who opposes his partners on all these points and others? The Republicans will want to know and so

will the voters. This will not be easy for Dukakis.

Jackson is not interested in personalities, except his own. He speaks of unity but on his own terms, and even on the last night of the convention had some of his supporters carrying "No Contra Aid" signs, embarrassing both Dukakis and Bentsen. He is still the wild card in this deck and, if he's as wild in the campaign as he was in the primaries, he will hurt Dukakis and frighten a lot of white voters.

All that, however, is for the future. For now, Dukakis is emphasizing his managerial skills and calling for competence, two of the missing qualities in the Reagan administration. Dukakis describes himself as "a somewhat frugal man" and in a way he's a little like Adlai Stevenson, who was "tighter than a pullman window." He's proud that he used to buy his suits in Filene's basement store in Boston while Bush patronizes Brooks Brothers, if not Savile Row. You will be hearing a lot about this contrast between the poor little Greek boy and the Gentleman from Yale and Kennebunkport, who rents hotel rooms for his Texas residence.

All this class war stuff is, of course, baloney, especially since Du-

kakis really comes from Brookline, Mass., which is no slum. But nobody who listened to him on that last night in Atlanta, talking about the rich and poor and promising jobs and health care and affordable education, and a government that emphasizes accountability, respectability and the truth can doubt that he is eager to debate Bush on the social issues.

He came across as a gutty and scrappy man with a bouncy stride and, as his quick move from Atlanta to Texas and California demonstrates, the energy to campaign vigorously in the weeks before the Republican convention.

He is too smart to challenge Ronald Reagan's popularity but will be blaming Bush for all the mistakes of the past seven years, and asking, as a supporter did, "Why transfer from tweedledum to tweedledummer?"

The air will be full of ridicule for months, with Bush the target of the sharpest one-liners Dukakis can gather. For the governor thinks he has an answer to the question: Where's George? He's behind the eight ball, the Duke says, that's where.

James Reston is a columnist for New York Times News Service.

ART BUCHWALD

What does Jesse REALLY want now? A lot!

The story of how Michael Dukakis and Jesse Jackson made up last week has now leaked out. This is what happened according to sources who were close to the scene.

Members of the Dukakis staff sat down with Jackson at a round table not because Dukakis put any significance in this shape, but he found that one was cheaper.

The Dukakis man spoke first. "Jesse, we're ready to deal and to make up for any embarrassment we have caused you. What do you want?"

"Nothing. I'm just happy to serve

my party as a simple worker in the fields."

"You're a good man, Jesse Jackson."

"On the other hand," Jesse said, "if you expect me to campaign for you I would like a DC 10 for myself and my staff."

"Jesse, no one deserves his own plane any more. If we give you a DC 10, will you bury the hatchet?"

"No, there is more," Jesse said. "I want my own TV show on prime time, and if Dukakis is elected I get to give the State of the Union speech to Congress."

"No problem with that."

"I would also like to use the White House tennis court tomorrow."

"Jesse, we can't ask President Reagan to let you use the White House courts."

Jesse said, "I knew you people weren't serious about wanting to make up with me. OK, I have another demand. When Dukakis meets

with Gorbachev I get in the picture."

"Sure, Jesse. It will just be the three of you."

"But I don't want Bentsen in the picture. He took my job. I could have been a contender if it hadn't been for him."

"That's why we're trying to make it up to you. But this pact not only requires you to be nice to Dukakis but also to Bentsen."

"If that's the case, I'm going to up my demands. I'm not making an agreement unless I get a stretch limousine to take me to the Atlanta airport."

"We can't agree to that. Mike Dukakis goes to and from the airport on a city bus, and he would have a fit if he knew he was paying for your limo."

"You owe me a lot for not telling me when Dukakis chose his VP."

"Jesse, we have a proposal to make it up to you. Suppose we offered you second spot on the ticket?"

"You just selected Bentsen. How are you going to put me on the ticket?"

"We're not talking about our ticket. We're talking about George Bush's ticket. He's still looking for a running mate, and you would make a fine candidate."

"Why would George want me on his ticket?"

"Because you've proven yourself a vote getter and an electrifying speaker. You could tear down the house in New Orleans if George announced you as his running mate. Don't forget — it's either Dole or Jack Kemp or you. You're by far the best man."

"I don't want to be Bush's running mate."

"Then what do you want?"

Jackson said, "I'll shut up if you give me Dukakis' snow blower."

Art Buchwald is a columnist for Los Angeles Times Syndicate.

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Wednesday, July 27, the 209th day of 1988. There are 157 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On July 27, 1953, the Korean War armistice was signed at Panmunjom, ending three years of fighting. It took 255 meetings over two years and 17 days to reach the agreement.

On this date:

In 1789, Congress established the Department of Foreign Affairs, the forerunner of the Department of State.

In 1861, Union Gen. George B. McClellan was placed in command of the Army of the Potomac.

In 1966, Cyrus W. Field finally succeeded after two failures in laying the first underwater telegraph cable between North America and Europe.

In 1908, Orville Wright tested the

U.S. Army's first airplane, flying himself and a passenger for one hour and 12 minutes.

In 1960, Vice President Richard M. Nixon was nominated for president at the Republican national convention in Chicago.

In 1974, the House Judiciary Committee voted 27-11 to recommend President Richard M. Nixon's impeachment on a charge that he had personally engaged in a "course of conduct" designed to obstruct justice in the Watergate case.

In 1976, Air Force veteran Ray Brennan became the first person to die of "Legionnaire's Disease," after an outbreak at a Philadelphia hotel where an American Legion convention had taken place.



Art Buchwald

Mayor orders 'shoot to stop' order for fighters

WADLEY, Ga. (AP) — Mayor B.A. Johnson has ordered police to "shoot to stop" anyone caught fighting in the city's park.

"There has been too much fighting in the park — young men from Louisville, young men from Bartow, young men from Wadley — and the only way to break it up is for police to shoot them," Johnson said Monday.

The mayor said fighting in the 12-acre Hope Williams Memorial Park has been a frequent problem, but Sunday's brawl involving eight youths who used "big sticks with nails driven in them" as weapons prompted him to take action against such skirmishes.

He said no one was seriously injured in the fight, but it presented a threat to the families and children who wanted to use the park as well as a threat to the town's reputation.

Johnson has ordered an increased police patrol in the park during weekends. "There will be a full-time policeman every Friday, Saturday and Sunday," Johnson said. "They are to shoot from the waist down only."

"We're going to fix it so decent people can go to the park. All the hoodlums in Bartow, stay in Bartow," he said. "All the hoodlums in Louisville, stay in Louisville, and all



AP Laserphoto

Wadley, Ga. Mayor B.A. Johnson stands on the town's Main Street and declares a "shoot to stop" order for anyone caught fighting in the city's park.

the hoodlums in Wadley have been suspended from the park for the rest of the year."

Johnson said he also has increased

the fine for fighting in the park from \$71.50 to \$125.

Reports from the Police Department said seven of the eight in-

volved in Sunday's fight were juveniles and were turned over to juvenile authorities. The adult was charged with fighting and released on a \$125 bond.

Wadley, Louisville and Bartow are in a rural area of eastern Georgia about 130 miles southeast of Atlanta.

Johnson's "shoot to stop" order is the latest in a series of such orders he has issued in the past three years. In 1986, Johnson issued a "shoot to wound" order — instructing police officers to shoot suspected burglars from the waist down — after a rash of burglaries in the east Georgia town of 2,700.

In 1985, Johnson ordered police to shoot stray dogs on sight to control the animals, which city officials said roamed the streets in packs, destroyed property, snapped at children and howled at the moon. He even offered a bounty of \$3 for every dog shot.

No shooting ever took place and both orders were eventually rescinded.

Also in 1986, Johnson ordered police to arrest anyone using profane language in public. The order was aimed at young people playing basketball in the city park whose games were frequently accompanied by loud streams of what then-City Administrator Lee Garner described as "pure, unadulterated profanity."

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NATION IN BRIEF

Making six-pack rings biodegradable debated

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Reagan administration and the plastics industry are opposing attempts to outlaw plastic six-pack holders in favor of yokes made of biodegradable materials, a change that environmentalists say would protect wildlife.

Administration and industry officials told a House Merchant Marine and Fisheries subcommittee Tuesday that more research is necessary to determine what impact the by-products of a degradable holder would have on marine life. But the environmentalists say legislation is needed quickly to save seabirds and marine mammals that are killed by the discarded plastic rings.

Albert M. Manville II, a biologist for Defenders of Wildlife and chairman of the Entanglement Network coalition, said plastic six-pack containers can remain in the environment for "hundreds, perhaps thousands of years," killing wildlife that become entangled and choke to death, or mistake the yokes for food and strangle or die from starvation.

"The six-pack ring epitomizes the plastic pollution problem — a highly successful product that is functional

and durable, and yet ugly and deadly when improperly discarded," said Rep. Gerry E. Studds, D-Mass., chairman of the subcommittee on fisheries and wildlife conservation.

AIDS case continues

SIERRA VISTA, Ariz. (AP) — An Army lover of a soldier infected with the AIDS virus testified they continued to have sex after she learned of his fatal disease, and two superiors said they urged but didn't order him to abstain.

The soldiers were among 10 prosecution witnesses to testify Tuesday at the court-martial of Pvt. Adrian G. Morris Jr., who in March 1987 became the first member of the military to be charged with AIDS-related offenses.

Women linked to voodoo

SAN JOSE, Calif. (AP) — The disappearance of a married woman has led police on a search through the subculture of voodoo practiced by her lover who may have killed her, then tried to ward off her spirit with bizarre talismans, authorities said.

The body of Caroline M. Rubia has never been found, but an occultist contacted by police theorizes the 52-year-old woman was buried in a grave beneath a crude cross, the victim of her jealous lover's suicidal obsession with the primitive religion.

Gang leaders talk peace

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Leaders of two of the West Coast's most violent gangs met with clergy in a hotel surrounded by police, seeking to end bloody feuding that has contributed to more than 165 killings this year.

"The talks are going well," the Rev. Charles Mims said after the first closed-door meeting Tuesday between four leaders each of the Crips and Bloods, gangs depicted in the sensational crime film "Colors."

Gang violence also was the target of a protest Tuesday night in East Los Angeles, where hundreds of people conducted a candlelight march.

"We won't live in fear," said the Rev. Gregory Boyle, who organized the rally.

Crips and Bloods leaders met with the ministers at a motel in suburban Carson 15 miles south of here for about 90 minutes, then agreed to meet again today and Thursday.

As they met, Los Angeles County sheriff's deputies from the Operation Safe Streets gang detail cruised nearby streets and watched from rooftops with binoculars.

A news blackout on details of the meeting will continue until a news conference scheduled for Thursday, said Mims, one of the ministers in Los Angeles' Watts neighborhood who organized the talks.

The ministers arranged the negotiations in hopes the gang leaders

would find enough common ground to at least slow the pace of killing.

More than 165 people in the county have died in violence attributed to street gangs this year. Last year, 387 people, many innocent bystanders, fell victim to gang violence.

Tuesday's rare face-to-face encounter among young people who usually confront each other at gunpoint was triggered by concern the killings had gotten out of control.

"They're tired of the violence and they're tired of being used" by drug dealers and other underworld figures, the Rev. James Sterns of the Tabernacle of Faith Baptist Church said Monday.

Last weekend, four people died and 16 were wounded in Los Angeles area gang attacks.

Members of the Bloods and the Crips are mostly black, inner-city youths and young adults. Police blame the two gangs for much of the gang-related violence plaguing the nation's second largest city.

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Despite 'best' courts, Navajos fight scandal

WINDOW ROCK, Ariz. (AP) — Carolyn Benally, a Navajo employment officer, got some action when she complained to a local paper about favoritism in tribal civil service hiring. She was fired.

Her lawyer, John Chapela, offers little encouragement for redress. He is only in private practice because he was dismissed as head of the Navajo Housing Authority for being, he said, in the wrong party.

Civil rights attorneys say the Navajos have perhaps the best of any tribal court system, but they point to a recent scandal and allegations of civil rights abuses as evidence that individual Navajos face discrimination by tribal leaders.

Chairman Peter MacDonald, who spoke in an interview with charm and persuasion of his plans to restore Navajo prosperity, denied any wrongdoing. He has never been indicted, much less convicted.

But even close associates acknowledge that recent developments provide cause for raised eyebrows.

A major scandal is "Bogate," the tribe's purchase of the Big Boquillas

"The integrity of the Navajo Nation law has been reduced to this game of musical doorknobs."

— Duane Beyal, Zah spokesman

Ranch near Tuba City, Ariz., a year ago.

Middlemen paid Tenneco West \$26.2 million for it. Five minutes later, the Navajos bought the ranch for \$33.4 million.

MacDonald, in an interview, said the Navajos paid a fair price and did not know what the intermediary purchasers had paid. A commission to the middlemen was normal, he said, adding: "That's partly how business is done in America."

But a principal middleman was an old associate who had raised money for MacDonald's campaigns. The ranch had been on the market 20 years.

Shortly after the Tribal Council approved the purchase, Coconino County records show, MacDonald paid off the loan on his retirement home.

The circumstances prompted sepa-

rate investigations by the Inspector General of the Interior Department, the Internal Revenue Service and the FBI. All are still under way.

More recently, MacDonald sought to assert tribal control over the Navajo Education and Scholarship Foundation, regarded as a sinecure for his arch rival Peterson Zah, the former chairman.

Zah, locked out of his office, got a court order barring anyone from evicting him. The tribe found another judge. After a judicial tug-of-war, police shut down the whole building, leaving 80 other employees in the street.

"The integrity of the Navajo Nation law has been reduced to this game of musical doorknobs," observed Duane Beyal, Zah's spokesman.

Shortly after a group of workers marched to MacDonald's office to

ask for alternate quarters, two participants were fired, although the tribe gave other reasons for their dismissal.

Dissent has been rare since MacDonald shut down the independent-minded Navajo Times daily in 1986, expelling editors before they could produce the next morning's edition. MacDonald said the tribe-owned paper was losing money.

Nevertheless, the tribe spends \$2 million a year on public relations firms and Washington lobbyists, MacDonald acknowledged.

Chapela, who is collecting signatures for a recall that can take place only with approval from MacDonald's hand-picked council, said, "His goal is to bankrupt the Navajo Nation to finance his gold-plated retirement."

Other sources speak to visitors in whispered asides, or through notes passed at the Navajo Nation Motor Inn, the focal point of this windswept capital city in northern Arizona.

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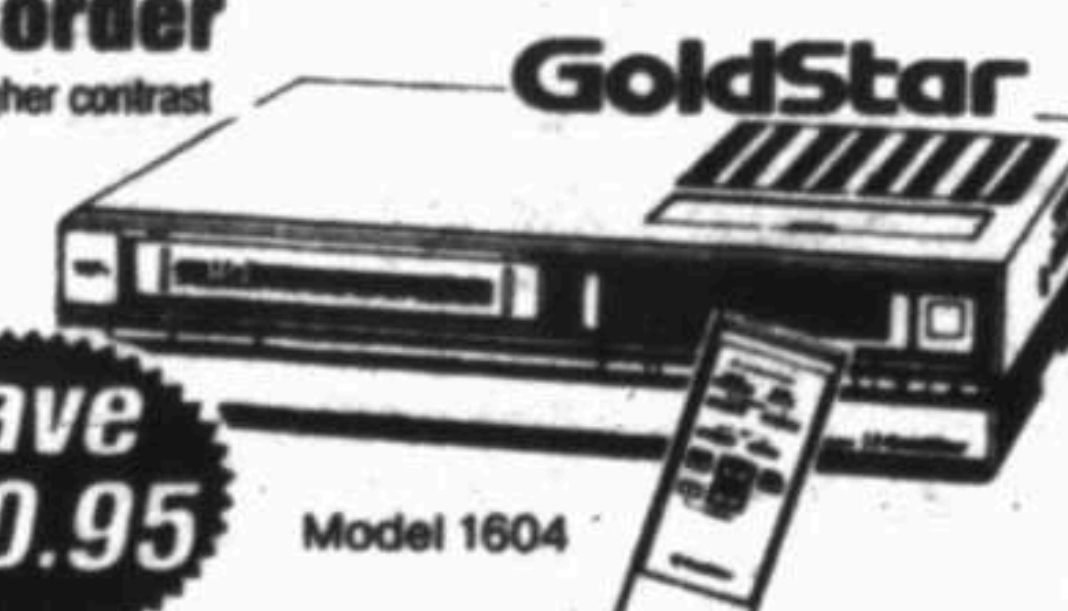
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Parker gets federal prison assignment

By PATRICK CRIMMINS
Staff Writer

Convicted kidnapper Kenneth Wayne Parker has been assigned to a federal prison to begin serving two life terms, but officials declined to disclose its location or security classification.

Meanwhile, the 42-year-old Parker's court-appointed attorney said he is preparing an appeal to the 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals in New Orleans.

"He has been designated, but we don't know yet when he is set to report," said Kathy Morse, public information officer for the U.S. Bureau of Prisons in Washington, D.C. Ms. Morse said that for security

reasons, the location of his incarceration cannot be revealed until his arrival.

But, noting the length of his sentence, she said: "Someone doing time like that is going to go to a secure place."

After a four-day trial, Parker on June 16 was convicted of two counts of conspiracy to commit kidnapping. One of the alleged victims, June Glickerson of Midland, disappeared Nov. 8, 1986 and has never been located.

U.S. District Judge Lucius Bunton sentenced the former Vietnam veteran to two life terms, and he ordered they be "stacked," or served consecutively. As a result, Parker will be 102 years old before he is eligible for parole, attorneys have

said.

Federal prisons are classified by number; a level "one" is a minimum-security facility, likely without perimeter fences, such as the Big Spring facility.

The lockup in Marion, Ill. — known as the "end of the line" — is a level "six" facility where the nation's most hardened convicts are housed.

The home of convicted federal criminals is decided by the Bureau of Prisons, Ms. Morse said. While information about a particular inmate is secret, she said certain information is common to all classification procedures.

"A lot goes into it, including the length of the sentence, nature of the offense, previous convictions, any

history of escape or violent behavior," she said.

"And, we also try, if we can, to keep people close to home, so it is easier for family members to visit."

Tom Morgan, the former Midland County prosecutor who defended Parker at trial and still maintains his client is innocent, declined to comment on the site selection.

"I would rather not comment on that," Morgan said. "I did state on the record that I felt he should be sent to Big Spring or Bastrop, because I feel either of those would be appropriate because they are minimum security facilities."

Morgan — who has insisted the trial should have been moved from Midland because of excess publicity

— said he was "disappointed, but not discouraged." He indicated he will ask Bunton to reconsider the sentence.

The attorney said he will file a lengthy brief with the appeals court citing "several" grounds of error.

Despite the jury verdict and lengthy sentence, Morgan said he is "looking forward to a retrial in a city several hundred miles away from Midland, such as Houston or Austin, where I feel Kenneth can get a fair trial, and where publicity will be minimal."

Morgan has talked to his client several times since the July 14 sentencing. "I have told him I look forward to round two in the fifth circuit," the attorney said.

Assistant U.S. Attorney Tom Beery, one of three attorneys who prosecuted Parker, said the government had no input into the selection of the facility.

"We probably won't find out for quite a while," Beery said.

Gail Boggs, deputy U.S. Marshal, said Parker will be held at the federal section of the Midland city jail until his transfer to the facility, which he also declined to name.

Morgan said he will speak to his client at least once before his transfer to his new home.

"And I will keep close contact with him when he is transferred," he said.

"You have not heard the last from Kenneth Parker or his attorney," he said.



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Janis Kennedy, center, has completed her two-year tenure as a law clerk for U.S. District Court Judge Lucius D. Bunton and is

heading for Dallas to practice law. Flanking her are two other Bunton law clerks Steve Polino, left, and Tom Stanton.

Law clerk completes Bunton's 'school'

By ED TODD
Staff Writer

Post-graduate school at Bunton University is over for Janis Kennedy, who "definitely" will miss her alma mater in Midland.

"I owe Judge Bunton a great deal," Ms. Kennedy said of her mentor, U.S. District Court Judge Lucius D. Bunton, "and if I make a good lawyer, it's because of him."

Ms. Kennedy, BU class of '88, just rounded out her two years as a law clerk for Bunton and is heading for Dallas where she will delve into commercial litigation for a major law firm, Bulter & Binion.

Working for the federal judge is at least equivalent to intense university post-graduate work, surmised Ms. Kennedy, who earned a law degree from St. Mary's University in San Antonio in 1985. She also garnered experience by clerking as an intern law clerk for the "very particular and very careful" former U.S. District Court Chief Judge William S. "Bill" Sessions, who now is FBI director. Ms. Kennedy also worked for retired U.S. Bankruptcy Court Chief Judge Bert Thompson in San Antonio.

Ms. Kennedy started working for Bunton, who has a reputation as a workhorse, in 1986.

"He worked my tail off," said Ms. Kennedy. "He works his own tail off, too."

Of the eight federal judges in the sprawling federal-court system's Western District of Texas, Bunton is "the only one who has a current docket," she said, "and he takes a lot of pride in that."

As one of three Bunton law clerks, Ms. Kennedy carried out a variety of assignments, including researching the law, preparing jury charges, preparing verdict forms, writing findings of facts and conclusions of law for bench trials, preparing sentence orders, handling motions, making recommendations to the judge, and

otherwise keeping the judge abreast of developments for his decision-making roles.

"We do a lot of work with lawyers and work out their problems or try to," Ms. Kennedy said. "Some have more problems than others, but we have good lawyers out here."

Ms. Kennedy said that Bunton, her professor-judge, has the "sharpest mind and wit. He always has a comeback for whatever. He has an incredibly sharp mind. He has insight into people. You don't fool him."

Ms. Kennedy said that her two-year tenure with Bunton is "worth 10 years of practicing law."

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MCHD to set hearing on possible rate hike

By JANE MARLER DEES
Staff Writer

Plans for a hospital district tax hike likely will get Thursday when directors meet to consider setting a date for a public hearing on the matter.

A public hearing is required when a taxing entity wants to raise its "effective" tax rate by more than 3 percent, according to the Midland County Appraisal District.

The effective rate is the number that accumulates the same number of tax dollars as the prior year.

Midland County Hospital District (MCHD) directors met last week in a specially called meeting to discuss the tax hike.

The move is needed, directors said, to fund the increasing costs of rendering medical care to the financially needy in Midland County.

Hospital district taxes go toward paying for the treatment of the indigent.

Since 1987, however, indigent medical bills have outstripped the amount of tax dollars coming in, figures show.

During fiscal year 1988 — slated to end Sept. 30 — a shortfall of about \$1.7 million faces the district, projections show.

If directors opt to raise the current 8.14 cent tax rate by 8 percent, taxpayers would pay an additional \$6.96 a year in hospital district taxes.

To cover FY '89's projected indigent care bill of \$5.6 million, a 34 percent tax hike would be necessary,

a Midland Memorial Hospital official said last week.

That move would translate into a \$20-a-year increase, statistics show.

Historically, district-owned Midland Memorial Hospital has covered the district's shortfall, MCHD directors have said.

The public meeting to discuss the possible MCHD tax hike and FY '89 budget is slated for Thursday at 1:30 p.m., in the MMH medical staff conference room.

Hospital district directors also will consider allowing the hospital to begin taking bids to spend up to \$180,000 on the preparation of renovation plans for the MMH Education Annex, the agenda states.

The annex will be used to house a new magnetic resonance imaging machine which utilizes a magnet producing 10 to 20 times the force of the earth's gravity. The MRI employs special computer programs to obtain an image of body tissues by scanning hydrogen atoms, which vary in amount from tissue to tissue.

Not only does MRI make diagnosis easier and safer, it also allows surgeons to see before they cut, officials have said.

A group of physician investors will supposedly band together to purchase the MRI with plans to lease it to the hospital.

Though the hospital district authorized ordering the \$1.5 million machine from General Electric Co., the order will be canceled if the doctors organize efforts to buy the MRI, directors have said.

Bishop says officials will study messages reported by worshipers

LUBBOCK (AP) — The Catholic Bishop of Lubbock says he and other church officials will study messages that parishioners from a local church claim are from the Virgin Mary.

A Monday night Mass and rosary service, which originally drew only a handful of people, has attracted growing numbers of worshipers to St. John Neumann Catholic Church in recent weeks.

"I take a cautious attitude about the rosary messages spoken about by several parishioners at St. John Neumann Church," Bishop Michael Sheehan said in his first public statement about the reported messages. "I neither encourage people to participate in the events nor do I discourage them."

Three parishioners claim to have received the messages from Mary during the recitation of the rosary. Other worshipers have presented written testimonies about physical healings, feeling the presence of the Virgin Mary and smelling the odor of roses during the service.

The Catholic Church has not given its approval of the reported messages, Sheehan said Tuesday.

Events such as those reported at the church

must be investigated by church hierarchy. Officials determine the validity of the reported events based on various criteria and report to the pope in Rome, said the bishop, adding that he plans to confer within a few days with Archbishop Pio Laghi, Pope John Paul II's representative in Washington.

"I think people are looking for signs, but we shouldn't presume that anything supernatural is happening," Sheehan said.

During the weekly rosary, parishioners Mike Slate, Mary Constancio and Theresa Werner kneel at the altar of the spacious underground church and write on notepads. After the rosary they read what they say are messages Mary has given them.

Sheehan said that while he respected the trio for their devotion, "the intensity of their experience does not necessarily postulate extraordinary divine intervention."

Meanwhile, officials at St. John Neumann are preparing for 20,000 people to attend the Aug. 15 celebration of the Assumption of Mary. The church pastor, Monsignor Joseph James, has said he believes the messages indicate the faithful will see apparitions of the Virgin and miracles of healing will occur on that traditional feast day.

Senator to file charges against accused attackers

AMARILLO (AP) — Sen. Bill Sarpalis said he will press criminal charges against three men accused in connection with an assault on the senator in a nightclub.

Sarpalis, D-Amarillo, on Tuesday reiterated his claims that the attack on a crowded dance floor stemmed from his get-tough stances on drugs and alcohol.

"There's no doubt in my mind that the reason this was done to me was because of the alcohol and drug legislation that I've sponsored through

the years," said the two-term senator, who suffered a broken jaw in the attack. "There are some people who fear that if I am elected as congressman I will continue to fight on alcohol and drug legislation."

Sarpalis won the Democratic nomination for the 13th Congressional District seat in March, although his injured jaw was wired shut for most of the campaign.

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Rendall proposes discussion about crossing guards

By CHRIS VAN WAGENEN
Staff Writer

This is one event the City of Midland wouldn't mind co-hosting.

At \$80,000, it's the annual march of the school crossing guards — a march that some city officials say has been solo too long.

City Councilman Robert Rendall is one of those officials.

Rendall harbors no animosity on the subject, but he does think the time is ripe for discussion, especially with a new board on hand at Midland Independent School District.

The scenario is hardly new. The city, without success, has tried on other occasions to place the responsibility on the district's shoulders. Now, they'll try again — at least in partnership.

Rendall, along with fellow Councilman Gordon Marcum II, volunteered their services Tuesday to open communication lines with the district.

That decision was partly prompted by Police Chief Richard Czech, who informed city officials his men don't have time to replace crossing guards who fail to show for work.

"There has to be a better way," Czech told council. "I have no idea how many hours they're working or if they're out there."

He further questioned the need of 19 guards now on the city payroll at \$7 an hour.

Czech said at Hillander Elementary School, a survey of the area found, for the most part, few if any children cross the street.

Marcum said city officials would suggest that MISD return to a volunteer system, at least on lightly traveled streets.

"We did some investigating on this. We couldn't find any system where a city pays for crossing guards," he said. "We want to see what avenues we can come up with the school (district) in coming up with a better solution."

Councilwoman Oralia Corrales agreed that some type of compromise was needed between the two entities.

She suggested a 50-50 arrangement, whereby both the city and MISD would share the costs. "Some people see the city as a base to provide everything," she said.

This is not the first time Midland has balked on services previously rendered. For example, the city used to provide funeral escorts until it ascertained it was providing the equivalent of eight full-time officers a year.

In other business Tuesday, the council:

■ Authorized payment of \$20,000 for repairing a landfill scraper that was damaged when a city operator accidentally overturned the machine off an embankment three weeks ago. The unit — one of two used at the fill — was ordered repaired when a drive wheel failed on the backup unit.

■ Authorized the purchase of a micro-computer workstation with software for the engineering and transportation department at a cost of \$30,351. Of the total purchase price, \$15,000 was allocated through the Texas Department of Highways & Transportation; \$8,500 in revenue sharing funds; and \$7,351 in carryover funds through its Management Information & Mapping System. City Manager Fred Fox said the city's IBM PC-XT had become dated.

■ Approved a resolution for the city to participate in animal vaccination day. The event — which city veterinarians anticipate will reduce the risk of rabies — is a one-time fee waiver for a pet license. Veterinary clinics throughout the city will provide vaccination shots at a reduced cost of \$7 per pet. It will be held at all pet clinics and hospitals this Saturday from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

■ Approved contracts with Southwestern Bell Telephone and COM Shop for a new switching system that will enable callers to directly dial between 340 to 350 city offices.

■ Approved a four-way stop for the intersection of Godfrey Street at St. Andrews Drive, after receiving a number of complaints from residents in the area over high-speed school traffic generated from Midland Lee High School.

Lawmen continue hunt for escapee

By JULIE HILLRICH
Staff Writer

Big Spring authorities continued their search this morning for a capital murder suspect who fled the Howard County Courthouse Thursday.

Howard County Sheriff A.N. Standard said the local and federal search for Antonio Aguilar, 21, of Big Spring remains "a top priority," though he refused to divulge specific information about the ongoing pursuit.

The sheriff neither confirmed nor denied any reported sighting of Aguilar since the lawman issued an all-points bulletin for the escapee, who walked away last Thursday evening from an outdoor work detail at the courthouse.

"There aren't any reports that I care to divulge," he said.

Aguilar, two other prisoners and a sheriff's deputy were assigned to dump garbage in a southside trash when the escape occurred, Standard said.

The escapee was wearing a white county jail uniform when he was last seen. He is considered dangerous, the sheriff noted.

Aguilar was arrested last October on charged with capital murder stemming from the robbery and killing of two Mexican nationals in Luther, a town about 15 miles north of Big Spring.

Authorities discovered the burned bodies of Miguel Calixto and Naborito Gurrana in the farm house in which they resided. Aguilar had been in custody in Howard County in lieu of \$25,000 bond since his arrest.

The sheriff said the escapee was days away from completing a plea bargain agreement that likely would have reduced the two murder charges filed against him.

Aguilar was among eight suspects arrested in connection with the robbery and killings, Standard said.

Jeannie Hernandez Fonseca of Big Spring was sentenced to life in prison earlier this month after pleading guilty to a lesser charge of murder. Two other suspects were released from custody after posting bond and four others remain in jail on capital murder charges, Standard said.



Held up

Paul Foster second from left, Janet Foster, center, and Roxanna Foster, were in for surprise Tuesday when they were stopped by the Midland Chamber of Commerce's holdup gang. The three-

some were treated to dinner and an overnight stay in the Tall City courtesy of the chamber. Representing the chamber were Mark McCraney, far left, and Janna Weyandt, right.

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WEST TEXAS IN BRIEF

Assault suspect believed involved in other attacks

From Staff Reports

Police Roundup

Investigators believe the suspect in the early morning sexual assault of a 33-year-old woman in east Midland may be responsible for at least two other recent attacks, a police spokesman said.

"He matches the same description and basic 'MO' (method of operation) of other sexual assaults committed in east and south Midland," Cpl. Jim White said today.

In the attack today, the latest reported to police, a man sexually assaulted the woman after he entered the home through a back window, White said.

After he found the woman sleeping in her bedroom, the man threatened her with a screwdriver or knife, then assaulted her, according to reports. He then left through the same window, White said.

The suspect was described as a black man, 5 feet 8 inches tall to 5 feet 10 inches tall, with a thin build. He wore a blue and green short-sleeved shirt and blue jeans. According to the victim, he covered his face with a white cloth, or was masked, perhaps with a ladies' slip, White said.

In several recent cases, a black man wearing a mask has attacked women in their bedrooms, and in each case he has threatened the victim with a screwdriver or knife, White said.

In other reports, police are investigating the burglary of a residence in the 4100 block of Arroyo Drive.

According to police, a blue 26-inch girls' bicycle was stolen from an unlocked garage sometime between July 22 and 26. The bike was valued at \$190, reports said.

Winds knock out power

SAN ANGELO (AP) — High winds cut a path through the southwest part of this West Texas city Tuesday, knocking out power to much of the area, including one of the city's three hospitals, officials said.

No injuries were reported following the storm, which hit about 6 p.m., authorities said.

Lt. Santiago Garza, of the San Angelo Police Department, said no sightings of tornadoes were reported and that National Weather Service officials said they could not confirm anything other than straight winds in the area.

But Mike Wood, night supervisor for Angelo Community Hospital, which received the most damage, said he was told several people had reported spotting a tornado funnel.

"We had just finished a surgery and were waiting for another when it hit," Wood said. "It was real weird. All we could see was what looked like white smoke outside the hospital. It had to have been a tornado."

The weather service was unable to measure the velocity of the winds because electrical power on their gauges was knocked out.

Wood said there was a "definite path of damage leading away from the hospital" in which car windows were blown out. The storm contained no hail, Wood said.

The winds knocked out glass in several of the hospital's doors and windows and caused extensive water damage to a waiting room.

Although the hospital was on emergency power and expecting West Texas Utilities to repair downed power lines soon, emergency patients were being routed to the city's other two hospitals as of 9 p.m., Wood said.

Texan killed in accident

EXETER, R.I. (AP) — A hit-and-run driver killed a San Angelo, Texas, man who was trying to change a tire along Interstate 95 here early Tuesday, police said.

Johnny Nguyen, 24, a Vietnamese immigrant, was returning to his home in San Angelo with six family members when the left rear tire of his van blew out shortly after midnight, state police Capt. John Leyden said.

As Nguyen and his brother-in-law, Kien Thai, tried to change the tire, a southbound car hit both of them, dragging Nguyen 36 feet, police said. No suspects had been arrested by Tuesday evening.

Kien Thai suffered two broken legs and was listed in satisfactory condition Tuesday evening in Kent County Memorial Hospital in Warwick.

None of the other passengers were hurt, authorities said.

The first person on the scene to help the family was an ex-Marine who happened to have served in Vietnam, Leyden said. "He remembered a few words of Vietnamese and was able to comfort them and to help translate for us," Leyden said.

Chippendales to perform

The phrase "girls night out" will take on a new meaning Thursday when the men of Chippendales bring their "Welcome to Your Fantasy" nightclub production to the Midland Hilton, corner of Wall Avenue and Lorraine Street.

The act features five stars and four professional back-up dancers in a "provocative" stage show created by award winning choreographer Steve Merritt, to whom much of the success of Chippendales nightclubs has been attributed.

"Welcome to Your Fantasy" includes spirited dance numbers that make use of mainstream rock, pop and heavy metal music to complement movements that combine gymnastics with jazz, ballet with break dancing and martial arts with modern dance.

DEATHS

Delores Rasmussen

Services for Delores Rasmussen of Midland are scheduled for 9:30 a.m. Thursday at the Resthaven North Mausoleum with the Rev. Marshall Mason, pastor of the Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity, officiating. Ellis Funeral Home is handling arrangements.

She died at a Midland hospital Monday afternoon.

She was born August 2, 1928 in Oklahoma City and was reared in Mission. While living in Mission, she attended school and lived with the Lloyd Bentzen family. She married Tom Rasmussen July 23, 1955, in Midland. They lived in Midland all their married life. She was employed by the Sinclair Oil Co. and later by the Great Drilling Co. She was a member of the Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity.

Survivors include her husband of Midland; a son, Tommy Rasmussen of Midland; three daughters, Candy Rasmussen of Fort Worth, Jina Rasmussen of El Paso, and Lana Lea of Paradise, Calif.; and five grandchildren.

Patsy Jones

EASTLAND — Patsy Fay Jones, 53, of Eastland, daughter of Leona Jones of Midland, died Monday in a Dallas hospital. Services are scheduled for 2 p.m. Wednesday at the First Baptist Church with the Rev.

Rudy Fambrough officiating. Burial will follow at Eastland Cemetery under the direction of Bakker Funeral Home.

She was born July 29, 1914, in Cisco and came to Eastland in 1961, the year she graduated from Eastland High School. She was employed by Eastland Petroleum Land Service. She was a member of the First Baptist Church and Beta Sigma Phi.

Other survivors are two daughters, Cindy Walke of Eastland and Debbie Wilde of San Angelo; two brothers, Robert Jones of Lubbock and Sammy Jones of San Antonio; three sisters, Joy Beth Hanson and Betty Payne, both of Midland, and Kathie Platt of Austin; and three grandchildren.

William Branson

SAN ANGELO — Services for William Harold Branson, 72, of Grape Creek were held Tuesday at Johnson's Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. George Fay presiding. Interment was in Grape Creek Cemetery. He passed away at his residence Monday.

Branson had lived in Grape Creek since 1979. He was a retired salesman for Ponca and Tell-Tex, and was an Army veteran of World War II. He was a member of the Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Marie

Branson; a daughter, Lynda Grantham of San Angelo; two sons, Robert Branson of Odessa and Wayne Branson of Midland; two brothers, Rodney Branson of Paris and Hubert Branson of Amado, Ariz.; three grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

Johnson's Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

James Nelson

Services for James Ryan Nelson, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby James Nelson of Midland, are pending at Ellis Funeral Home.

He died at a Lubbock hospital Tuesday evening.

Crystal Hix

Services for Crystal Brooke Hix, infant daughter of Terry and Tonja Hix of Midland, are pending at Mobley-Dodson Funeral Home in Sand Springs, Okla. Ellis Funeral Home is handling local arrangements.

She died at a Midland hospital Tuesday morning. Survivors include her parents and a sister, Mistie Dawn Hix of Midland.

Etta Franklin

Services for Etta Lee Franklin of Midland are pending at Ellis Funeral Home. She died at a Brownwood hospital Tuesday evening.

Baylor officials test university's new bells

WACO (AP) — Baylor University officials gingerly tested their new set of \$325,000 custom-made bells donated by an alumnus who hopes their sound will help students ward off homesickness.

After the set of 48 bells arrived early Tuesday morning, a staff member lightly tapped one of them with a hammer to test the bell's sound, said June Gilbreath, the university's development officer.

"We heard too many stories about the Liberty Bell and how it cracked," joked Gilbreath. "We didn't hit it hard."

The bells, which will be installed in the tower of Pat Neff Hall, were donated by Drayton McLane of Temple, his family and his company.

Dedication ceremonies are planned for Nov. 4, when McLane will return to the campus for homecoming and his graduating class's 30th reunion.

Gilbreath said McLane offered to underwrite the cost of the bells after learning a set of 48-year-old chimes had not worked for two years and that it would cost \$100,000 to repair them.

"When he was a student here and he was homesick and lying in the dorm, he'd hear the sound of those chimes and he found that very reassuring," Gilbreath said. "He felt all our students should have that reassurance."

University officials said they were relieved the bells finally arrived, especially since they made an unscheduled detour into an unknown Mexican seaport.

A Mexican freighter picked up the bells in France and was supposed to drop them off in Houston. The vessel bypassed Houston, but swung back

and finally dropped them off late Monday night. The bells were then transported by truck to Waco, where they arrived early Tuesday morning.

The Pacard Bell Foundry in Ancey, France, located near the Swiss border, completed the bells last month. They range in size from 5 feet in diameter weighing 4,397 pounds to 8 inches in diameter weighing 29 pounds.

Quotations from the school's 11 presidents, the Bible, several pieces of classic literature and the school's fight song are inscribed on 28 of the bells, which are on display temporarily outside Pat Neff Hall. Installation, expected to take four to six weeks, will begin Aug. 1.

Dr. Herbert Colvin, professor and director of academic studies in the School of Music, will serve as university carillonist. Guest carillonists will be invited to play the bells on occasion, Gilbreath said.

Gilbreath said Colvin will begin recording pieces for the 25 bells that will be connected to an electrical memory device.

"Our school song, 'The Good Old Baylor Line' will probably be one of the first things he records," Gilbreath said.

However, the recordings will not be played on a regular basis until after homecoming.

Gilbreath said she did not know if the bells might be pressed into service earlier after football victories although they will eventually become an important part of post-game celebrations.

"I'd rather not speculate on that, but, well..." she said.

Mother's role includes peacemaker

Copley News Service

Mothers are the best peacemakers in family arguments, while daughters and fathers start the most fights at the dinner table, according to research at Oregon Social Learning Center in Eugene.

Sociologist Samuel Vuchinich, who studied 52 families for his research, also found when fathers initiated

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Palestinian uprising moves from streets into Israeli classrooms

By ALLYN FISHER

JERUSALEM (AP) — The Palestinian uprising has prompted educators to discuss current events and encourage debate about the Arab-Israeli conflict in Israeli classrooms for the first time.

New Education Ministry orders to devote classes to the Palestinian issue breaks with a 40-year tradition begun by Israel's first prime minister, the late David Ben-Gurion. He barred teachers from raising topical political issues in school.

As a result, the history of the Arab-Israeli conflict has normally not gone beyond the 1967 Middle East War, when Israel was lopsidedly victorious, and usually ignored detailed references to the Palestinian point of view.

Now, however, students heatedly argue such issues as whether Israel should negotiate with the Palestine Liberation Organization or withdraw from the occupied West Bank and Gaza Strip.

Teachers fear high school pupils who face a compulsory military draft at 18 will be emotionally unprepared for army service unless they are better educated about the Arab-Israeli conflict.

Another concern is to avoid the swelling of anti-Arab prejudice which has grown among Israeli youth in the wake of the Palestinian uprising that began Dec. 8 and has claimed the lives of more than 200 Arabs and four Israelis.

"I've started to think about the Palestinian side of things... Now I understand that a state is what they (the Palestinians) need," Danny Sirkin, 17, said in a recent discussion in his 11th grade classroom.

Few students agreed with the Sirkin.

"If we return the territories, nobody knows if that will bring war or peace. The PLO wants all of Israel," said Doron Kapitnick, 17.

The 40-minute debate was at the Rene Cassin High School, built on a battlefield of the 1967 war when Israel captured the Arab sector of Jerusalem and the West Bank from Jordan and wrested the Gaza Strip from Egyptian control.

Most students said peace talks were needed but maintained Israel should boycott the PLO, even though Palestinians consider that group to be their only representative.

Other students expressed concern for relatives serving in the occupied territories.

"The outside world doesn't understand," said Tamar Kater. "They only talk about soldiers beating Arabs. It's not their fathers or brothers doing army reserve duty."

Another girl interrupted to say she was afraid to ride buses with Palestinians because of recent firebomb and rock-throwing attacks in Jerusalem. Others denounced Palestinians as "terrorists."

Arab pupils at the Palestinian Medhamiya Girls' High School, just a

mile down the road from Rene Cassin, never mingle with the Jewish students although their schools and homes are near each other.

At Medhamiya, in Israeli-annexed East Jerusalem, teacher Randa Nusseibeh, a Palestinian, spoke generally about the roots of the Arab-Israeli

conflict to her 11th graders. She said the United States and Britain helped Jews create a homeland in Palestine in 1948.

"What colonialism and the Jews want is to create tension in the area," Mrs. Nusseibeh told the class. After class, pupil Randa Takash

told a reporter she wanted the Israelis to "go back to where they came from."

But, in contrast with the Israeli students, the Palestinian students did not debate the current problems in the occupied territories or what should be done about them.

School officials say Palestinian teachers discuss the uprising only indirectly, fearing they could be accused of inciting violence and their schools would be closed.

In some Israeli classes, pupils have been asked to express their feelings by drawing, said Tova Tsur, an adviser

at the Education Ministry who coordinates the program on the Arab-Israeli conflict.

Eighth-graders in one Tel Aviv classroom drew pictures of soldiers toting guns or Palestinians wielding knives, Mrs. Tsur said in an interview.

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Hmong girl finds refuge with new life in Minnesota

By DIRK JOHNSON
New York Times News Service

ST. PAUL — Under the tutelage of her American cousins, 8-year-old Kia Lor is learning about soap operas, baseball, hair styles and even this odd custom, she confided, of painting one's fingernails.

But behind her infectious smile and dancing black eyes, this little Hmong refugee has horrible memories of the jungles of Laos. Kia was shot eight months ago by Communists after her family had tried to escape into Thailand. She survived by pretending she was dead as the gunmen kicked her bleeding body. Her mother did not have to pretend, and neither did four of her brothers and sisters.

"I want to be with my mother," said Kia, who came here last month to live with her uncle Yao Lo. "I should have died, too."

"Please," Lo has pleaded, "don't say that anymore."

KIA IS AMONG an estimated 9,000 Hmong who arrived in the United States this year, the largest number since 1980. The numbers have increased as the tribal people have lost much of the hope of ever returning to the mountains of Laos and as conditions in Thai refugee camps have worsened under a resentful government there.

After California, Minnesota and Wisconsin have attracted the largest numbers of Hmong, immigration officials said. More than 13,000 Hmong refugees live in Minnesota, including 2,000 who arrived this year, and perhaps as an equal number are in Wisconsin. The two states appear an unlikely destination for the mountain tribespeople from Laos, given the states' cold winters and overwhelmingly white population.

But the Lutheran social service agencies here, along with other church-affiliated relief organizations, and the socially progressive tradition of these states, have fostered a generally hospitable environment for refugees. A significant number of the Hmong have moved here from other parts of the United States, including a migration from Philadelphia a few years ago, where some of the Hmong were subjected to robbery and beatings that appeared to be motivated by bias.

Still, the transition to American urban life here for the Hmong — who had no written language until recent times — has been more difficult than for other Southeast Asian refugees. A majority of the Hmong here live in public housing projects, and social service agencies express fear that much of the community risks becoming trapped in a cycle of poverty.

"We're concerned about the potential development of an underclass," said John Petrabor, assistant commissioner of the Minnesota Human Services Department. "We're having talks with leaders of the Hmong community to encourage the idea of self-sufficiency."

KIA'S UNCLE, LO, works for the Lo Family agency here, a private group that helps Hmong, Laotian and Cambodian refugees adjust to American life. About 6,000 refugees who belong to the group pay dues of 50 cents a month.

For Kia, who lives in a two-story frame house with her uncle and his family, the standard of living is better than for most Hmong. Her uncle came to St. Paul in 1975, when many of the refugees were the better-educated Hmong who had worked for the United States in the Vietnam War.

The alignment with U.S. forces left the Hmong despised and endangered by the Pathet Lao regime now ruling Laos. William Colby, former director of the Central Intelligence Agency, testified in Congress after the Vietnam War that the Hmong had fought so loyally they should be accorded veteran's benefits under the GI Bill.

Some 40,000 Hmong, who have escaped into Thailand, are living in the Ban Vinal and Chiang Kham refugee camps.

It was to one of those refugee camps that Kia's family, along with more than two dozen other Hmong, tried to escape. In the darkness, the refugees crossed the Mekong River into Thailand on a raft, but were sent back to Laos, apparently by Thai authorities. It was unclear why they were turned back. U.S. officials speculated the refugees had been unable to pay a bribe or the Thai authorities had become reluctant to admit more refugees.

In any case, the bodies were found riddled with bullets. Kia stayed by her mother's body for perhaps three days, until Thai fishermen found her wandering along the banks of the Mekong, dazed and filthy. Bugs had festered in the wounds on her arms and neck.

AFTER KIA WAS taken to a hospital in Thailand, she told workers that her 18-year-old brother, Toua, was at the Ban Vinal camp. The brother, who had left Laos earlier, was found, and hospital workers helped him contact their uncle in Minnesota. Late last month, with the help of Sen. Rudy Boschwitz and the State Department, Kia and Toua were flown here.

When she arrived here, Kia was so frightened that she could not look at anyone, even her newfound family. But her nine-year-old cousin, Julie Lo, soon became a trusted pal. Kia now wears a pixieish hair style, a dime store's ring and a pink shirt emblazoned with the logo, "Cutest."

The girls play baseball with some American neighbors and watch Julie's favorite soap opera, "Another World." They speak in the Hmong language, and Julie has taught Kia to write her name in English. In the fall, Kia will enroll in the public school here, studying English as a second language.

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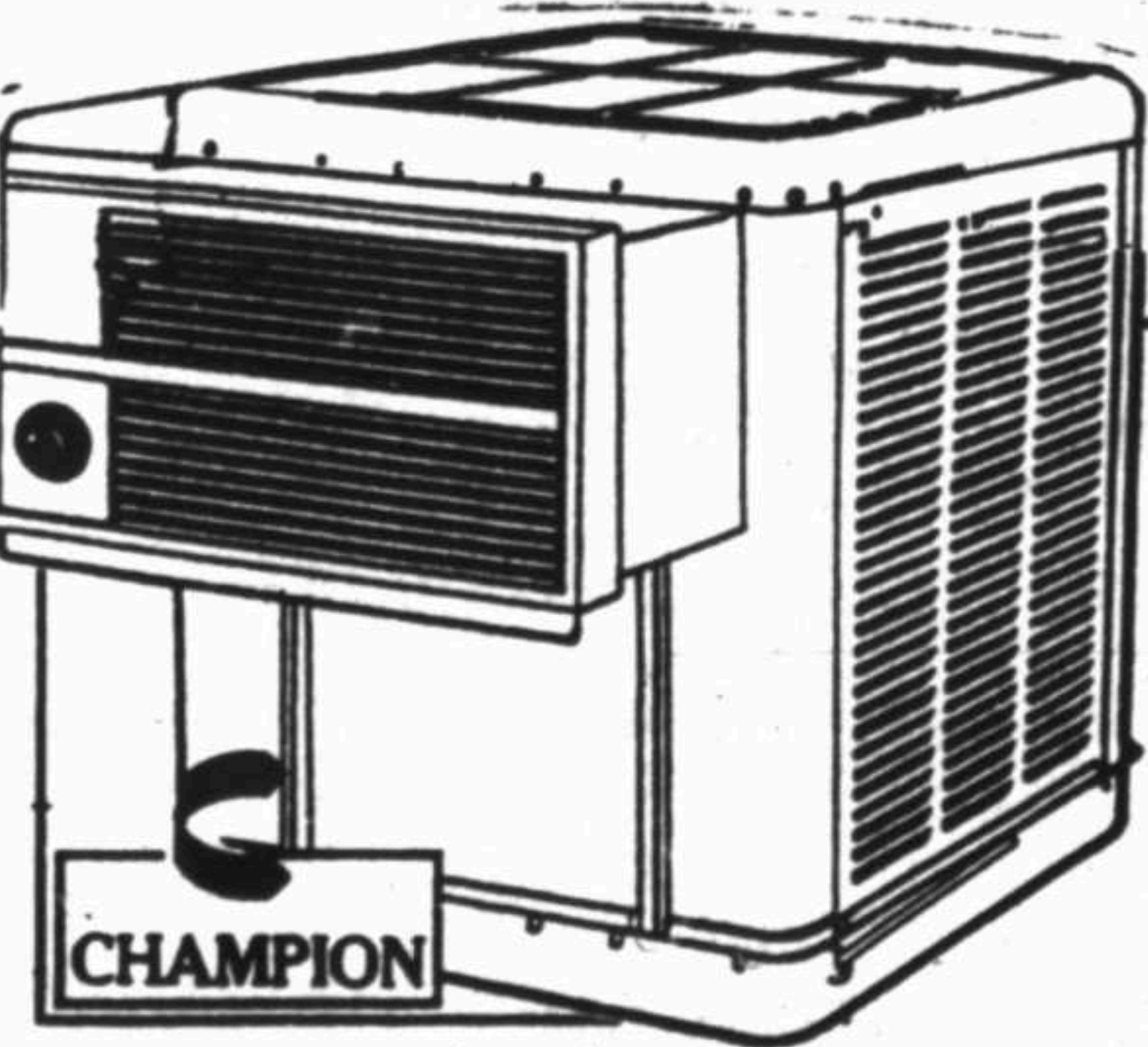
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Reagan honors Mauro with 'Take Pride in America' award

By PEGGY ROBERSON
Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON — Texas Land Commissioner Garry Mauro Tuesday accepted a "Take Pride in America" award at the White House on behalf of 17,500 volunteers who have been keeping the state's 172 miles of beaches clean.



Mauro

President Reagan offered his congratulations at a ceremony on the South Lawn of the White House.

"Take Pride in America" is a national campaign to increase awareness of the need for wise use of the nation's natural and cultural resources, according to Interior Secretary Donald Hodel. Ninety-four win-

ners were selected this year from 212 finalists representing 43 states. Mauro initiated an Adopt-a-Beach program in 1986 to respond to an increasing amount of garbage and debris fouling the Texas shoreline and killing fish and birds. The program enlisted groups and individuals to insure that the entire Texas coast be policed for refuse.

Speaking at a congressional reception following the ceremony, Mauro said the Adopt-a-Beach program was "easy" to implement compared with other programs because so many volunteers — including kindergarten children and corporate executives — stepped forward.

Said Mauro, "Texans are proud of our beaches. We made a commitment to preserve these valuable natural assets, and this award means we are doing a good job. All our participants should be very proud."

Rep. E. "Kika" de la Garza, D-Texas, chairman of the House Agriculture Committee, hosted the recep-

tion with a fellow Texan, House Speaker Jim Wright.

De la Garza praised Mauro for bringing together "populist Texas" with "corporate Texas" to pick up

tons of garbage washed ashore after being dumped at sea and also left on the beach by visitors.

"Everyone from Luckie the Dolphin to my granddaughter, Jenny,

got in on it," said De la Garza, whose daughter, Angela Farias, runs the Adopt-a-Beach program. A dolphin rescued from an abandoned fishing net and named Luckie has become a symbol of the clean-up operation.

Wright said, "Garry, you've done just great. Nothing is more important than the purity of our air and water...It can be destroyed by man, but it can be saved by the intelligence of man as well."

Mauro announced that he plans to make a personal appeal in September to the International Maritime Organization in London for a "special

area" designation for the Gulf of Mexico, which would prohibit dumping of virtually all solid waste from ships.

Mauro's planned appeal already has received the support of the U.S. Senate in an amendment that it added this year to an international treaty governing use of the oceans.

Mauro said representatives of his office will attend a United Nations meeting in Mexico City this September that will be devoted to environmental concerns in the area of the Caribbean Sea, including the Gulf of Mexico.

Crewman allegedly shoots captain because he didn't want to eat steak

CORPUS CHRISTI (AP) — A fishing boat captain allegedly shot by a crew member who didn't like the dinner menu is recovering in a Corpus Christi hospital today following his rescue by an Air Force helicopter, military officials said.

Michael Paloscio, 39, of Key Largo was in stable condition with a leg wound Tuesday at Spohn Hospital in Corpus Christi, said nurse Lydia Zamora.

After a five-hour, 550-mile flight and midair refueling Sunday, the helicopter lowered a stretcher by cables to the 52-foot trawler and the boat's crew loaded Paloscio on it. The rescue took place 238 miles southeast of Port Aransas.

"We didn't want to put anybody on the boat," said Capt. Carr Lafon, a flight surgeon aboard the helicopter. "That guy that shot the captain of the vessel still had his gun and was still walking around down there."

Fredersvindo Iscoa Avila, 32, a native of Honduras, later was taken into custody by the Coast Guard. He was turned over to the FBI Monday night when the cutter Point Baker reached Port Isabel.

The suspect was jailed in Brownsville and made an initial appearance Tuesday before a federal magistrate on a charge of assault to commit murder at sea, said Assistant U.S. Attorney John Crews. The prosecutor said the case would be referred to a grand jury.

Iscoa said he wouldn't work if he didn't get fish and the skipper told him in that case he wouldn't be paid. About six hours later Paloscio was shot in the lower leg, Starrett said.

The rescue flight wasn't attempted until Sunday with the helicopter arriving at about 1 p.m. CDT because officials were uncertain about what was going on aboard the trawler.

Son jailed in slaying of parents

DALLAS (AP) — A 25-year-old Dallas parolee was being held in connection with the slayings of his parents and sister, whose bodies were found in a camper beside their southwest Dallas home, authorities said.

Jeffery Caldwell was arrested Tuesday and charged with the death of his father, who was an industrial caterer. No bail has been set.

Additional charges against Caldwell, who was being held at the Lew Sterrett Justice Center, are expected to be filed Wednesday, the Dallas Times Herald reported.

The bodies of Henry Caldwell, 47, Gwendolyn Caldwell, 46, and their 19-year-old daughter, Kimberly, were discovered Monday by another son, who became suspicious after

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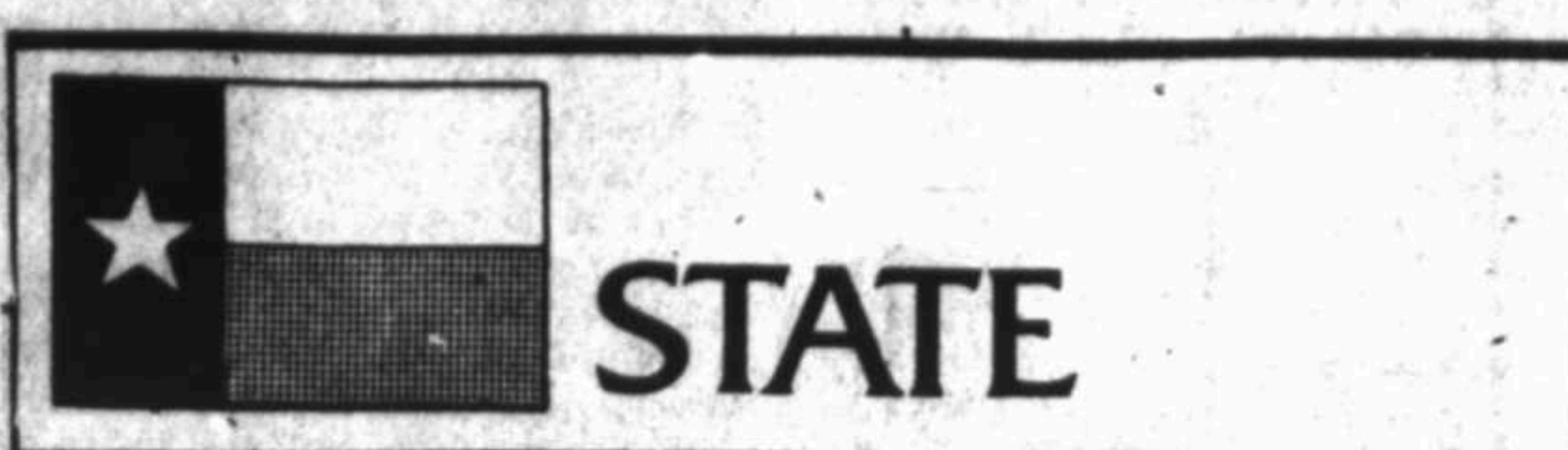
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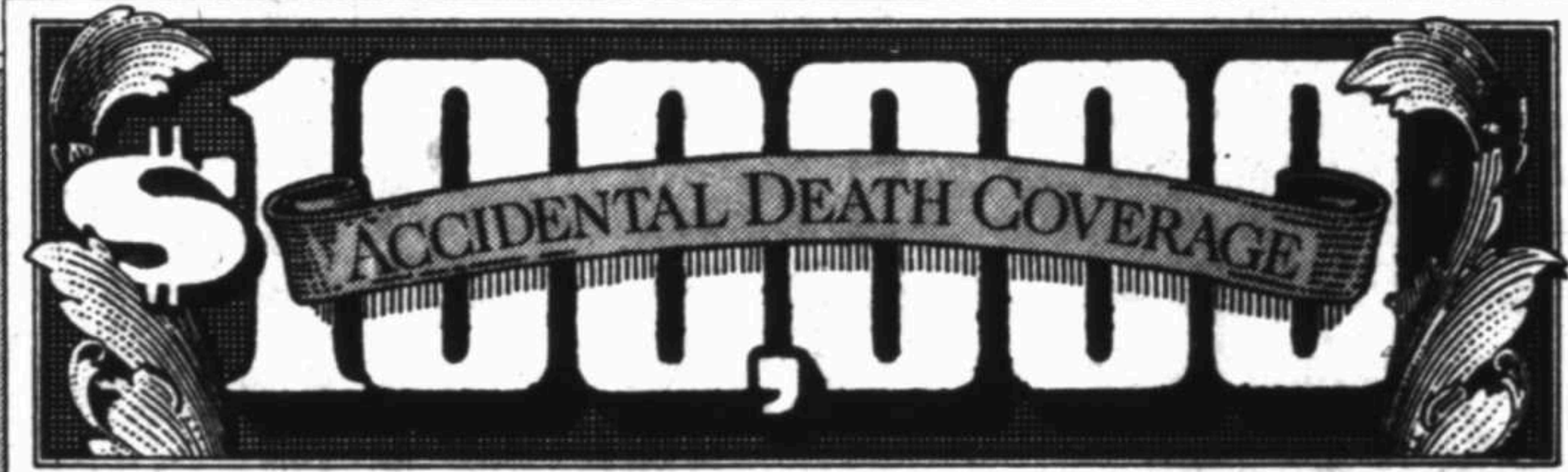
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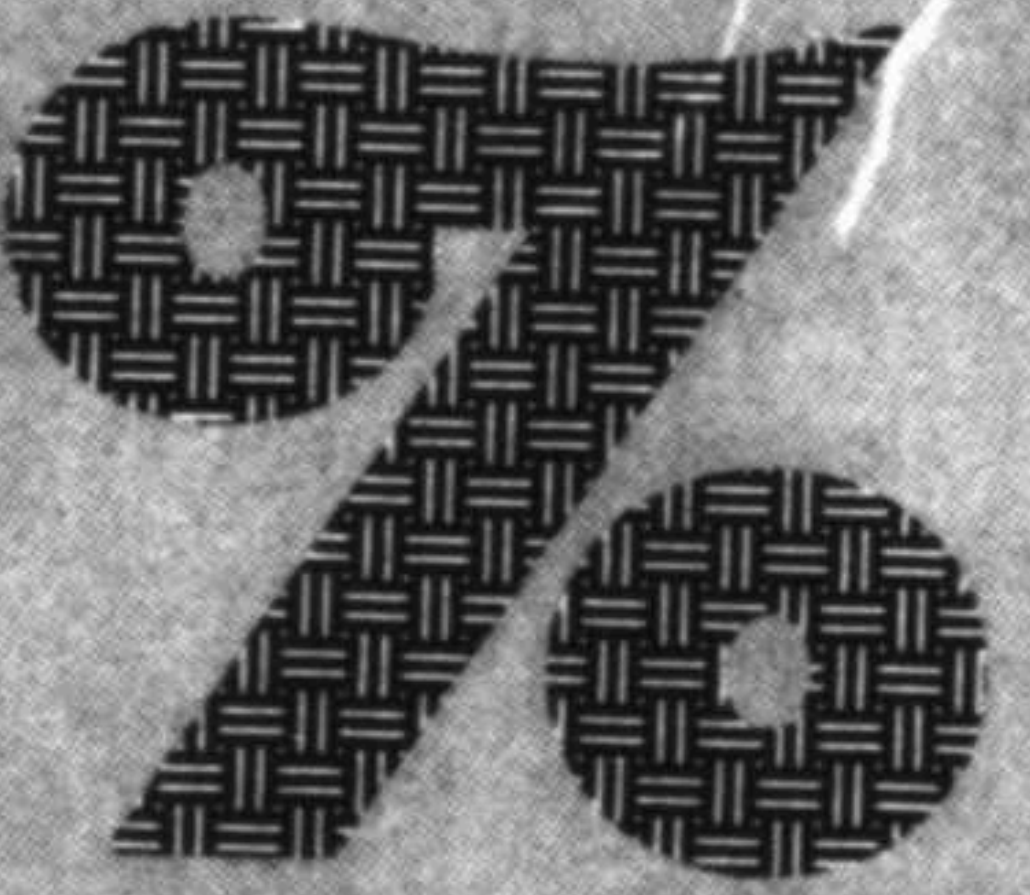
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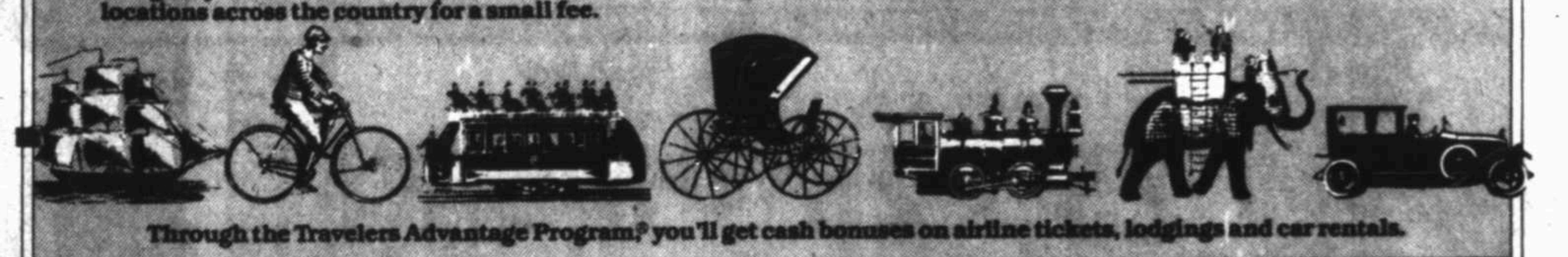
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Painter rescued from tower

HOUSTON (AP) — A 31-year-old painter dangled 150 feet in the air before a fire department crew rescued him from a water tower that was the scene of two similar accidents earlier this year, officials said.

Wade Sanders, 31, was caught by his safety harness Tuesday afternoon when a metal ring designed to anchor scaffolding apparently broke, officials said.

Rescue workers from the Ponderosa Fire Department rappelled from atop the structure, cut Sanders' support cable and safely lowered him to the ground, said firefighter Paul Cote. He said Sanders was taken for examination to Northwest Medical Center, where he was reported in stable condition.

The accident came just weeks after Walter Coodey slipped and was caught by his safety harness May 25 before being rescued. On March 20, Kenneth Golden broke his ankle when he fell to the ground.

"It's just got me running plum crazy," said Jack Roberts, whose company is painting the tower. What should have been a three-month project has dragged on for six months, he said.

Lawmen hunt for escapee

TENNESSEE COLONY (AP) — An inmate serving a life sentence for robbery and murder drove off the grounds of an East Texas prison in a cattle feed truck, authorities said.

Texas Rangers notified prison officials Tuesday afternoon that they had located the truck south of Dallas, but the search continued for 36-

year-old Robert Robinson.

Robinson was last seen driving the one-ton feed truck Tuesday morning at the Beto I unit in Anderson County, northwest of Palestine, Texas Department of Corrections spokesman Charles Brown said. It was Robinson's job to deliver feed around the unit.

"We don't know if he's armed but he should be considered dangerous," Brown said.

Robinson, serving life for robbery and murder, is described as a 5-foot-4 white male who weighs 214 pounds. He has black hair and a ruddy complexion.

Texas flag given to Wales

CARDIFF, Wales (AP) — The Daughters of the Republic of Texas on Tuesday presented a Texas flag to the British government's top official in Wales to honor an unsung Welsh hero of the siege of the Alamo, the Welsh Office said.

Ted Jones, a Welshman acting on the Texas group's behalf, handed over to Welsh Secretary of State Peter Walker a flag, a Texas story book and a scroll commemorating the courage of Lewis Johnson, who died defending the Alamo.

Earlier this year, Jones presented a Welsh flag, donated by the Welsh Tourist Board, to the Daughters of the Republic of Texas. It was raised above the Alamo in May, in tribute to the land of Johnson's birth, Davies said.

Jones, a public relations consultant in London, said in a statement he first learned of Johnson when he visited the Alamo on vacation.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The chairman of the House ethics committee says a new outside counsel named to probe allegations against House Speaker Jim Wright will be "free to investigate in any manner he deems appropriate."

But the counsel, Chicago lawyer Richard J. Phelan, will be restricted to looking into the six counts in a complaint adopted by the panel on June 9 and public release of any findings will be controlled by the ethics panel, said chairman Julian C. Dixon, D-Calif.

"If any other evidence comes to his attention, he is directed to report that to us," Dixon said Tuesday. The committee would then decide whether to broaden the investigation, he added.

Dixon said he expects Phelan and his staff will do independent investigative work, including taking large numbers of depositions. The ethics panel, formally known as the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct, will pay Phelan's law firm up to \$300,000 plus expenses, he said.

"He is free to investigate in any manner he deems appropriate, whatever he feels is necessary," said Dixon.

"I'm like any other professional lawyer," Phelan said. "I'm going to exercise my own judgment within the parameters of the inquiry. I've been told to investigate the allegations fully, fairly, completely and thoroughly, and that's what I intend to do."

Wright's chief accuser, Rep. Newt Gingrich, R-Ga., complained about the selection of Phelan, noting that he has been an active Democratic fund-raiser in Chicago and had been a delegate to last week's Democratic

National Convention, although an alternate took his place.

Gingrich said he also would have preferred selection of someone with a prosecutorial background. Phelan's 60-lawyer firm handles mostly corporate law and civil litigation.

"It seems to me for this investigation to have any legitimacy it has to be able to follow the leads wherever they lead," Gingrich told reporters. "The independent counsel has to be truly independent. He cannot be on a short leash held by the Democratic chairman of the committee."

Dixon said the 12-member ethics panel, made up of six Democrats and six Republicans, agreed to seek an outside counsel at the same time it opened its Wright inquiry on June 9, but chose not to make that decision public until someone was found to take the job.

"We believed the American public would feel more comfortable, when the speaker of the House of Representatives is being investigated, with someone that is not an employee of the Capitol," he said.

Wright repeated to reporters his contention that he would be exonerated by the probe and said he hoped it would be conducted quickly. "I think they will conclude I have not

violated any commonly accepted ethics rules, and the sooner that happens, the better," Wright said.

But Wright said the matter is being used as a political weapon by Gingrich, who is laying the groundwork to cry foul if the probe turns up nothing critical of the speaker.

At the same time, Vice President George Bush, who has used Wright's ethics problems as grist on the campaign trail, was speaking across the street from the Capitol at the Library of Congress and advocating conflict-of-interest laws for Congress that are as tough as those that now apply to the executive branch.

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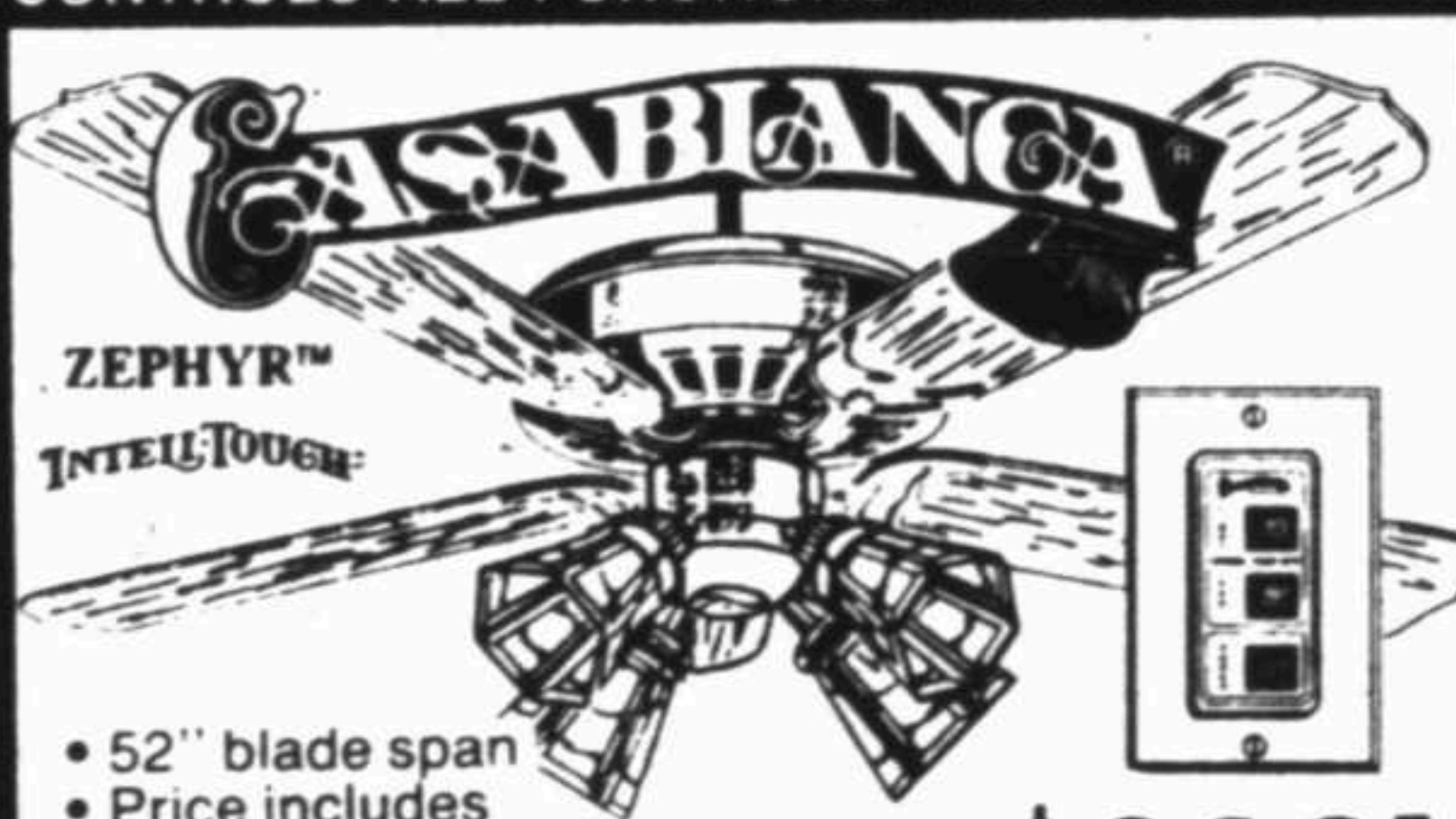


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Angels lose 3rd in row

By BILL GRIMES
Sports Writer

There's something about Angel Stadium that just brings out the best in Texas League hitters — even on a calm, humid night.

The Shreveport Captains went into Tuesday's game with the lowest team batting average in the TL, but the Caps belied their statistical ineptitude by hammering three Midland pitchers for 17 hits in a 10-5 win.

Tuesday's loss was the Angels' third straight, but the Midlanders remain atop the Texas League-West standings by 1½ games over El Paso, which also lost Tuesday.

Batting only .244 as a team going into the game, Shreveport jumped on Midland starter Steve McGuire for seven runs in the first four innings. But McGuire then retired nine of 10 batters before finally being knocked out in the eighth with the Captains' last three runs.

LEFT FIELDER Harry Davis was the big gun for Shreveport with three RBI on a single and triple for the Eastern Division cellar-dwellers despite hitting only .244 coming into the game. Davis said there's still a world of difference between Midland and the Eastern parks despite Tuesday's humid conditions.

"The ball carries better here because of the altitude," Davis said. But that's not the whole story, he hastened to add.

"Everybody's hitting the ball now. There's not anyone you can pitch around."

Shreveport Manager Jack Mull concurred.

"I've waited 100 games for this to happen," Mull said. "I think we're a

Shreveport	ab	r	h	bi	Midland	ab	r	h	bi
Dixon dh	6	1	1	0	Peniger cf	5	1	2	0
Carter 2b	4	3	3	1	McCollum 1b	4	1	3	1
Litton 3b	5	1	3	2	Alfaro 3b	4	0	2	2
Cujan 1b	3	2	1	0	Stevens lf	4	0	1	0
Skuris cf	5	1	2	1	Alfredson rf	5	0	1	0
Davis lf	4	1	2	3	Grunhard dh	4	1	1	0
Escobar ss	5	0	1	1	Ople ss	4	1	1	1
McDonald 2b	4	0	2	0	Knapp c	4	0	0	0
Pena c	4	1	2	1	Gerber 2b	4	1	2	0
Totals	40	10	17	8	Totals	38	5	13	5

Shreveport	004	100	030	—10	17	1
Midland	000	200	102	—	5	13
Game Winning RBI: Davis (5), E—Escobar, DP—Midland 2, LOB—Shreveport 9, Midland 9, 2B—Peniger, Cujan, 3B—Davis, 2F—Pena, Alfaro, 3B—Peniger.						
Shreveport	ip	nl	r	er	bb	so
Freeland W, 6-5	7.0	9	3	3	5	5
Pulkuna	2.0	4	2	2	0	1
Midland	ip	nl	r	er	bb	so
McGuire L, 5-12	7.2	14	10	10	3	5
DiMichele	0.1	2	0	0	1	0
Walker	1.0	1	0	0	0	3

HBP—Davis, Carter by McGuire. Balk—Freeland. T—3-08. A—881.

better hitting club than the stats show. Some of our guys that have been here awhile are doing better than they were earlier."

After a scoreless first inning, the Captains jumped McGuire for their first two runs on a RBI single by Davis and a sacrifice fly by Jose Pena.

McGuire really came unglued in the third on an RBI double by Greg Litton and Davis' two-run triple, as well as a RBI single by Angel Escobar. The Captains added a run in the fourth, but McGuire then shut the door until the eighth inning.

"When you get a little tired, you can't overthrow," pitching coach Tim Kelly said. "You have to make every pitch count in that situation. He wasn't coming out, so he had to either make an adjustment or get his brains beat in," Kelly added.

McGUIRE was unavailable for comment after Tuesday's game. His

138 pitches were the most thrown by an Angel hurler this season, but it's not like Manager Max Oliveras had it in for his ace.

"We had one man available in the bullpen, and he's a short man (Frank DiMichele)," Oliveras said. The Angels were left hanging in the pen because they used four pitchers Monday, Miguel Alieca was still recovering from an long, albeit outstanding outing on Sunday, and Marty Reed pitched six innings on Saturday in the second game of a doubleheader.

"If we can get five or six good innings from our starter, we can stay in the game," Oliveras said. That's what Shreveport got from Tuesday starter Dean Freeland, 8-8.

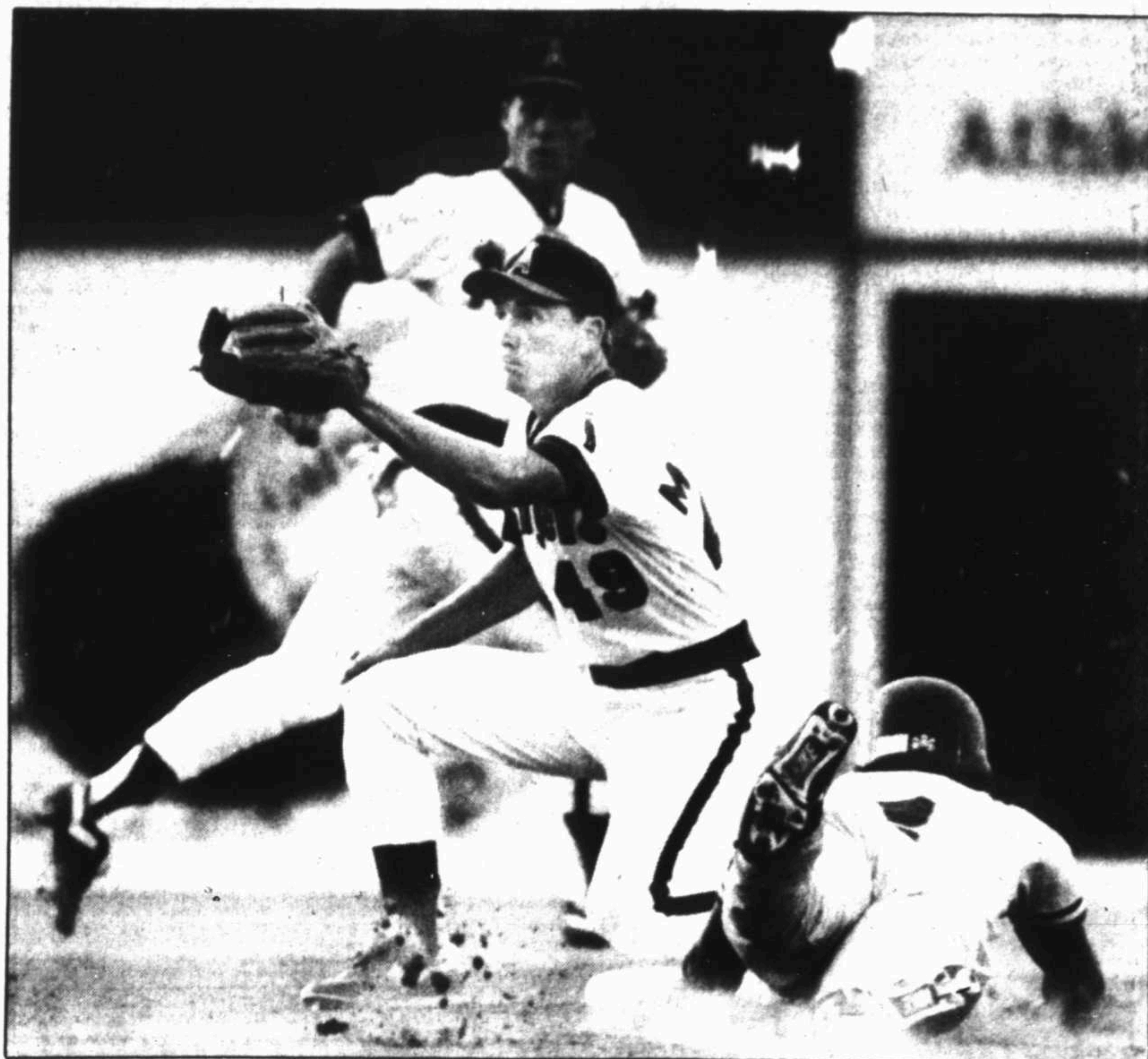
The Angels racked Freeland for nine hits in seven innings, but Midland left seven runners on base in the first four innings. Nevertheless, the Haloes got on the board in the fourth on RBI singles by Jim Ople and Jim McCollum.

Red-hot Jesus Alfaro accounted for the other Midland runs with a sacrifice fly in the seventh and a two-run single in the ninth. Alfaro is batting almost .350 in his last 15 games with three homers and 20 RBI.

Tim Burcham, 6-4, will start for the Angels tonight in the third game of five against Shreveport.

ANGEL NOTES: Alfaro has been so hot that Oliveras said not even the impending return of regular third baseman Jeff Manto will keep the veteran Venezuelan out of the lineup.

Please see ANGELS, Page 2C.



Midland's Craig Gerber takes throw as Shreveport's Dee Dixon, trying for his 45th steal, dives into second. Dixon overslid the bag and was foiled on this attempt at Angels Stadium Tuesday night.

North beats South, 13-7, in THSCA All-Star game

LL playoff resumes at 7 tonight

Pecos defeated Midland North Central, 5-4, in the opener of the best-of-three game Little League playoff series at Hogan Park. The winner advances to the state tournament in Waco Aug. 8.

The series resumes at 7:30 p.m. today at Hogan and a third game, if necessary, will be played 7:30 p.m. Thursday at Hogan Park.

District 3 champion Pecos scored in the top of the second with Mario Almanza walking, taking second on Jaime Mendoza's single and scoring on a grounder by Arturo Hinojosa.

North Central, winner of District 4, bounced back with all of its runs in the third. Paul Rounding hit a two-out homer and then, after two were out, Eric Benavidez, Chris Connally, Brian Henderson and Brian Quinonez slapped consecutive singles to produce three more runs for a 4-2 lead.

Pecos tied it in the fourth when Mario Almanza walked, Arturo Hinojosa singled and with two out Ruben Baca singled.

The deciding run came in the fifth on a two-out homer by Joe Vriquidez.

Gary Michaels went the district for the win, surrendering seven hits and fanning seven.

The game was marked by outstanding defensive play in the field on both sides.



North Quarterback Steve Needham, Plano, is wrapped up by South end Matthew Pearson, Taylor, in All-Star at Astrodome.

By TERRY WILLIAMSON
Assistant Sports Editor

HOUSTON — The North defeated the South 13-7 in the 54th annual Whataburger All-Star football game at the Astrodome Tuesday night in a contest that proved to be a mirror of life itself.

It is always said that sport is neither life or death for those who compete, but Fort Worth referee Wayne Kimberlin, 53, died of a heart attack while officiating in a game that was meant to be an honor for him. He died doing what he loved most.

Odessa Permian trainer Tim O'Connell applied life saving CPR techniques to the fallen Kimberlin, but he died at Methodist Hospital. Kimberlin had to leave the game earlier after falling down. O'Connell suggested that Kimberlin not re-enter the game.

"He just went back in without telling anyone," said O'Connell. "The Southwest Officials Association had sent for a replacement. He complained of dehydration this week. I can't say that he was ever hit by any player. I know he wasn't hit by anyone the second time he fell."

After the Astrodome crowd watched the life and death struggle of Kimberlin for 15 minutes, the reward and tragedies of football seemed somehow small indeed.

Still the game was for reward of deserving high school careers and it had special meaning for Midland Lee safety Jimmy Fennell.

"It's something to get picked to play in this game, but to win it is a real bonus," said Fennell. "I'm looking at this as my reward for not making it to the state championship game last year. At least, I can say I ended my high school career with a victory. I don't like thinking about

that loss to Arlington in the playoffs."

Fennell was an outstanding member of the North defense that gave up an All-Star rushing record 173 yards to the South's Wayne Williams of West Columbia. Fennell had seven tackles, including one head busting stop on Gary Perry at the goal line with the North leading 7-0 in the third quarter.

"We were in man coverage and I was keying on him. I met him at the hole and was able to stop him," Fennell said. "I knew I was going to get another shot at him, but he scored because I didn't get the same kind of angle at him."

The South outgained the North offense by a 299 to 177 margin, but it was still the North defense that won the game.

Just before the half, Brownwood's Steve Moseley blocked a Kevin Smith field goal try and Andre Jones of McGregor returned it 90 yards to break the scoring ice.

The winning score in the fourth quarter was just as strange. The South's Williams, who was named as the game's MVP after breaking the 37-year-old rushing record of 149 yards by 24 steps, fumbled in his own end zone and the North's Ben Kirkpatrick of Post, who is headed for Texas Tech, recovered to give the North the victory.

"He (Williams) ran away from me on the play, but I saw that he got a pretty good lick from someone. Then the ball came loose and all I could see was green ground between me and the ball," said Kirkpatrick, who earned defensive MVP honors for the big play.

Permian coach Gary Gaines, who served as the North coach in another reward position, lauded at the fact that it was a typical Mojo-type victory.

"Well, we did find a way to win it, but more times than not, you lose a game when you have to depend on plays like that," said Gaines. "But our defense gave up a lot of yardage, but inside the 20 they were really tough."

"Our offense didn't move the ball very well, but the South was huge up front and had brilliant speed on the backside."

Permian fullback Shawn Crow said you really shouldn't expect an All-Star offense to really shine.

"Four days isn't enough time to really pull this thing off," noted Crow. "The defense is going to be ahead of the offense because it's easier to tell a guy to go tackle somebody than it is to pick up a blocking scheme. Still, I thought we did OK for the time we had to prepare."

Crow had 36 yards on eight carries while Monahans' Charles Thompson had 27 yards on 11 carries.

Reagan County's Scott Lipsey, another Tech bound player, started at cornerback and came up with seven tackles, once stopping Williams from breaking a long range TD with an open field tackle.

North	0	7	0	6-13
South	0	0	7	6-7
N-Jones 85-run with blocked field goal (Birtson kick)				
S-Perry 1 run (Gardner kick)				
N-Kirkpatrick fumble recovery in end zone (kick failed)				
A—16,727				

First downs	13	N	S
Rushes-yards	37-123	32-185	
Passing yards	54	114	
Return yards	106	04	
Passes	03-12-1	09-18-0	
Punts	4-41	3-38	
Fumbles-lost	3-0	3-3	
Penalties-yards	6-58	10-98	
Time of Possession	00:00	00:00	

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING—North, Crow 8-36, Thompson 11-27, Needham 9-11, South, Williams 16-173, Garza 2-29, Perry 5-18.

Britton, Watson advance to semis

From Staff Reports

Susan Britton and Lia Watson moved toward their expected Midland City Women's golf showdown with victories in the first round of match play at Ranchland Hills Country Club Tuesday.

The pretourney favorites were expected to meet in Thursday's finals. Still, Marian Spears and Jo Dickson hoped to throw a monkey wrench in the best laid forecasts of the experts as play moved to Midland Country Club today for the semifinals.

Spears, winner over DeDe Plank Tuesday, takes on defending champion Britton, winner over Jere Smith, in one semifinal while Watson, a five handicap player and winner over Janelle Glasshof Tuesday, faces Dickson, who beat Mary Robinson in the first round.

Hogan Park to host City Men's, Scout Pro-Am play

From Staff Reports

The Midland Men's City golf championship will be held Aug. 5-6-7 at Hogan Park Golf Course. Entry fee for the championship flight is \$80 and \$83 for all other flights, including the seniors flight.

The Seniors is for golfers 50 years of age and older.

Flights other than the championship will be played Aug. 6-7. Dead-

Watson posted the low round in Monday's qualifying play with an 81. The finals are scheduled for Green Tree Country Club Thursday.

Tuesday's first round losers play consolation round matches.

Championship: Susan Britton d Jere Smith, Marion Spears d DeDe Plank, Lia Watson d Janelle Glasshof, Jo Dickson d Mary Robinson.

First flight: Pam Camarata d Cheryl Kuzmich, Marcia Standley d Carrie Sutton, Betty Clarke d Floesia Lark, Carolyn Henry d Shirley Roushford.

Second flight: Ella Heath d Jean Elkin, Helen Brant d Spunky Phillips, Sylvia Luster d Shirley Mays, Phyllis Maxwell d Audrey Foster.

Third flight: Pabbe Corbett d Bobbi Fischer, Donna Winborn d Jean Banks, Marge Tope d Pat Dougherty, Ruth Owens d Nancy Cox.

Fourth flight: Shirley Huntington, Byn, Charles Roseberry d Donna Treadway, Judy Hinnicutt d Paula Humphreys, See Sensesbach d Ginny Platte.

Fifth flight: Joyce Coleman bye, Edie Stahl d Dot Corner, Jean Griffin d Jackie Luvish, Hazel Pierce d Dorothy Metzger.

Sixth flight: Mayme Callaway bye, Sara Brannum d Cleve Brown, Jean Connor d Masrine Phillips, Evelyn Mitby d Mary Ellis.

line for entry is Aug. 2. Also at HPGC, the Buffalo Trail Council Boy Scout Pro-Am will be held Aug. 15. Entry fee for amateurs is \$50. Sponsorships are available for \$300. Entry deadline is Aug. 8. The field is limited.

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BASEBALL— Texas League: Shreveport Captains-Midland Angels, 7 p.m., at Angels Stadium.

Trivia Teaser...

Wednesday's Question— A teammate of Hank Aaron and Frank Robinson, this pitcher, despite back-to-back 21-10 and 21-14, had a 57-67 major league record?

Tuesday's Answer— When Hank Greenberg retired in 1947, the only batters with more career homers were Babe Ruth, Jimmy Foxx, Mel Ott and Lou Gehrig.

Quotebook....

"If you have to rely on luck all the time, it doesn't work. You have to make luck happen for yourself." — Boston manager Joe Morgan, after the qualification interim was dropped from his title.



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Texas League...

SECOND HALF EASTERN DIVISION				
	W	L	Pct.	GB
Arkansas (Cards)	21	13	.618	—
Tulsa (Rangers)	19	15	.559	2
Jackson (Mets)	17	18	.486	4
x-Shreveport (Gnats)	16	19	.457	5
WESTERN DIVISION				
Midland (Angels)	19	16	.543	—
x-San Antn (Dodgers)	17	17	.500	1½
Wichita (Padres)	13	22	.371	6

x-won first-half title
Tuesday's Games
Wichita 7, Arkansas 4
Jackson 1, San Antonio 0
Shreveport 10, Midland 5
Tulsa 7, El Paso 1
Wednesday's Games
Wichita at Arkansas
San Antonio at Jackson
Shreveport at Midland
Tulsa at El Paso

Aggie, UH probes taking a back seat

By MICHAEL A. LUTZ

HOUSTON (AP) — Texas A&M's Jackie Sherrill and Houston's Jack Pardee are more concerned with the upcoming football season than pending NCAA investigations, the two coaches said Tuesday.

Texas A&M recently responded to a list 31 allegations against its football program by the NCAA and Houston last week received a list of more than 250 alleged violations during former Coach Bill Yeoman's regime.

"It's no different now than it was two months ago or a year ago," Sherrill said during a panel discussion at the Texas High School Coaches Association Coaching School.

"The players aren't involved, so there's not much they can do about it."

Pardee, starting his second season as coach of the Cougars, said he'd stick to coaching.

"WHAT WE have to do is control our players and help them do what they came to Houston for, to get an education and be as good as they can be as football players," Pardee said.

"We have to control what we can control and not spend much time worrying about it."

Eight of the nine SWC coaches attended the session. Arkansas Coach Ken Hatfield was attending the Arkansas coaching school.

Texas Tech Coach Spike Dykes, whose Red Raiders will play Oklahoma State in the Japan Bowl Dec. 4,

said it would be an advantage playing the Cowboys out of the country.

"The farther away you can play a team like Oklahoma State the better," Dykes said. "That way, you can just tell people how you played without them seeing it."

Texas Coach David McWilliams said the Longhorns still have a question at quarterback where Shannon Kelley is scheduled to start.

"He still has to take over but I feel that he will," McWilliams said. "We still have a question at quarterback but I feel good about Shannon Kelley going in because he has at least played."

COACH JERRY Berndt, in the third year of his rebuilding program at Rice, said defense would be a key for the Owls this season.

"A big improvement will have to be made on defense," Berndt said. "We have seven returning starters from last year but that's not saying much since we gave up 487 yards a game."

"I hope by the end of spring practice, some of those players will be beaten out."

Texas Christian Coach Jim Wacker anticipates a balanced SWC race.

"It'll be the best team we've had at TCU, but Texas can say the same thing," Wacker said. "We'll have the most balanced team since I've been here."

Baylor Coach Grant Teaff couldn't remember starting a season at Baylor without a returning starting offensive lineman.

Miami, SF treat for British

Associated Press

The Miami Dolphins and San Francisco 49ers are treading the hallowed British turf where the Bears, Cowboys, Rams and Broncos preceded them.

But they made NFL starved fans of England that their game Saturday is an exhibition rather than a full-blown replay of their 1985 Super Bowl.

While the promoters are billing it as a battle between quarterbacks Dan Marino of Miami and Joe Montana of San Francisco, both coaches told the British press that it is hardly that.

"It's a natural billing but it's really not that simple," Miami coach Don Shula told the British media as the two teams began preparations for the NFL's fourth straight London showcase. "But it's truly a team game in every sense of the word. It's more than one against one."

Marino was even blunter. "It would be nice to win on Sunday but I guess it's not the most important thing," he said. "It's a practice game."

Coach Bill Walsh said he will use Sunday's game like most exhibitions — to help him make roster cuts.

CASILLAS' QUANDRY
Nose tackle Tony Casillas of Atlanta, the second player taken in the 1986 draft, left the Falcons' training camp Tuesday after Coach Martin Campbell gave him a few days off to ponder his future.

"He came in to see me to talk about his future," Campbell said. "We excused him to go home and

think about it. It's in his hands as to what he wants his future to be."

Casillas, a 6-3, 280-pounder, suffered a stress fracture of the left fibula Nov. 29 that put him out for the 1987 season. He has also suffered thumb, hand, toe and knee injuries during his career.

"He prepared himself well during the off-season and put a lot into it. But he said he had to do some thinking about his future," Campbell said. Casillas made 183 tackles and three quarterback sacks in his two years with the Falcons. He is entering the third year of a four-year, \$2.35 million contract.

IN AND OUT
Backup quarterback Mike Tomczak reported to the Chicago Bears' camp Tuesday after signing a new contract, but the Bears indicated holdout wide receiver Willie Gault could be on the way out.

Gault is the only player now missing from the Bears' camp in Platteville, Wis. and there is speculation that he may be traded to San Diego for offensive tackle Jim Lachey, who also has not reported.

BUMPS AND BRUISES
New York Jets guard Mike Haight missed a second day of practice with what was diagnosed as a bruised upper back with minor spasms. Rookie linebacker Richard Petitbon, son of the Washington Redskins defensive coordinator, has missed the last four days of Jets practice with a sprained ankle but Coach Joe Walton isn't concerned. "He's a tough kid. He's a lot like old man in that respect," Walton said.

Starting tight end Robert Awalt of the Phoenix Cardinals missed practice with an inflamed right knee.

Backup defensive back Tim Peoples is out for up to two weeks with a slight separation of his left shoulder.

SIGNED, RE-SIGNED AND RESIGNED
The Indianapolis Colts signed Pro Bowl placekicker Dean Blesed to a new contract on Tuesday and released six other players, including veteran wide receiver Billy "White Shoes" Johnson and Charlie Brown. Blesed's signing left the Colts with six unsigned veterans, including Pro Bowl guard Ron Solt. Wide receiver Mike Jones, a starter for New Orleans since arriving in a trade with Minnesota two years ago, signed a two-year contract with the Saints. Terms were not disclosed. Strong safety Antonio Gibson and kick returner Mel Gray remain unsigned.

Rookie wide receiver John Talley, who was mistakenly released Monday by the Phoenix Cardinals, was taken off waivers. Pro personal director Larry Wilson said Talley, who has a fractured thumb, was re-called because NFL rules prohibit waiving injured players.

The Cards also announced that Bob Rose, the public relations director, has resigned to pursue unnamed other opportunities in Tampa, Fla. No successor has been selected.

MANLEY
Washington Coach Joe Gibbs, fearful that a decision on the status of Dexter Manley would not come for several days, has moved Markus Koch back from linebacker into the starting defensive end slot.

Manley, a starter at right defensive end since 1981, has been excused from attending training camp pending a ruling by NFL Commissioner Pete Rozelle. Manley met with Rozelle last Friday to discuss the veteran's failure to comply with guidelines regarding his behavior, as established by the league.

HIDE & SEEK
Seattle Seahawks linebacker Fred Young, a four-time Pro Bowler showed up for morning practice but then walked out before the afternoon session. It was the third straight day of coming and going for Young, who has asked the Seahawks to renegotiate his contract. On Monday, Young walked out of camp prior to the morning practice, but then showed up for the afternoon workout. The fifth-year linebacker was a no-show for the first four days of camp, then reported for his physical exam and was on the practice field Sunday afternoon.



AP Laserphoto

Redskin Quarterbacks

Quarterbacks Doug Williams, left, and Jay Schroeder take turns directing Washington offense in summer camp at Carlisle, Pa. The battle for No.

1 quarterback should make a lively preseason for Redskins.

Landry in same old rut

Training camp still drudgery

By FRANK LUKSA

THOUSAND OAKS, Calif. (AP) — He will be up today at 6 a.m. Read the Bible. Eat breakfast. Hold a staff meeting. Conduct morning practice. Eat lunch. Nap one hour. Watch film. Prepare for afternoon practice.

He will shower after the second workout. Eat dinner. Meet with a specialty unit. Then with the entire team. Then with his staff until 11:15 p.m. He will turn the lights out at midnight. He will be up again at 6 a.m. tomorrow. And the next day, and the day thereafter.

Such is Tom Landry's training camp schedule. He has held to it for 28 years as the only coach the Dallas Cowboys ever had who is allowed to sleep on the job.

LANDRY HAS earned this minor concession. He'll be 64 years old in September, and his dues are overpaid. He has been a willing exile to training camps since his rookie season in 1949. Has it been only 10,000 practices ago that he joined the NFL?

If Landry had never gone to camp, he would be 60 today. These things last five weeks on average. Five weeks times 40 — the number of times he has attended as player and coach — is 200 weeks. That's about four years Landry has spent in college dorms long after he graduated.

Training camps are pure drudgery. They are hot and tiring and repetitious. Time spent in any is as romantic as digging post holes. Work out twice a day. Meet. Watch film. Same campus. Same plays and vet players. Same coaches. All caught in an NFL version of a squirrel run.

"This is the toughest part of pro football. No one likes it," Landry said during a pre-camp chat. "But everyone knows you have to pay that price to get where you want to go. It's acceptable from that standpoint."

TRAINING camps are the reason players retire. They rebel at more sacrifice of mind and body. The thought drove Roger Staubach into real estate, or else he might still be playing. Which proves that Roger didn't quit because of an accumulation of concussions. His beanbag had been bruised, but it still worked.

It's different for most coaches. They don't retire because of preseason sessions. They get fired.

Landry marches on. He knows the routine after 40 years. It can be dull, even to him. Yet he's still gripped by what might be. What could happen. The challenge of making it happen.

"You do get tired of doing certain things," he admitted. "You don't have the same gung-ho enthusiasm you had as a young coach trying to get everything together."

"But I still enjoy the anticipation of training camp and what it might bring. Once you lose that, you're kinda lost as a coach. I don't think you'll be successful. I haven't reached that point yet."

Landry views himself as a teacher amid this scene. The scholarly Ph.D. Landry. Others say they see him through a different prism — more as a scientist with a huge, private laboratory at his disposal.

EVERY CAMP follower has at some point tried to chat with Landry during mealtime. You might as well talk to your salad. He isn't rude. Just preoccupied. He sits there ... chewing ... staring straight ahead ... resolving some problem or decision. He is detached.

It is July and he is already thinking about September. Not the playoffs. Not the Super Bowl. First and always September. To the season opener. To get away strong and quick. That is his annual goal — an early peak.

He remains distant to one and all — aides, players and press. He always has. His natural instinct appears to be a bit aloof. His remote attitude is also intentional. It serves his purpose as the be-all authority figure.

So Landry is at it again this summer, at 63 years old getting out of bed at 6 a.m. to coach athletes young enough to be his grandkids.

Oilers No. 1 pick in hospital

SAN MARCOS (AP) — Houston Oilers No. 1 draft pick Lorenzo White was hospitalized with a stomach virus and missed practice Tuesday, endangering his chances of seeing action in Thursday's scrimmage against the Seattle Seahawks, officials said.

White, who was the Big Ten's second leading all-time rusher at Michigan State, took his physical Saturday morning just before signing a \$1.2 million contract. Monday was his first full workout.

"He was having some problems with the virus and we just figured it would be best to put him in the hospital overnight for observation and let it run its course," said Oilers spokesman Chip Namias.

The illness was not believed to be serious and Namias said he expected White to be released from Hays Memorial Hospital

Wednesday morning.

It wasn't yet known when White may return to the practice field, but the team planned only a morning workout Wednesday to allow time for players to rest before traveling to Tacoma, Wash., for Thursday's practice game.

"I don't think this would be considered a major setback because he's only going to miss a day or two, but when your top draft pick has already missed a couple of days of practice, you obviously want him to see as much as you can," Namias said.

White originally was scheduled to report to training camp last Tuesday and begin workouts the next day, but contract negotiations stalled his arrival.

"He was in a catchup mode as it is," Namias said.

A combination of 102-degree temperatures and the upcoming scrimmage prompted head coach

Jerry Glanville to cut short Tuesday's injury-marred practice on the campus of Southwest Texas State University.

Wide receiver Ernest Givens left early with a pulled muscle after running a deep pass route and Curtis Duncan also suffered a pulled hamstring.

"Our water consumption is up hundreds of gallons," said Glanville. "And so are our cramps. It was hot in San Angelo (the Oilers previous training camp), but you didn't sweat as much."

Also Tuesday, sixth-round draft pick Kurt Crain underwent orthoscopic surgery in Houston to repair a damaged knee. Crain, a linebacker out of Auburn, will not see action for at least six weeks, Namias said.

"If the examination had shown more serious damage, he would have had to have major surgery," Namias said. "He would have been out for the year if that had happened."

ANGELS

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"He's the kind of guy who has to play every day," Oliveras said. "We may play him at third, first, designated hitter, even shortstop."

Manto is set to return from a groin injury tonight. But the Angels got more bad injury news when Norm Carrasco was ruled out for two to three weeks with a fractured ankle

suffered when batting during the recent Tulsa series.

Carrasco was hitting .342 in his last 29 games, mostly at second base. Other hot hitters have been McCollum (.364 in last six games); Danny Grunhard (.347 in last 15); Lee Stevens (.342 in last 11), and Erik Pappas (.333 in 24 games).

Spinks to retire

NEW YORK (AP) — Michael Spinks, who lasted only 91 seconds in his heavyweight title bout against champion Mike Tyson, said today he was retiring from the ring.

"I'm going to hang 'em up," Spinks said on ABC's Good Morning America. "I've had a great career. I've done a lot of things. I went as far, further than a lot of people expected."

Spinks held the light heavyweight championship and International Boxing Federation heavyweight title.

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IT'S A LIVING—Katarina Witt, East Germany's figure skating star, will draw a record pay for her guest appearance at a European tour of the American-owned Holiday on Ice show, managing director F.A. Skee Goodhart said. "All I can say is that we never paid a skater that much money," he said. "I would give you the figure because this makes the best publicity but the GDR (East Germany) asked that we should not make it public. They are very low key about it."

LENDI ADVANCES—Top-seeded Ivan Lendi and No. 2 seed Andre Agassi both advanced to the second round of the Volvo International at Stratton Mountain, Vt. with Lendi defeating Sacanu 6-4, 6-4, while Agassi struggled past Paul Wekesa of Kenya 6-4, 3-6, 6-3. Maliv Washington of Swartz Creek, Mich., downed No. 11 seed Christo van Rensburg 6-2, 7-5 in the day's first upset while David Pate

defeated qualifier Geoff Roper 6-1, 7-6 (7-3), while No. 9 seed Darren Cahill beat Kelly Evernden 6-3, 6-0. Dan Goldie defeated Gary Muller 7-6 (9-7), 6-3, and Paul Ammon, seeded 18th, ousted Paul Chamberlin 7-6, 7-5. No. 16 seed Jim Pugh advanced with a 7-5, 6-3 victory over John Ross, while No. 14 John Frawley defeated Rick Leach 6-4, 6-2.

WANNA FIGHT—Middleweight champion Frank Tate and undefeated challenger Michael Nunn agreed on one thing as a dispute raged over when they would weigh in for their title fight. The two fighters simply want to be able to fight.

"Let's go ahead and fight and get this over with," Tate said as the two camps argued over the weigh-in during a press conference. "I don't care when we weigh in," Nunn said. "Let's fight. That's what I get paid for."

Nunn's manager, Dan Goossen, complained loudly that he was notified at the last minute about plans to hold the weigh-in the night before Thursday's fight, instead of the traditional morning of the bout.

JUNIOR AMATEUR—Brad Lehmann, of Louisville, Ky., shot a bogey-free 4-under-par 68 for a three-stroke lead after the first qualifying round at the U.S. Junior Amateur Championship at New Haven, Conn.

TYSON ENDS ANOTHER—Heavyweight champion Mike Tyson ended one fight and postponed another, reaching an out of court settlement with manager Bill Cayton, sharply reducing Cayton's share of his income but allows him to remain as manager until Feb. 11, 1992. Tyson also announced that he won't fight Frank Bruno Sept. 3, but said the fight could take place later this year, however.

BOWLING BEAT

Donothan, Fielding burn up pin lanes

By RANDY ISENBERG

Terry Donothan's 258 game and 743 series in the Tuesday Night Bowl Hospital Summer Mixed League at Dellwood Lanes topped league play over the past couple of weeks in July. Donothan, steadily improving his game, rolled numbers that are now the highest three-game set bowled this summer.

Dot Fielding paced the ladies when she cracked the 600 barrier for the first time this summer while bowling in the Big Sky Mixed League. Dot used a 247 game to spring her big set.

Keo Flowers, 265-668; Jerry Upton, 241-638; George Overton, 240-647; Chris Yates, 247-624; and Alan Barnett, 231-638, rolled outstanding sets, while Donny Rains, 205; Silver Ennis, 243; Larry Bullock, 226; and Armando Alvarez, 223, rolled top single game concluding an outstanding month of July for top bowling.

Other top league scores included Arthur Brown's four-game series of 849 rolled with a 245 game.

Here are other top men's and wo-

men's scores rolled over the last two weeks of July:

Men
Mike Boyer 222-632; Pete Petree 231-593; Dave Hambright 503; Monty Brewster 208-604; Vern Williams 208-599; Darren Tryon 203-582; Roy Peterson 234-536; John Faust 235-562; Roy Nini 205-575; John Pace 197-545; Jerry Laake 208; Larry White 222-572; Russell Hight 214-589; Bob Garvin 225-535; Bill Taylor 202-534; Pete Zepeda 223-632; Mike Reed 223-610.

Women
Lisa Fierro 195-547; Lorene Sailer 193-540; Pearl Arnold 208-528; Gloria Truesdell 195-522; Sharon DeCuir 202-543; Ellen Gossett 187-523; Dot Fielding 186-535; Michelle Pitts 181-521; Joyce Baumgart 173-513; Janie Swinner 177-514; Karen Ennis 202-506; Wendy McGaughey 197-502; Paula Bayley 212-502; Sharon Chesney 183-500; Carolyn O'Neal 169-500; Pete Moore 200-520; Stacy Fielding 194-519.

Four-Game Series
Reid London 227-538; Ron Short 235-529; Leo Rodriguez 220-510; Mike Leavasser 233-500; Roy Nini 505; Glenn McKenzie 231-784; Carol Miles 195-714; Milly Wilson 221.

Rock n Roll Senior Citizens
Cecil Craft 211-496; Frank Petro 210-555; Maxine Napper 199-478; Lora Duke 182-461; Lonna Wise 163-457.

The Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
East Division								
New York	58	40	.592	0	6-4	Won 1	30-18	27-22
Detroit	56	42	.568	1	6-4	Won 1	29-18	27-22
Boston	56	43	.561	2	5-5	Lost 1	28-18	25-25
Minnesota	51	48	.510	7	4-6	Lost 4	28-23	25-26
Cleveland	47	50	.484	11	3-7	Lost 2	27-23	25-27
Toronto	42	55	.435	16	2-8	Lost 2	23-24	26-28
Baltimore	31	67	.316	26	2-8	Lost 2	18-26	12-30
West Division								
Oakland	52	39	.571	0	7-3	Won 1	29-20	30-19
Minnesota	45	46	.491	6	5-4	Won 3	29-21	26-22
Kansas City	40	50	.444	11	3-7	Lost 2	25-24	24-26
California	38	51	.429	13	3-7	Lost 1	23-24	26-28
Texas	45	48	.486	8	5-4	Won 1	26-27	20-28
Chicago	45	48	.486	8	5-4	Won 1	27-26	20-28
Seattle	39	61	.390	22	2-7	Lost 4	24-26	16-28

NATIONAL LEAGUE	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
East Division								
New York	59	40	.596	0	5-5	Won 1	30-18	27-22
Pittsburgh	57	42	.578	2	5-5	Won 1	31-21	26-21
Montreal	51	47	.520	7	5-5	Won 3	27-23	24-24
Philadelphia	48	50	.490	10	3-7	Lost 2	24-25	24-25
St. Louis	44	54	.444	14	5-5	Won 1	24-27	20-25
Philadelphia	43	55	.435	16	5-5	Won 1	22-22	18-34
West Division								
Los Angeles	59	40	.596	0	5-5	Won 2	25-23	34-17
Houston	52	47	.525	7	6-4	Lost 2	30-19	22-28
San Francisco	48	51	.486	8	5-5	Lost 2	28-23	25-26
Cincinnati	46	54	.461	10	5-5	Won 1	24-27	20-25
San Diego	46	54	.461	10	5-5	Won 1	24-27	20-25
Atlanta	35	63	.357	23	2-8	Won 1	17-32	18-31

2-deckers first game was a win
AMERICAN LEAGUE
Tuesday's Games
New York 3, Milwaukee 2
Pittsburgh 2, St. Louis 1
Detroit 2, Kansas City 1, 10
Innings
Minnesota 6, Toronto 3
Chicago 1, Seattle 1, 11
Texas 9, Boston 8
Oakland 6, California 2
Wednesday's Games
Toronto (Carril 4-2) at Minnesota (Viola 10-2), 12:15 p.m.
Seattle (Swift 6-7) at Chicago (Pierce 9-0), 7:30 p.m.
Oakland (Burke 3-0) at California (Clark 3-0), 3:05 p.m.
Milwaukee (Boyle 6-1) at New York (John 7-0), 7:30 p.m.
Baltimore (Bastista 5-7) at Cleveland (Candoli 7-8), 8:35 p.m.
Kansas City (Hubbs 12-6) at Detroit (Alexander 9-0), 8:35 p.m.
Boston (Gardner 4-1) at Texas (Russett 8-3), 7:35 p.m.
Thursday's Games
Milwaukee at New York, 7:30 p.m.
Baltimore at Cleveland, 8:35 p.m.
Kansas City at Detroit, 8:35 p.m.
California at Chicago, 8:30 p.m.
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Baseball Today

SCOREBOARD
Los Angeles at San Francisco (9:35 p.m.), Tim Lincecum (10-3) opposes the Giants' Albie Hammer (4-3). Lincecum leads the National League with four shutouts.

STREAKS
Bob Walk (11-5) had a six-game winning streak snapped Monday as Pittsburgh lost their fourth straight, 5-1, to St. Louis. ... Boston's Roger Clemens has won 13 straight on the road. ... Oakland's Dave Stewart (12-10) has lost 10 of his last 14 decisions. He won eight straight to start the season.

STATS
Phil Bradley of Philadelphia has been hit by a pitch 12 times this season. ... The New York Yankees have 22 come-from-behind victories. ... The Giants' Brett Butler got the 1,000th hit of his career, an infield single, with one out in the third inning. ... Roger Clemens has struck out 10 or more batters 11 times this season and 32 times in his career.

SWINGS
Through 98 games, Los Angeles Dodgers relievers had 14 strikeouts, matching the team's total for all of last season.

SLUMPERS
Greg Walker broke out of a 3-for-26 slump with three hits Monday and Ivan Calderon broke an 0-for-20 slump with a single for Chicago.

SLUMPING STARTERS
Fernando Valenzuela of Los Angeles is winless since June 14. Valenzuela (5-8) has three losses and four no-decisions since last start.

STARTERS
John Tudor won his 100th game as St. Louis beat Pittsburgh 5-1 Monday night. He had been 0-2 in his five previous starts, allowing 22 earned runs in 29 innings.

SHUTOUTS
Roger Clemens pitched a

Transactions

BASEBALL
AMERICAN LEAGUE
MINNESOTA TWINS—Placed Tom Herr, second baseman, on the 15-day disabled list, retroactive to July 25. Purchased the contract of Eric Bullock, outfielder, from Portland of the Pacific Coast League.

NEW YORK YANKEES—Activated Al Leiter, pitcher, from the 21-day disabled list.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
ATLANTA BRAVES—Waived Gary Roenicke, outfielder, for the purpose of giving him his unconditional release. Activated Albert Hall, outfielder, from the 15-day disabled list.

BASKETBALL
Continental Basketball Association
TULSA FAST BREAKERS—Named Henry Bibby head coach.

FOOTBALL—National Football League
DALLAS COWBOYS—Released Mike Mumphrey, wide receiver, and Gary Watters, tight end.

DETROIT LIONS—Signed Lomas Brown, offensive tackle, to a two-year contract extension. Released defensive backs Michael Johnson, linebacker; Greg Johnson, punter; Dave Volz, running back; Mark Wheeler, tight end; and Darrell Grayson and Mark Schmidt, wide receivers.

INDIANAPOLIS COLTS—Signed Dean Bascucci, placekicker. Waived Billy "White Shoes" Johnson and Charlie Brown, wide receivers; Jeff Modest, tight end; and Ricky Pickett, running back; Peter Jones, linebacker; and Timothy Long, center.

NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS—Waived Bill Thomas and Andre Lloyd, linebackers.

NEW ORLEANS SAINTS—Signed John Taylor, wide receiver, from the reserve list. Announced that Robert Mendoza, offensive guard, has quit the team. Announced the resignation of Bob Rose, public relations director.

MOCKEY
NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE
NEW YORK ISLANDERS—Named Mark Johnson head coach.

TORONTO MAPLE LEAFS—Signed Paul Gagne, left wing, and Jack Caputo, defenseman, to multi-year contracts.

INTERNATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE
KALAMAZOO WINGS—Extended the contract of John G. coached.

OLYMPICS
U.S. BOXING TEAM—Named Sgt. 1st Class Henry L. Johnson assistant coach.

COLLEGE
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Morgan's Bosox finally lose one

From Wire Reports

ARLINGTON — Joe Morgan lost his first game in 13 as manager of the Boston Red Sox. But his team gave it a good show, at least.

"It was a hell of a game," Morgan said after Tuesday's 9-8 loss to Texas. "It was bad (the streak) ended, with us battling back all night."

"You could tell from the chatter in the dugout, everybody thought we would come back. Then (Jim) Rice hit his home run. We were golden for awhile."

The loss broke a 12-game winning streak under Morgan, who replaced John McNamara as interim manager after the All-Star break.

The Red Sox would keep the streak alive with a pair of three-run innings. But Ruben Sierra gave the Rangers the victory with a towering, two-run homer in the seventh inning.

Texas had 11 hits, including three homers, and Boston had 13 hits, also with three homers.

The win ended the longest Red Sox winning streak in 40 years, and the second-longest streak in the majors this season. The Oakland A's had earlier won 14 in a row.

Pete O'Brien's 11th homer started a four-run rally in the fourth inning that gave Texas a 6-2 lead.

Boston fought back with three runs in the fifth on Mike Greenwell's two-run homer and Todd Benzinger's solo shot, but still trailed, 7-5, going into the seventh inning.

THEN WADE Boggs and Benzinger doubled for one run off Craig McMurtry, and Jim Rice followed with a 405-foot homer to left that gave Boston its first lead of the game, 8-7.

But Scott Fletcher singled in the bottom of the seventh, and Sierra hit his 14th homer.

Craig McMurtry, 20, got the win in relief after coming in for starter Jose Guzman in the fifth. Tom Bolton, 1-2, the third of four Boston pitchers, got the loss.

Mitch Williams earned his 14th save.

Boston starter Dennis "Oil Can" Boyd, who five days earlier retired the first 19 men he faced in a game against Chicago, lasted only three innings.

The last time the Red Sox had won 12 consecutive games was 1946, when the Ted Williams-led team did it twice. The Boston record was 15 games in 1946, with other streaks of 13 in 1948, and 12 in 1937, 1939 and 1946.

O'Brien broke a 2-2 tie in the fourth inning with a 354-foot solo homer to right, his first round-tripper in Arlington Stadium in more than three months.

Boyd lasted only two more batters. Complaining of tenderness in his right shoulder, Boyd left after walking Ruben Sierra and Geno Petralli.

Buechele greeted reliever Dennis

Lamp with a run-scoring double to left, and Cecil Epply followed with a two-run single that made it 6-2.

White Sox 1, Mariners 0

CHICAGO — Reliever Mike Jackson walked Ozzie Guillen with the bases loaded and two outs in the bottom of the 11th inning. The loss was the fourth in a row for the Mariners and their second in a row against the White Sox. Rick Horton, 5-7, was the winner.

Tigers 2, Royals 1

DETROIT — Lou Whitaker's one-out double in the 10th drove in the winning run as to keep the Tigers a half-game behind the front-running New York Yankees in the AL East. Mike Henneman, 5-3, worked the 10th inning in relief of starter Jack Morris, to pick up the win which snapped a three-game losing streak for the Tigers.

Twins 6, Blue Jays 3

MINNEAPOLIS — Kent Hrbek's sacrifice fly snapped a seventh-inning tie as the Minnesota Twins overcame a three-run deficit.

Randy Bush led off the seventh with a walk off Duane Ward, 6-1, and took third on a double by Kirby Puckett, his seventh hit in his last eight at-bats. Hrbek drove the ball deep to center field to score Bush with his sixth game-winning RBI.

The Twins added two insurance runs in the eighth, on an RBI triple by Dan Gladden and a sacrifice fly by Bush.

Mark Portugal, 1-1, came in to start the seventh inning and got the victory. Jeff Reardon pitched the final two innings for his 26th save.

Yankees 3, Brewers 2

NEW YORK — Rickey Henderson continued his first-inning success and Dave Righetti provided effective relief as Milwaukee lost its fourth straight loss.

Rick Rhoden, 6-6, took a five-hitter and 3-0 lead into the eighth, but the Brewers scored on an RBI double by Jim Gantner and RBI single by Rob in Young.

Righetti, who has blown six save chances this season, took over and shut out the Brewers the rest of the way for his 14th save.

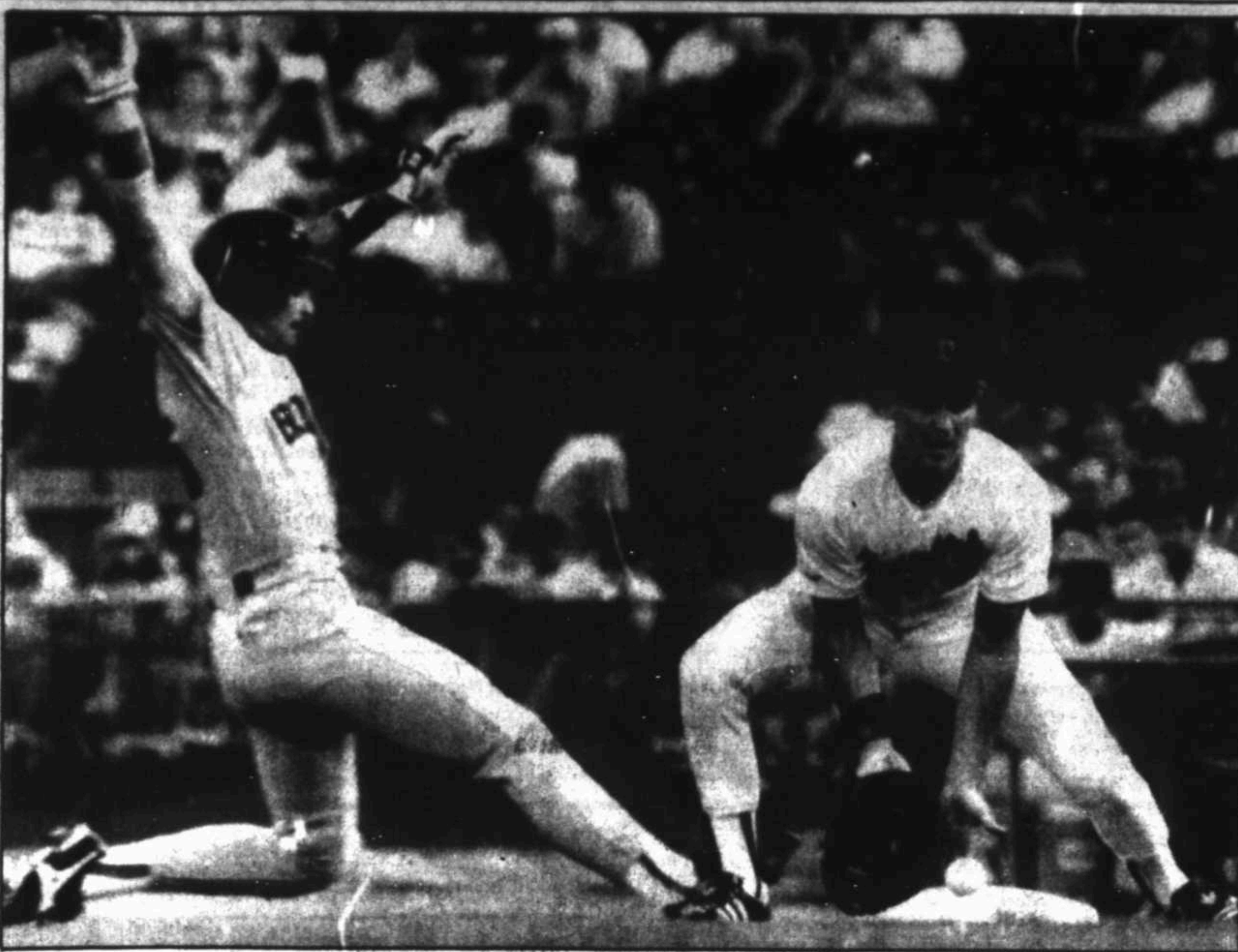
Indians 7, Orioles 3

CLEVELAND — Doug Jones set a Cleveland record with his 24th save of the season and Julio Franco matched his own AL season high hitting streak at 21 games.

Jones, converted his 20th straight save opportunity and the 24th in 26 opportunities to save it for John Farrell, 11-6.

Chris Bando sparked a four-run fourth inning with a two-run single as the Indians defeated the Orioles for the eighth time in eight meetings this season.

Franco's first-inning double enabled him to tie the 21-game streak he had on May 11-June 3. The Major League high this season is 24 by John Shelby of the Los Angeles Dodgers. Franco went 1-for-3, and has 35 hits in 88 at-bats for a .398 average during his current streak.



Boston's Mike Greenwell beats pick off throw back to first as Texas first baseman Pete O'Brien scoops up the ball.

Astros to pull plug on scoreboard

HOUSTON (AP) — The plug soon will be pulled on the Astrodome's giant scoreboard, putting an end to the Texas-style light shows that have hailed the home team's triumphs for more than 20 years.

Sometime during the next two months, workers will disconnect the center field scoreboard in use since the Astrodome opened in 1965.

Gone will be the largest scoreboard in the world, the 14,000 light bulbs, the ride-em cowboys, the shifting steers and electronic pyrotechnics of the Dome's trademark, home-run spectacular.

In its place will be installed 10,000 new seats, part of \$60 million in Astrodome renovations designed to keep the Houston Oilers football team from moving to Jacksonville, Fla.

And a promised high-tech replace-

ment spectacular has been postponed because of lack of money, Harris County officials said Monday.

Architects initially consulted Hollywood special effects whiz George Lucas about a \$2 million-to-\$8 million laser display. But unforeseen costs for asbestos removal and other items have eaten up the light show budget, project manager Jack Watkins of the county engineer's office said.

There is a slight chance a new spectacular scoreboard will be built if the remaining work comes in under budget, Harris County Judge Jon Lindsay said.

Meanwhile, work on dismantling the scoreboard will begin during an Astros road trip in either August or September.

That would mean farewell to the scoreboard against either San Diego on Aug. 15, Cincinnati on Sept. 6 or

Atlanta on Sept. 22.

"It's extremely sad," said Harris County Commissioner E.A. "Squatty" Lyons, the only current commissioner on the court when it approved Dome construction. "I really hate to see it go."

The scoreboard typified the showmanship of the Astrodome's visionary builder, former Houston Mayor and County Judge Roy Hofheinz.

Costing \$2 million, it included the first-ever large-screen stadium television, the spectacular light show and two flanking information panels.

The scoreboard stands more than four stories tall, covers one-half acre of wall space, weighs 300 tons and originally included 1,200 miles of wire and more than 50,000 light bulbs.

COM first in WT meet at Odessa

From Staff Reports

City of Midland Swimmers piled up a staggering 1,880 points to take first place in the West Texas Long Course Championships at UT-Permian Basin.

El Paso finished a distant second with 596 points in the 10-team TAGS field.

Kathryn Krall was the only COM swimmer, however, to take high point awards, scoring 82 in the 11-12 girls competition.

This was the final opportunity for the age group team to qualify for its state championship. The COM qualified 29 individuals in 30 relays for a total of 145 events in the TAGS meet at Houston's Woodlands Aug. 4-6.

Many of the COM's top swimmers did not compete or swim a limited event schedule in order to rest for upcoming events.

Jara Griffin, COM, won all of the girls 8-and-under events and COM's Cody Marcum won all by one of the 8-and-under boys events. However, high point awards are not given below the 10-and-under age bracket.

Results of the West Texas championships held by the Odessa Aquatic Club.

Team scores: 1. City of Midland 1880, 2. El Paso Aquatic 596, 3. Odessa CC 438.5, 4. Amarillo AC 421, 5. Lubbock Swim Club 417, 6. United Swimmers Abilene 248.5, 7. Pecos Swim Team 220, 8. Border Elite 214.5, 9. Unattached 32, 10. San Angelo SC 18.

COM individual TAGS qualifiers and events:

10-under girls: Robin Hill, 50-fly, 50-breast, 200-free, 100-fly, 50-free (reportable top 18 in country), 50-back (WT record), 100-breast, 100-back, 100-free and 200-M. Suzie Reed, 50-free, 100-free, 200-free, 50-fly, 50-breast, 50-back, 200-M. Laura Childress 50, 100, 200 free; 50-back, 50-breast, 200-M, 50-fly. Almsley Stelling 50, 100, 200 free. Margaret Ann Brown 50-100 back; Monica Stromen 50-breast, Sarah Conkey, 50-breast.

10-under boys: Craig Kueffer 50, 100 free, 50-fly. Curt Kueffer 100-back, Brad Glascock 50-100 breast.

11-12 girls: Stacy Fennell, 50, 100, 200, 400 free; 50 back; 50, 100 breast; 100 fly; 200 M. Jennifer Miller 50 back, Catherine Flowers 50 breast; Kathryn Krall 50, 100, 200, 400 free; 50 breast; 50 fly.

11-12 boys: Clay Brown 50, 100, 200, 400 free; 50 breast; 50 fly; 100 fly. Howard Flowers 50, 100 back; 50 fly; 200 M. Carrie Henry 50, 100 free; 200, 400 M; 200 free.

13-14 boys: Matthew Houston 50, 100, 200 free; 100 back; 200 breast; 100 fly (WT record), 200 fly, 100 M.

15-18 girls: Michelle Husak 50, 100, 200, 400 free; 100, 200 back; 50 breast; 200, 400 M. Daral Blochy 200 fly. Sara Coe 100, 200 fly. Stephanie Reed 400 free.

Boys 15-18: Doug Dickinson 50, 100 free; 100 back; 100 fly, 200 M. Matt Stelling 100 free. Joseph Fennell 400, 1000 free. Marc Houston 100-fly. Matt Bay 100,200 breast.

New Zealand romps

Fullback John Gallagher topped New Zealand with 36 points on four tries and 10 conversions. New Zealand led 36-4 at halftime.

Drabek wins 4th straight for Pirates

From Wire Reports

ST. LOUIS — Doug Drabek, 9-5, pitched a three-hitter for 8 2-3 innings for his fourth straight victory as the Pittsburgh Pirates beat the St. Louis Cardinals 2-1 to snap a four-game losing streak Tuesday night.

Drabek was relieved by Jim Gott, 10th save, after Willie McGee homered with two outs in the ninth.

Jose Lind extended his hitting streak to eight games for Pittsburgh, scoring the first of two runs in the fourth inning. Lind singled and raced to third when Andy Van Slyke singled just out of the reach of Tim Jones, playing his first game at second base for St. Louis. Lind scored on a wild pitch by Danny Cox, and Sid Bream's single scored Van Slyke.

Expos 8, Cubs 4

MONTREAL — Mike Fitzgerald hit a pinch-hit grand slam with two outs in the 11th inning for Montreal. Fitzgerald hitting for Neal Heaton, 3-6, hit a grand slam this year off Jeff Pico, 3-6.

The Expos, who blew a 3-0 lead, tied it in the ninth off Rich Gossage, who was trying for his 300th career save. Pinch hitter Wallace Johnson tripled and Martinez hit a sacrifice fly.

Shawon Dunston's sacrifice fly capped Chicago's late rally as the Cubs scored two runs in both the eighth and ninth innings for a 4-3 lead.

Greg Maddux, the NL's winningest pitcher with 15, gave up only four hits in seven innings.

Reds 3, Braves 2

ATLANTA — Tom Browning won for the seventh time in his last eight decisions and Nick Esasky and Kai Daniels hit home runs in the first game of a doubleheader. John Franco got his 19th save, although he allowed Dale Murphy's RBI single in the eighth inning. Ron Gant had homered in the fifth for Atlanta.

Esasky's home run, his eighth, opened the scoring in the second. Following Esasky's home run, Bo Diaz singled, advanced to second on Jeff Treadway's grounder and scored when Albert Hall misplayed a single by Browning to center field.

Atlanta won the second game on pinch hitter Jim Morrison's bases-loaded single with two outs in the 10th. Ozzie Virgil led off the inning with a single. Pinch runner Tom Glavine went to second on a sacrifice by Ken Oberkfell and, following a walk to Albert Hall, went to third on a grounder by pinch hitter Ted

Simmons.

After Ron Gant was walked intentionally, Morrison connected against Rob Murphy, 0-5, with a hard grounder down the left-field line.

Dale Murphy hit his 19th home run and fifth since the All-Star break.

Dodgers 7, Giants 3

SAN FRANCISCO — Rick Dempsey sent Los Angeles ahead with a two-run homer in the seventh inning and Orel Hershiser won his 14th game as the Dodgers won the opening game of a two-night doubleheader.

The Dodgers also won the second game, 6-5 in 11 innings, their fourth doubleheader sweep in a row. Franklin Stubbs led off the 11th inning with a double and scored on a balk by reliever Scott Garrelts.

Dempsey hit an 0-2 pitch from Terry Mulholland down the left field line for his fifth homer of the year.

Mets 7, Phillies 5

PHILADELPHIA — Kevin McReynolds' two-out single scored Len Dykstra with the winning run in the seventh inning in a game twice delayed by rain. The game was held up for a total of 3 hours and 25 minutes and ended at 2:13 a.m. EDT Wednesday.

In the nightcap, Brian Holton, 6-2, got the victory with 2 1-3 innings of relief. The doubleheader was the Dodgers' fifth of the year, all scheduled because of earlier rain-out games. They have swept three doubleheaders and gone 11-4 so far on their current road trip to build a seven-game lead over the Houston Astros, who are second in the National League West.

Padres 5, Astros 1

SAN DIEGO — Dennis Rasmussen pitched a six-hitter for eight innings and Carmelo Martinez had a two-run homer to ignite a five-run fourth inning.

The Astros, who have scored only one run in their four games at San Diego this year and have been shut-out in their last three games here, have dropped 11 straight at San Diego. Their team record of hitting a home run in 12 successive games was ended.

Rasmussen, 8-7, entered the game with a career earned run average of 7.06 against Houston. He survived a rocky first inning in improving his record to 6-1 since joining the Padres June 8 in a trade with the Reds. Lance McCullers pitched the ninth.

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The current trend in cooking today is toward lighter foods, imaginatively prepared and served. This is a challenge for seniors cooking for only one or two.

To avoid the boring repetition of plain fish or the endless leftovers of a roast chicken, plan more than one meal at a time to use some of the same foods in different ways. With this approach, today's broiled fish provencale is tomorrow's seafood pasta salad. Other wholesome foods such as whole grain bread, fresh fruit in season, fig almond cookies and non-fat milk round out the meal.

Dietary guidelines indicate that we should eat a variety of foods - moderate amounts daily from each of the four basic food groups - meats and meat equivalents, dairy products, grains and cereals, fruits and vegetables. A nutritionally balanced diet provides essential protein, carbohydrates, fats, vitamins and minerals. Drink lots of fluids, but limit intake of alcohol and caffeinated beverages. Include lowfat or non-fat dairy products. Limit the amount of eggs.

While we are eating less butter and lard, using more polyunsaturated salad oils, our diets still are higher in fats than recommended. Cutting down on fat, especially animal fat, automatically trims calories, cholesterol and total fat intake. It may be as simple as cutting visible fat from meat, removing skin from chicken or using a minimum of oil in cooking.

Complex carbohydrates such as whole grains, cereals and legumes such as dried peas, beans and peanuts, are rich sources of vitamins, minerals and fiber. Some fruit and leafy green vegetables, especially high in vitamins A and C, add interest and variety to our daily diet. The cabbage family of vegetables including broccoli, cauliflower and brussels sprouts should be served often. Refined sugars which contribute little other than calories should be limited. Happily, dried and fresh fruits provide natural sweetness.

A well-balanced diet supplies adequate amounts of vitamins and minerals. While multivitamins and other supplements cannot replace eating properly, they may be helpful in providing essential nutrients. The use of salt (sodium) should be reduced to 3 to 8 grams per day. On the other hand, adequate calcium intake cuts the risk of developing osteoporosis, especially in older women. Since foods high in calcium also are high in calories, a calcium supplement is a good alternative.

Health-conscious meals begin by analyzing old eating habits. With healthy cooking techniques such as broiling, roasting, steaming and poaching rather than frying, many favorite recipes can be modified for better nutrition.

You can start eating now for better health with these fresh tasting recipes. Popular fish fillets or steaks are broiled or grilled, then topped with a light, fresh tomato sauce chunky with basil and ripe olives. Steamed broccoli spears would be a nice accompaniment. For lunch or supper, a pasta salad makes good use of these same ingredients in a new guise with marinated artichoke hearts and a lemon-dill dressing. Fig Almond Cookies, a powerhouse of good nutrition made with dried figs, oatmeal and whole wheat flour, but no butter or eggs, are crisp and chewy.

Calcium Equivalents

Quantities of foods needed to supply the amount of elemental calcium (291 mg) in one cup (8 oz) of whole milk.

Food source	Approx. Measure	Food source	Approx. Measure
Chicken, dried	4-1/2 lb	Corn	36 cups
Hamburger	5-1/2 lb	Green peas	10 cups
Roast beef	5 lb	Potatoes, baked	22 cups
Eggs	10	Greens (collards, kale, turnip, mustard)	1 cup
Frankfurters	97	Broccoli	2 cups
Peanut butter	29 tbsp	Yogurt	1 cup
Salmon with bones and oil	4 oz	Pudding	1 cup
Sardines	2-1/4 oz	Milk, sweetened condensed	1/3 cup
Tuna	7-3/4 lb	Milk, evaporated	1/2 cup
Rice	14 cups	Ice cream	1-3/4 cups
Oatmeal	13 cups	Buttermilk	1 cup
Bread (white) slices	13-15	Cheese (American, cheddar)	1-1/2 oz
Corn flakes	73 cups	Cottage cheese (creamed and low fat)	2 cups
Egg Noodles	18 cups	Cottage cheese (dry curd)	6 cups
Apples	29	Swiss cheese	1 oz
Bananas	29	Cheese spread	2 oz

Handbook of Geriatrics, Plenum Medical Book Company, New York & London, S.R. Gambert 1987

New Booklet Available Free

Enjoying a healthy and active life in our later years is everyone's desire, yet some people age more gracefully than others. The focus on health and fitness in recent years suggests altering our diet and lifestyle.

Steven Gambert, M.D., offers sensible advice to keep that springtime feeling during one's autumn years in a new booklet he co-authored, "Aging Gracefully." This 40-page booklet describes health care measures which individuals should undertake beginning as early as their 30s to maintain a high-quality, productive life through their senior years. However, Dr. Gambert stresses it is never too late to begin such a program.

Dr. Gambert, director of geriatric medicine and the Center for Aging at New York Medical College, says the effects of aging may be diminished through a long-term preventive regimen that includes proper nutrition and exercise, avoidance of environmental hazards, early recognition and treatment of disease, disease prevention and the prevention of acceleration of the aging process.

The booklet was co-authored by Krishan Gupta, M.D., medical director of the Ruth Taylor Geriatric and Rehabilitation Institute at Westchester County Medical Center in New York. "Aging Gracefully" is available free by writing to "Aging," Box 952, Wayne, N.J. 07474-0952.

Approximate Fiber Content of Selected Foods

Grains & Cereals	Fiber Content per Serving (grams)	Size of Serving	Grains & Cereals	Fiber Content per Serving (grams)	Size of Serving
White bread	0.7	1 slice	Corn	2.6	1/2 med. ear
Whole wheat bread	1.3	1 slice	Peas, canned	6.7	1/2 cup
Corn Flakes	2.6	3/4 cup	Squash, acorn	7.0	1 cup
Wheaties	2.6	3/4 cup	Fruits		
All Bran 100%	8.4	1/3 cup	Apple	2.0	1/2 large
Brown rice	1.6	1/3 cup	Banana	3.0	1 med.
White rice	0.5	1/3 cup	Grapefruit	0.8	1/2
Vegetables			Raspberries	9.2	1 cup
Asparagus	3.5	1/2 cup	Strawberries	3.1	1 cup
Kidney beans	9.7	1/2 cup			
Pinto beans	8.9	1/2 cup	Others		
String beans	2.1	1/2 cup	Peanuts	4.0	50 grams
Broccoli	3.5	1/2 cup	Peanut butter	7.6	100 grams
Raw Celery	1.1	1/2 cup	French Fries	1.6	50 grams
			Strawberry jam	1.1	100 grams

Handbook of Geriatrics, Plenum Medical Book Company, New York & London, S.R. Gambert 1987

Broiled Fish Provencale

- 4 tablespoons butter or margarine
- 1 medium onion, chopped
- 2 cloves garlic, minced
- 1 pound tomatoes, peeled, seeded, chopped
- 1/4 cup dry white wine
- 3/4 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon fennel seed
- 1/4 teaspoon coarsely ground black pepper
- 3 sprigs parsley
- 1 bunch fresh basil, cut julienne or
- 1 teaspoon dried
- 2 tablespoons olive oil
- 1 can (2 1/4-ounces) sliced ripe olives, drained
- 1 1/2 pounds boneless, skinless fish fillets or steaks (turbot, halibut, haddock or seabass, about 1-inch thick)
- Oil

In a wide saucepan, heat 2 tablespoons of the butter. Add onion and garlic and sauté until tender. Add tomatoes, wine, salt, fennel, pepper, parsley and dried basil, if used. Cook over low heat about 30 minutes, until liquid is reduced. Remove parsley. Add remaining butter and olive oil, one tablespoon at a time, whisking until incorporated. Add fresh basil, if used, and olives.

Meanwhile, cut fish into four pieces. Rub on all sides with oil. Broil or grill 4 to 6 inches over a solid bed of glowing coals. Cook 15 minutes, or until fish flakes readily when tested with a fork, turning once.

To serve, arrange fish on sauce on serving platter. Spoon some sauce over top of fish. Makes 4 servings.

Seafood & Broccoli Pasta Salad

- 1 jar (6-ounces) marinated artichoke hearts
- 1/4 cup fresh lemon juice
- 2 tablespoons finely chopped dill weed
- 1 clove garlic, minced
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon dry mustard
- 1/4 teaspoon black pepper
- 1/4 cup olive oil
- 1/2 pound broccoli, cut into florets
- 1/2 pound medium cooked shrimp
- 1 cup flaked cooked fish or 6 ounces crabmeat
- 1 small carrot, sliced julienne
- 1 small red pepper, thinly sliced
- 1/2 small red onion, thinly sliced
- 8 ounces fusilli, rotelle or other pasta
- Lemon slice
- Dill sprig

Drain artichoke hearts, reserving marinade and cut large artichokes in half. Combine reserved marinade with lemon juice, dill weed, garlic, salt, dry mustard and pepper in small mixing bowl. Gradually whisk in olive oil.

Place broccoli into boiling water and simmer 3 minutes or until crisp tender. Immediately immerse in ice water. Drain well. Place broccoli in large bowl, add 1/3 of the dressing. Add artichokes, shrimp, flaked fish, carrot, red pepper and red onion.

Cook fusilli in large kettle of boiling water until just tender. Drain and rinse under cold running water. Toss with 1/3 of the dressing. Combine cooled pasta with other ingredients. Toss with remaining 1/3 of the dressing to moisten. Chill, covered, until serving. Garnish with lemon and dill. Makes 6 to 8 servings.

Fig Almond Cookies

- 1/2 cup oil
- 1/4 cup water
- 1 cup light brown sugar, packed
- 1 cup (about 6-ounces) snipped dried figs
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 1/2 teaspoon almond extract
- 1 1/2 cups uncooked rolled oats
- 1/2 cup slivered blanched almonds
- 1/2 cup sifted all-purpose flour
- 1/4 cup sifted whole wheat flour
- 1/2 teaspoon soda
- 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
- 1/4 teaspoon nutmeg
- 1/4 teaspoon salt

In large mixing bowl, combine oil and water. Stir in brown sugar, mixing well, then stir in figs, vanilla, almond extract, oats and almonds. Sift together flours, soda, spices and salt; stir into fig mixture. Refrigerate 1 hour. Drop dough by slightly rounded tablespoonfuls, about 2 inches apart, on greased cookie sheets. Bake at 350 degrees about 12 minutes or until crisp around edges. Let stand on cookie sheet 1 minute, then remove to rack to cool. Makes about 3 dozen.



Midland Community Theatre will present a series of workshops focusing on musical comedy, auditions, sound, costuming and painting. All are open to the public, and all but musical comedy are free.

A sound workshop will be taught 7-10 p.m. either Aug. 16 or Aug. 17. MCT's technical director Jon Clark will teach this course.

Audition workshop will be 1-5 p.m. Saturday. Don Bachmann, MCT's executive director, and Michael Spicer, associate director, will teach this one-day course known as "How to Succeed in Auditions."

Paint workshop will be available 7-10 p.m. either Tues. or Weds. with MCT's designer David Layman instructing.

Costuming will be presented 7-10 p.m. Aug. 10 and Aug. 11. Mae Dawson, MCT's costume designer, will teach the workshop.

For more information call MCT at 682-2544 or sign up at 2000 W. Wadley.

Summer Mummies melodrama and olio, will continue its 40th season at the Yucca Theatre, 208 N. Colorado. The show, "Bandits on the Border or They Came to Acuna," will be performed every weekend through Sept. 3.

Tickets are \$8 for the floor and \$6.50 for the balcony. All performances will begin at 8 p.m. For information call 682-4111.

...EIGHTH ANNUAL TEXAS Ranch Roundup, a ranch skills competition, will be Aug. 19-20 at Wichita Falls. Sponsored by Budweiser and the North Texas Rehabilitation Center, the event will include competitions in roping, branding, horse breaking, penning and wild cow milking. There will also be contests in talent, ranch cooking, and a first lady competition.

Tickets for the roundup are \$9 each for reserved seats, \$4 for general admission and \$5 to attend dances. Saturday afternoon events are \$3 for adults and \$1 for children.

Tickets may be obtained by contacting Falls Distributing Co., 3811 Tarry, Wichita Falls 76308, or call (817) 682-9011.

...GRAND LODGE ORDER of the Sons of Hermann is accepting applications for new members Monday through Nov. 10. To join the non-profit order contact Odessa No. 38 Lodge members.

...JOE STAMPLEY will perform Saturday at the Eagles Lodge. Tickets are \$8 in advance and \$10 at the door. For information call 687-3131.

...PRAIRIE LEE SCHOOL will have its sixth annual reunion and covered dish luncheon 10 a.m. Aug. 6 in the Greenwood High School Cafeteria. Cost will be \$2, which will include eating utensils and bread.

Participants should bring a covered dish. For information contact Prairie Lee School Reunion, 724 W. Louisiana Ave., Midland 79701. Non-slip sole shoes are recommended.

...A COURSE ON mental conditioning for women, adopted from the crisis training program for the United States State Department employees, will be taught Tuesday. For information call 683-6946.

...SPEAKER EXPRESS, sponsored by the University of Texas at the Permian Basin Women's Center, the Midland and Odessa Chambers of Commerce, the Ector County Community Service, the Odessa American and the Midland Reporter-Telegram, is a comprehensive directory of public speakers in the Permian Basin.

The directory, to be published in September, will provide a list of both volunteer and paid professional public speakers, and their topics, for individuals and businesses needing frequent guest speakers.

Volunteer speakers will be listed free; professional speakers will be charged a \$25 fee.

For more information call 367-2218 or 367-2336.

...MUSEUM OF THE Southwest is hosting the exhibit "Edward S. Curtis: The North American Indian, the Southwest Collection" through Aug. 21. Curtis accumulated a comprehensive record of all the Indian tribes in the United States.

The museum is hosting the exhibit "Prehistoric Plainsmen: Archaeology of the Midland Area" through Aug. 28. The exhibit features artifacts from within a 50-mile radius of Midland. Materials from the Museum's Margaret and C.E. Bissell 1887-1966 centennial exhibition. Rarely seen works from the artist's estate form the core of the exhibit.

For information on all museum events call 683-2882.

...UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS Institute of Texan Cultures will present its "Texas Folklife Festival" Aug. 4-7 on the grounds of HemisFair Plaza in downtown San Antonio.

More than 30 ethnic and cultural groups will serve native foods. Folk dancers and musicians will provide the entertainment. Skills such as fishing, splitting shingles and spinning cotton will be presented.

Admission is \$5 for adults and \$1 for children 6-12. Children under 6 are admitted free. No gate admission will be charged from noon-1 p.m. Friday. Hours are 5-11 p.m. Thursday, noon-11 p.m. Friday and Saturday, and noon-10 p.m. Sunday. For information call (512) 266-7651.

Blueberries bring taste of summer

By DIANE SAVAGE
Copley News Service

The summer months bring long afternoons on the beach, picnics in the park, and an abundance of fresh fruit. Blueberries are at their peak this time of year, and can provide a variety of taste treats that shouldn't be missed.

Fresh blueberries often come in small plastic or cardboard cartons. Check the bottom, as well as top of the container, looking for damaged berries or stains that indicate spoilage. Berries should be plump and firm, dark blue in color with a fine silvery bloom on the surface.

Refrigerate immediately after purchase, taking care that berries are kept dry and well covered, and they will remain fresh and at peak flavor for up to two weeks. Just before use, rinse well under cold running water. Drain in colander, then dry on paper toweling before adding to recipe.

If you find a great deal on fresh blueberries but can't use them all at once, don't worry: they're easy to freeze for later use. Spread in a single layer on baking sheets and freeze, then transfer to plastic bags or freezer containers (don't forget to label and date).

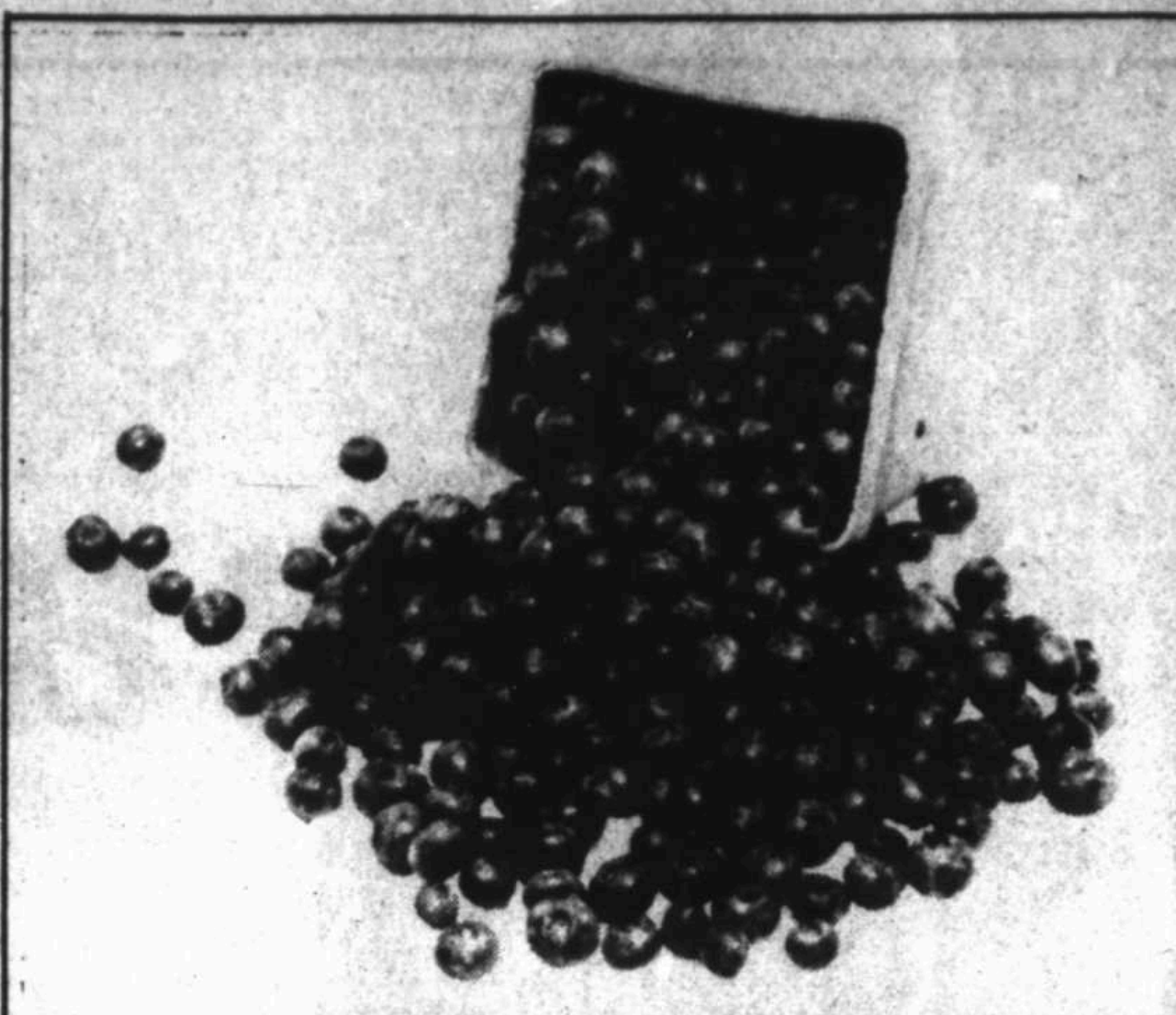
Blueberries are the highest of all berries in vitamin A content. They will add flavor, and nutrition, to any muffin, quickbread, or pancake recipe. While pancakes are on the griddle, and before turning, try sprinkling with about 1 tablespoon of berries.

Be sure that fresh blueberries are carefully dried before adding to batters. Tossing them in a little flour beforehand will keep them from staining batter.

Fresh Fruit Medley in Honey Cream is prettiest served in a clear glass bowl. That way, all the different colors of the fruit show through, with a cloud of sweetened cream on top — as nice to look at as it is to eat!

BLUEBERRY BRUNCH LOAF

2 cups whole-wheat flour
¼ teaspoon baking soda
¼ teaspoon salt
1 cup butter or margarine, at room temperature
½ cup light brown sugar, packed
¾ cup honey
3 eggs
½ cup buttermilk
1 tablespoon grated lemon or orange rind
1 teaspoon vanilla extract
1½ cups fresh or frozen blueberries



CNS Photo

Blueberries make flavorful summer recipes.

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Grease and flour a 9x5x3-inch loaf pan; set aside.

In small mixing bowl combine flour, baking soda and salt. In medium mixing bowl cream together butter and brown sugar. Beat in honey then eggs, 1 at a time, beating well after each addition. Beat in buttermilk, orange or lemon rind, and vanilla.

Stir in flour mixture, then gently fold in blueberries. Turn batter into prepared pan and bake in preheated oven about 1 hour, or until toothpick inserted in center comes out clean. Let cool in pan 10 minutes, then turn out onto wire rack to cool completely.

QUICK BLUEBERRY TOPPING

½ cup light brown sugar, packed
1 tablespoon cornstarch
¼ cup water
1 pint (2 cups) fresh or frozen blueberries
Grated rind of 1 lemon
1 tablespoon lemon juice

Combine brown sugar and cornstarch in small, heavy saucepan. Gradually stir in water to make smooth paste. Stir in blueberries and bring to boil over medium-high heat. Reduce heat to medium and cook,

stirring constantly, 3 to 4 minutes, or until liquid is clear and thickened. Remove from heat and immediately stir in lemon rind and juice. Serve warm, or let cool to room temperature, then refrigerate until ready to use. Serve over ice cream, yogurt, pancakes, etc.

FRESH FRUIT MEDLEY IN HONEY CREAM

¼ cup sour cream
3 tablespoons honey
½ cup whipped heavy cream
1 cup fresh blueberries (reserve a few for garnish)
1 cup fresh apricot or peach slices
1 orange, peeled and separated into sections
1 grapefruit, peeled and separated into sections
Fresh mint leaves, for garnish (optional)

In small bowl combine sour cream and honey, stirring well to blend. Fold in whipped cream. Cover and chill while preparing fruit.

In serving bowl combine blueberries, apricots or peaches, orange and grapefruit sections. Pour prepared honey-cream mixture over fruit and garnish with reserved blueberries and mint leaves, if desired.

Australia exports beef

Copley News Service

Australia leads the world in the export of beef and veal and is second — after New Zealand — in mutton and lamb.

Salad solves left-over problem

By NANCY BYAL
Associated Press

This cool supper-for-one salad is a great way to enjoy last night's roast beef or to use sliced beef from the deli.

You'll have enough of the tangy apple dressing for 3 or 4 servings, so if your family sometimes eats in shifts, you can assemble salads one at a time and pass the dressing.

Or, store the extra dressing in a covered container in the refrigerator for another use.

It's great with spinach or fruit combinations.

BEEF AND APPLE SALAD

3 ounces thinly sliced cooked beef
¼ of a medium apple, cored and cut into thin wedges
3 ounces jicama, peeled and cut into thin sticks, or ¼ of an 8-ounce can sliced water chestnuts, drained

¼ of a medium carrot, cut into thin strips
Lettuce leaves
1 tablespoon raisins
¼ cup apple juice
¼ cup salad oil
2 tablespoons red wine vinegar

Arrange beef, apple, jicama and carrot on a lettuce-lined plate. Sprinkle with raisins. Cover with clear plastic wrap and chill until serving time or serve immediately.

For dressing, in a screw-top jar combine apple juice, oil and vinegar. Cover and shake well. Pour desired amount of dressing over salad. Store remaining dressing, covered, in refrigerator.

Nutrition information per serving: 429 cal., 27 g. pro., 33 g. carbo., 22 g. fat, 77 mg. chol., 77 mg. sodium. U.S. RDA: 204 percent vit. A, 44 percent vit. C, 11 percent thiamine, 15 percent riboflavin, 25 percent niacin, 25 percent iron.

Low-fat frozen fruit creams easy, refreshing dessert

NEW YORK (AP) — For those concerned about fat and cholesterol in their diets, the Canned Food Information Council has created refreshing frozen fruit creams.

The Council says a frozen fruit cream has one-tenth the fat content of gourmet ice cream, one-fifth the fat content of regular ice cream and half the fat content of sherbet.

The secret is canned sweetened, condensed milk, which gives frozen fruit creams the same wonderful richness and smoothness as cream.

Frozen fruit creams are easy to make, yet elegant; they don't require the use of an ice-cream maker. Fruit creams can be drizzled with wildflower honey, chocolate syrup, or sprinkled with freshly grated nutmeg.

To create these low-fat desserts, try the following recipes, provided by the Canned Food Information Council:

FROZEN PEAR CREAM

2 (16-ounce) cans bartlett sliced pears in extra light syrup, drained
1 (14-ounce) can sweetened condensed milk
1 cup canned pear nectar
1 cup milk
2 tablespoons lemon juice
4 egg whites, beaten to stiff peaks

Process pears in blender until smooth. Add condensed milk, pear nectar, milk and lemon juice; process until blended, about 5 seconds. Pour mixture into a medium bowl and fold in egg whites. Pour mixture into 9x5x3-inch loaf pan and cover with aluminum foil. Freeze for 3-4 hours until slushy; beat mixture with electric mixer until fluffy.

Freeze, covered, until firm, 8 hours or overnight. Makes 1½ quarts.

FROZEN BLACKBERRY CREAM

2 (16-ounce) cans blackberries in light syrup, drained
1 (14-ounce) can sweetened condensed milk
2 cups milk
2 tablespoons lemon juice
4 egg whites, beaten to stiff peaks

Process blackberries in blender until smooth; strain and discard seeds. Add condensed milk, milk and lemon juice. Process until blended, about 5 seconds. Pour mixture into medium bowl and fold in egg whites. Pour mixture into 9x5x3-inch loaf pan; cover with aluminum foil. Freeze for 3-4 hours until slushy; beat mixture with electric mixer until fluffy.

Freeze, covered, until firm, 8 hours or overnight. Makes 1½ quarts.



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WHAT'S COOKING



Mary Hunter

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Cook's vegetables garden fresh

EDITOR'S NOTE: "What's Cooking" currently is featuring non-profit organizations that have published cookbooks along with some of their members' favorite recipes. This article is the second concerning the Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity.

By MYRA LEE SALCEDO
Lifestyle Writer

Mary Hunter, a Midlander since the early 1930s, "loves to cook, but not at dinner time."

"I'll prepare everything ahead and freeze it to prevent being stuck in the kitchen when I have guests," she said.

Mrs. Hunter often uses fresh picked vine-ripened tomatoes, squash, green beans, corn and herbs from her garden, which she and her husband, Charles S. Hunter, tend to. Mrs. Hunter, who values efficiency in the kitchen, said fresh-picked corn is best prepared by "buttering it, wrapping it in plastic wrap and cooking it in the microwave."

She said a staple at her dinner table is fresh sliced tomatoes. The couple likes to grow unusual types of vegetables and their zucchini patch is one of their garden's most abundant producers.

"It gets to the point where our friends don't want to see us coming with zucchini anymore. They lock their car doors, so we can't drive by and slip some zucchini into their cars," she said.

Mrs. Hunter said that lettuce "doesn't do particularly well in Midland," but certain herbs, such as chives, tarragon and parsley thrive, "especially in early fall." The Hunters also have some fruit trees, including a peach tree. "Peach ice cream on the Fourth of July has become a family tradition," she said.

Aside from preparing garden fresh meals, Mrs. Hunter said she enjoys preparing dinners for 6-8 friends. "I usually make casseroles or one-dish meals," she said. She also enjoys preparing occasional family get-togethers for her two sons, daughter-in-law and one grandchild. A favorite family tradition, according to Mrs. Hunter, is a traditional New England Christmas dinner.

Mrs. Hunter, who is active in the Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity, was a member of the cookbook committee which produced the church's "A Simply Divine Cookbook." Although another cookbook is not "in the offing," according to Mrs. Hunter, the current cookbook is still selling well.

An upcoming project, "Tea Time at Trinity," will feature an English tea in the church's parish hall. "We will also offer a booklet with recipes of the foods served at the tea and it will include a history of English tea," Mrs. Hunter said. The tea will be in October and is a fundraiser for the church.

Other organizations Mrs. Hunter is involved in include the Junior League Sustainers and Pi Beta Phi. She also enjoys needlework as a hobby, when not exercising her green thumb. Hunter enjoys hunting and fly fishing, and the couple, who visited France last year, are avid travelers.

Mrs. Hunter included some of her favorite recipes.

AN CHICKEN WITH SPINACH SAUCE

2 1/2 whole chicken breasts
1 pound grated Cheddar cheese
1 red onion, chopped
24 corn tortillas
1 package frozen chopped spinach
2 cans cream of chicken soup
3 to 4 green onions
1/4 teaspoon salt
1/4 teaspoons garlic powder
1 pint sour cream
1/4 pound cheese grated topping
1 4-ounce can chopped green chiles (optional)

Cook and chop chicken. Mix with cheese and onions. Roll into 24 corn tortillas which have been softened in

hot oil. Place in casserole dish.

Cook spinach in 1 1/4 cups water; pour into blender. Add soup, green onions, salt, garlic powder and sour cream. Blend and pour over tortillas. Cover and bake at 350 degrees for 30 minutes. Uncover and top with additional cheese for the last five minutes of baking time.

Serves 12.

DILL BATTER LOAF

Mix together in a large mixing bowl: 1 package active dry yeast
1/4 cup sifted flour
2 tablespoons sugar
1 teaspoon salt
2 tablespoons dried minced onions to 2 teaspoons grated onion.
1 tablespoon dill weed

Combine ingredients and gradually add to the yeast mixture: 1 to 2 tablespoons butter
1/4 cup of water (120-130 degrees)
Beat two minutes at medium speed, scraping bowl occasionally. Add: 1 cup lukewarm large-curd cottage cheese
1 lightly beaten egg
1/4 cup sifted flour

Beat at high speed 2 minutes. Beat in 1 1/4 cups sifted flour, to make stiff batter. Cover and let rise until doubled in bulk. Stir down and transfer to a well greased 1 1/2 quart casserole or regular loaf pan. Cover and let rise until doubled in bulk. Bake in a preheated 350 degree oven 35-40 minutes. Top with melted butter and a sprinkling of salt.

TOASTED TUNA LOAVES

8 small hamburger buns
1/4 pound mild cheese, cubed
3 hard boiled eggs, chopped
1 7-ounce can tuna, flaked
2 tablespoons chopped onion
2 tablespoons chopped celery
2 tablespoons chopped stuffed olives
2 tablespoons chopped green pepper
1/4 cup mayonnaise
salt and pepper to taste

Slice buns in halves and scoop out center from each half. Combine other ingredients and fill buns; replace top slice. Place filled buns on baking sheet and heat at 250 degrees for about 30 minutes. Serve hot.

MINI PECAN PIES

1 3-ounce package cream cheese, softened
1/4 cup butter or margarine, softened
1 cup all-purpose flour
1 egg, beaten
1/4 cup of packed brown sugar
1 tablespoon butter or margarine, melted
3 tablespoons light corn syrup
1 1/4 teaspoons vanilla
Dash of salt
1/4 cup of broken pecans
3 tablespoons dark corn syrup

Blend cream cheese and 1/4 cup margarine; stir in flour and chill for one hour. Shape dough into 24 one-inch balls. Place in ungreased 1 1/2-inch muffin pans; press dough over bottom and up sides of pans. In small bowl, beat together egg, brown sugar, the tablespoon of melted margarine, the corn syrups, vanilla and salt.

Beat until smooth. Divide the pecans among the pastry shells. Spoon about 1/4 tablespoon egg mixture over pecans in each shell. Bake in 325 degree oven for 25-30 minutes or until filling is set and pastry is golden. Cool; remove from pans. Makes 2 dozen.

CHEESE STRAWS

1 stick butter or margarine, softened
1 pound sharp grated cheese
1 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon Tabasco sauce or 1 teaspoon cayenne pepper
1/4 teaspoon paprika
2 cups cake flour

Cream cheese and butter; add remaining ingredients and blend. Roll out on lightly floured surface and cut into thin strips. Place on greased baking sheet and bake at 300 degrees for 30-35 minutes.

JERE'S TOMATO ASPIC

2 quarts of canned tomatoes
2 cups water
3 teaspoons salt
1/4 teaspoon pepper
8 cloves
2 bay leaves
2 tablespoons sugar
2 teaspoons dry mustard
1 onion, diced
2 or 3 celery tops
5 tablespoons gelatin
1/4 cup diced bell pepper
2 cans crabmeat (optional)

Cook tomatoes, water, salt, pepper, cloves, bay leaf, sugar, mustard, onion and celery tops together for 15 minutes. Strain and pour juice over gelatin which has been softened in 1/4 cup water; cool until it begins to set. Add rest of ingredients; pour into molds. Serve with a dab of mayonnaise mixed with chili sauce. Top with grated hard boiled egg and a dash of paprika.

COMPANY SHRIMP CASSEROLE

1 to 2 pounds shrimp, cooked, peeled and cleaned
1 cup of rice, cooked
1 cup sharp cheese, grated
1 can mushroom soup
1/4 cup chopped green pepper
1/4 cup chopped green onion
1/4 cup chopped celery
1 stick butter or margarine
3 lemons, sliced very thin

Mix first four ingredients together. Sauté green pepper, green onion and celery in butter. Add to shrimp mixture. Put in long flat 2-quart casserole and completely cover with sliced lemons. Cook covered about 20 minutes at 375 degrees. May be frozen. Serves six.

CHICKEN PIQUANT

6 chicken breasts, or 6 thighs and 6 drumsticks
1/4 cup red wine
1/4 cup soy sauce
1/4 cup salad oil
2 tablespoons water
1 clove garlic
1 teaspoon ginger
1/4 teaspoon oregano (powdered), or 1 teaspoon flaked
1 tablespoon brown sugar

Combine above ingredients. Arrange chicken, skin side down, in baking dish. Pour sauce over. Cover tightly and bake at 375 degrees for 1 1/2 hours or until chicken is tender. (This is enough sauce for a single layer of chicken in a 9x13-inch pan and chicken will shrink while cooking.)

Serve chicken with Easy Rice.

NOTE: Chicken can be cooked slower: 4 hours at 200-225 degrees or 3 hours at 275-300 degrees.

EASY RICE

2 10 1/2-ounce cans of beef consommé
1 stick margarine
1 small chopped onion
1 3-ounce can sliced mushrooms, drained
1 cup raw rice

Combine ingredients and bake uncovered at 325 degrees for one hour. **NOTE:** To cook rice longer, uncover and increase heat.

ELLE'S DOVES

For 10 birds:
1 cup oil
1/4 cup onions, chopped
1/4 cup carrots, chopped
1/4 cup mushrooms, chopped
3 tablespoons butter
2 tablespoons flour
1 cup chicken stock
1/4 cup red wine
Salt
Pepper
2 strips orange peel

Salt and pepper birds; brown in oil in heavy skillet. Transfer birds to buttered casserole. Wipe out skillet. Melt butter and sauté onions, carrots, celery and mushrooms until soft. Blend in flour and add stock and wine, stirring until smooth. Add orange peel and pour sauce over birds in casserole. Cover and bake at 325 degrees for 45-60 minutes until birds are tender.

Bayou dweller makes a mean Cajun pickle

By MARY FOSTER

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Lynne O'Leary doesn't live on a bayou, own a pigroque, play the fiddle, or speak French, but she says she does make a mean Cajun pickle, and she hopes to do for the cucumber what chef Paul Prudhomme did for the redfish.

"It's a spicy sweet pickle, sliced thick and very crunchy. When people taste it, they either say it's like one their grandmother used to make, or they say they've never had anything like it before," said O'Leary, 35, of her Upside Down Cajun Pickles.

When O'Leary left her job as a geological technician in Houston at the beginning of the slump in the oil industry, she said she returned to a New Orleans suburb with her husband and two sons and became "just a mom in the kitchen."

She's still in the kitchen, but these days she's in a commercial kitchen working with a crew of five and turning out her pickles for sale instead of as gifts.

"I've made these for years. The recipe has been handed down in my family forever and I used to make them as gifts for friends," O'Leary said.

Word of the Cajun pickles got around after she returned to New Orleans and O'Leary said she began making more and more of them and selling them instead of giving them away.

"People would come to my home and buy them a case at a time and it finally just got to be too much for me to handle there," she said.

In January, O'Leary packed up her recipe and pickling spices and moved into commercial production. Since then Cajun Upside Down Pickles and Cajun Upside Down Chow Chow have hit the shelves of a number of area supermarkets and specialty food stores, and Upside Down Cajun Ketchup is on the way.

"We're making about 800 gallons of pickles a month and looking at that really growing soon," she said.

In fact, O'Leary hopes that just as blackened redfish caught on around the nation after Prudhomme introduced it, Cajun pickles might also become a craze.

O'Leary took her Cajun pickles to a national food brokers convention in New Orleans this spring and said there was a lot of interest and a lot of intriguing offers.

"A group of Mexican investors talked to us about setting up a plant

and producing them in Mexico. A Canadian company wants to buy them in bulk and distribute them in Canada. It's really exciting," O'Leary said.

"I was always overwhelmed producing a thousand jars. Now we're talking about millions of jars."

Going commercial has meant more than producing bigger batches, however. O'Leary said she's had to learn marketing and found out there's more to getting a product to the public than just packing it up.

"I never knew about things like slotting allowances," she said. "Do you know you have to pay the major grocery stores to have them carry your product and showcase it for you? I didn't. But it's true, if you want to be seen and not stuck behind the boxes on the end, you have to pay for your shelf space."

O'Leary also explained her unusual marketing technique. She said the label isn't on upside down; the jar is what's turned that way. And she says, there's a reason her pickles and chow-chow rest on their lids.

"The spices tend to settle on the bottom. By keeping them on their lids you always get a spicy pickle when you open the jar," she explained.

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Corn forms base for light summer meal

By MELANIE BARNARD
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The summer landscape of Connecticut used to be strewn with farm stands. If a local farmer grew corn, tomatoes, beans, cukes or peppers, he would put the crop out at the roadside on a folding table or in a homemade shed — sometimes manned by a wife or a child, but more often, because this busy season required that everybody pitch in to help harvest, the cash box was a cardboard vegetable carton and change was made on the honor system.

One old farm in Brooke's town grew nothing but corn. This establishment was so substantial that they had a shed built onto the back of the house just for selling the crop. And sell they did, dozens upon dozens of ears of pale yellow, exquisitely sweet corn.

By late afternoon, during the height of the season, so many people would arrive at the same time, brown bags in hand, that they had to stand in line to get into the shed where the ears were dispensed — always a "baker's dozen" if they bought 12.

Alas, the pressure of economics has forced most farmers to sell out to real estate developers and most of the farm stands are no more. Luckily we can get good corn from our upscale country market, but the pleasure of buying it right from the source is missing.

However, we still love corn, so we plan to keep right on eating it as much as possible every summer. We eat a lot of it on the cob, of course, cooked in a large pot of boiling water or in a baking dish in the microwave with a little water in the bottom.

We also have been using a lot of frozen corn kernels lately. The quality is great. We keep a 1-pound bag in the freezer, measuring out what we need, resealing the bag with a twist tie.

These two new recipes were developed especially for corn season, and you can use either kernels cut from cooked ears of corn or thawed frozen kernels.

Both the salad and the soup make a nice, light, summer supper. Serve the soup with rolls or bread and a green salad, or with a sandwich. The corn salad



needs only a roll to round out the meal. Dessert could be vanilla ice cream topped with blueberry sauce.

SHRIMP AND CORN SALAD WITH JALAPENO-LIME DRESSING

JALAPENO-LIME DRESSING:
1 cup mayonnaise
2 tablespoons minced jalapeno peppers — either fresh or pickled

1 tablespoon minced fresh coriander or 1 1/2 teaspoons dried
1 tablespoon lime juice
1 teaspoon Dijon mustard
1/4 teaspoon salt, or to taste

SALAD:
1 pound medium shrimp, shelled and deveined
2 cups corn kernels — either thawed frozen or cut from ears of fresh cooked corn

1 red pepper, cut in 1/4-inch squares
1/2 cup thinly sliced scallions
Leaf lettuce for lining platter
1 avocado

2 teaspoons lime juice
Salt and pepper to taste
Coriander sprigs for garnish, if available

Yields 4 servings.
Preparation and cooking time:

25 minutes.

To make dressing, combine mayonnaise with jalapenos, coriander, lime juice mustard and salt in small bowl.

Cook shrimp, either in a large pot of boiling water for 2 minutes or in microwave. To cook in microwave, arrange shrimp in single layer in large dish and cover with plastic wrap. Microwave on high for 1 minute. Move the uncooked shrimp in center to outer edges and microwave for another 1 to 2 minutes or until shrimp are opaque. Run under cold water to cool.

Place shrimp in large bowl with corn, red pepper and scallions. Toss to combine. Pour dressing over salad and toss gently. (May be made ahead and refrigerated for up to 6 hours.)

Make a bed of lettuce on a serving platter and spoon salad onto the greens. Peel avocado, cut into slices or cubes and arrange over salad. Sprinkle with lime juice and salt and pepper and garnish with sprigs of coriander if available.

CORN AND RED PEPPER SOUP
1 tablespoon butter
2 tablespoons vegetable oil

1 cup chopped onion
1 clove garlic, minced
5 cups corn kernels,
6 cups chicken broth
1/4 teaspoon nutmeg
1 cup chopped, roasted red peppers
1/4 teaspoon Tabasco or to taste
1/2 cup sour cream

Yields 4 servings.

Melt butter and oil together in large saucepan or soup pot. Add onion and garlic and cook over medium heat for 3 minutes until onion is beginning to soften. Add corn and 1 cup chicken broth. Bring to boil, cover, lower heat and simmer for 10 minutes.

Puree the corn mixture in blender or food processor. The texture should not be completely smooth. Return corn puree to soup and add remaining 5 cups of chicken broth, nutmeg and chopped peppers.

Simmer, uncovered for 5 minutes to combine flavors. Season with Tabasco to taste.

Soup may be served hot or at room temperature.

Ladle into soup bowls and serve with a spoonful of sour cream on top.

NOTE: Roasted red peppers are sold in jars packed in oil.

Summer corn makes fresh, reasonably priced dishes

Copley News Service

Like Nelly Forbush in "South Pacific," you may be "corny as Kansas in August" — but with the worst drought in half a century, Kansas isn't quite as corny as usual this year. Still, golden ears of fresh corn are generally available and surprisingly reasonable in price, so following are several recipes to celebrate what there is of the '88 harvest.

How should you store fresh corn? You shouldn't, if you can help it.

The minute an ear is picked, those sweet, tender kernels begin to lose their appeal as corn's sugar converts to starch. So use as soon as you can after purchase for best flavor. If you must, store briefly in the fridge and use as soon as possible thereafter (do not remove husks and silk until just before cooking).

MOCK CORN OYSTERS

1 cup fresh raw corn, cut from cob
2 eggs, separated
1 tablespoon butter or margarine, melted

1/4 teaspoon each pepper and ground marjoram
1/4 teaspoon cayenne pepper
1/2 cup sifted whole-wheat pastry flour

Vegetable oil
Celery salt

In medium mixing bowl combine corn, egg yolks, butter or margarine, and seasonings. Stir in flour, blending well. In separate bowl beat egg whites until they form soft peaks, then fold into corn mixture.

Heat vegetable oil to about 350 F. Drop corn mixture by teaspoons into hot oil and fry until golden. Drain well on paper towels and serve hot, sprinkled lightly with celery salt.

NEW ENGLAND CORN PUDDING

2 cups fresh corn kernels, cut from the cob
1 teaspoon granulated sugar
1/4 teaspoon each salt and ground nutmeg
1/4 teaspoon pepper
3 eggs, lightly beaten
2 cups whole milk
2 tablespoons butter or margarine

Preheat oven to 315 degrees. In large mixing bowl combine corn kernels, sugar, salt, nutmeg and pepper; toss. Stir in eggs and set aside.

Combine milk and butter in saucepan and heat only until butter melts. Add to corn mixture.

Turn into lightly buttered 1-quart casserole and sprinkle top lightly with additional pepper and nutmeg. Place casserole dish into a pan of hot water. Bake in preheated oven 1 hour, or until knife inserted in center comes out clean.

SOPA DE ELOTE

1 1/2 quarts milk
1 1/2 cups fresh corn kernels, cut from the cob
2 tablespoons diced mild green chilies, drained
2 eggs, beaten
2 tablespoons butter or margarine
Dash each salt and pepper

Heat milk over medium-low heat in saucepan (do not boil). Add corn and chilies to hot milk and cook, stirring frequently, about 4 minutes. Add beaten eggs but do not stir. Simmer for several minutes, then beat mixture lightly with a wire whisk. Add the butter and seasonings and stir until butter melts. Serve immediately.

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Simple or elaborate, strawberries America's favorite

By LINDA SUSAN DUDLEY
Copley News Service

There are foods that can be called memory nudgers. By shape, color or aroma, they pull the mind to a person or place or time past. Or all three.

Consider peanut butter cookies — warm to the touch and decorated with the hash marks of crossed fork tines and a maraschino cherry half. That's home, all cozy, cheery and secure.

Or, even the lowly hot dog, pierced by a metal rod and blackened over a sandy beach grill. That's a sunset cookout with a loved one or spirited crowd.

Add to that list of instant-recall foods the strawberry: plump, ripe and juicy.

The fruit is unparalleled in star-spangled Americana desserts such as shortcakes and pies, when the berry is sliced, sugared and sauced. The fruit is just as perfect eaten simply and unadorned, held by the green hull between two fingers and popped into the mouth.

Strawberries go well with practically everything. For dipping, serve them with sour cream and brown sugar. Or serve the fruit in any of the dessert classics, such as strawberry shortcake or strawberry pie. Mix versatile strawberries in fancy blender drinks or skewer them for refreshing dessert kebabs.

When buying berries, look for bright red fruit and fresh green caps as strawberries do not ripen after picking. To enjoy maximum flavor and appearance, refrigerate the fruit just before you're ready to use them, gently rinse, with caps still attached. Remove caps, unless serving for dipping, and slice, crush or fix them the way the recipe directs.

Besides their all-American appeal, strawberries are a nutritional favorite. One cup of strawberries provides about 150 percent of the U.S. RDA for vitamin C and add 8 percent of iron and some fiber to the diet — for only 60 calories.

With their brilliant ruby-red color and tantalizing taste, strawberries are the natural choice for creating any glamorous dessert. Fortunately, they're also one of the easiest fruits to prepare for cooking. There is no peeling or coring, and most strawberry desserts require little baking — a welcome fact during the warm months when you want to keep cooking and baking time to a minimum.

Here are recipes that use plump red strawberries in a wide variety of delicious ways, including the traditional favorite strawberry shortcake — a quick and easy cake that starts with a mix — and pies combining the fruit with everything from lemon flavor to chocolate.

Strawberries are one of America's favorite fruits: chocolate, America's favorite flavor. Put them together and you have the ultimate dessert, chocolate strawberry cake. The chocolate cake, laced with port wine, serves as a bowl for the berries.

CHOCOLATE

STRAWBERRY CAKE

1/2 cup port wine
1/2 cup butter or margarine
1 (6-ounce) package semisweet chocolate pieces
2 eggs, separated
1/2 cup sugar
1/2 cup flour
1 pint strawberries, sliced

Quickly rinse strawberries and pat dry. Hull and set aside 4 or 5 for garnish. In food processor, puree half of remaining berries with sugar, orange juice and vanilla. Slice remaining berries and stir into puree. Cover and let stand 20-25 minutes at room temperature or make up to 6 hours ahead and refrigerate. Bring

1 cup whipping cream, whipped and sweetened

Heat 1/2 cup port, butter and 1/2 cup chocolate in top of double boiler over simmering water to melt. Stir to blend; set aside to cool. In mixer bowl, beat egg yolks with 6 tablespoons sugar until thick and pale. On low speed gradually add chocolate mixture; beat smooth. Mix in flour, stir in remaining chocolate pieces. In separate bowl beat egg whites with remaining 2 tablespoons sugar until stiff, but not dry. Fold beaten whites into chocolate batter, little at a time, until incorporated. Pour into greased and floured 9-inch round layer cake pan. Bake in 325 degree oven 25 to 30 minutes, until wooden pick inserted into center comes out clean. Cool in pan 5 minutes. Loosen edges and invert onto serving plate. With back of spoon press shallow indentation into center of cake. Toss strawberries with remaining port; spoon into center of warm or cooled cake. Pipe or spoon whipped cream around edges.

STRAWBERRY LEMONDRIFT PIE

2 pints strawberries
1/2 cup milk
1 envelope unflavored gelatin
1/2 cup sugar
1 1/2 tablespoons grated fresh lemon peel
1/2 cup fresh lemon juice
2 cups whipping cream
1 baked and cooled 9-inch pie shell
Powdered sugar

Stem strawberries, cover and chill. In 1-quart saucepan combine milk and gelatin; set aside 5 minutes. Stir in sugar. Stir over low heat until gelatin and sugar completely dissolve. Stir in peel and juice. Cool to room temperature, then chill until syrupy, about 15 minutes. Meanwhile, in large bowl, whip cream to form stiff peaks. Fold in gelatin mixture to blend thoroughly. Spoon into pie shell, mounding top. Halve strawberries. Cover filling with strawberries. Chill until firm, at least 2 hours. Dust lightly with powdered sugar just before serving.

STRAWBERRY SHORTCAKE

Strawberries:
1 quart fresh strawberries
6-7 tablespoons sugar
1 tablespoon orange juice or orange liqueur
1/4 teaspoon vanilla
Shortcake:
1 1/2 cups flour
3 teaspoons sugar, divided
1 1/2 teaspoons baking powder
1/2 teaspoon baking soda
1/4 teaspoon salt
3 tablespoons chilled butter, cut into 6 pieces
3 tablespoons chilled vegetable shortening, cut into 6 pieces
1/2 cup cold buttermilk, plus 2 teaspoons for brushing
Assembly:
1/2 cup heavy cream, chilled
1 tablespoon softened butter



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Strawberries are one of America's favorite fruits, and can be eaten simply and unadorned or added to desserts

back to room temperature before serving.

To prepare shortcakes, preheat oven to 425 degrees. Place flour, 2 teaspoons sugar, baking powder, baking soda and salt in workbowl of food processor. Pulse 2-3 times to sift. Distribute butter and shortening evenly over flour and pulse about 10 times until mixture is crumbly and butter and shortening are in pieces size of small peas. With motor running, pour 1/2 cup buttermilk through feed tube and process until until dough masses together to form soft, but workable dough. With hands, gather dough into ball and place on floured work surface. (See note at end of recipe for hand mixing.)

Roll or pat dough to slightly less than 1/4-inch thickness. Cut 4 or 5 shortcakes with 2 1/2-inch biscuit cutter and place 2 inches apart on ungreased baking sheets. (Extra scraps of dough may be re-rolled and baked as biscuits.)

Brush tops of shortcakes with remaining 2 teaspoons buttermilk and sprinkle with remaining 1 teaspoon sugar.

Bake in center of oven for about 18 minutes until well risen and golden brown. Remove to rack to cool slightly. (Can be made early in day

and reheated for a few minutes in at 350 degrees.)

While shortcakes are baking, whip cream to soft peaks. To assemble shortcakes, split and spread cut sides with softened butter. Spoon some of berry filling onto the bottom halves of shortcakes. Then replace tops. Spoon more berries around and over shortcakes and top with dollop of whipped cream. Set reserved whole berries in whipped cream.

Note: To mix by hand, stir together dry ingredients. Cut or rub in butter and shortening. Add buttermilk and mix only until dough comes together. Turn out onto a floured surface and proceed as above.

STRAWBERRY CAKE

1 package cake mix (yellow or white)
1 (3-ounce) package strawberry gelatin
1/2 cup oil
1/2 cup water, room temperature
3 eggs lightly beaten
1 basket fresh strawberries, washed, hulled, diced and drained; reserve drained juice
1/2 cup granulated sugar
For Frosting:
About 2 tablespoons drained juice from strawberries or as needed
1 stick butter or margarine, softened
1 (1-pound) package of powdered

sugar, or amount necessary for frosting consistency

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Wash and dice strawberries; mix with granulated sugar; turn into colander to drain; reserve juice. Mix together cake mix and gelatin. Add oil and water, beating a little. Add eggs and beat for 2 minutes. Add diced and drained strawberries. Lightly butter and flour Bundt pan. Pour in cake batter and bake for 45 minutes or until cake tests done. Let cool for at least 10 minutes and turn onto serving platter.

Frosting: Mix together liquid from drained strawberries, butter and powdered sugar. Ice cake.

Note: Cake is also delicious served without frosting.

THE ULTIMATE STRAWBERRY PIE

Pie crust mix for single crust, 9-inch pie
1/2 cup finely ground almonds
Water
1 (8-ounce) package cream cheese, softened
1 1/2 tablespoons sugar
2 pints strawberries, washed and stemmed
2 ounces semisweet chocolate, melted
Chocolate leaves (recipe follows)
Ground almonds for garnish

Combine pie crust mix and almonds; mix in water as directed on package. Roll out pastry on floured surface and use to line 9-inch pie plate; crimp edges. Prick bottom and sides of pastry shell with fork. Bake at 400 degrees 8-10 minutes, until golden brown. Set aside to cool.

In mixing bowl beat cream cheese and sugar until smooth. Gradually beat in 1/2 cup of berries to crush. Spread mixture in prepared pastry shell. Dip tips of remaining berries in melted chocolate; arrange upright over cheese layer. Sprinkle with ground almonds. Arrange chocolate leaves around outer edge of pie.

Chill. To serve, cut wedges.

Chocolate Leaves: Select about a dozen camellia or other rigid leaves that are about 2 inches long. Wipe with clean, dry towel (do not use water to clean leaves). In double boiler over hot (not boiling) water melt 2 ounces semisweet chocolate with 1/4 teaspoon vegetable shortening. Using back of teaspoon, coat undersides of leaves with chocolate, being careful not to coat edges. Place on tray in refrigerator or freezer to harden. When ready to use, loosen edges and gently peel leaves away from chocolate, starting at stem end.

STRAWBERRY

BLACK BOTTOM PIE

1/2 cup half-and-half
1 (6-ounce) package semisweet chocolate morsels
3 eggs, separated
1 baked 9-inch pie shell
2 pints strawberries, washed and stemmed
2 teaspoons lemon juice
1/4 cup sugar
1 package unflavored gelatin
1/4 cup cold water

Heat half-and-half in saucepan over medium heat. Stir in chocolate morsels; beat smooth with wire whisk. Remove from heat; whisk in egg yolks one at a time, mixing until well-blended. Return to heat. Cook, stirring 1 to 2 minutes longer. Cool; pour into pie shell, chill until set, 2 to 3 hours. Puree 1 pint of strawberries with lemon juice (there should be about 1 1/2 cups puree). Soften gelatin in water; warm over low heat to dissolve, then stir into berry puree. Chill until mixture begins to set. Meanwhile beat egg whites, gradually adding sugar, until soft peaks form. Fold in thickened berry mixture. Pour over chocolate layer; chill until set. To serve, slice remaining berries; sweeten if desired. Spoon over wedges of pie.

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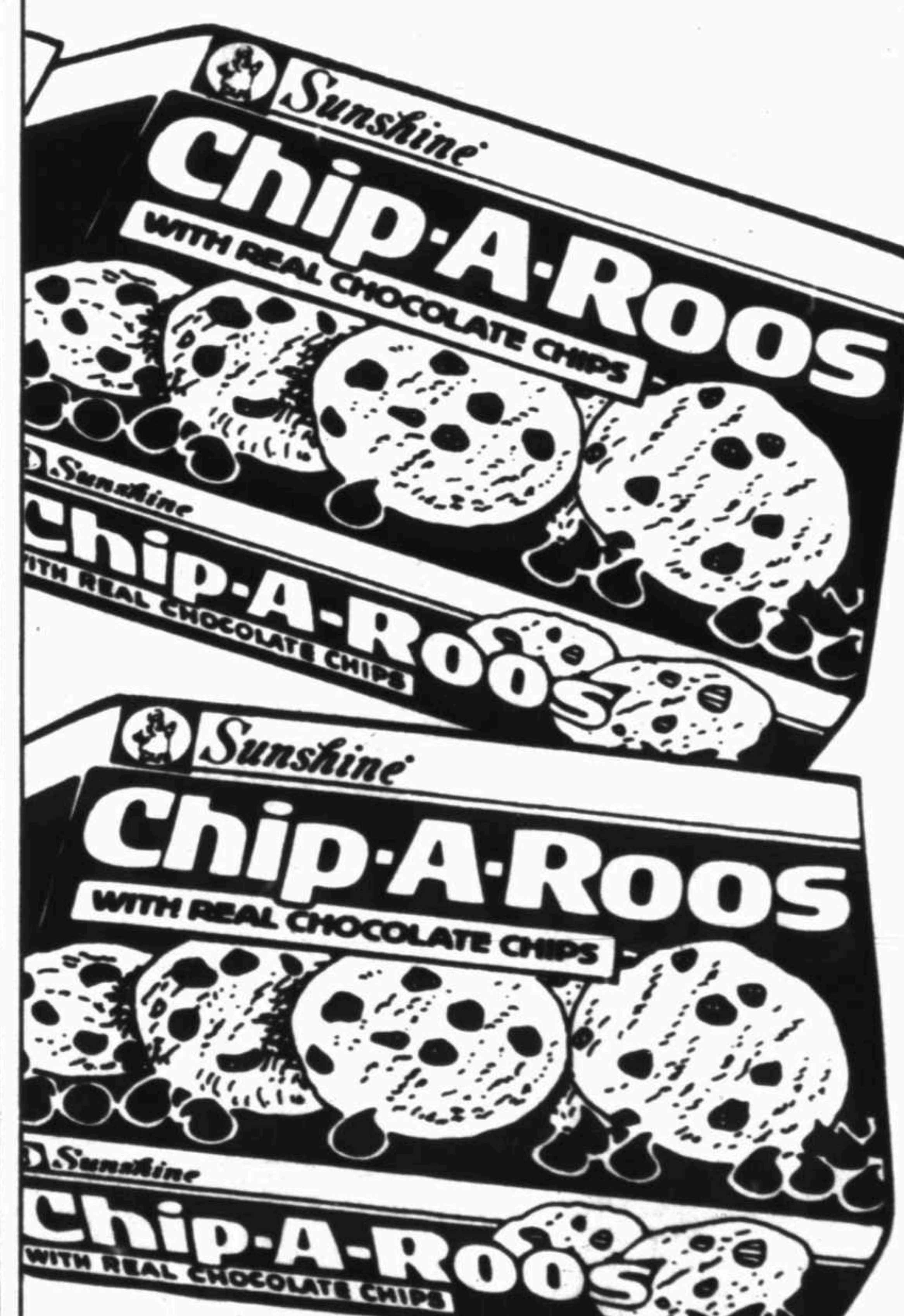
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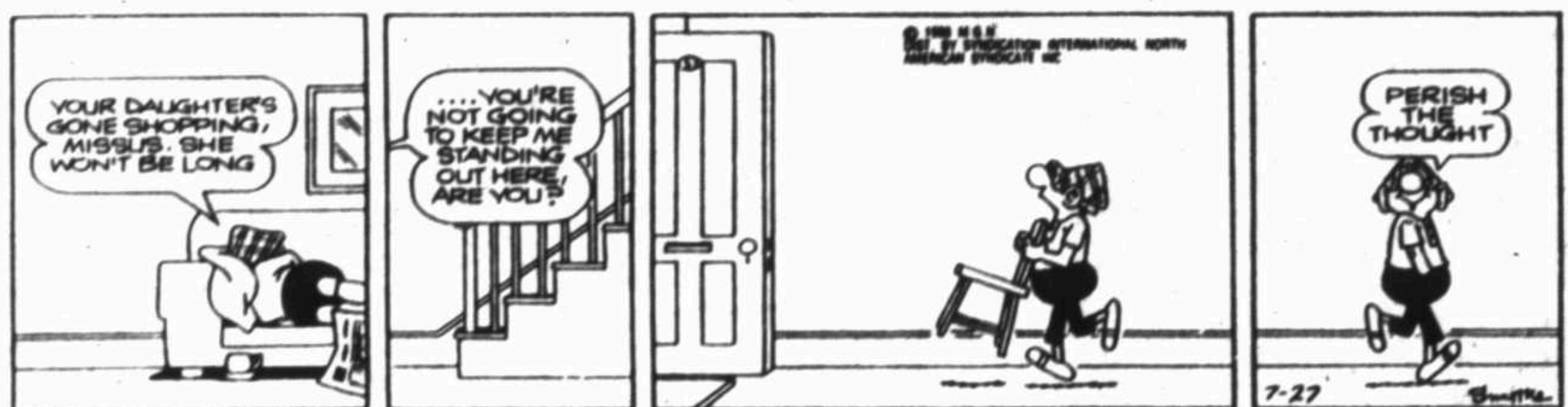
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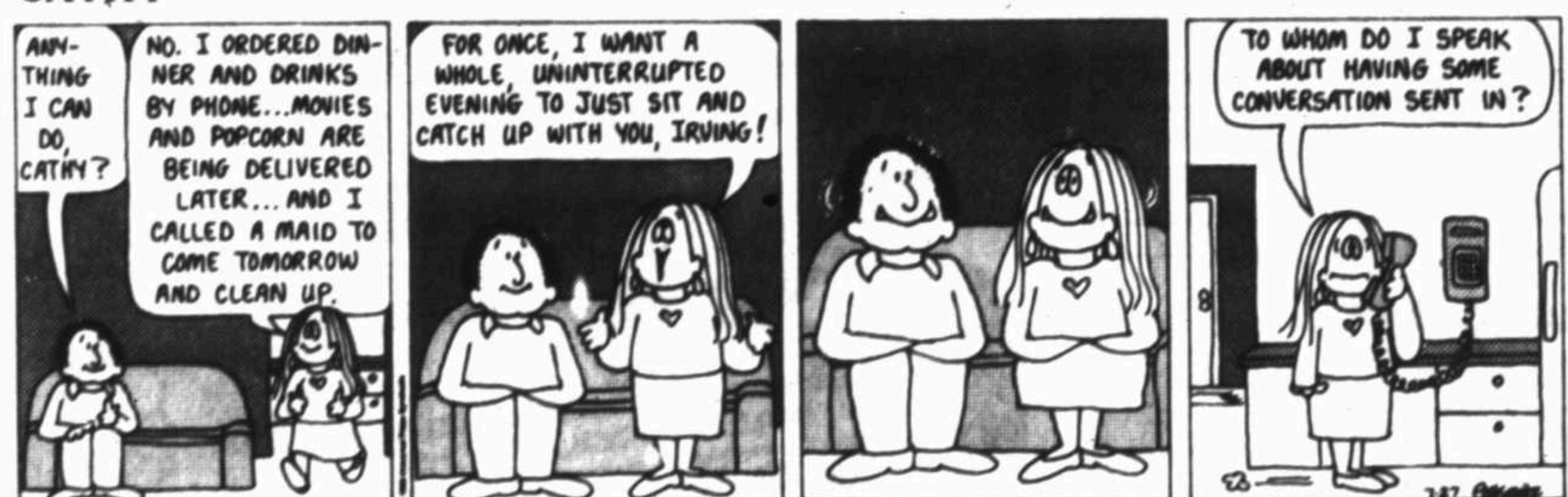
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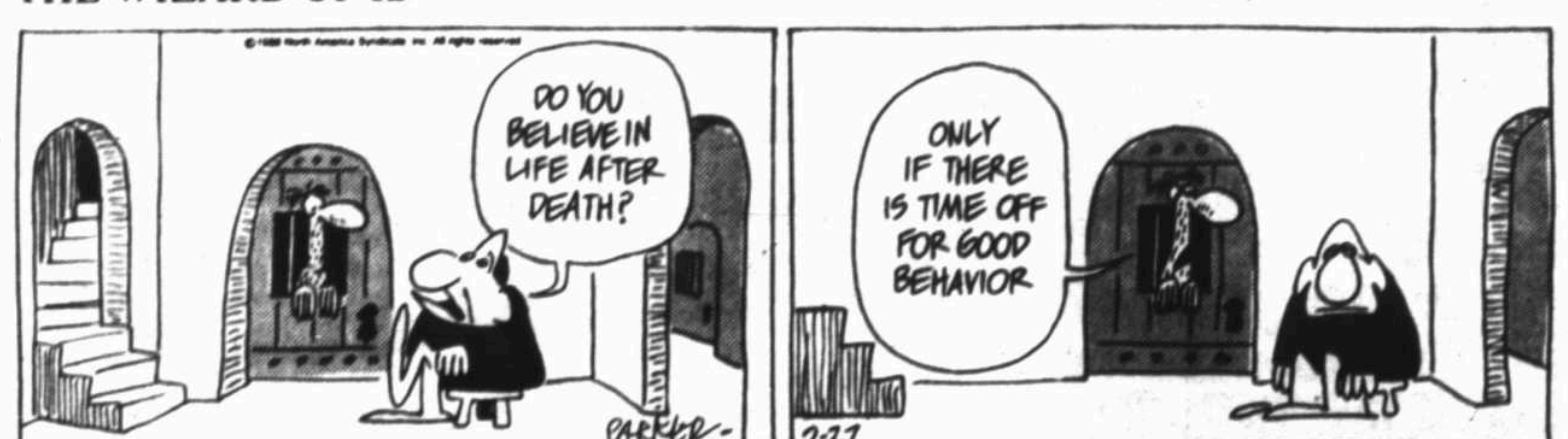
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CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: Jacqueline Kennedy Onassis, slugger Carmelo Martinez, Sen. Bill Bradley, comedian Joe E. Brown, author Beatrix Potter.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Money may be a bit of an obsession now. Work on boosting your productivity and funds will follow. Being patient with those in authority will give you an edge at promotion time.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Your timing is excellent. You sense when to apply pressure and when to pull back. Seek a better balance in work relationships. Higher education opportunities should not be ignored.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): This

morning's events will give you cause for reflection. Find more efficient ways to accomplish your goals. Focus on saving time and money. Travel is best postponed. Delay signing agreements.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): You are able to get confirmation of an educated guess. Once again, you have been proven right! Patch up your differences with a business associate. You will need this person's cooperation.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): You get a chance to bask in the spotlight. Enjoy yourself! Past achievements are finally noticed. The time could be right for seeking a loan or special favor. Hidden talents surface.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Distant affairs produce favorable results. Diplomacy and compromise will ease tension at work. Use your flair for the dramatic to emphasize the benefits of making a change. Romance looks rosy.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Changing jobs now could work against you. Avoid impulsive decisions and a financial situation should show improvement. Home becomes a more harmonious place. Relax and enjoy the quiet. Romance deepens.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Accept new responsibilities and a raise will follow. Real estate figures in the profit picture. Overtime is required but you welcome the extra money. The flames of an old romance flare up.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Gossip depresses you. Do not rely on unreliable sources. Patience and understanding are your strongest allies in sorting out a romantic triangle. Avoid saying anything you might regret later.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Resourcefulness will get you the results you seek. Smile — your "up" mood is contagious. Family ties are a source of satisfaction. Seek areas of agreement with loved ones. Your goals are similar.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Financial affairs look splendid, but you must remain tight-fisted. Allow more give-and-take between the old and the young. A romantic gesture warms your heart. Take nothing for granted.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Take your time when making important decisions. Remember past mistakes but do not dwell on them. You need to seek family's cooperation to keep expenses down. Romance is terrific. Show affection.

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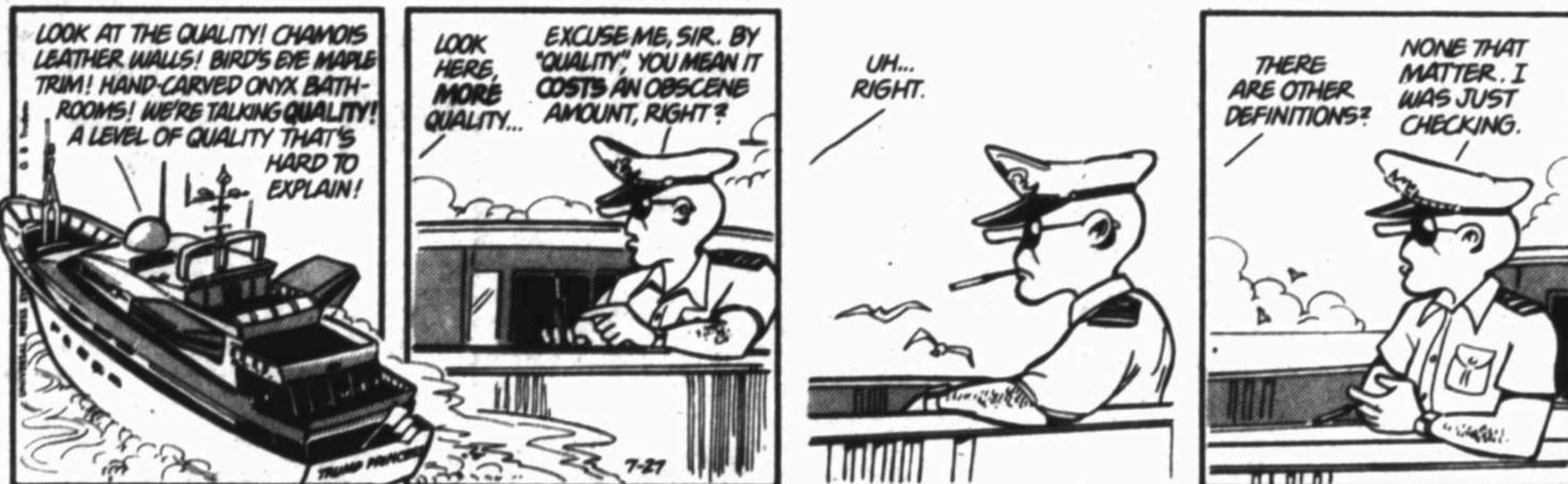
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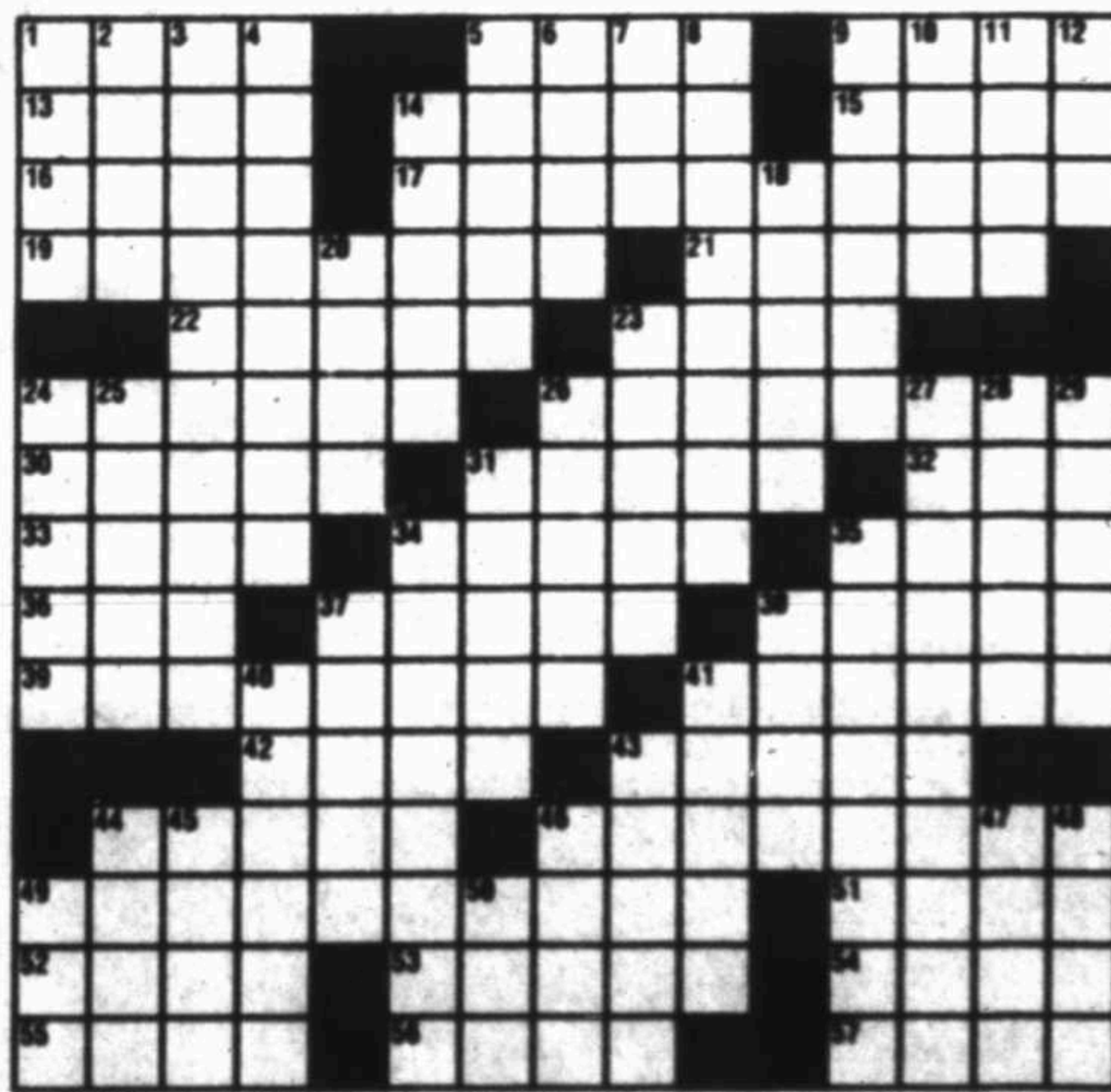
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4:00 Donahue	Hour Magazine	Sup. Court People's Court	Jettsons DuckTales	Lone Ranger Rillman	Beaver Laverne	Alba Marina	G.I. Joe Jam	Sports Trivia Thoroughbred	Read/Rainbow 3-2-1 Contact	World Wide Wrestling
5:00 Family Ties ABC News	Current Affairs CBS News	News NBC News	Double Dare B. Hillbillies	Big Valley	Alice Carol Burnett	Chipsita Noticiero	Good Times Jeffersons	SportsLook Muscle Mag.	Sesame Street	Guide Week on Dirt
6:00 News Wheel-Fortune	News M*A*S*H	Jeopardy! Lose or Draw	Star Trek	Remington Steele	Andy Griffith Major League	Primavera	Major League Baseball: Chi-	SportsCenter School. Sports	New Image MacNeil/	La. Downs Bass Fishing
7:00 Growing Pains Head of Class	Jake and the Fatman	Highway to Heaven	Black Sheep Squadron	Crazy Like a Fox	Baseball: Cincinnati Reds	El Extranero Retorno	cago Cubs at Montreal Ex-	Rodeo: 87 National Finals	Lehrer Take Charge!	Norm Hitzges Major League
8:00 Hooperman Slop Maxwell	Equus	Funny People	Movie: "Bad Boys"	700 Club	at Atlanta Braves	Los Vidas	pos	Lighter Side PBA Bowling	16 Days of Glory	Baseball: Boston Red Sox
9:00 Sponser: For Hire	Wiseguy	St. Elsewhere	Straight Talk Snapshots	Movie: "Ride	Noticiero Muy Especial	News INN News	Hammer Open, from Ed-	Eleanor/ Words	at Texas Rangers	
10:00 News Ent. Tonight	News WKRP	News Tonight Show	Rui D. Downs	Remington Steele	The High Country	Mala Noche...No	Twilight Zone Trapper John, SportsCenter	mond, Okla.	Topaz	Major League
11:00 Nightline Love Conno.	Adderly	Hawaii Five-0	Paper Chase	Movie: "El	Medico de las	Movie: "Bret	M.D. Motorweek	Auto Racing Motorweek	All Am. Jazz Garden	Baseball
12:00 News Headline News	"North Beach and Rashide"	man News	Late Show	Burns & Allen Groucho	With Their Boots On"	Locas	Hora del Gato	NFL Fishin' Hole	Sign-Off	Sign-Off
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4:00 Irons	Story	Kids Inc. Videopolis	Strike at Dawn	sure Island	New Country	Dance Party	NICK Rocks Dennis	Miss Marple	Gorilla	Praise the Lord Live
5:00 Movie: "Hot Pursuit"	Movie: "The Diary of Anne"	Movie: "Panic in the"	Movie: "Sav-	ing Grace"	Fandango Be a Star	Cartoons	Finder Keeper Don't Sit	Golden Age Good/Cafe	World Access Television	Praise the Lord Live
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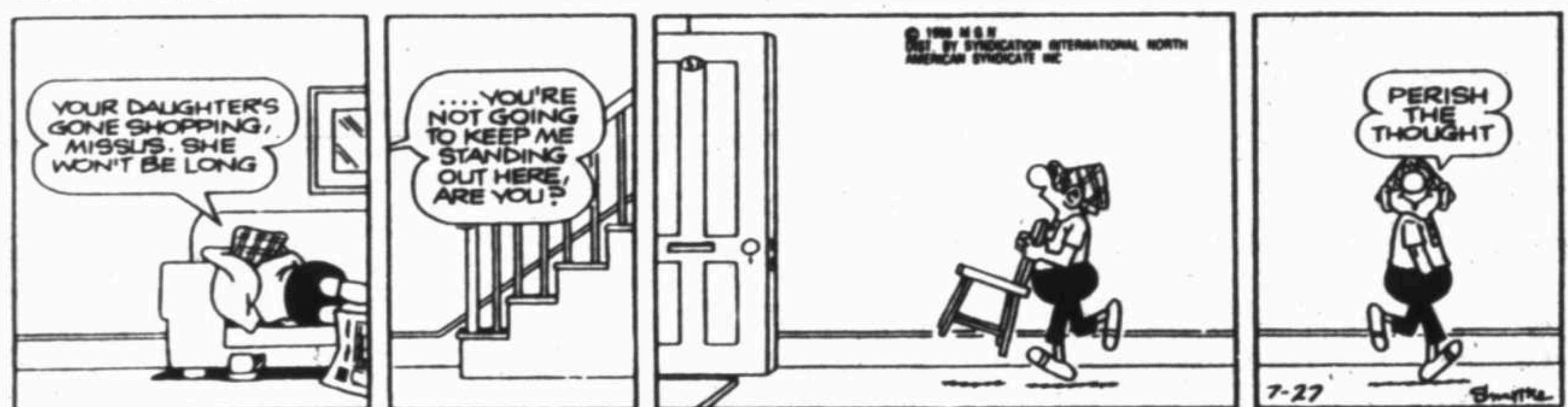
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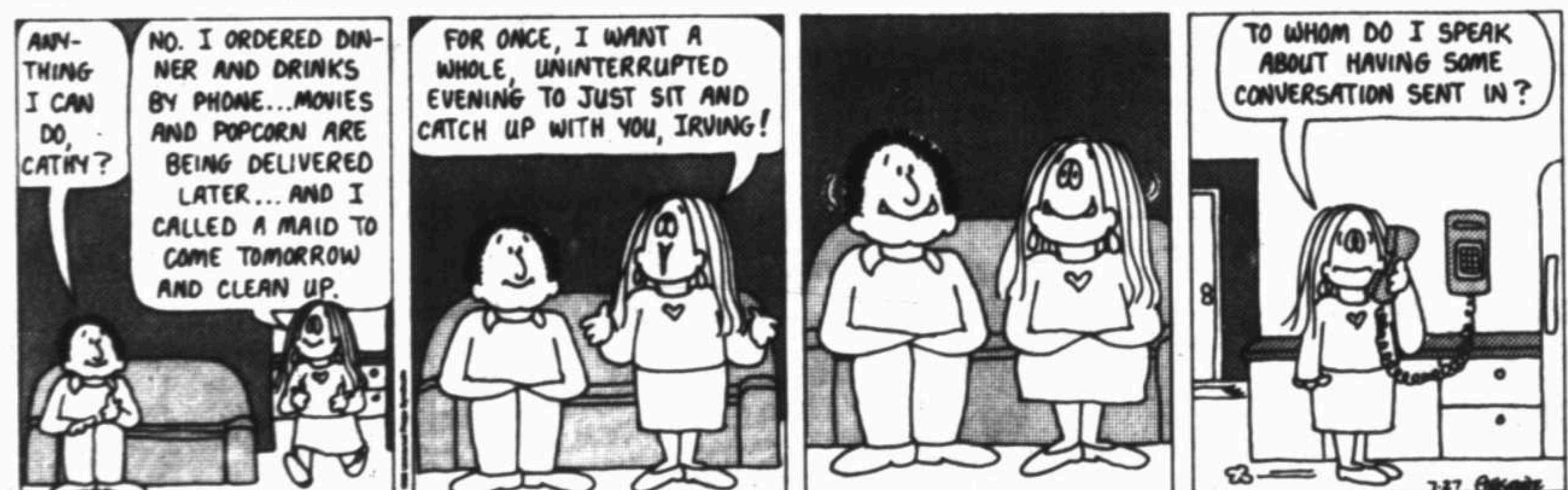
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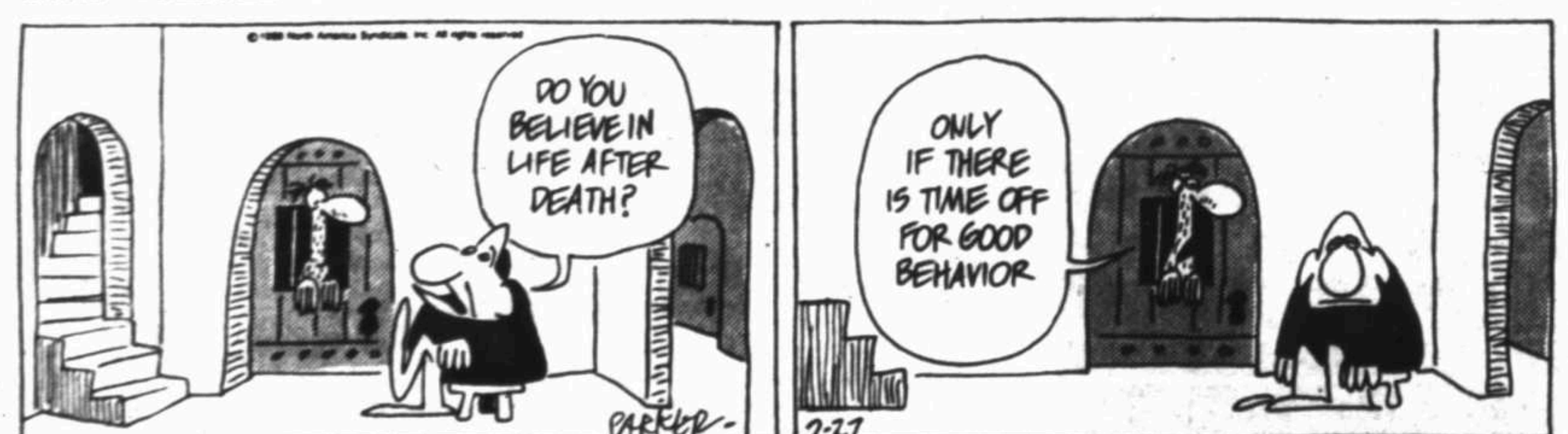
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GEMINI (May 21-June 20): This

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SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Accept new responsibilities and a raise will follow. Real estate figures in the profit picture. Overtime is required but you welcome the extra money. The flames of an old romance flare up.

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GOREN BRIDGE

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East-West vulnerable. North deals.

NORTH

♠ A K 9 3
♥ 9 7 6 5 2
♦ 7 3
♣ Q 10

WEST

♠ J 8 5 2
♥ A
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EAST

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♠ 6
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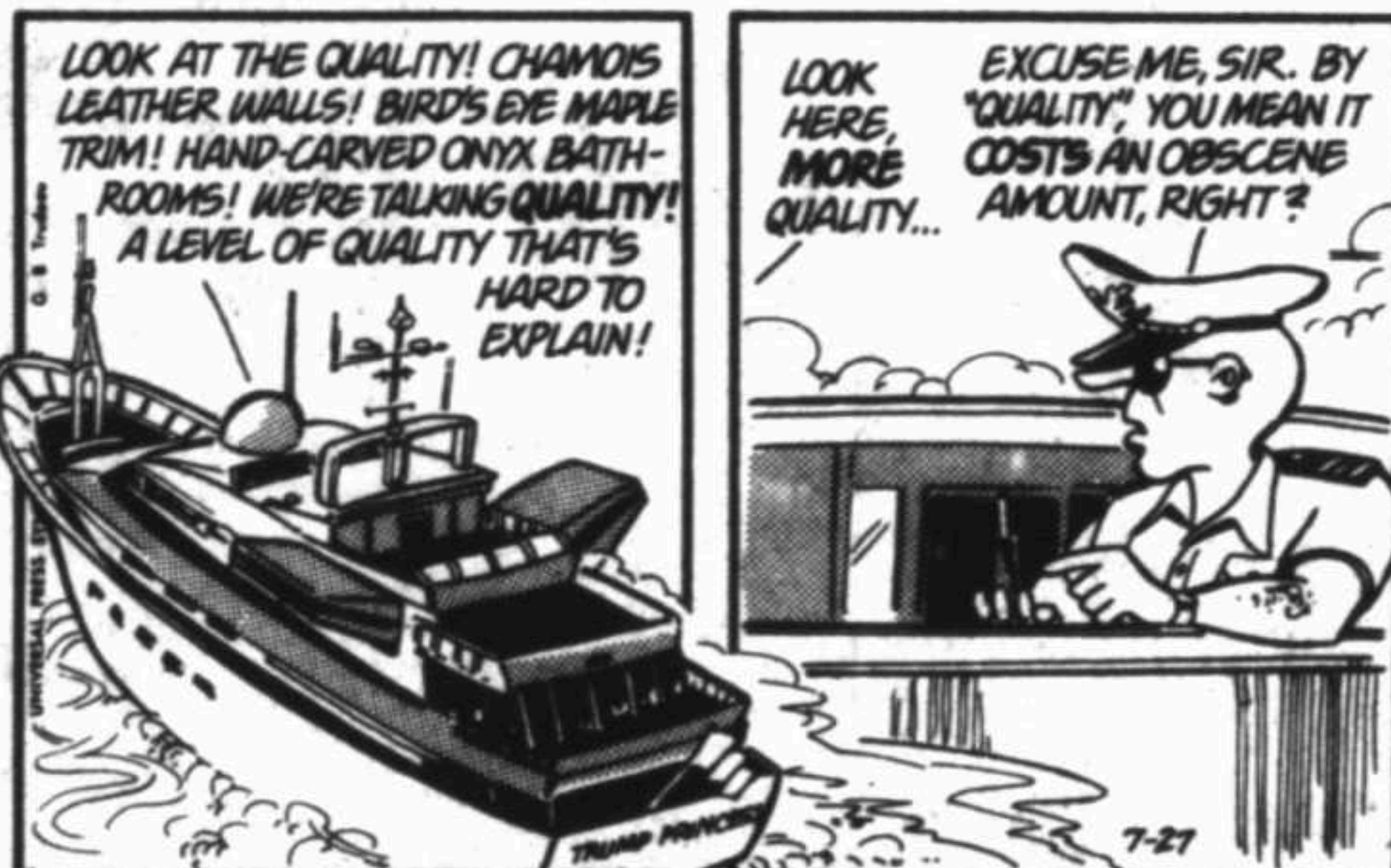
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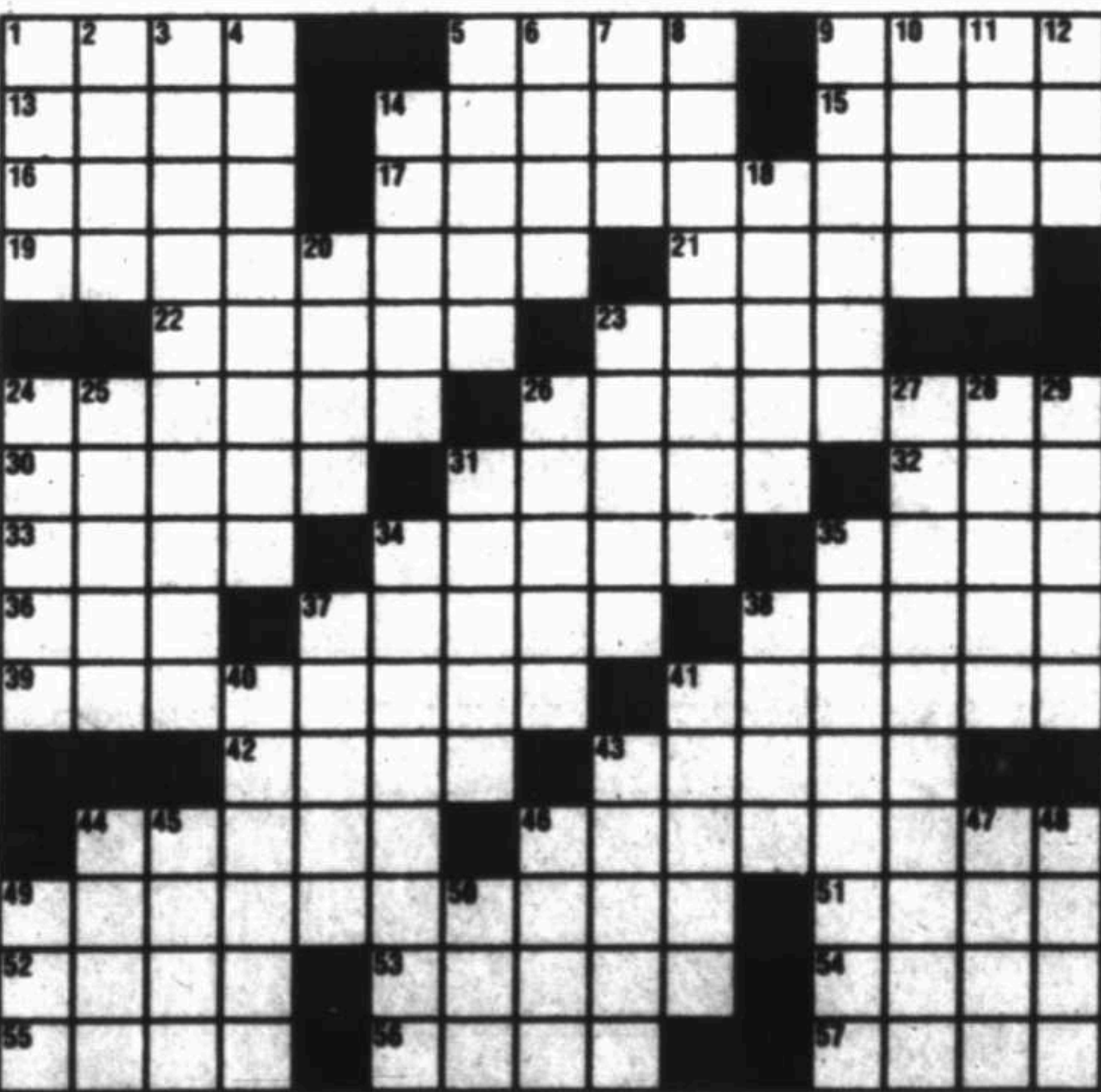
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4:00	Donahue	Hour Magazine	Sup. Court People's Court	Jettsons DuckTales	Lone Ranger Rifleman	Beaver Laverne	Alba Marina	G.I. Joe	Sports Trivia Thoroughbred	Read/Rainbow 3-2-1 Contact	World Wide Wrestling
5:00	Family Ties ABC News	Current Affairs CBS News	News NBC News	Double Dare 8. Hillbillies	Big Valley	Alice Carol Burnett	Chipsita Noticiero	Good Times Jeffersons	SportsLook Muscle Mag.	Sesame Street	Week on Dirt
6:00	News Wheel-Fortune	News M*A*S*H	Jeopardy! Lops or Draw	Star Trek	Remington Steele	Andy Griffith Major League	Primavera	Major League Baseball: Chi-	SportsCenter MacNeil/	New Image	La. Downs Bass Fishing
7:00	Growing Pains Head of Class	Jake and the Fatman	Highway to Heaven	Black Sheep Squadron	Crazy Like a Fox	Baseball: Cincinnati Reds	El Extranio Retorno	cago Cubs at Montreal Ex-	Rodeo: 87 National Finals	Lahrer Take Charge!	Norm Hitzges Major League
8:00	Hoopman Stap Maxwell	Equalizer	Funny People	Movie: "Bad Boys"	700 Club	at Atlanta Braves	Dos Vidas	pos	Lighter Side PBA Bowling:	16 Days of Glory	Baseball: Boston Red Sox
9:00	Spenser: For Hire	Wiseguy	St. Elsewhere	"	Straight Talk Snapshots	Movie: "Ride	Noticiero Muy Especial	News INN News	Hammer Open, from Ed-	Eleanor/ Words	at Texas Rangers
10:00	News Ent. Tonight	News WKRP	News Tonight Show	Rui D. Downs	Remington Steele	The High Country	Male No-	Twilight Zone Trapper John,	mond, Okla. SportsCenter	Topaz	Major League
11:00	Nightline Love Connec.	Adderly	David Letter-	Hawaii Five-0	Paper Chase	"They Died	Movie: "El Medico de las	M.D. Movie: "Bret	Auto Racing Motoreweek	All Am. Jazz Garden	Baseball
12:00	News Headline News	"North Beach and Rawhide"	man News	Late Show	Burns & Allen Groucho	With Their Boots On"	Locas	Maverick: The Lazy Ace"	NFL Fishin' Hole	Sign-On	Sign-Off
	SHOWTIME Cable 5	TMC Cable 17	DISNEY Cable 18	MAX Cable 21	HBO Cable 22	TNN Cable 23	USA Cable 24	NICK Cable 25	A&E Cable 26	SPN Cable 27	TBN Cable 31
4:00	Ironaut	Story	Kids Inc. Videopolis	Strike at Dawn	sure Island	New Country	Dance Party USA	NICK Rocks Dennis	Mies Marple	Gorilla	Praise the Lord Live
5:00	Movie: "Hot Pursuit"	Movie: "The Diary of Anne	Lonestar Kid	Movie: "Panic in the	Movie: "Sav- ing Grace"	Fandango Be a Star	Cartoons	Finder Keeper Don't Sit	Golden Age Good/Cafe	World Access Television	Praise the Lord Live
6:00	"	"	King of Beasts Mousetrap	Streets Max Movie	"	Crook VideoCountry	Airwolf	Can't/TV Double Dare	Secrets/Myst. Survival	How To June Miller	Praise the Lord Live
7:00	Brothers G. Shandling	Movie: "The Man From	Edison Twins Danger Bay	Movie: "The Fourth Proto-	Nashville Now	Tales of the Gold Monkey	Room/Daddy Mister Ed	Gallant Breed	Gallant Breed	Moscow Mer- idian	Behind Scenes Dino
8:00	Movie: "Dreamscape"	Movie: "Snowy River"	Movie: "Belles on Their	poon's Vacat- ion"	New Country	Street Hawk	My 3 Sons Donna Reed	Living Danger- ously	TBA	Spanish Fiesta	Ken Hagin Doug Clark
9:00	"	Movie: "Raw Deal"	Toes Animals	Movie: "Dreamscape"	Vietnam War Hitchhiker	Crook VideoCountry	New Mike Hammer	Rowan/Martin Car 54	W. Churchill World War I	TBA Finland Today	Praise the Lord
10:00	Poison Movie:	"	Ozzie/Harriet America at	Movie: "Dolls"	America Undercover	Hitchcock Airwolf	Monkees Ann Southern	Evening at the Improv	Looking East International	Praise the Lord	Praise the Lord
11:00	"Candy Stripe Nurses"	Movie: "Prode- tor"	the Olympics	"	Movie: "Pretty Smart"	Nashville Now	Edge of Night	Gallant Breed	Korea China Night	Focus on Fa- mily	Focus on Fa- mily
12:00	Movie: "Drag- net"	"	"	Movie: "On the Line"	Boys Next Dr.	Montana Skies	Search Tom. Wrestling	Donna Reed Rowan/Martin	Living Danger- ously	Spanish Fiesta German News	Behind Scenes Dean Brown

DEAR ABBY

One step at a time leads man to street paved with gold

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

DEAR ABBY: When I read the letter in your column from "J.M.B.," I couldn't believe my eyes. Let me explain: "J.M.B." said his family was always putting him down and degrading him because he ate only one thing at a time. They thought he was "abnormal."



Van Buren

Thanks for telling him he was not weird or abnormal.

Here's my story: When I was 10 years old, a man for whom I had a great deal of respect and admiration

noticed that when I ate, I would eat only one thing at a time, finish it, then move on to the next item on my plate. He looked at me and said, "Dave, you are going to be very successful in life. Do you know how I can tell? You finish what you start — you don't jump around to whatever looks good to you at the time."

I'm 26 years old now, happily married and the father of a 2-year-old son. I'm enclosing a small clipping to prove that I have achieved some measure of success. If you ever get to Asheville, look me up. — DAVE KNAPP, ASHEVILLE, N.C.

DEAR DAVE: Thanks for the "small clipping." Any man your age who owns and operates 20 Domino's Pizza outlets in North Carolina, Tennessee and the United Kingdom and was a self-made millionaire at 25 is a

whopping success in my book. I doubt if eating just one thing at a time automatically ensures your kind of success, but congratulations and continued success.

DEAR ABBY: You once had an excellent reply to a letter from a mother who couldn't understand why her son's grandparents did not send her son a birthday gift this year.

It seems the grandparents were angry because their grandson had failed to send thank-you notes for previous birthday gifts.

Your answer was wonderful. I cut it out, but misplaced it. Please run it again. I want to have copies made to send to two of my grandchildren.

For obvious reasons, I must sign this ... NO NAME, PLEASE

DEAR NO NAME: Here it is: DEAR ABBY: On my son's 16th birthday, he received a birthday card from his grandparents on his father's side. (His father and I are divorced.) "Grandma Jones" added the following handwritten message on the card: "Sorry, Billy, no money this time because we received no thank-you for the money we sent with our card last year. Lots of love, Grandma and Grandpa Jones."

Abby, although these grandparents are retired and living on a fixed income, they are far from poor, and it wouldn't have hurt them to have enclosed a \$10 bill. It would have

made the difference between my son feeling good or bad on his birthday.

I wrote to my ex-mother-in-law and told her what I thought about her birthday message to Billy. I haven't heard from her since, and I don't expect to.

What do you (and your readers) think about the message a grandmother sent to her grandson on his 16th birthday? — BURNED UP IN BUTTE

DEAR BURNED: I think Grandma may have given Billy a birthday gift that was far more valuable than a \$10 bill.

Abigail Van Buren is a columnist for Universal Press Syndicate.

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More oil companies report profits

Associated Press

Three of the nation's major oil companies, Texaco Inc., Chevron Corp. and Phillips Petroleum Co., on Tuesday said their profit for the second quarter was boosted by strength in refining, marketing and chemicals operations.

Amerada Hess Corp., the 15th largest U.S. oil company, reported a net loss of \$23.5 million, compared with a year-earlier profit of \$89.4 million, or \$1.06 a share.

Texaco, the nation's third biggest oil company, said its second-quarter net income quadrupled, lifted by refining, marketing and chemicals as well as the sale of its West German subsidiary.

The oil giant earned \$527 million, or \$2.17 a share, up from \$129 million, or 53 cents a share, in the second quarter of 1987.

Second-quarter revenue rose 10.6 percent, to \$9.4 billion from \$8.5 billion a year earlier.

Texaco, based in White Plains, N.Y., emerged on April 7 from bankruptcy protection under Chapter 11 of the federal code.

Steel operations boost USX profit

PITTSBURGH (AP) — USX Corp. reported Tuesday a 29 percent increase in its second-quarter profit, citing a strong performance by its steel operations despite lagging prices in its oil and gas business.

The steel and energy giant said it earned \$213 million, or 74 cents per share, in the three months ended June 30 compared with \$166 million, or 56 cents per share, a year earlier.

Sales for the period swelled 7.5 percent to \$4.3 billion from \$4 billion. "Our steel segment and diversified group, however, continue to benefit from very efficient operations and good market demand and will provide the basis for strong profitability through the remainder of the year," Chairman David M. Roderick said in a statement.

USX reported its first half profit climbed more than fourfold to \$370 million, or \$1.26 per share, compared to \$93 million, or 20 cents per share, in 1987.

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Texaco's earnings for the latest quarter include an after-tax gain of \$301 million, or \$1.24 a share, from the sale of its West German subsidiary, Deutsche Texaco A.G.

The sale was part of the company's restructuring program under the Chapter 11 proceedings. Texaco also signed a letter of intent in June to form a joint venture with Saudi in-

vestors to refine and market oil products in parts of the United States.

In the first half of the year, net income tripled to \$769 million, or \$3.17 a share, from \$247 million, or \$1.02 a share, in the same period in 1987. First-half revenue was up 6.5 percent, to \$18.1 billion from \$17.0 billion.

Fourth-ranked Chevron, based in San Francisco, said its second-quarter profit jumped 45 percent — to \$520 million, or \$1.52 a share, from \$358 million, or \$1.04 a share, a year earlier.

Second-quarter revenue was unchanged from a year earlier, at \$7.3 billion.

Earnings in the first six months increased 63 percent — to \$1.2 billion, or \$3.43 a share, from \$719 million, or \$2.10 a share. Revenue for the period edged up 5 percent, to \$14.8 billion from \$14.1 billion.

Phillips, the nation's eighth biggest oil company, saw its earnings in the quarter soar to \$170 million, or 72 cents a share, from \$3 million a year earlier.

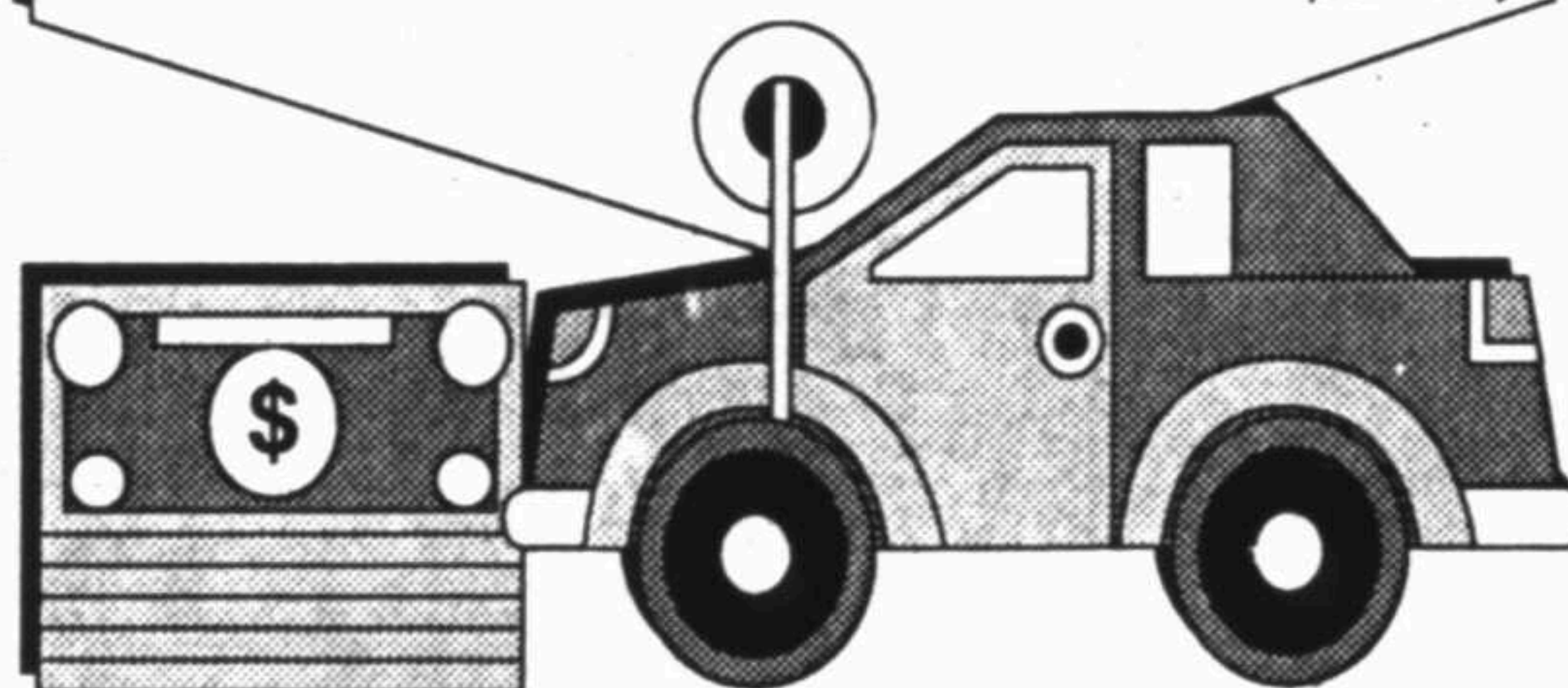
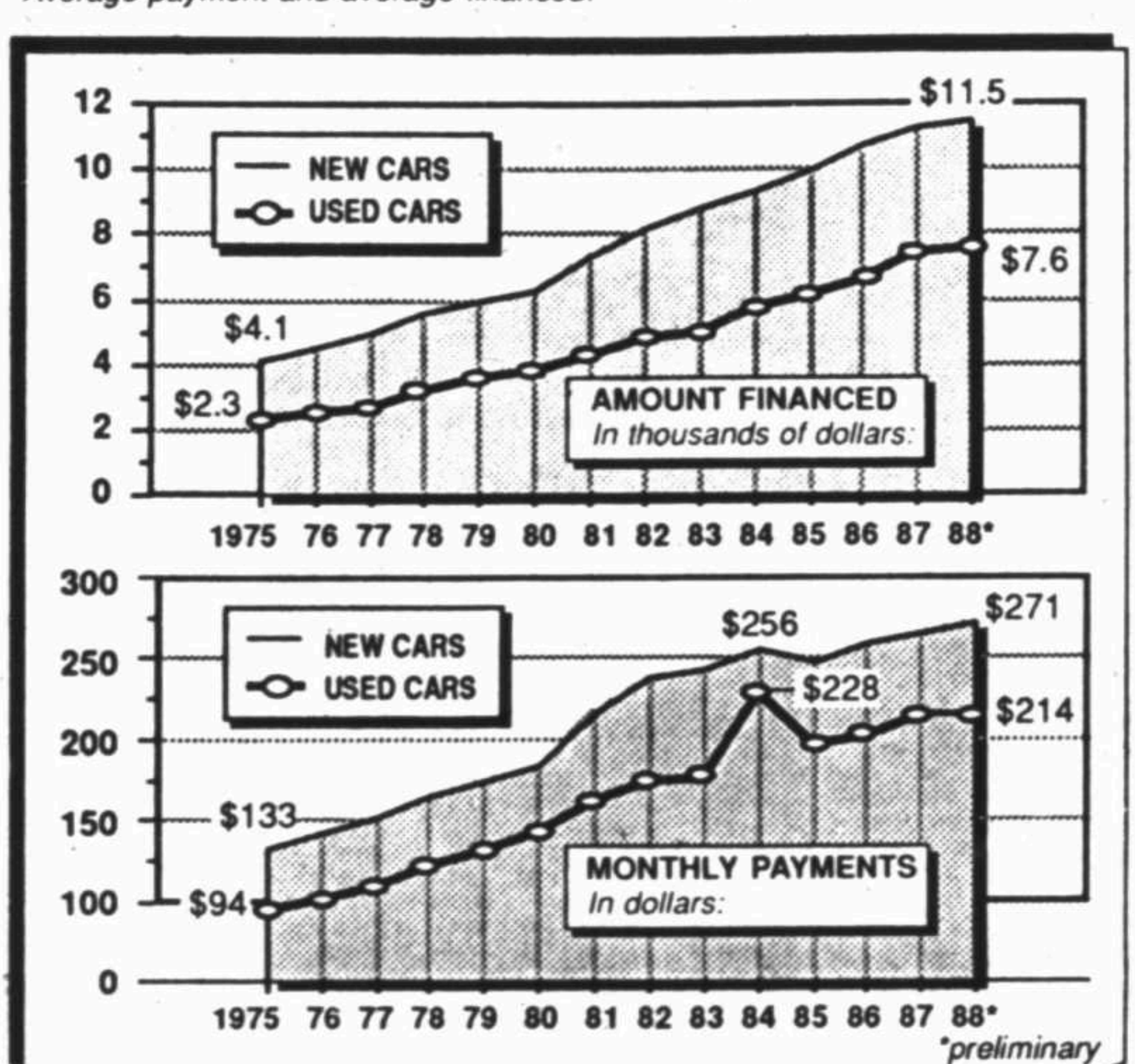
First-half profit was \$300 million, or \$1.27 a share, compared with a loss of \$29 million in January-June 1987. Revenue for the six months rose to \$5.78 billion from \$5.18 billion.

New York-based Amerada Hess said its second-quarter net loss of \$23.5 million included a loss from refining and marketing operations of \$6.5 million, compared with profit of \$5.7 million a year earlier.

The cost of new or used cars

In 1975, an American buying a new car had an average monthly payment of \$133; by 1988 the average monthly payment for a new car had risen to \$265. In 1975, the average amount financed for a used car was \$2,249; in 1988, the average financed is \$7,616.

AMOUNT FINANCED AND MONTHLY PAYMENTS FOR NEW AND USED AUTOMOBILES IN THE U.S.
Average payment and average financed.



SOURCE: Motor Vehicle Manufacturers Association InfoGraphics © 1988 North America Syndicate, Inc.

Auto prices may increase

DETROIT (AP) — Chrysler Corp.'s willingness to raise prices for 1989 probably will mean all domestic car stickers will be about 3 percent higher overall, an industry analyst said Wednesday.

A top executive at Mitsubishi said Japanese automakers will likely raise prices for 1989 as well.

Ronald Glantz, analyst with Montgomery Securities Inc. in San Francisco, said Chrysler's lack of price increases over the past three years has helped hold down domestic prices.

Chrysler used aggressive pricing and buyer incentives this past year to increase its share of the U.S. vehicle market. Glantz said Ford Motor Co. and General Motors Corp. were forced to follow suit to defend their shares.

However, Bennett Bidwell, Chrysler's president for product and marketing, has said Chrysler is considering price increases of up to 3 percent for 1989 because generous rebates on top of low prices hurt its ability to make money on the cars and trucks it sells.

Glantz, speaking on the final day of the Automotive News World Congress, said such a move by Chrysler will allow GM and Ford to also increase prices from 1988 levels.

Chrysler also led the move by the Big Three in the last month to reduce the size of incentives. In late June, Chrysler announced it would

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Real estate blamed for Texas American loss

DALLAS (AP) — Texas American Bancshares, saddled with \$598 million in non-performing assets, blamed the continuing decline in Texas real estate values for a disastrous second quarter in which it lost \$135.3 million.

The merger-bound company, which issued its second-quarter report on Tuesday, said the mammoth loss may substantially diminish or possibly eliminate stockholders' equity.

The loss was far beyond the \$17.8 million lost during the first three months of 1988 and the \$6.5 million lost during the second quarter a year earlier.

The stockholders' equity, which had stood at \$163.5 million following the first quarter, now stands at \$28.2 million.

The second-quarter loss amounted to \$12.18 per common share, compared with a loss of 59 cents a share a year earlier and a loss of \$1.60 in the first quarter of 1988.

"The decline in second-quarter earnings is attributed to a high provision for loan losses, as the reserve for loan losses was substantially enhanced during the quarter, and to an increased negative impact from a higher level of non-performing assets," said Joseph M. Grant, chairman of Texas American.

The \$153 million loss during the first six months of 1988, or \$13.78 a

share, compared with a loss of \$6.1 million for the first half of 1987, or 56 cents per share.

On July 20, Texas American announced a plan to merge with National Bancshares Corporation of Texas. Under the proposal, Minnesota sports franchise owner and investor Carl R. Pohlad and his companies would provide up to \$200 million of capital in exchange for up to 85 percent of the new company.

The plan also would call for the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation to kick in \$475 million in exchange for a subordinated non-interest bearing note and an equity participation interest equivalent to 10 percent of the new company's equity.

Under the merger, existing shareholders of Texas American and National Bancshares would initially receive five percent equity interest in the new company. The merger is subject to approval by shareholders of both companies and by various regulatory agencies.

Deposits at Texas American averaged \$4.5 billion for the second quarter, a four percent decline from the first quarter of 1988.

Officials said the company's non-performing assets increased by \$62 million during the second quarter.

Texas American has \$5 billion in assets with 24 members banks and 36 banking offices.

Grand jury indicts 12 for white-collar crimes

CHICAGO (AP) — Federal prosecutors for the first time have brought racketeering charges against a lawyer accused of insider trading.

The lawyer, Alfred Elliott, 44, of Melbourne Beach, Fla., was one of 12 people indicted Tuesday for alleged financial crimes.

He is accused of making \$680,000 in illegal profits using information he obtained while a partner of the law firm Schiff, Hardin & Waite in Chicago.

"This is the first time in history we've used the racketeering statute in an insider trading case," said U.S. Attorney Anton Valukas.

Elliott is charged with wire fraud, securities fraud, racketeering and filing a false income tax return.

If convicted on all counts, he could receive up to 363 years in prison and \$13.5 million in fines and be forced to make restitution of any illegal profits.

Eight of the 12 people indicted Tuesday are accused in a separate \$1.2 million scheme of churning accounts, in which brokers trade on

customers' accounts merely to generate commissions.

The government said the alleged scheme was carried out by officers and employees of Whitehall Investors International Inc., based in Chicago.

Those indicted include Walter S. Josten, an owner and president of Whitehall, who could face 105 years in prison if convicted.

Three independent traders also were indicted in an investigation at the Chicago Mercantile Exchange. They are accused of participating in fraudulent trading involving Jeffrey G. Donnelly, a former broker with CRT Services Inc. Donnelly pleaded guilty to fraud in February and was sentenced to three years in prison.

The government said Donnelly took successful trades he executed for his company and make it appear they had been made for one of the three traders.

Valukas said more than \$700,000 was illegally diverted to the defendants, while Donnelly got a 35 percent cut.

BUSINESS GLANCE

MARKETS

Technical factors drive prices lower

From Staff and Wire Reports
Oil futures prices drifted lower again this morning after Tuesday's quiet, directionless trading highlighted mainly by technical factors.

On the New York Mercantile Exchange, contracts for September delivery of West Texas Intermediate crude were trading at \$15.88 by midmorning, down 8 cents from Tuesday's close.

Tuesday the contract settled at \$15.96 per barrel, down 9 cents from Monday, when the near-term crude contract lost 33 cents.

Peter Beutel, an oil analyst for Elders Futures Inc., said the market remained concerned about the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries' ability to control its oil production. But he said technical factors were largely responsible for depressing prices Tuesday.

CRUDE OIL

SPOT MARKET

W.T. INTERMEDIATE

- Mid-morning Quote \$15.88
- Tuesday's Close \$15.95
- Previous Close \$16.05
- One Year Ago \$21.30

W.T. SOUR

- Tuesday's Close \$15.20
- Previous Close \$15.25
- One Year Ago \$20.90

SOURCE: NYMEX

POSTED PRICE

- Last Week \$15.00
- Previous Week \$14.25
- One Year Ago \$20.90

Dollar gains more before report

LONDON (AP) — The dollar rose this morning against major currencies in slow European trading as dealers waited for the release of U.S. and British economic reports.

Gold prices were mixed.

In London, the British pound was quoted at \$1.7115, compared with \$1.7135 Tuesday.

Other dollar rates at midmorning, compared with late Tuesday:

- 1.8940 West German marks, up from 1.8900
- 1.5495 Swiss francs, up from 1.5455
- 6.2770 French francs, up from 6.2670
- 2.0948 Dutch guilders, down from 2.0975
- 1.3745 Italian lire, up from 1.3740
- 1.2090 Canadian dollars, up from 1.2083

In Tokyo, where the business day ends before Europe's begins, the dollar rose 0.35 yen to a closing 132.50 yen. Later, in London, it was quoted at 132.75 yen.

Gold opened in London at a bid price of \$432.10 a troy ounce, compared with late Tuesday's \$433.50. At midmorning today, the city's five major bullion dealers fixed a recommended price of \$430.15.

In Zurich, the bid price was \$431.60, up slightly from \$431.50 late Tuesday.

Earlier, in Hong Kong, gold closed at a bid price of \$432.34, unchanged from Tuesday's closing bid price.

Later, silver was quoted in London at a bid price of \$6.92 a troy ounce, down from Tuesday's \$7.01.

Stocks sneak ahead over 2 points

NEW YORK (AP) — Stock prices eked out a small gain Tuesday in the slowest trading in more than five weeks, as Wall Street awaited the latest reading on the pace of the economy.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrial stocks edged up 2.14 to 2,073.97.

Advancing issues outnumbered declines by about 9 to 8 in nationwide trading of New York Stock Exchange-listed stocks, with 764 up, 676 down and 513 unchanged.

Volume on the floor of the Big Board came to 121.96 million shares, down from 215.14 million in the previous session and the smallest total since a 116.75 million-share day on June 20.

Nationwide, consolidated volume in NYSE-listed issues, including trades in those stocks on regional exchanges and in the over-the-counter market, totaled 142.80 million shares.

As measured by Wilshire Associates' index of more than 5,000 actively traded stocks, the market increased \$3.03 billion, or 0.11 percent, in value.

BUSINESS IN BRIEF

Finance panel passes tax correction bill

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate Finance Committee stripped away all issues of controversy and unanimously approved a bill correcting hundreds of errors in the 1986 tax overhaul law.

The chairman, Sen. Lloyd Bentsen, D-Texas, won quick approval of the bill Tuesday by promising colleagues that the committee staff would attempt to put together a separate package of their favorite unrelated tax provisions.

That package likely would include amendments to permanently free about 20 million mutual fund shareholders from a tax on certain fund operating expenses.

Judge confirms Robins reorganization plan

RICHMOND (AP) — A federal judge confirmed a reorganization plan for A.H. Robins Co., nearly three years after the pharmaceutical company filed for bankruptcy in the face of thousands of lawsuits from women claiming they were injured by the Dalkon Shield birth control device. The plan, which was endorsed Tuesday by lawyers for both the claimants and the company, includes a \$2.475 billion trust fund to compensate Dalkon Shield victims.

"It is not perfect," said Stanley K. Joyner III, a lawyer for future Dalkon claimants. "But there just had to be an end so that the women could get paid."

Republicans warn against plant closing veto

WASHINGTON (AP) — Republican congressional leaders warned President Reagan that it would be difficult to sustain a veto of the revived bill requiring advance notice of plant layoffs.

But a White House spokesman repeated Tuesday after the meeting that a veto is "the most likely course."

Reagan has until Aug. 3 to act on the legislation that would require companies to notify their workers at least 60 days in advance of major layoffs or plant shutdowns.

BUSINESS TRENDS

Small business survey selects Bush

Small businessmen prefer George Bush for president over Michael Dukakis by an overwhelming majority according to a recent poll of the 35,000 members of the

Small Business Service Bureau, a national organization which provides members with legislative advocacy and management assistance.

More than 68 percent of the members supported George Bush, while only 25 supported Dukakis and 7 percent supported Jesse Jackson. Most of the respondents said they supported Bush because of his vast experience in government and feared Dukakis would raise taxes and increase government spending.

BUSINESS SCENE

Grigsby's changing pricing strategy

By MELLA McEWEN

Going out of business signs have appeared in the windows of the GRIGSBY'S store located in the Courtyard at Midland Park Mall, Loop 250 and Midkiff, but the store actually isn't going out of business.



McEwen

Cuin Grigsby, who owns the chain with his wife Judy, explained that the stores will become Grigsby Just \$10, offering clothing and accessories for \$10 or two for \$10. "We're trying to fit the times," he stated. "The \$10 store seems to be the way to go these days." He noted that four of the new stores have opened in Plano, Lubbock, Abilene and Wichita Falls and been well received.

The Midland store, which is liquidating its current inventory, should

be changed over around mid-August.

The newest tenant in the Plaza Shopping Center is ABBEY'S FANTASIA RESTAURANT, found in the former Mama's location near El Chico and Venezia.

Owned by Abbey Vantauh, who is the dietician at Clearview Hospital, the menu features such items as chicken and mushroom or seafood crepes, dinner steaks such as ribeyes and filet mignons, and appetizers such as fried mushrooms or zucchini.

Abbey's also has lunch specials, and, beginning next week will add an all-you-can-eat luncheon buffet for \$4.95.

Hours are from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. and 5 to 9 p.m. Monday through Saturday.

Just opened in North Park Shopping Center in the former Toys Plus location is ETC PLUS.

Shoppers can find a variety of items ranging from furniture, rattan and white wicker furniture sets,

clothing, toys, bikes and scooters, brass items, wicker baskets and silk flowers.

Hours are from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday through Saturday, and 1 to 6 p.m. Sundays.

CANDYCE McPHERSON DESIGNS has opened at 3310 N. Midkiff, across from San Miguel Square.

McPherson offers New Mexican folk furniture — pine pieces such as benches, lamps, cocktail tables, chairs, all with a Southwest flavor and brightly colored.

She also offers accessories such as carved animals, silk flowers and iron sculptures, as well as carpets, wallpaper and decorator fabrics.

Hours are noon to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday and 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. on Saturdays.

EGT, also known as Eppler, Guerin & Turner, celebrated its new offices in the Hightower Building, 600 W. Illinois, with an open house last week.

Opened in 1986 in the Vaughn Building, the firm has grown from a

three-man office to an office with a staff of eight.

EGT, a wholly-owned subsidiary of The Principal Financial Group, is a Dallas-based regional investment banking and brokerage firm founded in 1952. The company has offices in Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Iowa.

SSHBR INSURANCE ASSOCIATES, INC., a Midland insurance agency, was recently recognized for superior performance by Bituminous Insurance Co. of Rock Island, Ill.

The firm received a "Circle of Excellence" award in the 12th annual competition to recognize agencies for business written with Bituminous over the last three years. The other winning agencies were located in Alabama, Georgia, Illinois, New Mexico, Delaware, Missouri, Michigan and Virginia.

Mella McEwen is a business/oil writer for the Midland Reporter-Telegram.

Fed manipulates money supply to help economy

Q. You wrote that the Federal Reserve Board is a federal government

Bill Davis, a syndicated columnist for King Features, has welcomed

Bill Doyle is a syndicated columnist for King Features. He welcomes written questions, but is able to provide answers only through the column. Address your question to Investor's Guide, King Features Syndicate, c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram, Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

After the dividend was awarded, the price of the shares dropped, causing the losses.

The report said that while some major air carriers have continued to maintain a heavy emphasis on safety matters, others have cut back their planning and engineering departments, "pared back safety departments" and "make discretionary maintenance spending decisions based on tightness of the budget."

"These results indicate that we are finally hitting stride in our steel operations," Roderick said. "Operating income totaled \$70 per ton shipped in the current quarter."

Mazda Motor Corp. President Norimasa Furuta said Tuesday that Mazda is talking with Ford about selling small Ford trucks through U.S. Mazda dealers. Nissan Motor Corp. assembles trucks in the United States and Toyota Motor Corp. is deciding whether to build a U.S. plant and investigating possible sites.

"Current results are being depressed by reduced gas prices and gas gathering margins," he said. "The conditions that created these depressed levels cannot continue indefinitely and will improve."

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Iran reports fighting with Iraq, 1,200 killed or wounded

NICOSIA, Cyprus (AP) — Iran said its forces drove Iraqi troops out of southern Iran today and fought Iraq for control of a town in western Iran. Tehran claimed 1,200 Iraqis were killed or wounded.

The official Iraqi News Agency reported Iraqi forces shot down an Iranian F-5 warplane over the southern front. Iran did not comment on the claim, but said its military shot down two Iraqi warplanes.

The fighting occurred as officials from both countries were to meet separately in New York today with U.N. Secretary-General Javier Perez de Cuellar to discuss a cease-fire in the 8-year-old war.

Iraq, meanwhile, said it has captured 12,207 Iraqis in six days of fighting. Baghdad has sought to improve its bargaining position in the



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talks by capturing an equal number of prisoners as Iran claims to be holding.

If today's claim by Iraq is confirmed, Baghdad now holds 25,000 Iranian prisoners of war compared to 80,000 Iraqi POWs held by Iran, according to the latest International Red Cross estimates.

The Iranian commander-in-chief, Hashemi Rafsanjani, offered Tues-

day to try to have American hostages held in Lebanon freed in exchange for Iranian assets frozen in the United States, but the White House said, "No deals." Eighteen men, including nine Americans, are believed held in Beirut by pro-Iranian Shiite Muslim extremists.

Iran said its forces attacked Iraqi troops occupying part of southern Iran today, drove them across the

border and killed or wounded 1,200 Iraqis.

Iran also said Iraqi troops again entered Esfahabad in western Iran, and a battle of "utmost intensity" was under way for control of the area.

Earlier, Iraqi-backed Iranian guerrillas opposed to Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini said they pushed deep into Iran, and Tehran acknowledged its forces were fighting "counterrevolutionary mercenaries."

A Tehran radio announcer broke into regular programs to say:

"The able combatants of Islam, in order to chase and destroy the aggressive Iraqi forces on a greater scale, early this morning attacked the core of the enemy forces in the operational axis north of Khorramshahr."

The broadcast, monitored in Nicosia, gave the casualty figure of 1,200 and said a brigade of the Iraqi 3rd Army Corps was encircled and "destroyed" in the fighting for control of an area just inside the Iranian border.

The report said Iraqi troops were "driven back to the other side of the international border" and 12 square miles of Iranian territory was "liberated."

Iran's air force heavily bombed Iraqi troop concentrations during the fighting, the radio said.

Iraq earlier this week announced its forces were withdrawing from the area just north of Khorramshahr, an Iranian port city, but Iran continued to claim the Iraqis were invading the area.

Rafsanjani said Iran's decision last week to accept a United Nations cease-fire call was "a major political and cultural victory, which fortunately will be followed by a military victory."

"We are witnessing the complete defeat of the Iraqi forces on the southern front as well as the western fronts, and these have prepared very favorable conditions for the armed forces of the Islamic Republic of Iran to show their power and capabilities," he said.

His comments were made Tuesday in a battlefield headquarters interview, and portions were carried that night on Iranian television and radio. The Islamic Republic News Agency provided additional quotations today.

Castro says 'political solution' to civil war in Angola nearing

New York Times News Service

SANTIAGO, Cuba — President Fidel Castro declared Tuesday night that "we are now on the threshold of a political solution" to the 13-year-long civil war in Angola.

It was the strongest statement so far by a national leader that an end to the war was in sight.

In a speech marking the 35th anniversary of the beginning of the Cuban revolution, Castro said: "There is a real possibility for a fair, honorable and dignified solution for all parties, a solution that includes the safety of Angola and independence of Namibia."

Two weeks ago, in New York, the latest in a series of American-led negotiations on the conflict in southern Africa ended, with officials saying Cuba and South Africa had agreed in principle to begin withdrawing their troops from Angola and from Namibia, which is also known as South-West Africa.

Castro seemed much less equivocal than the negotiators in New York, among them Cubans and South Africans.

"If an agreement is signed and adhered to," he told 100,000 people here in Cuba's second largest city, "Cuba and Angola will proceed to a gradual and total withdrawal of Cuba's international forces in Angola."

Castro underscored that negotiations were continuing and he said he wanted to be "very careful not to hurt anyone's feelings."

"One must be very careful," he said. "One has made a commitment not to publicize the steps being taken."

Castro's intention Tuesday night appeared to be to paint the emerging diplomatic solution as a triumph of Cuban tactics and valor.

His policy has been to disclose little about Havana's military activity in Angola, but last week he gave a three-part televised report on Cuba's role in Angola.

But he gave no indication of the extent of Cuban casualties then, and he gave no accounting Tuesday night.

In a speech lasting a little more than three hours, Castro issued his strongest rejection so far of the social and political changes in the Soviet Union under Mikhail S. Gorbachev, the Soviet leader.

Castro praised the Soviet Union for its achievements in technology and science and for its massive assistance to Cuba since shortly after he seized power in 1959.



Fidel Castro

But he said that Cuba must solve its own problems in its own way and must not be tempted to copy the Soviet Union and other Soviet bloc countries as they experiment with free enterprise and with other aspects of capitalism.

"There are no two identical revolutionary processes," he said. "No two identical national characteristics."

"If someone has a toothache," he said, "why should he wear a corn plaster? And if he has a problem with his own corns, why should he take something for a toothache?"

For the last two years Castro has been preaching an economic policy that he calls rectification. He introduced rectification after he became convinced that a limited venture into free enterprise, in which farmers sold their produce for whatever the market could bear, was corrupting Cuba.

Castro has eliminated many bonuses and other material incentives and has been using moral arguments to try to persuade Cuban workers to be more efficient and productive.

The Soviet Union provides Cuba with \$10 million a day in economic aid and has provided enough military equipment to enable Cuba to build the largest combat force in Latin America, with some 300,000 military personnel.

But Castro argued that Cuba must make its own way in the world and not rely on others for intellectual direction or defense. He said the key

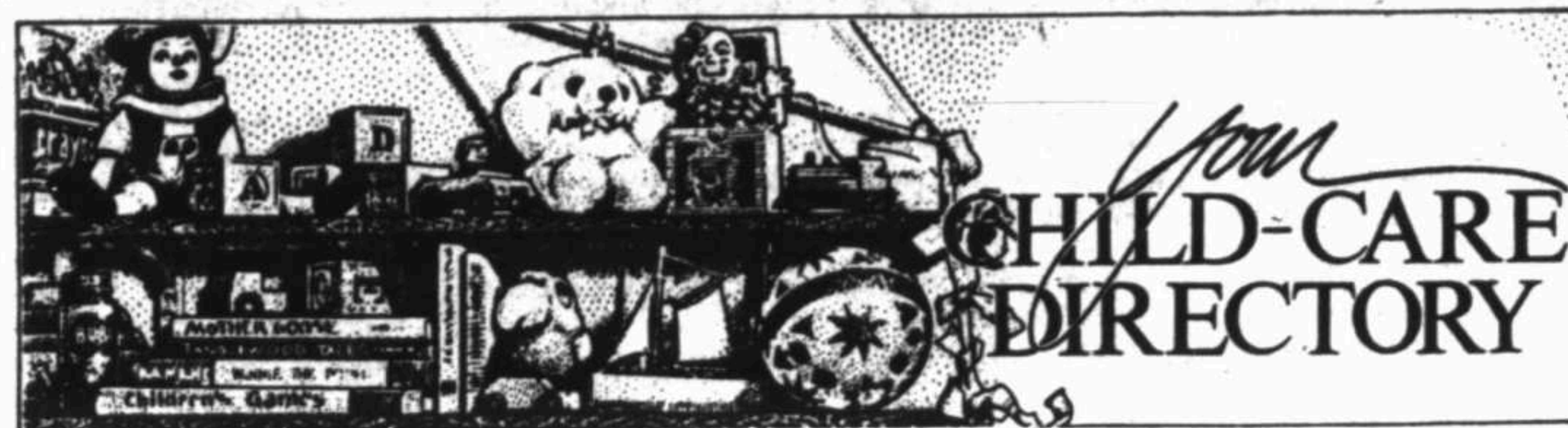
to a strong Cuba is purity of Cuban-developed ideology.

He pointed out that Cuba lies only 90 miles from the United States. He referred to the United States as the "most powerful imperialist country in the world" and said that it "would like to swallow up Cuba like a ripe fruit" but that "with all its conspiracies and machinations it has not been able to."

Castro said it was not a question of the Soviet Union not wanting to defend Cuba but that such a role for Moscow was impossible. "We are not a few kilometers from the Soviet Union," he said.

"This country is 10,000 miles away from the Soviet Union. If our country had a problem with the revolutionary process weakened, who can say how anyone could help us?"

"That is why we must maintain our ideological purity. That is why we cannot use any kind of mechanism similar to capitalism. We believe very deeply in Socialism. Socialism has transformed our country and our lives. And Socialism promises much more."



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Illegal parkers in London in danger of 'Denver Boot'

LONDON (AP) — Britain's pert, uniformed meter maids, made famous by a Beatles song about a lovely one called Rita, are being upstaged by the dreaded "Denver Boot."

Scotland Yard's zealous — some say overzealous — attack on illegally parked cars has turned London into the world's car-clamping capital, and has prompted a storm of protests.

The Denver Boot, developed in Colorado in the 1950s, fits over a wheel, immobilizing a car until the driver pays a fee and a crew comes to unlock it. That can take hours.

The metropolitan police department decided to get tough 18 months ago when it "privatized" clamping by contracting the practice to two private companies.

Today, 22 squads, each consisting of a civilian clumper and a police officer, prowl the inner-London boroughs of Westminster, Kensington, Chelsea and Camden. They clamp 400 to 500 vehicles a day and the civilian clumpers get paid an undisclosed sum for each one, which critics say encourages them to overclamp.

"London uses the clamp as an enforcement tool more than any other city," said Scotland Yard Chief Inspector John Marle.

Events like the Chelsea flower show and sales at Harrods department store can prove bonanzas for clumpers, who can immobilize a car in seconds.

The crackdown has proved a boon for some clever entrepreneurs who have launched a whole new industry: commercial unclamping.

Young men have formed squads of radio-carrying motorcycle riders who, for a fee, will go pay the clamping fee.

Parking has long been a problem in this puzzling city of squares, alleys and cul-de-sacs, where 350,000 cases of illegal parking occur daily.

"The streets of London were being clogged with illegally parked vehicles," Marle said, sounding very official. "This prevented vehicles from moving around the capital with ease."

Scotland Yard turned to clamping because "all other methods failed," Marle said.

The high-profile clamp hasn't, and illegal parking has dropped 40 percent in certain areas, he said.

Here are the gory details:

After a driver gets over the shock of discovering that his car has been clamped, he must go to one of three payment points in the city and pay a \$43 clamping fine, followed by a \$20 parking fine.

Then he must wait for an unclamping crew to arrive. Cars are freed in order of fees paid, and crews themselves can get caught in traffic.

"We would not expect anybody to wait more than four hours," the chief inspector said.

Among the unclumpers, the Car Clamp Recovery Club, which calls itself the original and biggest, charges a \$44 annual fee and \$14 per job. For an additional, minimum \$26, it will deliver a car to a destination of the customer's choice.

The critics claim clamping exacerbates the problem by clogging cars exactly where they don't belong.

Mark Reed, a real estate agent, said persistent clamping forced him to sell his agency and move. "It's going to affect business in a big way in central London," he said.

Jacqueline Pruskin, who operates art galleries in Kensington and Chelsea, said clamping hurts people, such as plumbers, whose livelihood depends on mobility, as well as merchants, whose customers are frightened off by the clamp threat.

Reed freely admits to using strong language when he caught a clumper crawling down the street trying to clamp his car unnoticed.

"I said, 'This is a pretty right-wing sort of Nazi thing you're doing,'" Reed recalled.

Newspapers have reported clumpers nabbing ambulances, tour buses, disabled cars, a participant in a funeral procession and a van bringing meals to the homeless.

Marle calls the reports "outrageous journalism."



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Israel claims peace effort sabotaged

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More than 230 Palestinians have been killed since the anti-occupation uprising began Dec. 8. Four Israelis

The two parties have shared governmental powers after a 1984 coalition.

Pollsters predict a tight race between Labor and Likud, with the latter holding a slight edge largely due to support for Israeli hawkishness in

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Air Force: Pilots allowed to take stimulants on flights

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ued: "The use of stimulant and sedative medications is limited by regulation to flights in which the length or precise schedule of the mission pre-

"Dexedrine and Seconal use almost exclusively involves solo flights to or from the United States and overseas bases," it said.

Lt. Col. Ed Neunherz, the chief spokesman at Ramstein, emphasized that a pilot would only use the sedative "once he's back on the ground."

to help get his body clock back in order," Neunherz told The Associated Press in a telephone interview.

The ARD report said pilots then

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2 bedroom, 1 bath home. New paint inside and outside, new roof, A/C, and hot water heater. Beautiful hard wood floor.

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MUST SELL!!

Light, bright and a great value. Privacy in a close-in location on Humble. Unusual design and arrangement. Many extras. Tennis courts - pretty pool and low yard maintenance - two bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, two car garage and extra parking. \$85,000.

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COMMERCIAL & INVESTOR READY

730 Suburban Property

BY OWNER: Three bedrooms, two full baths, two car garage, pool, sprinkler, etc. \$119,000. Call 684-5822, 694-7667.

BY OWNER: Two bedrooms home with large lot, pool, and a lot of storage space. \$119,000. Call 684-5822, 694-7667.

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COUNTRY LIVING

Country Road 1190 North 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 1/2 car garage, pool, etc. \$119,000. Call 684-5822, 694-7667.

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1200 Andrews Highway 699-7701

PEACH
Colored cabinet tops! Mini-blinds, new roof, tile fence. Owner/Agent will pay most of closing cost. \$27,500.

GRAPES
By your shimmering POOL! Large 3 bedroom/2 bath in Wyndwood. Cul-de-sac, one-owner. Super price!

CHERRY
Laurels for shade and privacy! Roomy 3 bedroom/2 bath, living areas, 2 eating areas, great location. Owner will help with financing.

APRICOTS
Would grow great here! 17 acres, more or less, water well, septic tank and sewer, cultivated and grass. Suburban property on 130-W between Midland and Cotton. \$35,000.

ORANGE
You glad you read this! Money-making Complete Home Furnishings Business in West Texas. Inventory, buildings, land and vehicles. Good clientele, good terms. Owner retiring. Don't miss this!

STRAWBERRY
Kool-Aid crowd! School's just a block away! 3 bedroom. Affordable and affordable! 900 Canyon. \$25,000.

APPLE
Pie condition! Knotty-pine den, 2 living areas, large country kitchen with breakfast area. Country charm on Country Club! \$38,000.

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30 YR. FIXED-RATE FINANCING AVAILABLE

NOTICE

All properties are sold in their "AS IS" condition and the VA makes no warranty as to the condition or quality of the property. For inspection of the following homes and assistance in submitting an offer, see your local real estate broker.

Renters wishing to accomplish home ownership, regardless of prior credit experience, should consult a broker. You may qualify for veteran financing to complete the purchase of one of these homes.

CLOSING DATE FOR RECEIPT OF OFFERS IS 4:00 PM

AUGUST 4, 1988

PM NUMBER	ADDRESS/CITY	PRICE	DOWN PMT	BED/ BATH/GAR	STATUS/B
551572	4400 Pasadena Dr. Midland	32,000	1,800	3/2 0/1	SR1, SR14
483957	4210 Pleasant, Midland	15,000	750	3/1 0/1	SR2, SR14, B
544626	4405 Pleasant Dr. Midland	33,000	1,850	3/2 0/1	SR1, SR14
532280	2109 Regal, Midland	68,000	3,400	3/2 0/2	SR1, SR14
551291	4813 Ric Dr. Midland	37,000	1,850	3/2 0/2	SR1, SR14, B
457081	Rt 1, Box 1440-12, Midland	30,000	1,500	3/2 0/2	SR1, SR6, SR7, SR14, B
372261	3619 Sinclair Ave. Midland	45,000	2,250	3/2 0/0	SR1, SR3, SR14
303325	2518 W. 12th St. Odessa	22,000	1,100	3/1 0/0	SR1, SR14
022311	3105 W. 15th St. Odessa	28,000	1,400	3/1 5/0	SR1, SR14
389330	1108 Alameda, Odessa	25,000	1,250	3/1 7/0	SR1, SR14
425103	8704 Bankhead Hwy. Odessa	35,000	1,750	3/2 5/0	SR2, SR6, SR7, SR14
454090	5607 Blair, Odessa	44,000	2,200	4/1 5/0	SR1, SR14
377472	1717 Coronado, Odessa	15,000	Cash Only	3/1 7/0	SR2, B
392131	5305 McKnight, Odessa	24,000	1,200	2/1 0/0	SR1, SR14
022486	212 Santa Rita, Odessa	12,000	Cash Only	3/1 0/0	SR2, B

- SR-1** Qualifies for GI/FHA financing or VA will repair to qualifying condition
- SR-2** No repairs by VA. Strictly "AS IS" condition.
- SR-3** VA will make no repairs to swimming pool 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 reinstated 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.
- B** A 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 offer 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. However, the combined loan discount points and buyers closing costs may not exceed 10 percent of the advertised term sales price. Offers must be submitted at term listed price when buyers request a new GI loan with 10 percent interest rate of available financing is 10 percent (APR 10.1 percent). 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.

FORFEITURE OF EARNST MONEY DEPOSIT

Prior to signing the offer, broker must deposit in broker's trust account at least \$500 earnest money. Once a purchase offer has been accepted for processing by VA and is subsequently cancelled at the request of the purchaser, the Earnst Money Deposit WILL NOT be refunded and the broker will be required to forward the Earnst Money to the VA as liquidation expenses. There will be no exception to this policy. Therefore, the VA suggests that all brokers interview their buyers to assure they want the property, prior to submission of an offer to purchase.

VA pays 6% sales commission. Offers are subject to the provisions of VA Form 26-6705, Credit Statement of Prospective Purchaser and Contract of Sale, on which all offers must be submitted. VA Form 26-6705 must be submitted in duplicate to:

VA Property Management Section
1400 North Valley Mills Drive
Waco, Texas 76799

Acceptable offers have been received on the following properties:

PM NUMBER	ADDRESS/CITY	PRICE	DOWN PMT	BED/ BATH/GAR	OFFEROR/ BROKER
368620	613 Rice Dr. Andrews	10,000	500	3/1 5/1	Morin/Taylor, 13000, DP 650
560325	21 Butterfly Tr., Midland	20,000	1,000	3/2 0/0	Townsend/Taylor, 20000, DP 1000
010681	1205 E. Estes, Midland	10,000	500	3/1 0/1	Leyva/Calderson, 11000, DP 550
505163	4116 E. 37th St. Odessa	70,000	3,500	4/1 7/2	Crawford/Trower, 74000 Cash
022046	3504 Merrill, Odessa	23,000	1,150	4/2 0/0	Jimenez/Kelley, 25000, DP 1250

SPECIAL NOTICE

Effective June 8, 1988, all credit underwriting for purchase offers requesting VA vendee financing is being referred to Shanks & Butler. 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. All sales personnel should be advised of this change.

SPECIAL NOTICE

The VA Property Management Section will conduct weekly training seminars regarding the sale of VA acquired properties. These sessions will begin promptly at 9:00 and will last approximately two hours. They will be held at the VA Regional Office, Main Training Room, 1400 North Valley Mills Drive, Waco, Texas 76799.

There is limited space available and reservations will have to be made by writing the Property Management Section (263). Brokers will be contacted one week in advance of the training session they are scheduled to attend.

Your participation in these seminars will be appreciated.

All information herein is believed to be correct. However, it is subject to variations, and VA assumes no liability for errors or omissions. This listing is subject to confirmation, change in price and terms, prior sale and withdrawal at any time prior to notice.

SPECIAL \$249⁰⁰ Plus Deposit

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Another Great Listing From...

Marilyn Lynch

NO VACATION? Play in your own pool.

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Seller gone in spotless 4 bedroom in perfect condition in sought-after Trinity Meadows. Professional landscaping, sprinkler system, plantation shutters and more. Price, Condition, Location - this one has it all. Was \$155,000. Now \$148,000.

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GRACIOUS SUBURBAN LIVING

Elegant 4 bedroom 2 story situated on 2.5 acres only 5 minutes from town limits. Three-year-old beauty has formal living, dining, large den with fireplace and huge fully appointed kitchen. A great value for \$210,000.

DRASTICALLY REDUCED

3 bed room, 2 bath, eat in kitchen, 2 car garage quiet westside street. Was \$53,300, now \$45,000 subject to PMH/Lender approval.

SACRIFICE

Owner moving out. Has large 3 bedroom in choice area with high ceilings, skylights, outdoor storage and a price to get excited about! \$80,000.

COMMERCIAL PROPERTY

One-acre prime lot in Industrial Park. Great for metal building or just storage. Owner financing. \$9500.

SALE OR LEASE

Office building close to downtown has 2 offices, large reception area, kitchen and ample parking. Owner will consider lease of \$500 a month, or will sell for \$70,000.

GREENTREE

Country Club lifestyle with lovely private yard with spa. Custom built 3 bedroom, 2 living areas. Superb quality and detail for \$130,000.

PERSONALITY

Plus in this cute 3 bedroom, 3 bath, 2 living area in northwest Midland. Nicely landscaped with mature trees and shrubs, sought after Fawn elementary. Don't miss this buy for \$60,000.

ATTENTION: FOR SALE BY OWNERS?

Establishing fair market value is critical in marketing your home. We'll be happy to give you our professional broker's price opinion without cost or obligation, of course. For knowledge, competence and unbeatable service, call Bonnie Cox, GRI, CRS, or Vicky Garrett, Broker.

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Vicky Garrett, Broker 699-2056
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697-7747

740 Out of Town Property

LAKE AMISTAD, Lakeview Addition

3, 2, 3, an approximately one acre lot. Will consider offer by trade or cash or part of equity. 1-512-775-4807.

LARGE ENGLISH TUDOR HOME

Four bedrooms, 5 1/2 baths, all amenities. For STEPHENS REAL ESTATE, Brady, Texas 915-977-0748

OWNER will exchange \$2,000,000 equity in top quality ranch home for cash or part of equity. 1-512-775-4807.

FOUR BEDROOM, two bath

brick home on highway in Cross Plains, Texas. Suburban den, fireplace and carpet. 4 1/2 baths with tile floors, corals and beams.

HEARTLAND REALTY (915) 784-5055

750 Lots and Acreage

2.13 ACRES in Greenwood, 2 1/2 miles south of Midland, 2.5 miles from Hwy 170. \$9,300 will sell for \$6,000 cash or best offer. 689-7792.

LAND for sale by owner, good soil and water, restricted. Please phone 684-6831.

1/2 ACRE mobile home lot for rent or sale. Water wells and septic, underground electricity, paved roads, cable television. Owner financing. 682-8832, 683-8033.

THREE lots for sale: 1613 Golf Course Road across from park, 1201 Lynn, 1706 Morgan Way, 2250 each. Call please. Call 682-4382.

Individual will buy low priced one or more acres on/ near 80, West, North, South. 694-7079.

TWO acres, water well, two septic systems. Owner carry note. 683-7434 after 5 PM.

ACREAGE FOR SALE in Brown County, small to large tracts. Excellent hunting, deer, turkey, quail and dove.

Heartland Realty (915) 784-5055

LOT for sale: 50x130, paved multi-lot, 2000. 2902 Roosevelt. Call 697-4610.

770 Resort Property

HUBBARD CREEK LAKE PROPERTIES

On or off lake, RV camp grounds and lake homes. Call 682-8832, 683-8033.

UNITED NATIONAL REAL ESTATE STEPHENS COUNTY (817) 599-6151

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BEAUTIFUL Suburban lot for sale. Oak Creek Lake, near Highway 69. Call (915) 682-3717 or 697-5972.

LAKE Brownwood, Davidson Lake - Beautiful waterfront lots - Off State Park Road 15. Call 682-5054, Odessa or 784-5055 at the lake!

FOR sale by owner: four 3 acre home sites near Huntsville, Arkansas. E.J. Healey 699-6273.

COTTAGE for sale on Lakeview, Sweetwater Lake. 2 hours from Midland. Financing available. \$39,000. 915-694-9929.

MOBILE: furnished lake front cabin. Oak Creek Lake, two bedrooms, one bath, large living area, two car garage, shop with covered patio, owner financing. 292-2084, Call 682-5054 or 337-3412, after 5, 342-4419.

790 Investment Property

COMMERCIAL BARGAINS RETIREMENT SALE

1) No. 1 Village Shopping Center, former White's Auto, 58,000 sq. ft., \$995,000. Call 682-5054 or 683-5822.

2) No. 24 Village Shopping, The Cryer Center, former White's, 50,000 sq. ft., \$1,195,000. Call 682-5054 or 683-5822.

3) 1000 sq. ft. lot with 2000 sq. ft. office, beautiful building. 684-8222.

4) 14,000 sq. ft. lot with 2000 sq. ft. office building and parking lot. 500 N. Hwy 170 (A/K/A Truett building). Five City National Bank, Trust Division 685-5315/685-5324.

FOR sale or lease on North Big Spring, completely renovated for doctor, attorney or professional. Up to eight offices, three baths, one kitchen area. One bedroom, one bath, lot. Lots of parking. Call 683-2728 or 687-5559 after 5:30.

SMALL family owned variety store in small center. 5000 sq. ft. \$199,000. Call 682-5054 or 683-5822.

OFFICE building for sale: four offices, two restrooms, coffee bar, two storage rooms, paved parking. 684-0022.

SERVICE Station with building and land for sale. Interstate location. Call 682-5054 or 683-5822.

CONVENIENCE STORE at Lake Brownwood. Groceries, beer, gas, bait, tackle and marine equipment. Facilities for boat sales and service. Heartland Realty (915) 784-5055

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LAND FOR SALE

County Road 1246 South, 19 acres for sale, \$2,000 per acre. Owner of 1/2 acre, 3.2 acres. Call Charles Luccas, Work 489-0906, Home 694-6139.

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