Coalition success list swells

Citizen's Coalition for Economic Development, Community Service has growing list of successes

LOCAL/1B

MCI 'wires' phone computer

Day when you will be able to send faxes from a mobile phone whose number goes where you go nears

BUSINESS/8C

MHS survives OT; Lee falls

Both Rebels, Bulldogs go into overtime in their basketball playoff games: MHS wins, Lee falls

SPORTS/1C

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TUESDAY

NEWS WATCH

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An Israeli border police officer wrestles a Palestinian to the ground during street clashes in eastern Jerusalem on Monday.

Mosque massacre

The PLO rejected unprecedented Israeli concessions aimed at coaxing them back to peace talks in the wake of the mosque massacre, saying early today they did not go far enough in protecting Palestinians in the occupied lands. But later, the Israeli army said Israel will release 500 Palestinian prisoners today and an additional 300 by the end of the week. The prisoners were not involved in attacks on Israel and many of them were near the end of their sentences, the army said./3A

Russia expulsion

In action reminiscent of the Cold War, Russia expelled a senior U.S. diplomat to retaliate for Washington's expulsion of a Russian intelligence officer. President Yeltsin also fired the head of his own spy agency./3A

Justices to review

WASHINGTON — Setting the stage for an important ruling on child pornography, the Supreme Court said Monday it will judge the validity of a key federal law used to prosecute people who buy and sell such material./7A

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Bank One robber pleads guilty to escape charges

By Tonie Miller-Uzzel
Staff Writer

PECOS — Two persons — including convicted bank robber Jimmy David Clark — pleaded guilty to escape charges in U.S. District Court Monday.

Clark, 24, of Hobbs, N.M., was in the Ward County Jail when he escaped Jan. 24 with Jimmy Mac Haggard, 21. Clark was awaiting sentencing for a Midland bank robbery.

Clark and Vanessa Aycock, 22, both appeared before U.S. District Judge Lucius Bunton in federal court in Pecos.

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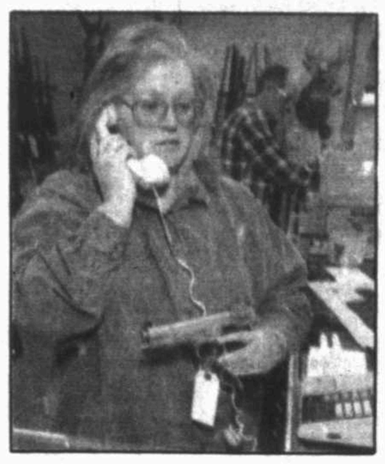

Buyers grumble

Alice Didamo holds a handgun in her Lakewood, Colo., gunshop on Monday. The Brady Act, the new federal gun law, takes hold, despite some grumbling from buyers./8A

AP Laserphoto

Probe yields 5 arrests on weapons charges

By Tonie Miller-Uzzel
Staff Writer

Five Mexican citizens appeared in federal court Monday to face charges of attempting to export 50 semiautomatic guns to Mexico, according to a complaint filed in federal court.

The five suspects, all related, were arrested by Department of Public Safety troopers Sunday evening while they allegedly were en route to Mexico with the weapons.

The arrests resulted from a U.S. Customs investigation.

Please see **PROBE**/2A

F-16s down 4 warplanes over Bosnia

Bosnian no-fly zone

The United Nations has authorized NATO warplanes to shoot down aircraft that violate the Bosnian no-fly zone, which has been in effect since October, 1992, and covers all of Bosnia-Herzegovina.

AP/Alex Sibirny

■ Serbs put NATO's resolve to test, receive swift, severe answer.

Associated Press

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia — Bosnian Serbs put NATO's long-questioned resolve to the test on Monday and received a swift, severe answer: missiles from U.S. F-16 fighter jets downed four Serb warplanes.

It was the first time that NATO had struck militarily in its 44-year history, and came after repeated threats by the alliance to intervene to back U.N. resolutions aimed at ending the 23-month war.

NATO said the planes ignored several warnings to leave a U.N.-imposed no-fly zone over Bosnia or face attack, then were observed bombing a Muslim-controlled area. U.N. officials said the Serbs were bombing an arms plant.

Bosnian Serbs first denied involvement. But one Serb army official, who spoke on condition of anonymity, confirmed that four of their planes were shot down. Bosnian Serb leader Radovan Karadzic said Serb pilots might have been making "training flights."

No one was seen bailing out from the downed jets, which each seat two. Two of the U.S. F-16 pilots involved in the attack said

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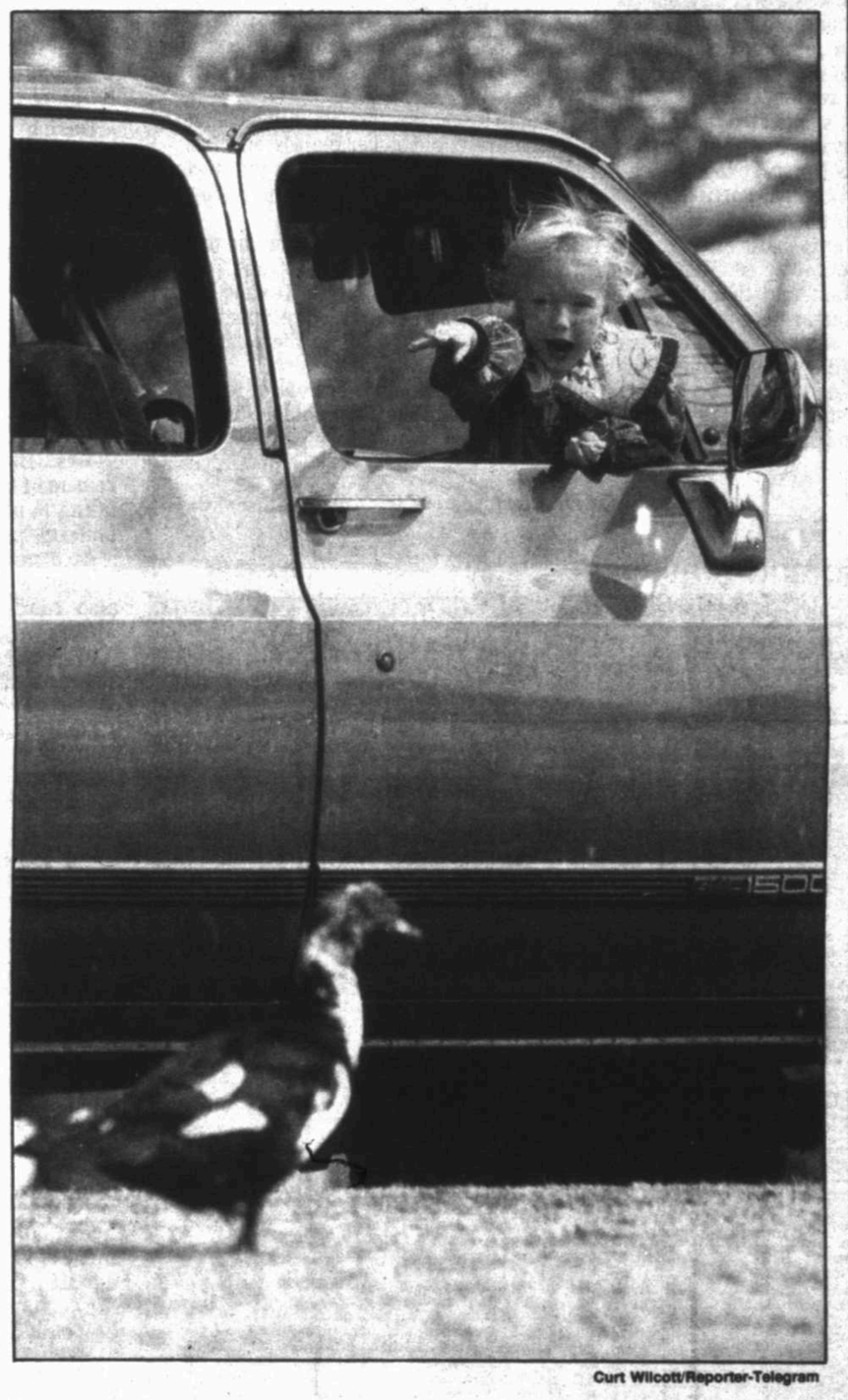
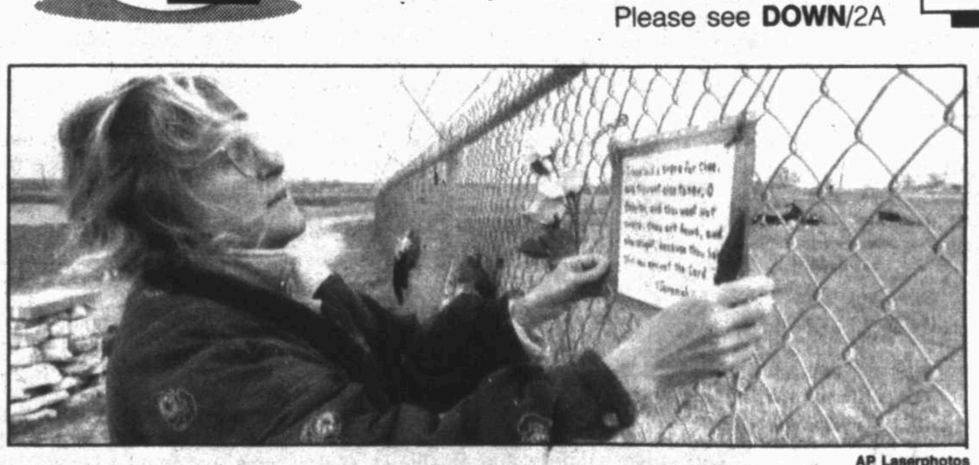


Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram

Ducky delight

Bailey Blair takes delight in feeding one of the ducks Monday at Wadley-Barron Park.



AP Laserphotos

Amo Bishop Roden hangs a Bible verse outside the Branch Davidian compound remains in Waco. Below, flowers drape a memorial in Elk for the four slain ATF agents.

Mount Carmel stands silent 1 year after raid

WACO (AP) — One year later, Mount Carmel was silent.

The first anniversary of the bloodiest day in federal law enforcement passed quietly Monday with no formal ceremony at the infamous site of the gun battle, David Koresh's prairie home known as Ranch Apocalypse.

There were no flags at half-staff. No wreath layings. No prayer vigils.

■ **Juror speaks out on Davidian trial verdicts**/2D

Please see **SILENT**/2A

Judge cuts loose Bobbitt from Va. mental hospital

MANASSAS, Va. (AP) — A beaming Lorena Bobbitt got a taste of fast food and then her freedom Monday, ruled no longer a threat and released after five weeks in a state mental hospital for cutting off her husband's penis.

Mrs. Bobbitt was taken by a sheriff's deputy from Central State Hospital to a restaurant for a breakfast burrito and coffee on her way to a hearing where Judge Herman A. Whisenant Jr. ordered her released.

Asked about her immediate plans, she said: "Well, I have already been to McDonald's today. The next stop is Disney World."

Please see **CUTS**/2A

AP Laserphoto

Lorena Bobbitt waves to supporters in a Manassas, Va., courtroom Monday before her release.

Officials: Early voting pace at trickle despite five locations to cast ballots

By Myra Lee Salcedo
Staff Writer

Even though Midlanders have five places — instead of the usual single site — to cast their early ballots this year, voting is going slower than a trickle at the Midland County Elections office.

"Today has been kind of busy, but up until today we have been lonely," said election official Pat Eastup, laughing. "We were up here 12 hours on Saturday waiting for voters — with all five polling places open — and less than 100 voted. We are behind the 1990 and 1992 numbers voting early in the primary."

However, Ms. Eastup said she suspects the publication of the League of Women Voter's annual voting guide Sunday bolstered numbers at the polls Monday.

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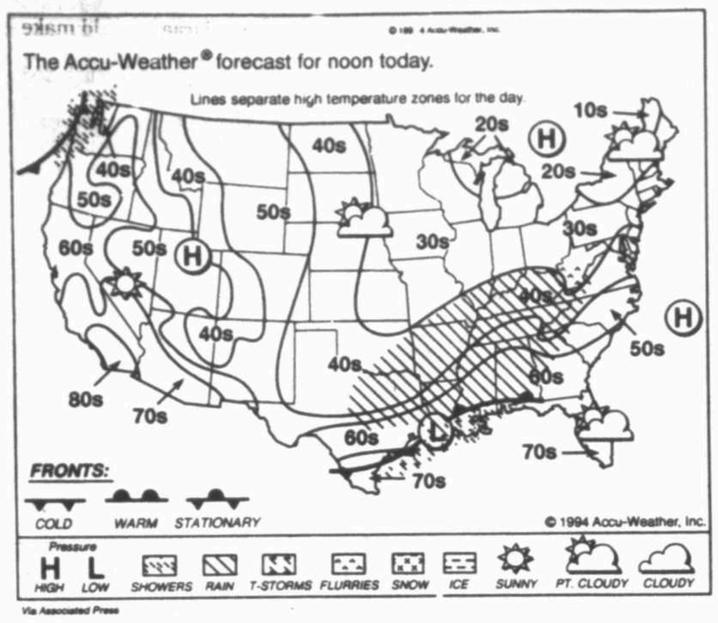
WEATHER WATCH



Via Associated Press

Chances of showers to hover

Staff Report

Today's forecast calls for a 30 percent chance of rain and decreased cloudiness late, with a high near 55 and north winds at 10-20 mph. Tonight should be fair with a low between 30-35, according to the National Weather Service.

Wednesday should be sunny with a high between 70-75.

After an overnight low of 41, Monday's high reached 76, compared to the record high for that date of 87 set in 1940. The record low was 14 set in 1962.

STATE

It was a wet day across much of Texas on Monday with rain expected to continue through today.

In South Texas, moisture from the Gulf of Mexico resulted in considerable cloudiness and rain. Temperatures were in the 60s and 70s across the region.

It's expected to stay cloudy in South Texas calls today with a chance of showers and thunderstorms. Highs are expected in the 60s and 70s.

In North Texas, a large area of showers developed across the western and central portions of the region early Monday and continued Monday afternoon. Some thunderstorms began to develop.

Temperatures were generally in the 50s, while Lufkin saw the mercury climb to 66. Winds were from the southeast at 10 to 20 mph.

Rain and thunderstorms are on tap again for North Texans today. Highs are expected in the upper 40s to the west and to the upper 50s in the east. Forecasters are calling for lows in the 30s in the west to the middle 40s in the southeast.

West Texans on Monday also saw scattered showers and a few thunderstorms over the western South Plains into the Panhandle. Some light rain fell near El Paso.

The Associated Press contributed to this report.

Midland statistics

FORECAST:

Today: 30 percent chance of rain, decreasing cloudiness later, high near 55, north winds at 10-20 mph.
Tonight: fair, low between 30-35.
Wednesday: sunny, high between 70-75.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

Yesterday's High	76 degrees
Overnight Low	41 degrees
Sunset today	6:47 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:15 a.m.
Precipitation:	
Last 24 hours	00.00 inches
This month to date	00.07 inches
Year to date	01.09 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

6 p.m.	67	6 a.m.	45
7 p.m.	60	7 a.m.	42
8 p.m.	54	8 a.m.	46
9 p.m.	51	9 a.m.	51
10 p.m.	50	10 a.m.	53
11 p.m.	47	11 a.m.	59
midnight	45	noon	66
1 a.m.	45	1 p.m.	70
2 a.m.	44	2 p.m.	72
3 a.m.	44	3 p.m.	74
4 a.m.	46	4 p.m.	75
5 a.m.	48	5 p.m.	74
		6 p.m.	71

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Alpine	72	40	
Amarillo	53	34	
Austin	63	51	.05
Beaumont-Port Arthur	68	47	
Bryan-College Station	67	50	.01
Corpus Christi	68	59	.01
Dallas	57	47	.02
El Paso	67	51	
Fort Worth	56	41	
Galveston	64	50	
Houston	68	50	.03
Laredo	64	52	
Lubbock	70	43	.02
Marfa	70	31	
Presidio	82	46	
San Angelo	66	52	
San Antonio	62	50	.11
Victoria	66	54	.07
Waco	63	47	.03
Wink	73	38	

Area forecast

West Texas: Permian Basin/Upper Trans Pecos-/Concho Valley/Edwards Plateau — Today, a chance of showers and a few thunderstorms mainly in the morning. Highs 55-60. Tonight, decreasing cloudiness. Lows 30-35. Wednesday, sunny. Highs 70-75. Wednesday night, fair. Lows in the mid-30s to lower 40s. Thursday, fair and warmer. Highs 65-70. Friday and Saturday, fair. Lows in the 40s. Highs in the 70s.

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albuquerque	52	42	.02	clr
Atlanta	51	37		rn
Atlantic City	35	12		cdy
Baltimore	38	14		cdy
Boston	29	13		cdy
Chicago	32	15	.03	cdy
Cleveland	31	03		clr
Denver	51	33	.16	cdy
Detroit	30	-01		cdy
Flagstaff	50	24	.15	clr
Indianapolis	37	23		cdy
Kansas City	36	29	.42	cdy
Las Vegas	70	53		clr
Los Angeles	76	52		clr
Louisville	50	25		cdy
Memphis	61	37		rn
Milwaukee	32	12	.04	cdy
Nashville	61	27		rn
New Orleans	68	36		cdy
New York City	34	14		clr
Oklahoma City	45	32	.16	clr
Orlando	72	55		rn
Philadelphia	34	16		cdy
Phoenix	75	53		clr
Reno	60	32		clr
Sacramento	70	49		clr
St Louis	39	28		cdy
San Francisco	73	48		clr
Seattle	58	48	.18	rn
Shreveport	69	39		cdy
Spokane	49	32	.05	cdy
Topeka	34	31	.36	clr
Tulsa	46	40	.28	cdy
Wichita	41	34	.03	clr

BALLOTS: Voting pace is behind 1990, '92

(From 1A)

For the first time ever, Midlanders have been voting early at any of five locations for the party primaries for this year's county, state and federal elections.

Latest figures show there are 55,459 Midlanders registered to vote in the primary election.

The additional early voting places are the result of a new law that requires counties with populations of more than 100,000 to offer a voting place in each county commissioners precinct, although voters can vote at any location.

Early voting polling places are:

- Dellwood Senior Citizens Center, in the Kingsway Mall, 3303 W. Illinois Ave., Space 18.
- Junior League of Midland, 904 W. Dengar Ave.
- Casa de Amigos, 1101 E. Garden Lane.
- Midland Park Mall at the Police Department substation near JCPenney's, 4511 Midkiff Road.
- Elections Administration Office, 709 W. Washington Ave.

Early voting for the March 8 election continues 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. through Friday.

Midland County Republican chairman is Rick Davis. The local Democratic chairman is Chris McCormack.

A list of polling places, with some additions made to the previously published list, follows.

Republican polling places:

101, 101A — 108 Airline Mobile Home Park, 7100 Airline Drive (recreation room)
102 — Alamo Junior High, 3800 W. Storey Ave. (main entrance)
103 — Bonham Elementary, 909 Bonham St. (library)
104, 104A — Midland Christian Fellowship, 200 Baldwin St.
105, 105A — Burnet Elementary, 900 Raymond Road (cafeteria)
106, 106A — Henderson Elementary, 4800 Graceland (cafeteria)
107 — Manor Park, 2208 N. Loop 250 W. (Greathouse activity building)
201, 201A — Cottonflat Baptist Church, 6409 S. Highway 349 (County Road 150 & Rankin Highway; youth activity room)
202, 202A — Greedwood ISD Administration Building, 2700 FM Road 1379
203, 203A, 211, 211A, 310 310A — County Extension Building, 2445 E. Highway 80 (meeting room)
204, 204A — Saddle Club South Clubhouse, 4907 Lancashire
205 — San Jacinto Junior High, 1400 N. N (auditorium)
207, 207A, 207B — Girl Scout Program Center, 901 W. Dengar Ave.
208 — Trinity Towers, 2800 W. Illinois Ave. (Bridgewater Room)
206, 210, 210A — Goddard Junior High, 2500 Haynes (room 106)
212, 212A — Bowie Elementary, 805 E. Elk Ave. (gym)
301, 302, 302A, 303, 309, 309A — Rocky Ford Van Lines, 3811 Industrial
304, 305, 306 — Carver Cultural Center, 1300 E. Wall St. (Occupational Development Learning)
307, 307A — Midland High School, 906 W. Illinois Ave. (main entrance)
308 — Lee Freshman High School, 1400 E. Oak Ave. (library)
402 — Memorial Christian Church, 1001 Andrews Highway (fellowship hall)
403 — Lee High School, 3500 Neely Ave. (auditorium foyer)
404 — Parker Elementary, 3800 Norwood St. (cafeteria)
405 — Rusk Elementary, 2601 Wedgewood St. (cafeteria)
401, 407 — Fairmont Church of Christ, 3813 N. Midland Drive (fellowship hall)
408, 408A — Santa Rita Elementary, 5306 Whitman Drive (cafeteria)
409 — Northwestern Baptist Church , 3901 Mockingbird Lane

Democratic polling places

101, 101A, 108 Airline Mobile Home Park, 7100 Airline Drive (recreation room)
102 — Alamo Junior High, 3800 W. Storey Ave. (auditorium)
103 — Bonham Elementary, 909 Bonham St. (Room 101)
104, 104A — Midland Christian Fellowship, 200 Baldwin
105, 105A — Burnet Elementary, 900 Raymond Road (library)
106, 106A — Henderson Elementary, 4800 Graceland (library)
107 — Manor Park, 2208 N. Loop 250 W. (Greathouse activity building)
201, 201A — Cottonflat Baptist Church, 6409 S. Highway 349 (County Road 150 & Rankin Highway; youth activity room)
202, 202A — Greenwood ISD Administration Building, 2700 FM Road 1379
203, 203A, 310, 310A — County Extension Building, 2445 E. Highway 80 (north end of building)
204, 204A, 211, 211A — Fire station No. 4, 404 E. Solomon Lane
205, 208, 402 — San Jacinto Junior High, 1400 N. N (hall-gym)
207, 207A, 207B — Girl Scout Program Center, 901 W. Dengar Ave.
206, 210, 210A — Goddard Junior High, 2500 Haynes (room 107)
212, 212A — Bowie Elementary, 805 E. Elk Ave. (library)
301, 303, 304, 309, 309A — South Elementary School, 200 W. Dakota Ave.
302, 302A — Ranchland Heights Baptist Church, 3203 S. County Road 1211 (south Midkiff Road, west on County Road 118)
305 — Carver Cultural Center, 1300 E. Wall St. (foyer main entrance)
306 — DeZavala Elementary, 700 N. Lee St. (cafeteria)
307, 307A — Midland High School, 906 W. Illinois Ave. (entrance to auditorium)
308 — Lee Freshman High School, 1400 E. Oak Ave. (auditorium)
403 — Lee High School, 3500 Neely Ave. (gym foyer)
401, 404, 407 — Parker Elementary, 3800 Norwood St. (library)
405 — Rusk Elementary, 2601 Wedgewood St. (library)
408, 408A, 409 — Santa Rita Elementary, 5306 Whitman Drive (library)

PROBE: Troopers arrest 5 on weapons charges

(From 1A)

Arrested were Alberto Reyes-Rodriguez; his wife, Maria Castenada-Anjeles; the son of Rodriguez, Jose Alberto Reyes Varela; Anjeles' brother and his wife, Miguel Daniel Varela-Castenada and Beatris Morales de Varela.

U.S. Customs officials charge in a court complaint that the five conspired to export 50 semiautomatic weapons from the U.S. and attempted to export the guns.

During their initial appearance Monday before U.S. Magistrate Louis Guirola Jr., the three men and two women entered the courtroom with their feet shackled together and handcuffed to one another.

They were read their rights and asked if they had any questions regarding the charges. Rodriguez began questioning the judge about why all five of them face the same charges.

Guirola told Rodriguez several times to be quiet and listen to his explanation. He advised the defendants of their right to remain silent and recommended they save their questions for their attorneys because anything they say in open court could be used against them in further hearings.

According to the court information, on Feb. 18 a U.S. Customs confidential informant told officials that Rodriguez had solicited for the acquisition of weapons for illegal exportation.

U.S. Customs Agent Thomas Rowe said that between Feb. 22 and 25, a U.S. Customs undercover agent spoke several times with Rodriguez, his wife and his son in Odessa. The agent was posing as a gun salesman.

According to the charges, during the conversations all three defendants expressed interest in the guns and negotiated for the purchase. On Feb. 25, a meeting with the same three defendants and an agent was videotaped in which they purchased 50 semiautomatice handguns.

Rowe said in that same meeting the three said they intended to export the guns to Mexico. He said they also negotiated for a future purchase of 51 more guns.

On Sunday, the three defendants were joined in Odessa by the other two defendants. The group loaded a vehicle and departed westbound from Odessa on I-20, the complaint said.

Later, the Department of Public Safety troopers stopped the vehicle and the driver told him they were on their way to Mexico, Rowe said. During a search of the vehicle 48 semiautomatic weapons were found in a hidden compartment created within the lower bench portion of the rear seat and concealed by a solid metal sheet attached to the bottom of the seat by bolts.

Following the hearing Monday, the defendants were detained temporarily and will have a preliminary examination and detention hearing Friday morning.

CUTS: Judge's ruling frees Lorena Bobbitt

(From 1A)

Mrs. Bobbitt was acquitted by reason of insanity Jan. 21 for mutilating her husband and ordered to undergo psychiatric evaluation.

At a news conference after the 25-minute hearing, Mrs. Bobbitt also made a plea for battered women to get help.

"I realize there are many abused women in this country, not only in this country. I would like to in some way help them, encourage them to reach out for help. I would like them to call the closest hot line," she said.

Mrs. Bobbitt, 24, testified at her trial that years of beatings, rapes and emotional abuse at the hands of her estranged husband, John, led to temporary insanity. The couple is seeking a divorce.

Bobbitt, 26, was acquitted in November of sexually assaulting his wife and has denied ever abusing her. His penis was surgically reattached but full functioning has not yet returned.

Whisenant agreed with a psychiatric report that Mrs. Bobbitt poses no threat to herself or others, but ordered her to get psychiatric treatment. She may not leave Virginia without court permission.

"I'm looking forward to my healing process," she said.

Commonwealth's Attorney Paul B. Ebert, who unsuccessfully prosecuted both Mrs. Bobbitt and her husband, told the judge Mrs. Bobbitt's evaluation and history show she can act impulsively under extreme stress.

"There's a risk factor there and I think the court has got to address it," he said. "I think the court, at least initially, ought to have complete control over her."

Mrs. Bobbitt will undergo private counseling by a state-approved psychotherapist while under supervision by a community services board.

Mrs. Bobbitt said the ordeal made her "a stronger person" and may help men understand how to treat women.

"Please, we are human beings. Learn from this," she said.

Asked how she would like men to think of her, Mrs. Bobbitt said, "Men have to have more consideration and respect for women."

SILENT: Few events mark 1-year anniversary

(From 1A)

Instead, there were just a lot of bad memories and another chance to question the deaths of four Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms officers and six Branch Davidians during a shootout that led to a 51-day standoff and the fiery deaths of Koresh and 78 followers.

Several events were planned in Washington, D.C., and ATF offices nationwide observed a moment of silence to remember slain agents Conway LeBleu, Todd McKeehan, Robert Williams and Steven Willis. Some 20 agents also were wounded in the firefight.

Branch Davidians believed to have died in different Feb. 28 gunbattles were Winston Blake, Peter Gent, Peter Hipsman, Perry Jones, Michael Schroeder and Jay Deen Wendell.

In front of the St. Joseph's Catholic Church in the community of Elk, about five miles from the Branch Davidians' home, a memorial to the four agents bore signs of remembrance Monday.

Four yellow roses, a potted plant and a yellow and blue styrofoam cross surrounded a four-foot high granite monument built in memory of the slain agents.

But at the compound ruins, there was an eerie lack of activity other than the usual visits by the morbidly curious, most of whom were unaware of the anniversary. They were far outnumbered by reporters.

Amo Paul Bishop Roden, the former wife of one-time sect leader George Roden who now lives in a shack on the grounds, tied six posters bearing Biblical verses to the chain-link fence ringing the site. She called the messages "warnings of the judgement that is to come." Many Davidians say they are awaiting Koresh's return.

Like on Feb. 28, 1993, skies were grey Monday. The rain of the previous year was missing and strong winds were more reminiscent of April 19, the day of the climactic fire that claimed the lives of Koresh and many of his followers, than the day of the shootout.

One bizarre irony occurred about 9:50 a.m. when a livestock trailer drove by the out of the way road leading to the compound. It was around 9:45 a.m. last year when two trailers carrying scores of ATF agents drove up the dirt road to begin the siege.

ROBBER: 2 enter guilty pleas

(From 1A)

Clark pleaded guilty to conspiracy to escape and Aycock pleaded guilty to conspiracy to aide and abet Clark and Haggard in their escape.

The two will be sentenced April 4 in Pecos. Assistant U.S. Attorney Tom Beery said Haggard, James David Crawford and Julie Aycock are set for trial April 4.

Crawford and Julie Aycock were charged with conspiracy, aiding an escape and harboring a fugitive. Beery said he anticipated the others may plead to the charges without actually going to trial.

Clark will be in Midland Monday for sentencing on the bank robbery conviction.

Clark pleaded guilty Jan. 7 to one of three bank robberies he was charged with. He entered a guilty plea to the Sept. 9 robbery of Bank One, 2301 W. Wall St. in Midland.

Clark was arrested during a chase with law enforcement following the Bank One robbery.

Beery said the day after Clark's arrest he confessed to the Bank One robbery and two other robbers.

Beery said Clark confessed to the Aug. 20 robbery at Texas Commerce Bank, 1003 Andrews Hwy. in Midland and the Aug. 30 robbery of Western National Bank, 2700 N.W. County Road in Odessa.

Tom Kirspel, Midland FBI supervisor, said all three bank robbery cases are considered closed.

Clark was being held in the Ward County Jail when he escaped Jan. 24. A witness told officials she saw two women walking outside the recreation area when one of the women threw something into the fenced area.

She said she saw two inmates leave through the top of the recreation area, jump over the side and head across a park.

Clark and Haggard were apprehended separately. Clark was arrested Jan. 25 at an apartment in Midland. Haggard was taken into custody Jan. 26 at an Odessa apartment.

Pick 3 Texas

AUSTIN (AP) — The Lotto Texas Pick 3 winning numbers drawn Monday by the Texas Lottery, in this order:

0-4-7

Correction

The West Texas Orchid Society meets at 2 p.m. Saturday at 4022 Monty Drive for a greenhouse tour, video on orchids and a drawing for a free orchid plant. A listing in Sunday's Midland Marquee in the Arts & Entertainment section misidentified the organization. The error was based on incorrect information provided to the Reporter-Telegram.

DOWN: Serbs put NATO's resolve to test

(From 1A)

they did not think the Serb crewmen survived because each plane hit became "a fireball." They spoke with reporters at the U.S. base in Aviano, Italy.

NATO and the United Nations say they are neutral in the Bosnian conflict and will act against any side violating U.N. agreements. Most recently, the alliance forced Serbs to pull their artillery away from Sarajevo.

Bosnian government officials, who have appealed repeatedly for outside help for their outgunned troops, were exuberant.

"Better days are ahead of us," Bosnian Vice President Ejup Ganic said in Sarajevo, Bosnia's capital.

"This is the first reaction of the U.N. and NATO after hundreds, maybe thousands of no-fly zone violations. In any case we are saluting this action," said Bosnian President Alija Izetbegovic.

Russia, a traditional Serb ally that criticized NATO over its ultimatum to Serbs on the Sarajevo siege, reacted mildly to the clash. "If the Serbs did this, I see no justification," said Defense Minister Pavel Grachev.

Although Russia has warned that military intervention could worsen the war, Grachev said he did not think the incident would escalate the conflict.

Hours after the planes were downed, Karadzic arrived in Moscow to consult with Russian diplomats. The Bosnian Serb leader told reporters at Moscow's airport his visit was meant to "ensure the peace process," but he declined further comment.

U.S. Adm. Jeremy M. Boorda, the NATO commander for southern Europe, said the lesson to be learned from the incident was simple: "You ought not to violate the no-fly zone." He said NATO would not hesitate to fire on any other violators.

Yogi, the pilot who shot down the fourth Serb aircraft, said of the incident, "It wasn't much of a contest." His remark came in a joint interview with U.S. journalists telephoning from Washington.

The ban was imposed in October 1992, after Bosnian Serbs had overrun about 70 percent of Bosnia's territory in fighting with government soldiers and Bosnian Croat forces. About 200,000 people have been reported dead or missing since the war began over Bosnia's secession from Serb-dominated Yugoslavia.

Boorda said U.S. pilots detected six planes by radar and broadcast three warnings for them to immediately land or leave Bosnian air space or risk attack. No response was received, and the Americans then saw the planes "make a bombing maneuver" and witnessed explosions on the ground, he said.

One U.S. plane then shot down three planes with air-to-air missiles and a second U.S. plane downed a fourth, Boorda said at a briefing in Naples, Italy. The two other planes escaped by flying west over Croatia and then north and back east over Banja Luka, a Serb-controlled region in northwestern Bosnia, NATO said. Many of the Bosnian Serb aircraft are based in Banja Luka.

The four destroyed planes were all hit over the Banja Luka area, NATO officials said.

None of the Yugoslav-built Soko G-4 Super Galeb attack aircraft returned fire at the U.S. jets, Boorda said. No one was seen bailing out of the four, two-seat planes hit by missiles in the five-minute engagement, NATO said.

U.N. officials said the Galebs attacked a munitions factory in Novi Travnik, a town 45 miles northwest of Sarajevo that is held by government forces. Boorda said NATO received unconfirmed reports that bombs hit a storage facility and a hospital, but could not say that happened during the attack on the arms factory.

NATO officials said only the Bosnian Serb military and Yugoslav air force were known to have Galeb aircraft, which were built in Mostar, Bosnia, before the Yugoslav federation began breaking up. The single-engine planes can carry twin-barrel rapid-fire cannon and bombs.

In Washington, President Clinton said "every attempt was made" to avoid shooting down the planes.

Clinton said helicopters had often violated the no-fly zone in the past, but there had been no violations by planes since September. Boorda said previous violations by planes involved quick, short flights by single aircraft.

The United Nations canceled relief flights into Sarajevo and most truck convoys in Bosnia, apparently for fear of retaliatory attacks by Serb forces. But U.N. spokesman Kris Janowski said the Sarajevo airlift would resume Tuesday.

The U.S. aircraft carrier Saratoga, which also provides planes for the air patrols over Bosnia, was ordered to cut short a port call in Trieste, Italy, and head back to its station in the Adriatic Sea.

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PLO rejects Israeli concessions designed to resume peace talks

By Ed Blanche
Associated Press Writer

JERUSALEM — The PLO rejected major Israeli concessions aimed at coaxing them back to peace talks in the wake of the mosque massacre, saying early today they did not go far enough in protecting Palestinians in the occupied lands.

The major stumbling block was an offer announced hours earlier by Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin to allow unarmed international observers in the occupied territories.

"We still insist on military and armed peacekeeping forces to protect our people," PLO Executive Committee member Ali Ishak said in Tunis after the committee rejected the offer early today. "What has been proposed is insufficient."

Israel also offered to disarm settlers in the Gaza Strip and the West Bank town of Jericho and expand the proposed Palestinian police force in those areas, according to PLO officials meeting in Tunis, Tunisia.

Rabin made the offer for international observers in Jerusalem Monday. Later, spokesmen for the prime minister and the Israeli Foreign Ministry said they had no information on a package of concessions, although they did not deny that one existed.

Such a package would mean that Israel had agreed to most demands put by the PLO following Friday's shooting of worshipers at a mosque in Hebron.

Two Palestinians were killed Monday in clashes with soldiers in the occupied territories, bringing the Arab death toll to 64 since a Jewish gunman opened fire at the Muslims, killing 39 men and boys.

Israel began cracking down on Jewish extremists Sunday and announced plans to release up to 1,000 Palestinian prisoners in the wake of the attack, which badly hurt the already faltering Middle East peace process.

But PLO chairman Yasser Arafat said those measures were not enough. He demanded all Jewish settlements be removed from the West Bank and Gaza.

The PLO also has demanded armed foreign troops in the territories — a step Rabin says would compromise Israel's control there — as well as the disarming of settlers and an expanded police force.

Mideast peace talks in Washington were suspended Sunday after Syria, Lebanon and Jordan walked out in support of the Palestinian Liberation Organization.

In a speech Monday to Israel's parliament, Rabin entreated the PLO to be less adamant.

"We can see the finish line. Another effort, some more goodwill by you, the Palestinians, and by us, and we will win," he said. "There is no other way."

But Rabin rejected PLO demands to dismantle Jewish settlements, declaring Israel will make no compromises on its security — including the fate of the 120,000 Jewish settlers.

Later, Rabin told visiting American Jewish leaders he would agree to an "international presence" in Gaza and around Jericho in the West Bank, saying this was mentioned in the Sept. 13 peace accord for Palestinian autonomy in those areas. Rabin stressed he would not agree to stationing foreign troops, his spokesman Gad Ben-Ari said.

Monday night, Western and Arab diplomats in Tunis said Rabin had agreed to additional concessions after intensive efforts by American and Egyptian emissaries.

According to the diplomats, who spoke on condition of anonymity, Arafat received a letter from Egyptian President Hosni Mubarak spelling out the new Israeli offer and advising him to accept it as the best the Israelis could make now.

Ishak said the package included three points: Israel would accept unarmed international observers, disarm settlers in Gaza and around Jericho, and allow an increase from 8,000 to 10,000 in the size of the Palestinian police force to be deployed in the occupied territories.

Palestinian sources, also speaking on condition of anonymity, said earlier that Arafat and PLO Executive Committee member Mahmoud Abbas had accepted the package and promised to push for its endorsement.

But Ishak said it was unanimously rejected in the PLO's Executive Committee meeting — attended by Arafat — as inadequate.

Russia retaliates, expels diplomat; Yeltsin fires counterintelligence head

MOSCOW (AP) — Russia expelled a senior U.S. diplomat Monday to retaliate for Washington's expulsion of a Russian intelligence officer — a tit-for-tat action reminiscent of the Cold War.

Among his own spies, President Boris Yeltsin did some housecleaning, firing the head of Russia's counterintelligence agency which provides the Kremlin with reports on the political situation inside the country.

The abrupt removal of Nikolai Golushko was another sign of continued disarray in Yeltsin's camp, as well of the ongoing turmoil in Russia's internal intelligence operations.

But Russia reacted swiftly on the foreign front, ordering U.S. Embassy counselor James L. Morris to leave the country within seven days. The action was a reminder that the Cold War legacy of mistrust still clouds efforts to forge a new U.S.-Russian partnership.

Russia's expulsion of a U.S. diplomat had been expected after Alexander Lysenko, chief of Russia's intelligence station in Washington, was ordered Friday to leave the United States within seven days.

U.S. officials said Lysenko "was in a position to be responsible" for CIA officer Aldrich H. Ames and his wife, Rosario, who were charged last week with spying for Moscow since 1985.

The Russian Foreign Ministry, in turn, said Morris was a CIA officer and was expelled in retaliation for "the unjust actions of the American side."

The reciprocal expulsions were the first between Moscow and Washington since the Soviet bugging of the U.S. Embassy in the mid-1980s. But they were not expected to spoil relations between the two countries.

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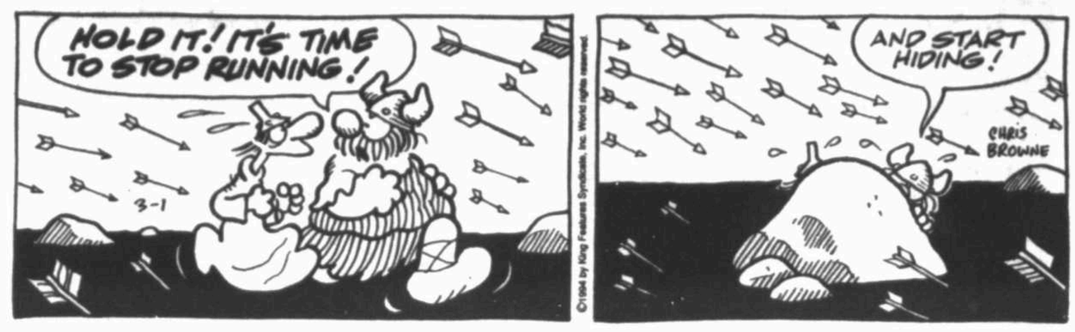

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CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: singer Harry Belafonte, TV host Dinah Shore, director Ron Howard, novelist Judith Rossner.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Do not count on things continuing the way they are. Your priorities could change suddenly. An optimistic approach helps you take things in stride. A dream could prove prophetic. Put romance on hold.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Activities conducted during early hours hold an element of risk. Be very careful with tools, weapons and appliances. Friends may drop in unexpectedly tonight.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): New developments in the career area give you a chance for advancement. Be alert for unexpected opportunities. Your willingness to help others with their problems earns you a new friend.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Creative talent and specialized skills are always in demand. Emphasize your ingenuity to influential people. Original ideas developed now will prove highly profitable later on. Distant romantic events hold more interest than usual.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Financial transactions are favored today. Stock up on necessities. Store owners should give serious thought to carrying new lines of merchandise. Go that extra mile to attract well-to-do customers or clients.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Keep on schedule. There is a chance for delays. Money is abundant, surprisingly so. Even if you feel set for the future, use your time in a way that will bring honor.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Both business and romance enjoy highly favorable vibrations. Long-range planning is essential. Balance your service to humanity with devotion to your family. Children need spiritual guidance as well as financial support.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Jobs you handle alone should stand as shining examples of efficiency and ability. Develop your skills as a writer or public speaker if hoping to make it to the top. Be convincing.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): A good morning to take care of odd jobs or balance your checkbook. Once you learn more about money management, you can watch your assets grow. Romance has you floating on cloud nine. Ask questions!

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): What to believe could be the big question today. If no satisfactory answer is forthcoming, take a wait-and-see approach. Regular tasks as well as a new project should be pushed.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): When a job has an artistic angle, you find it easier to tackle. Take greater pride in your accomplishments. Continued diligence on the work front will lead to fame or fortune. Redouble your efforts!

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Unexpected bills or obligations may leave you short of cash. Wait until tomorrow to try to retrieve what has been lost. Listening to upbeat music will help restore your equilibrium tonight.

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♢ Q 6
♣ A 8 4

WEST
♠ 8 5 2
♡ A 7 6
♢ A K J 10 5
♣ Q J

EAST
♠ 7 6 4
♡ 8 5
♢ 8 2
♣ 10 9 7 5 3 2

SOUTH
♠ K 10
♡ K J 10 9 3
♢ 9 7 4 3
♣ K 6

The bidding:

West	North	East	South
1 ♢	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♡
Pass	3 ♡	Pass	4 ♡
Pass	Pass	Pass	

Opening lead: King of ♢

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Sitting South, Kay became declarer at four hearts after West had opened the bidding with one diamond. While there are only three fast losers for North-South, declarer's diamond length posed a problem and the defense was quick to try to exploit it.

West led the king and ace of diamonds then, after East completed an echo, continued with a third round of the suit. Kay survived the first hurdle when he elected to ruff with dummy's queen. East discarded the deuce of clubs.

Most players would, at this point, lead a trump. West would win the ace and play a fourth diamond and East would overruff dummy for the setting trick.

To prevent that, Kay led three rounds of spades, discarding the diamond from hand. Now a trump could be led safely and the ace was the third and last trick for the defense.

What if East had discarded a spade on the third diamond, then ruffed the third round of spades? Declarer would still get home by overruffing and leading a trump, drawing East's remaining fang. The last diamond could then be ruffed on the table or discarded on a spade, depending on West's defense.

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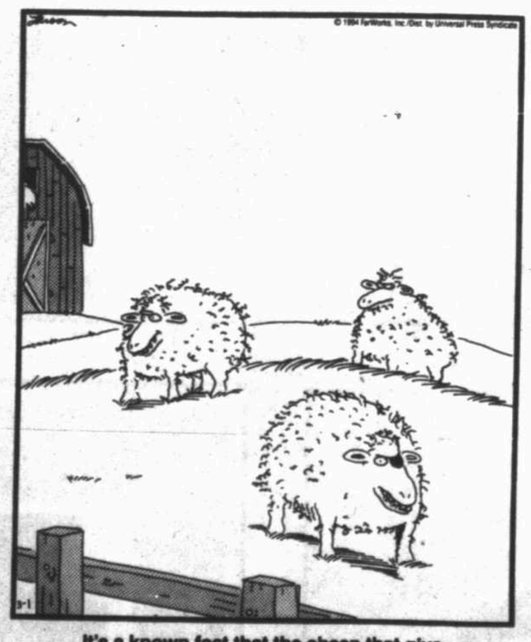

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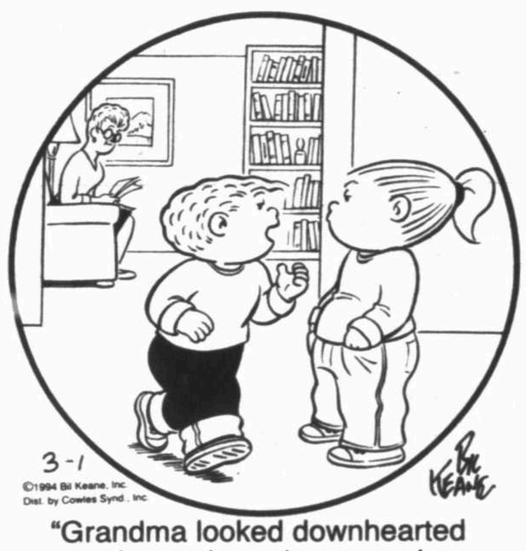

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Once-defrocked Miss America to weave musical web in show

NEW YORK — **Vanessa Williams**, the once-defrocked Miss America, will make her Broadway debut this summer, weaving her musical web in the Tony Award-winning "Kiss of the Spider Woman."

Vanessa Williams to appear in "Kiss of Spider Woman."

Williams will replace **Chita Rivera**, who has been with the show since it opened in 1992 in Toronto.

Producer Garth Drabinsky announced the change Monday.

Williams was voted Miss America in 1984, but was stripped of her crown because she appearing nude in Penthouse magazine. Since then, she's enjoyed a successful recording career that has included such hits as "Dreamin' " and "Save the Best for Last."

She starts June 27 in "Spider Woman," which won the Tony Award for best musical of 1993.

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JACKPOT, Nev. — **Dr. Hook**, who hoped to see his picture on the cover of the Rolling Stone, will have to settle for a police mugshot instead.

The entertainer, whose real name is **Ray Sawyer**, was arrested Saturday and charged with possession of marijuana. Police said they found the pot in Sawyer's Cactus Pete hotel room after receiving complaints that his band openly used drugs.

Sawyer was released on $2,500 bail, and finished his weekend performances at Cactus Pete.

The 57-year-old singer is known for such hits as "The Cover of the Rolling Stone," "When You're in Love with a Beautiful Woman," and "Sylvia's Mother."

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PITTSBURGH — **Andre Previn's** homecoming to conduct his old orchestra was cut short by a fainting spell.

Previn performed Friday and Saturday with the Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra, but passed out at a party Saturday night and had to cancel Sunday's performance.

The 64-year-old composer and conductor was taken to a hospital for tests, which turned up nothing, and flown home to Bedford Hills, N.Y.

"I think he just blacked out for a bit, and that gives you a scare," said Previn's agent, **Jonathan Brill.**

Previn was music director of the Pittsburgh Symphony from 1975 until 1984. He left to become conductor of the Los Angeles Philharmonic, a position he held for five years. Recently, he has been a guest conductor around the world.

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LINCOLN, Neb. — **Joan Ganz Cooney**, the woman who helped build "Sesame Street," predicts sunny days ahead for children's programming.

And that will sweep the clouds away for youngsters who have been deprived of quality television for too long, she said.

"Children have been shortchanged. They deserve a lot of different constructive programs," said Cooney, who co-founded the Children's Television Workshop in 1968.

Cooney was honored Saturday at the Nebraska Educational Television studios for her work. She also has been involved with "The Electric Company," "3-2-1 Contact" and "Square One TV."

"Sesame Street," launched in 1969, was an immediate success, filled with lovable monsters and catchy songs about the alphabet.

" 'Sesame Street' has become one nation's family," Cooney said. "Every child in America can tune in and say, 'This show includes me.' "

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DENVER — A second **Janet Jackson** concert was postponed Monday because the singer still hasn't recovered from the flu that forced her to cut short a performance last week.

Jackson was rushed to a Salt Lake City hospital Saturday night after she became ill during a concert. She was treated in the emergency room for flulike symptoms and dehydration and released.

Concerts scheduled for Sunday night in Salt Lake City and tonight in Denver were canceled. Fans were urged to save their ticket stubs because Jackson planned to reschedule both concerts, said Jackson's tour manager, **Marty Hom.**

"Jackson . . . has been suffering from the flu," he said. "She is extremely sorry to disappoint her fans and deeply regrets any inconvenience that these postponements have caused."

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Members of the illustrious **Rothschild** family gathered in Frankfurt last weekend for a milestone celebration: the 250th birthday of **Mayer Amschel Rothschild,** who started the family's financial empire and whose grave is in the old Battonn Street Jewish Cemetery. The commemoration happened to coincide with the city's 1,200th anniversary celebration.

"The coincidence of both anniversaries reminds us how much Frankfurt am Main owes to its Jewish citizens," Chancellor **Helmut Kohl** said Monday.

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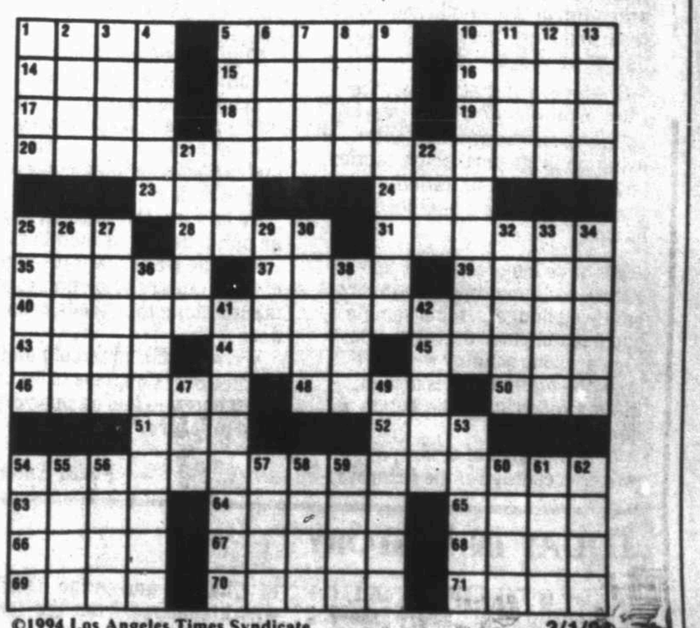

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Waco's lessons should be learned

Acquittal of 11 members of the Branch Davidians on charges of conspiring to murder agents of the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms a year ago in Waco was vindication for the group's members who argued forcefully during the seven-week trial that they were acting in self defense when the agents launched their ill-conceived raid on the compound.

The verdict was put into context by defense lawyer Dan Cogdell, who said, "I think this says loud and clear that you don't negotiate with tanks, you don't assault a house with people inside and you don't bring a case that you can't prove."

Conspiracy to murder charges were serious ones that the prosecution could not prove. It is likely this charge should never have been filed and that manslaughter charges, lesser but still serious, were more appropriate in this case. In five cases, the jury felt so.

The contention by the ATF that the Feb. 28, 1993 killings of four agents was actually an ambush was not accepted by the jury, which acquitted all 11 defendants of murder and murder conspiracy charges. Five of the defendants were convicted of the lesser charge of manslaughter, two of weapons charges, and four were found innocent of all charges.

Although the fact that two Davidians were convicted of weapons charges confirms that those laws were broken inside the compound, the jury obviously felt that did not justify the massive assault carried out there by the ATF, which had 100 agents and some armored vehicles there.

Outcome of the trial should help guide other law enforcement agencies in knowing what tactics are acceptable in situations like that which confronted the ATF in Waco. There the ATF made numerous grievous errors: It

■ Launched the raid even though the agency was aware that the element of surprise was compromised.

■ Suffered from abuses within when after the botched raid, ATF officials lied in an attempt to cover up their mistakes.

■ Used flawed decision making and inadequate intelligence gathering, as well as suffering miscommunication and supervisory failures.

Those revelations were some of the ones detailed in a critical report issued last year by Treasury Secretary Lloyd Bentsen and which led to the replacement of ATF Director Stephen Higgins. Bentsen also suspended five other ATF officials at that point.

Bentsen's action was good; it launched the redirection of the federal agency and allowed the healing to begin. The sad aspect of the attack on the Branch Davidians, however, is that four agents are dead and several others suffered wounds. And six members of the Branch Davidians died in the gun battle Feb. 28, while 85 members of the Branch Davidians died April 19th in a fiery inferno at the group's compound. Those lives can never be brought back.

None of the lives lost in the Waco incident will have been lost in vain if the lessons of this disastrous affair are learned.

Another View

Uncle Sam's spending must come to an end

Congressional hearings are now under way on a proposed constitutional amendment that would require the federal government to have a balanced budget.

On the eve of that debate, the Clinton administration is gearing up to oppose the amendment, using, in large part, scare tactics on how many in our nation would suffer with a balanced budget.

We have long favored a constitutional amendment requiring a balanced budget. If this vehicle had been in place during the past 30 years, our country wouldn't be in the mess that it is now in, mainly referring to the $4 trillion plus deficit.

With that kind of deficit, a large percentage of the federal income is spent just paying interest on that debt, keeping our country from doing many necessary projects — basically fulfilling human needs.

This kind of spending has got to come to an end. In spite of some concentrated efforts toward that end, the federal bureaucracy will not come to grips with its lavish spending habits unless required to do so.

To be sure, this is going to be an uphill battle, as members of Congress are hesitant to let go of their powers of spending, but it is something that needs to be done.

Write to your president and members of Congress to let them know how you feel on this very vital measure.

— Pecos Enterprise

Today in History

Today is Tuesday, March 1, the [illegible]th day of 1994. There are 305 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On March 1, 1932, the infant son of Charles and Anne Lindbergh was kidnapped from the family's home near Hopewell, N.J. Remains identified as those of the baby were found the following May.

William Murchison

Texas judge sentences woman to church

It was one of the shrewdest pieces of ad lib jurisprudence since Solomon offered to slice the baby in half. (You HAVE taken in the third chapter of I Kings, gentle reader?) His honor, David O. Belew of Fort Worth, a federal district judge, of all improbable entities, sentenced a lady to church.

Murchison

Well, maybe she wasn't so much a lady, which would explain why she was up before Judge Belew on a charge of failing to share with the federal cops her knowledge of a drug ring in Wichita Falls.

Belew, who noted the woman's comparatively light offense and her role of breadwinner for four children and a sister, told The Dallas Morning News he thought a stretch in church, rather than in stir, "would open her eyes and enable her to support those other people."

It certainly will if she pays attention. In the right kind of church — distinct from the kind dedicated to working over sexists, capitalists and polluters — Belew's proselyte will hear plenty of talk about commandments.

They will seem vast and mighty things, these injunctions from On High. They will seem disrespectful of what a particular pew-warmer may feel like saying and doing the minute church lets out — or before. The new proselyte will note with a certain awe the directness of these commands: no "wudja minds?" and no "whatever-you-thinks," but instead, a plenitude of "shalts" and "shalt nots." Not at all like what you see on television today. It can make an impression — as Belew seems well to know.

"I think that she and plenty of other people need to have the Lord in their life," Belew declared unashamedly.

Now where does a federal judge get off mentioning that Personage we've had to quit entreating on government property, owing to His controversial status? Could it be the judge just took a look around him? And saw "more than a 500 percent increase in violent crime; more than a 400 percent increase in illegitimate births; a tripling of the percentage of children living in single-parent homes; a tripling in the teenage suicide rate; a doubling in the divorce rate; and a drop of almost 75 points in SAT (Scholastic Aptitude Test) scores"? Here I quote from former education secretary William J. Bennett, talking of social changes since 1960.

You might call us a people off the track, in the ditch. How to get us out? Would church do the job? Suppose I put it this way: Policemen don't enforce social and civil order; people themselves do that. Parents, aunts, uncles, neighbors and teachers say at critical moments in children's lives: "Don't!" In due course, the children grow up. If they've paid proper attention, they have learned to say to themselves in similar situations: "Don't!"

This is what keeps the peace — not the banshee wail of the police siren but the The Great Don't, spoken aloud or internalized. You can tell we haven't heard it much lately. Mostly what we've heard from the authorities — professors, best-selling authors, pundits, even clergy — these past three decades is: "Do!" Do what? Anything — just make sure it's Authentic, Life-Affirming, etc., etc.

Nothing has mattered more to American democracy than the historic propensity of Americans to do exactly what Belew bids his new proselyte to do — go to church, sit there, and reflect on the eternal tendency of the human race, absent a Guiding Hand, to slip and fall in the mud.

That propensity isn't nearly what it once was, but then, one federal judge can do only so much.

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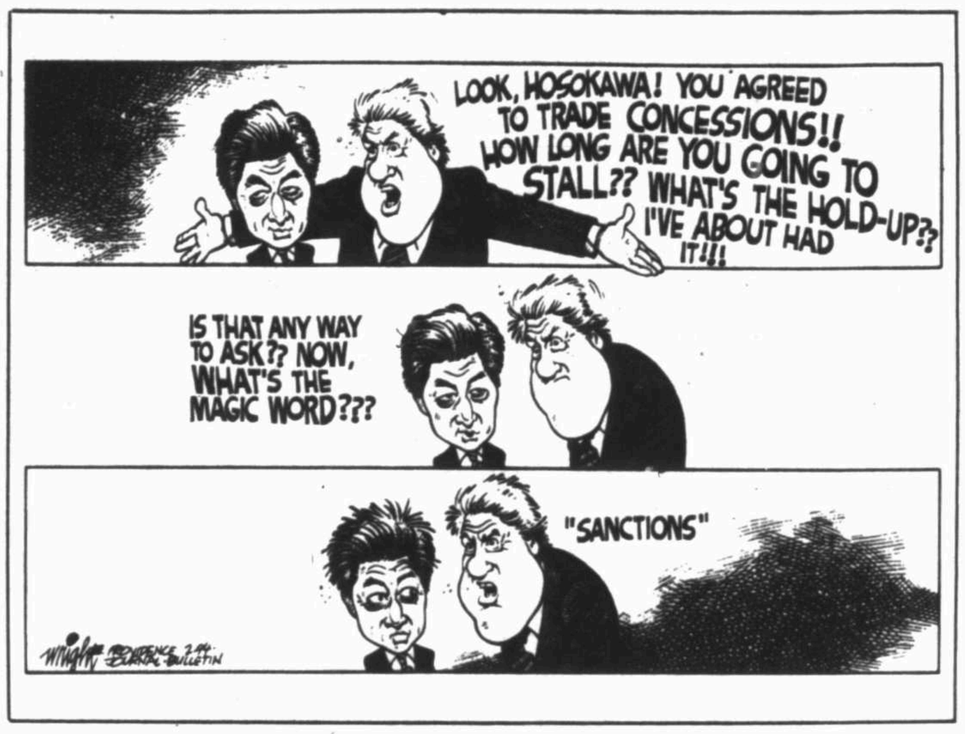

Charley Reese

Japan gets blamed for multinational evils

The proposed conflict with Japan over trade is nothing more than a hoax. Whether the United States has a trade surplus or a trade deficit is of little importance to the American economy.

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We can't sell, domestically or in foreign markets, what we don't make. What has cost American jobs isn't imports, but U.S.-based multinationals deciding to put production facilities overseas to take advantage of cheap labor and virtually no environmental laws.

President Clinton's own secretary of labor, Robert Reich, wrote in a book before the election that half of all of America's so-called trade is really nothing more than corporate transfers. That's what most of the so-called exports to Mexico are — stuff going down to be used in manufacture and then shipped right back for sale in the United States.

Japan, you may be surprised to learn, buys more American products and services than any other country except Canada. In 1992, the last year for which my almanac has figures, Japan bought $47.8 billion worth of U.S. merchandise; Germany, $21.2 billion; and South Korea, $14.6 billion.

We have a trade deficit with Japan (and most other countries) because we Americans buy more imports than the people in the other countries. For one thing, we can afford to buy them.

Our big merchandise exports are aircraft and spacecraft, computers and peripherals, petrochemicals, cars, electronic components, automotive parts, synthetic resin, rubber and plastics, organic chemicals, drugs and laboratory instruments.

Exports are not a big percentage of our gross domestic product. They never have been. So, you may ask, why does President Clinton keep harping on the theme that increased trade means jobs for Americans?

Well, neither Clinton nor any other establishment politician, all of whom are dependent on big money donors, wish to talk about the loss of American jobs to corporations deliberately moving production overseas. They don't wish to do that because then people would demand that they take actions that their big money donors would oppose.

Nevertheless, the United States has persistent high unemployment. So let's talk about Japan and lie to the American people and pretend that Japanese trade policies are at the root of American unemployment. A neat piece of political pig swill.

Japan is a country half our size in population and considerably smaller geographically. If they bought everything our businesses wished to sell, we'd still run a trade deficit because our market is so much bigger than theirs.

Moreover, the Japanese have used the money from the trade surplus to help finance our federal debt, to invest in American businesses and to create nearly 600,000 jobs in America.

And, finally, as I said, we can't sell what we don't make. And what American businesses have decided not to make in the United States has nothing to do with competition from foreign imports, even though that is the big lie being peddled to the American people.

In the last round of talks, the Clinton administration made ridiculous demands of Japan. They demanded that Japan buy a certain percentage of various services and goods. The Japanese refused, just as we would refuse if Germany demanded that we set a quota and buy a certain amount of German products.

Keep in mind, too, that trade balances are affected by recessions. When people lose their jobs, they buy less. During our recession, our trade balance improved because American consumers, being unemployed, bought less. Now Japan is in recession. Their people are buying less. It has nothing to do with trade laws.

Don't let the Clinton administration dupe you into making a Japan a scapegoat for American problems. Japan isn't guilty.

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Lewis Grizzard

Underweight people need some role models

It seems like everybody is trying to lose weight.

When my stepbrother, the radio talk-show host Ludlow Porch, was trying to lose weight, he went on an elephant diet.

Grizzard

"I can eat one elephant a week, cooked any way I like it," he explained, "but I have to catch my own elephant."

Kathleen Sullivan has shown up on television again trying to lose weight. I'm not quite certain whatever happened to Kathleen Sullivan.

She interviewed me once during the 1988 Democratic National Convention in Atlanta. She certainly didn't appear portly to me then.

But all of a sudden she disappeared from CBS News only to reappear in commercials bragging about how much fat she had lost on somebody's diet. I forget the name of it, but I don't think she mentioned an elephant.

Kathleen Sullivan brags on television, "I've already lost eight pounds."

About 15 more, it appears, and she'll be getting back close to her interview weight.

Did Kathleen Sullivan get so hefty they kicked her off CBS News? I don't know, but it's nice to have her back on the tube again. Perhaps if she could find somebody to bop Connie Chung on the shin, she could get her old job back.

I bring all this up because I may be the only person in America currently trying to gain weight. Due to a recent illness, I dropped about 20 pounds.

A lot of people would gladly get sick if they thought they could lose 20 pounds. The problem I have is I was already underweight when I lost the 20.

Friends who saw me after I got out of the hospital and went a strapping 6-foot-1, 142 pounds, asked me, "So how's the movie going?"

"What movie?" I asked back

"'Back to Bataan'" they answered. "I saw you on TV the other night in the death march scene."

I even got some anorexia humor. It was cruel, yes, but I offer it here only to show what the weight-deprived go through.

"Do you realize," said a man, "if Mama Cass had given Karen Carpenter that sandwich, they'd both be alive today?"

I have gained about 10 of the 20 pounds I lost in the hospital. But I figure I was already 15 pounds underweight when I lost that 20, so I have 25 more to go.

It's not going to be a picnic.

To be perfectly honest, it's lonely being skinny and underweight, because nobody else is.

There is nobody to relate to. Nobody to say, "I, too, was a hoe handle once, but I overcame it, and so can you."

I don't have a Kathleen Sullivan appearing on my television saying, "I've gained 8 pounds! Pass the potatoes, please."

The good news is, I have my appetite back and I do eat. I eat potatoes with gravy on them, I put lots of butter on my bread, and I eat pie and cake and pints upon pints of ice cream.

But I'm still not able to gain much weight. And I'm far too weak to try to go out and catch a couple of elephants.

And I'm tired of being stared at in public. I'm tired of being called "String Bean," and I'm tired of people offering me rocks to put in my pockets when it's windy.

I am desperate, and my last hope is the White House. I need to know what the president eats. He's where Kathleen Sullivan's fat is going.

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Defense lawyer: Another abortion opponent might have shot doctor

PENSACOLA, Fla. (AP) — Testimony in the trial of an activist charged with murdering an abortion doctor began Monday with the prosecutor saying the man confessed, and the defense saying a government witness will be implicated.

Defendant Michael F. Griffin's lawyers won a victory just before opening statements, as Circuit Judge John Parnham rejected a prosecution attempt to block introduction of graphic anti-abortion materials.

The prosecution said it will offer witnesses who saw Griffin shoot Dr. David Gunn as well as proof that a jail guard overheard Griffin admit he fired the fatal shot.

Gunn was shot three times in the back March 10 when he arrived for work at the Pensacola Women's Medical Services clinic.

Defense attorney Robert Kerrigan said a worker at the abortion clinic at the time Gunn was slain will testify she saw another protester near the scene just before the shooting.

"She thinks Donnie Gratton shot Dr. Gunn," Kerrigan said.

Gratton is an associate of John Burt, who was leading a demonstration in front of the clinic when Gunn was shot behind the building.

Another witness will testify she saw Gratton reaching into his pocket just before shots were fired, Kerrigan said.

But neither witness actually saw the shooting.

Gratton denied any involvement in the shooting and said he thought the defense was trying to discredit him because he will testify as a state witness that he heard Griffin confess to a police officer.

"I've got several witnesses that say beyond a shadow of a doubt where I was during the entire incident and I'm not concerned," Gratton said outside the courthouse Monday.

The prosecution said it had convincing evidence that Griffin was the killer. Assistant State Attorney James Murray said prosecution witness Della Lindsey will testify to seeing Griffin fire the shots and others will say they saw him drop a gun near the doctor's body.

A police officer will testify Griffin confessed immediately afterwards, Murray said.

Among the first witnesses to testify Monday was Steven Powell, a lawn maintenance worker, who said he heard some shots, turned to see what had happened and saw Griffin drop the silver-colored handgun beside the victim. The prosecution said other witnesses would testify they saw Griffin drop the gun beside the victim's body.

Powell identified Griffin, who is 32 and has dark hair, in court. But during cross-examination, Kerrigan reminded Powell of a pretrial interview in which he described the gunman as in his late 30s or 40s with gray hair.

"Maybe it's a mistake, but that's who I saw right there," Powell said.

Supreme Court to review law on child pornography

WASHINGTON (AP) — Setting the stage for an important ruling on child pornography, the Supreme Court said Monday it will judge the validity of a key federal law used to prosecute people who buy and sell such material.

The justices voted to consider reinstating the conviction of a California man who distributed sexually explicit videotapes featuring a 15-year-old girl.

A federal appeals court overturned Los Angeles porn shop owner Rubin Gottesman's conviction and one-year prison sentence because the law didn't require the government to prove he knew the girl was under 18.

In other matters, the court:

■ Declined to use the case of an Illinois woman to decide how far states may go to protect fetal life. On religious grounds the woman had refused a Caesarian section despite doctors' warnings her baby probably would be brain-damaged; she gave birth to an apparently health boy.

■ Let stand rulings that require New York to comply with federal labor law and pay its state police investigators for overtime work. Fifteen states had urged the court to reverse its landmark 1985 decision requiring state and local governments to comply with federal wage laws.

■ Turned down an appeal by Jimmy Hoffa's daughter, who is trying to get FBI files about the 1975 disappearance of the former Teamsters union president.

■ Ruled that Tennessee lawmakers must redraw election districts for the 99-member state House of Representatives because district lines created in 1992 violate voters' equal-protection rights.

In the child-pornography case, Clinton administration lawyers contend the lower court's ruling thwarts efforts to crack down on child pornographers in nine Western states.

Gottesman, owner of X-Citement Video, was sentenced to a year in prison and three months probation for selling over 100 of the so-called Traci Lords tapes to an undercover Los Angeles policeman in 1986.

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 2 — The public is invited to attend the Midland Downtown Lion's first community-wide Texas Independence Day celebration, to recognize Texas' unique heritage and culture.
Principal speaker for the event will be Clayton W. Williams, former candidate for Governor of Texas and a Midland oilman.
A musical salute to Texas will also be in order, and a $5 barbecue plate will be available to the first 300 attending.

Texas-style Pancake Jamboree

SATURDAY, MARCH 19 — The Downtown Lions Club will host its 38th Pancake Jamboree at Midland College Chaparral Center. The event which will honor the Republic of Texas includes daylong entertainment, (7 a.m. til 7 p.m.) a health fair, and all the Texas-style pancakes and sausage you can eat for $3.

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Gun buyers grumble as federal five-day waiting period takes effect

N.Y. Times News Service

WASHINGTON — John Hoffman settled on a Colt .357 revolver, an "investment he picked up Monday at McBridge's Gun Shop, the largest gun-dealing outlet in Austin.

Lee Warren was looking for the right mix of power and size when he showed up at the Tucker Gun Speciality shop in suburban Atlanta to buy a "medium-frame .357 Magnum revolver."

And Jerry Lacey was just trying to reclaim his .357 Smith & Wesson when he ventured back to a Dayton, Ohio, pawn shop.

Hoffman, Warren and Lacey were among the first wave of gun buyers to do business under the Brady Act, the new federal gun law that took effect Monday.

The law imposes a maximum five-day waiting period for handgun purchases while local law enforcement officials check buyers' criminal backgrounds to ensure they are not felons.

About 32 states were affected by the new law. Other states are exempt because they already require background checks or waiting periods.

Although there was some grumbling about confusing new forms and fees associated with the Brady Act, the first day appeared to pass with no major incidents.

A promised lawsuit from the National Rifle Association and some law enforcement officers didn't materialize, but is still expected later this week.

"We believe the law is unjust and unfair to law-abiding citizens," said Mary Sue Faulkner, an NRA spokeswoman. The legal challenges, which could come in the South and Midwest, are expected to claim that the law is too vague and violates state's rights.

President Clinton, Treasury Secretary Lloyd Bentsen and gun control advocates hailed the day as a milestone in the federal government's efforts to battle violent crime, and promised more gun control legislation.

During a forum on crime and health care in Chicago, Clinton patched a phone call through to James and Sarah Brady in Washington and promised his support for a ban on semi-automatic weapons.

"We can't lose then," said James Brady, for whom the new law is named. Brady, a former White House press secretary, was seriously injured during the 1980 assassination attempt on President Reagan.

The Bradys later joined Sen. Howard Metzenbaum, D-Ohio, and Rep. Charles Schumer, D-N.Y., at a news conference to announce the official introduction of a comprehensive gun control bill that would require gun registration, licensing and training and ban semi-automatic weapons.

When asked how he felt about the implementation of the law after a seven year battle to push it through Congress, Brady said: "I looked out at the sunrise and it was much brighter this morning."

Meanwhile, Bentsen announced that three shotguns sold commercially will now be classified as "destructive devices." The guns are commonly known as the Striker-/Street Sweeper and the USAS-12.

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Accuser drops cardinal from abuse lawsuit

CINCINNATI (AP) — A man who accused Cardinal Joseph Bernardin of sexually abusing him in the 1970s dropped his lawsuit against the Roman Catholic prelate Monday, saying his memory was unreliable.

Steven Cook, 34, filed a $10 million lawsuit Nov. 12 in Cincinnati claiming that Bernardin and the Rev. Ellis Harsham of Beavercreek sexually abused him from 1975 to 1977 when he was a high school student attending a program at a Cincinnati seminary.

Bernardin, now cardinal of Chicago's 2.3 million-member archdiocese, was Cincinnati's archbishop at the time.

"I harbor no ill feelings toward Steven Cook," Bernardin told a news conference in Chicago. "I have compassion for him. I have prayed for him every day, and I will continue to do so."

Cook also accused the Archdiocese of Cincinnati and archdiocesan officials, including current Archbishop Daniel Pilarczyk, of negligence for allowing the alleged abuse.

Only Bernardin was dropped from the lawsuit, which is to go to trial May 9.

Bernardin, Harsham and the other defendants have said repeatedly they did nothing wrong.

Cook's lawsuit said he waited more than 15 years to make the allegations because he had repressed memories of the sexual abuse and only recently began recalling them.

But on Monday, he asked U.S. District Judge S. Arthur Spiegel to drop Bernardin as a defendant, saying in a court filing he was no longer sure if memories that arose during hypnosis "are true and accurate."

Cook told a news conference at his attorney's office in Cincinnati that he had obtained information since filing the lawsuit that convinced him his memories were unreliable. He would not say what that information was.

"In fact, if I knew at the time I filed the lawsuit what I know now, I would never have sued Cardinal Bernardin," Cook said.

His lawyer, Stephen Rubino, would not discuss the case in detail but said a witness recently "was made available to Mr. Cook that got us to this point."

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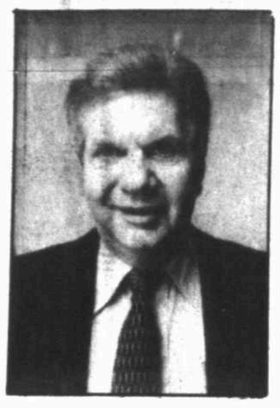

Since Midland County spends 21-plus million dollars, the county judge needs extensive experience in investigating expenditures and developing economic plans limited to necessary expenditures. As former CEO of two major real estate firms, and now principal of a successful Midland business, I have many years of proven experience in budget planning and expense control.

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The overcrowded conditions of the jail could be solved immediately by the creation of boot camps and work facilities at much less cost than building additional jails. Why are we waiting? There should be printing shops, laundries, facilities for automotive, office equipment and furniture repairs, landscaping and janitorial duties all performed by inmates under careful and secure supervision of our very capable law-enforcement agencies. I will strive to accomplish this with the cooperation and assistance I have been promised.

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TUESDAY DAY WATCH

Trust fund

A trust fund to help defray medical expenses for the family of Kerry Reyes, a 15-year-old Hobbs, N.M. youth who was seriously injured Feb. 20 in a moto-cross accident in Midland has been established. He recently was moved from the Intensive Care Unit at Memorial Hospital and Medical Center, but is expected to face an extensive hospital stay and subsequent physical therapy. His father is a single parent, and in addition to the medical bills Mr. Reyes has to take time off from work and stay in Midland. Those wanting to make a donation should send them to: Attention: Pat Glover; For Kerry Reyes Emergency Fund; Midland American Bank; 401 W. Texas; Midland, 79701.

Rule reversal

AUSTIN — The Texas Railroad Commission has reversed a long-standing rule by allowing charter buses to operate statewide without having to run regular route service, Commissioner Mary Scott Nabers says.

"With this change, travel service should improve for Texans," Ms. Nabers said Monday.

Before the commission's vote, Ms. Nabers said, no one could provide charter bus service unless the company was willing to provide regular route service as well.

Out-of-state charter bus companies were benefiting most from the former rule, she said.

TODAY's AGENDA

Overcomers Christian Recovery Support Group, Christ-centered 12-step support group, 7 p.m., 4405 Princeton St., 697-3101.

Midland Chess Club, 7 p.m., Memorial Rehabilitation Hospital.

Personal Success Planning Workshop, 4305 N. Garfield St., Entry B, 7 to 8 p.m., 570-4533.

Divorce Support Group, 7:00 p.m., 2103 W. Louisiana Ave., Timothy Center, First Baptist Church, 682-1646.

Breathing Club, 6:30 p.m., Physicians & Surgeons Hospital dining room, 683-2273.

Batterers Anonymous support group, 6:30 p.m., 689-8428.

Midland Mothers of Twins Club, 689-6775.

Permian Basin Depressive & Manic-Depressive Association, 8 p.m., Samaritan Counseling Center.

PDAP, parents and relatives of young people with problems, 7:30 p.m., First Baptist, room 258, 685-0686.

Optimist Club of Midland, noon, Hilton Hotel.

Midland A&M Club, noon, Granada Club, 3312 W. Wall St.

La Leche League, 7:30 p.m., Grace Presbyterian, 2801 N. Garfield St., 694-2018, 697-0539.

Battered Women's support group, 6:45 p.m., 683-1300 or 1-800-967-8928.

Duplicate Bridge Club, 1 p.m., Allison Bridge Center.

Texas TOPS Morning Chapter, 8:30 a.m., Grace Presbyterian Church.

Morning Lions Club, 6:45 a.m., Carrow's, 2201 W. Wall St.

Pop-Up Toastmasters, 6:30 a.m., Ramada Hotel, 699-3408.

55-Plus Dance Club, 8 p.m., Eagles Club, 697-3131.

Midland Outreach Aglow Fellowship, 6:30 p.m., Rodeway Inn, 3601 W. Wall St., 756-3688, 332-9151.

Midland West Rotary Club, noon, Furrs Cafeteria.

Norman Read Chapter No. 1010 Order of Eastern Star, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple.

Permian Basin Press Club, 7 p.m., Coors Hospitality room.

District 21, Texas Nurses Association, 7 p.m., Conference Rooms A and B, Region 18 Education Service Center.

Golden Park Retirement Community, 3100 W. Kansas Ave., 699-0914, senior citizens brunch, 10:30 a.m.

MOMS, 7 p.m., Westside Church of Christ, 4410 W. Illinois Ave., 685-1912.

Overeaters Anonymous, noon, 408 S. G. St. 570-8612.

ACOA, non-smoking, 7:30 p.m., Holy Trinity Episcopal Parish Hall.

Midland police try to put athletic league into action

By Katherine Poteet
Staff Writer

In an effort to give Midland youth positive role models and something contructive to do in their spare time, Midland Police Sgt. David Garcia undertook the task of setting up a Police Athletic League in Midland.

That was almost a year ago.

Although Garcia's enthusiasm has not wavered, officer schedules and the logistics of setting up the program have proven to be a problem.

"With the different schedules and vacations that the officers have, it's hard to get all the ones who are interested in PAL in one place for a meeting," Garcia said. "It's just a matter of getting everyone together and getting the ball rolling."

The PAL program is designed to offer sporting activities to young people with police officers and civilians volunteering as coaches and officers. The department must first apply to the National Association of Police Athletics Leagues in North Palm Beach, Fla., to receive membership. Then, a board of directors must be set up, facilities have to be located, money raised for equipment, a PAL coordinator must be named and volunteers must be organized.

A PAL program was established in Odessa in January 1992.

Garcia was able to conduct the first organizational meeting for the PAL program Monday, which was attended by Garcia, Community Relations officers Phyllis Blair and Ron Sartor, Deputy Chief John Urby, Nancy Nunoz of the Department's TRU unit, Lt. John Thompson, Midland County Attorney Mark Dettman, Midland City Council member Claudia Egan and Shelly Wilbanks, case manager at Big Brothers/Big Sisters.

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Group provides area businesses with assistance

■ The group's goals are to encourage business, cultural development in the community with a focus on the east, southeast sides.

By Gary Shanks
Staff Writer

Although still in its early years, the Citizen's Coalition for Economic Development and Community Service has a growing list of successes, providing a center for economic and cultural development for the city's east and southeast sides.

The Citizen's Coalition was formed in 1990 by area minority business leaders with the aid of the Midland Chamber of Commerce and the city of Midland. "The specific purposes of the organization are to advance the economic, industrial, professional, entrepreneurial, cultural and civic welfare of the Midland community with a focus on east/southeast Midland," said Ruth Bolding, who serves as a consultant for the organization.

Ms. Bolding also said the coalition's aims are "to encourage the growth of existing industries and businesses while giving all proper assistance to any new firms or individuals seeking to locate in the Midland area."

The coalition's 17 board members serve in a volunteer capacity to help local minority citizens start new businesses, enhance existing businesses and create jobs, according to President Billy Jackson.

One of the ways the organization helps, is by serving as a contact organization, helping area businessmen file assistance requests for various state and federal programs, Ms. Bolding said. The coalition "networks" with a number of other agencies," she said.

"We help create jobs so people can get out of welfare and go forward with their lives," Jackson said. "The present members feel that the coalition has had a great impact on the community in its short existence and plans to continue in meeting the needs of the community," Ms. Bolding said.

The city of Midland has actively supported the coalition, providing $30,000 annually to the organization, said Midland City Manager Rick Manchaca.

Jackson, a Midland excavation contractor, has helped the organization grow from conceptualization to fruition as an independent non-profit corporation. Jackson and others began early work on the coalition in 1986 through activity in Midland's East Side economic development projects.

For a short time in its infancy, the coalition was covered under the YMCA's non-profit status until granted independent status under the U.S. Internal Reve-

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Commissioners approve attorney's continued representation in lawsuits

By Tonie Miller-Uzzel
Staff Writer

Midland County Commissioners' Court approved a measure Monday to continue hiring a private attorney to defend lawsuits filed against the county in federal court by jail inmates.

Steve Hershberger had already been representing the county in inmate lawsuits, but the commissioners elected to create a new contract to go into effect today.

Midland County Sheriff Gary Painter and the county are the target of many of the inmate lawsuits. In 1993, inmates filed 128 lawsuits in federal court. That is up from about 50 filed in 1992.

Most of the lawsuits are based on the overcrowded conditions of the jail, which result from the number of state prisoners awaiting their turns to be transferred to the overcrowded institutional division of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice.

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INTRODUCING

Brian Adamcik/Reporter-Telegram

Stephanie Sheen poses with the horse that won her the Texas Amateur Quarterhorse Association's Hi Point Champion 1993 Ladies All-Around, awarded Feb. 19.

Local rider credits championship to her quarter horse's winning ways

By Michael Kashgarian
Staff Writer

GARDENDALE — Stephanie Sheen, 37, who was awarded the Texas Amateur Quarter Horse Association's Hi Point Champion 1993 Ladies All-Around on Feb. 19, gives much of the credit to Shamu.

That's not Shamu the famed whale, but the nickname for True C Bar, a 12-year-old quarter horse.

"To me Shamu is truly a once-in-a-lifetime horse. The only thing holding him back is his rider," Ms. Sheen said.

"I don't think if I was on any other horse I would be where I'm at today," she said. "If he (Shamu) does it wrong, it's because you don't tell him right."

With Ms. Sheen at the rein, Shamu has showed off his stature, walked, trotted and loped, completed obstacle courses, and mimicked posted patterns.

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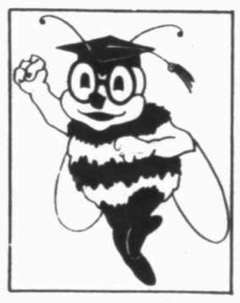
Tickets for bee to go on sale



Tickets for Friday's annual Reporter-Telegram Corporate Spelling bee for Literacy are available in advance at Pages and Prints Bookstore, located in Plaza Center, or by calling the Need to Read office on the campus of Midland College, 685-4572.

Need to Read will benefit from proceeds of the bee, which begins at 11:30 a.m. Friday in Midland Center. Tickets are $10 each and includes the cost of a special catered luncheon.

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Doctor to offer prostate cancer screenings

Staff Report

Dr. Sri V. Srinivas, M.D., F.A.C.S., will provide free prostate cancer screenings for men ages 50 to 75 as part of a statewide screening program affiliated with the University of Texas M.D. Anderson Cancer Center.

Beginning Saturday, eligible men should call 682-0574 or 570-6757 to schedule appointments. Dr. Srinivas expects more than 100 men to take advantage of the screenings, which will be provided on a monthly basis for six months.

The screenings will be held on March 18, April 15, May 20, June 17, July 22 and August 19 at the urology office of Dr. Srinivas, 122 North N St.

According to Dr. Srinivas, specialist in urologic oncology, the free screenings are part of a year-round prostate cancer screening effort that links doctors with M.D. Anderson Cancer Center, the state's only National Cancer Institute-designated Comprehensive Cancer Center.

"We hope a large number of men will take advantage of this potentially life-saving opportunity," he said, "which has as its goal the early detection of this treatable form of cancer."

Screening includes the use of two diagnostic tools . . . the digital rectal examination (DRE) and the serum prostate-specific antigen (PSA) blood test. Another diagnostic tool, the transrectal ultrasound (TRUS), also will be used when considered appropriate. When used together, these tests have been shown to be effective in detecting the malignancy, the physician said.

Prostate cancer will strike one in 10 men during their lifetime. It is the most common male can-

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GARY OTT

'A Whiter Shade of Pale' still brings back memories

More rambling thoughts . . .

— I like people who never quite grow up.

— Every office, it seems, has three or four employees who are always huddled with small groups of co-workers whispering secrets.

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— Maybe I'm becoming paranoid, but more and more I worry that they are talking about me.

— Of all the ways to die, burning to death would be at the bottom of my list.

— Lately, I've become obsessed with death, mostly my own.

— Great song title: "You Just Can't Play a Sad Song on the Banjo."

— Atlanta has America's most beautiful women, or so I've been told.

— Wonderful quote from former Houston Oilers head coach Bum Phillips, who, when asked if Earl Campbell was the greatest running back in the game, said, "He may not be in a class by himself, but it doesn't take long to call the roll."

— Wouldn't you love to be able to rattle off one-liners like that at the drop of a hat?

— Unfortunately, most of us come up with our words of wisdom three or four hours after the fact, usually late at night when we're in bed, and there is no one around to hear them.

— The first time I fell in love was at a high school dance with Procol Harum's "A Whiter Shade of Pale" playing on the stereo system.

— Every time I hear that song I still think back to that night.

— The "Whiskey A-Go-Go" sounds like it would have been a fun place to hang out.

— The weird thing about listening to a Sonny and Cher song is that it is virtually impossible to tell which voice is male and which is female.

— Are high school kids with seedy reputations still referred to as "thugs"?

— I always feel a certain embarrassment for people who smack their food when they eat.

— Few things feel as good as sleeping on freshly washed sheets.

— I like cats better than dogs, except when they get in my face at 6 a.m. and purr like a motorboat.

— It is sad that most people are so insecure that they are unable to be happy when they are alone.

— Bob Dylan once sang, "Everything about you is bringing me misery."

— I love that line.

— Do people still pour peanuts into their Coke bottles?

— Overheard: "A thought is but a word unspoken."

— People should identify themselves when making a

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DEATHS

Ruby Lumpkin

FORT WORTH — Services for Ruby Pearl Lumpkin, mother of a Midland woman, will be at 1 p.m. Wednesday at the Greenwood Garden Chapel. Burial will follow at Greenwood Memorial Park with Greenwood Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Lumpkin died Friday in Albuquerque, N.M.

She was born May 7, 1915, the daughter of Charles D. Riney and Violet Edith Roberts Riney. She had been a resident of Albuquerque for the past six months. Prior to that she had lived in Fort Worth for 50 years.

Mrs. Lumpkin had been a member of First Baptist Church in Lake Worth for 35 years. She attended North Texas State Teachers College and during World War II she moved to Fort Worth as an employee of Interstate Theaters. She was a longtime employee of National Farm Life Insurance Company.

Survivors include two daughters, Beverly Lumpkin Conine of Midland and Shirley Lumpkin Dinwiddie of Albuquerque; one sister, Juanita Riney Rose of Denton; and three grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Thurmon Lumpkin.

The family requests memorials be directed to Alzheimer's research, or to a favorite charity.

Mildred Greer

Services for Mildred Cora Greer, 90, of McCamey are pending with Midland Funeral Home.

She died Sunday in an Odessa hospital.

Rosie Simcox

Services for Rosie Simcox, 82, of Midland are set for 2 p.m. Wednesday at Calvery Baptist Church with the Rev. Leon Green, pastor, officiating. Burial will follow at Fairview Cemetery with Midland Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers will be Jasper Guzman, Brian Barnar, Ray Frith, Juan B. Garcia, James Owens and Adrian Frith.

Mrs. Simcox died Saturday at a local hospital.

She was born on a farm in Pennsylvania where she had lived most of her life. She moved to Midland 5½ years ago to live with her daughter. She was a Baptist.

Survivors include one daughter, Shara Wisler of Midland; two grandchildren; five great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Hallie Miles Simcox in 1980.

Judith Salmon

Memorial services for Judith Lynn Foster Salmon of Santafe de Bogota, Colombia, and formerly of Midland, will be at 11 a.m. today at First Presbyterian Church in Whitewright. Arrangements are under the direction of Dannel Funeral Home in Sherman.

Mrs. Salmon died Wednesday at her residence.

She was born in Princeton, N.J., on Feb. 21, 1947. She graduated from Washington-Lee High School in Arlington, Va., and from Mary Baldwin College in Staunton, Va., in 1969. She married William Gordon Salmon of Livingston, N.J., on Dec. 18, 1971, in Arlington, Va. She worked in real estate and was president of the Westfield High School band. She was a member of First Presbyterian Church in Whitewright.

Survivors include her husband, William Salmon, of Santafe de Bogota, Columbia; two sons, Todd Foster Salmon of Dayton, Ohio, and Andrew Russell Salmon of Lexington, Ky.; a daughter, Elizabeth Sitter Salmon of Bogota; her parents, William and Dorothy Foster Jr. of Sherman; a sister, Nancy Elizabeth Foster McGraw of Denver, Colo.; two brothers, Evan Sitter Foster of Plano and William Hague Foster III of Smyrna, Ga.; her grandmother, Leona Elizabeth Watkins Sitter of Sherman; and 15 nieces and nephews.

Alfredo Lujan

Services for Alfredo Lujan, 28, are pending with Bill C. Thomas Funeral Home.

Lujan died Saturday at a local hospital.

Survivors include his mother, Sylvia Rojas of Plainview; a brother, James Michael Lujan of Plainview; three sisters, Bertha Ann Lujan of Midland, Sylvia Aguilar of Odessa and Rose Marie Gonzalez of Plainview; and his grandparents, Norberta and Jose Gonzales of Plainview and Anita Hernandez of Midland.

Jaime Heredia

ODESSA — Services for Jaime Vijel Heredia, 51, of Odessa will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at St. Joseph Catholic Church with the Rev. Michael Rodriquez officiating. Burial will be in Rosehill Cemetery under the direction of Martinez Funeral Home.

Heredia

Rosary will be recited at 7 p.m. today at the funeral home.

Heredia died Sunday at an Odessa hospital.

He was born in Imperial and had lived in Odessa for 25 years. He was Catholic.

Survivors include his wife, Christina M. Heredia of Odessa; his mother, Cruz V. Heredia of Odessa; a daughter, Jamie Lynn Johnson of Odessa; a son, Julian M. Heredia of Odessa; four brothers, Rafael Heredia, Julian Heredia, Ismael Heredia and Alfredo Heredia, all of Odessa; two sisters, Margarita H. Mendoza and Alvesa H. Rodriguez, both of Odessa; and three grandchildren.

CHAMPION: Rider says her horse is real winner

(From 1B)

Last year, Ms. Sheen entered eight events to garner the points for the all-around award.

"My horse is just so versatile, it's easy to go in there in several events," she said.

Nevertheless, Ms. Sheen has her preferences: Western Horsemanship, where the rider must memorize a posted pattern and execute the maneuvers to complete that pattern, and Trail, which essentially consists of an obstacle course.

Since she got Shamu in May 1991, Ms. Sheen placed fifth in the world in 1992 and seventh last year for amateur all-around by the American Quarter Horse Association.

Ms. Sheen's interest to show horses began about four years ago. Previously, she had been around horses some, but not in competition.

"We had a backyard horse when I was 13 and I didn't ride again until 1989 when I got another background horse to putter around on," she said.

Ms. Sheen became interested in showing horses when a client of her veterinarian husband introduced her to Susan Bruner, a world-championship rider in south Odessa. Ms. Bruner offered to teach Ms. Sheen the sport.

"I just like the competitive edge. What's better then doing something you really enjoy and doing it competitively?" she said.

So Ms. Sheen bought a beginner show horse in 1990, then Shamu a year later.

"I got involved in the horse thing and my whole family got involved in the horse thing. It was going to be the family hobby," she said.

That included her husband, Dave, 41, and their children, Tom, 14, and Christie, 11.

All tried quarter horse events, but soon the father and son discovered cutting horse competitions. Cutting refers to riding a horse into a herd of cows and "cutting," or separating, one cow from the others under specific guidelines.

To keep the fun together, Ms. Sheen and Christie recently switched to cutting. "It's been a very different transition," Ms. Sheen said.

"Santa Claus brought me a horse (for cutting) and I rode him in competition in December and January," she said. His name is Dry Gun Charlie, and he's a 12-year-old quarter horse.

That brings the number of horses the family owns to nine. But a couple will have to be sold — including Shamu.

"I don't really want to but it's the smart thing to do. He's got so much potential," Ms. Sheen said.

Not riding Shamu in competition would be like having an expensive sports car permanently parked in the driveway, she said.

OFFER: Doctor to provide free screenings to men

(From 1B)

cer in America, with more than 165,000 cases to be diagnosed this year. It is the second most common cause of cancer death among men. Prostate cancer typically is found in older men and occurs more often among blacks and Hispanics than among Anglos.

It is a disease in which malignant cells are found in the prostate, one of the male sex glands located just below the bladder and in front of the rectum. Symptoms vary by individual and may include difficult or painful urination, blood in the urine, nagging pain in the back, hips or pelvis, or frequent urination.

The free screenings are part of a partnership with M.D. Anderson's Prostate Cancer Screening and Detection Program. This program is one of 10 projects sponsored by M.D. Anderson through Texas Outreach, an effort by the state's cancer center to share its expertise with communities and physicians across the state in cancer screening, detection and treatment.

"We are excited about the partnership between Dr. Sri Srinivas and M.D. Anderson to screen men for this disease," Dr. Richard J. Babaian, professor of urology and director of the project at M.D. Anderson. "With strong community involvement, we will find the disease earlier and be able to treat it more effectively."

Despite the relatively high incidence of prostate cancer, doctors are uncertain of its causes. Some studies suggest heredity and ethnicity may be factors in this cancer's development.

Physicians say many prostate cancer deaths are preventable because, as with many cancers, this disease has an improved prognosis when detected early.

"The goal of the Prostate Cancer Detection Program is to make men aware of prostate cancer as a disease that can affect them," Dr. Babaian said. "Make that appointment to be screened. It could save your life."

For more information about the free screenings, call 682-0574 or 570-6757.

Prostate Cancer Facts

Who develops it?

- In the United States, one in 10 men will develop prostate cancer during his lifetime. It is the most common male cancer in America and the second-most common cause of cancer death among men after lung cancer.
- Black American men develop prostate cancer more than any other race in the world.
- More than 80 percent of all cases are diagnosed in men over 65.

What are the symptoms?

- Often, there are no symptoms of early stage prostate cancer. That is the essential reason why men 50 and over should have an annual prostate cancer screening.
- When symptoms do occur, they may include: need to urinate frequently, especially at night, difficulty urinating, pain or burning during urination, blood in urine, painful ejaculation, or nagging pain in the back, hips or pelvis.

Where is the prostate?

- The prostate, one of the male sex glands, is located below the bladder and above the rectum. About the size of a walnut, the prostate produces semen, the thick fluid that carries sperm from the testicles.
- Advanced prostate cancer can spread to the lymph nodes, the pelvic region, nearby bones or distant organs.

What causes prostate cancer?

- Unfortunately, physicians have no conclusions about the causes of prostate cancer. A number of possible reasons have been suggested including: family history, hormonal influences, environmental and lifestyle factors such as fatty diets; and sexually transmitted agents including viruses.

LEAGUE: Police begin program

(From 1B)

Most of the meeting focused on getting more officers interested and committed in the program and stepping up efforts to get more information to the officers.

Urby said getting an article in the city or police in-house newletters might be a way to better inform the officers on what the program was about.

Ms. Wilbanks said she was at the meeting to set up possible ties between the PAL program and Big Brother/Big Sisters.

"We need volunteers and you need volunteers," she said. "I thought we could work together, getting more people involved in both programs."

Ideas about facilities — including local high schools and churches — as well as who would serve as coordinator were discussed.

Garcia said the department's fitness coordinator, Butch Gonzalez, had been approached about taking the coordinator's post, but that the decision had not been made.

Another meeting was set for March 14 at 1:30 p.m. at the police department.

COUNTY: Court approves measure

(From 1B)

County Attorney Mark Dettman and U.S. District Judge Lucius Bunton, who hears the cases, both agree most have little or no merit.

But, they all have to be defended in the case they make it to court.

The county commissioners plan to hire Hershberger on a contract labor basis for $1,500 a month.

He will handle the inmate lawsuits, and the county will pay any additional costs Hershberger incurs. He will cover his overhead expenses.

According to the county commissioners, the monthly fee is not determined by how many cases Hershberger will handle per month. It will remain constant if he works on two or 20.

The commissioners met in executive session to discuss personnel matters, courthouse security and to confer with retained counsel and discuss real estate acquisition.

Following the executive session, the court acted on routine matters

COALITION: Group is a resource

(From 1B)

nue Code in 1993, Manchaca said.

Specific goals for the coalition in 1994 have not been established. Members intend to follow the organization's charter to promote and assist to the best of their abilities, Jackson said.

In the past, the coalition has helped establish the Midland Business Development Center Incubator, providing office space, technical and accounting personnel and other services to small businesses for an affordable price.

With the "downsizing" of major corporations, these incubators provide considerable employment nation wide, Ms. Bolding said. "With unemployment in Midland and the economy remaining in a depressed state, many people are turning to the idea of starting their own business," she said. Studies indicate 80 percent of businesses started in these kinds of incubators survive.

For more information on the Development Center Incubator or the Citizen's Coalition, call 699-0276.

POLICE REPORTS

Stabbing

Midland police released the name of a Midland man who died after being stabbed late Saturday.

Alfredo Lujan, 28, was stabbed in the abdomen while trying to intervene in a domestic dispute between Frank Moe Molinar and his wife about 11:45 p.m. at West Castle Condos, 3101 N. Midland Dr., #913, according to police reports. Molinar allegedly stabbed Lujan and then left the scene. He later returned and was arrested and charged with murder.

Lujan was transported to Memorial Hospital and Medical Center, where he died at about 1:18 p.m.

Shooting

ODESSA — An Odessa teenager remained in critical condition at Medical Center Hospital with a gunshot wound to the head Monday following what officials are calling a gang-related shooting Sunday.

Martin Gutierrez, 14, and Santiago Trevino Jr., 16, were both shot in the head with a shotgun about 10:05 p.m. at 301 W. Clements St., #9, according to police officials.

Gutierrez remained in critical condition while Trevino was treated and released.

A 16-year-old Hispanic male was being detained at Ector County Youth Center in connection with the incident. Officials said three more suspects were being questioned in the shooting.

Gunshots

ODESSA — Police are looking for whoever fired two shots into a police vehicle Sunday.

Odessa Police Cpl. Carlos Chavez had stopped a vehicle about 9:50 p.m. in the 1200 block of S. Sam Houston St. for a traffic violation when he heard two gunshots, according to a report. Chavez found two bullet holes in the right, back quarter panel of his vehicle.

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Sunday

Burglary of a Residence: J. Belcher reported two black males entered his residence at 301 S. Webster St. and took a television and VCR. Belcher reported that he shot at the subjects, possibly hitting one of them. The subjects were last seen in a maroon four-door vehicle. The incident was reported at 8:39 p.m.

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Monday

Burglary of a Building: A Alright Mini Storage, 2215 W. Florida Ave., reported a storage unit broken into at 11:54 a.m.

Burglary of a Building: M&M Mini Storage, 1902 W. Florida Ave., reported several units broken into and merchandise taken at 9:53 a.m.

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OTT: Song triggers memories

(From 1B)

telephone call instead of just assuming we know who they are.

— Here's hoping I never again hear the names Tonya Harding and Nancy Kerrigan.

— It is refreshing to see an elderly couple holding hands in public.

— Real men don't use hair spray.

— They don't wear gold chains, either.

— "Three's Company" was quite possibly the most tawdry sitcom ever put on network television.

— And that's saying something.

— Today's final quote comes from Merle Haggard, who said, "Memories and drinks don't mix too well."

Gary Ott is managing editor of the Reporter-Telegram.

SALE: Spelling bee tickets to be sold in advance

(From 1B)

Competing for best corporate spellers in Midland this year will be three-person teams from Bank One Midland, Exxon, Arco, Midland National Bank, Texas Instruments, Penny Quick Printing, Texaco, Parker & Parsley and Midland College.

The meal will be catered by Murray and the Frenchmen; Bill Dingus, popular local emcee, will serve again as master of ceremonies; and Denise Walters will be pronouncer.

All proceeds from the bee, underwritten by the Reporter-Telegram, benefit Midland Need to Read, the local United Way agency that combats adult illiteracy by matching more than 140 volunteer tutors with men and women seeking to improve their reading skills.

As part of the fun, members of the audience can take part by paying $5 for a chance to spell five words and receive prizes.

While obtaining advance tickets is recommended, tickets will be available at the door for those unable to obtain them in advance.

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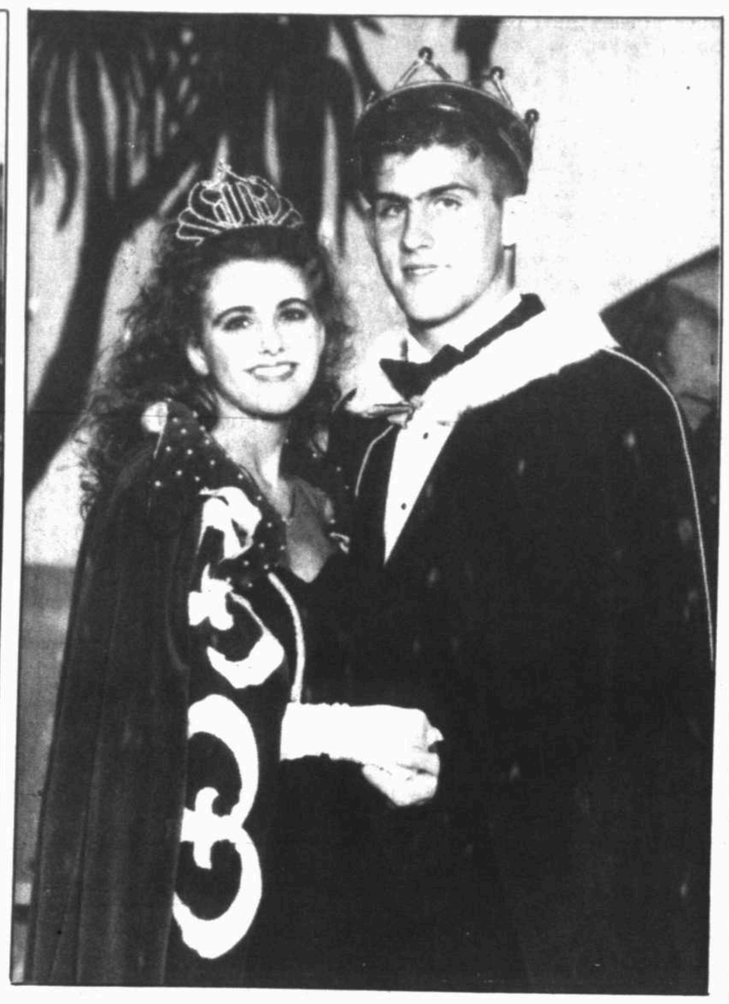
Justin Goodman and Shanika Hopes



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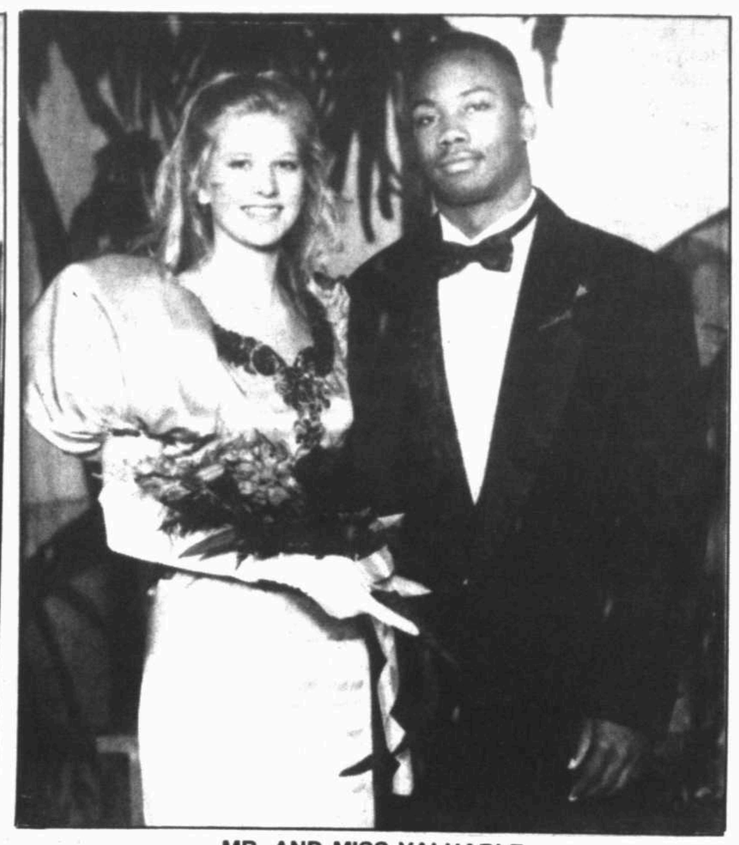

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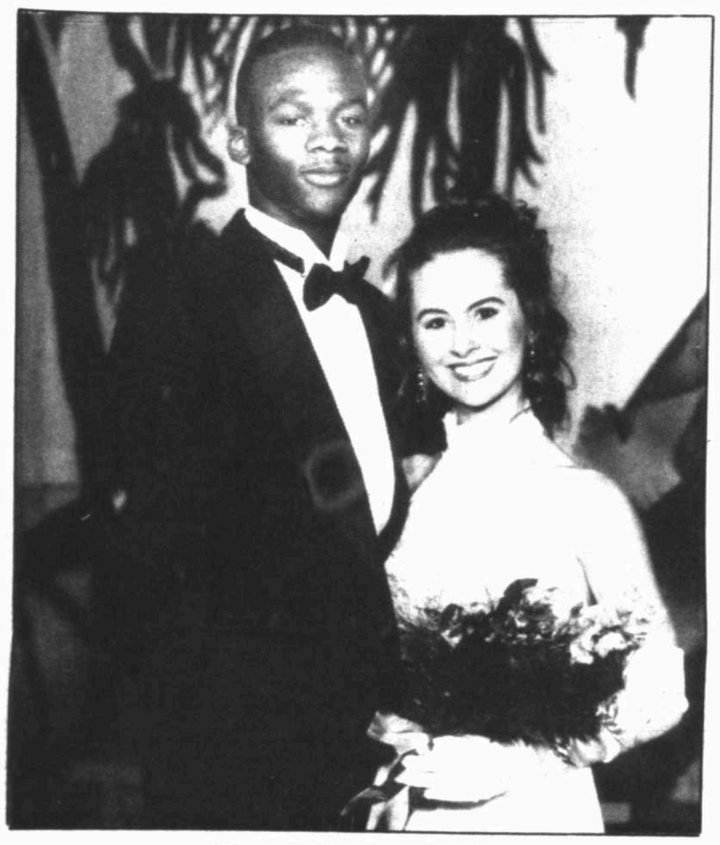

MR. AND MISS INTEGRITY
Ceasar Brannon and J'Lyn Wilson

1994 Rebelee Court

Staff Report

The 1994 Lee High School Rebelee coronation ceremony was 2 p.m. Sunday at the LHS auditorium. Mark Powers, student council president; Melanie Clinton, corresponding secretary; and Karen Hale, executive director, were master and mistresses of ceremonies.

Students were selected to be Mr. and Miss Courtesy, Mr. and Miss Talented, Mr. and Miss Congenial, Mr. and Miss Integrity, Mr. and Miss Valuable, Mr. and Miss Academics and Mr. and Miss LHS.

This year's Rebelee Court members are:

MR. AND MRS. LHS

Audrey Armstrong, daughter of Randy and Debbie Willey. She was treasurer of Hero-FHA her junior year, and is president her senior year. She is co-huddleader of Fellowship of Christian Athletes and a member of student council president's cabinet. She was a member of 1993 Homecoming Court. A member of Kelview Heights Baptist Church youth group and choir, she works as a teacher's aide in special education at DeZavala Elementary School and teaches at Kelview Heights Preschool and Day Care. She received the Optimist's Award for Home Economics Cooperative Education and United States Student Council Award. She is a two-year member of National Honor Society and plans to attend Midland college and Sam Houston State University, majoring in special education.

Jeremy Warren is the son of Bud and Beth Warren. He is a two-year football letterman, earning All-District honorable mention, and a three-year track letterman. He plays varsity soccer, is a member of student council president's cabinet, D-Fy-It, New Focus, EYC and Gem and Mineral Society. He is a member of National Honor Society and is listed in Who's Who Among American High School Students. He was a member of 1993 Homecoming Court. He plans to attend Hardin-Simmons University, playing football and studying medicine.

MR. AND MISS ACADEMIC

Shanika Hopes is the daughter of D'Rhonda Hopes and Augusta Sanders. She is a member of Leo Club, D-Fy-It, Black Awareness, Business Professionals of America, yearbook, National Honor Society, Spanish Honor Society, Senior Girls and Pals. She is student council treasurer and a member of varsity track. She is a track and academic letterman and has received the USSCA Student Council Award and been featured in Who's Who Among American High School Students. She plans to major in pre-law at the University of Texas at Austin.

Justin Goodman, son of Jim and Sharon Goodman, is a two-year varsity football letterman and senior class president. He was junior class president, and is a member of National Honor Society and is student council representative. He plans and manages varsity tennis, and is a member of Golf Course Road Church of Christ and D-Fy-It. He received the Lena Douglass Award, DAR Award, was listed in Who's Who Among American High School Students, Who's Who in Sports, and was on the Homecoming Court. He plans to major in pre-medicine and become an orthopedic surgeon.

MR. AND MISS VALUABLE

Deborah York, daughter of Lew and Jackie York, is a varsity basketball and volleyball letterman. She was named second team All-District for volleyball. She is a member of Fellowship of Christian Athletes, National Honor Society, Project Graduation steering committee, Senior Girls and D-Fy-It. She participates in Midland Christian Fellowship Church youth group, choir and plays, and volunteers for Teen Court and Teen Challenge. She plays for Midland United Girls Softball and USUBA Junior Olympic Volleyball. She plans to earn a degree in education or science.

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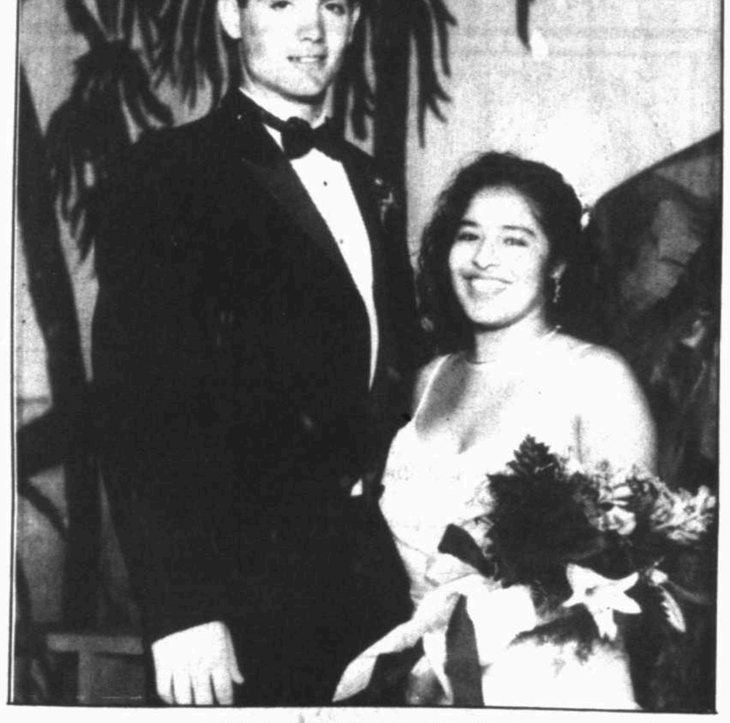

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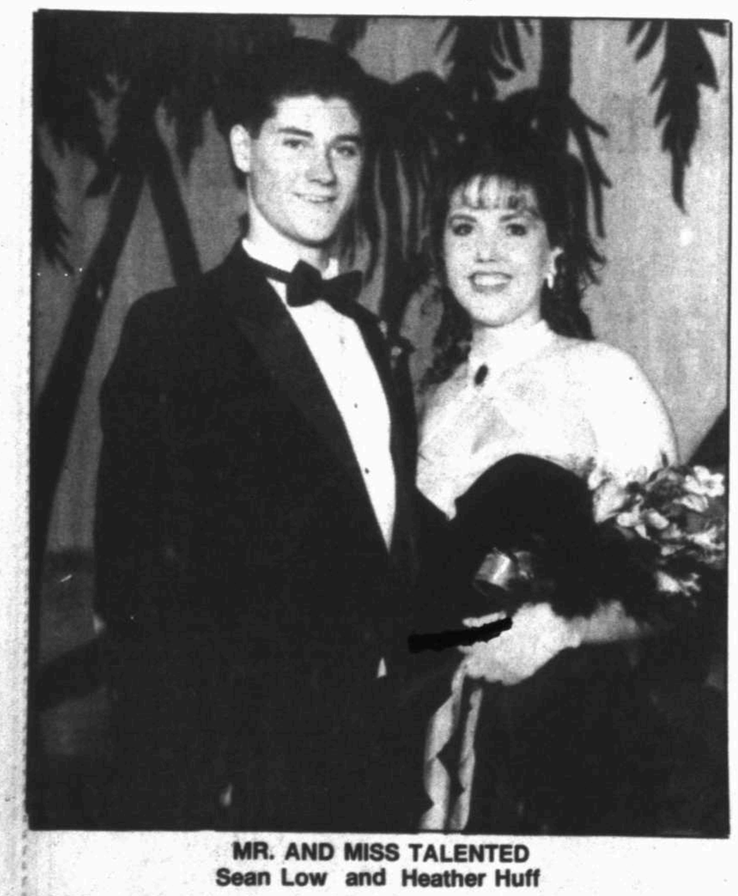

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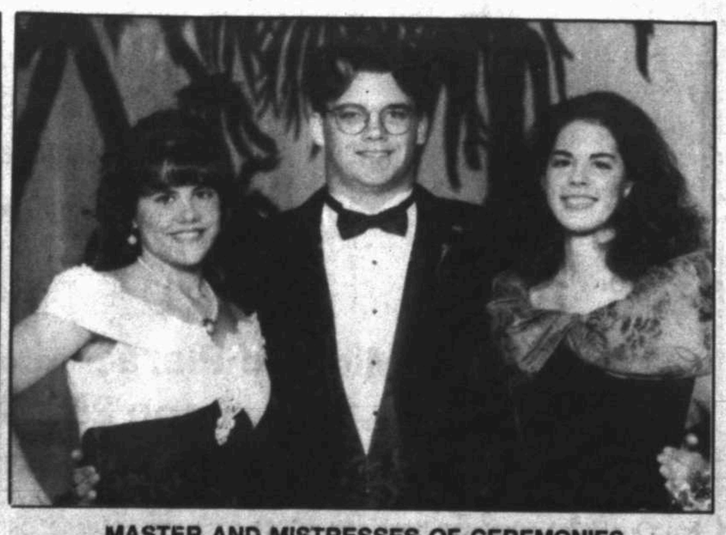

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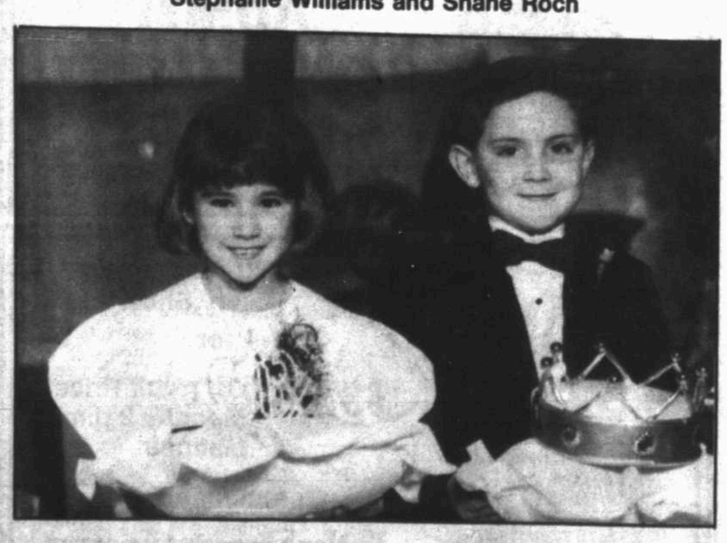

CROWN BEARERS
Alexandra Ochsner and Matthew Pertree

LHS:

(From 4B)

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MR. AND MISS Teresa Gomez, landa and Robert tary of the senior of Lady Rebs bask a member of Nati ety, Pals and Seni member of St. Church and acti group. She earned awards, is listed Among American dents and is a me Club. Her commu jects include Peer Christmas in Ap home visitation. S

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LHS: 1994 court presented

(From 4B)

Courtney Turner, son of Velma Jackson, plays varsity football and was named All-District Quarterback. He runs varsity track and was listed in Who's Who Among American High School Students. He attends Faith Temple Church and plans to attend Angelo State University, majoring in premedicine.

MR. AND MISS INTEGRITY

J'Lyn Wilson is the daughter of Ed and Marilyn Wilson. She is vice president of National Honor Society and Stagemasters. She is a student council cabinet member, staff member of literary magazine, Leo Club and D-Fy-It. She is a three-year academic letterman, named in Who's Who Among American High School Students for three years, and named Outstanding Drama Student for two years. She received the National History and Government Award, is an All-American Scholar, UIL District All-Star cast member for two years, and was named Lions Club Queen. She received a National Leadership and Service Award and Rotary Merit Awards. She does volunteer work for Allison Cancer Center and is a member of Candlelighter's Group. She dances with Bingham Dance Company and KPEJ's Street Level Videos. She attends First United Methodist Church and is currently playing Katherina in "The Taming of the Shrew." She plans to major in journalism at Southern Methodist University.

Ceasar Brannon, son of Ceasar T. and Alice Brannon and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Hooker Jacksdon, Mr. and Mrs. George Wilder and Velta Baker, is a member of National Honor Society and varsity LHS basketball team. He was in Who's Who Among American High School Students for two years, and is a member of St. Paul CME Church. He plans to enter the U.S. Air Force after graduation.

MR. AND MISS CONTENIAL

Teresa Gomez, daughter of Yolanda and Robert Gomez, is secretary of the senior class, manager of Lady Rebs basketball team, and a member of National Honor Society, Pals and Senior Girls. She is a member of St. Ann's Catholic Church and active in its youth group. She earned three academic awards, is listed in Who's Who Among American High School Students and is a member of Rotary Club. Her community service projects include Peer Ministry Team, Christmas in April and nursing home visitation. She was 1993 LHS Homecoming Queen. She plans to attend Texas A&M University and become an engineer.

Alex Hale is the son of Jim and Susan Weaver and Buddy and Leta Hale. He plays varsity baseball and football, is student council vice president, a member of National Honor Society and an officer of Fellowship of Christian Athletes. He was a member of 1993 Homecoming Court. He is an active member of the youth group at St. Elizabeth's Church, and received the Youth Appreciation Optimist Award. He plans to play baseball in college.

MR. AND MISS TALENTED

Heather Huff, daughter of Brenda and Gerald Huff, plays varsity volleyball and basketball. She is a member of National Honor Society, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, player and captain of USVBA Jr. Olympic Team, and a member of New Focus and D-Fy-It. She is a member of Memorial Christian Church and youth group and is a Big Sister to the seventh grade girls basketball team at Alamo Junior High School. Her junior year she was second team All-District and first team All-District and Most Outstanding Hitter in volleyball her senior year. She is a Texas Scholar, listed in Who's Who Among American High School Students, received U.S. Business Education Award of the U.S. Achievement Academy and the Optimist Club. She was chosen Outstanding Teen for freshman girls athletics and junior varsity volleyball. She plans to attend Abilene Christian University on a volleyball scholarship.

Sean Low, son of Carl and Joyce Low, plays varsity basketball and baseball and is a member of D-Fy-It. He participated in the youth group at Kelview Heights Baptist Church. He was listed in Who's Who Among American High School Students for 1992-93, was All-District basketball, All-Tournament, Northside Tournament in San Antonio, and All-Tournament in the Midland Holiday Classic in 1993. He plans to major in psychology and play basketball in college.

MR. AND MISS COURTEOUS

Stephanie Williams, daughter of Brenda Warren, is vice president of Business Professionals of America, Spanish Club treasurer, and junior varsity and varsity manager of the basketball team. She is a member of Leo Club, D-Fy-It, Senior Girls, student council cabinet and Black Awareness. She served on the yearbook staff for three years and is a member of Teen Court. She is a member of the steering committee for Project Graduation. She has been named Outstanding Student in both yearbook and student council, named in Who's Who Among American High School Students, was student council sweetheart, state qualifier of Business Professional of America, received the Government Award and is a Texas Scholar. She is a member of the youth group at church and is active in Easter Seals, March of Dimes and St. Jude's She plans to attend Texas Tech University and major in prelaw and psychology.

Shane Roch, son of Emmett and Laura Roch, is a two-year varsity football letterman and was named first team All-District and All-West Texas. He received honorable mention in All State. He throws shot put in track, was a member of the Photojournalism Club, was named in Who's Who in Sports and Who's Who Among American High School Students for two years. He recently signed a football scholarship with Southwest Texas State University.

Trainbearers and crown bearers:

Amy Brasher, daughter of Perkins and Denise Brasher, is recording secretary of student council, president of Leo Club and vice president of Dixie Dolls. She is a member of Fellowship of Christian Athletes, COM Swimming and track. She attends St. Ann's Catholic Church and is a member of Teen Board and Janee's Evening Wear Teen Board. In 1991-92, she received Best Officer Award for Dixie Dolls. She plans to attend MC and then a major university, studying physical therapy.

Heather Blair, daughter of James and Cindy Blair, is a member of student council cabinet, National Honor Society, Dixie Dolls for two years, and Leo Club secretary. She volunteers for Big Brothers/Big Sisters, attends First Christian Church and is a member of D-Fy-It. She was 1993 Miss Midland Teen and was third runner-up to Miss Texas Teen the same year. She has been listed in Who's Who Among American High School Students for two years. She plans to attend MC.

Matthew Pertree, son of Joan and Steve Pertree, is a kindergarten student at Hilander School. He is a member of Kelview Heights Baptist Church.

Alexandra Ochsner, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Robert F. Ochsner, attends kindergarten at Hillander School. She is a member of Midland Soccer Association and West Texas Petites Gymnastics Team. She is a member of Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity.

DEAR ABBY

Widow's suitor full of love and wants to spread it around

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I am dating a 40-year-old man who has been divorced for three years. (He has no children.)

Van Buren

I am a 31-year-old widow with three children. "Jack" is basically a very loving and understanding man, but he often says things that make me feel worthless. He always talks about women he has slept with, and says he doesn't know if he can be faithful to me — even though he has never loved anyone as much as he loves me. I just can't seem to understand how he can love me that much and still want to have sex with other women.

He says the more I insist on fidelity, the more it makes him want someone else. (At least he is honest.)

Abby, what should I do? I am trying so hard to be patient and understanding, but I'm running out of patience. — LOUISIANA LADY

DEAR LADY: A man who talks about women he has slept with is no gentleman; furthermore, it shows how little respect he has for all women — including you.

When he tells you that the more you insist on fidelity, the more it makes him want someone else, he is giving you fair warning that he doesn't intend to quit sleeping with other women.

If you're looking for a man you can spend the rest of your life with happily, keep on looking. He isn't it.

DEAR ABBY: You are one person I feel I can turn to. My boyfriend and I have been living together for more than two years. He recently shared a sexual fantasy with me: He wants me and another female in bed with him.

I don't want to deprive him of his fantasy, but I'm afraid that if I allow this to take place, he will feel like it will be OK for him to cheat on me. He promised me this wouldn't be the case. What should I do? I really love him, and don't want to lose him. — SOUTHERN GIRL

DEAR SOUTHERN GIRL: If you participate in this fantasy, regardless of what he says, you will be giving your approval to his having sex with others. Just say NO to this immoral fantasy.

DEAR ABBY: If you think your Catholic and Jewish readers will enjoy this, you are welcome to print it. I never did know who wrote it. — ABBY FAN

ELEVEN O'CLOCK MASS

The storm is howling out of doors,
The drifts are piling high.
And I can see the pedestrians
As they go trudging by. .
The faces of my Irish friends
Come dimly through the glass.
They brave the blizzard for the sake
Of worshipping at Mass. .
I watch a while, then back to bed,
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But they must tramp the icy streets
On sacred duty bound. .
I envy them their strength of heart,
The faith that they renew,
But on a snowy Sunday morn,
It's great to be a Jew.

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AT WIT'S END

If the shoe fits, you must have it

By Erma Bombeck

The sporting goods industry spent $34 billion last year trying to get people like me off our fat sofas.

Challenged by a tough economy, this year manufacturers are pulling out all the stops. They're offering Rollerblades with brakes. Up until now when you were headed toward three lanes of traffic, you had to lift one foot slightly and drag your other heel to save yourself from annihilation. Wake me up when they come out with Rollerblades with training wheels and a good health plan.

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There's a new golf bag with a hidden cooler inside. There's a Bungee Bouncer. This is a trampoline with two 16-foot poles on opposite sides. Two bungee cords attach from the poles to the jumper's waist harness. You can fly up to 16 feet in the air. As an alternate, you might want to consider jumping off Teddy Roosevelt's nose on Mount Rushmore holding an open umbrella.

And here's an item guaranteed to get people on their feet: Air Jesus T-shirts that tout "The Original Dream Team" and feature cartoon drawings of Jesus and his apostles.

So far, I'd say the trend to make people believe they can't jog, play ball or tennis, ski or even walk without a cute costume and all the athlete-approved equipment has worked pretty well.

Remember several years ago those little three-buck gym shoes that mothers threw in the washer when they became gamy or brought tears to your eyes? They've been replaced by Nike's shoes with air in the soles and Reebok's air pump.

Kids who do not own shoes that are worn by their favorite athlete suffer. They have no will to live and do not want to continue breathing. They want to drop out of school. Their self-esteem is gone. They make plans to charge their parents with undue brutality. They know the minute they enter a room, conversation stops, eyes focus on their feet and crowds whisper, "Those shoes couldn't have cost more than $60. What's he doing here?"

The dedicated fitness people have a shoe wardrobe that makes Imelda Marcos' closet look like the last day of a shoe sale. There's a shoe for running, walking and aerobics. If you play tennis, there's a shoe for it. Same with rock climbing and football.

There are downhill ski boots and cross-country shoes. There's a soccer shoe that has fins on it for ball handling. No one steps on a green without wearing a golf shoe or climbs on a bicycle without his bicyling footwear. There are baseball shoes and ... are there really luge shoes?

If the manufacturers really want to make money, they should design a sofa shoe that you can prop up on the furniture without soiling or scratching it. I want to be its spokesperson.

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'Office sharks' are on the prowl

Associated Press

Scientists say your odds of encountering an oceanic shark are 10 million to 1, but you are much more likely to run up against the office variety — and they are more predatory than ever.

Office sharks are motivated by ambition, competitiveness and insecurity, Sarah Francis wrote in an article in the current issue of Cosmopolitan, and when business is bad and layoffs are imminent, office sharks prowl, propelled by their instinct for survival. Good-natured, highly competent young women make the most tempting prey.

"Even though women have been in the work place for many years, we still have idealistic views," said Carole Lieberman, a Beverly Hills, Calif., psychiatrist. "We may not be alert to danger signals. And we play by the old rules, trying to get things to be fair, acting as peacekeepers. That makes us particularly vulnerable."

Sharp-toothed colleagues come in both sexes and are divided into three main subspecies.

Nurse shark. This specimen seems docile, even helpful at first, and usually does not attack unless provoked. The problem is, this type tends to be paranoid and finds your very existence a threat. Typically, a nurse shark will pose as an expert on office politics. Don't trust her advice and guidance.

Hammerhead. Members of this aggressive breed are blatant about their dislike for you. Winning through intimidation is their standard operating procedure as they feed on all creatures powerful and puny.

Great white. The most voracious and feared office shark, the great white claims to be your friend, then spreads ugly rumors about you.

Don't allow such a hostile colleague to "get the goods on you," Lieberman warned. "She'll use personal information about you to her advantage," the psychiatrist said. "At social occasions, particularly where there's alcohol, barriers drop and you may start talking to her as if she's your best friend."

Here are some strategies for dealing with office sharks:

Keep cool. Don't let a tantrum-thrower frazzle you. Lose your cool, and you lose.

Have allies. Maintain strong working relationships with people you trust, but always be discreet about your personal life. If you suspect a shark, confront her when your friends are around.

Enlist the boss. Be friendly toward your superiors, who at least have successfully maneuvered in the shark pool.

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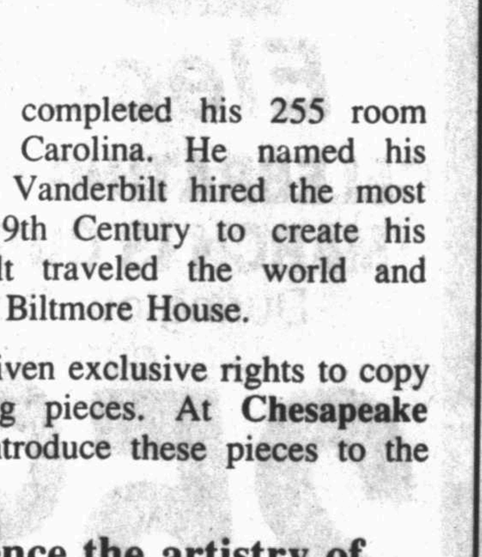

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Children find each other after being separated by mother's illness

By Vicky Whitcomb
Associated Press

TAYLOR — They all grew up within 20 minutes of one another in and around Endicott, N.Y., but those who went into foster care and were later adopted, never met and never knew what tore the family of 11 children apart so many years ago.

A cryptic telephone message left on Mark Birchard's answering machine in Taylor earlier this month ended his older sister's years of searching. She was the same sister who at 18 sought, but was denied, permission to raise her younger brothers and sisters herself. The 33-year-old Birchard was the last of the Rouse children to be found.

The tenth of 11 children, Birchard only knew that he was placed in foster care at birth and legal wrangling prevented his foster parents from formally adopting him until he was almost seven. He remembered social workers visiting periodically, he said, but knew nothing of his birth family.

As with many adopted children, Birchard said he was curious about his birth family. But he felt so fortunate growing up with the loving and caring parents he knew that he never sought to make contact with his biological family. He's glad now, though, they went looking for him.

"We were all thrilled to find out so much," he said. Another brother was located just two weeks before Mark through a newspaper ad. The sister conducting the search really went out on a limb, then, and picked Mark's picture out of a high school annual. She knew all of the children's birthdates and that they had remained in roughly the same area, so she finally resorted to looking for family features.

After picking him out, then looking for a Mark Birchard in the local telephone directory, he said, she ended up calling his cousin. She was disappointed to learn Mark Birchard was not adopted, until his wife said he had a cousin, though, who is. She was put in touch with Mark's adoptive parents who were able to verify that their son was indeed the younger brother she sought — known to her as Charles Andrew Rouse.

His parents in turn called him in Taylor, he said, and things just snowballed from there. Since the initial contact was made, telephones have been ringing throughout the country as the long lost siblings have taken turns calling and introducing themselves to one another.

"The coincidences and similarities are remarkable," he said. Three older brothers all became ministers. Nearly all of the children were musically inclined. He and one brother were both in high school jazz band and initially sought musical careers, which were cut short by the same instructor in college. One of his brothers actually ended up marrying a girl that Birchard went to school with, he said.

The one question that loomed, though was why? Why were the children torn from their parents? Why did school-age children end up in orphanages? Why did some remain with their father, while others were put up for adoption? Birchard's sister, Annette, answered many of those questions for him.

His mother is still alive, he learned, now in the care of an older brother, but virtually incapacitated from the multiple mental breakdowns she suffered following the birth of each child. The breakdowns increased in both severity and duration with each pregnancy, resulting in extended periods of hospitalization.

By the time Mark came along, she was institutionalized immediately following delivery, and the child was placed in foster care since his father was not deemed capable of caring for the babies. His mother would later return to her home, long enough to become pregnant one last time. She would be institutionalized again after the birth of his youngest brother who was also placed immediately into foster care.

The family now believes the breakdowns stemmed from a combination of experimental medications administered to the mother as a small child in an attempt to treat life-threatening seizures, the physical condition that caused the seizures in the first place and the lingering chemical imbalances triggered by the hormonal changes during pregnancy. Her breakdowns worsened with age and subsequent pregnancies.

Birchard's mother's childbearing spanned 20 years. His oldest brother is now 50, he has learned, his youngest only 29. Another brother died in his mother's arms years ago at the age of seven following a tragic two-story fall. The sister who succeeded in uniting the family, Annette, is now 45. She remained with her father, since she was practically out of school when her mother's illness tore the family apart.

Mark said the oldest children are very bitter towards the father, who eventually deserted his mother.

Originally an IBM employee, Birchard left New York in 1986 for Detroit, Michigan, then was transferred to the Austin area in 1990. He has been with the Williamson County Sheriff's Department for two years now, originally as a dispatcher, but he recently assumed an animal control officer's position.

He now lives in Taylor with Daisy Jernigan and their seven-month-old daughter, Samantha. Had his family not remained in the Endicott area, he may never have been found.

FBI hopes to find fish that got away

N.Y. Times News Service

HOUSTON — Like many fish stories, this is a tale about the ones that got away. So many, in fact, — about 1 million — that the FBI is investigating.

Sometime between December and January, $100,000 worth of baby catfish, or fingerlings, were stolen from spawning ponds near Danbury, a small town on the upper Texas coast about 50 miles southwest of here.

The theft was not noticed until late last month, when workers at Anat, an aquaculture company, were rounding up fingerlings for a sale and discovered that three of the company's spawning ponds had been emptied.

Because the authorities believe the stolen fingerlings were transported across state lines and because of the value of the fish, the FBI is on the case.

"The dollar amount dictates whether or not the FBI will get involved," said Rolando Moss, a special agent at the bureau's Houston office. "Whether or not it's a priority investigation is another story. We treat it as another case we have to work."

Moss refused to say why the FBI believed the fish had been taken across state lines. But local authorities and people in the fishing industry said the fingerlings, which are about 6 inches in length, would only have commercial value to people who could raise them and then sell them.

Raising the fingerlings would require special equipment, people in the fishing industry said, and the most likely place to take the fingerlings would be to Mississippi, where there are a number of companies that buy and raise fingerlings for resale.

Debra Epps, the principal owner of Anat, said she believed the thieves were industry insiders, not only because of the specialized equipment needed to harvest and carry away 1 million fingerlings, but also "because fingerlings are sold to others to grow out, being too small for other uses."

Ms. Epps said the missing fish were 20 percent of her harvest, a loss that was not covered because "it's hard to get insurance for fish."

For now, Ms. Epps said she was grateful that the FBI was investigating. "I don't think anybody will be stealing fish for a while, not with the FBI involved," she said.

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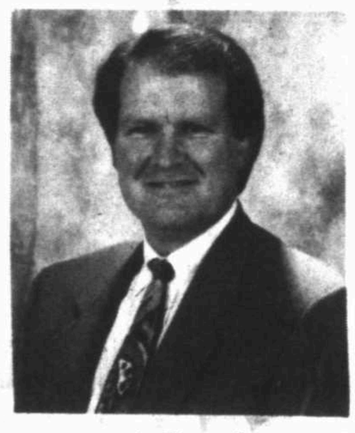
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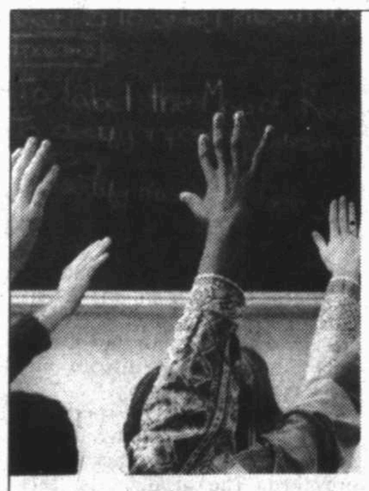
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SPORTS WATCH

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COLLEGE BASKETBALL — Illinois at Indiana, 6:30 p.m., ESPN.

Baylor at Texas A&M, 7:30, HSE.

Vanderbilt at Tennessee, 8:30, ESPN.

BOXING — Marcellus Johnson vs. Francisco Montiel, WBC pentacontinenetal flyweight title, 10 p.m., HSE.

Texas Scores

NBA — Utah Jazz 89, Houston Rockets 85.

SWC BASKETBALL — Texas 106, Oral Roberts 69.

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Sports Today

PREP SOCCER — Abilene Cooper boys at Midland High, 4:30 p.m.

Abilene High girls at Midland Lee, 4:30 p.m.

Midland Lee at Abilene High, 4:30 p.m.

Midland High girls at Abilene Cooper, 4:30 p.m.

PREP BASEBALL — Lubbock Coronado at Midland High, doubleheader, Angel Stadium, 4 p.m.

PREP SOFTBALL — Midland High vs. Midland Lee, Ulmer Park, 5 p.m.

Women Top 25

By The Associated Press
The Top Twenty Five women's basketball teams as compiled by Mel Greenberg of the Philadelphia Inquirer as voted by a panel of women coaches, with first-place votes in parentheses, records through Feb. 27, total points based on 25 points for a first-place vote through one point for a 25th-place vote, and previous ranking:

	Record	Pts	Pvs
1. Tennessee (66)	26-1	1,770	1
2. Penn St. (5)	22-1	1,680	2
3. Colorado	23-3	1,623	3
4. Connecticut	24-2	1,515	4
5. North Carolina	24-2	1,447	5
6. Texas Tech	**22-3**	**1,403**	**7**
7. Louisiana Tech	21-3	1,274	8
8. Virginia	23-3	1,260	9
9. Southern Cal	20-3	1,208	6
10. Purdue	21-4	1,162	10
11. Stanford	18-5	1,135	11
12. Kansas	20-4	990	12
13. Vanderbilt	21-6	984	13
14. Iowa	18-5	829	14
15. Seton Hall	23-3	714	15
16. Alabama	20-5	673	16
17. Montana	22-3	559	18
18. Southern Miss.	21-2	491	19
19. Washington	17-6	392	20
20. Boise St.	21-4	382	17
21. Florida Intl.	21-3	339	21
22. Florida	21-5	209	22
23. W. Kentucky	19-7	180	23
24. Mississippi	22-7	163	24
25. Auburn	18-8	79	—

Others receiving votes: Oregon 67; Rutgers 61; Hawaii 60; Bowling Green 58; SW Missouri St. 53; Clemson 50; San Diego St. 42; New Mexico St. 32; N. Illinois 31; **Texas A&M 17**; Indiana 15; Notre Dame 15; Oklahoma St. 15; Ala.-Birmingham 13; Georgia 12; Minnesota 11; Santa Clara 10; **Stephen F. Austin 9**; George Washington 8; Old Dominion 6; Virginia Tech 6; **Texas 5**; UCLA 4; Toledo 3; Creighton 2; St. Joseph's 2; Gonzaga 1; Marquette 1; Pittsburgh 1; Siena 1; **Southwest Texas 1**.

Men's Top 25

By The Associated Press
The top 25 teams in The Associated Press college basketball poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, records through Feb. 27, total points based on 25 points for a first-place vote through one point for a 25th-place vote, and previous rankings:

	Record	Pts	Pvs
1. Arkansas (59)	22-2	1,619	1
2. Duke (1)	21-3	1,513	2
3. Michigan (3)	20-4	1,449	3
4. Connecticut (1)	24-3	1,375	5
5. North Carolina (1)	23-5	1,367	4
6. Missouri	22-2	1,365	6
7. Kentucky	22-5	1,187	7
8. Arizona	23-4	1,171	9
9. Purdue	23-4	1,049	14
10. Louisville	22-4	1,028	13
11. Massachusetts	23-6	897	11
12. Temple	20-6	849	8
13. Kansas	22-6	841	10
14. Syracuse	19-6	786	18
15. UCLA	19-4	665	15
16. Saint Louis	22-3	605	19
17. Indiana	17-6	577	12
18. Minnesota	19-9	528	20
19. Florida	22-5	502	16
20. California	19-6	496	17
21. Oklahoma St.	20-7	336	24
22. Marquette	20-7	288	22
23. Boston College	19-8	92	21
24. Ala.-Birmingham	20-6	72	—
25. Penn	21-2	70	—

Other receiving votes: **Texas 66**, Georgia Tech 59, Georgetown 50, Wake Forest 44, New Mexico 30, Cincinnati 27, Murray St. 21, New Mexico St. 18, Alabama 12, Maryland 9, Xavier, Ohio 9, George Washington 8, Illinois 7, Brigham Young 6, Michigan St. 5, Ohio U. 5, Mississippi St. 4, Nebraska 4, Texas A&M 4, Wisconsin 4, Coppin St. 3, West Virginia 2, Coastal Carolina 1, Weber St. 1.

4 'Boys to DC

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Clinton will be greeting a much leaner Dallas Cowboys contingent at the White House this year.

Unlike last year, when most of the team was on hand, only four players are expected Tuesday when the president hosts the Super Bowl winners at the traditional White House ceremony.

But the Cowboys' most stellar players are expected — quarterback Troy Aikman, running back Emmitt Smith, receiver Michael Irvin and defensive tackle Russell Maryland.

Cowboys owner Jerry Jones and coach Jimmy Johnson will join their four players for the ceremony.

OTs leave 1 up, 1 down

Kopp's block keys MHS

By Amy Wolfenbarger
Staff Writer

LUBBOCK — Midland High coach Jack Stephenson probably wanted to grab Bulldog post Jason Kopp after the game and give him a big hug.

But to do that, he would have had to overlook so many players who made clutch plays in Midland's 64-62 overtime win over Amarillo Tascosa in a Class 5A region quarterfinal boys basketball game Monday night at Lubbock High.

Kopp's feat, however, just happened to come right near the end of overtime and will stay fresh in the memories of Bulldog fans for a long time.

With the score standing at 64-62 in favor of Midland with four seconds left in overtime, Tascosa's Tryrone Easter took the inbounds pass from his teammate Gabe Sager and turned to shoot what could have been the tying bucket, sending the game into a second overtime.

But Kopp, who had been almost nonexistant in the inside during the first half, knocked the ball from Easter's hands, cleanly blocking the shot and coming up with the loose ball to preserve the Bulldogs' win.

Behind Kopp's block, Stephenson and the Bulldogs (22-11 overall) advanced to the Region I-5A Tournament Friday at Chaparral Center. This was the first time since 1981 that the Bulldogs advanced to the regional tournament.

And it was a long wait for Stephenson, who coached that team to regionals. There was probably no one more excited than the Bulldog leader.

"It is (more special) because this is now," Stephenson said of his playoff ad-

Please see **DOGS**/4C

Lee runs out of time, 74-72

By Terry Williamson
Sports Editor

ABILENE — If the results weren't so important in the overall scheme of the Class 5A state basketball playoffs, you could forget the score between Midland Lee and Abilene Cooper and just enjoy the play of Cougar Andrae Patterson and Rebel Sean Low.

However, the game belonged to Cooper, 74-72, in overtime sending the 26-6 Cougars to the Region I tournament Friday and Saturday in Midland's Chaparral Center.

But the emphasis should be on Patterson and Low, two of District 4-5A's stars going at it for the last time in a historic game that will long live past this final whistle.

Low, in his last game for Lee, poured in a career high 39 points while hauling in seven rebounds and dealing out seven assists.

Patterson, the 6-8 giant who gets to play on this week, had 32 points, 18 rebounds, seven blocked shots, three dunks and an assist.

"Both are great players and they played great. I don't know what else to say," said a limp Cooper coach Jack Aldredge. "That's about as fine a game as two kids can have in one night."

Lee coach Jon House, who had to endure the torture of losing one of the finest high school games seen in these parts in years, said, "In recent memory, I've never seen two guys play like that on the same court. They'll be talking about this one for a lot of years."

Ironically, Low's best high school game probably seems like his worst. It will hurt for a long time. Low missed the front end of a two-shot foul with

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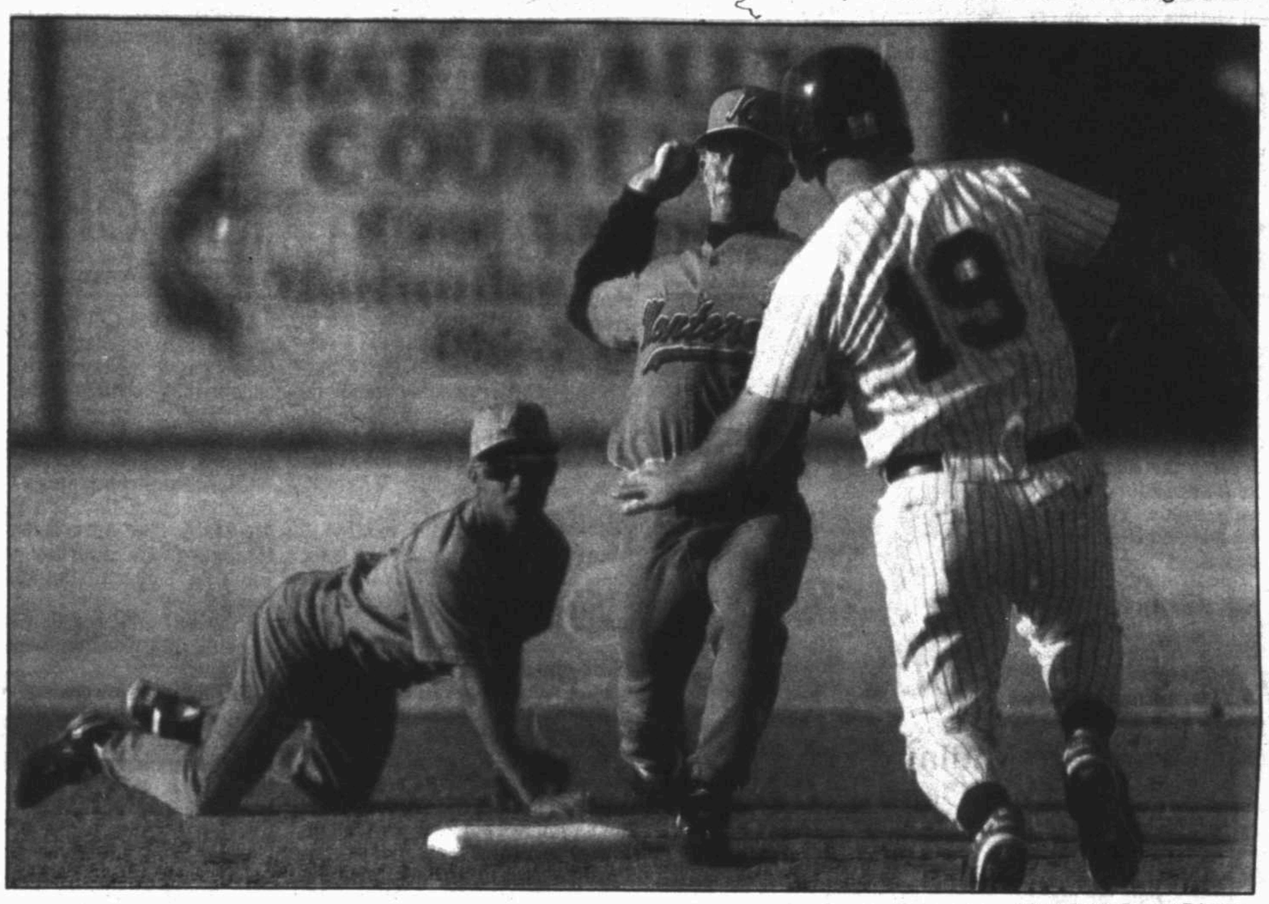

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Midland Lee's Chris Connally is out at second as Lubbock Monterey second baseman J.R. Mize throws to first Monday at Angel Stadium. Monterey shortstop Shane Smith, left, fielded the ball on the play.

3 SWC schools on hunt

■ Rice, SMU and TCU look for other teams to join their depleted conference.

Associated Press

DALLAS — Southwest Conference members Rice, Southern Methodist and Texas Christian met Monday with schools interested in joining them in a new alignment.

The three private schools are looking at Tulsa, Tulane and Memphis State — and possibly others — now that Texas, Baylor, Texas Tech and Texas A&M announced they are moving to the Big Eight Conference in two years.

Officials from Louisville, Cincinnati and Louisiana Tech also have expressed interest in the possible new league.

SWC commissioner Steve Hatchell termed the meeting "a preliminary deal."

"There will be nothing (immediate) out of it," Hatchell said. "We're going to look at some things and see where we go from here."

Hatchell said the plan is "to explore whether there are television opportunities with new alignments, so we can forecast for 1996."

Texas, Texas A&M, Texas Tech and Baylor on Friday officially accepted an offer to join the Big Eight, effective in 1996. Houston officials said Saturday they aren't interested in pursuing fu-

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Plainsmen sweep punchless Rebels

■ No. 7 Lubbock Monterey's pitching silences Midland Lee.

By Bill Petitt
Staff Writer

Midland Lee rolled into town after an impressive tournament win at the Ysleta Tournament over the weekend.

The Rebels run-ruled every opponent while averaging 11.6 runs per outing.

Midland put its high-octane offense to the test on Monday against seventh-ranked Lubbock Monterey in a doubleheader at Angel Stadium and found out that old adage of good pitching beats good hitting the hard way as Monterey starter Britt Carmichael no-hit the Rebs in 9-3 in the opener. The Plainsmen then made a big exclamation point with Monty Ward's complete game and a 10-5 win in the nightcap.

Lee and Monterey, both 3-2 on the year, will participate in this weekend's Tournament of Champions at Angel Stadium Thursday through Saturday.

Carmichael overcame a shaky, 48-pitch second inning to shutdown the Re-

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Bulldogs march on

■ Midland High has depended on defense and depth in its attempt to go undefeated through the 1994 soccer season.

By Mike Butts
Staff Writer

From the looks of recent District 5-5A soccer results, Midland High's Bulldogs have stayed in cruise control over the last couple of weeks. The only boys or girls team in the league without a loss, Midland has won its last three games by a combined 9-0 to up its records to 8-0 in district and 13-0 overall. It clinched a playoff spot with Saturday's 4-0 win over Odessa Permain.

But a look behind the scores shows that the Bulldogs have remained the dominant team in 5-5A, despite playing without two important starters, a fact demonstrative of the team's depth as

■ 5-5A Soccer

they enter today's home game with Abilene Cooper at 4:30 p.m.

Midland High's girls play at Abilene Cooper, Midland Lee's boys at Abilene High and Lee's girls host Abilene High. All games are at 4:30 p.m.

The Bulldogs played the last 3½ games without midfielder J.D. Garcia and the last game without goal keeper Brandon Lang. Both will probably miss today's game with injuries. Paul Rounding has filled in for Garcia, and junior Jared Richardson got Midland High's sixth shutout in eight league games filling in for Lang Saturday.

Midland's depth has let coach Tom Esikhati use 15 to 16 players a game. And its balance has resulted in 12 different players scoring goals.

The 5-5A leading team doesn't seem to have room for improvement defensively, giving up three goals in their eight league games. But Esikhati has

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Ranger Pride

Texas Rangers manager Kevin Kennedy, left, jokes with country and western singer Charley Pride about writing a song about the Rangers at the team's spring training facility in Port Charlotte, Fla., Monday.

Rankin unacquainted with area foe Sierra Blanca

By Mike Butts
Staff Writer

Rankin ventures into familiar territory tonight against an unfamiliar opponent.

The Red Devils play a Class 1A area boys basketball playoff game for the fourth straight year at 6:30 at Sul Ross University in Alpine. They go against Sierra Blanca, a team Rankin coach Shannon Hooker hasn't faced in his four years with the Red Devils.

That means Hooker will have to rely on phone conversations with coaches of Vaquero opponents for scouting. And his team will have to face 15-6 Sierra Blanca — located about 70 miles outside of El Paso on U.S. Interstate 10 — without benefit of having seen them play live or on tape, which concerns the Red Devil coach.

"I guess it's kind of fear of the unknown," Hooker said. "We really don't know what to expect."

One thing not to expect is a low scoring game. The Red Devils and the Vaqueros are both quick and like to run the ball. And Sierra Blanca, winners of district 14A, have scored over 90 points in six of its last 10 games.

"We're basically a fast team, similar to Rankin," Sierra Blanca first-year coach Frank Dees said. "The loser may score 85 points. I think we'll have to score 90 to win."

Rankin (20-2) beat Balmorhea 96-76 for their bi-district win Friday in Odessa. The Vaqueros topped Van Horn 84-73. Sierra Blanca had two wins over Balmorhea during the regular season — 74-45 and 91-54. But Dees cautions making too much of those figures.

"To be honest, they played Rankin better than they play us," Dees said of the teams' common opponent.

Sierra Blanca, a six-man football school — has two seniors with impressive numbers. Returning all-state guard-forward Eric Virdell averages 27.4 points, 11.2

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CBS missed Olympic story boat

While CBS broadcasts of the Olympic Games had drama, they missed some of the competition's biggest stories.

By Bruce Adams
New York Times News Service

SAN FRANCISCO — It's been two weeks now that the Winter Olympics have held us in their grasp — attracting us in record numbers.

More specifically, it's been the television coverage of the Olympics that has kept us couch-bound and surrogate visitors to a scenic little village in Norway.

First and foremost, these are Games, and in games there are winners and losers. Here are some of ours.

CBS's prime-time shows have been masterpieces of dramatic entertainment, making us feel we're in Lillehammer, strolling from venue to venue, sampling the best of the global competition and sharing the thrill of gold medal victory.

CBS's coverage of the Games as athletic competition has been incomplete, superficial and utterly lacking in context. Friday's women's figure skating finals — a major sports story by any measure — should have been covered live. The network still could have edited it down and packaged another great prime-time broadcast.

Medals table
1994 LILLEHAMMER

Through Sunday, Feb. 27
61 total medals

Country	G	S	B	Total
Norway	10	11	5	26
Germany	9	7	8	24
Russia	11	8	4	23
Italy	7	5	8	20
United States	6	5	2	13
Canada	3	6	4	13
Switzerland	3	4	2	9
Austria	2	3	4	9
South Korea	4	1	1	6
Finland	0	1	5	6
Japan	1	2	2	5
France	0	1	4	5
Netherlands	0	1	3	4
Sweden	2	1	0	3
Kazakhstan	1	2	0	3
China	0	1	2	3
Slovenia	0	0	3	3
Ukraine	1	0	1	2
Belarus	0	2	0	2
Britain	0	0	2	2
Uzbekistan	1	0	0	1
Australia	0	0	1	1

G-Gold, S-Silver, B-Bronze
AP

The network finally fell victim to the obsession with the Nancy Kerrigan-Tonya Harding controversy, and the real victims were viewers who should have been told what it all meant.

For more than 10 minutes, CBS cameras followed Harding and her battle with her boot laces. Harding was, and has been all along, a middle-of-the-pack skater with a long-shot at any medal. That point was never brought home.

Other important story lines lost Friday included Kerrigan's amazing silver. She fought distraction, injury and her own tendency to falter in big competitions. She did better than expected. Also lost was a more dramatic and direct emphasis on gold medalist **Oksana Baiul**, a 16-year-old orphan who in the last year came from obscurity to the world title.

Unfortunately, that was typical. CBS focused too much on the Americans, the winners and the big-ticket events. Hundreds and hundreds of athletes marched in the Opening Ceremony. How many do you now know?

Rarely did CBS stoop lower than with the prime-time Tomba Fixes. Someone at the network obviously has the hots for the square-headed, pudgy Italian skier. Enough already on Alberto.

The Coke commercials featuring the animated polar bears, white fur bristling in the wind, won our commercial gold. But put those twins, Dave and Jimmy, in their Jeep Cherokee, give them a tank of gas and show them the quickest route out of town.

CBS came into these Games hyping the "goalie cam" — a television camera in the helmet of the U.S. hockey goalie. It wasn't used — in fact, most of the hockey was shown on TNT during weekdays, not on CBS.

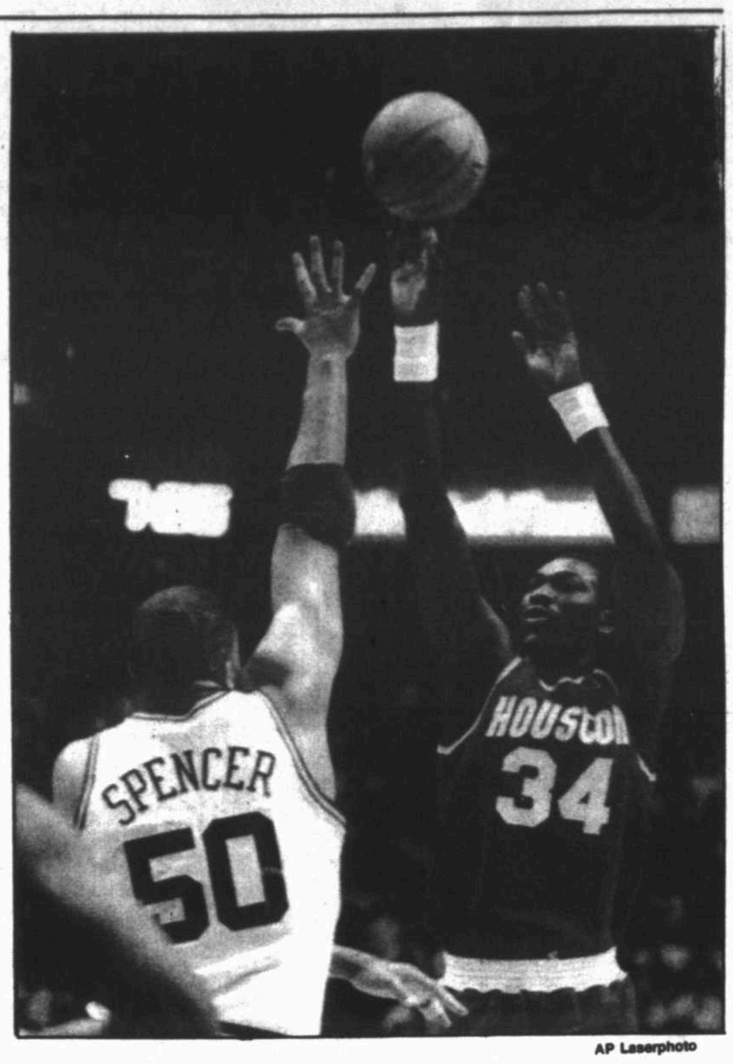
Nonetheless, there was some world-class camera work because of a series of technical advances, including cameras triggered by motion sensors and cameras mounted on rails, cables and cranes.

Of particular note, a camera on the home stretch at the speedskating oval, an aerial camera on the Alpine ski course and cameras used to follow ski jumpers — from the top of the ramp and from the ground. All in all, stunning and showing us these winter sport standards through new eyes.

CBS News badly soiled the legacy of Edward R. Murrow, Eric Sevareid and Walter Cronkite. Anchor woman Connie Chung spent the games shadowing Harding. A battalion was sent in, including Morley Safer, Ed Bradley and John Blackstone. But only the avuncular storyteller Charles Kuralt made any significant contributions.

Among the questions CBS sports reporters left unanswered: How do they get the bobsleds back up to the top of the run? Who makes the tracks on the ski jump ramp? Why do some slalom skiers wear helmets? Why do some have a face bar? Why do some ski in just a hat? What's the difference between racing skis, slalom skis, jumping skis and cross-country skis?

Why don't speedskaters wear socks? In the interest of animal rights, how many Norwegian reindeer were slaughtered so people like Mark McEwen of the morning show and David Letterman's mother could do silly features on native fare?



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Hakeem Olajuwon of the Houston Rockets shoots over Felton Spencer of the Utah Jazz Monday night in Salt Lake City.

Utah completes Rocket sweep

Associated Press

SALT LAKE CITY — Karl Malone scored 18 points, including a fade-away in the lane with 35.9 seconds to play Monday night, to lead the Utah Jazz to their sixth straight victory, 89-85 over the Houston Rockets.

The victory completes a back-to-back sweep of the NBA's former top team. The Jazz defeated the Rockets 95-85 Saturday night in Houston, and lead the season series 3-2.

Utah has defeated San Antonio, Phoenix and Houston twice in the last five days.

Hakeem Olajuwon led all scorers with 20 points. Kenny Smith added 12, but did not play in the fourth quarter. The Rockets shot 14-24 from the free-throw line for the game, and Olajuwon missed 4 free throws in the fourth quarter. He was scoreless in the fourth.

Stockton scored 17 for Utah. Jay Humphries scored 15.

Cavaliers 89, Bulls 81

CHICAGO — Mark Price scored 19 points and Bobby Phills added 17 Monday night, carrying the Cleveland Cavaliers to their seventh straight victory with an 89-81 decision over the Chicago Bulls.

■ NBA Roundup

UConn holds on to top Georgetown

Associated Press

LANDOVER, Md. — Donyell Marshall, who took a hard elbow in the face in the first half, scored 23 points and No. 4 Connecticut held on in the closing seconds Monday night for a 66-62 victory over Georgetown.

The victory was the fourth straight for the Huskies (25-3, 15-2 Big East), and was their first in 12 appearances at USAir Arena. Georgetown (16-8, 10-6) has won five of its last seven.

■ Top 25 Roundup

Connecticut led 51-40 with 12:36 remaining. But the Hoyas clawed back and a 6-1 spurt drew them to 64-60 on a tip by Don Reid with 2:11 remaining.

After the teams traded turnovers, Joey Brown found Othella Harrington for an easy layup to cut the deficit to 64-62 with 2.8 seconds left. Reid fouled Marshall on the ensuing inbounds play, and Marshall made both free throws to seal the game.

Doron Sheffer added 11 points for Connecticut. Harrington paced Georgetown with 22 points, 14 in the second half.

The Huskies got a scare when Marshall went down after being elbowed by Harrington in the face midway through the first half.

No. 10 Louisville 108, Howard 65

LOUISVILLE, Ky. — Greg Minor scored 25 points, including 13 during a 28-3 run in the first half, and Louisville coasted to a victory over Howard.

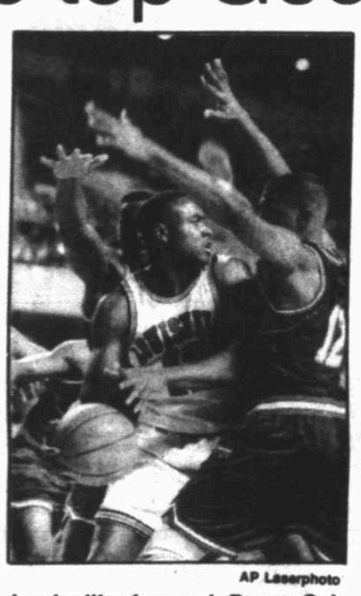
Center Clifford Rozier scored 12 points to become the third player in Louisville (23-4) history to score 1,000 in two seasons. The others were Wes Unseld and Howard coach Butch Beard.

Howard (10-15) played without two starters, center Grady Livingston and leading scorer Art Crowder, who were involved in a fight along with reserve Eric Dedmon last week against Delaware State.

Dwayne Morton contributed 18 points and DeJuan Wheat added 15 for Louisville, which shot 57 percent and placed 11 of its 13 players in the scoring column. Howard was led by Tommy Brown's 21 points and shot 35 percent.

Howard, hitting four of six 3-pointers, jumped to a 16-11 lead before Louisville's superior size and quickness began to show in its final home game of the regular season.

Louisville scored 12 straight points, going up 23-16 on Minor's 4-point play with 11:12 left. After Howard's Otis Young hit a 12-footer, the Cardinals scored nine consecutive points, going up 32-18 on Minor's 3-pointer


AP Laserphoto

Louisville forward Doug Calhoun, center, tries to pass around Howard's Sean Turley.

No. 22 Marquette 86, San Francisco 65

MILWAUKEE — Now Jim McIlvaine and the Marquette Warriors can party.

McIlvaine, the nation's leading shot-blocker, swatted away seven shots and added 21 points and 12 rebounds in Marquette's victory over San Francisco.

McIlvaine turned in early Sunday night after leading the Warriors to a 72-60 victory over DePaul that clinched the school's first Great Midwest Conference title.

After scoring 23 points, including a Bradley Center record 15 from the foul line, and blocking six shots against the Blue Demons, McIlvaine said: "We'll celebrate tonight for one hour, but then we'll go to sleep because we've got a big game tomorrow."

San Francisco was the team that appeared to suffer a letdown as McIlvaine disrupted the Dons' high-powered offense, which was averaging 91 points a game.

Marquette (21-7), which leads the nation in field goal percentage defense (35.7 percent), held the Dons to just 25 percent shooting from the field while building a 46-28 halftime lead. The Dons shot 29 percent for the game, compared to the Warriors' 46 percent.

The Dons, second in the West Coast Conference, also got outrebounded 47-34 in falling to 16-10.

Damon Key added 18 points and 10 rebounds for Marquette.

San Francisco did provide some excitement, cutting a 22-point second-half deficit to 63-55.

Anderson scores 21 as UT tops ORU for win number 20

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Roderick Anderson scored 21 points to lead five Texas players in double-figure scoring as Texas pounded Oral Roberts 106-69 Monday night.

B.J. Tyler scored 19 points. Terrence Rencher hit 14, while Tony Watson and Tremaine Wingfield added 12 and 10 points respectively for Texas (20-7). The Longhorns won for the 13th time in 14 outings.

Oral Roberts, which lost for the 14th straight time, also placed five players in double-figure scoring led by Fred Smith's 20 points and 11 rebounds. Konny Bohanon and Tye Fields had 13 apiece for the Golden Eagles. Cliff Crenshaw added 12 and Jerome Abbage had 11.

Oral Roberts (6-20) led 13-8 in early going when Texas ran away to a 48-33 lead at halftime. The Longhorns opened up on Oral Roberts in the first nine minutes of the second half with a 19-6 run that put the game away at 67-39. Anderson scored nine points in that stretch and Tyler added eight.

The game was the last home contest for seniors Albert Burditt, Jerald Houston, Watson and Tyler.

Knight sends message with Sunday's benching

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — Bob Knight, who frequently loses his temper, never loses sight of what he's trying to accomplish with his basketball team. Even in a humiliating loss.

When Knight benched all his top players in the second half of Sunday's 106-56 loss at Minnesota, his worst defeat in 23 years at Indiana, he already was preparing the Hoosiers for Tuesday night's game against Illinois and for the rest of the season.

He was telling them, in effect, to play his way or they won't play at all. It was a motivational message he's used before.

Ten years ago, he benched his regulars and started four freshmen against Michigan State. The Hoosiers won that game and no one thought twice about Knight's tactic. The next season, he benched six regulars, including All-American Steve Alford, and started Uwe Blab and four freshmen against Illinois. Indiana lost that game, and Knight dismissed criticism by saying the ones most upset "were the ones who bet on the stupid game."

But he also explained the shakeup as a result of a lack of "effort and intelligence. If I don't see that, then my position is that I've got eight or nine other kids who aren't starting but who are working every bit as hard at practice every day, and now it's their turn to play."

Indiana dropped from 12th to 17th in The Associated Press poll released Monday. Minnesota climbed from 20th to 18th.

At a news conference after Sunday's game, Knight wouldn't explain his action — "Well ... you wouldn't understand it if I told you, so we'll just leave it go at that" — but he said he wasn't simply throwing in the towel.

"I don't ever call it off. I always have some reason for what I'm doing," he said.

"There are some times that you get in a game that what happens just eliminates you from the game," he said. "I said, 'This game was over with. Now what's the best thing we can do from that point on?' And we tried to do those things that we thought were best for us from that point on. And you do that in any game. You're ahead, you're behind ... whatever happens in the game, you say to yourself from a coaching standpoint, 'All right, what's best for us to do right now?' And that can be a variety of things."

Assistant coach Norm Ellenberger called Knight's move on Sunday a result of a season-long battle with the players "about movement, offense, defense, running the court, just basic things we've got to have to win."

"We came in here, and in the first six minutes it was exactly the opposite of the way we practice," Ellenberger said after the game. "It didn't just come to a head here. It has been happening, and coach said, 'We are not going to practice one way and play another way. I've fought this long enough.'

"By that time we were down 10, and so he said, 'If you're not going to play the way I want you to play, then we'll try to get some folks in there.'

"It comes down to how long do you ride this pony? Do you try to ride it out to the end of the season ... and try to goose it along and milk-feed it and sugar-coat it and try to win that way? Or do you say, 'Hey, whoa, it is going to stop now.

"We did one thing for sure. We stopped that lackadaisical play," he said. "If you're not getting the message through practicing and planning and going through it that way, then maybe you'll get the message this way through a complete embarrassment. We'll just have to wait and see."

LOCAL SPORTS

MHS Purple down Lee

Midland Purple scored two goals in the second half to beat the Lee freshmen Monday at Windlands Park 3-1. Purple's goals were scored by Jerad Fain, Russell Dunlavy and Scott Kamis. Garrett Donnelly and Michael Ratanasavetavadhana had assists for Midland, now 4-0-1.

Lee's Adrian Castresana scored the Rebels goal in the second half. Lee is now 4-1. Purple's next game is Thursday at 7:30 versus Odessa Bonham at Comanche Park.

MHS tennis 3rd at Ft. Stockton

FORT STOCKTON — Bonnie Terrazas, Kevin McIlvain and Jason Fisher led the Midland High tennis team to a third place finish at the Competitive Edge Invitational here last weekend. The Bulldogs finished behind El Paso Coronado and Odessa Permian, both ranked in the top 20 in the state.

"I was really pleased the first day when we had nine of our thirteen kids in the quarterfinals," MHS tennis coach Tom Heiting said. "It shows we can compete with the best."

Terrazas won third in girls singles, McIlvain third in boys singles and Fisher second in consolation. The Bulldogs next tournament is the Odessa Invitational Friday and Saturday.

Goddard soccer stays in first

A 4-1 win over San Jacinto kept Goddard in a first-place tie with Abell in junior high soccer play Saturday. Tori Watson moved from goal keeper to the field after a scoreless first half to lead the winners with three goals. Kim Elger had Goodard's other goal in the game played at Windlands Park.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram staff reports.

SWC: Houston could become independent

(From 1C)

ture opportunities with the three SWC private schools that took part in Monday's meeting.

Houston apparently was interested in either becoming independent, as the Cougars were before joining the SWC in 1976, or hooking up with the Western Athletic Conference or the Southeastern Conference.

Louisiana Tech president Dan Reneau said Sunday his school would like to be part of such an arrangement.

"It is certainly something we want to pursue," said Reneau, who vowed to work to convince officials at the Independence Bowl, of Shreveport, La., to offer its host role to the champion from a realigned SWC.

Bob Brown, 1994 Independence Bowl chairman, said his organization "would be happy to listen to anybody or any conference about a tie-in."

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SPORTS SCOREBOARD

NBA Results

At A Glance
By The Associated Press
EASTERN CONFERENCE
Atlantic Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	36	19	.655	—
Orlando	33	20	.623	2
Miami	29	25	.537	6½
New Jersey	28	26	.519	7½
Boston	20	35	.364	16
Philadelphia	20	35	.364	16
Washington	16	39	.291	20
Central Division				
Atlanta	38	16	.704	—
Chicago	37	18	.673	1½
Cleveland	32	24	.571	7
Indiana	28	25	.528	9½
Charlotte	23	30	.434	14½
Milwaukee	16	39	.291	22½
Detroit	13	41	.241	25
WESTERN CONFERENCE				
Midwest Division				
	W	L	Pct.	GB
Houston	38	15	.717	½
San Antonio	40	16	.714	—
Utah	38	19	.667	2½
Denver	27	26	.491	12½
Minnesota	16	37	.302	22½
Dallas	6	48	.143	32
Pacific Division				
Seattle	39	14	.736	—
Phoenix	36	17	.679	3
Portland	34	21	.618	6
Golden State	31	23	.574	8½
LA Lakers	20	33	.377	19
Sacramento	19	35	.352	20½
LA Clippers	18	35	.340	21

Sunday's Games
Orlando 114, Charlotte 103
Minnesota 107, Golden State 100
New Jersey 117, Dallas 90
Phoenix 92, New York 78
Seattle 122, L.A. Clippers 118
L.A. Lakers 100, Boston 97
Portland 104, Denver 97
Monday's Games
Cleveland 89, Chicago 81
Utah 89, Houston 85
Tuesday's Games
Detroit at New Jersey, 6:30 p.m.
Washington at Philadelphia, 6:30 p.m.
Minnesota at Atlanta, 6:30 p.m.
Portland at Indiana, 6:30 p.m.
Miami at Milwaukee, 7:30 p.m.
Orlando at Houston, 7:30 p.m.
Charlotte at Seattle, 9 p.m.
L.A. Clippers at Golden State, 9:30 p.m.
New York at Sacramento, 9:30 p.m.

Jazz 89, Rockets 85

HOUSTON (85)
Horry 4-10 1-2 9, Thorpe 4-8 0-0 8, Olajuwon 7-14 6-12 20, Maxwell 3-10 2-2 10, Smith 5-8 2-2 12, Herrera 1-1 0-0 2, Cassell 4-11 1-2 9, Brooks 2-2 0-0 4, Elie 4-8 2-2 11. Totals 34-72 14-24 85.
UTAH (89)
Benoit 2-6 3-3 8, Malone 7-20 4-6 18, Spencer 1-3 2-3 4, Humphries 6-12 3-4 15, Stockton 6-9 4-6 17, Hornacek 5-11 2-2 12, Corbin 3-8 2-2 8, Chambers2-9 3-5 7. Totals 32-78 23-31 89.

Houston	20	23	25	17—85
Utah	22	31	18	19—89

3-Point goals—Houston 3-17 (Maxwell 2-6, Elie 1-1, Horry 0-3, Cassell 0-5), Utah 2-6 (Stockton 1-1, Benoit 1-2, Humphries 0-1, Hornacek 0-2). Fouled out— None. Rebounds—Houston 47 (Thorpe 11), Utah 55 (Corbin 9). Assists—Houston 16 (Cassell 4), Utah 22 (Stockton 7). Total fouls—Houston 24, Utah 19. Technicals—Cassell, Maxwell. A—19,911.

Cavaliers 89, Bulls 81

CLEVELAND (89)
Phills 7-13 3-4 17, Hill 2-7 5-6 9, J.Williams 5-9 1-2 11, Wilkins 4-9 3-4 11, Price 7-12 2-2 19, Guidinger 0-1 2-2 2, Mills 1-6 3-4 5, Brandon 3-7 5-5 11, Ferry 2-3 0-0 4. Totals 31-67 24-29 89.
CHICAGO (81)
Kukoc 0-9 0-0 0, Grant 5-12 0-0 10, S.Williams 2-4 0-0 4, Armstrong 7-11 5-5 20, Pippen 8-17 1-2 18, Longley 1-2 0-0 2, Myers 0-3 5-6 5, Kerr 3-5 1-1 8, Wennington 6-10 2-3 14, Blount 0-0 0-0 0.Totals 32-73 14-17 81.

Cleveland	24	19	28	18—89
Chicago	21	17	21	22—81

3-Point goals—Cleveland 3-8 (Price 3-4, Phills 0-1, Wilkins 0-1, Mills 0-1, Ferry 0-1), Chicago 3-11 (Armstrong 1-2, Kerr 1-2, Pippen 1-4, Kukoc 0-3). Fouled out—Myers. Rebounds—Cleveland 45 (Hill, Wilkins 6), Chicago 40 (Pippen 9). Assists—Cleveland 13 (Price 4), Chicago 26 (Pippen 8). Total fouls—Cleveland 20, Chicago 26. Technicals—Cleveland illegal defense 2, Chicago illegal defense. A—18,492.

NHL Summaries

By The Associated Press
All Times CST
EASTERN CONFERENCE
Atlantic Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
NY Rangers	40	18	4	84	221	163
New Jersey	33	20	9	75	223	170
Washington	31	26	6	68	200	185
Philadelphia	29	31	4	62	224	243
Florida	26	26	10	62	175	175
NY Islandrs	26	29	6	58	206	196
Tampa Bay	23	33	8	54	166	186
Northeast Division						
Boston	33	19	11	77	210	175
Montreal	33	22	8	74	211	178
Pittsburgh	31	20	12	74	226	223
Buffalo	31	26	7	69	211	171
Quebec	24	33	5	53	200	215
Hartford	21	35	7	49	177	214
Ottawa	10	46	8	28	157	294
WESTERN CONFERENCE						
Central Division						
	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Detroit	37	20	5	79	272	211
Toronto	34	19	11	79	213	180
Dallas	34	21	8	76	223	196
St. Louis	32	23	8	72	207	206
Chicago	29	27	7	65	187	177
Winnipeg	17	40	8	42	190	269
Pacific Division						
Calgary	32	22	10	74	233	197
Vancouver	30	26	3	63	205	199
San Jose	22	30	12	56	176	212
Anaheim	24	35	5	53	180	197
Los Angeles	21	33	8	50	224	244
Edmonton	17	38	10	44	198	239

Monday's Games
Late Game Not Included
Toronto 4, Ottawa 1
New Jersey 5, St. Louis 1
Pittsburgh 4, Florida 3
N.Y. Rangers 4, Philadelphia 1
San Jose 3, Winnipeg 3
Montreal at Los Angeles, (n)
Tuesday's Games
St. Louis at N.Y. Islanders, 6:35 p.m.
Tampa Bay at Washington, 6:35 p.m.
Calgary at Detroit, 6:35 p.m.
Edmonton at Vancouver, 9:35 p.m.

Jets 3, Sharks 3

San Jose	1	0	2	0—3
Winnipeg	1	1	1	0—3

First Period—1, Winnipeg, Tkachuk 32 (Emerson), 16:50. 2, San Jose, Whitney 6 (Duchesene, Falloon), 17:51.
Second Period—3, Winnipeg, Darrin Shannon 12 (McBean), 6:59 (pp).
Third Period—4, San Jose, Pederson 8 (Whitney, Elik), 5:45 (pp). 5, San Jose, Makarov 20 (Butsayev, Garpenlov), 8:48. 6, Winnipeg, Zhamnov 21 (Emerson, McBean), 10:49 (pp).
Overtime—None. Penalties—None.
Shots on goal—San Jose 11-6-19—36. Winnipeg 8-9-7—22.
Power-play Opportunities—San Jose 1 of 6; Winnipeg 2 of 5.
Goalies—San Jose, Irbe, 19-24-12 (22 shots-19 saves). Winnipeg, Essensa, 17-30-6 (38-25).
A—10,906.

Devils 5, Blues 1

St. Louis	1	0	0	—1
New Jersey	2	2	1	—5

First Period—1, St. Louis, Hull 43, 9:43. 2, New Jersey, Millen 17 (Albelin, Lemieux), 10:12 (pp). 3, New Jersey, Guerin 14 (Zelepukin), 18:38. Penalty—Zombo, StL (interference), 8:42.
Second Period—4, New Jersey, Carpenter 8 (Richer, Chorske), 12:34. 5, New Jersey, Guerin 15 (Zelepukin, Driver), 17:36.
Third Period—6, New Jersey, Holik 6 (Zelepukin, Guerin), 2:22 (pp).
Shots on goal—St. Louis 10-10-11—31. New Jersey 16-12-10—38.
Power-play Opportunities—St. Louis 0 of 5; New Jersey 2 of 4.
Goalies—St. Louis, Joseph, 28-17-6 (28 shots-24 saves), Hrivnak, (0:00 third, 10-9). New Jersey, Brodeur, 17-9-5 (31-30).
A—16,707.

Maple Leafs 4, Senators 1

Maple Leafs-Senators, Sums

Toronto	1	2	1—4
Ottawa	0	0	1—1

First Period—1, Toronto, Clark 31 (Eilett, Potvin), 10:18 (pp).
Second Period—2, Toronto, Clark 32 (Gilmour), 3:56 (pp). 3, Toronto, Zezel 5 (Eilett), 10:17.
Third Period—4, Ottawa, Rumble 5, :13. 5, Toronto, Clark 33 (Gilmour, Andreychuk), 7:48.
Shots on goal—Toronto 10-7-7—24. Ottawa 5-11-13—29.
Power-play Opportunities—Toronto 2 of 3; Ottawa 0 of 4.
Goalies—Toronto, Potvin 28-14-9 (29 shots-28 saves). Ottawa, Billington 7-30-3 (24-20).
A—10,575.

Penguins 4, Panthers 3

Pittsburgh	1	2	1	—4
Florida	1	1	1	—3

First Period—1, Pittsburgh, U.Samuelsson 4 (Mullen, Brown), 3:22. 2, Florida, Hull 10 (Hough, Smith), 12:32.
Second Period—3, Pittsburgh, Tocchet 13 (Stevens, Lemieux), 14:15. 4, Pittsburgh, Lemieux 6 (Stevens), 14:40. 5, Florida, Skrudland 11 (Benning, Hough), 19:04.
Third Period—6, Florida, Cirella 1 (Hough, Skrudland), 6:02. 7, Pittsburgh, Tocchet 14 (Lemieux, Stevens), 15:20.
Shots on goal—Pittsburgh 6-14-8—28. Florida 15-11-10—36.
Power-play Opportunities—Pittsburgh 0 of 2. Florida 0 of 6.
Goalies—Pittsburgh, Barrasso, 12-9-4 (36 shots-33 saves). Florida, Vanbiesbrouck, 17-17-8 (28-24).
A—14,666.

Rangers 4, Flyers 1

Philadelphia	0	0	1	—1
N.Y. Rangers	1	2	1	—4

First Period—1, New York, Leetch 15 (Zubov), 15:44 (pp).
Second Period—2, New York, Kovalev 10 (Graves), :21. 3, New York, Wells 2 (Larmer), 2:57.
Third Period—4, New York, Namchinov 19 (Tikkanen), 3:58 (pp). 5, Philadelphia, Renberg 28 (Brind'Amour), 13:49.
Shots on goal—Philadelphia 6-11-9—26. New York 9-18-16—43.
Power-play Opportunities—Philadelphia 0 of 4; New York 2 of 5.
Goalies—Philadelphia, Roussel, 26-19-2 (43 shots-39 saves).

SWC Box

Texas 106, Oral Roberts 69

ORAL ROBERTS (6-20)
Crenshaw 4-7 2-2 12, Smith 9-19 2-2 20, Fields 6-16 1-2 13, Bohanon 6-14 1-2 13, McClellan 0-0 0-2 0, Abbage 3-5 2-3 11, Morrissey 0-0 0-0 0, Sorett 0-2 0-0 0, Ramos 0-1 0-2 0. Totals 28-64 8-15 69.
TEXAS (20-7)
Burditt 2-4 4-6 8, Freeman 3-3 0-0 7, Houston 3-7 0-0 6, Tyler 6-15 4-6 19, Watson 4-10 2-2 12, Rancher 6-10 2-3 14, Anderson 8-10 2-3 21, Wingfield 5-7 0-2 10, Simpson 0-2 2-5 2, Quarles 0-1 0-0 0, McIver 1-2 0-0 2, Hill 0-1 3-4 3, Penders 0-0 0-0 0, Sanstad 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 39-73 19-31 106.
Halftime—Leader Texas 48, Oral Roberts 33, Trailer. 3-Point goals—Oral Roberts 5-10 (Crenshaw 2-3, Bohanon 0-2, Abbage 3-5), Texas 9-24 (Freeman 1-1, Tyler 3-9, Watson 2-7, Rancher 0-2, Anderson 3-3, Quarles 0-1, Hill 0-1). Fouled out—Bohanon, Abbage. Rebounds—Oral Roberts 39 (Smith 11), Texas 40 (Burditt 9). Assists—Oral Roberts 12 (Sorett 3), Texas 16 (Anderson 8). Total fouls—Oral Roberts 23, Texas 16. Technicals—Ramos. A—10,568.

Top 25 Boxes

No. 4 UConn 66, Georgetown 62

CONNECTICUT (25-3)
Donny Marshall 3-8 0-0 6, Hayward 0-2 3-3 3, Donyell Marshall 7-13 8-9 23, Sheffer 4-5 2-3 11, Ollie 2-2 0-0 4, Willingham 0-0 0-0 0, Johnson 1-1 0-0 2, Fair 3-6 0-0 8, King 0-0 0-0 0, Allen 3-6 0-0 7, Knight 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 24-44 12-14 66.
GEORGETOWN (16-8)
Churchwell 2-9 4-4 8, Reid 2-4 0-2 4, Harrington 9-11 4-7 22, Brown 3-7 0-0 7, Butler 3-8 0-0 8, Jacques 0-6 0-0 0, Church 3-9 0-0 8, Micoud 0-2 3-3 3, Millen 0-0 0-0 0, Morgan 0-0 0-0 0, Spencer 1-2 0-0 2, Dia 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 23-58 13-18 62.
Halftime—Connecticut 38, Georgetown 32. 3-Point goals—Connecticut 6-16 (Sheffer 2-3, Fair 2-3, Allen 1-2, Donyell Marshall 1-5, Donny Marshall 0-3), Georgetown 3-19 (Church 2-6, Brown 1-3, Micoud 0-1, Churchwell 0-1, Butler 0-3, Jacques 0-5). Fouled out—Churchwell. Rebounds—Connecticut 28 (Donny Marshall 7), Georgetown 31 (Reid 9). Assists—Connecticut 16 (Ollie 6), Georgetown 12 (Brown 7). Total fouls—Connecticut 16, Georgetown 17. A—12,013.

No. 10 Louisville 108, Howard 65

HOWARD (10-15)
Ross 3-5 2-4 9, Turley 3-12 1-3 8, Young 2-5 0-0 4, T.Brown 8-20 3-3 21, Beard 1-7 3-4 6, Johnson 2-5 0-0 4, Blackmon 2-4 2-4 6, Chenier 0-4 0-0 0, A.Brown 0-0 0-0 0, Kirksey 2-3 0-0 4, Diggs 1-3 1-2 3, Day 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 24-68 12-20 65.
LOUISVILLE (23-4)
Calhoun 2-2 1-3 5, Morton 6-11 5-7 18, Rozier 6-9 0-3 12, Minor 8-10 3-3 25, Wheat 6-10 0-0 15, Osborne 1-6 0-0 2, Rogers 2-2 0-1 4, Kiser 0-2 2-2 2, Smith 2-3 2-2 6, Sims 4-6 2-2 11, Simons 2-4 4-6 8, King 0-2 0-0 0, Wine 0-2 0-0 0. Totals 39-69 19-29 108.
Halftime—Louisville 49, Howard 25. 3-Point goals—Howard 5-20 (T.Brown 2-8, Ross 1-1, Turley 1-3, Bear 1-4, Johnson 0-1, Blackmon 0-1, Diggs 0-2), Louisville 11-26 (Minor 6-8, Wheat 3-6, Sims 1-2, Morton 1-3, Kiser 0-1, Wine 0-1, King 0-2, Osborne 0-3). Fouled out—Young. Rebounds—Howard 41 (Ross 9), Louisville 44 (Rozier 12). Assists—Howard 5 (Turley, T.Brown 2), Louisville 23 (Wheat 6). Total fouls—Howard 25, Louisville 19 A—19,436.

No. 22 Marquette 86, San Francisco 65

SAN FRANCISCO (16-10)
Bennett 1-5 2-2 5, Stephens 2-8 0-2 5, Wallace 3-8 4-4 10, Smart 3-13 2-2 9, Walker 5-20 2-5 13, Nodilo 0-1 0-0 0, Brovelli 0-0 0-0 0, Paul 2-2 1-2 5, Duggan 1-2 0-0 3, Washington 3-6 3-5 11, Fong 0-3 4-4 4. Totals 20-68 18-26 65.
MARQUETTE (21-7)
Eford 3-6 5-6 12, Key 6-13 6-8 18, McIlvaine 8-15 5-9 21, Miller 0-3 5-6 5, Logterman 4-6 3-4 11, McCaskill 2-2 0-0 4, Pieper 1-6 0-0 2, Streater 0-0 0-0 0, Crawford 1-4 3-4 6, Joseph 0-1 0-0 0, Littles 1-1 0-0 3, Pogodzinski 0-0 0-0 0, Harris 0-0 0-0 0, Abraham 1-1 2-2 4. Totals 27-58 29-39 86.
Halftime—Marquette 46, San Francisco 26. 3-point goals—San Francisco 7-19 (Washington 2-2, Bennett 1-1, Duggan 1-2, Walker 1-3, Stephens 1-5, Smart 1-5, Nodilo 0-1), Marquette 6-15 (Logterman 3-4, Littles 1-1, Eford 1-1, Crawford 1-3, Key 0-1, Pieper 0-5). Fouled out—Wallace. Rebounds—San Francisco 34 (Wallace 5), Marquette 47 (McIlvaine 12). Assists-San Francisco 13 (Smart 6), Marquette 22 (Miller 11).

Copenhagen Open

COPENHAGEN, Denmark (AP) — Results Monday of the $186,750 Copenhagen Open:
Second Round
Patrick Baur, Germany def. Thomas Enqvist (6), Sweden, 6-4, 3-6, 7-6, (8-6).
Jean-Philippe Fleurian, France, def. Henrik Holm (5), Sweden, 7-6, 6-3.

Midland Bowling

By Karen Jordan

Highlights
Congratulations to the winners of the 1994 MWBA City tournament: Team: Williamson Construction — 3165, Nancy-Hayes-Kinney, Jackie Waters, Gloria Truesdale, Dawn Robertson, Patti Hadden; Doubles: Gail Harmon & Michelle Hayes-1335; Singles: Diana Marquez-695; Handicap all-events: Mary Tyson-2009; Scratch all events: Patti Hall-1718.
Two Midlanders cashed at the PBA stop in McAllen last weekend. Eddie Graham finished 5th at +315 and Ty Bowling finished +118.

Cactus Lanes
Lonnie Truelove had the hot hand at this house shooting another '300' game. He pounded out games of 226, 300, 225—751 in the Petroleum American league. JoAnn Brown led the ladies in the High Sky Ladies league with her 226, 237-641 and Carol Atkins rolled her first 500-series in the Petroleum Mixed league with a 231-513.

Midland Park Lanes
Ron Hopkins was the scoring leader at this house last week with his 257-681 in the City Men's league and his 268-684 in the Teachers Mixed. Leading the ladies was Lisa Samsel shooting a 215-635 in the Midland Park Ladies league. Alan McLean celebrated his first 200-game in the Teachers Mixed league with a '208' game on his 109 average.

Cactus Lanes
Roman Harper 210-624, Curtis Alford 230-653, Steve Witte 245-663, Jim Cameron 200, Frank Yarbrough 202, Tommy Day 202, Rob Moore 204, John Holt 201, Scott Pope 215, Jerry Upton 212, Jerry Lakey 222, Cleo Miller 212, William Hill 208, Richard E. Brown 224, Phillip Alldredge 223, Terry Fiesler 203, Paul Petree 224, Norris Wallin 206, Loren Guess 236, Johnny Reyes 210, Gary Gerhard 210, Randy Dotson 204, Louis Sanchez 203, Charles Rothwell 209, Randy Seawright 209, Mac McKinney 204, Don Clark 209, Tommy Hogue 215-614, Mike Hill 222-614, Pat Lace 256-643, Stan Greene 206-615, Curtis Alford 246-663, Steve Pipes 203, Jerry Tilley 218, Chris Schull 220, Darren Tryon 219, Rudy Garcia 204, Ed Stewart 214, Ray Waisner 208, Charles Rothwell 201, Roland Kristhe 227, Jerry upton 212, Devon Adams 237, Joel Gomez 221, Jim Cameron 200, J.D. Delk 202, Ty Bowling 204, Eddie Graham 207, Phillip Alldredge 208, Scott Pope 241, Paul Petree 207, Jack Moore 200.
Petroleum American (Men): Don Warren 224-606, Randy Billingsley 233, Whit Parks 203, Mike Foster 234, Mike Henderson 245, Lynn Mermis 213, Jerry Upton 211, Jim Lee 223, Steve Pipes 202, Bobby Barker 193 (135 avg.), Bill Davis 212, D.D. Atkins 202, Jerry Upton 210, Terry Fleming 22, Lynn Mermis 204, John Holt 224, Sid Moore 218, Mike Henderson 213, Steve Pipes 218, Terry Fleming 206, Phillip Alldredge 213.
Petroleum American (Women): Patti Hall 244-619, Janice Tullos 203, Carlynn Berry 212, Carol Atkins 224, Sherri Fleming 214.
Cactus Seniors (Men): Jack Moore 214, W.E. Stewart 201, Jack Noyes 223, Coy McLemore 232, Clarence Grant 202, Slick Brumley 188 (134 avg.).
Kegler's (Men): Jerry Upton 238-612, Eddie Graham 246-680, Whitney Hillin 247-615, Russell Hall 222-629, Mike White 224-633, J.R. Tipton 211-612, Scott Pope 238-654, Ken Robey 245-657, Mary Fitts 209, Louis Sanchez 212, Jimmy Hodges 2211, Phil White 208, Rusty Stewart 203, Ricky Windham 227, Lonnie Truelove 217, Ken Robey 223-604, Mike Evans 230-612, Robert Webb 214, Rusty Stewart 224, Mike Mowles 214, Burt Evans 200, Scott Pope 236, Eric Bayley 213, Silver Ennis 215, Pat Lacy 204, Lonnie Truelove 215, Ray Crenshaw 233, Jimmy Hodges 212.
Keglers (Women): Patti Hall 259-625, Rebecca Seltz 218-606, Mary Fitts 209, Pam Sanchez 221, Rhonda Shelton 201, Paula Bayley 200, Connie Mermis 221, Teresa Stewart 202, Debi Smith 217, Tammy Windham 213, Beth White 208, Christine Ortiz 201, Rebecca Seltz 236, Becky Sprague 220, Norma Hill 201, Barbara Peterson 202, Katie Wickman 206, Kelly Courtney 200.
High Sky Ladies: Karen Pope 225, Tammy Windham 204, JoAnn Bowen 217, Freda Johnson 202, JoAnne Webb 202.
Bears & Babes (Men): Bill Busbee 200, Lester Anderson 207, Pete Petree 202, Lester Anderson 221, Kenneth Bristow 211, Dayton Berry 225, Pete Petree 201, Doule Gill 231, Junior Robertson 229.
Bears & Babes (Women): Janiece Berry 229, Carlynn Berry 211.
Cactus Youth (Boys): Trey Sprague 246-610, Ricky Gill 222.
Cactus Youth (Girls): Tiffany Fleming 130-375, Shelly Giradello 144-272, Heather Mahew 114-295.

Midland Park Lanes
Midland Park Ladies: Tammy Windham 225-621, Terrye Rodgerson 208, Jeanne Eulenfield 206, Carolyn Wilson 204, Nancy Hayes-Kinney 204, Patsy Wallin 205, Eleanor Shelton 204, Carolyn Kirkes 204, JoAnna King 219, Jackie Waters 204, Marge Takarsky 151-401 (97 avg.)
Teachers Mixed (Men): Larry Tyson 246-648, Arthur Brown 233-647, Ron Hopkins 233-648, Frank Yarbrough 231-605, Mike Doolittle 604, Roman Harper 225, Tom Kuzmich 225, Don Rhamey 219-634, Ty Bowling 225-627, Cleo Miller 232, Luther Williams 206, Newton Woods 202, Bill Palmer 221, Edward Mackey 201, Bill Hadden 213, Larry Tyson 204, Mark Cooper 204, Arthur Brown 233-647, Mike Doolittle 215-604, Larry Tyson 246-648, Ron Hopkins 244-645, Frank Yarbrough 223-605, Bill Hadden 201, Roman Harper 225, Alan McLean 178 (112 avg.), Ron Hopkins 255-623, Ty Bowling 226-613, Newton Woods 213, Henry Froelich 214, Stan Bailey 211, Melvin Williams 234, Bardie Tryon 215, Arthur Brown 212, Edward Mackey 213.
Teachers Mixed (Women): Gloria Truesdale 211, Betty Brown 200, Kim Tyson 211-618, Kaye Ward 213-617, Carolyn Palmer 210, Mae Tryon 210, Debbie Froelich 210, Hazel Harper 200, Carolyn Palmer 210.
Rock and Roll Seniors (Men): Jack Moore 203, Jo Van Hoy 202, Slick Brumley 214-538 (131 acg.), Cecil Craft 183 (139 avg.), W.F. Stewart 256, Jack Noyes 208, Lionel Crisp 200, W,E. Stewart 220, Jack Moore 206, Emmett Adamson 203.
Rock and Roll Seniors (Women): Eula Key 176 (134 avg.), Deanie Lawson 212.
Holy Rollers: Eagle Elliott 222, Peewee 2200, Larry Walling 206.
Holy Rollers (Women): Pam Sandoval 201, Norma Hobbs 212.
WOW Fall: Lillian Naquin 236, Nancy Kinney 221, Debra Ellis 212, Francis Panick 209, Sherry Warren 200, Michelle Pitts 245-600, Jennifer Stewart 214.
City Mens: James Davis 243-672, Pete Zepeda 646, Jeff Minnick 659, John Burns 267-652, Ernie Reyes 634, Ron McCourman 259, Rodney Moore 245, Larry Roders 241, Bruce Frazier 662, James Davis 656, Roman Harper 633, Robert Walls 257-631, Don Hopkins 256, Ron Meador 245, Rudy Martinez 244.
Lone Star Ladies: Mary L'Armee 231, Nancy McBurney 207, Lynn Morton 203, Belinda Barrett 229, Melissa Lano 207.
High Noon Ladies: Deanie Lawson 203, Leah Gerhard 219.
Texaco Mixed: Wayne Hogue 207, Jerry Nevans 200, Russ Winfrey 207, Kerry Meise 206, Richard Davis 202.
Chevron Mixed (Men): James Gardner 235-627, Max Ragan 214, Ed Vanfleet 214, Jim Banks 212, Larry LaFleur 203, Jim Banks 203.
Chevron Mixed (Women): Brenda Corn 205, Jana Ragan 200.
Restuarant Challenge: David Borrego 207, Jonas Edwards 203.
Ex-Boom Time Bowlers (Men): Ron McCourmon 245-670, J.R. Tipton 609, Brian Wilson 604, Forrest Watters 600, George Overton 244-671, Leroy Childress 246, Terry Donathan 236, Ken Robey 224, Danny Adamson 222-614, Don Hopkins 247-602, Larry Rogers 226, Forrest Watters 232-605, Kent Walker 231, J.R. Tipton 221, George Overton 215, Brian Wilson 213.
Ex-Boom Time Bowlers (Women): Rebecca Seltz 215, Debbie Bryant 212, Stink Wilkinson 207, Janet Shuelin 212, Diana Neptune 203, Kim Tyson 203, Paulette Ray 202, Pam Escobar 212, Paula Hanauer 210, Christine Ortiz 604.
Tuesday Trios: Twyla Balsam 201.
Las Vegas Mixed (Men): Don Rhamey 245-656, Larry Rogers 256-628, Bill Eglin 201, Steve Masoner 222-609, Don Rhamey 224, Ty Bowling 222, Mike Hill 208, Pete Zepeda 255-649, Jerry Kinney 230, Mike Hill 207.
Las Vegas Mixed (Women): Nancy Kinney 223-626, Josie Brenner 202.
Midland College: Frank Yarbrough 258-643, Bob Jamison 200, Oscar Macias 226.
Wednesday Evening Mixed: Oscar Macias 223, Jack Reed 202.
Never on Sunday (Men): Mike Evans 258-625, Mike Henderson 214.
Never on Sunday (Women): Casey Gilbreath 203.
Double Take: Charles Morse 256, Oscar Macias 214.
NBA Basketball (Men): Leo Rodriguez 237-654, Jessie Cericeros 264-659, Forrest Waters 203, Freddie Granado 200, Jim Kapala 219, Ruben Garza 209, Andy Hernandez 204, J.R. Perales 244-651, David Borrego 220-610, Phil White 221-610, Ernie Reyes 244, Gary Schmitt 200.
NBA Basketball (Women): Nancy Kinney 214, Jackie Waters 204, Christine Ortiz 202, Karen Jordan 257-738.
Saturday Youth (Boys): Greg Bryant 162-445, Brian Gutman 159-368, Keith Shockley 120-316, Miguel Cano 210-282, Kenny Bradford 247-330, Keith Shockley 117-300.
Saturday Youth (Girls): Beth Guzy 164-441, Alissa Jolly 159-415, Melinda Merworth 143-371, Jamie Shickley 115-285, Jennifer Watson 219, Katy Rule 84, Kristie Yeager 113-317, Katy Strong 103-275.

College Scores

By Associated Press
SOUTHWEST
Ark.-Little Rock 92, Grambling St. 66
Arkansas St. 86, Jacksonville 71
Arkansas Tech 119, Ark.-Monticello 93
S. Arkansas 82, Harding 73
SW Texas St. 89, NE Louisiana 60
Sam Houston St. 83, Texas-Arlington 71
Stephen F.Austin 68, North Texas 61
Texas 106, Oral Roberts 69
Texas-San Antonio 87, NW Louisiana 79
Tulsa 79, Indiana St. 56
SOUTH
Centenary 80, Cent. Florida 76
Furman 83, Marshall 64
Georgia St. 75, Mercer 67
Louisville 108, Howard U. 65
Murray St. 80, Tenn.-Martin 77
N. Carolina A&T 87, Morgan St. 76
N.C. Charlotte 95, James Madison 80
New Orleans 78, South Alabama 58
Nicholls St. 95, McNeese St. 70
Tn.-Chattanooga 71, Georgia Southern 60
W. Carolina 58, Citadel 51
W. Kentucky 70, Louisiana Tech 47
MIDWEST
Bradley 70, Creighton 49
Cleveland St. 66, Ill.-Chicago 65
Drake 109, Wichita St. 67
Marquette 86, San Francisco 65
N. Iowa 86, SW Missouri St. 76
NE Illinois 90, Hofstra 76
SE Missouri 98, Austin Peay 72
Valparaiso 70, Youngstown St. 55
W. Illinois 77, Wis.-Milwaukee 62
Wis.-Green Bay 58, E. Illinois 45
EAST
Connecticut 66, Georgetown 62
Navy 79, Army 69
Villanova 55, La Salle 54

Women's Scores

By Associated Press
SOUTHWEST
Arkansas Tech 68, Ark-Monticello 42
NE Louisiana 64, SW Texas St. 59
NW Louisiana 71, Texas-San Antonio 66
Stephen F. Austin 86, North Texas 61
Texas-Arlington 72, Sam Houston 52
U. of the Ozarks 75, Ouachita 63
Wayland Baptist 99, W. New Mexico 69
EAST
George Washington 70, St. Bonaventure 68
Rhode Island 78, Duquesne 67
Rutgers 88, Massachusetts 66
SOUTH
Alabama 101, Troy St. 66
Appalachian St. 92, Tenn.-Chattanooga 69
Harding 90, S. Arkansas 52
Lipscomb 80, Cumberland, Tenn. 64
Marshall 90, Davidson 64
McNeese St 80, Nicholls St. 62
N.C. Charlotte 67, Tulane 60
Stetson 74, Florida Atlantic 62
Tennessee Tech 67, Morehead St. 52
Virginia Tech 60, Southern Miss. 59
West Georgia 86, Jacksonville St. 71
MIDWEST
Austin Peay 78, SE Missouri 69
Kansas 112, N.C.-Asheville 36

Transactions

By The Associated Press
BASEBALL
National League
MONTREAL EXPOS—Agreed to terms with Tim Laker and Tim Spehr, catchers; Sean Berry, Wil Cordero and Mike Hardge, infielders; Rondell White and Lou Frazier, outfielders; and Tavo Alvarez, Miguel Batista, Jeff Fassero and Gabe White, pitchers, on one-year contracts.
SAN DIEGO PADRES—Agreed to terms with Trevor Howard, pitcher, on a three-year contract and Ricky Gutierrez, shortstop, on a one-year contract.
Eastern League
ALBANY YANKEES—Named Matt Liscum assistant general manager.
BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association
CLEVELAND CAVALIERS—Activated Gerald Madkins, guard, from the injured list.
FOOTBALL
National Football League
GREEN BAY PACKERS—Signed Matthew Eller, defensive end, and John Fisher, offensive lineman.

NASCAR Leaders

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. (AP) — The top 20 drivers and money winners for the NASCAR circuit through the Feb. 27 Goodwrench 500:
Winston Cup Points

1.	Sterling Marlin,	355.
2.	Ernie Irvan,	335.
3.	Dale Earnhardt,	302.
4.	Mark Martin,	294.
5.	Terry Labonte,	282.
6.	Morgan Shepherd,	280.
7.	Ken Schrader,	272.
8.	Ricky Rudd,	272.
9.	Geoff Bodine,	258.
10.	Rick Mast,	247.
11.	Jeff Gordon,	232.
12.	Greg Sacks,	229.
13.	Rusty Wallace,	225.
14.	Dick Trickle,	224.
15.	Brett Bodine,	222.
16.	Bobby Labonte,	221.
17.	Lake Speed,	221.
18.	Jimmy Hensley,	215.
19.	Michael Waltrip,	204.
20.	Wally Dallenbach, Jr.,	194.

Money
1, Sterling Marlin, $302,210. 2, Ernie Irvan, $251,660. 3, Dale Earnhardt, $181,125. 4, Jeff Gordon, $160,025. 5, Terry Labonte, $157,910.

SWC Leaders

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS
SCORING

PLAYER, TEAM	GP	FG	3P	FT	PTS	AVG
B.J. Tyler, Texas	20	160	84	72	476	23.8
Torrey Andrell, Rice	25	205	3	126	539	21.6
Kurt Thomas, TCU	24	199	12	92	502	20.9
Jason Sasser, Texas Tec	24	170	16	126	482	20.1
Aundre Branch, Baylor	24	163	70	70	466	19.4
Jerome Lambert, Baylor	21	159	0	63	381	18.1
Anthony Goldwire, Houst	24	134	34	123	425	17.7
Mark Davis, Texas Tech

LEE: Cougars outlast Rebels in OT

From 1C

three seconds left in regulation and then hit the second one to send the game into overtime, tied at 65-65. The miss could have produced a victory.

"Sean is feeling really down about the missed free throw, but I told him that shot was magnified by the fact that we made a lot of mistakes before that shot took place," House said. "We were down by eight points with 1:45 left in the game, and still came back to tie it up. I knew we were in trouble going into overtime because nearly every one on the team was in foul trouble."

Lee had four players foul out of the game, including Caesar Brannon, who had 16 points and 6-4 post Daniel Hughes, who had the job of tracking Patterson all night.

"When Low went to the free throw line at the end of regulation, I thought it was over. He had missed only a couple all night," Aldridge said.

Low hit 14 of 16 free throws on the night, a great night by any standards.

Patterson was awesome on the opposite end of the floor. He had to work for his points, but work he did. He dunked, he drove, he clawed all the way. It was easy to see why Bobby Knight wants this young man at Indiana.

"It's hard for me to comment on this game," Patterson said. "Right now, I'm still in a state of shock. This is the first time for us to be in the region tournament and it was my last chance. And it almost got away."

Even though Patterson had a huge night against the Rebels, House felt one Jason Pillion was the difference.

"Andrae got his points and his rebounds," House said, "and he was great, but all we wanted to do was to make him work for every thing and we did that. Pillion, however, got loose for 20 points and we didn't want that to happen. He made the difference in the score.

"Still, we had a chance to win in regulation and still had a chance with one second left on the clock. You can't ask for much more than that at this stage of the playoffs."

Pillion scored five of Cooper's nine points in overtime, including the deciding free throws with 14 seconds left.

"Even when I was little, I dreamed of making the shots that meant something in a huge game," Pillion said. "Now it isn't a dream anymore."

Sophomore Mark Holly hit rim on a three-point shot with two seconds left to come up empty. Lee then got a turnover with one second left and got the ball in to Mike Rhoads, who couldn't get a shot off before the buzzer.

A crowd of close to 3,000 left Moody Coliseum limp, but with a bag full of memories. It was a historic meeting since it was the first time in 4-5A history that two of the league teams have met in the playoffs. It couldn't have been a brighter light in the history books.

"You have to give Cooper credit," House said. "It's hard to beat a team three times in a year, but they got us. Still, this district is going to be represented well in the Region I tournament. I think we would have been a good representative."

The loss for the 20-14 Rebels ended the miracle run. Lee placed third in the district and still reached the region quarterfinals, the same spot they bowed out of the playoffs a year ago as a district champion.

But never forget Sean Low and Andrae Patterson. This was the show — maybe the best one ever.

Abilene Cooper 74, Midland Lee 72 (OT)

Abilene Cooper (26-6): Andrae Patterson, 10-15 12-17 32; Jason Pillion, 7-10 6-6 20; Chad Hudson, 1-3 2-2 4; Chad Greeson, 1-4 0-1 2; Rod Roach, 1-6 0-0 2; Bart Fehr, 1-1 0-0 2; John Hirsch, 1-2 0-0 2; Todd Milam, 0-0 0-0 0; Cedric Shields, 2-4 0-2 5; Jeff King, 1-2 2-3 5. **Totals: 25-47 22-31 74.**

Midland Lee (20-14): Sean Low, 10-22 14-16 39; Caesar Brannon, 6-12 1-2 16; Joel Skaggs, 2-8 0-0 4; Shane McCulloch, 0-2 0-0 0; Mike Rhoads, 0-0 0-0 0; Michael Nunn, 1-7 2-2 4; Dushawn Hicks, 2-4 0-0 5; Mark Holly, 0-3 0-0 0; Daniel Hughes, 2-5 0-0 4. **Totals: 23-63 17-20 72.**

Score by quarters:

Abilene Cooper	**12**	**19**	**15**	**19**	**9—74**
Midland Lee	**12**	**14**	**14**	**25**	**7—72**

Three-Point Goals: Cooper 2-9 (Hudson 0-1, Greeson 0-2, Roach 0-2, Shields 1-2, King 1-2); Lee 9-25 (Low 5-8, Brannon 3-6, Skaggs 0-2, McCulloch 0-1, Nunn 0-3, Hicks 1-2, Holly 0-3). **Total Fouls:** Cooper 19, Lee 27. **Fouled Out:** Roach, Brannon, Nunn, Hughes, Hicks). **Technical Fouls:** None. **Rebounds:** Cooper 40 (Patterson 18); Lee 30 (Low 7). **Turnovers:** Cooper 19, Lee 11.

SOCCER: Bulldog D has six loop shutouts

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done some fine tuning there anyway, moving Toby Walker from forward to sweeper and giving more playing time to part-time defender Jason Faught and outside fullback Mark Schwiening.

"The goal keepers can't do everything," Esikhati said. "What's contributed to our success is the way the whole team has played. I think our defense has contributed and our midfielders put on pressure to help the defenders."

Although the Bulldogs are assured of a playoff berth, they haven't achieved their goal.

"Right from the beginning, unless there's a problem on the team, we set our goal, and our goal was to go clean in the district, to go undefeated," Esikhati said.

That goal now appears to be four games away for the Bulldogs.

Lee's girls remain in a dead heat with Odessa Permian for third-place and the last playoff spot. Both are 6-3. Permian is open today.

"The way I see it, we have three games left and we need to win two of them to get into the playoffs," Lee coach Van Gravitt said.

Lee's boys face perhaps their stiffest test today in a quest to come from next to last place to make the playoffs. Abilene High is 6-2 and matches Midland High in the district for most season wins with 13. The Eagles beat the Rebels in their last game 2-1. Lee is 3-6, 2½ games behind the third-place playoff position held by San Angelo, which has four games to play.

The Midland High girls probably played their best game in weeks Saturday in a 3-2 loss to Odessa Permian. But today will be a tough time for the Lady Bulldogs (0-8) to get their first league win. They play at district-leading Abilene Cooper (8-1, 11-5 overall), which should be focused after getting their first 5-5A loss Saturday 2-0 to San Angelo. Cooper beat Midland High 9-0 in the teams' last game.

DOGS: Midland High overcomes slow start

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vance. "Especially because when we were 2-5 (for the season) everybody was criticizing us. And for these guys to come back from that is just something special."

The Bulldogs rebounded from that dismal start and pulled out a 20-6 record after that to get to this point in the season.

Kopp only finished with four points and did not have a single rebound in the first half despite the fact that Midland pulled ahead by 18-points with 6:25 to go in the second quarter.

But he finished with six rebounds in the second half, including two huge boards in overtime.

"I was having problems in the first half and then Coach got onto me about getting on the big guys," Kopp said.

About the block Kopp said, "Yeah, I am surprised I was able to block it because he (Easter) can jump. But I got lucky and got it timed right."

Midland jumped out to a huge lead, 29-11 in the second period, taking advantage of nine Tascosa turnovers. Midland shot 10-of-14 from the field to build the lead.

Jumon Hailey, John Marc Sanon and reserve Lavius Taylor took advantage of the Rebel miscues and scored mostly on layups in the first half. Hailey and Sanon each had seven points in the first while Taylor had five.

Hailey has been on the back seat as far as scoring for the Bulldogs in their last two playoff wins. But he got uncorked Monday for a game-high 25 points. Donald Carter has been the scoring threat for Midland with 28 and 33 points in the last two games.

"I think I played good in the other playoff games, but it just didn't show in the points," Hailey said. "Since they were keying on Donald, I just came on tonight.".

But Tascosa showed its talent by coming back from the huge deficit to eventually take the lead, 57-56, with 2:29 left in regulation on a turnaround jumper by Easter.

Rebel forward Michael Webb did most of the work from three-point range, hitting 4-of-4 in the second half. He finished with 24 to lead Tascosa.

Tascosa increased its lead to 60-58 with 1:26 to play in regulation on another bucket by Easter. But this time he was fouled and made the free throw for a three-point run.

Taylor, however, hit 2-of-2 free throws with 1:12 left to tie the game at 60-60 and the Bulldog defense took over from there.

In overtime, Sanon hit a layup with 2:19 to play and Hailey made two free throws with 47 seconds left to give Midland a 64-60 lead.

Tascosa's Larry Dillard hit a layup with 36 seconds left but the Rebels missed their last three shots to tied the game.

Midland High 64, Amarillo Tascosa 62 (OT)

Tascosa (25-8): Clint Falk 0-1 0-0 0; Larry Dillard 2-3 2-3 6; B.D. Ware 0-3 0-0 0; Frank White 3-14 1-4 8; Michael Webb 10-15 0-2 24; Gabe Sager 1-5 1-2 4; Jerome Easter 2-3 2-2 6; Kris Hughes 1-3 0-0 2; Tyrone Easter 5-17 2-2 14. **Totals 24-65 8-13 62.**

Midland (22-11): Lavius Taylor 2-3 3-3 7; Donald Carter 5-10 1-3 11; Ryan Bradberry 2-7 1-2 7; Jumon Hailey 7-10 9-10 25; Luke Mattorano 0-1 0-0 0; John Marc Sanon 4-6 1-4 9; Camron Stotts 1-4 0-0 2; Jason Kopp 104 2-5 4. **Totals 22-45 17-27 64.**

Score by Quarters

Tascosa	**11**	**17**	**17**	**15**	**2—62**
Midland	**24**	**10**	**16**	**10**	**4—64**

Three-point goals: Tascosa 6-21 (Falk 0-1, Ware 0-2, White 1-5, Webb 4-4, Sager 1-3); Midland 3-9 (Bradberry 2-4, Hailey 1-2, Mattorano 0-1, Sanon 0-1, Kopp 0-1). **Total Fouls:** Tascosa 25, Midland 17. **Fouled Out:** Tascosa-Dillard, Webb. **Technicals:** none. **Rebounds:** Tascosa 39 (Webb 12); Midland 30 (Carter 10). **Turnovers:** Tascosa 19, Midland 21.

RANKIN: 'Queros can score big

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rebounds and seven assists per game. Six-foot-one senior Troy Canaba plays guard, forward and post and averaged 25.7 points, 12.5 rebounds and 11.5 assists in four district games. Junior Jacob Virdell averages 15.2 points a game playing mostly point guard.

The Red Devils got 20 points from leading scorer and senior point guard Jo Jo Guerra against Balmorhea. Juan Buatista had 17 and Dionicio Sifuentez 16. Rankin's five seniors have had plenty of playoff experience.

"We're a playoff hardened ball club," Hooker said. "We need to play defense and keep our composure and let our experience lead us through this," Hooker said.

Rankin is 2-1 in area round games over the last three years.

REBELS: Plainsmen's Carmichael no-hits Lee

From 1C

bels in the opener. He allowed just four baserunners after the second inning and only one was able to reach second base as the Plainsmen scored seven runs in the first three innings to coast to the win.

"It was an ugly thing wasn't it," said Monterey coach Bobby Moegel, now in his 30th season at MHS. "Yeah I was really surprised he did that well considering the number of pitches that he threw. He's got some talent, but walking six really made it a tough go for us."

"I went out thinking I was going to throw strikes and keep the ball in play and let my defense do the work," said Carmichael. "That's what I did until the second inning and then regained my composure. I just used a fastball and changeup."

In the nightcap, Ward allowed just three runs in the third inning and then two consolation runs in the seventh as the Plainsmen used a seven-run fifth to break the game open.

Losing pitcher Travis Stephens allowed all seven runs, four before the first out was recorded in the fifth.

Midland's pitching was sporadic at best, although reliever Charles Roberts came on in the first game and threw 3⅓ innings of one-hit ball and then returned to start in the nightcap where he allowed just three runs on five hits in four innings.

"This was a valuable lesson for our team too," said Lee coach Jesse Benavidez. "We had to find out something about the pitchers I had left. Against a team like Monterey it's a good test to see who is going to help you the rest of the year."

Lee was without third baseman and starting pitcher Alex Hale who missed the games with a tender ankle that will be examined later today for any possible damage. Hale reinjured the ankle during the weekend tournament in El Paso. His status for this weekend's tournament is uncertain.

Game One
Lubbock Monterey 9, Midland Lee 3

Lubbock Monterey	**223**	**100**	**1—9**	**7**	**1**
Midland Lee	**003**	**000**	**0—3**	**0**	**3**

Carmichael and Cody. Adams, Zarate (2), Roberts (4) and Phillips. W — Carmichael (2-0). L — Adams (0-1). 2b — Jorgenson, Mize.

Game Two
Lubbock Monterey 10, Midland Lee 5

Lubbock Monterey	**100**	**270**	**0—10**	**11**	**0**
Midland Lee	**003**	**000**	**2— 5**	**9**	**2**

Ward and Cody. Roberts, Stephens (5), Watters (6) and Phillips. W — Ward (2-0). L — Stephens (0-1). 3b — Lee: Jordan, Martinez. 2b — Monterey: Smith, Willis (2), Mize; Lee: Martinez.

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Don't sacrifice growth for stability of principle

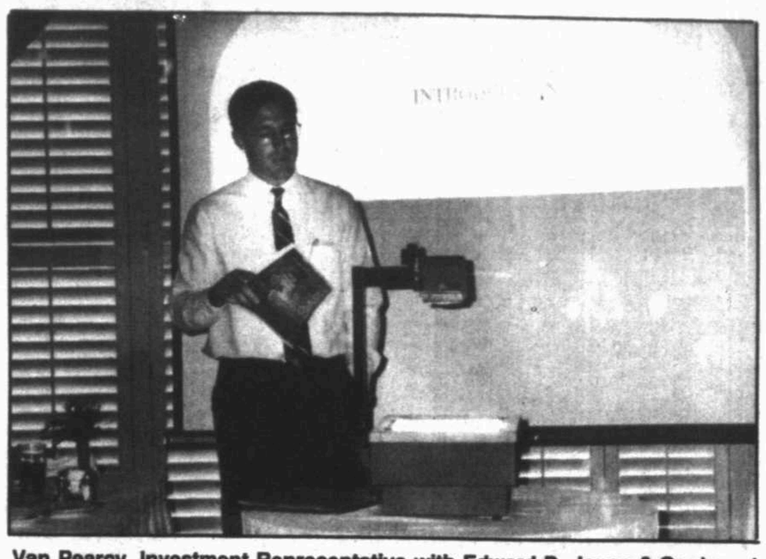
What percentage of your money should be invested in common stocks or stock mutual funds? One financial expert suggest a simple formula of subtracting your age from 100 to determine the appropriate allocation of investment dollars to equities. For example, if you are 50, half of your investments should be in common stock or stock mutual funds.

However, most people have much less invested in equities than they should. Of all mutual fund investments, 70.5 percent are in bond funds and money market funds; only 29.5 percent are in equities. Retirees often have their money too conservatively invested, thinking only about stability of principal. Even young people often have too large a portion of their portfolios invested only in fixed-income investments, which traditionally have yielded much less than common stock.

"No one should have all of his or her investments in growth securities," mentioned Van Pearcy, Investment Representative with Edward D. Jones & Co. here in Midland. "However, it is equally dangerous to be totally invested in short-term income securities.

For example, in 1981, $250,000 invested in certificates of deposit would have provided more than $3,000 of income each month. Today, just 13 years later, that same nest egg would yield less than $700 in monthly income. Although the principal has remained safe, monthly income has decreased more than 75 percent, while inflation has continued to increase the cost of living." Although common stocks and stock mutual funds offer some short-term market risk, serious, long-term investors know that equities also offer the opportunity to stay ahead of inflation and keep income growing.

Staying ahead of inflation is particularly important to retirees. Today, a 70-year-old has a 63 percent chance of living another 15 years. Inflation as low as 3 percent annually will reduce the purchasing power by more than half in those 15-years. Selecting only fixed-income investments may not allow investors to stay ahead of inflation. Common stocks of large corporations, on the other hand, have yielded an average of 6 percent more than inflation since 1926.



Van Pearcy, Investment Representative with Edward D. Jones & Co. here in Midland, explains in his seminars how to build net worth, increase income and reduce taxes.

"If you are heavily invested in fixed-income securities such as U.S Treasuries or CDs, and you want to add some growth to your portfolio, how should you begin?" Pearcy said. "First, don't try to do it all at once. Early redemptions could cost you penalties. Plan ahead, and find out when you securities mature."

Next, decide how much of your portfolio should be invested in common stocks or equity mutual funds. As your securities mature, or as new money becomes available, gradually move it into the new investments. Typically, taking one to two years to adjust your portfolio is best. This allows for market fluctuations and reduces your exposure to unexpected drops in the market

Selecting only fixed-income investments may avoid the risk of losing principal, but it may also expose you to the biggest risk of all--outliving your nest egg," Van Pearcy summarized. "Don't forget about the importance of growth and staying ahead of inflation when choosing your investments."

Van operates the Edward D. Jones & Co. full-service, investment office in Midland, across the street from the high school football stadium. Van works hard in helping the individual investor build net worth, increase income, and reduce taxes. He received his BA and MBA degrees from the University of Notre Dame, and grew up in Andrews, Texas. For a no-fee, no-obligation appointment, you can call Van's assistant, Karen Hinton at 683-1516.

Midland manufacturer diversifies

Cliff Whittington, the owner of Clean Air Systems, poses with his range of air purification products: the 'Allergy & Dustfighter' and 'ODOR-BAN' filters, and his new product, the 'Envirotech Pure Air' air cleaner. For more information about his innovative air purification products, and for details about how they can alleviate the symptoms of allergies, call 520-9337 or stop by Clean Air Systems at 1308 S. Midkiff in Midland.

Cliff Whittington, the owner of Clean Air Systems has diversified his company by developing a new type of air cleaner.

Perfectly suited to those who suffer from allergies, the 'Envirotech Pure Air' air cleaner follows after the success that Whittington's other developments, the Allergy & Dustfighter and ODOR-BAN filters enjoyed.

Used primarily in central air units, the Allergy & Dustfighter filter and its offshoot, the ODOR-Ban filter, are over 99 percent effective at removing allergens from the air. Drastically reducing the effects of allergies.

The 'Envirotech' performs a similar function as a portable, room-sized unit.

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Designed to work as a single unit, or in conjunction with the Allergy & Dustfighter filter for even better performance, the 'Envirotech' air cleaner will filter the air in an average room 11 times every hour. This powerful performance, coupled with the impressive filtration characteristics make the "Envirotech' ideal for anyone who is worried about the impending allergy season.

The 'Envirotech is perfect for those rooms i the house which do not receive as much air flow as the bulk of the building; a bedroom or work-room for example.

These rooms can easily be kept allergy free, quickly and affordably because all of Clean Air Systems' products are made here in Midland by Clean Air Systems.

Buying directly from the factory cuts out the middle man and results in significant savings over even the most competitive store, while helping to keep the local economy strong.

Because Clean Air Systems manufactures the 'Envirotech' here in Midland, there is no problem obtaining replacement filters for the 'Envirotech' or any other type of air filtration unit, (each filter lasts approximately one year in an average situation). Their convenient location at 1308 S. Midkiff also ensures that Clean Air Systems' 1-year warranty on parts, labor and materials is accessible to all.

Soon the dust will start blowing, grasses and weeds will start producing pollen and the allergy season will be in full swing. Call Cliff Whittington of Clean Air Systems at 520-9337 to find out more about ways to prevent your allergies from spoiling your fun this summer.

Natural beauty at the New Castle Gap

Dean Powell, the owner of New Castle Gap Jewelry, has moved the store to its new location at 4703 North Midkiff, (between Burger King and Avis Lube).

The move has allowed Dean to expand his business and he has many new and interesting fields available.

New Castle Gap now has a extensive variety of rocks, gems and minerals in stock which will appeal to a wide and diverse range of people.

There is a lot here in Midland for those who are interested in geology, working with stone, archeology, jewelry and other related subjects and New Castle Gap caters for them all.

No matter what the level of expertise, or requirements are, New Castle Gap can fulfill your needs.

Amateur and professional stone workers and jewelers will find a range of rock saws, tumblers, polishers and hand-tools to suit all needs whether it be polishing semi-precious stones or cutting large cabinet pieces.

Archeologists will find petrified wood from Arizona, Oregon, Washington and Texas. It can be bought either in its natural state, or fashioned into beautiful bookends and other objects. Fossilized Dinosaur bones in a variety of sizes are also available, as are other fossils from far-flung places such as Brazil and Morocco.

Although Dean has expanded his operation, he is still continuing all of the services and articles for which his store is well known, such as the full line of American Indian jewelry in both traditional and contemporary styles from the Navaho, Zuni and Hopi tribes.

Many people, from interior designers to collectors will be interested in Dean's large mineral collection. Geodes of all sizes are available as well as all collectable sizes of minerals from thumbnails to cabinets, (mineral specimens which range in size from one inch to one foot in size).

To compliment the selection, there are a number of periodicals and books on all stone related subjects, suitable for those with just a casual interest as well as professional collectors and geologists.

Geology students and children will be pleased to find classification guides and samples as well as fun items such as crystal growing kits for all ages.

Dean is offering a number of classes in a diverse range of subjects such as:

- jewelry making,
- silver-smithing,
- bead stringing,
- making gem trees,
- wax casting and lost-wax casting,
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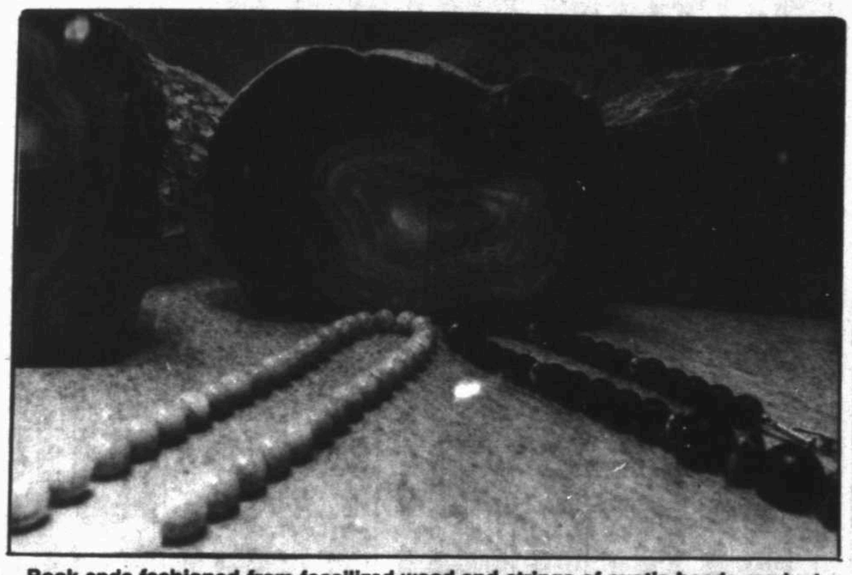
For more information about his classes and details on his wares, call Dean Powell at 697-8809 or stop by 4703 North Midkiff. (Between Burger King and Avis Lube, opposite Albertsons).



Book-ends fashioned from fossilized wood and strings of exotic beads are just a few of the many interesting items to be found at the New Castle Gap's new location at 4703 North Midkiff in Midland. For more information call Dean Powell at 697-

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Bond	11.04	11.38	+.03
Equity	15.03	15.71	+.02
LMMat	10.57	10.90	+.02
RegEq	17.05	17.85	+.07
Ambassador Fld:			
Bond	9.91	N.L.	+.03
CoreGr	17.17	N.L.	+.12
Grwth	13.99	N.L.	+.11
IdxStk	12.07	N.L.	+.03
IntBond	9.91	N.L.	+.02
IntlStk	13.68	N.L.	+.12
SCpGr	14.38	N.L.	+.15
Ambassador Inv:			
CoreGr	17.17	N.L.	+.12
Grwth	13.98	N.L.	+.11
IntBond	9.91	N.L.	+.02
TFIntBd	10.44	N.L.	+.01
Amcore Vintage:			
Equity	10.51	10.98	+.05
FxInco	10.16	10.56	+.02
Amer AAdvsnt:			
Balan	12.32	N.L.	
Equity	13.95	N.L.	—.03
IntlEq	12.52	N.L.	+.11
LtdTr	9.98	N.L.	
Amer Capital:			
CmstA p	16.50	17.51	+.04
CpBdA px	7.06	7.41	—.02
EQA p	26.30	27.90	+.24
EQB p	25.85	25.85	+.24
EmA p	12.47	13.23	+.07
EmB p	12.42	12.42	+.07
EqIncA p	5.57	5.91	+.02
EqIncB t	5.56	5.56	+.02
Exch	112.03		+.15
FMgA p	12.34	12.62	+.01
GlGvA px	8.78	9.22	—.04
GlGvB p	8.78	9.22	—.04
GvScA p	10.60	11.13	+.03
GvScB p	10.61	10.61	+.03
GvScC p	10.59	10.59	+.03
GvTIA p	8.84	9.28	+.01
GvTIB p	8.84	8.84	+.01
GvTIC p	8.84	8.84	+.01
GrInc p	13.09	13.89	+.05
HarbA p	15.32	16.25	+.07
HarbB p	15.25	15.25	+.08
HiYldA px	6.68	7.01	—.05
HiYldB px	6.69	6.69	—.05
MuBA px	10.33	10.85	—.04
PaceA p	11.82	12.41	+.05
TEHA p	11.11	11.66	
TEHB p	11.11	11.11	
TxEIA p	11.49	12.06	
American Funds:			
A Bal p	12.36	13.11	
Amcp p	12.98	13.77	+.06
AMutl p	21.73	23.06	+.06
Bond p	14.21	14.92	+.03
CapIB p	33.52	35.56	+.10
CapW p	16.30	17.11	+.05
CapWG	18.22	19.33	+.09
Eupac p	22.60	23.98	+.15
Fdlnv p	18.20	19.31	+.09
Govt p	14.06	14.76	+.02
Gwth p	27.21	28.87	+.18
HI Tr p	15.25	16.01	+.08
Inco p	14.19	15.06	+.02
IntBd p	14.04	14.74	+.01
ICA p	18.75	19.89	+.03
LiTEB	14.50	15.22	
NEco p	30.83	32.71	+.12
N Per p	15.26	16.19	+.11
SmCp p	23.87	25.33	+.11
TxEx p	12.15	12.76	+.01
TECA p	15.97	16.77	+.01
TEMB p	15.59	16.37	
TEVA p	16.04	16.84	+.01
Wsh p	17.56	18.63	+.02
A GthFd	9.74	10.33	
A Heritg	1.40	N.L.	
Amer Natl Funds:			
Grth	4.25	4.51	+.02
Inco	21.70	23.02	+.10
API Gr fp	12.97	N.L.	—.01
Am Perform:			
Equity x	11.68	12.17	+.01
IntBd x	10.65	10.98	+.01
AmUtlFd	21.85	N.L.	+.21
Amway f	7.68	7.92	+.05
Analyt	12.07	N.L.	+.01
Aquila Funds:			
AZ TF	10.70	11.15	+.01
CO TF	10.54	10.98	
HI TF	11.62	12.10	+.01
KY TF	10.72	11.17	
OR TF	10.73	11.18	+.01
Atlas Funds:			
CaMuni	11.32	11.67	
GvSc	10.48	10.80	+.02
GroInc	14.24	14.68	+.11
NaMuni	11.36	11.71	+.01
BB&T Funds:			
GroIncT x	11.46	N.L.	—.01
IntGovT x	9.99	N.L.	+.02
SIGovT x	10.03	N.L.	+.01
BEA Funds:			
EMkE	24.94	24.94	+.16
IntlEq	20.57	20.57	+.21
StgFx p	17.33	17.33	+.10
BFMShDu	9.90	N.L.	+.01
BJBGIA p	12.00	12.50	—.01
BNY Hamilton:			
Eqlnc x	11.42	N.L.	+.06
IntGovt	9.93	N.L.	+.02
NY TE	10.20	N.L.	+.01
Babson Group:			
Bond L	1.60	N.L.	+.01
Bond S	10.17	N.L.	+.01
Enterp	16.81	N.L.	+.13
Gwth	13.13	N.L.	+.03
Intl	17.08	N.L.	+.15
Shadw	12.63	N.L.	+.15
UMB B	11.27	N.L.	+.01
UMB St	16.50	N.L.	+.05
Value	25.91	N.L.	+.02
BailardBiehl&Kaiser:			
Diversa	13.09	N.L.	+.05
IndEq	6.43	N.L.	+.04
IntlFl	9.86	N.L.	+.01
Baird Funds:			
AdjInc	9.94	10.27	
BICbip p	18.68	19.82	+.07
CapDv p	23.59	25.03	+.16
Bankers Trust:			
IntlBa	10.74	N.L.	+.03
InvUtil	10.36	N.L.	+.08
BaronA	21.32	N.L.	+.27
Bartlett Funds:			
BasVl	15.34	N.L.	
FixedI	10.21	N.L.	+.01
VI Intl	12.94	N.L.	+.04
BayFunds Investr:			
STYield	9.86	N.L.	
Bond	10.03	N.L.	+.02
Equity	10.98	N.L.	+.04
BSEmD	10.30	10.79	—.06
Benchmark Funds:			
BondA	20.11	N.L.	+.04
DivGrA	10.80	N.L.	+.07
EqIdxA	10.90	N.L.	+.03
ShtDur	10.03	10.03	
SIBdA	20.15	N.L.	+.02
SmCoIA	11.70	N.L.	+.10
USTIdxA	20.32	N.L.	+.06
Benham Group:			
AdjGov	9.82	N.L.	+.01
CaTFI	11.14	N.L.	+.01
CatIn	10.17	N.L.	+.01
CaTFS	10.25	N.L.	
CatH	9.45	N.L.	+.01
CatL	11.42	N.L.	+.01
EqGro	12.00	N.L.	+.04
EurBd	10.73	N.L.	+.02
GNMA	10.68	N.L.	
GoldIn	13.01	N.L.	+.28
IncGro	14.91	N.L.	+.04
NITFI	10.88	N.L.	
NITFL	11.77	N.L.	+.02
Tg1995	94.46	N.L.	+.11
Tg2000	70.42	N.L.	+.32
Tg2005	49.36	N.L.	+.40
Tg2010	36.13	N.L.	+.37
Tg2015	27.04	N.L.	+.30
Tg2020	18.96	N.L.	+.26
TNote	10.38	N.L.	+.02
Utilln	9.70	N.L.	+.05
Berger Group:			
100 p	17.05	N.L.	+.11
101 p	11.77	N.L.	+.05
Bernstein Fds:			
GvSh	12.61	N.L.	+.01
ShtDur	12.60	N.L.	+.01
IntDur	13.31	N.L.	+.03
Ca Mu	13.55	N.L.	
DivMu	13.48	N.L.	
NYMu	13.48	N.L.	
IntlVal	16.50	N.L.	+.14
BerwynFd	18.98	N.L.	+.18
Biltmore Funds:			
Balncd	10.43	10.92	+.02
Equity	10.52	11.02	+.02
EqIndx	10.57	11.07	+.03
FixedIn	9.76	10.22	+.02
STFixIn	9.83	10.29	+.01
SCMuni	11.02	11.54	+.01
Blanchard Funds:			
FlexInc	5.09	N.L.	+.01
GlGr	10.63	N.L.	+.10
PrcM p	9.30	N.L.	+.21
ST Gl	1.83	N.L.	
BdEndw	18.09	N.L.	+.02
Boston Co Inst:			
CaApB p	28.63	N.L.	+.08
Boston Co Retail:			
CapAA p	28.63	N.L.	+.08
MgdIA p	11.39	N.L.	+.01
SpGtrA p	17.24	N.L.	+.22
Boulevard Funds:			
MangIn	9.71	10.01	
Brinson Funds:			
Global f	10.83	N.L.	+.02
NUSEq	9.90	N.L.	
Bmdyw	26.06	N.L.	+.25
BrundgSI	10.65	N.L.	+.01
Bull & Bear Qp:			
Glblnc p	9.48	N.L.	+.03
Gold p	16.90	N.L.	+.21
SpEq p	22.45	N.L.	+.24
Bumim p	20.92	21.57	+.01
C&SRity	34.52	N.L.	+.16
CDM Funds:			
CapDv	28.97	N.L.	—.07
Mutl	29.23	N.L.	+.01
California Trust:			
CalInc	12.83	N.L.	
Calvert Group:			
Ariel	30.61	32.14	+.22
ArielA	23.05	24.20	+.14
GlobEq	18.24	19.15	+.15
Inco	17.35	18.22	+.05
MBCAI	10.40	10.69	+.01
MuniInt	10.29	10.58	+.01
Social p	30.43	31.95	+.06
SocBd	16.71	17.36	+.03
SocEq	22.12	23.22	+.01
TxFL	10.70	10.92	
TxFLg	16.86	17.52	+.01
TxFVT	16.40	17.04	+.02
Cambridge Fds:			
GvInA	13.62	14.30	+.07
CapGB t	15.14	15.14	+.0
GvInB t	13.64	13.64	+.0
GwthB t	15.94	15.94	+.07
MuInB t	15.61	15.61	+.03
CapitolEq	9.91	N.L.	+.07
Capstone Group:			
US Trnd	13.79	14.48	+.06
Cardinal Funds:			
Fund	13.07	13.90	+.04
GvtObtg	8.46	8.86	
CnKBlA	15.76	15.76	+.14
CnKBlB	15.73	16.47	+.14
Cnt Shs	23.49	N.L.	—.03
ChesGrth	14.51	14.96	+.27
Chestnt	144.60	N.L.	+.28
Clipper	50.26	N.L.	—.04
Colonial Funds:			
CalTE A	7.43	7.80	+.01
ConTE A	7.65	8.03	+.01
FlxIDA	11.00	11.55	+.02
FundA	8.36	8.87	+.05
GrthA p	14.24	15.11	+.08
HiYldA	7.02	7.37	
IncoA p	6.62	6.95	+.01
MATxA	7.91	8.30	
MI TE A	7.10	7.45	+.01
MN TE A	7.29	7.65	
NY TE A	7.27	7.63	
OhTE A	7.42	7.79	+.01
StrtInA	7.33	7.70	+.01
TxExA p	13.78	14.47	+.01
TxInsA p	8.32	8.74	
USGrA	12.08	12.82	+.05
USGvA	6.70	7.03	+.01
UtilA p	12.81	13.45	+.11
CATEB t	7.43	7.43	+.01
CTTEB t	7.65	7.65	+.01
FedSB t	11.00	11.00	+.02
FundB t	8.35	8.35	+.05
GlfaB	12.67	12.67	+.06
GwthB t	14.17	14.17	+.07
HYMB t	10.21	10.21	
HYSecB t	7.02	7.02	
MATxB t	7.91	7.91	
NYTxB t	7.27	7.27	
OHTxB t	7.42	7.42	+.01
StrtInB t	7.33	7.33	+.01
TxExB t	13.78	13.78	+.01
TEInsB t	8.32	8.32	
USGrB t	12.00	12.00	+.05
USGvB t	6.70	6.70	+.01
UtilB t	12.81	12.81	+.11
Columbia Funds:			
Balance	18.00	N.L.	+.05
ComStk	15.49	N.L.	+.05
Fixed	13.22	N.L.	+.03
Govt	8.29	N.L.	+.02
Grth	27.09	N.L.	+.30
IntlStk	13.52	N.L.	+.07
Muni	12.42	N.L.	—.08
Specl	20.37	N.L.	+.14
Common Sense:			
Govt	10.95	11.24	+.07
GrInc	18.02	19.04	+.08
Grwth	15.39	17.04	+.08
MuInB	13.83	14.52	+.01
Compass Capital:			
EqInc	12.71	13.21	+.04
FixdIn	10.66	11.08	+.02
Grwth	11.31	11.75	+.06
IntlFl	10.75	11.17	—.01
MunBd	10.79	11.21	+.02
NJ Mun	11.31	11.75	+.02
ShInc	10.47	10.88	+.01
Composite Group:			
BdStk p	12.04	12.61	+.01
Gwth p	12.55	13.14	—.02
IntFd p	9.16	9.54	+.01
NWS0 p	15.03	15.74	+.11
TxEx p	7.83	8.16	+.01
USOv p	10.60	11.04	+.02
Conestoga Funds:			
Equity	15.10	15.41	+.05
Conn Mutual:			
Govt	10.73	11.18	+.02
Grwth	15.57	16.39	+.05
Income	9.77	9.97	+.01
TotRet	14.73	15.51	+.04
Copley	20.30	N.L.	+.13
CorePlands:			
BalanA	10.70	N.L.	+.06
BigInc	21.59	N.L.	+.04
GblEqA	10.30	N.L.	+.07
IntBdA	9.97	N.L.	+.01
IntlGrA	13.94	N.L.	+.13
Cowen	11.22	11.79	+.01
Crabbe Huson:			
AstAll p	13.27	N.L.	
Equity p	16.32	N.L.	
CrestFunds Trust:			
Bond	9.99	N.L.	+.03
SI Bd	10.03	N.L.	+.01
Value x	11.21	N.L.	+.06
VAMu	10.19	N.L.	+.01
CsFd Adj	10.01	N.L.	
DG Investor:			
Equity	10.87	11.09	
GvtInc	9.90	10.10	+.02
LTGvt	9.87	10.07	
Dean Witter:			
AmVl t	23.72	23.72	+.21
CalTF t	13.03	13.03	
CapGr t	12.34	12.34	+.05
Convt t			
DevGr t	19.08	19.08	+.20
DivGt t	30.86	30.86	+.06
Divin t			
EqInc t	8.67	8.67	+.03
Euro t	12.61	12.61	+.08
Glbl t	9.00	9.00	
GlbDiv t	11.15	11.15	+.09
FedSec t	9.60	9.60	+.01
HlthSc t	11.43	11.43	+.04
HiYld f	7.91	8.37	—.01
MuAZ t	10.61	11.05	+.01
Instnl t	9.97	9.97	+.01
LtdMun	10.03	10.03	+.01
MuCA t	10.77	11.22	+.01
MUFL t	10.84	11.29	+.02
MUNJ t	10.78	11.23	+.02
MIdPA t	10.81	11.26	+.01
NYTFr t	12.23	12.23	—.01
NtlRs t	11.82	11.82	+.04
PacGr t	21.23	21.23	—.08
PrcM t	11.66	11.66	+.17
Premr p	8.98	9.26	
SelMu p	12.54	12.54	+.01
Mngd t	11.02	11.02	+.03
ST US p	10.17	10.17	+.01
Strat t	15.14	15.14	+.06
TaxEx	12.13	12.34	+.01
USGvt t	9.18	9.18	+.02
Util f	13.86	13.86	+.10
ValAd t	20.24	20.24	+.08
WWIn	8.90	8.90	+.03
WldW t	19.16	19.16	+.06
TC Bal p			
TCCor t	12.91	12.91	+.07
TC Inc	10.90	10.90	+.03
TCLat t	14.93	14.93	+.09
TCNor fp	9.91	9.91	+.02
TCSCp t	10.30	10.30	+.10
Del Cip Inst:			
DlchI	7.15	7.15	+.01
TsyRsI	9.72	9.72	
Delaware Group:			
Trend p	13.89	14.74	+.09
Value p	20.90	22.18	+.05
Delcp p	26.66	28.29	+.20
Decstr p	16.62	18.16	+.03
Decstll p	12.92	13.71	+.03
Delaw p	18.64	19.78	+.06
IntlEq p	12.36	13.11	+.13
Delch p	7.15	7.51	+.01
USGvt p	8.62	9.05	+.01
Treas p	9.72	10.02	
TxUS p	12.46	13.08	
Txins p	11.37	11.94	
TxFPa p	8.61	9.04	—.01
Dimensional Fds:			
US Lrg	14.00	N.L.	+.03
US Sml	8.74	N.L.	+.06
MunBd	8.45	N.L.	+.01
NY HY	12.61	N.L.	+.01
NY Ins	11.88	N.L.	
NewMkt	11.89	N.L.	+.15
NwMill	12.52	12.91	+.07
OTC	24.53	25.29	+.25
Ok TF	11.66	N.L.	
Ovrsea	28.83	29.72	+.23
PcBas	19.50	20.10	+.16
Purin	16.27	N.L.	+.07
RealE	14.35	N.L.	+.09
RetGr	18.33	N.L.	+.10
ShtBd	9.43	N.L.	+.01
ST Wld	9.96	N.L.	—.01
SmCap	11.18	11.53	+.11
SE Asia	14.37	N.L.	+.10
StkSlc	19.57	N.L.	+.09
Trend	59.28	N.L.	+.42
USBI	10.83	N.L.	+.01
UtilInc	15.19	N.L.	+.07
Value	41.94	N.L.	+.26
Wrldw	13.75	N.L.	+.06
Fidelity Selects:			
AGold r	22.66	23.36	+.43
Auto r	25.48	26.27	+.11
Biotch r	27.61	28.46	+.27
Brdcst r	23.87	24.61	+.30
Brokr r	17.75	18.30	+.26
Comp r	27.03	27.87	+.25
ConHo r	19.82	20.43	+.11
DvCm r	19.65	20.26	+.19
Electr r	17.67	18.22	+.14
Enrgy r	16.73	17.25	+.01
Engsv r	11.66	12.02	—.03
Envir r	11.93	12.30	+.13
FinSv r	51.24	52.82	+.15
Food r	31.48	32.45	+.02
Health r	63.31	65.27	+.25
HomFr r	25.00	25.77	+.07
IndEqp r	20.65	21.29	+.30
IndMat r	21.67	22.34	—.02
Leisr r	45.31	46.71	+.30
MedDl r	20.28	20.91	+.19
NtGas r	9.48	9.77	
Paper r	19.61	20.22	+.01
PrMet r	16.62	17.13	+.38
RegBk r	17.99	18.55	+.04
Retail r	24.92	25.69	+.31
Softwr r	28.89	29.78	+.33
Tech r	41.83	43.12	+.61
Telcm r	37.11	38.26	+.37
Util r	36.37	37.49	+.01
Fidelity Spartan:			
AgrMun	10.25	N.L.	
CAHY r	10.93	N.L.	—.01
CTHY r	11.33	N.L.	+.01
FL Mu r	11.04	N.L.	—.01
GNMA	10.04	N.L.	+.02
GovIn	10.52	N.L.	+.03
HighI r	12.45	N.L.	+.02
IntMun f	10.20	N.L.	+.01
InvGrBd	10.41	N.L.	+.01
LtdGv	9.92	N.L.	+.01
LTG	11.96	N.L.	+.07
MD Mu r	10.13	N.L.	+.01
MunIn r	10.64	N.L.	
NJHY r	11.49	N.L.	+.01
NYHY r	11.01	N.L.	+.01
PAHY r	10.79	N.L.	+.01
ShInc	9.86	N.L.	+.01
SInvGv	9.81	N.L.	+.01
StkMu	10.00	N.L.	
FiduCap	19.41	N.L.	+.10
59 Wall Street:			
EuroEq	31.47	31.47	+.20
PacBas	42.18	42.18	+.36
Sm Co	12.67	12.67	+.05
TxFSI	10.25	10.25	
FlaHorG t	10.93	10.93	+.02
First Amer Funds:			
AstAll p	10.60	11.10	+.02
Balan p	10.82	11.33	+.03
Equity p	16.31	17.08	+.06
Eqldx p	10.80	11.31	+.02
FixdIn p	10.98	11.41	+.02
IntInc p	9.95	10.34	+.01
LtdInc	9.98	10.18	
RtgEq p	12.63	13.23	+.05
StcSlc p	16.59	17.37	+.05
FtBosIG	9.62	9.87	—.02
FstEag r	15.52	15.52	+.06
FrstFdE x	10.82	N.L.	+.02
FtHawMu	11.16	N.L.	
First Investors:			
BICbp p	15.70	16.75	+.05
Global p	6.25	6.67	+.04
Govt p	11.44	12.20	+.01
HighY p	5.35	5.71	
Inco p	4.20	4.48	
InvGr p	10.16	10.84	+.02
NJTF p	13.18	14.06	+.01
NYTF p	14.87	15.86	
SpcBd	12.23	13.05	+.01
SpSit p	18.65	19.89	+.20
TxEx p	10.30	10.99	+.01
TotRt p	12.12	12.93	+.06
Utilln p	5.42	5.78	+.03
First Omaha:			
Equity	10.73	N.L.	+.01
FixdInc	10.24	N.L.	+.03
FPDAst p			
First Priority:			
EquityTr	10.56	N.L.	+.03
FixdIncT	10.27	N.L.	+.02
First Union:			
BalT	12.20	N.L.	+.04
BalC t	12.19	N.L.	+.04
FxInT	10.30	N.L.	+.01
InTFC t	10.93	10.93	+.01
InTFB p	10.93	11.39	+.01
MnBdT	10.27	N.L.	+.03
NCMC t	10.31	10.31	+.01
USGB p	9.89	10.30	+.01
USGC r	9.89	N.L.	+.01
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BUSINESS WATCH

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- Previous Close $14.57
- One Year Ago $20.50

POSTED PRICE
- Today $12.75
- Previous Week $12.50
- One Year Ago $19.00

Crude falls

NEW YORK — Home heating oil prices rose on Monday as a snow storm approaching the Northeast combined with the deadline to trade March futures contracts for a day of active trading.

West Texas Intermediate for delivery in April settled at $14.48 per barrel, down 9 cents.

Local crude buyers lowered their posted price 25 cents to $12.75 a barrel.

March heating oil deliveries finished 0.60 cent per gallon higher on the New York Mercantile Exchange to settle at 50.28 cents. Later delivery months were lower.

As of Tuesday, traders will not be able to buy or sell March contracts on the Nymex. The expiration set off some broad price changes as traders bought or sold as necessary to nullify their March positions.

March heating oil reached as high as 51.30 during the day. The April contract, which finished at 44.89 cents per gallon Monday, will represent the near delivery beginning Tuesday.

The market was also bolstered by a winter storm expected to arrive in the Northeast, the nation's main heating oil consuming region, on Wednesday. Bitter cold in the Northeast this winter has reduced heating oil supplies.

Natural gas prices were lower, with contracts for delivery in April settling at $2.208 per 1,000 cubic feet, down 8.4 cents.

Dollar slumps

NEW YORK — The dollar fell against most major currencies in light trading Monday as bearish sentiments about the greenback outweighed concerns of a crisis following the downing of four Bosnian Serb planes by U.S. jets under NATO command.

Gold prices rose. On the New York Commodity Exchange, gold for current delivery closed at $381.40 a troy ounce, up $2.80 from Friday.

In New York, the dollar finished at 104.60 yen, down from 104.85 Friday.

Other dollar rates in New York compared with late Friday: 1.7040 German marks, down from 1.7105; 1.4255 Swiss francs, down from 1.4300; 5.7895 French francs, down from 5.8085; 1,687 Italian lire, up from 1,686; and 1.3507 Canadian dollars, up from 1.3483.

Stocks ease

NEW YORK — Blue-chip stocks fell late in trading on Monday although other major market indicators rallied, encouraged by steady interest rates and higher share prices overseas.

The Dow Jones industrial average fell 6.76 to 3,832.02, but advancing issues outnumbered declines by about 2 to 1 on the New York Stock Exchange.

Volume on the floor of the Big Board came to a moderate 267.46 million shares, down from 273.23 million in the previous session.

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MCI envisions phone as computer

■ New alliance means consumers will be able to use same mobile phone, phone number anywhere in U.S.

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The day when you will be able to send faxes and electronic mail — all from a mobile telephone whose number goes where you go — moved a crucial step forward on Monday.

MCI Communications Corp. announced it is going into the wireless communications business.

The nation's No. 2 long-distance company said it will invest $1.3 billion, buying a 17 percent stake, in little-known Nextel Communications. The alliance will mean consumers will be able to use the same mobile phone and phone number anywhere in the country.

Today, with cellular phone service, many consumers must look up and punch in "roaming codes" when they travel from city to city. But already some cellular providers have linked their operations regionally, eliminating the need for roaming codes and allowing the phone number to travel through the region with the phone.

Nextel Chairman Morgan O'Brien said that within two years 95 percent of the country's population will have access to the new service, delivered over radio frequencies.

MCI said the alliance gives it a leg up into the next generation of mobile communications services, but competitors disputed that. They said they are closing in on that goal.

Like the MCI-Nextel alliance, other firms are in the process of:

- Converting analog-based networks into digital.
- Linking individual cellular companies together nationally.
- Developing mobile services, such as fax and data transmissions to laptop computers, enabling a customer to use a phone like a personal computer.

Still, MCI, Nextel and their partner Comcast Corp. — a big cable TV company that also holds a 17 percent stake in Nextel — predict they will get to market faster than their competitors.

The alliance is "bringing together partnerships that can make things happen quickly," MCI Chairman Bert Roberts told a news conference.

"We're already digital; other cellular providers will still have to be converted," Roberts said.

MCI's biggest rival is AT&T, which has plans to acquire the nation's largest cellular company, McCaw Cellular Communications.

AT&T disputed MCI's contention that Monday's development put it ahead of the pack. AT&T expects the Justice Department to approve the McCaw merger by late summer, clearing the way for the company to plunge into the wireless communications market, said AT&T spokesman Herb Linnen. He said AT&T then would move aggressively.

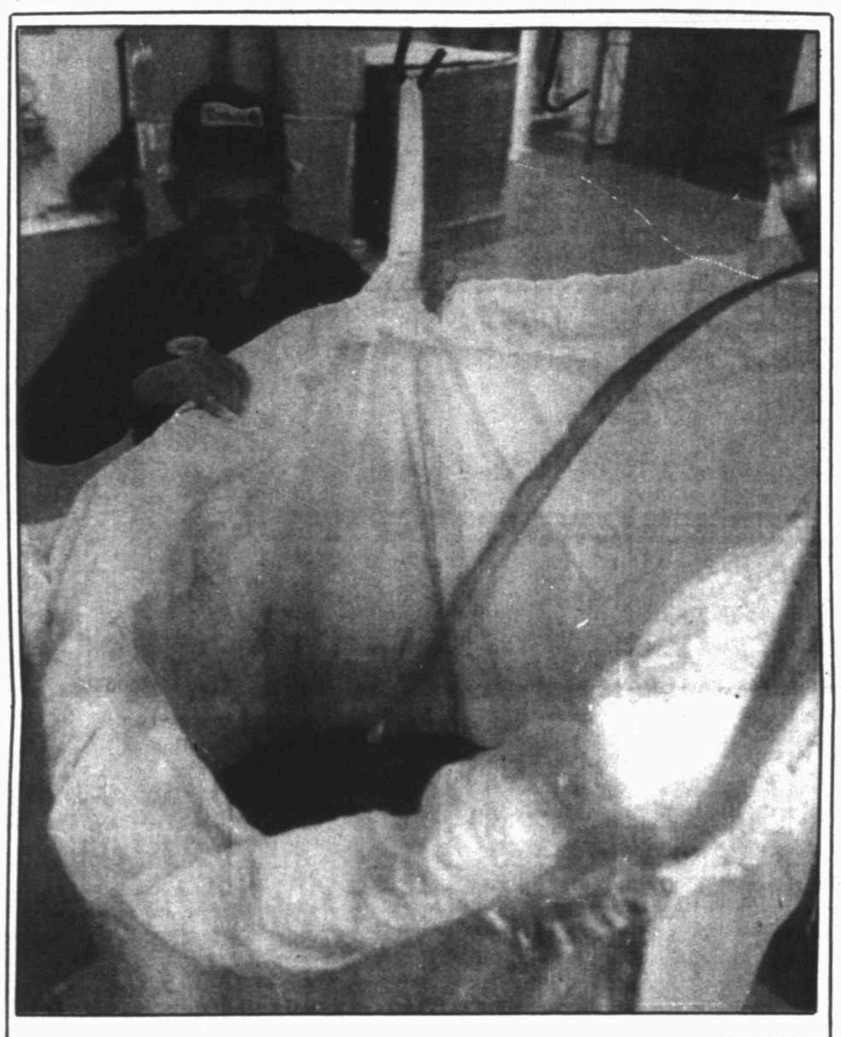
Sprint, the nation's third largest long-distance provider, which is already in the wireless business, played down the impact of the MCI alliance.

"Sprint is pleased with its position in the wireless telecommunications industry and its prospects for growth in the future," the company said.

The wireless communications market, chiefly mobile phone service, is expected to grow from its current 15 million customers to as many as 90 million customers in 10 years, fueled by paging, messaging and other data transmission services, Roberts said.

Nextel's licenses cover 45 of the top 50 markets, O'Brien said. Nextel's operation in Los Angeles is already up and running. Service to the rest of California, New York, Chicago, Dallas and Houston should be in operation by mid-1995, O'Brien said.

Customers of the MCI-Nextel service will be able to use their mobile phones for paging, faxing and other services without needing additional equipment.



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World spice trade

Paul Deneson guides ground black pepper into a huge sack at the Tone Brothers Inc. production facility in Des Moines, Iowa, recently. Once a pipsqueak in the world spice trade, Tone is capping a decade of solid growth with more expansion.

Forces holding down prices exist throughout economy

By Robert D. Hershey Jr.
N.Y. Times News Service

If revived inflation is just around the corner, as many seem to believe, you probably won't be finding any at your local KFC chicken restaurant.

"We haven't had a price increase at the retail level since 1989," said Gary Gerdemann, a spokesman for the 5,000-restaurant chain, once known as Kentucky Fried Chicken. "When we see an increase coming, we go and engineer it out." This means KFC might switch suppliers, cut packaging, ship materials in bigger lots, even change a recipe.

To be sure, the Pepsico subsidiary's size gives it immense bargaining power and it also operates in one of the nation's most ferociously competitive industries.

Yet the forces holding prices down among the giants of fast food — at McDonald's, a spokesman said his company expected to hold the line for at least the next several months — are at work throughout the economy.

A survey of a random dozen companies disclosed relatively little upward pressure on prices apart from a few highly visible pockets, notably steel, lumber and other building materials.

And even steel may now have peaked. "We're beginning to see the price recede already" for scrap, said Terry S. Lisenby, controller for Nucor Corp., a steel producer based in Charlotte, N.C., that buys large quantities of scrap.

This suggests that the Federal Reserve can take its time lifting short-term interest rates, which are still barely above zero when adjusted for inflation, while still reassuring long-term investors that the buying power of their capital will be preserved.

"We don't see any threat of inflationary pressures in 1994," Gordon Richards, economist for the National Association of Manufacturers, said. He noted that wage growth had slowed to a creep and that long-term interest rates are nearly two percentage points lower than they were 15 months ago.

Producers of goods ready for sale to final users managed to raise prices a mere two-tenths of 1 percent in the last 12 months.

And goods in earlier stages of the production pipeline — raw materials and intermediate goods — each rose less than 1 percent.

But even in steel, which unlike fast food has enjoyed robust demand during this upturn in the business cycle, the price pressure is blunted. Just ask Woody Brown, president of Kingsbury Inc.

General Electric, a large customer, told Kingsbury that it wanted a 10 percent price reduction this year. Kingsbury's response has been twofold: to try to get GE to accept a higher-quality product at the same price and to try to get concessions from Kingsbury's own suppliers, what Brown calls "kind of a dominoes effect."

U.S. widens Prudential investigation

NEW YORK (NYT) — Federal prosecutors are investigating whether Prudential Securities intentionally misled clients about their legal rights to recover money they lost in soured limited partnerships, people involved in the inquiry said Sunday.

The development is a new chapter in the growing criminal inquiry into Prudential's limited partnership scandal, as prosecutors move from examining the sale of those investments in the 1980s to the manner in which the firm dealt with customers as their losses mounted in the 1990s.

At issue are class-action settlements involving several partnerships. Through these settlements, Prudential disposed of potentially large liabilities for pennies on the dollar. Some customers have filed lawsuits accusing the firm of falsely telling them the class actions were the only way they could recoup losses.

At Fed, intuition plays role in rates

WASHINGTON (NYT) — The Federal Reserve, having dropped its reliance on the money supply figures that made markets soar or swoon in the 1980s, is increasingly basing interest rate decisions on an approach best summed up as banker's intuition.

When Federal Reserve Chairman Alan Greenspan gave his semiannual testimony before Congress on Tuesday, the only section of his written testimony that he did not bother to read aloud concerned money supply measures like the M-2, which represents the total of cash, checking accounts, savings accounts, certificates of deposit of less than $100,000 and several other financial instruments.

In a series of interviews last week, top Fed officials said they were putting greater weight on economic indicators ranging from the price of gold and the output of factories to personal anecdotes.

They are also paying more attention to human psychology: notably investors' expectations of inflation, an area that has long exasperated economists who use computer models to predict inflation.

"I get a feel for what I think is going on based on the information — not only the anecdotal information in the press and the statistical information assembled and compiled by the staff here, but also from the general tone of the markets," said John P. LaWare, a Fed governor, who added that he also looked at figures on housing starts, employment and bank loans.

INVESTORS' GUIDE

States don't tax U.S. Treasury securities

By Bill Doyle

Q: Because our home is in a state with a horribly high income tax, my wife and I have been putting our money into U.S. savings bonds, which are exempt from state and local income tax.

Doyle

We recently came into a large sum. If we put it all into EE bonds, we would be way over the annual purchase limit of $15,000 per person.

Therefore, we have been considering U.S. Treasury bills. But that would make our tax situation worse, if states tax T-bills' entire redemption proceeds. Do they?

A: No! Even the Internal Revenue Service doesn't go that far. The IRS taxes T-bill interest — but not a T-bill's redemption proceeds, which comprise interest and the original purchase price.

States levy no income tax on any part of U.S. Treasury securities, be they bills, notes or bonds.

A T-bill is a discount security. Issued and originally sold at a price below its face value, a T-bill is redeemed at its face value on its maturity date. The difference between the two prices is interest and is taxed as such by the federal government — but not by state governments.

Q: How safe are U.S. Treasury notes? Are they the safest investment? I wouldn't want to lose anything, as I can't afford to lose a penny.

A: Along with Treasury bills and bonds, Treasury notes are counted as the least risky of all securities. No one has ever lost even one cent of principal invested in Treasury securities held to maturity. It's unthinkable that anyone ever will.

Although Treasury securities have no "principal risk," they do have "market risk," meaning you might lose money if you sell a T-bill, note or bond.

Because they are fixed-income securities, the market prices of previously issued Treasury securities go in the opposite direction of interest rates — down when interest rates rise and up when interest rates fall. So, if you own a T-bill, note or bond and sell it before its maturity date, you might get more or less than the price at which you purchased it.

Inflation adds another element of risk to Treasury securities. Because the interest they pay is set at the time they are issued, Treasury securities provide no real protection against the declining purchasing power of the dollar.

Despite market risk and inflation's ravages, Treasury securities are considered the world's premier fixed-income investments.

Q: My investments in Treasury securities through a Treasury Direct account seem wise. But how safe can they be when our federal government borrows huge amounts of money every year?

Our national debt is now more than $4 trillion. The annual interest on that debt is more than $300 billion and growing. Our guys in Washington talk but don't seem concerned about the deficit. Can this go on indefinitely without affecting my Treasury notes?

A: Of course not. It already has affected your notes and other Treasury securities.

Despite what some harebrained economists claim, federal deficits cause inflation.

Granted, inflation is not rampant just now. But even 3 percent inflation causes prices to double every 24 years.

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'96 Games: Worries mount over Atlanta's aging infrastructure

ATLANTA (AP) — Say goodbye to the crisp air and snow-covered landscape of Lillehammer. Enter Atlanta, the youthful, exuberant city that won the 1996 Olympic Games.

Lately, though, an air of can-we-do-it apprehension that has hung over Atlanta's preparations for the Summer Games has been heightened by the awareness that major infrastructure repairs are needed.

"If the Olympics come and the whole thing collapses underneath, Georgia is going to get a black eye in front of the whole world," House Speaker Tom Murphy, one of the state's most influential politicians, said recently.

Last year, a piece of midtown Atlanta was swallowed by a sinkhole that killed two people. Dozens of roads and bridges are closed or badly in need of repair. In January, a week before 70,000 visitors came to Atlanta for the Super Bowl, a broken water main prompted a citywide ban on bathing.

Under the Spring Street Viaduct, a major artery into the downtown business district that is generally regarded as one of the most vivid examples of Atlanta's deterioration, rusty steel supports are clearly visible where large chunks of concrete have fallen away.

Dissolved concrete reforms into stalactites. Some pieces fall into ugly black nets hung up to protect the cars and pedestrians underneath.

"It looks kind of eerie," said David Allen, a parking lot manager who spends his days in a small booth directly under the decaying viaduct. "I don't worry about it, but my customers do. Some of them used to park there. Now they've moved to the other side."

Nevertheless, Allen fears taxpayers will suffer as city officials rush to fix things. Such concerns make it far from a sure thing that voters will approve an infrastructure repair plan in a March 15 referendum.

"You know, they talk all the time about the Olympics," Allen said. "They'll be here for 14 days, and we're stuck with the bill.

"I think it needs to be addressed, but it took a long time for it to get this way. This tax business is out of sight. I'm tired of more taxes. It's going to drive everyone out of town."

Others say the city has neglected its infrastructure for too long.

"It is urgent. ... People are beginning to be convinced that something's got to be done," said Truman A. Hartshorn, professor of urban geography at Georgia State University. "It's been swept under the rug in the past."

Hartshorn said he doubted there was potential for a life-threatening calamity during the Olympics. But if repairs are not made, emergency road closings or water shortages could make the Games an embarrassing failure, he said.

"We could have more problems at any time," he said. "That would be a major disaster if we had water rationing during the Olympics."

"It's time to get serious about ensuring that some of these difficult situations do not arise when everybody's in town that we've invited to this party," said Billy Payne, Atlanta Committee for the Olympic Games president.

The cost of fixing every damaged road, bridge and sewer pipe in the city has been estimated at $1 billion.

Mayor Bill Campbell, in office barely two months, is pushing for voter approval in the March 15 referendum to borrow $148.8 million to repair the 82 worst cases before 1996.

Voters soundly defeated a bond referendum for infrastructure repairs in 1988, long before the city was awarded the Olympics.

In voting to hold the referendum, the City Council tried to appease overburdened taxpayers by passing an amendment promising to cut the city budget enough to avoid a tax increase for the bonds. But the budget cuts eliminated pay raises for city workers and have sparked threats of a strike.

Fulton County commissioners last week killed a proposal to hike the sales tax a penny on the dollar — to a total of 7 cents.

Atlanta must deal with the infrastructure regardless of the Olympics, Campbell said.

Woman gives birth at age 60

JERUSALEM (AP) — A 60-year-old European woman who lied about her age to get an implant of donated eggs has delivered a healthy girl at an Israeli hospital, her doctor said last Monday.

The woman, who had already passed menopause and couldn't conceive naturally, became one of the oldest on record to give birth. Her husband is 68.

The woman demanded that her identity be kept secret.

The Israeli doctor, Dr. Shlomo Mashiach, said he might not have carried out the procedure if had known his patient's real age. "One has to set an age limit. I think age 50 is enough," Mashiach told The Associated Press.

He said his patient was the oldest woman he knew of to have given birth. However, in the Italian city of Modena, Dr. Angelo Careccia on Monday confirmed an Italian magazine report that he delivered a baby for a 61-year-old woman in July 1992.

The case of a 59-year-old British woman who delivered twins in December after being implanted with donated eggs set off an international ethics debate and prompted some countries to consider laws restricting such treatment.

Critics say older mothers might not live long enough to raise the children they bear.

Mashiach said he treated 250 older women from Israel and abroad in his egg donation program last year. He said many of the foreigners were Jews who wanted to be sure the donor was Jewish.

The European woman, an observant Jew, told Mashiach she was 48. Her real age was discovered two weeks ago when she checked into Maayanei Hayeshua Hospital in the Tel Aviv suburb of Bnei Brak for delivery and a clerk checked her passport, said Dr. Moshe Rothschild, director of the hospital.

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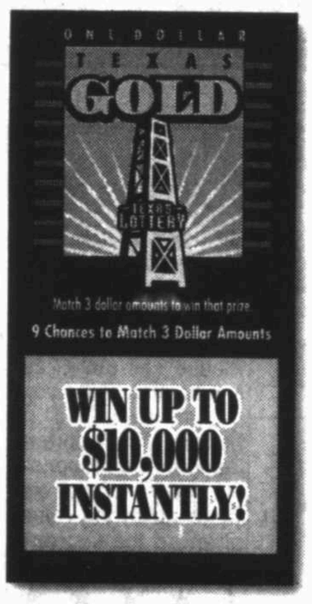
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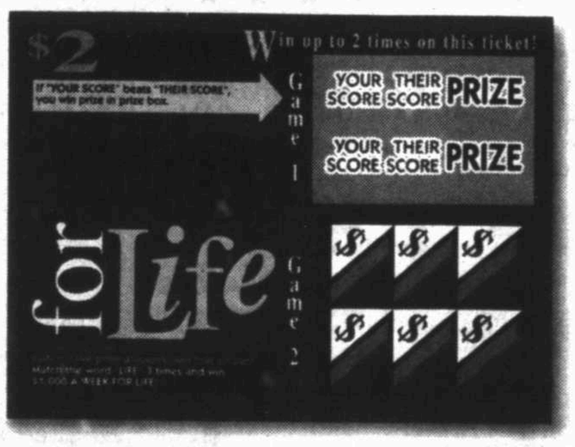
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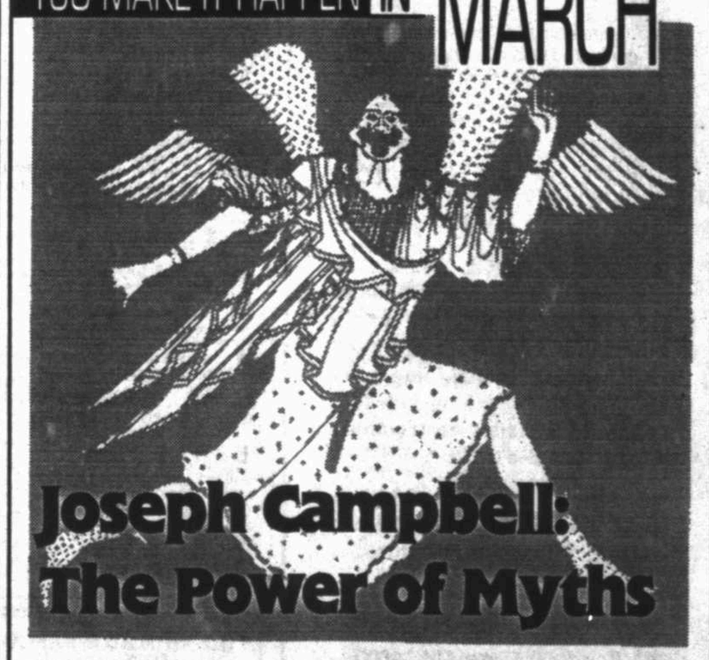
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Juror in Branch Davidian trial explains deliberations, verdict

By Sam Howe Verhovek
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SAN ANTONIO — At the outset of jury deliberations in the murder trial of 11 Branch Davidians here, one juror recalled Monday, everybody agreed that murder had taken place at the compound near Waco one year ago. But there was a big problem.

"Some thought it was outright murder on the part of the Branch Davidians," the juror said. "And some thought it was outrageous murder on the part of the federal government."

The jury also decided at the very start of deliberations that after seven weeks of testimony, 130 witnesses and well over a thousand pieces of evidence that no one had a clue about who had fired the first shot that day.

And the jurors returned again and again to what was, for them, a crucial point, though it was barely mentioned by either side during the trial. The jurors were deeply impressed, he said, that three top officials at the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, which planned and conducted the raid, had been forced out. The government, he said, had put its own seal on the conclusion that it had made tragic mistakes at the sect's compound outside Waco.

So, after four days of talks that were at times emotional, at times methodical, he said, the eight women and four men on the jury decided to deliver a verdict that was both a compromise and a message, a verdict with which all felt comfortable.

"There were a lot of dirty hands out there that day, on both sides," the juror said. "Both sides did wrong. Both sides had their faults."

The jury on Saturday acquitted all 11 defendants of murder and conspiracy charges, but convicted seven on lesser but still serious charges of manslaughter or possession of illegal weapons. Four sect members were completely acquitted.

The juror, a retired banker and certified public accountant from San Antonio, spoke for one and a half hours in two telephone interviews Monday, in which he insisted that his name not be published.

With a rueful laugh, he said close friends who knew he was on the jury were already asking, "What'd you let those people off so easy for?" He added that he had no desire to be excoriated by the public.

There was at least one other critical point of deliberation that influenced the final verdict, he said. Jurors were keenly aware that the maximum sentence on either the murder or the conspiracy charge was life in prison, and by the end of their talks, they all agreed that no Branch Davidian on trial deserved so harsh a punishment. Eighty followers of the sect's leader, David Koresh, perished with him in the fire that ended the 51-day standoff between the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the people in the compound.

Technically, according to the charge from U.S. District Judge Walter S. Smith Jr., consideration of possible punishments should not have entered the discussion at all; the jury's only job was to decide on guilty or not guilty votes on each count.

Still, in ignoring that aspect of the instructions, the jurors themselves face no sanctions, nor does their action provide any ground for either side to appeal the verdicts, legal experts said Monday.

Sentencing of the seven convicted Branch Davidians will not occur for another several weeks, and though the trial is over, prosecutors and defense lawyers are now bitterly battling over the possible sentences.

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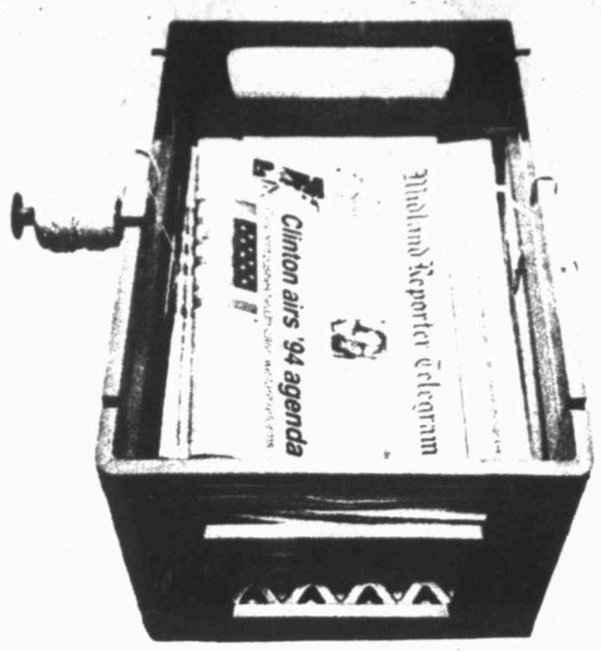

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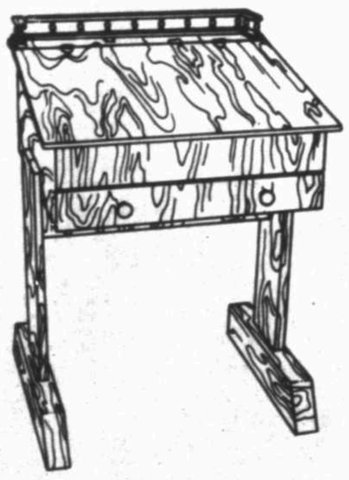

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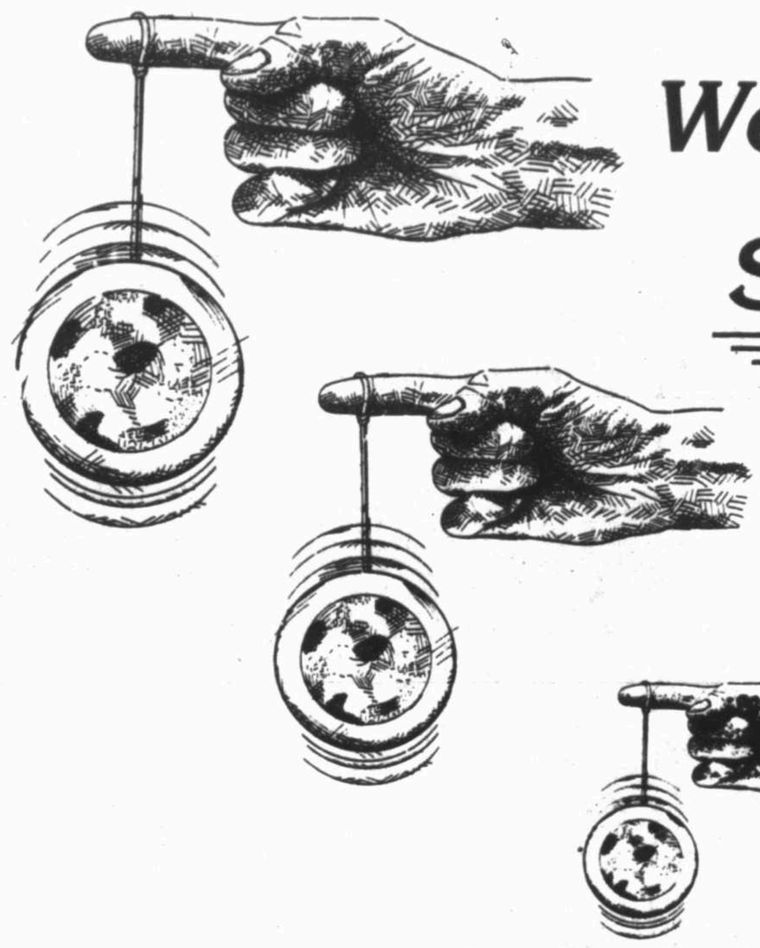

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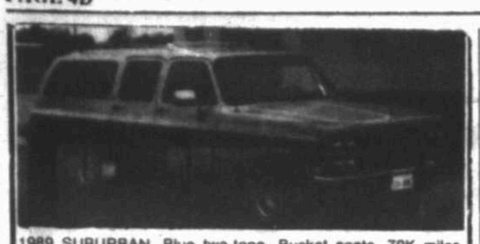

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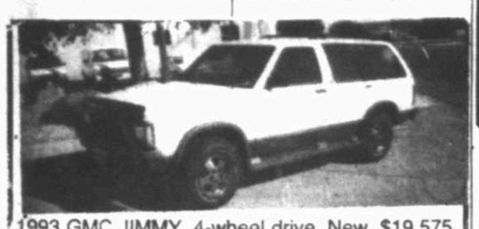

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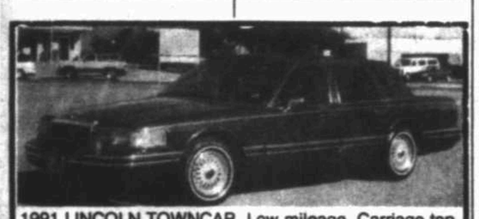

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312 Professional Help Wanted

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INDEPENDENT oil company is seeking an Engineering Technician with 2-5 years experience. Applicant must have Texas Railroad Commission and New Mexico Oil Conservation Division reporting experience. He or she must also be familiar with production and drilling operations. Please send resume to P.O. Box 4524, Midland Texas 79704.

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BEAUTY
WANTED people who are highly motivated, dependable. Ground floor opportunity in day spa. Hair stylist, esthetician. Refer to #6903388 - 682-9421. EEOC. Paid for by employer.

312 Professional Help Wanted

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BUSY Insurance Agency needs Insurance Accounting Clerk. Insurance accounting experience necessary. Salary DOE. Send resume: 6 Desta Drive, Suite 5550, Midland, TX 79705.

314 Clerical Help Wanted

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Oil & Gas Secretary/ Bookkeeper wanted Mon., Wed., & Fri., from 9 to 4:30. Recent references required. No smoking. Please send replies to:
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Holiday Inn Country Villa, 4300 West Business I-20, Midland. March 5, 10:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m. Admission $3.00 per person. Information 915-563-5557.

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TECHNICIAN with E.S.P. wanted. Honda Kawasaki Polaris of Midland needs a motivated mechanic for full service multi- line dealership. Watercraft experience a plus, excellent working conditions with paid vacations. Call Tom at 915-520-2080 or fax resume to 915-697-3210.

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POOLS-Above ground, several sizes left. Free installation til March 1st. Free Ladder, Chemical Kit, Maintenance Kit. Terms and Delivery Available. 563-1807.

QUEEN comforter & accessories, VCR, boys 16" bike, exercise bike, twin box springs. 520-0199.

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CAPIZIO toe shoes. 2 1/2 , 3 1/2 sizes. Excellent condition. $5 a pair. 694-1260.

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OVER 100 styles to choose from! Diamond rings, wedding sets, rent to own. Call 682-2586.

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LARGE sofa with matching loveseat, recliner and upholstered rocker. Good condition. 697-5127.

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LIFT chair for medium size adult. $500. 682-7218.

FULL size bed, complete. Dinette set, twin bed, chest and desk with hutch. Call 520-2157 after 5 pm.

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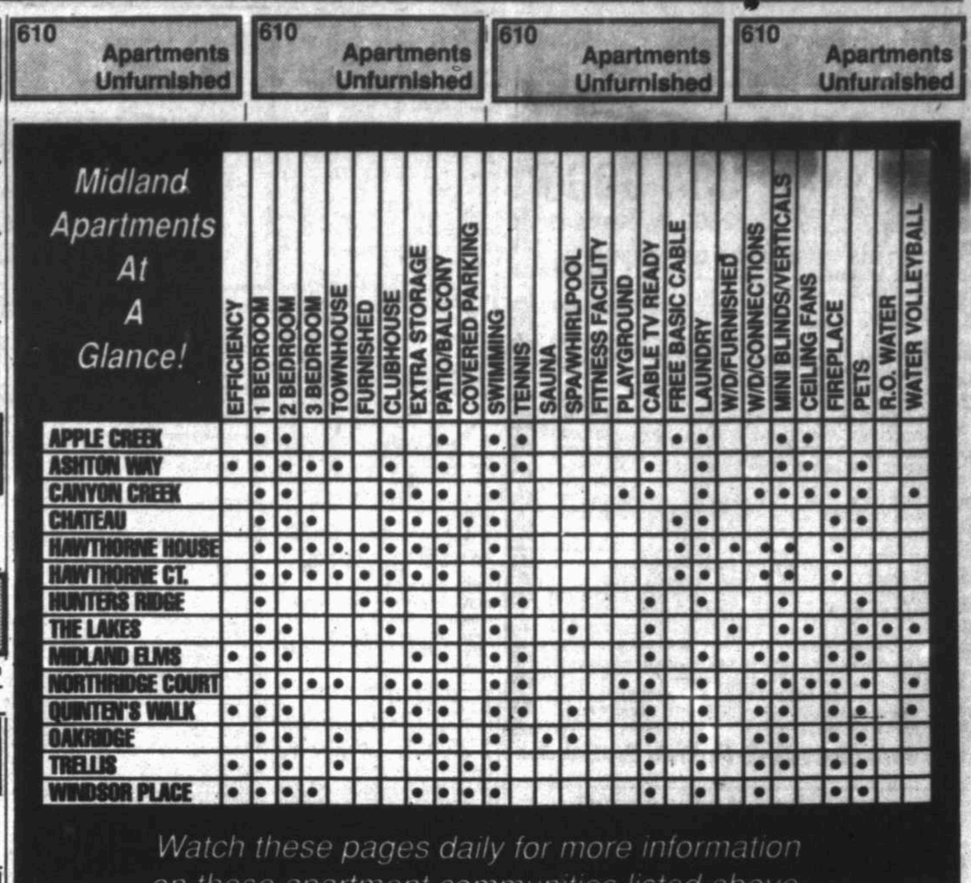

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OWNER MOVING - Must sell! Non-qualifying assumption. 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 living areas. $12,000 equity. 682-7867/ 682-6140.

HUD/VA
Paragon Real Estate
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3706 W. Kansas $54,000
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4418 ROOSEVELT - $39,000. $2,800 move-in. $408 monthly. New carpet, paint. Cynthia Brown, Langston Realtors 685-3300 or 685-0400.

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4 BEDROOM, 2 bath, 2 living, large yard, mature trees. 3207 N. I. $78,000, 570-6944.

NON-QUALIFYING. payments $383 per month. 1750 square feet, 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, 2 living areas, house is not very old. 3509 Travis. 688-5144 or 689-0841.

SALE/ Lease. Non qualifying assumption. $6,500 equity, $600 payments or $700 lease. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, double garage, fireplace, fresh paint, vacant. 570-0250.

EXECUTIVE home, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, in Saddle Club area, extra large rooms and closets, wetbar, fireplace, terrarium, 2 car garage, carport, no yard, owner financing available. Call 520-5563 after 5.

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Will be your reaction when you see this charming home in mint condition, located near Green Tree Country Club. This home includes 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, large living area, formal dining, master bedroom and bath (set apart for privacy) as well as many other extras including sprinkler system and garage door openers. HERE IS A HOME THAT YOU CAN BE PROUD OF, AT $93,900. Call today to arrange a tour with Joel Oldham, 682-8820 or 689-9696.

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720 Homes for Sale

2 BEDROOMS, 2 bath, single garage, central heat and air, automatic sprinkler, needs minor repair. $18,000 cash or owner finance $25,000. 570-0250.

NON-Qualifying 3 bedroom, 2 bath, fireplace. Wydewood Addition. Low equity. 2705 Dora Place. 520-6729.

REDUCED price. 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 living areas, enclosed patio, storage, garage, freshly painted, freshly remodeled. $45,000 or best offer. 2809 Louisiana. Call 697-2148.

WONDERFUL house in Old Midland. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, huge yard with trees, ceramic tile throughout, redone bathrooms. 2203 Gulf. 687-3128.

4 BEDROOMS, 2 baths. 4306 Merrill Ct. $64,500. 694-7221 after 6 pm.

NEWLY REMODELED, 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, 2 living areas, new carpet, ceramic tile, built in desks in kitchen & bedroom, large utility room. Sprinklers & workshop. Mature pecan trees. 2,367 Square feet. $94,900. 3102 Lockheed. 697-4225 after 6 PM.

730 Suburban Property

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1401 TODD RD; 4 bedrooms, 2 living, large shop. Non-qualifying assumption. Agent. $63,500. 684-7788.

735 Real Estate Wanted

COUPLE would like to lease country home. 3 bedroom, 2 bath. Call 689-7523 after 5 pm or leave message.

740 Out of Town Property

COLORADO Mountain property. Rare quality. Perfect location, excellent price and terms. Must sell. Steve, 719-548-0518.

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