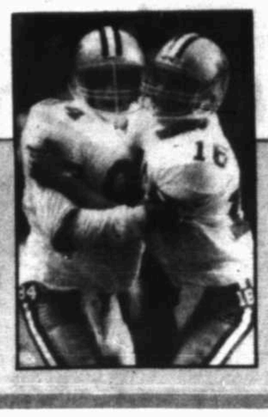
The Kids on the Block, near-life-size puppets originated by Barbara Aiello, help children learn about living with handicaps.

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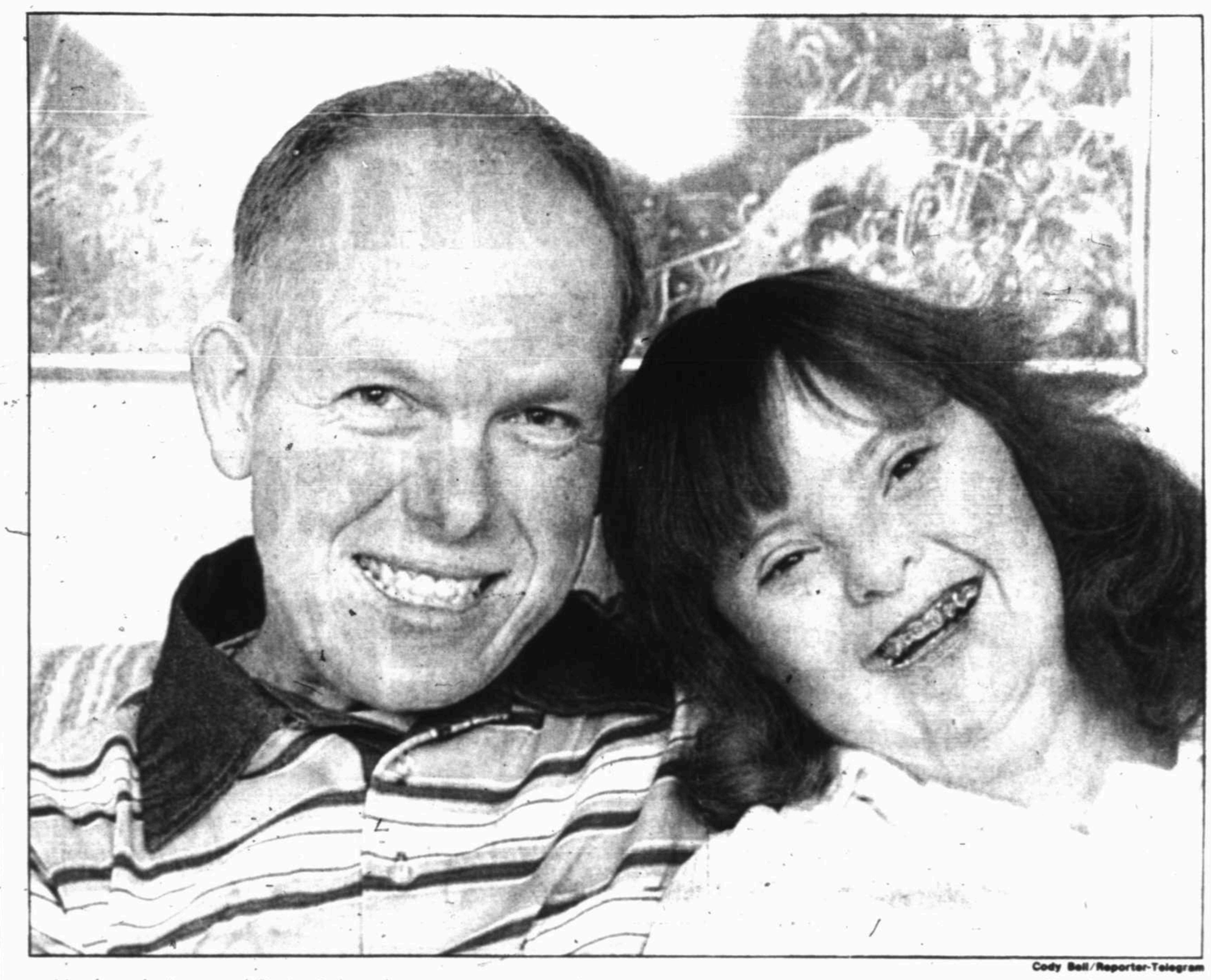
History is being made at the Ft. Davis National Historic Site with the first restoration and refurnishing of a black enlisted mens' barracks in the national park system.

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Newlyweds Jerry and Benita Lakey share a moment together at their Midland home. The couple, who suffer from varying degrees of mental retardation, were married Sept. 28.

Retarded couple adjusting to marriage

By JULIE HILLRICHS
Staff Writer

Jerry and Bonita Lakey aren't much different from any other newly married couple.

Since they began their life together on Sept. 28, the Midland newlyweds have shared many of the same experiences and anxieties — tangible or intangible — that most couples encounter during the first few months of marriage.

Yet, the Lakeys are somewhat different — both suffer from varying degrees of mental retardation.

Jerry, a native of Port Smith, Ark., and Bonita, born and reared in Midland, met 12 summers ago at a local swimming pool. From there, they grew to become close friends and, then gradually, lovers.

Jerry, 35, says he was quite smitten with Bonita from the very beginning. But, because he was bashful, he didn't know exactly how to act or what to say.

Twenty-seven-year-old Bonita echoed the same sentiments toward her husband.

Nevertheless, Jerry — a hopeless romantic — finally proposed to Bonita on her 26th birthday. The couple was married less than a year later by the bride's brother-in-law in Burleson.

"Jerry and Bonita are really very responsible people," says Ray Unterbrink, executive director of the Midland Association for Retarded Citizens and a close friend of the couple. "Retardation has never really been a significant problem in their lives"

Still, Unterbrink says Jerry and Bonita were strongly encouraged to attend counseling sessions to better prepare themselves for their life together.

The Lakeys' parents, who originally feared that the couple may be rushing into marriage, also were involved in the topics of discussion that ranged from finances to sex, he says.

The result, according to Unterbrink, is that "the two are probably better prepared for marriage than other people."

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Reagan leads memorial service at Fort Campbell

FORT CAMPBELL, Ky. (AP) — President Reagan, saying "we grieve as a nation, together," led this military community today in mourning the deaths of 248 members of the 101st Airborne Division killed in an aircraft crash as they returned home from peacekeeping duties in the Middle East.

Reagan and his wife, Nancy, flew here from Washington to attend a memorial service honoring the 245 men and three women of the "Screaming Eagles" who died along with eight aircraft crew members Thursday in the crash of a chartered DC-8 in Gander, Newfoundland.

"Some people think of members of the military as only warriors, fierce in their martial expertise," Reagan said. "But the men and women we mourn today were peacemakers.

"They were there to protect life and preserve peace, to act as a force for stability and hope and trust.

"Their commitment was as strong as their purpose was pure," the president said. "And they were proud. They had a rendezvous with destiny, and a potential they never failed to meet."

The troops were killed as they returned home for Christmas after six months' duty with peacekeeping forces in the Sinai desert.

"You do not grieve alone," Reagan told families and friends of the victims.

"We grieve as a nation, together, as together we say goodbye to those who died in the service of their country," he added.

"In life they were our heroes; in death our darlings," he said.

Offering a prayer, the president said, "Receive, O Lord, into your heavenly kingdom the men and women of the 101st Airborne, the men and women of the great and fabled Screaming Eagles.

"They must be singing now, in their joy, flying higher than mere man can fly, as flights of angels take them to their rest."

■ *Plane reached adequate take-off speed, then lost speed before it crashed*
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Afterward, the Reagans were meeting with several families of the dead soldiers.

Because the hangar where Reagan was speaking accommodates about 500 people, only immediate family members and soldiers who had served in the Sinai force were being allowed to meet with the president and Mrs. Reagan, said Maj. Jim Gleisberg, a public affairs officer for the base.

The first 10 of the 248 bodies were to be flown later today from Canada to Dover Air Force Base, Del., where positive identifications will be made.

On Sunday, about 1,000 mourners, many weeping, gathered in the nearby town of Clarksville, Tenn., for an interdenominational service for the victims.

Sobbing women and men in uniform filled the church.

"The last song to be sung, the last sound to ring down through the corridor of this universe, is not going to be a funeral dirge and it's not going to be the nauseating sound of crashing of jets, it's going to be a hallelujah chorus," the Rev. George Gracey of the First Presbyterian Church of Clarksville said after reading the 23rd Psalm.

Spec. John Bishop said that he lost his best friend, Scott Gerdes, but that the community's drawing together has helped him with his personal grief.

"Seeing the president, the chief of staffs, all our chain of command, all the billboards outside — it's helping somewhat," Bishop said.

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U.S., U.S.S.R. political climate improved

WASHINGTON (AP) — In the aftermath of last month's superpower summit at Geneva, nearly all the sanctions imposed by the United States against the Soviet Union because of its invasion of Afghanistan and other international misdeeds have been lifted.

Their elimination reflects both the passage of time and an improving political climate, U.S. officials say, even though the Soviet aggression in Afghanistan has increased rather than diminished since the sanctions first were imposed.

In addition, American banks, for the first time in five years, have resumed lending to the Soviet government to buy American grain. The amount of the recent loan, $400 million, was at an especially favorable rate of interest, just less than 8.5 percent.

The cutoff in bank lending following the 1979 Afghan invasion was a purely commercial decision by American banks, according to a State Department Soviet expert. But he said banks are sensitive to the political climate in deciding on loans and undoubtedly took the warming of ties into account.

"I don't think anything is just happenstance," he said. "In relations with the Soviet Union, politics and economics are inevitably related." He asked not to be identified.

In another reflection of the improved climate, a major trade delegation headed by Secretary of Commerce Malcolm Baldrige was in Moscow last week to promote increased trade.

One of President Reagan's first foreign policy decisions after taking office was to lift the embargo against grain sales to the Soviet Union imposed by President Carter after the Soviet move into Afghanistan. Reagan overruled then-Secre-

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Three-year old Midland boy accidentally shot in left leg

From Staff Reports

A 3-year-old Midland boy who had been left alone with his twin brother in a room with loaded rifles was listed in serious condition this morning after an accidental shooting Sunday, according to Sheriff's Office and Midland Memorial Hospital reports.

William Jared Flynn and his twin brother had apparently been left in a room with loaded rifles by their mother's boyfriend, reports said. The boys and their mother, Tamara Smith, 4715 W. Wadley, were having dinner Sunday at the home of her boyfriend, Dave Moss, County Road 135 West.

After dinner, Moss put the boys to bed in his roommate's bedroom. Shortly before 9 p.m. Moss looked in on the boys, then went back to the kitchen. About five or 10 minutes later there was the sound of a gunshot, and Moss found William bleeding from his left leg, reports said.

A .30-.30-caliber rifle was found near the other twin, and a loaded .22-caliber rifle was also found in the room, reports said. Moss told sheriff's officers he hadn't known his roommate had kept the rifles loaded.

A preliminary medical report indicated the boy could lose his leg, according to reports. The investigation into the shooting was to continue today.

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The Midland Cheer Fund, with a goal of $10,000, now totals $5,114. Latest contributors are:



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Followers confused by enigma of Jesus

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the first of a five-part Christmas series about the enigma of Jesus and the work of his early followers in defining his role. Part One focuses on the puzzlement and the Apostles' Creed.

Birth of Christian Doctrine

A five-part series

By GEORGE W. CORNELL
AP Religion Writer

In the polytheistic cities of the ancient Roman Empire and out in the lonely, barren isolation of desert mystics, a web of tangled notions and suppositions grew about that unforgettable prodigy of Galilee — Jesus.

Just who was that person born on the first Christmas? What was he? God? Man? Half and half, or both? How comprehend his nature and import?

A strange one, that Jesus, so peculiar, so different, yet common. Born in abject hardship, harassed, threatened, yet forcefully captivating. A roving Jewish rabbi, crucified, then resurrected, witnesses insisted on pain of death, and ever alive.

What did it signify? His meaning? His makeup? Do others share in it somehow?

"He was a mere man, yet with hidden power," claimed Elkasai, a Dead Sea recluse who taught rigid disciplines aimed at achieving that special power. "He is Light," contended Mani, a Persian expounder who spun out an elaborate pantheism of a dark earthly creator versus a benign, grander deity revealed by a Christ who only appeared human, an immaterial phantom. That Manichaeism spread through the empire.

"His kingdom comes," predicted the fanatic Montanus of Asia Minor, foretelling imminent doom for a matter-corrupted world, claiming in somnambulistic ecstasies to possess Christ's comforting "paraclete." "I am Christ," claimed an Egyptian gnostic, identifying Jesus with untapped, generative forces of nature.

It was a lancing, imagination-firing puzzle in Christianity's first three centuries, a time of state-enshrined gods, goddesses and cryptic oracles. A new, intriguing consideration — the mystery of Christ — had infiltered quietly into that murky, profligate society and into the reclusive hideaways in the wilderness.

"The city is full of mechanics and slaves who are all of them profound theologians, and preach in the shops and streets," wrote a noted thinker from the solitary outlands, Gregory of Nyssa, concerning a visit to Rome in the fourth century.

"If you desire a man to change a piece of silver he informs you wherein the Son differs from the Father; if you ask the price of a loaf...you are told that the Son is inferior to the Father; and if you inquire whether the bath is ready, the answer is, the Son was made out of nothing."

From the start, even when Jesus was physically present, neither his family nor closest friends could figure him out. "Seeing they do not see, and hearing they do not hear, nor do they understand," he said. When he was gone, ascended from sight or earshot, they grew more baffled and wondering.

"For now we see in a mirror dimly," the missionary-apostle Paul put it, pleading for mature unity in faith and understanding of Christ "so that we may no longer be as children, tossed to and fro and carried about with every wind of doctrine by the cunning of men in their craftiness and deceitful wiles."

Amid the vying moil of propositions and deductions about Jesus in that age, similar to competing values of modern times, the preservation and stability of Christianity demanded some standards, some guideposts and firm principles about him that would stand against the aberrations.

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Contest winner's $20 million claim contested by sponsor

CHICAGO (AP) — Beatrice Cos. says an Atlanta man's claim that he won $20 million in a football contest the corporation sponsored won't be honored and the contest has been canceled.

Bill Blodgett, director of corporate relations for the Beatrice Grocery Group in Fullerton, Calif., said the contest was canceled after the corporation was contacted by an Atlanta salesman who claimed to have thousands of winning tickets.

He said the corporation is investigating how the tickets were obtained.

Frank Maggio, a salesman for Procter & Gamble, said he mailed thousands of winning entries in the "Monday Night Winning Lineup" contest, which was based on the number of touchdowns and field goals scored in eight Monday night National Football League games this season.

Maggio, 23, said he found a pattern to the game cards and the contest rules entitle him to $20 million or 20,000 tickets to the Super Bowl.

Officials of Chicago-based Beatrice said they called off the contest and announced the cancellation in a Nov. 29 newspaper advertisement.

"We are continuing an investigation into this matter," said Blodgett, "but we have no intention of honoring Mr. Maggio's cards."

Blodgett said Beatrice officials intended for the contest to be "a game of chance" but that "a quick analysis here led us to believe we had to cancel the contest because apparently it could be manipulated."

He would not say whether the company will give any prizes to anyone else.

Such contests come under the jurisdiction of the Federal Trade Commission, said Bill Pierce, a research analyst in its division of marketing practices.

Pierce said no specific rules govern such contests, although the events must comply with the Federal Trade Act, which prohibits unfair or deceptive acts or practices in commerce.

Pierce said he knows of no contest complaints reported to the agency.

The contest cards contained eight blocks, one for each of the eight Monday night NFL games. In each block were 16 numbers covered by silver dots — eight corresponding to touchdowns and eight to field goals.

Entrants were required to scratch off one dot in each category. If the numbers disclosed by scratching off the dots corresponded to the exact number of field goals or touchdowns scored by a particular team in that week's game, the player was awarded one point. No rule prohibited a player from waiting until after the game to scratch off the dots.

Commission faces crisis of creating recreation areas



Coleman

AUSTIN (AP) — An increasing number of Americans are finding more ways to get outdoors, a trend that has created a shortage of recreation areas, according to a member of a presidential commission.

"We must find resources for them. It's a challenge, but it can be done," said Wilbur LaPage, New Hampshire's parks and recreation director.

New activities, such as the use of all-terrain vehicles, have become a "major concern," LaPage added.

The New Hampshire official is on the President's Commission on American Outdoors, which will report to President Reagan in December 1986, after a year-long study. The 15-member panel spent Thursday in Austin, listening to testimony and looking at local facilities.

"The demand has increased. The actual resource has shrunk. Right now, it's out of balance," said a commission member whose products have made thousands of trips into the wilderness.

Sheldon Coleman, 84, is the chairman of the Wichita, Kan.-based Coleman Co., best-known for its camping gear.

"The purpose of the commission is to bring a blueprint that, if followed, will bring about national and state and local recreation facilities to take care of the American people," Coleman said.

A growing population, including people who are enjoying relatively new activities, has caused a recreation area crunch. The panel is expected to offer an updated version of a 1962 congressional commission report that shaped recreation programs for 20 years.

Recreation has changed significantly since 1962, according to the current panel. Bicycling and camping have increased 500 percent. Skiing is up 65 percent.

"Activities virtually unknown in 1960 — rock-climbing and whitewater rafting, snowmobiles, and windsurfing — now attract millions of fun-seekers," according to a commission report.

John Crompton, president of the private Texas State Parks and Recreation Association, said money for more parks could be raised by taxing recreation equipment used in all kinds of sports, similar to existing taxes on fishing, hunting and boating.

"It's inequitable to require hunters, boaters and fishermen to pay such a tax while those who pursue other recreations are not required to do so," Crompton said.

A 10 percent tax on recreation equipment could raise $390 million a year, he said.

Parks and recreation officials from major Texas cities urged the commission to remember that many city residents can't get to remote wilderness or park areas.

"Our citizens depend heavily on recreation within the city," said Donald Olson, Houston's parks and recreation director.

Several of the urban officials called on the outdoor commission to look indoors, also. Big cities — especially in the North — need indoor facilities, they said.

"We are going to look at the recreation needs indoors as well as outdoors," said commission member Charles Jordan, Austin's parks and recreation director.

Dr. Russell Hoverman, an Austin physician, said Americans need open spaces as encouragement "for taking care of ourselves."

"We do live in a stressful society," he said. "Parks and open spaces are not a panacea, but it's one very important way to balance these stresses."

Playboy, Penthouse are to be nixed at prisons

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. (AP) — State officials want to cancel Playboy and Penthouse magazine subscriptions for four prison libraries, saying they are an inappropriate use of public funds.

"If the inmates want it, they can subscribe to it and pay for it out of their own money," Nic Howell, a Department of Corrections spokesman, said last week.

Three of the libraries are run for the state by the regional Corn Belt Library System. The department has asked the system to cancel the subscriptions of the magazines, which contain nude pictures, Howell said, "but we have no control over what they stock."

The library at the fourth prison is state-operated and subscriptions there will be canceled, he said.

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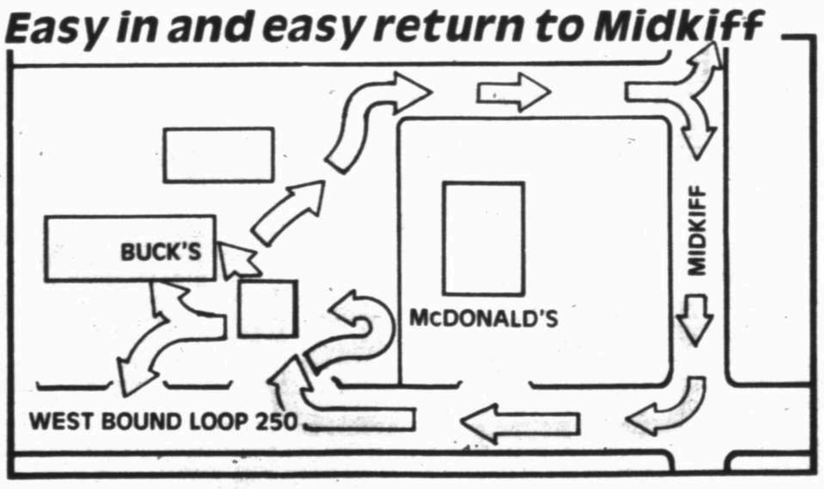
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Biggest holiday event in Santa Claus lighting candles along streets

SANTA CLAUS, Ga. (AP) — A dream of turning Santa Claus into a tourist attraction ended with the arrival of the interstates, but residents still line the streets with candles and sell ornaments year-round in this tiny town where Christmas spirit is synonymous with civic pride.

The twin white pillars of City Hall have been wrapped in red ribbon to resemble candy canes. A nativity display is on the roof and a plastic Santa adorns the front steps of the brick building.

But the big event this time of year in Santa Claus is when the town's 275 residents place lighted candles along the nine streets on Christmas Eve to help St. Nick find children's homes.

"It makes a pretty impressive sight," said Mayor Bernard Harden, a 47-year-old salesman who lives on Candy Cane Lane. "We have a lot of visitors who ride through here looking at all the streets."

"It's the most amazing thing I've ever seen," said Debbie Morris, a clerk at the Santa Claus Grocery Store.

Among the snuff tins and headache remedies at the general store, the town's only business besides the 16-room Santa Claus motel, are colorful ceramic Christmas ornaments sold throughout the year.

Mr. Santa and Mrs. Santa sit on a shelf, along with a dog with a candy cane and a red sleeping cap and red boots that hold candy canes. Della O'Neal, who bought the store only two months ago, said she plans to keep a decorated tree on the premises year-round.

The town's name originated with C.G. "Farmer" Green, who ran a shop that sold souvenirs and pecan candies to tourists in the 1930s and 1940s, Harden said.

"He started calling it Santa Claus to promote his sales," said the mayor. "When they chartered the town in 1941, it was a natural thing to call it Santa Claus."

Green moved on, and developer William Salem began building brick houses in a pecan grove that had supplied the shop. "He...let people move into them and start paying for them when they could," said Harden, noting that the only street in town without a Christmas theme is Salem Boulevard.

Besides Candy Cane Lane, there's December Drive, Rudolph Way and Sleigh, Dancer, Prancer, Reindeer and Noel streets.

Santa Claus' post office has been closed, but the town has retained its postmark. Each year it receives requests from all over the country to mail Christmas cards. Harden estimates he and two others will postmark about 200 cards this Christmas.

Although most tourists opt for Interstate 95 to the east or Interstate 75 to the west, some travelers, especially retired people, like to travel the backroads to enjoy the countryside and discover small towns like Santa Claus, said Vipin Sheth, owner of the Santa Claus Motel.

"It's not a dead road," he said of the highway that used to be a major route for tourists traveling to Florida from the Northeast.

A native of India, Sheth purchased the motel this year and will be spending his first Christmas in Santa Claus. He was making plans to put up his large, lighted Christmas tree.

"Ho, Ho, Ho," he said. "It's nice to celebrate Christmas."

Santa Claus will hold what Harden described as its first citywide Christmas party on Saturday. St. Nick will arrive by car and pass out fruit and candy to the kids.

"Everyone gets involved," said Harden. "Doing things together brings people together. There seems to be a closeness here that you don't find in other towns. Cooperation is tremendous."

JESUS

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Uncompiled copies of the Gospels attributed to the apostles and letters of Paul were circulating by the end of the first century, along with other early Christian writings subsequently rejected as part of the New Testament. However, only varying parts of the writings were available in the dispersed churches of the empire, and scarcely at all to ordinary believers.

While the Christians revered Jewish Scriptures, later called the Old Testament, and read them in worship services, it was not until the year 367 that Athanasius, then bishop of Alexandria, compiled a list of the 27 books which eventually made up the New Testament.

Its contents weren't formally fixed until the end of the fourth century.

In the preceding years, without clear formulations of belief to go by and with various conjectures and opinions abroad, the church gradually began devising "regula fidei," "rules of faith" or abridged articles of it for use in instruction and for public confession of candidates for baptism.

They varied from church to church. A baptismal formula in Rome near the end of the second century went this way:

"Do you believe in God the Father Almighty?"

"I believe."

"Do you believe in Jesus Christ the Son of God who was born of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary, who was crucified under Pontius Pilate and died, and rose the third day, living from the dead, and ascended into heaven and...will come to judge the living and the dead?

"I believe."

"Do you believe in the Holy Spirit and the holy church, and the resurrection of the flesh?"

"I believe."

None of that, however, attempts to categorize just who Jesus is, whether simply God's human "son," like all people created "in his image," or whether he's divine en toto, his humanity a disguise.

Nor does it say whether he's just a momentary reproduction of God inside time, not the authentic God of eternity, or whether he's a co-equal twin, a second god, as in Greek and Roman polytheism with its multiple gods, or whether he somehow fully integrates the one true God and true man.

He himself presented some puzzling anomalies about it. "The Son of man," he usually termed himself. He grieved, wept, got angry and tired. He worried, felt fear and screamed in lonely agony on the cross. Yet afterward, he passed through doors, appeared, vanished and appeared.

"I and the Father are one," he said in the most interpretative of the Gospels, that of John. Yet he also said, "My teaching is not mine, but his who sent me...The Son can do nothing on his own accord."

However, he also said, "The Father is in me and I am in the Father.... Truly, truly, I say to you, before Abraham was, I am."

That seemed to situate him in all eternity, not just a temporary, secondary copy of Godliness, a fleeting, spurious duplicate. Yet with the countervailing clues, early believers drew discordant inferences about him.

Even in his earthly ministry, listeners got clashing impressions. "He is a good man," some said. "No, he is leading the people astray." "This is really the prophet." "This is the Christ." "Is Christ to come from Galilee?"

The first, oldest and shortest creed or profession about Christ came from the impulsive apostle Peter after Jesus asked his apostles who people said he was. He got mixed answers — that he was considered John the Baptist or Elijah, Jeremiah or some other prophet.

"But who do you say that I am?" Jesus asked.

Peter burst out, "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God."

Jesus said, "Blessed are you, Simon Bar-Johan! For flesh and blood has not revealed this to you, but my Father who is in heaven. And I tell you, you are Peter, and on this rock I will build my church, and the powers of hell shall not prevail against it."

Nevertheless, that exchange didn't explain the paradox of being a man and also God's offspring, nor did it say which constitutes him, nor who "Christ" might be — a political messiah, as many considered him, or something else.

It was not surprising that ensuing generations often had contradictory views about him, a cacophany of ideas not conducive to the integrity or lasting strength of Christianity.

One theory, Monarchism, classified Christ as a second, subordinate god under the sole, everlasting God. A bishop of Antioch taught that Christ was only a man adopted into the divine sphere by his "dynamis" or power acquired through his struggle.

Marcion, a wealthy Black Sea shipowner, subsequently influential in Rome, claimed Christ was "not born of men, but came down from heaven, only seeming to have a body," representing the real spirit god of a realm above the Jews' evil "Demiurge" god, who created a debased material world.

Behind most of these and other hypotheses lay a widely spread "gnosticism," which flourished through the second century, holding that a spiritual elite possessed an esoteric, secret knowledge about Christ, a "gnosis," perceiving him not as human but as a misapprehended ghost.

Linked to that notion, "docetism" claimed that Christ's body was not flesh and blood, but only an illusion.

Most of these twists and countless others assumed an irreconcilable dualism between God and matter, an antagonism between divinity and the physical world, obsessed with abandonment of it as defiled and malignant, not transforming it.

Followers often practiced severe austerities, abhoring the body or its enjoyments, demanding celibacy even in marriage, forbidding female ornamentation in dress, limiting food to certain vegetables. "We must fight against the flesh and abuse it," taught an Antiochian gnostic, fomenting injurious rites. The assorted ideas swung between opposite poles, either totally carnalizing Christ into a sort of molecular magician, or utterly spiritualizing him into a deceptive specter.

The chaotic, multiplying perceptions impelled the churches to develop some dependable touchstones of the faith to buttress and hold it on course — some brief confessions or creeds summing up the gist of authentic Christianity.

Among the oldest and still almost universally used, honored and ecumenical of these summations is the Apostles' Creed, its precise origins veiled and unrecorded, although popularly attributed to the apostles and named for them.

It unmistakably reflects their teachings, its nucleus going back to the first century. Various fragmentary forms of it, usually shortened, show up in manuscripts of second-century church leaders.

While generally in use in Rome in the fourth century, its finally elaborated wording does not appear until the sixth century.

"It has the authority of antiquity and the dew of perennial youth," writes church historian Philip Schaff. "It is the creed of creeds." It reads: "I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried.

"He descended into hell; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God, the Father Almighty, from whence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

"And I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting."

Still used in most churches in the world, the creed affirms one, universal, creator God, ruling out the aberrant dualities of some early bents, such as double gods, upper and lower. It makes clear that Jesus shared human flesh, born of Mary, and was not some ethereal illusion.

But it left leeway for assorted fancies and conceits. They continued germinating through the Roman Empire, even after Christianity gained legal status under the emperor Constantine I.

TUESDAY: Constantine and a grant of tolerance.

Christmas tree growers try to keep prices down

WASHINGTON (AP) — Christmas tree sellers — no Scrooges they — are raising prices only modestly this year.

But, there is a premium on perfection. Some full-bodied firs may be a few bucks extra.

Growers are holding the line, said Keith E. Jacob of the Minnesota Christmas Tree Growers Association, because they believe consumers just don't have the number of dollars available to buy expensive trees.

"Every Christmas tree is unique, and has it's own personality, so the price may vary from tree to tree. But generally the price is up only 2 to 3 percent," Jacob said in a recent interview.

For instance, in Minnesota, a 6-foot Scotch pine could go from $18 to $25.

The price of trees also fluctuate by areas of the nation.

A 5-foot Scotch pine shipped from Canada to suburban Maryland was tagged at $34. On the average, small Nova Scotia-bred trees sold for $20, while the average 8-to-15-foot trees were priced $35 to $45.

Pennsylvania growers Eric and Gloria Sundback, raised their prices about $1.50 a tree, although they ship their trees to affluent Chevy Chase, Md., neighborhoods. An 8-foot Douglas fir sells for $49.50. A handsome Fraser tree — best for hanging ornaments on because of wide spacing of branches — goes for a pricey $65.72.

Sundback, 57, a stocky, white-bearded grower whose jolly spirit befits the season, says he is making a good living off the sale of holiday trees. But he points out it takes up to 15 years of babying the trees before they are felled — usually when the trees are only halfway to their prime.

Hechinger's, an eastern chain of hardware stores, is advertising fresh cut trees from nearly $13 to $30.

People in Florida and Texas probably will pay $35 for a tree that will be sold for $25 in Milwaukee. Some of that added cost will be about $2.50, for shipping and the extra care required to keep it away from warm breezes.

"We are observing that retailers and wholesalers are charging virtually the same prices as last year for the popular 5½- to 7-foot trees," said Don McNeil, executive director of the 3,000-member National Christmas Tree Association based in Milwaukee.

"The inflation factor has leveled out tremendously and producers and retailers want to sell more trees," McNeil said of a recent survey of 200 member producers. They are hoping to sell 700,000 more trees than the 31.5 million put on the block last year, he noted.

Another 2 million trees are shipped from Canada, according to NcNeil's estimate.



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The president's visit highlights the outpouring of concern from the local community as well as the rest of the nation for the families of the victims.

Food and money were being collected to assist the families of the dead soldiers, a base spokesman said. Many people donated toys for the soldiers' children in time for Christmas.

"All welcome the sharing of love and affection and prayer," said Army Chief of Staff John A. Wickham Jr. during a weekend visit to the base.

Base ready to receive soldiers' bodies

DOVER AIR FORCE BASE, Del. (AP) — Members of the honor guard for the bodies of 10 servicemen returning from the site of the military charter crash in Canada say they are proud to serve for men who were not only comrades in arms, but friends.

One member of the guard sent here from the headquarters of the 101st Airborne Division in Fort Campbell, Ky., Spec. 4 Larry B. Buckner, said he knew two of the soldiers who died.

"I had a pretty good idea that they were on the plane," said Buckner, whose home is in Pittsburg, Texas." "But it still comes as shock when it's someone you worked with, someone you knew."

The bodies of the 10 servicemen were to be honored in a ceremony here today in the same huge hangar where 237 U.S. Marines killed in a terrorist bombing in Beirut were honored in 1983.

The bodies are being brought here for positive identification and preparation for burial. The bodies will then be transported according to the relatives' wishes, base officials said.

They were among 248 servicemen and eight Arrow Air crewmembers killed when their DC-8 jetliner crashed Thursday after a refueling stop in Gander, Newfoundland while they were en route home for Christmas from a six-month peacekeeping mission in the Middle East.

Two planes, carrying 10 bodies each, are expected to arrive at the base today with the memorial service scheduled shortly afterwards.

Although only 10 bodies are being honored initially, base spokesman Maj. Charles Willey said the second plane is being sent with 10 bodies in case "something was to happen to the first aircraft."

Subsequent plane arrivals are expected to carry 36 bodies each.

A large American flag will provide the backdrop and flags from the 50 states will be lined along one side of the hangar in front of the American flag. The transfer cases in which the bodies will arrive will also be draped with American flags.

The Army Field band from Ft. Myer in Virginia will provide the music, Willey said.

Also on hand will be the 123-member honor guard from Ft. Campbell and a 23-member ceremonial guard.

Willey said the ceremony would last about an hour, but subsequent ceremonies will be shorter.

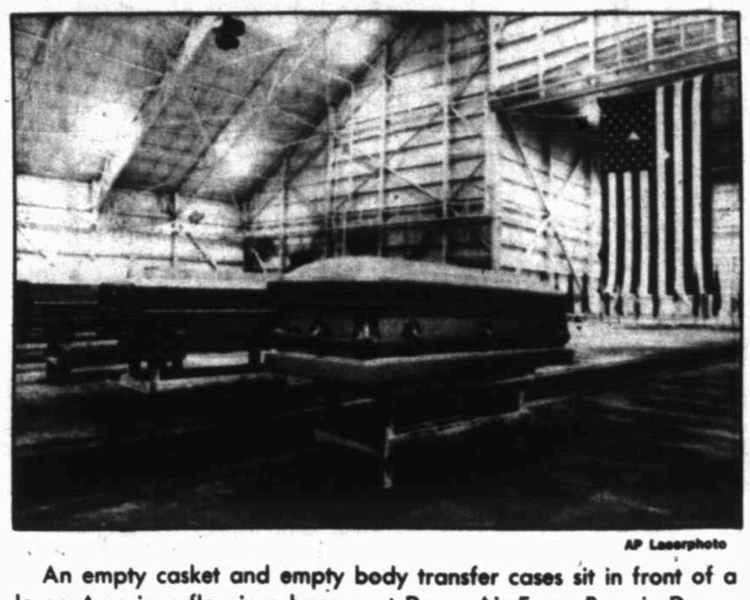
Chaplains from the 101st, as well as base chaplains, are prepared to provide comfort for family members who attend the ceremony.

Air Force Lt. Col. Chaplain Joseph Boone said care teams have been formed which include two chaplains each, one mental health counselor and one family support counselor.

He said the chaplains want to be able to take care of the families' physical, psychological and spiritual needs.

Army Capt. Chaplain Stanley Schwartz said the ceremony would be especially hard for him because he was friends with several of the men who died.

The base, which houses the military's largest mortuary, regularly handled large numbers of bodies during the Vietnam War and the 913 bodies of the Rev. Jim Jones' Peoples Temple cult who committed suicide in Guyana in 1978.



AP Laserphoto

An empty casket and empty body transfer cases sit in front of a large American flag in a hangar at Dover Air Force Base in Dover, Del., Sunday during preparations for a memorial service for the 248 servicemen who were killed in the crash of the jetliner in Gander, Newfoundland.

Authorities: Plane had adequate speed

GANDER, Newfoundland (AP) — The chartered DC-8 carrying 248 U.S. soldiers and eight crew members to their deaths reached an adequate speed for takeoff, the suddenly veered right and lost speed steadily until it crashed, Canadian investigators said today.

Peter Boag, investigator-in-charge for the Canadian Aviation Safety Board, told a news conference that analysis of the Arrow Air plane's flight data recorder showed the four-engine aircraft reached a peak speed of 190 mph during the one minute and 40 seconds that elapsed from the time it bagan rolling down the runway until the crash.

Flight arrangements were completed for two C-141 military transports to take the first 20 flag-draped aluminum transfer casesso Dover Air Force Base in Delaware this afternoon. The soldiers, members of the 101st Airborne Division, were bound for Fort Campbell, Ky., and home after peacekeeping duties in Egypt's Sinai peninsula when the crash occurred.

Boag said the flight data recorder provided more detail on what happened during takeoff, but did not explain why.

"It will help us in determining the cause, but certainly at this stage it doesn't tell us the cause," he said.

The investigator said he had not pinned down exactly at what point during the brief flight the jet began slowing down and changing direction about 20 degrees to the right of its normal path. He also said he was not yet sure what peak altitude was achieved before the plane fell to a rocky hillside half a mile from the runway's end.

Boag said his 40-man team began was still pulling important pieces of the shattered aircraft from ankle-deep snow to be sent to Ottawa for close examination.

Hundreds in Gander attended a tearful Sunday memorial service where a lone bugler sounded "The Last Post" for the dead soldiers.

At Fort Campbell today, President and Mrs. Reagan attended a memorial service and met with the victims' families, many of whom first learned of the disaster as they assembled to give their loved ones a brass-band welcome home for Christmas.

Maj. Gen. John S. Crosby said the first planeloads today, each transport bearing 10 transfer cases, would be sent off with "an appropriate ceremony to honor all the soldiers who died." Officials said the transfers are to end Wednesday.

Once in Dover, the remains will be examined by specialists at the Armed Forces Institute of Pathology, who will conduct autopsies under the supervision of Canadian investigators.

Boag said the post mortems will help identify the most charred and disfigured corpses and establish exactly how, and perhaps why, the plane crashed in the rocky hills by Gander International Airport.

"It's a very difficult investigation, because of the catastrophic destruction of the aircraft, because there are no survivors," Boag said.

The probe so far has produced no conclusions about the crash's cause, but Boag said he was optimistic the safety board could determine the reasons after considering a report he will prepare and testimony at public hearings in Gander early next year.

Despite the freshly fallen snow, investigators moved key parts of the shredded and burned-out plane, including engines and cockpit instruments, to a Gander hangar for shipment to Ottawa, where they also will be analyzed.

ABC News, in a Sunday night program, played a tape recording from one of the crash victims, Spec. 4 Jeff S. Kee of Pensacola, Fla., that complained about the aircraft chartered by the military.

Kee, in a tape sent from Egypt to his fiancee, Tracy Walke of Hopkinsville, Ky., said, "I just hope...everything goes all right ... I hope the plane gets back all right, 'cause...the plane we fly on is really bad."

Miami-based Arrow has said it follows all U.S. regulations, but officials of the Sinai peacekeeping force, which polices the withdrawal of Egyptian and Israeli troops under the 1979 peace treaty, has suspended use of the carrier pending the crash investigation.

In Gander, a community of 12,000 that grew up around the airport when it became an important way station on trans-Atlantic flights, hundreds turned out for an interfaith service to mourn the dead Americans.

"We have been deeply touched by the people of Gander," Crosby told 600 people packing St. Martin's Anglican Pro-Cathedral, many of whom wept as the bugler closed the service. Another 300 watched on television screens at St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church nearby.

SANCTIONS

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tary of State Alexander M. Haig Jr., who thought the timing was bad because of a Soviet threat to Poland.

The only major sanction still fully in place is continuing restrictions against exports of high technology equipment, such as advanced computers. Those restrictions were imposed jointly by the United States and its allies.

The Soviets also have not had restored their full pre-Afghanistan quota for fishing in American waters, and probably never will because of other considerations not related to the Afghan invasion, the State Department official said. The current quota is 50,000 tons, compared with the pre-invasion quota of 400,000 tons.

Not only have the sanctions stemming from Afghanistan been lifted, but so have the sanctions imposed against Moscow following the martial law crackdown in Poland in 1982, and the shooting down of a South Korean airliner that strayed into Soviet territory in 1983.

Sanctions that have been lifted include the grain embargo, the fishing ban, the ban on direct air service by Aeroflot airlines, restrictions on social contacts and the halt in negotiations for a new cultural exchange agreement and new consulates.

A new cultural exchange agreement was signed at the Geneva summit, and was followed within days by agreements for an exchange of airline service between Aeroflot and Pan American World Airways and an opening of new consultates in New York City and Kiev.

Another major Carter-imposed sanction, the decision to boycott the 1980 Moscow Olympics, was a one-time-only action.

But although virtually all sanctions have been lifted, in none of the three instances in which they were imposed have the Soviets met American demands.

Soviet troops remain in Afghanistan in greater numbers than before. Moscow continues to support the Jaruszelski government in Poland, and Moscow didn't meet American demands for an apology for shooting down the airliner or providing compensation for its victims.

"The Soviets have not compensated the victims, nor have they ever admitted guilt or their responsibility," the official said.

But he said Moscow did agree to negotiate the North Pacific air safety agreement with the United States and Japan that is designed to prevent such tragedies in the future.

Secretary of State George P. Shultz and other senior U.S. officials have said they believe Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev had signaled at the summit new flexibility on Afghanistan, but as yet there has been no follow-up move to end Moscow's involvement.

According to officials both in and out of government, sanctions such as those imposed against Moscow seldom are undertaken with the expectation they will cause the other government to change course, and they eventually outlive their usefulness.

Harold Brown, secretary of defense in the Carter administration at the time of the Afganistan invasion, recently told reporters such sanctions "have a limited effect, but have to be done anyway simply because in many cases it's not acceptable either to do nothing at all or to take military action."

"But they erode fairly quickly and, I think, that at some point they have to be restored," Brown said. "There is a certain advantage in being able to repeat the same punishment for the same steps of disapproval for matters that you had nothing stronger that you can do about it."

COUPLE

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Jerry says married life "is easier than I thought."

Both are totally self-sufficient. Jerry is an employee at Dellwood Lanes bowling alley. Benita works for Permian Basin Mental Health/Mental Retardation.

They also attend Adult Basic Education classes at Midland College and are active members and volunteers at MARC.

"They've kind of grown up with our organization," says Unterbrink. "Whenever we need help, they're available."

Neither Jerry nor Bonita know what the future holds in store. They say they hope to adopt children one day, but "not right away."

"Right now, we're just getting to know each other," Jerry says.

According to Bonita, the biggest adjustment to married life is "getting up at 5:30 in the morning and fixing breakfast. But we take turns with the cooking and other household chores."

For Jerry, it's "learning to be patient" with his wife.

"She's kind of hard to live with," he says jokingly.

Bush receives honorary degree

New York Times News Service

NEW YORK — Vice President George Bush, Israel's ambassador to the United States and five business and community leaders Sunday received honorary degrees from Yeshiva University, the oldest and largest university under Jewish auspices in the United States.

At a ceremony in the Grand Ballroom of the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, Bush denounced anti-Semitism and international terrorism and affirmed the United States' determination not to negotiate with the Palestine Liberation Organization until it renounces violence and recognizes Israel's right to exist.

"What else but evil can we call the beating and murder on TWA Flight 847 of young Navy Petty Officer Robert Stethem, or the machine-gunning of six young Marines in El Salvador?" Bush said in a keynote address, wearing his honorary robe and purple hood.

"What else but evil," he continued, "can we call the murder on the Achille Lauro of Leon Klinghoffer, who was confined to a wheelchair, victim of a stroke?

"We must be very clear about this — the goal of the terrorism we see in the world today is to undermine Western democratic society, to undermine the institutions, values and traditions that are the foundations of our civilization."

Earlier, Bush and his wife, Barbara, paid an informal visit to John Cardinal O'Connor, the Roman Catholic Archbishop of New York, at his home. Bush and O'Connor, who celebrated the 40th anniversary of his priesthood Sunday, are old friends, a spokesman for Bush said.

Dr. Norman Lamm, president of Yeshiva, said in an interview that the university was proud to award Bush an honorary Doctor of Laws degree. The occasion was Yeshiva's 61st annual Hanukkah Dinner and Convocation. Yeshiva also awards honorary degrees at commencements.

In his address, Bush said the United States was committed to Israel as its foremost ally in the Middle East. He denounced what he said were efforts by the Soviet Union and its Arab allies to remove Israel from the United Nations and pass resolutions attacking Zionism as racist.

The Israeli ambassador, Meir Rosenne, who also received a Doctor of Laws degree, hailed the achievements of Jews throughout history at a dinner after the ceremony.

"Never has there been another instance in recorded history of a people whose political state and religious center were destroyed, its land devastated, its members driven off and dispersed to the far corners of the earth," Rosenne said, "only to survive in creativity and dignity, to retain their faith and to return to their land to rebuild after 1,800 years."

The five other degree recipients, of Doctors of Humane Letters, were:

- David Berg, a philanthropist and senior partner of the law firm Berg & Dorf.
- J. Morton Davis, owner, president and chairman of D.H. Blair & Co., Yeshiva trustee and author of "Making America Work Again."
- Joseph S. Gruss, founder of Gruss & Co. and a Yeshiva trustee.
- Herbert H. Schiff, chairman and chief executive officer of SCOA Industries Inc.
- Leonard N. Stern chairman of the Hartz Mountain Corp. and publisher of The Village Voice.

Meese meets with Mexican official

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Attorney General Edwin Meese was in San Antonio early today for talks with his counterpart from Mexico on drug smuggling and immigration problems.

Officials at the Palacio del Rio Hotel said Meese and Mexican Attorney General Sergio Garcia Ramirez arrived overnight for the talks.

San Antonio was chosen for the talks, according to the Justice Department, because it is a halfway point between the capitals of the two nations.

The conference is the third this year on the same issues.

Specifically, Meese and Ramirez were expected to discuss insufficient efforts to eradicate Mexican drug crops and to stop the flow of narcotics across the U.S.-Mexican border.

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Bethlehem post office getting lots of business

BETHLEHEM, Md. (AP) — It's an understatement to say that the post office in this small town on Maryland's Eastern Shore has a Christmas rush — but there's a dividend.

Postmaster June Wagner, who works out of a country store and usually handles about 25 to 50 pieces of outgoing mail per day, gets between 2,000 and 3,000 pieces daily at this time of the year.

The letters have been mailed or brought to this outpost from around the world, to be hand-stamped with the special Bethlehem Christmas postmark, which shows the Three Wise Men following the Star of Bethlehem.

Ms. Wagner may sometimes feel that she could use a workshop full of elves to help with the crush, but it's worth it: she says Christmas season mailings help pay Bethlehem's post office expenses for the rest of the year.

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NEW YORK (AP) — Not every traveler passing through the Big Apple en route to Europe gets this kind of hospitality: coordinated efforts by city officials to make their stay comfortable, and even access to a heated swimming pool.

Then again, these travelers were a little out of the ordinary. They're three dolphins heading for a Swedish marine park.

The three, having traveled to New York from Miami, waited to catch a plane to Stockholm, but there's a little turnaround time between the cargo flights.

The travelers couldn't very well book a suite at the Waldorf.

So, along came Deborah Bernstein of the city Office of International Buisness Development and Louis Garibaldi of the New York Aquarium.

They arranged for the animals to be put up in comfort — in a saltwater pool at the aquarium in Coney Island.

Actually, these dolphins are used to special accommodations. During Hurricane Elena in September, they were taken from an aquarium in Mississippi and put in hotel swimming pools until the rough weather passed.



Capitol tree

AP Laserphoto

With the U.S. Capitol in the background, a tree on the grounds of the Smithsonian Institution glows for Christmas, only part of the holiday sparkle in the nation's capital this Christmas.

Tips given on how to pick Christmas tree

LUFKIN, Texas (AP) — If there is one thing Arthur Fisher has learned after seven years of peddling pines, it's that there really is no accounting for taste. "You'd be surprised at what people pick out," he said, walking through rows and rows of Virginia Pines growing seven miles outside Lufkin alongside U.S. 69.

Some like 'em plump and some don't mind scraggly and that's good news for growers like Fisher, who counts each cut Christmas tree as a little more money in his pocket.

Whatever your taste in trees to trim, searching for one makes for a fine fresh air outing this time of year.

Most searching these days takes place at either a tree lot or a choose-and-cut site like Fisher's. His operation, which he says has no real name, will be open daily from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. through Dec. 22.

Choosing a tree is one thing — lightly tripping up and down the rows calling "Oh, here's a pretty one," or "This one has a nice shape."

Making it yours is another thing altogether.

First there is the selection phase. You've given the needles the crush test — if they bounce back the tree is fresh — and you've made a decision. Moments ago, the choice had been difficult. There were so many nice ones. Once you've decided, however, it seems like the only tree for you and a tiny worry creeps in if you have to leave to get an attendant to cut it or pick it up for you.

The Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service has given tips on how to care for your tree

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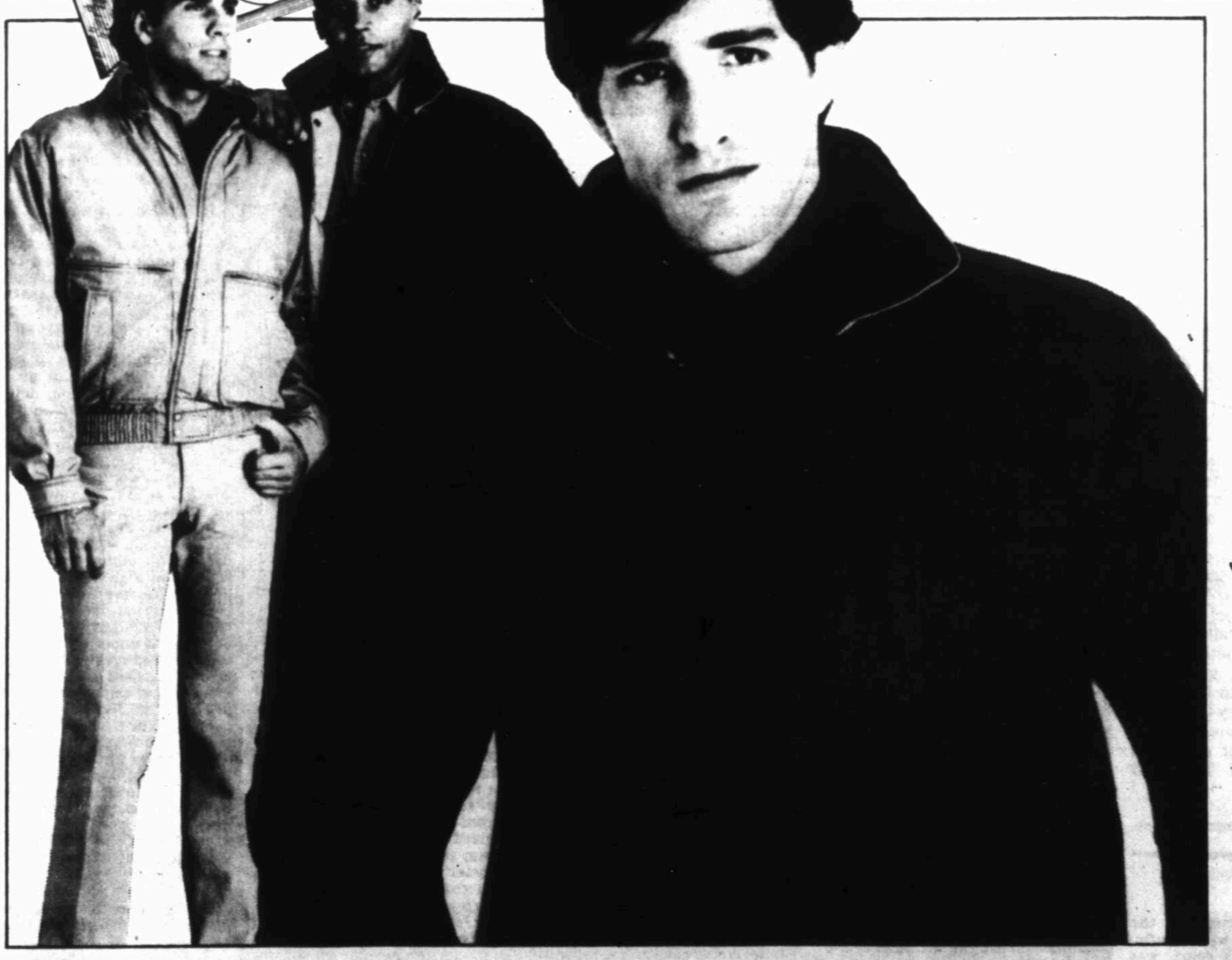
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Commendable act

Apathy kills, but because a Midland man chose not to look the other way late last week, a family was warned of fire at their residence and escaped without incident.

The man, Warren Briggs, was a block away from the house at 310 S. Dallas last Thursday when he saw smoke and flames from the residence. Briggs' girlfriend called the fire department while he went to the residence to investigate. No one was coming out of the house, so Briggs entered and found one person eating breakfast. Most of the house's other occupants were sleeping at the time.

The fire department arrived shortly afterward and extinguished the flames, although not before heavy damage resulted to the roof, attic and kitchen.

Briggs' actions are commendable not only because they possibly were responsible for there being no injuries or deaths in the fire, but also because they showed he was thinking of others and not himself.

That's a quality all too frequently lacking in today's society. Too many people are overly willing to sit back and leave to "someone else" the difficult tasks that require selflessness and personal courage. If "someone else" had not chosen to act in this instance, though, the result could have been tragic.

The benefits of Warren Briggs' decision to get involved in a situation that could have resulted in loss of life are obvious. He made the individuals in the burning house aware of the danger unknown to them. In so doing, he chose to put himself in the public spotlight if only for a moment and to risk whatever consequences that action might involve.

We take pride in saluting Warren Briggs for his potentially life-saving decision and recommend that others do the same when similar circumstances arise in the future.

City shows caring

With the local economy significantly depressed because of falling oil prices and a large volume of oil on the world market, it wasn't unexpected that the United Way of Midland had a difficult time raising this year's goal of $2.12 million.

But the officials and volunteers of that organization persevered with their campaign and proudly announced Thursday that the goal had been exceeded.

That says a lot about the determination and loyalty of this year's campaign chairman, Tom Madonna, and all the workers. Without their efforts, the needed funds would not have been acquired and member agencies would have felt the pinch of the funding shortfall.

Even more, though, it attests to the commitment of Midland's citizenry — a willingness to help others who need support in times of hardship.

To all those who worked long and hard on this year's campaign and to all those whose only participation was the contributions that make the continuation of valuable community services possible, a heartfelt thanks is appropriate.

Another View:

A Nobel travesty

One could get a tad cynical about the heart attack of that Soviet television reporter in Oslo the other day. It seems to have been a real heart attack — certainly more genuine than the peace work of Dr. Yevgeny Chazov, the Soviet cardiologist who shared this year's Nobel Peace Prize and at whose press conference the heart attack took place.

But what a timely moment to have it. The real questions were just being asked: Why had Dr. Chazov signed a letter denouncing Andrei Sakharov, the Soviet physicist (and himself a former Nobel Peace Prize winner), who has been exiled and persecuted for his defense of human rights? How was it possible to be the personal physician of Soviet leaders, a member of the Communist Party Central Committee, and a senior member of the Soviet medical establishment without condoning, if not abetting, Soviet abuses of psychiatry to punish dissidents?

"I did not expect questions addressed to me to start with this topic," said Chazov about the Sakharov letter, but just as things started to get hot, the Soviet journalist had his heart attack. Chazov and Dr. Bernard Lown of Harvard, with whom he shares this year's Nobel award, leaped from the platform to help him.

"We have witnessed a terrible event today," said Lown, "but you can see that when crisis comes, Soviet and American doctors cooperate." It's like that old joke about the American and the Russian comparing their freedoms. "We are free to criticize Ronald Reagan," says the American, "any time we like." "And so," replies the Russian, "are we."

The American physicians associated with the prizewinning International Physicians for the Prevention of Nuclear War have been conscientious campaigners for a reduction of nuclear tension, critics of official policy, and an independent voice to alert the nation to the horrors of nuclear war. One can hardly say the same for Chazov, who has never said a discouraging word, either in Moscow or anywhere else, about Soviet human rights violations, about Soviet nuclear policy, about Soviet abuse of psychiatry or about Soviet persecution of the courageous handful of physicians who have refused to participate in that persecution.

This isn't the first time the Nobel Peace Prize went to a dubious winner. But it's hard to imagine a more monumental travesty than Yevgeny Chazov. When Sakharov won his Nobel 10 years ago, the Russians called it an award "for anti-Sovietism" and refused to let him go. When Lech Walesa won it in 1983, they called him a "money-grubbing, foul-mouthed demagogue." When Chazov won it this year, they were delighted. They had every reason to be.

— The Sacramento Bee

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today's highlight in history:

On Dec. 16, 1773, the Boston Tea Party took place as American colonists, disguised as Indians, boarded a British ship in Boston Harbor and dumped more than 300 chests of tea overboard in a protest against tea taxes.

On this date:

In 1770, the German composer Ludwig van Beethoven was born.

In 1809, Napoleon Bonaparte was divorced from the Empress Josephine by an act of the French Senate.

In 1905, the entertainment trade publication "Variety" came out with its first weekly issue.

In 1916, Gregory Rasputin, the monk who wielded powerful influence over the Russian court, was murdered.

In 1944, the World War II Battle of the Bulge began in Belgium.

In 1960, a United Air Lines DC-8 and a TWA Super Constellation collided over New York City and crashed, killing 134 people.

In 1976, the government halted its swine flu vaccination program following reports of paralysis apparently linked to the vaccine.

Thought for today: "Pleasure is very seldom found where it is sought." —Samuel Johnson, English author-wit-lexicographer (1709-1784).



JACK ANDERSON

Second hostage feared dead

WASHINGTON — Last June, when the 39 American hostages from TWA Flight 847 were set free in Beirut, President Reagan said he would not forget the seven other Americans who had been kidnapped in Lebanon.


Jack Anderson

But even as he made that assurance, the CIA had reliable intelligence that two of the seven Americans were already dead. We reported last week the evidence that CIA agent William Buckley, 57, died earlier this year of torture-induced heart failure.

Now we have learned that 60-year-old Peter Kilburn, librarian at the American University of Beirut when he was kidnapped last December, also died of a heart attack in captivity. Unlike Buckley's death, however, Kilburn's was not caused by torture; he wasn't a prisoner long enough to be abused to death by his Shiite Moslem abductors.

Here's the chronology of terror as we've been able to piece it together from intelligence sources:

March 16, 1984: Buckley, the CIA station chief in Beirut, was kidnapped at gunpoint near his apartment in the Lebanese capital. He was transported to the town of Baalbek in the eastern Bekaa Valley. This is Syrian-controlled territory, but there is a strong Iranian presence. Buckley's captors were Hezbollah (Party of God) extremists closely linked to the Islamic Jihad. Both get directions from Iran.

Dec. 3, 1984: Kilburn was kidnapped in Beirut and driven to Baalbek. He had a history of heart disease and hypertension, and a stroke had left him partially paralyzed. According to our sources, Kilburn died shortly after being seized, possibly on the day he was spirited away to Baalbek.

Jan. 22, 1985: Buckley was videotaped holding a dated newspaper. He gave a message from his kidnappers and mentioned two other American hostages — but not Kilburn.

March 1985: Buckley, disguised as a wounded Iranian volunteer from the Lebanese religious fighting, was flown in a Syrian helicopter to Damascus, where he was put on an Iranian airliner and taken to Tehran. He was subjected to renewed torture; some of it took place in the basement of the Iranian foreign ministry.

March 22: Secretary of State George Shultz privately called the family of one of the hostages and assured them "we are using quiet diplomacy" to secure the hostages' release. At the same time, Shultz sent a secret message to the Iranians via a Swiss diplomat in Tehran, warning that Iran would "suffer the consequences" if any Americans hostages were harmed. The torture of Buckley continued.

April: Buckley suffered a heart attack brought on by torture, and died in a Tehran hospital.

May: The Islamic Jihad released a picture taken earlier of five of the hostages. It included Buckley, but not Kilburn.

September: The Rev. Benjamin Weir, one of the "Lebanon Seven," was released. He, too, had been held in the Bekaa Valley, and reported seeing and talking with three other hostages — but not Buckley or Kilburn.

October: The Islamic Jihad announced it had executed Buckley in retaliation for the recent Israeli raid on Palestine Liberation Organization headquarters in Tunisia. Actually, Buckley had been dead for months. A photo of Buckley in a coffin was presented as proof of his death. The Shiites demanded the release of 100 Palestinian prisoners in Israel in return for Buckley's body.

November: A letter appeared signed by four American hostages asking for help in their release. Buckley's and Kilburn's names were not on the letter.

December: The State Department still continues to tell anyone who inquires that it "assumes" Buckley and Kilburn are still alive, along with the four others. But the State Department knows better.

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MANILA MAINLINE: The U.S. government has more to complain to Philippines President Ferdinand Marcos about than continuing corruption, suppression of human rights and economic bungling. A recent internal State Department report discloses that the Philippines is a vital link in the shipment of heroin into the United States. The Drug Enforcement Administration "concentrates its activities in the Philippines, which has now become the primary transit point for heroin from Thailand to the United States." U.S. agents work with local Philippine authorities "to interdict drug traffic and to develop related intelligence," but they need more cooperation from the top.

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UNDER THE DOME: Who says Congress can't economize when it wants to? Why, just the other day our penny-wise legislators decided to change the backing of the two-year House wall calendars from cardboard to less rigid material, for a saving of $250,000.

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MINI EDITORIAL: The Pentagon's cheerful optimism in the face of disastrous failure is sometimes maddening. The Army recently fired an anti-tank gun at its $1.5 million-a-piece Bradley Fighting Vehicle, and the armored personnel carrier burned up. But were the brass hats downhearted? Not a bit. "We're thrilled with the results," crowed an Army spokesman. "The notion that if you kick the tires of a Bradley the whole thing's going to go up in a glowing fireball just didn't pan out." Congressional critics were not amused by the hyperbole. They recalled that when the Bradley was first proposed, the generals said it would fight right alongside the tanks.

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EVANS & NOVAK

Gramm-Rudman kills defense

WASHINGTON — Chief of staff Donald T. Regan stunned the senior White House staff meeting Wednesday morning by remarking that "we are still committed to 0-3-3" — shorthand for a 3 percent increase in military spending in 1987 and 1988 after a zero increase for 1986.


Rowland Evans


Robert Novak

If that was face-saving by Regan to defend his decisive support for Gramm-Rudman budget-balancing — pretending with a straight face that President Reagan's rearmament would continue — it was ludicrously misleading. The only conceivable way to save rearmament now is a tax increase, forsworn by Reagan. If Don Regan had that in the back of his mind, he kept it private.

Former Marine Lt. Col. Regan should understand that Gramm-Rudman abandons the president's first-term priority of rearmament for second-term budget-balancing. As the president's chief counselor, Regan should also make certain Ronald Reagan understands too. Always at the president's elbow, Regan must have heard a member of the Joint Chiefs of Staff bluntly warn Reagan Friday (Dec. 6) that Gramm-Rudman may bring back the military draft, something Reagan had not heard from his staff.

Regan's "chins up" to the senior staff on Pentagon spending — only hours after he persuaded Reagan to say he would sign Gramm-Rudman — exposes a zany lack of realism. The "0-3-3" formula, consigned to the tender mercies of Gramm-Rudman, has as much substance as Lincoln's proverbial "shadow of a starving pigeon on a cloudy day."

A glance at the arithmetic shows what lies ahead: a likely 5 percent drop in arms spending in the current fiscal year, 1986, not the constant rate planned; and no conceivable means of reaching the promised 3 percent increase for the future from the high base of last year's level. With domestic programs either abandoned or squeezed by Gramm-Rudman, Congress will not vote the $35 billion increase in Pentagon outlays next year needed to put arms spending back on track. Not even the looming tax increase mutes the Pentagon's concern that the old track has been permanently abandoned.

So much for Regan's blithe reminder of being "committed to "0-3-3." Closer to the truth was a telling remark by departed national security adviser Robert McFarlane several weeks ago. Attacking Gramm-Rudman, McFarlane scornfully told Regan: This shifts the president's priorities from defense and tax reform to the preservation of Social Security and deficit reductions. And he could have added: to the tax increase he does not want. The threat of bringing back the military draft cannot be dismissed as scare talk by Pentagon zealots ravenous for the dear old days of the first Reagan term, when the money poured. The sharp reduction in the current fiscal year budget, which will not be fully known under Gramm-Rudman until March, seems certain to cut into military housing, off-duty perks and certain categories of military pay.

These are quality yardsticks for measuring life in uniform used by the flood of recruits who have kept the services full since the draft was abandoned. "The psychological thing could change overnight and make the military suddenly look a lot less attractive," one top Pentagon planner told us. That means recruiting levels could decline in proportion to the country's abandonment of rearmament. Reagan was shocked but said little when the Marine commandant, Gen. P.X. Kelley, warned about the draft. Other, equally distressing, changes are coming. U.S. retrenchment in the midst of the vaunted Reagan arms program is having a negative impact on NATO allies, where five countries have finally agreed to increase their arms spending by 3 percent. Sarcastic snickers were tossed the way of Defense Secretary Caspar Weinberger at the recent Brussels NATO meeting from defense ministers with one eye glued on Gramm-Rudman.

Japan, under American pressure for higher defense spending in the face of rising Soviet strength in the Far East, will see Gramm-Rudman as a sign from heaven that the need is disappearing.

In the longer run, the view from the Kremlin is more disturbing as Gramm-Rudman careens down Pennsylvania Avenue to an Oval Office signing (possibly, Regan says privately, in a grand ceremony). The president can plead that summitry next summer makes defense cuts stupid and dangerous. But the only way Congress could respond would be to hang that high-tax bill around his neck.

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

CHARLEY REESE

Bank setup bankrupting country

A central bank, like our Federal Reserve, can steal your savings and plunder your estate as neatly and silently as the world's greatest pickpocket.


Charley Reese

It can even make invisible but quite real deductions from your paycheck.

All that's not to say the Federal Reserve is an evil institution. It is a quite ordinary central bank patterned after those in Europe. Nor are the people who run it bad people. They are bright, decent chaps doing what they think is the right thing to do.

The Federal Reserve is just a mistake made by Congress in 1913. It, not the government, controls monetary policy and credit in the U.S. The Constitution gives that power to Congress but that old Congress back in Woodrow Wilson's first term gave it away.

You still hear people say the government prints money. It does print money, but it is not the government's money. It is the Federal Reserve's and the Treasury presses don't run until the Federal Reserve asks them to run. Check the bills in your wallet or purse. You will see that they are Federal Reserve notes.

Now the arguments for and against a central bank go all the way back to the American Revolution. Our forefathers were divided over the issue. Al Hamilton loved the idea. Tom Jefferson hated it. Jefferson said once to his comtemporaries that if they let banks control money and credit that future generations would be dispossessed of their own country because the banks would own it all. Old Tom was not far off the mark.

Savings, estates and paychecks get nipped when whoever controls the monetary system inflates the currency. We are conditioned to think of inflation as a rise in prices but actually it's a decline in the value of the currency. Since our dollar, because of inflation, is worth only about 33 cents compared to what it would buy in 1967, we have to pay $3 today for things that cost $1 then.

Most people who don't like a central bank want to put monetary policy back in the hands of the government. I'm one of them, but since I try to be honest, I have to say there is no guarantee that the government would do any better job of managing monetary policy than the Federal Reserve.

Some people are always looking for Eldorado. They will never find it. Whether we have a central bank or get rid of it, whether we have a fiat currency or a gold standard, the system will still be run by humans and God has yet to make anything humans can't foul up.

No, I would like to get rid of the Fed or greatly modify it for just three reasons: (1) monetary policy ought to be controlled by the people, not banks, (2) the government could save money, and (3) the Fed is biased in favor of the big New York banks.

The Fed can create money out of thin air. When it wants to buy government bonds in order to put money in the system, it creates the money, buy the bonds from the New York dealers, who in turn deposit the money in New York banks.

Why should the Fed create money and the government have to borrow it from banks and pay interest on it? The Constitution gives the government the right to create money out of thin air. Abe Lincoln did that to finance the civil war and he was about as popular with the New York bankers as he was with the New Orleans slave traders.

In other words, the government could, instead of borrowing at interest to cover its deficit, simply create the money and spend it into circulation. Oh, that would be fiat money backed by nothing, you say. Yes, it would, but that is exactly what the Federal Reserve notes are — fiat money created out of thin air and backed by nothing. The only difference is that under the present situation, the Fed creates its money and the government has to borrow its money from commercial banks and pay interest. Nearly all the public debt is owned by banks and very large corporations.

We'll never modify the Fed, much less get rid of it until we send some people to Congress who can't be bought. The present setup is a good deal for the New York banks. I've never heard of anybody yet who would give up a gravy train without a fight.

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WHOM TO WRITE

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

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

SENATORS: Lloyd Bentsen (D) and Phil Gramm (R), Senate Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20515.

NATION

Reagan making last run at saving tax program

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan is making an 11th hour attempt to revive his tax overhaul bill while Congress, also facing deadlines of its own making, tries to finish a massive appropriations bill in time for the yearend recess.

Most of the major roadblocks preventing passage of the huge spending bill to finance most of the government have been cleared. But both the House and Senate need to act by tonight, which is the expiration date for the latest in a series of short-term spending bills approved last week and signed by President Reagan.

The new spending bill is necessary because Congress has been unable to agree on separate legislation appropriating money for many government agencies.

The catch-all appropriations bill will be the major focus as Congress tries to adjourn for the year, but the spotlight also will be on Reagan's lobbying attempt to revive tax reform.

He was scheduled to make a final pitch for tax reform in a visit today at the Capitol with House Republicans who joined with some Democrats to scuttle the tax measure last week.

"I'd like to make a personal request to the House of Representatives," the president said Saturday in his weekly radio address. "You have the opportunity to provide the relief that millions of Americans demand."

Last Wednesday, all but 14 House Republicans voted to block consideration of the bill, leading to suggestions the issue was dead for this year and perhaps for the remainder of Reagan's term.

Meanwhile, both chambers are scheduled to vote on a comprehensive farm bill that was worked out Saturday night by House-Senate negotiators who broke a bitter impasse over future dairy subsidies.

If the bill makes it to the president's desk, it is uncertain if he will sign it because of its cost.

Bills in the House and Senate to restructure the nation's primary farm lender, the $70 billion Farm Credit System, also were to be taken up. It appeared that rather than send the separate, but basically similar bills, to conference committee, the Senate would amend the House version and then send it back.

City-dwellers twice as likely to be crime victims

WASHINGTON (AP) — City-dwellers are about twice as likely as their suburban counterparts to become crime victims, according to a Justice Department analysis of 1983 crime reports.

Suburban residents also were more likely to be victims of violent crime in the nearest city than city dwellers were to be victims of such crimes in the nearby suburbs, the Bureau of Justice Statistics said in a survey released Sunday.

Twelve percent of violent crimes against surburbanites in 1983 happened in the nearest city, while only 5 percent of violent crimes committed in the suburbs involved people from nearby cities.

For inhabitants of cities with a million or more people, there were 48.2 violent crimes per 1,000 residents, the bureau said. In contrast, the rate for people living in rural areas was about 22.4 violent crimes per thousand people in 1983, the most recent year for which an in-depth breakdown of crime figures was available.

The findings were based on National Crime Survey interviews, which are conducted twice a year with about 128,000 randomly selected people 12 years old and above.

Per capita crime rates were not available for individual cities, suburbs or rural communities, the bureau said.

For residents of cities with more than 500,000 people, but fewer than 1 million, the report said, there were 104.5 thefts per thousand. For residents of non-metropolitan areas, there were 57.7 thefts per thousand.

The theft rate for residents of cities of a million or more people was 90.4 per thousand.

"We found that the vast majority of crimes occurred in the general area where the victims live," said Steven R. Schlesinger, the bureau's director.

Thirteen percent of thefts in 1983 involved people who lived in suburbs but were victimized in the nearby city, while 6 percent of the thefts in the suburbs involved city dwellers.

Nearly 95 percent of the violent crimes against residents of cities with a million or more inhabitants happened within the city, the study said.

Officer's widow says husband was fearful of jet

CLARKSVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — The widow of an Army officer killed in a chartered jetliner crash in Canada says her husband was fearful of the plane's condition before he and other military personnel boarded it.

Capt. Edward J. Manion was one of 248 soldiers killed Thursday when an Arrow Air DC-8 crashed after takeoff from Gander International Airport en route to Fort Campbell, Ky., from the Mideast. Eight crew members also died.

"He told me, 'I'm going to survive the Sinai but I'm not going to survive the trip home on the plane,' " Christine Manion said in a telephone interview Sunday night from her home in Fort Campbell.

"My husband called me 48 hours before he left and told me he had no confidence in that plane," she said. "It made me physically sick."

Mrs. Manion said her husband told her he had heard the plane that was to take them home "was all screwed up and having many problems."

"They (Arrow Air) also had such a bad reputation," she said. "Their planes had broken down so many times. They were always delayed and there were so many problems."

Officials of Miami-based Arrow Air have declined to comment on the crash while an investigation is under way, with airline spokesman Robin Mattell saying only, "This is the first fatality we've had."

Mrs. Manion said her husband, who was with the 101st Airborne Division that was finishing up a six-month international peacekeeping tour in the Mideast, was distraught when she talked to him by telephone before the ill-fated flight.

"He broke into tears and cried, and all I know is he's not a person to be frightened," she said. "It was like he was saying goodbye forever — it tore him apart.

"At that point, the first thing that hit me was that he was seeing his own death."

Mrs. Manion said she would miss today's ceremony at which President Reagan and his wife, Nancy, will meet the victims' families.

"I'm sure he (Reagan) is a wonderful person, but the only thing that will make me feel better is to see a change" in the way the Army uses charter planes, she said.

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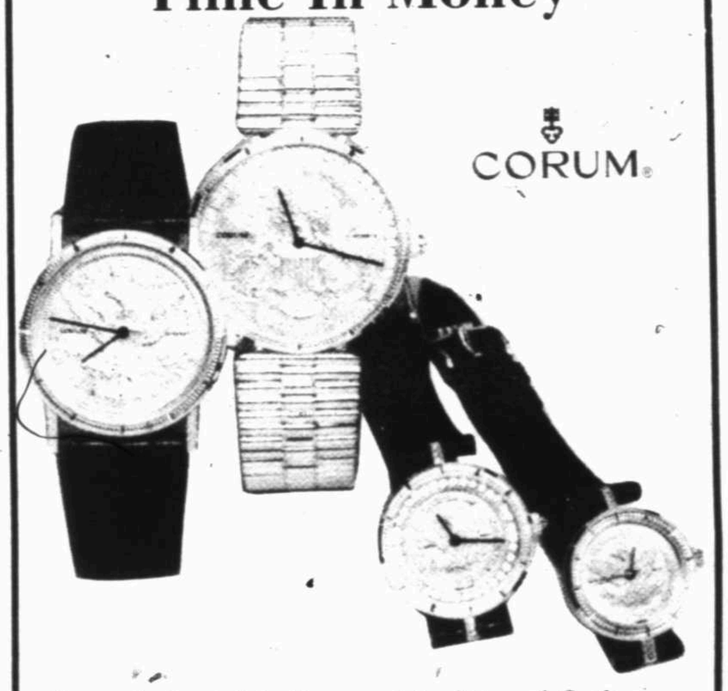
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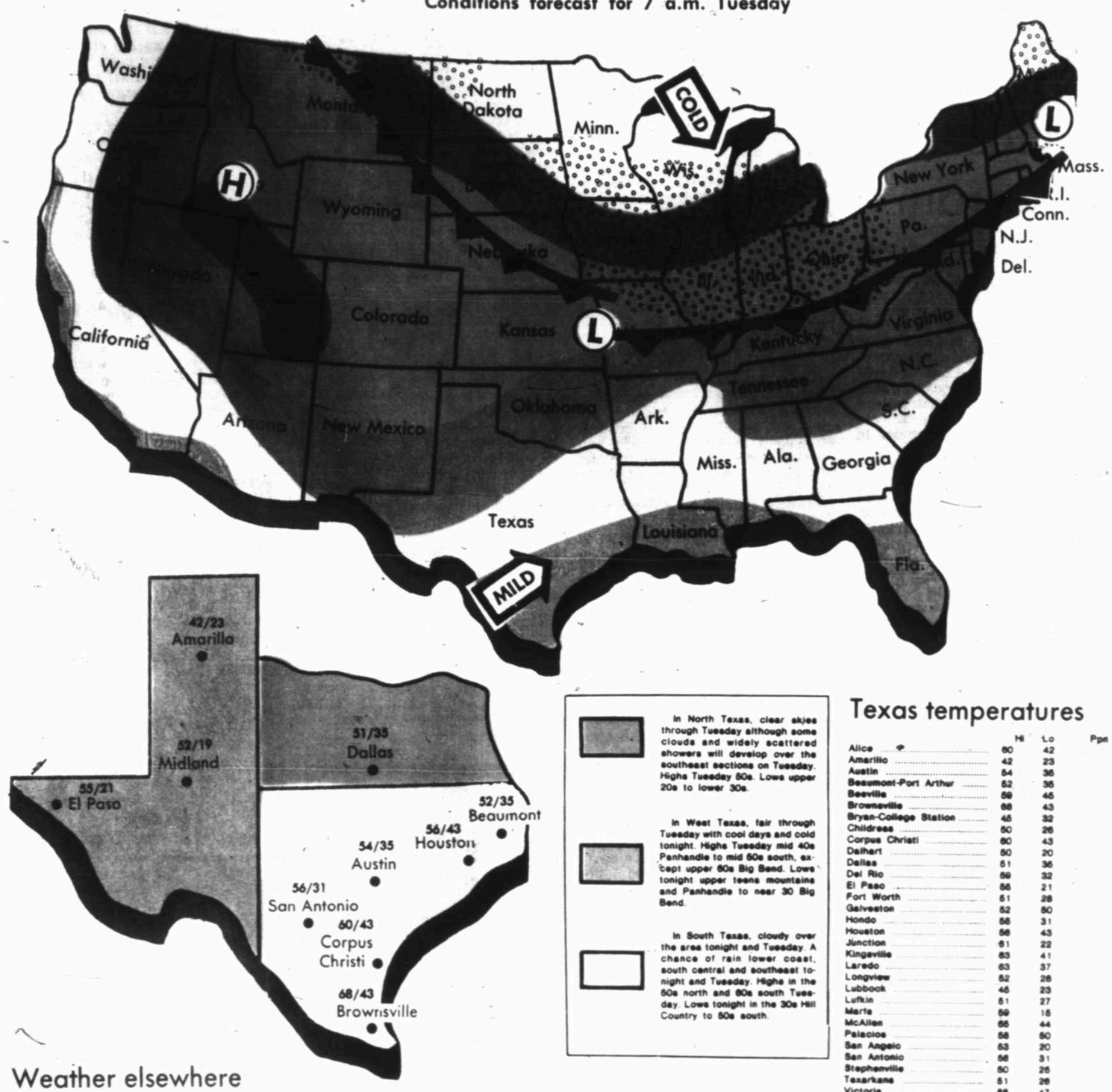
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WEATHER SUMMARY

Conditions forecast for 7 a.m. Tuesday



Cool weather to continue

From Staff and Wire Reports

Cool temperatures are expected to continue in the Permian Basin Tuesday as a high in the 50s is forecast, according to the National Weather Service at Midland Regional Airport.

Tonight will be fair and cold with a low in the mid-20s warming to a high in the mid-50s Tuesday. Winds are expected to be light and variable.

Sunday's high of 53 was 23 degrees below the record set in 1977. This morning's low was 4 degrees above the 1972 record of 15 degrees.

STATE

A warming trend was to continue across all of Texas through Tuesday as the state's weather remained under the influence of a high pressure system in the Gulf of Mexico.

Forecasts called for a few showers in Southeast Texas and the coastal bend tonight. Skies were to be clear to partly cloudy statewide through Tuesday.

The next round of cold weather was expected to reach the state sometime Wednesday, but forecasters promised good weather for at least two days.

Lows tonight will be in the upper teens in the mountains and Panhandle, the 20s and 30s over North Texas and in the 30s in the Hill Country and the 40s and 50s over the rest of South Texas. Highs Tuesday will be mostly in the 50s, ranging from the 40s in the Panhandle to the 60s in South Texas and in the Big Bend area of Southwest Texas.

NATION:

The upper Midwest was bitter cold today and temperatures dipped into the 20s in the South while Great Lakes snow prompted widespread travelers' advisories.

Snow was falling from the upper Great Lakes to the northern Plains and lake-effect snow was falling from northeast Ohio to western New York.

Travelers' advisories were issued in northeast Ohio, northwestern Pennsylvania and counties in New York near the eastern end of lakes Erie and Ontario.

Up to 3 inches of snow was expected across most of the advisory areas, with up to 6 inches possible near the eastern end of Lake Ontario. Strong winds made blowing and drifting snow likely, the National Weather Service said.

Bitter cold prevailed across the upper Midwest, with early-morning readings below zero from the upper Great Lakes across northern Minnesota to eastern North Dakota. The low temperatures combined with winds of 15 mph to produce wind chills of about minus 30 in northern Minnesota.

Midland statistics

WEATHER FORECAST

Tonight: Fair and cold with a low in the mid-20s. Winds will be light and variable. Tuesday: Fair with a high in the mid-50s and light and variable winds.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

Yesterday's High	53 degrees
Overnight Low	19 degrees
Sunset today	5:47 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:43 a.m.
Precipitation:	
Last 24 hours	.0 inches
This month to date	.05 inches
1985 to date	16.41 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

6 a.m.	26	6 p.m.	44
7 a.m.	24	7 p.m.	38
8 a.m.	23	8 p.m.	34
9 a.m.	30	9 p.m.	34
10 a.m.	36	10 p.m.	31
11 a.m.	41	11 p.m.	27
noon	44	midnight	26
1 p.m.	47	1 a.m.	22
2 p.m.	50	2 a.m.	24
3 p.m.	52	3 a.m.	23
4 p.m.	53	4 a.m.	25
5 p.m.	53	5 a.m.	23
		6 a.m.	20

County forecasts

Midland, Ector, Crane, Upton, Reagan, Glasscock, Andrews, Gaines, Martin, Howard, Borden and Dawson: Tonight fair and cold. Lows mid 20s. Wind light and variable. Tuesday fair with highs mid 50s. Wind light and variable.

Sterling, Tom Green, Irion and Coke: Tonight fair and cold. Lows upper 20s. Wind light and variable. Tuesday fair with highs mid 50s. Wind light and variable.

In North Texas, clear skies through Tuesday although some clouds and widely scattered showers will develop over the southeast sections on Tuesday. Highs Tuesday 50s. Lows upper 20s to lower 30s.

In West Texas, fair through Tuesday with cool days and cold tonight. Highs Tuesday mid 40s Panhandle to mid 50s south, except upper 60s Big Bend. Lows tonight upper teens mountains and Panhandle to near 30 Big Bend.

In South Texas, cloudy over the area tonight and Tuesday. A chance of rain lower coast, south central and southeast tonight and Tuesday. Highs in the 50s north and 60s south Tuesday. Lows tonight in the 30s Hill Country to 50s south.

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Alice	60	42	
Amarillo	42	23	
Austin	54	36	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	52	35	
Beeville	59	45	
Brownsville	68	43	
Bryan-College Station	45	32	
Childress	50	26	
Corpus Christi	60	43	
Dalhart	50	20	
Dallas	51	36	
Del Rio	59	32	
El Paso	56	21	
Fort Worth	51	28	
Galveston	52	50	
Hondo	56	31	
Houston	56	43	
Junction	61	22	
Kingsville	63	41	
Laredo	63	37	
Longview	52	28	
Lubbock	46	23	
Lufkin	51	27	
Marfa	59	18	
McAllen	65	44	
Palacios	58	50	
San Angelo	53	20	
San Antonio	56	31	
Stephenville	50	26	
Texarkana	51	26	
Victoria	58	47	
Waco	51	28	
Wichita Falls	50	26	

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albany	28	26		cdy
Albuquerque	44	24		clr
Asheville	42	24		cdy
Atlanta	43	25		cdy
Atlantic City	38	27		cdy
Baltimore	39	23		cdy
Billings	39	26		cdy
Bismarck	25	04	.01	cdy
Boise	15	-02		cdy
Boston	31	27		cdy
Buffalo	27	19	.36	sn
Charleston,S.C.	52	34		clr
Charleston,W.V.	40	33		cdy
Chicago	29	14		cdy
Cleveland	27	24		sn
Columbia,S.C.	50	53		clr
Columbus,Oh.	30	27		cdy
Dayton	30	27		cdy
Denver	47	16		cdy
Detroit	31	17	.02	sn
Duluth	06	-14		cdy
Evansville	36	22		cdy
Flagstaff	46	17		clr
Grand Rapids	28	15	.03	sn
Great Falls	37	20		cdy
Hartford	28	23		cdy
Helena	39	32		cdy
Indianapolis	30	19		cdy
Jackson,Ms.	46	22		clr
Kansas City	38	29		cdy
Las Vegas	59	36		clr
Los Angeles	74	59		clr
Louisville	36	26		cdy
Memphis	44	26		cdy
Milwaukee	26	14	.07	cdy
Nashville	41	22		cdy
New Orleans	46	27		cdy
New York	34	30		cdy
Oklahoma City	46	26		cdy
Orlando	64	47		cdy
Philadelphia	37	21		cdy
Phoenix	64	44		clr
Portland,Or	42	27		clr
Providence	32	20		cdy
Raleigh	45	24		clr
Reno	39	19		clr
Richmond	46	26		clr
Sacramento	58	34		cdy
St Louis	38	26		cdy
Salt Lake City	35	18		cdy
San Diego	69	52		clr
Seattle	41	35		cdy
Shreveport	51	24		cdy
Spokane	26	09		cdy
Syracuse	28	22		sn
Tucson	69	37		clr
Washington	42	26		cdy
Wilkes-Barre	26	26		cdy

Extended forecast

Wednesday through Friday

West Texas: Partly cloudy Wednesday, colder except southwest. Fair and warmer Thursday and Friday. Permian Basin and Concho Valley: Highs low 40s to mid 40s warming to around 50 Thursday and mid 60s Friday. Lows mid 20s Wednesday to around 20 Thursday and upper 20s Friday. Far West: Highs lower 50s warming to mid 60s Friday. Lows mid 20s to upper 20s. Big Bend: Highs upper 50s Wednesday warming to near 70 by Friday and lows mid 20s to lower 30s. Mountain temperatures 5 to 10 degrees colder.

Correction

On Page 22 (17 of flt. 2; 14 of flt. 3) of the December 11th "Wrap up a beautiful Christmas" newspaper supplement the 36203 electric heater is incorrectly illustrated. The stock number, copy and price are correct for the unit being offered. See this heater at your nearest Sears store.

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Digest

FOOTBALL

TAMPA, Fla. (AP) — Former Tampa Bay Coach John McKay will resign his position as president of the NFL League club at the end of the 1985 season.

TENNIS

PLANTATION, Fla. — Franco Davin of Argentina beat Sweden's Ulf Stenlund 5-7, 7-5, 6-3 Sunday and helped his team defeat the top-seeded Swedes in the Jacaranda Sunshine Cup junior tournament.

LONDON - The United States scored a 6-5 victory over Brtiain to clinch the Maureen Connolly women's under-21 team championship for the 10th straight year.

POMPANO BEACH, Fla. — Argentina's Patricia Tarabini bounced back from a second-set letdown Sunday to beat Laura Garrone of Italy and clinch the championship of the Continental Players Cup junior tennis tournament for her country.

Argentina also won the Jacaranda Sunshine Cup, a similar event for boys played this week in nearby Plantation.

COLLEGE FOOTBALL

MILWAUKEE — Charles W. "Charlie" Bachman, former coach at Michigan State and friend of George Halas and Knute Rockne, died Saturday in Florida at the age of 93, relatives reported. Bachman, who played fullback and center at Notre Dame for Rockne, coached Northwestern in 1919 and DePauw in 1920, then went to Kansas State from 1921-27 and the University of Florida 1928-32 before becoming head coach at Michigan State.

BOXING

TULSA, Okla. - Michael Collins of Laporte, Texas got a gold medal in the 119-pound class at the USA-Budweiser Boxing Championships. Getting a gold medal for the second straight year at 178 pounds was Loren Ross of the U.S. Army at Ft. Hood, Texas. The gold medal in the 112-pound class went to Arthur Johnson of St. Louis.

Other champions crowned were Brian Lonon of Ft. Hood, 106; Runnell Doll of Ft. Bragg, N.C., 125; Kenneth Gould of Rockford, Ill., 147, and Timothy Litties of Flint, Mich., 156.

ROAD RACING

HUNTSVILLE, Ala. — Jeff Rawlins outdistanced a field of 800 chilled runners to win the ninth annual Rocket City Marathon in Huntsville in a race run in 16-degree weather. Rawlins, of Vandalia, Ohio, finished the 26-mile, 385-yard race in 2:21:05. Rawlins last year finished second in the Rocket City Marathon and had come in third on two other occasions.

GOLF

NAHA, Japan — Veteran Seiichi Kanai shot a two-under-par 70 Sunday and won the Daikyo Open tournament, the season's last official event, by five strokes. The 45-year-old Kanai shot three birdies and one bogey on the 6,567-yard, par-72 Daikyo Country Club course near a beach on Okinawa, southern Japan, and finished with a 14-under-par 274 total.

SKIING

ASPEN, Colo. — No. 2-ranked Edvin Halsnes defeated his brother, defending national and world pro ski champion Jarle, by 4-tenths of a second in combined time to capture the slalom title Sunday in the first stop on the 11-event Peugeot Grand Prix U.S. Men's Pro Ski Tour.

GRENOBLE, France — Austrian skier Christine Putz, who suffered a serious head injury during a spectacular fall in the women's World Cup downhill race Thursday, remained in a coma Saturday at a Grenoble hospital.

SAVOGNIN, Switzerland - Erika Hess of Switzerland moved to the top of the women's overall World Cup ski standings with a victory in the slalom event Sunday. Hess, 23, clocked the fastest times in both the 61-gate first run and the 60-gate second run to finish with a combined time of 1 minute, 42.89 seconds on the artificial snow course. Her heat times were 50.28 and 52.61 seconds.

Pelluer, Jeffcoat lead way to title

Dallas Cowboys

By DENNE H. FREEMAN
AP Sports Writer

IRVING (AP) — The Dallas Cowboys, rated fourth in the preseason, earned the National Conference Eastern Division title Sunday with a third-string quarterback taking them to the game-winning touchdown.

Steve Pelluer's third-down, 28-yard pass completion set up Timmy Newsome's 1-yard, fourth-period scoring run that proved to be the difference in a 28-21 victory over the snakebit Giants.

The game turned around late in the second quarter when Jim Jeffcoat returned a batted pass 65 yards for a touchdown.

"This is one of the biggest ones we've ever won," Dallas Coach Tom Landry said. "We had to overcome a lot. We had two quarterbacks out of the game. This has to rank with some of the big wins we've had."

Dallas bounced back to beat the Giants after being slaughtered 50-24 last week by Cincinnati.

"This feel great," said Landry. "This is amazing team. We play so bad yet we can be so good. Jeffcoat's play turned the game around.

"Nobody thought we would win the division. I'm a little surprised myself to see us East champions."

Landry said he had total confidence in Pelluer, who had never played in a regular season game in the National Football League.

"I didn't have any problem sending Pelluer in. He never changed expression. He's worse than I am," said Landry. "He has a lot of poise."

Pelluer entered the game in the third quarter after Gary Hogeboom suffered a blow to the head and starting quarterback Danny White suffered bruises to the shoulder, ribs and hand.

"I wasn't nervous. I really felt pretty confident," he said.

"This is as good a team effort as I've seen a Cowboy team play," said Landry. "We were running out of players. We had two quarterbacks out and you had to have a great team effort."

Jeffcoat said, "We practice tip drills and it paid off on the ball Ed Jones swatted. It worked just like it does in practice."

Giants' Coach Bill Parcells said, "They made a hell of a play on that tipped ball. I'm proud of my guys they didn't give up. A lot of it was bad luck."

New York linebacker Harry Carson said, "We played good but two of the touchdowns they got were cheap TDs. This is the kind of game you don't want to lose. We put a lot of effort into it. We thought we were going to win. You hate to lose by the touchdowns we lost by."

Giants' quarterback Phil Simms said that Dallas "got the breaks overall and we thought we otwlayed them, but it's the final score that counts."

New York can clinch a wild-card berth if it defeats Pittsburgh next Sunday.

Jeffcoat's second-period return of a batted pass turned the game around for the Cowboys, but it was Pelluer's 28-yard third-down completion to rookie Karl Powe that set up the game-clinching touchdown in the fourth quarter.

Victor Scott staved off a last-ditch Giant rally by intercepting a pass on the Dallas 9-yard-line with 46 seconds remaining.

Pelluer, who had never played in a regular-season National Football League game in two years with the Cowboys, led Dallas on a 72-yard drive capped by fullback Timmy Newsome's 1-yard run with 4:06 to play. That score gave the Cowboys a 28-14 lead.

The Giants, helped along by an unsportsmanlike conduct penalty against Dallas defensive tackle Randy White, rushed 73 yards in eight plays with Joe Morris scoring on a 1-yard run with 2:09 left.

Pelluer entered the game in the third quarter after Gary Hogeboom suffered a blow to the head and starting quarterback Danny White suffered bruises to the shoulder, ribs and hand.

Dallas stunned the Giants with two touchdowns in 46 seconds to take a 21-14 halftime lead.

New York quarterback Phil Simms' touchdown passes of seven yards to Bobby Johnson and 10 yards to Tony Galbreath gave the Giants a 14-7 lead, offsetting Hogeboom's 58-yard first-quarter scoring pass to Renfro.

The Giants drove to the Dallas 22 where left defensive end Ed (Too Tall) Jones batted a Simms pass backward into the waiting arms of right defensive end Jeffcoat.

Jeffcoat lumbered 65 yards for a touchdown on the interception to tie the game with 1:47 left in the half.

The Giants couldn't move and Sean Landeta balked at punting the ball with Everson Walls bearing down on him. Landeta then threw an incomplete pass and the Cowboys had first down at the Giants' 12.

On the first play, White flicked a 12-yard scoring pass to Mike Renfro in the corner of the end zone.

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4-5A girls cage race opens tonight

By TERRY WILLIAMSON
Assistant Sports Editor

The District 4-5A girls basketball race opens tonight on four fronts with both Midland Lee and Midland High highly optimistic on their chances of landing a playoff berth some 14 games from now.

Midland High, 6-5 on the year, will host Odessa Permian at 8 p.m. today at Chaparral Center while Lee, 6-4 on the season, hits the road for an 8 p.m. game at Odessa High.

The Lady Bulldogs are coming into district play with a one-game winning streak after winning third place honors in the Tall City Invitational tournament Saturday with a 58-39 win over district foe Big Spring. Lee is on a one game losing streak after its 62-53 loss to undefeated Snyder. Snyder beat both MHS and Lee in the Tall City tournament.

"Permian is a good team and most recently defeated Hobbs in triple overtime," noted MHS coach Jane Young, who is hoping her Bulldogs can land a second consecutive playoff berth. "The win against Big Spring was a big win for us because we played so poorly in the two games prior to that. The victory got us back in the right direction.

"I think we can compete against anyone in the district if we can just play like we do in three-fourths of the games we've played so far. We've had some bad outings, but we are capable of playing pretty good basketball."

Lee coach Shirley Stephenson is also confident that her team will be competitive in the 4-5A league.

"Everyone in the league looks pretty good to me and it's the same old story — anyone can beat you anytime you play bad," Stephenson said. "However, I think we have as good a chance as anyone in district. We'll just throw the ball up and see who wins.

"I think we're ready for district play. We had a good tournament and learned some things, like guarding different types of players. Odessa High is much improved over last year and then we have Midland High at our gym Friday night and that should be a great game, too."

MHS enters district play averaging 48.6 points per game. Amy Cumings is leading the way with a 12.0 scoring average over the team's first 11 games and is the only Bulldog averaging in double figures. Sebrenia Finch, a transfer from Stanton, was averaging in double digits until the Tall City tournament, but she fell to a 9.7 average when she ran into a couple of games with foul troubles. Nadine Hill is averaging 9.4 and Laura Martin 6.1 after a career high 14 points Saturday against Big Spring.

Lee is averaging 53.4 points per outing, but doesn't have a player averaging anywhere near double figures. It's a 10-player attack and points come from just about everyone.

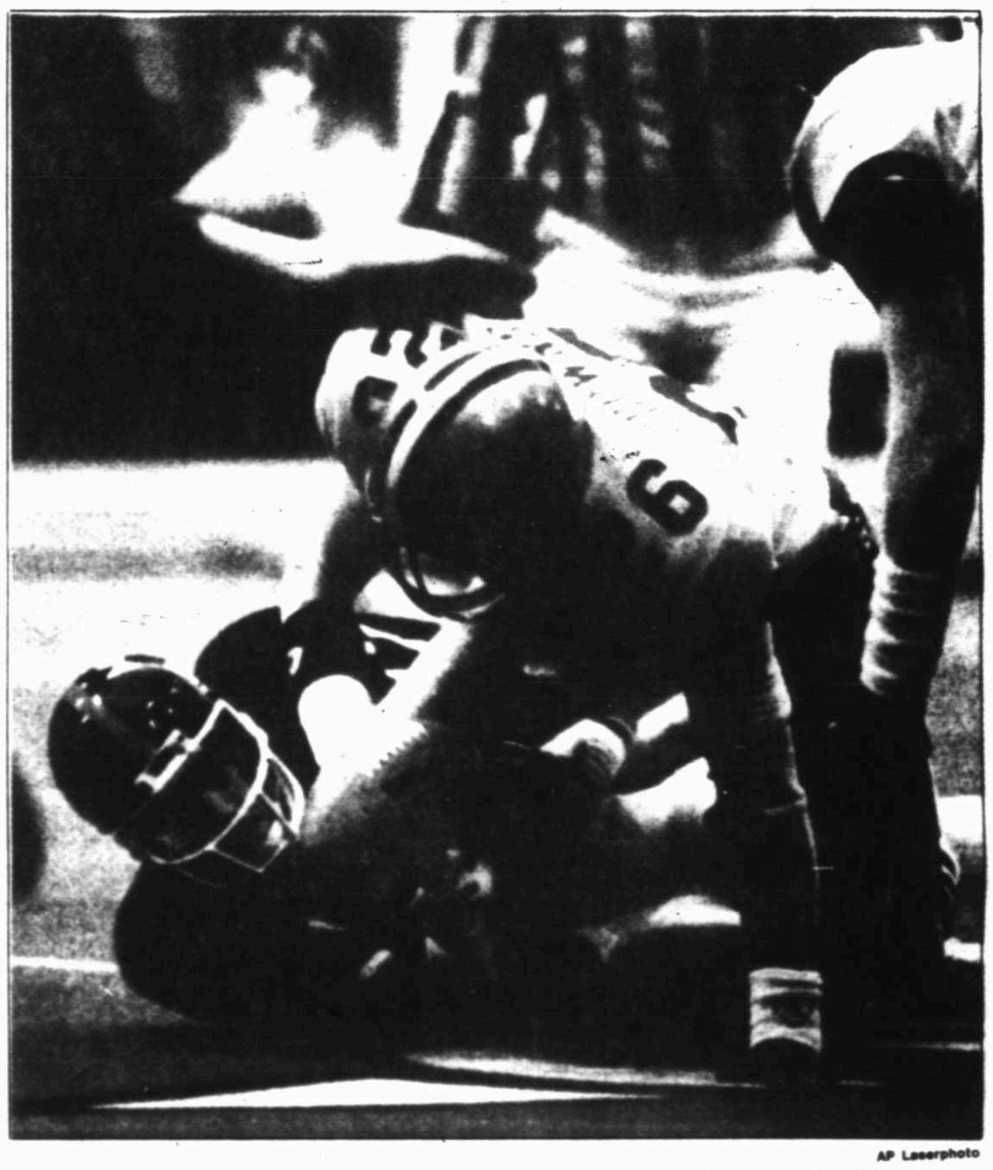
Becky White is leading Lee with a 7.2 average over 10 games, but has scored only 10 points in her last two outings. Roz Eaden follows with a 7.1 average after her second 12-point game of the year against Snyder.

LaVette Wallace, who averages 6.8 per game, injured an ankle in Lee's victory over Big Spring Saturday, but may return by tonight.

"I hope LaVette will be able to come back Monday because she is a good player," said Stephenson. "We don't have a lot of girls who score big points, but they get the job done as a team."

On other 4-5A fronts tonight, San Angelo is meeting Abilene Cooper while Big Spring tests Abilene High.

The MHS and Lee boys are open until Thursday when they begin play in the San Antonio tournament. The 4-5A boys don't begin district action until after the New Year.



AP Laserphoto

Dallas Cowboys' safety Michael Downs tackles Giants quarterback Jeff Rutledge on a fake field goal attempt by New York.

Roger Maris: As player, no asterik

By GEORGE VECSEY
N.Y. Times News Service

NEW YORK — There are two misconceptions about Roger Maris that should be cleared up in the wake of his death on Saturday at the age of 51. The first is that he was some kind of baseball mediocrity who just happened to hit 61 homers in 1961, and the second is that he was some kind of asocial being, vastly different from the other Yankees in the clubhouse. Those two labels have been tied to Marris like a tin can to a newlyweds' car ever since Ford Frick, the presiding keeper of baseball tradition, affixed the infamous asterisk to Maris in the home-run season of 1961.

But Maris was neither a freak on the field nor a total curmudgeon off the field. He was an excellent baseball player both before and after his 61-homer season, and he was also a shy, uncomplicated man who covered up with a quip or a grunt.

Every war movie has a Maris, a rural man who gravitates to the corner of the barracks, smokes cigarettes to keep his hands busy, and holds people at a slight distance with a quick remark, often directed at himself. But in the war movies, the Maris figure can also handle a weapon when the bad guys start coming over the ridge.

Maris had been quite comfortable in the relative obscurity of Kansas City before the Brother-in-Law League allowed the Yankees to dip into the A's roster and take whatever they needed. He was not impressed with New York, and lived in the borough of Queens, and did most of his eating in.

He fit seamlessly onto the Yankees of 1960, who had the reputation of being the Bronx Bombers, but had to play a complete game or risk banishment to Kansas City. Maris knew the fundamentals: first to third on singles to right, keep the throws near the cutoff man, move the runner over with a grounder to first. Kubek could do it, Richardson could do it, and Mantle was getting the hang of it after a decade.

Maris could run and throw and catch the ball, and in his first season with the Yankees he batted .283 with 39 homers and led the league with 112 runs batted in, and was voted the Most Valuable Player. There was no scream for a recount, no asterisks, and almost no pressure. Maris was only 25 years old, and, it turned out, the 1960 season had been target practice.

Yankee Stadium has had the short porch ever since it was constructed with George Herman Ruth in mind. Never mind the Ruthian 400-foot blasts that would be home runs anywhere; let's build a home-run sector that will accept moderate fly balls and hooked line drives. Maris, professional, made the minute calibrations until his stroke dropped 330-foot fly balls into the right-field stands. In 1961, the American League expanded to 10 teams, spreading the talent somewhat thinner and raising the number of games from the traditional 154 to 162. Frick, the commissioner, was uncomfortable with the confusion of statistics, and before Maris could break Ruth's old standard, Frick slapped the asterisk on him, allowing some fans, some reporters, and some traditionalists to think somewhat less of an excellent young player.

Maris finished that asterisk season by hitting his 61st homer against Tracy Stallard of the Boston Red Sox. He scored 132 runs, drove in 142, and batted .269, a superb season. Today there are hockey players outscoring Rocket Richard, basketball players outscoring George Mikan, football quarterbacks throwing for more yardage than Sammy Baugh, but none of them get asterisks tied to them.

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TED BATTLES

Are Cowboys legitimate?

The Dallas Cowboys are divisional champions, but the question still remains whether the team is of legitimate playoff caliber.

Sunday's win over the Giants salvaged a season that was threatening to turn into a disaster, but was typical of the kind of year it has been.

After Dallas finished empty-handed last year in the season of the Quarterback controversy, Dallas' playoff prospects for this year were based on tradition, not actual potential.

Then, there was the Tony Dorsett IRS episode that was on the verge of creating a breach that looked like it might lead to a trade. But cooler heads prevailed and Dorsett was to reach the 10,000-yard mark during the season. It would have been almost criminal if he had done it for any other team.

That early season victory over Washington was by so lopsided a margin that those preseason forecasts were pigeon-holed.

True, there were some disappointments, but no one goes undefeated in the NFL anymore. Just ask the Bears.

Then came that 44-0 rout at the hands of the Chicago Bears and a week ago the 50-14 humiliation in Cincinnati. It seemed the wheels were coming off until the 28-21 win over the Giants, who have been on a roll the last few weeks.

It was a game in which the season's longest run was turned in by defensive lineman Jim Jeffcoat on an interception. Jeffcoat picked off a Phil Simms pass, batted by Too Tall Jones and took off for the Giants' goal 65 yards away. I know 65 yards hardly qualifies as the year's longest run in distance, but the time consumed is in a class by itself.

Perhaps, the most encouraging aspect of the win was the manner in which all three quarterbacks contributed. After Danny White and Gary Hogeboom were sidelined, second year pro Steve Pelluer came in and guided the team to what proved to be the winning touchdown.

As a matter of fact, the Cowboys under Pelluer, blended their passing and running games more effectively than they have since early season.

Sunday's "team effort" just substantiates my "baseball theory" about the use of quarterbacks, i.e., they should be used like baseball relief pitchers.

A quarterback isn't going to be at his best, or even effective, in every game of a 16-game season and sometimes bringing in the split-finger fast baller from the bullpen provides a "different look", one the defense isn't prepared for and would rather not see. And out the window goes the defensive game plan.

But it really doesn't matter how the Cowboys got there. They are in the playoffs, even though it will, be as a traveling troupe.

Now, one wonders whether the Cowboys are that good or the NFL East is that bad. Only the playoffs will tell.

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SportScan

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Asked by Nashville sportscaster Hope Hines if the milti-colored bruise on his elbo was the ugliest thing Vanderbilt tackle Steve Wade had ever seen, Wade replied, "I don't know, Hope, I've never seen any of your girlfriends."

Trivia Teaser...

Name the imposter: a-Vermont. b-New Hampshire. c-Connecticut. d-Massachusetts, e-Maine. f-Boston University. g-Delaware. h-Northeastern. i-Richmond.

Sunday's Answer: Gerald Riggs did not rush for 200 yards in an NFL game last year.

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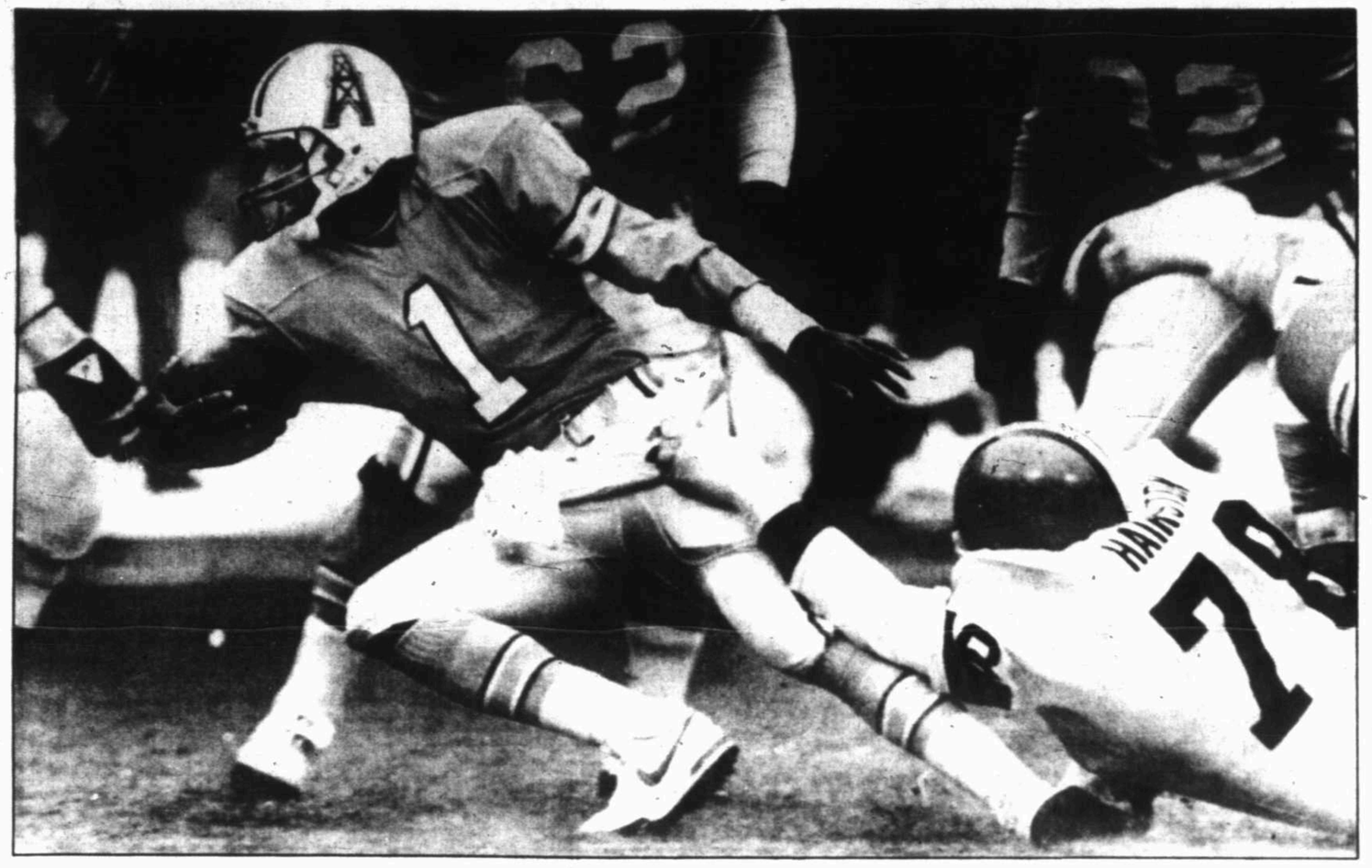
Midland High will hold its annual Fall Sports Banquet at 6:30 p.m. today at the Midland Center with Texas Tech defensive coordinator Spike Dykes as the featured speaker.

The banquet will honor Midland High athletes who participated in football, volleyball and cross country.

Dykes coached Midland Lee to the state Class 5A football finals in 1983 when his team posted a 13-3 record. The 13 wins in a season is a Lee record.

Raiders, Rams clinch NFL division titles

Associated Press



AP Laserphoto

Houston's Warren Moon is sacked for a four yard loss by Cleveland's Carl Hairston (78).

Raiders 13, Seahawks 3

LOS ANGELES — Marcus Allen rushed for more than 100 yards for the eighth straight game and scored a touchdown as the Los Angeles Raiders clinched the AFC West championship.

The victory was the fifth in a row for the Raiders, 11-4 and in position to earn the home-field advantage throughout the AFC playoffs by beating the Rams in the NFL's regular-season finale on Monday night, Dec. 23.

Allen, who gained 109 yards on 27 carries, scored on a 7-yard run with 6:09 to play, capping a 48-yard, five-play drive that gave the Raiders some breathing room. It was the only scoring of the second half.

Chris Bahr of the Raiders kicked two field goals and Norm Johnson of the Seahawks had one in the first half of the game, played before a crowd of 77,422 at the Los Angeles Coliseum.

Allen's performance left him one game shy of Chicago running back Walter Payton's NFL record for consecutive games gaining 100 or more yards. Payton's streak came to an end Saturday during the Bears' 19-6 victory over the New York Jets.

Los Angeles quarterback Marc Wilson completed 11 of his 22 passes for 204 yards without being intercepted as the Raiders avenged a 33-3 loss to the Seahawks at Seattle on Nov. 3.

Seattle quarterback Dave Krieg hit on 16 of his 33 throws for 184 yards with two interceptions.

Browns 28, Oilers 21

CLEVELAND — Rookie Bernie Kosar saved his best performance for the most important game of the season, throwing for three touchdowns and ran for his first NFL score.

The victory put the Browns, 8-7, in excellent position to clinch their first Central Division championship since 1980. They have a one-game lead over Cincinnati and Pittsburgh with one game to go.

Kosar, a University of Miami graduate chosen by the Browns in the first round of the supplemental draft in June, has started all but one of Cleveland's games since veteran Gary Danielson hurt his shoulder Oct. 6.

Herman Fontenot sprinted 81 yards with the second-half kickoff to set up Kosar's second touchdown pass, which gave Cleveland a 21-7 lead.

Kosar completed 14 of 28 passes for 161 yards and touchdowns to Newsome, Fred Banks and Kevin Mack, without an interception. He also ran 2 yards for a touchdown on a first-quarter bootleg.

The Cleveland victory spoiled the coaching debut of Houston's Jerry Glanville, who was elevated from defensive coordinator when Hugh Campbell was fired last week.

The Browns will clinch the AFC Central championship for the first time since 1980 if they win or either Pittsburgh or Cincinnati loses next weekend. Cleveland can be eliminated only if the division ends in a three-way tie, in which case the Bengals would get the crown.

49ers 31, Saints 19

NEW ORLEANS — Sometimes it just takes a little while to get things rolling, said quarterback Joe Montana, who whipped a sluggish San Francisco offense to a second-half rally and kept his team's playoff hopes alive.

Motana th ew for 204 yards and two touchdowns in the final 30 minutes of play to lead San Fransisco from a haltime deficit to victory.

Montana was below 50 percent in passing in the first half, allowing a 9-7 Saints lead.

In the second half, however, he was 12-14 for 204 yards and two touchdowns. He finished 25-38-1 for 354 yards and three touchdowns for the game.

Roger Craig, who rushed for 90 yards on 17 carries, scored the clinching touchdown on a 15-yard burst with 6:41 left in the game.

Bobby Hebert was sacked five times in the game, four of those in the second half when the Forty-Niner defense could play recklessly, knowing New Orleans had to pass.

San Francicsco has been in the playoffs three of the last four years.

Steelers 30, Bills 24

PITTSBURGH — Walter Abercrombie scored on a 2-yard run with 47 seconds to play as Scott Campbell led Pittsburgh back from a 21-0.

Despite the victory, which ended Pittsburgh's three-game losing streak, the Steelers, 7-8, missed out on the playoffs for only the third time in 14 years.

Campbell, a third-teamer playing only because of first-half injuries to quarterbacks David Woodley and Mark Malone, threw 3 yards to Louis Lipps for a second-period touchdown and later set up Abercrombie's deciding score with a 44-yard completion to Lipps.

Campbell's completions of 18 yards to Weegie Thompson and 7 yards to Frank Pollard preceded Pollard's 4-yard scoring run with 55 seconds left in the first half to cut the Bills' lead to 21-14.

Gary Anderson then kicked second-half field goals of 26, 31 and 45 yards, giving him 21 field goals in his last 22 attempts.

On the Steelers' game-winning drive, Lipps' catch gave Pittsburgh a first down at the Buffalo 26. After Campbell threw an incompletion, Pollard gained 23 yards on three carries before Abercrombie scored on a third and 2 play.

Rams 46, Cardinals 14

ANAHEIM, Calif. — Dieter Brock threw four touchdown passes and Eric Dickerson ran for 124 yards and two scores as the Los Angeles Rams' long-slumbering offense roared to life with a division title-clinching romp.

The Rams, 11-4, locked up their first NFC Western Division championship since 1979.

Los Angeles, able to win consistently this year despite a lack of punch on offense, broke the game open with a 36-point first half, as Dickerson rushed for 100 yards and scored on runs of 1 and 2 yards.

Brock, meanwhile, threw touchdown passes of 13 yards to Ron Brown, 47 yards to Tony Hunter, and 43 yards to Henry Ellard as the Rams' 36-point, first-half outbreak topped their previous high production (35 points) for an entire game this season.

Dickerson, who's had a so-so season in 1985, showed the form that carried him to the NFL's single-season rushing record of 2,105 yards last year. He finished the first half against the Cardinals with 109 yards on 18 carries, and carried just twice in the second half.

Brock, in danger of losing his starting job two weeks ago following a 29-3 loss to New Orleans, completed eight of 13 throws for 147 yards and the three scores in the first half.

He added another touchdown in the third quarter on a 3-yard toss to Hunter, and finished the game with 13 completions in 20 attempts for 216 yards, with no interceptions.

After Dickerson scored on his 2-yard run 2:02 before halftime, Lomax fell on a Cardinals' fumble in their end zone for a Los Angeles safety. Following the ensuing St. Louis kick, the Rams drove down to score again, on Brock's pass to Ellard.

Chargers 20, Eagles 14

SAN DIEGO — Reserve quarterback Mark Herrmann, subbing for the injured Dan Fouts, fired a 23-yard pass to Charlie Joiner for the go-ahead touchdown and a San Diego Chargers victory.

The victory lifted the Chargers record to 8-7, while Philadelphia fell to 6-9. Both teams are out of playoff contention.

Cornerback Danny Walters stopped the final drive by the Eagles with a second interception of Philadelphia's quarterback Ron Jaworski with 3:09 left in the fourth quarter. He returned the interception 30 yards and a 15-yard personal foul penalty gave the Chargers the ball at the Philadelphia 32. San Diego then ran out the clock.

Packers 26, Lions 23

PONTIAC, Mich. — Al Del Greco's fourth field goal, a 27-yarder as time ran out, lifted the Green Bay Packers over Detroit.

The Lions had tied the game 23-23 with 1:01 remaining on a 30-yard TD pass from Joe Ferguson to Leonard Thompson. Eddie Murray's extra point try was wide right.

Mike Douglass, a 6-foot, 214-pound Packer linebacker, picked off Eric Hipple's underthrown pass at the Packers' 20 and lumbered the length of the field, weaving in and out of traffic and breaking tackles, to give Green Bay its first lead, 23-17, at 5:31 of the fourth quarter.

It was Detroit's first defeat in the seven games at the Silverdome this season and only the Packers' second road victory in seven tries. Both teams now own 7-8 records with one week remaining in the NFL regular season.

The Lions led 17-6 at halftime on the strength of two 1-yard runs by Alvin Moore and a 19-yard field goal by Murray.

But the Packers needed only two plays for their first TD in the third quarter. Gary Ellerson took a handoff from Jim Zorn and ran 37 yards for the score at 3:08 of the period to put the Packers squarely back in the contest.

On the first play of the fourth quarter, Del Greco, who had field goals of 38 and 29 yards in the second quarter, kicked a 25-yarder to pull the Packers within one point at 17-16.

Zorn, making only his fourth start for Green Bay, completed 10 of 23 passes for 159 yards with one interception.

Colts 31, Bucs 23

TAMPA, Fla. — George Wonsley scored first-half touchdowns on runs of 7 and 3 yards and Mike Pagel and Albert Bentley had TD bursts in the fourth quarter, leading Indianapolis.

Pagel's 2-yard quarterback keeper with 10:57 remaining capped a 67-yard drive that the Colts had launched after Bucs' placekicker Donald Igwebuike missed an extra point that would have given Tampa Bay a seven-point lead five seconds into the final period.

The win snapped Indianapolis' six-game losing streak and was the first victory on the road of the year for the 4-11 Colts. Indianapolis had lost 10 games in a row away from the Hoosier Dome, seven this season.

Tampa Bay dropped to 2-13 before a crowd of 25,577 — smallest in the Bucs' 10-year history — and remained in strong contention for the first selection in next year's NFL draft.

Falcons 14, Vikings 13

ATLANTA — Tackle Dan Benish set up a touchdown with a fumble recovery and later blocked a field goal as the Atlanta Falcons won when when Jan Stenerud missed a fourth-quarter extra-point attempt.

The victory snapped a three-game losing streak for the Falcons, 3-12, and virtually killed Minnesota's faint hopes of gaining a wild card berth in the National Football League playoffs, falling to 7-8.

Stenerud, who had one field goal blocked and missed on two other attempts, kicked wide right on his extra point after the Vikings scored with 8:03 left in the game on Tommy Kramer's 49-yard strike to Anthony Carter, who made the reception at the Atlanta 40 and outran the secondary to the end zone.

The Falcons took a 14-0 lead with a pair of second-quarter touchdowns, the first a 34-yard pass from David Archer to Charlie Brown and the other on a 1-yard plunge by Joe Washington.

Washington's touchdown was set up when Benish recovered Darrin Nelson's fumble on the Minnesota 28.

Atlanta's Gerald Riggs, the NFL's rushing leader with 1,548 going into the game, had only 13 yards on 10 carries before leaving the game in the second quarter with a sprained right knee.

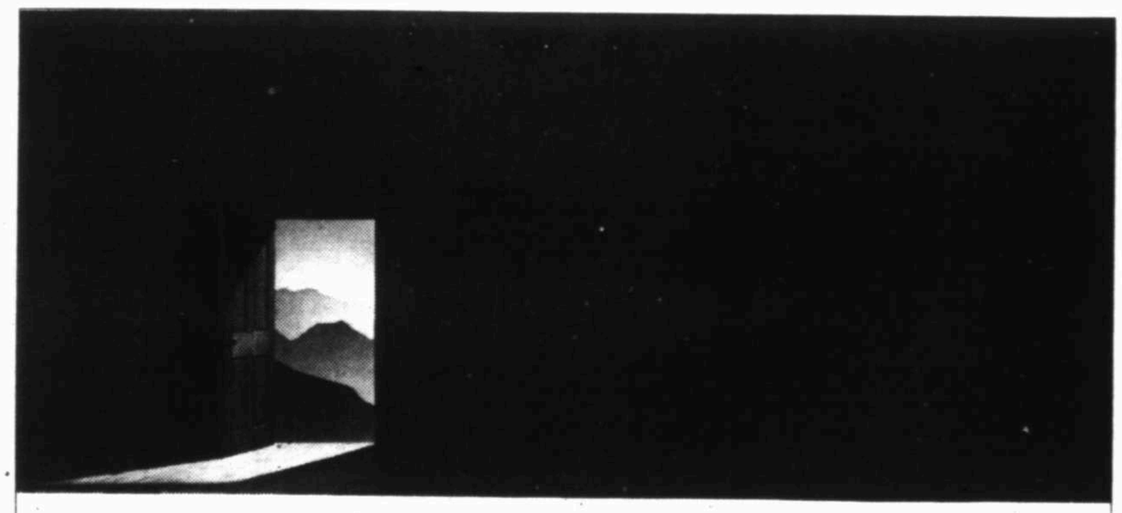
The game, played in 35-degree weather, drew a crowd of only 14,167, second lowest in Falcon history.

Redskins 27, Bengals 24

WASHINGTON — George Rogers 34-yard touchdown run midway in the fourth quarter capped a string of 24 consecutive Washington points Sunday as the Redskins rallied to beat Cincinnati 27-24 and keep their playoff hopes alive.

The Redskins, who trailed 24-7 two minutes into the second quarter, stormed back behind injured quarterback Jay Schroeder to raise their record to 9-6. They're tied with San Francisco and the New York Giants in a scramble for two NFC wild-card playoff berths.

Cincinnati, 7-8, can win the AFC Central Division if they finish in a three-way tie with Pittsburgh and Cleveland, based on their 3-1 record against the Steelers and Browns. The Steelers also are 7-8 and the Browns 8-7 going into the final weekend.



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NFL Summaries

Minnesota	0	7	0	812
Atlanta	0	14	0	0—14

Second Period

Atl—Brown 34 pass from Archer (Luckhurst kick), 4:16.

Atl—Washington 1 run (Luckhurst kick), 12:33.

Min—Nelson 6 run (Stenerud kick), 14:16.

Fourth Period

Min—Carter 49 pass from Kramer (kick failed), 6:57.

A—14,167

	Min	Atl
First downs	23	15
Rushes-yards	22-91	37-77
Passing	286	197
Return Yards	18	16
Comp-Att	22-43-2	14-22-0
Sacks by	2-16	4-29
Punts	3-37	6-42
Fumbles-Lost	4-3	2-1
Penalties-Yards	3-15	10-90
Time of Possession	25:41	34:19

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Minnesota, Nelson 14-84, Brown 5-5, Kramer 2-2, Anderson 1-0. Atlanta, J. Washington 9-66, Riggs 10-13, Archer 8-(minus 2).

PASSING—Minnesota, Kramer 22-43-2-315. Atlanta, Archer 14-22-0-213.

RECEIVING—Minnesota, Jones 8-94, Carter 7-144, Jordan 3-45, White 2-22, Rhymes 1-8, Nelson 1-2. Atlanta, Brown 4-66, B. Johnson 4-66, Bailey 2-24, Cox 2-16, Riggs 1-11, J. Washington 1-8.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—Minnesota, Stenerud 46, 48, 33. Atlanta, Luckhurst 24, 37.

Indianapolis	7	10	0	14—31
Tampa Bay	7	10	0	6—23

First Period

Ind—Wonsley 7 run (Allegre kick), 3:52

TB—Wilder 9 run (Igwebuike kick), 6:36

Second Period

TB—FG Igwebuike 48, :04

Ind—FG Allegre 33, 6:14

Ind—Wonsley 3 run (Allegre kick), 14:29

TB—House 44 pass from Young (Igwebuike kick), 15:00

Fourth Period

TB—Young 1 run (kick failed), :06

Ind—Pagel 2 run (Allegre kick), 4:03

Ind—Bentley 26 run (Allegre kick), 10:06

A—26,577

	Ind	TB
First downs	23	23
Rushes-yards	40-257	31-157
Passing	127	230
Return Yards	8	31
Comp-Att	17-28-1	14-25-2
Sacks by	2-21	0-0
Punts	3-37	2-50
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	4-2
Penalties-Yards	8-61	5-72
Time of Possession	33:48	26:12

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Indianapolis, McMillan 13-108, Gill 9-66, Wonsley 12-60, Bentley 3-31, Pagel 3-2. Tampa Bay, Wilder 22-96, Young 8-49, Carter 1-13.

PASSING—Indianapolis, Pagel 17-28-1-127. Tampa Bay, Young 14-25-2-261.

RECEIVING—Indianapolis, Beach 5-28, Bouza 4-29, Wonsley 3-26, McMillan 3-6, Boyer 1-26, Capers 1-14. Tampa Bay, House 4-131, Magee 4-43, Giles 3-60, Carter 1-11, T.Bell 1-11, Wilder 1-6.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—Indianapolis, Allegre 21.

San Francisco	0	7	10	14—31
New Orleans	0	9	7	3—19

Second Period

SF—Clark 26 pass from Montana (Wersching kick), 10:26

NO—FG Andersen 46, 12:24

NO—Warren 42 blocked field goal return (kick failed), 13:59

Third Period

SF—M.Wilson 52 pass from Montana (Wersching kick), 1:55

NO—Goodlow 76 pass from Hebert (Andersen kick), 2:16

SF—FG Wersching 24, 7:14

Fourth Period

NO—FG Andersen 41, 1:28

SF—Francis 17 pass from Montana (Wersching kick), 3:27

SF—Craig 16 run (Wersching kick), 8:19

A—46,086

	SF	NO
First downs	27	14
Rushes-yards	33-151	23-75
Passing	349	214
Return Yards	36	14
Comp-Att	25-38-1	20-34-0
Sacks by	5-40	1-6
Punts	5-44	7-48
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	5-40	7-66
Time of Possession	30:33	29:27

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—San Francisco, Craig 18-68, Harmon 8-40, Montana 7-23. New Orleans, W. Wilson 13-27, Campbell 6-20, Anthony 2-18, Hebert 2-10.

PASSING—San Francisco, Montana 25-38-1-364. New Orleans, Hebert 20-34-0-254.

RECEIVING—San Francisco, Craig 8-82, Rice 4-62, Clark 4-61, M. Wilson 4-71, Harmon 3-31, Francis 2-27. New Orleans, W. Wilson 8-47, Goodlow 5-136, Groth 2-21, Brenner 2-10, Tice 1-30, Campbell 1-12, Anthony 1-(minus 1).

MISSED FIELD GOALS—San Francisco, Wersching 52.

Buffalo	7	14	0	3—34
Pittsburgh	0	14	6	10—30

First Period

Buf—Bell 77 run (Norwood kick), :26

Second Period

Buf—Butler 33 pass from Mathison (Norwood kick), 3:26

Buf—Wilson 61 fumble return (Norwood kick), 7:16

Pit—Lipps 13 pass from Campbell (Anderson kick), 8:31

Pit—Pollard 4 run (Anderson kick), 14:06

Third Period

Pit—FG Anderson 26, 5:13

Pit—FG Anderson 31, 9:36

Fourth Period

Buf—FG Norwood 24, 6:07

Pit—FG Anderson 46, 10:32

Pit—Abercrombie 2 run (Anderson kick), 14:13

A—36,863

	Buf	Pit
First downs	14	25
Rushes-yards	36-189	36-170
Passing	134	264
Return Yards	48	5
Comp-Att	10-20-2	20-46-2
Sacks by	4-32	2-26
Punts	4-37	4-36
Fumbles-Lost	6-3	4-1
Penalties-Yards	6-60	5-45
Time of Possession	27:12	32:48

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Buffalo, Bell 19-123, Mathison 4-31, Steels 3-22, Cribbs 9-13. Pittsburgh, Pollard 16-82, Abercrombie 16-71, Woodley 1-12, Spencer 1-2, Campbell 2-2, Lipps 1-1.

PASSING—Buffalo, Mathison 10-20-2-162. Pittsburgh, Malone 2-7-0-21, Campbell 18-38-2-275.

RECEIVING—Buffalo, Richardson 3-60, Butler 3-61, Bell 2-12, Reed 1-21, Burkett 1-18. Pittsburgh, Lipps 4-116, Pollard 3-39, Stallworth 3-37, Abercrombie 3-34, Gothard 3-34, Sweeney 3-18, Thompson 1-18.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—Pittsburgh, Anderson 41.

Green Bay	0	6	7	13—26
Detroit	14	3	0	6—23

First Period

Det—Moore 1 run (Murray kick), 5:36

Det—Moore 1 run (Murray kick), 14:27

Second Period

GB—FG Del Greco 38, 2:07

GB—FG Del Greco 29, 9:56

Det—FG Murray 19, 15:00

Third Period

GB—Ellerson 37 run (Del Greco kick), 3:08

Fourth Period

GB—FG Del Greco 25, :03

GB—Douglass 80 interception return (Del Greco kick), 5:31

Det—Thompson 30 pass from Ferguson (kick failed), 13:59

GB—FG Del Greco 27, 15:00

A—49,379

	GB	Det
First downs	17	25
Rushes-yards	31-173	32-137
Passing	133	289
Return Yards	148	33
Comp-Att	10-23-1	23-38-4
Sacks by	2-14	2-26
Punts	5-43	4-38
Fumbles-Lost	3-1	4-1
Penalties-Yards	9-89	10-81
Time of Possession	26:01	34:59

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Green Bay, Ellerson 8-72, Ellis 11-42, Ivery 2-36, Clark 6-26, Zorn 2-(minus 2). Detroit, Jones 23-104, Meade 3-18, Hippie 2-10, Moore 4-5.

PASSING—Green Bay, Zorn 10-23-1-159. Detroit, Hipple 19-30-3-221, Ferguson 4-6-1-82.

RECEIVING—Green Bay, Ellis 3-52, Coffman 3-39, Ivery 1-20, Clark 1-19, Dennard 1-16, Lofton 1-13. Detroit, Bland 7-109, Jones 7-43, Thompson 4-66, Moore 3-26, Mandley 1-23, Meade 1-14.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—None.

Houston	0	7	0	14—21
Cleveland	7	7	14	0—28

First Period

Cle—Kosar 2 run (Bahr kick), 3:47

Second Period

Cle—Newsome 2 pass from Kosar (Bahr kick), 1:10

Hou—Rozier 3 run (Zendejas kick), 10:50

Third Period

Cle—F.Banks 6 pass from Kosar (Bahr kick), :31

Cle—Meck 5 pass from Kosar (Bahr kick), 7:12

Fourth Period

Hou—Woolfolk 15 pass from Moon (Zendejas kick), 5:24

Hou—Smith 16 pass from Moon (Zendejas kick), 14:26

A—60,793

	Hou	Cle
First downs	21	19
Rushes-yards	28-98	39-158
Passing	303	156
Return Yards	31	38
Comp-Att	22-48-2	14-28-0
Sacks by	1-5	4-36
Punts	6-29	6-43
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	1-1
Penalties-Yards	8-55	6-46
Time of Possession	31:53	28:07

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Houston, Rozier 24-80, Moon 1-11, Woolfolk 2-9, Edwards 1-(minus 4) Cleveland, Byner 22-67, Mack 13-72, Davis 1-0, Kosar 3-(minus 1).

PASSING—Houston, Moon 22-48-2-339. Cleveland, Kosar 14-28-0-161.

RECEIVING—Houston, Smith 7-125, Woolfolk 7-96, Hill 3-62, Rozier 2-18, Williams 1-20, Edwards 1-12, Drewrey 1-9. Cleveland, Newsome 4-65, Brennan 4-40, Byner 3-13, Tucker 1-10, F.Banks 1-8, Mack 1-6.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—Houston, Zendejas 24.

Cincinnati	21	3	0	0—24
Washington	7	10	3	7—27

First Period

Was—Rogers 1 run (Moseley kick), 3:36

Cin—Brown 8 pass from Brooks (Breech kick), 5:43

Cin—Holman 26 pass from Esiason (Breech kick), 8:03

Cin—Holman 61 pass from Esiason (Breech kick), 12:57

Second Period

Cin—FG Breech 36, 1:36

Was—Monk 4 pass from Schroeder (Moseley kick), 12:08

Was—FG Moseley 42, 14:30

Third Period

Was—FG Moseley 39, 5:10

Fourth Period

Was—Rogers 34 run (Moseley kick), 7:36

A—60,544

	Cin	Was
First downs	18	21
Rushes-yards	23-69	36-126
Passing	330	266
Return Yards	13	106
Comp-Att	23-40-2	18-36-1
Sacks by	2-18	3-36
Punts	5-40	3-39
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	5-3
Penalties-Yards	8-74	4-45
Time of Possession	24:30	35:30

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Cincinnati, Esiason 4-21, Kinnebrew 8-15, Brooks 6-15, Alexander 1-14, Brown 1-0, Collinsworth 1-3, Jennings 1-1. Brown 1-0, Washington, Rogers 24-96, Griffin 8-27, Clark 1-7, Monk 2-1, Schroeder 1-(minus 2).

PASSING—Cincinnati, Esiason 22-39-2-357, Brooks 1-1-0-8, Washington, Schroeder 18-36-1-273.

RECEIVING—Cincinnati, Holman 8-99, Brooks 5-48, Kreider 4-62, Collinsworth 3-77, Brown 2-24, Kinnebrew 2-17, Harris 1-18. Washington, Monk 13-230, Clark 2-24, Didier 2-14, Rogers 1-6.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—Cincinnati, Breech 51. Washington, Moseley 40, 39.

Seattle	3	0	0	0— 3
L.A. Raiders	0	6	0	7—13

First Period

Sea—FG Johnson 37, 8:36

Second Period

LA—FG Bahr 22, 7:16

LA—FG Bahr 27, 14:57

Fourth Period

LA—Allen 7 run (Bahr kick), 8:51

A—77,425

	Sea	LA
First downs	12	16
Rushes-yards	20-51	37-164
Passing	150	195
Return Yards	21	35
Comp-Att	16-33-2	11-22-0
Sacks by	2-9	4-34
Punts	6-43	5-43
Fumbles-Lost	3-2	3-2
Penalties-Yards	8-61	9-70
Time of Possession	29:43	30:17

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Seattle, Warner 13-37, Hughes 5-13, Parros 1-4, Morris 1-(minus 3). Los Angeles, Allen 27-109, Hawkins 10-46.

PASSING—Seattle, Krieg 16-33-2-184. Los Angeles, Wilson 11-22-0-204.

RECEIVING—Seattle, Ross 5-43, Largent 4-61, Lane 2-27, Parros 1-27, Turner 1-16, Skansi 1-7, Hughes 1-6, Warner 1-(minus 3). Los Angeles, Christensen 4-38, D. Williams 3-84, Hester 2-69, Hawkins 1-8, Allen 1-5.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—Los Angeles, Bahr 43.

St. Louis	7	0	7	0—14
L.A. Rams	13	23	7	3—46

First Period

StL—Mitchel 1 run (Bojovic kick), 4:34

LA—Dickerson 1 run (kick failed), 11:27

LA—Brown 13 pass from Brock (Lansford kick), 14:52

Second Period

LA—Hunter 47 pass from Brock (Lansford kick), 10:01

LA—Dickerson 2 run (Lansford kick), 12:51

LA—Safety, Lomax tackled in end zone, 13:00

LA—Ellard 43 pass from Brock (Lansford kick), 14:38

Third Period

LA—Hunter 3 pass from Brock (Lansford kick), 7:06

StL—Marsh 12 pass from Lomax (Bojovic kick), 14:12

Fourth Period

LA—FG Lansford 46, 6:39

A—62,052

	StL	LA
First downs	14	22
Rushes-yards	22-82	41-208
Passing	131	217
Return Yards	10	56
Comp-Att	14-28-2	14-23-0
Sacks by	1-1	4-34
Punts	5-44	3-41
Fumbles-Lost	4-1	1-0
Penalties-Yards	5-25	5-48
Time of Possession	26:51	33:09

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—St. Louis, Mitchell 18-69, Wolfley 2-7, J.T.Smith 1-6, Lomax 1-0. L.A. Rams, Dickerson 20-124, White 6-56, Redden 6-20, Guman 5-11, Brown 1-9, Dils 2-(minus 4), Ellard 1-(minus 10).

PASSING—St. Louis, Lomax 9-18-0-100, Brunner 4-9-2-34, Mitchell 1-1-0-31. L.A. Rams, Brock 13-20-0-216, Kemp 1-3-0-2.

RECEIVING—St. Louis, Green 6-82, Marsh 3-26, Mitchell 2-26, J.T.Smith 2-13, Tilley 1-14, Novacek 1-4. L.A. Rams, Hunter 5-66, Ellard 3-63, D.Hill 1-37, Redden 1-24, Brown 1-13, Young 1-12, Guman 1-2.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—Los Angeles, Lansford 32.

Transactions

Pacific Coast League

TUCSON TOROS—Named Carlos Alfonso manager. Announced the promotion of Jimmy Johnson to the Houston Astros organization.

FOOTBALL

National Football League

NEW YORK GIANTS—Activated Don Hasselbeck, tight end, and Lee Rouson, running back. Placed Mark Haynes, cornerback, and Jeff Hostetler, quarterback, the injured reserve list.

SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS—Activated Bill Ring, running back. Waived John Hill, offensive lineman.

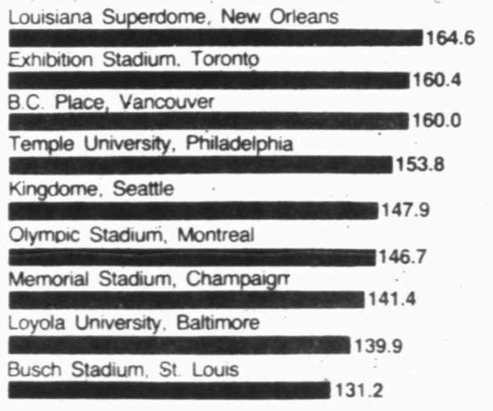
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NFL Standings

	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
East						
Foxboro	10	4	0	.714	301	237
Miami	10	4	0	.714	370	293
Jets	10	5	0	.667	356	254
Colts	4	11	0	.267	286	370
Buffalo	2	13	0	.133	200	353
Central						
Cleveland	8	7	0	.533	277	257
Cincinnati	7	8	0	.467	418	403
Pittsburgh	7	8	0	.467	369	327
Houston	5	10	0	.333	268	378
West						
x-Raiders	11	4	0	.733	338	302
Denver	10	5	0	.667	353	306
Seattle	8	7	0	.533	326	276
San Diego	8	7	0	.533	433	397
Kansas City	5	10	0	.333	279	326
NATIONAL CONFERENCE						
East						
x-Dallas	10	5	0	.667	341	302
Giants	9	6	0	.600	371	273
Washington	9	6	0	.600	270	296
Philadelphia	6	9	0	.400	249	275
St. Louis	5	10	0	.333	262	387
Central						
x-Chicago	14	1	0	.933	419	181
Green Bay	7	8	0	.467	317	338
Minnesota	7	8	0	.467	312	322
Detroit	7	8	0	.467	290	329
Tampa Bay	2	13	0	.133	277	428
West						
x-Anaheim	11	4	0	.733	334	261
49ers	9	6	0	.600	380	247
New Orleans	5	10	0	.333	284	386
Atlanta	3	12	0	.200	266	442

x-clinched division title
y-clinched wild-card playoff berth

Saturday's Games
Chicago 19, New York Jets 6
Denver 14, Kansas City 13

Sunday's Games
Pittsburgh 30, Buffalo 24
Washington 27, Cincinnati 24
Green Bay 26, Detroit 23
Cleveland 28, Houston 21
Indianapolis 31, Tampa Bay 23
Atlanta 14, Minnesota 13
Dallas 28, New York Giants 21
San Francisco 31, New Orleans 19
San Diego 20, Philadelphia 14
Los Angeles Rams 46, St. Louis 14
Los Angeles Raiders 13, Seattle 3

Monday's Game
New England at Miami, 8 p.m.

Friday's Game
Denver at Seattle, 7 p.m.

Saturday's Games
Pittsburgh at New York Giants, 11:30 a.m.
Washington at St. Louis, 3p.m.

Sunday, Dec. 22
Atlanta at New Orleans, noon
Buffalo at Miami, noon
Chicago at Detroit, noon
Cincinnati at New England, noon
Cleveland at New York Jets, noon
Green Bay at Tampa Bay, noon
Philadelphia at Minnesota, noon
San Diego at Kansas City, noon
Houston at Indianapolis, 3p.m.
Dallas at San Francisco, 3p.m.

Monday, Dec. 23
Los Angeles Raiders at Los Angeles Rams, 8 p.m.

NBA at a Glance

Atlantic Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
Boston	20	4	.833	—
New Jersey	14	11	.560	6½
Washington	12	11	.522	7½
Philadelphia	12	12	.500	8
New York	7	17	.292	13
Central Division				
Milwaukee	18	10	.643	—
Detroit	14	12	.538	3
Atlanta	12	13	.480	4½
Cleveland	11	13	.458	5
Chicago	9	19	.321	9
Indiana	7	17	.292	9
WESTERN CONFERENCE				
Midwest Division				
Houston	17	8	.680	—
Denver	16	9	.640	1
Utah	15	11	.577	2½
San Antonio	14	12	.538	3½
Dallas	12	14	.522	4
Sacramento	8	17	.320	9
Pacific Division				
L.A. Lakers	20	3	.870	—
Portland	16	12	.556	7
Seattle	11	15	.423	10½
Golden State	10	18	.357	12½
L.A. Clippers	8	17	.320	13
Phoenix	7	17	.292	13½

Saturday's Games
New Jersey 105, Indiana 99
New York 108, San Antonio 98
Atlanta 107, Philadelphia 103
Cleveland 109, Boston 99
Sacramento 108, Chicago 103
Dallas 127, Denver 100
Utah 114, Houston 100
Phoenix 114, L.A. Clippers 92

Sunday's Games
Boston 109, Chicago 104
Milwaukee 140, Sacramento 82
L.A. Lakers 132, Detroit 119
Golden State 112, Seattle 106

Monday's Games
No games scheduled

Tuesday' Games
Utah at Washington, 7:30 p.m.
New Jersey at Atlanta, 7:30 p.m.
Houston at Cleveland, 7:30 p.m.
Philadelphia at Indiana, 7:30 p.m.
L.A. Lakers at New York, 8 p.m.
Boston at Chicago, 7:30 p.m.
Portland at San Antonio, 7:30 p.m.
Golden State at Denver, 9:30 p.m.
Detroit at Sacramento, 10:30 p.m.
Phoenix at Seattle, 10:30 p.m.

Wednesday's Games
Dallas at Boston, 6:30 p.m.
Utah at New Jersey, 6:30 p.m.
Houston at Philadelphia, 6:30 p.m.
L.A. Lakers at Milwaukee, 7:30 p.m.
Golden State at L.A. Clippers, 10:30 p.m.

Sunday's NBA Boxes

At Boston

CHICAGO (104)
Woolridge 9-22 8-10 26, Green 7-14 3-3 17, Oldham 0-3 0-0 0, Gervin 5-12 3-3 13, Macy 2-5 0-0 5, Banks 1-3 1-1 3, Corzine 7-12 1-1 15, Dailey 6-14 3-4 15, Oakley 0-1 0-0 0, Paxson 4-7 0-0 10. Totals 41-93 19-22 104.

BOSTON (109)
McHale 11-17 5-7 27, Bird 13-24 8-8 34, Parish 1-11 3-6 5, Johnson 10-19 3-4 23, Ainge 3-7 1-2 7, Sichting 1-1 0-0 2, Wedman 1-3 2-2 4, Walton 0-3 0-0 0, Thirdkill 1-1 1-2 3, Carlisle 2-2 0-0 4. Totals 43-88 23-31 109.

Chicago	31	30	23	20—104
Boston	26	26	30	27—109

Three-point goals—Paxson 2, Macy. Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Chicago 49 (Green 16), Boston 54 (Parish 15). Assists—Chicago 26 (Woolridge, Gervin, Macy 4), Boston 29 (Ainge 9). Total fouls—Chicago 25, Boston 19. A—14,890.

At Milwaukee

SACRAMENTO (82)
Johnson 2-6 3-3 7, Olberding 1-3 3-3 5, Thompson 0-2 1-2 1, Drew 8-16 0-0 16, Theus 7-15 4-4 18, Tyler 5-14 3-4 13, Woodson 2-8 0-0 4, Kleine 2-4 0-0 4, Thorpe 2-5 5-6 9, Kelley 0-0 1-2 1, Henry 2-8 0-0 4. Adams 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 31-83 20-24 82.

MILWAUKEE (140)
Cummings 10-15 1-1 21, Pressey 2-2 5-6 9, Brauer 4-5 2-2 10, Hodges 6-6 2-2 15, Moncrief 0-3 6-6 6, Lister 3-8 2-4 8, Pierce 6-7 2-2 14, Fields 5-6 1-1 11, Lamp 4-7 2-2 10, Reynolds 5-9 5-9 15, Mokeski 2-2 2-2 6, Davis 7-9 0-0 15. Totals 54-81 30-36 140.

Sacramento	17	17	19	29— 82
Milwaukee	36	28	42	34—140

Three-point goals—Hodges, Davis. Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Sacramento 38 (Lister 8). Assists—Sacramento 19 (Olberding, Drew 4), Milwaukee 34 (Pressey 8). Total fouls—Sacramento 30, Milwaukee 22. A—10,103.

At Inglewood, Calif.

DETROIT (119)
Benson 2-6 1-2 5, Tripucka 3-9 2-2 8, Laimbeer 7-13 1-2 15, Long 8-11 0-0 16, Thomas 2-8 12-12 16, Careton 6-8 0-0 10, V.Johnson 7-16 1-4 15, Dumars 3-9 6-6 12, Campbell 1-4 0-0 2, Mahron 5-7 3-4 13, Gibson 2-8 0-0 4, Nevitt 1-2 1-2 3. Totals 46-99 27-34 119.

L.A. LAKERS (132)
Rambis 5-9 0-0 10, Worthy 12-15 1-1 25, Abdul-Jabbar 7-11 4-4 18, E.Johnson 5-9 9-11 19, Scott 8-9 1-1 17, Lucas 4-14 5-7 13, Cooper 1-3 2-2 4, Kupchak 4-7 5-7 13, Green 2-3 2-5 6, McGee 1-6 0-0 2, Spriggs 2-5 1-2 5, Lester 0-1 0-2 0. Totals 51-92 30-42 132.

Detroit	28	30	24	37—119
L.A. Lakers	41	23	41	27—132

Fouled out—Thomas. Rebounds—Detroit 56 (Mahorn 14), Los Angeles 57 (Rambis 11). Assists—Detroit 28 (Thomas 11), Los Angeles 29 (E.Johnson 15). Total fouls—Detroit 29, Los Angeles 28. Technicals— Mahorn. A—17,506.

At Oakland, Calif.

SEATTLE (106)
McCormick 0-1 1-2 1, McDaniel 4-9 4-4 12, Sikma 8-13 2-4 18, Henderson 7-10 3-4 18, Wood 9-13 4-5 22, Chambers 11-19 6-6 28, Vranes 2-3 0-0 4, Young 0-0 0-0 0, Sobers 1-4 0-0 2. Totals 42-72 20-25 106.

GOLDEN STATE (112)
Short 10-22 6-6 27, Smith 2-5 0-0 4, Carroll 8-17 8-9 24, Floyd 4-9 4-5 12, Mullin 3-8 5-5 11, Ballard 9-14 2-2 20, Huston 0-0 0-0 0, Verhoeven 2-3 0-0 4, Teagle 3-6 2-2 8, Whitehead 1-3 0-0 2. Totals 42-87 27-29 112.

Seattle	22	28	30	25—105
Golden State	23	33	31	25—112

Three-point goals—Henderson, Short. Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Seattle 36 (Sikma 11), Golden State 47 (Carroll 8). Assists—Seattle 26 (Henderson 10), Golden State 23 (Floyd 6). Total fouls—Seattle 26, Golden State 20. Technicals—Sikma, Henderson. A—6,437.

NHL

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Patrick Division						
Philadelphia	23	6	0	46	143	93
Washington	18	7	3	39	108	84
Islanders	11	10	8	30	109	112
Rangers	14	16	1	29	109	104
Pittsburgh	12	15	4	28	119	113
Jersey	12	16	1	25	106	120
Adams Division						
Quebec	17	11	2	36	120	96
Boston	14	10	6	34	116	105
Montreal	15	11	3	33	130	109
Buffalo	14	14	2	30	110	100
Hartford	14	13	0	28	111	110
CAMPBELL CONFERENCE						
Norris Division						
St. Louis	13	12	4	30	104	110
Chicago	10	15	4	24	120	139
Minnesota	8	14	7	23	118	118
Toronto	8	17	5	21	116	135
Detroit	7	18	4	18	96	150
Smythe Division						
Edmonton	23	5	4	50	173	125
Calgary	17	9	3	37	130	100
Winnipeg	10	18	4	24	109	147
Vancouver	10	19	3	23	117	139
LAngeles	7	19	4	18	101	152

Saturday's Games
Boston 4, N.Y. Rangers 2
Toronto 6, Minnesota 6, tie
St. Louis 2, N.Y. Islanders 2, tie
Hartford 5, Pittsburgh 4
Quebec 9, New Jersey 3
Philadelphia 6, Detroit 4
Vancouver 4, Calgary 3
Montreal 6, Chicago 3
Washington 5, Los Angeles 4

Sunday's Games
Buffalo 6, Quebec 2
Pittsburgh 5, N.Y. Rangers 2
St. Louis 3, New Jersey 2
Toronto 3, Winnipeg 3, tie
Edmonton 5, Vancouver 3
Chicago 6, Detroit 4

Monday's Game
Hartford at Montreal, 6:35 p.m.

Tuesday's Games
Philadelphia at New Jersey, 6:35 p.m.
Calgary at Pittsburgh, 6:35 p.m.
Buffalo at N.Y. Islanders, 7:05 p.m.
Detroit at Minnesota, 7:35 p.m.
Winnipeg at St. Louis, 7:35 p.m.
Washington at Vancouver, 10:35 p.m.

Wednesday's Games
Calgary at Hartford, 6:35 p.m.
Buffalo at N.Y. Rangers, 6:35 p.m.
Quebec at Montreal, 6:35 p.m.
Winnipeg at Chicago, 7:35 p.m.
Washington at Edmonton, 9:35 p.m.
Toronto at Los Angeles, 10:35 p.m.

Quebec	0	1	1	—2
Buffalo	0	4	2	—6

First Period—None.

Second Period—1, Buffalo, Ramsey 3 (Andersson, Tucker), 1:19. 2, Buffalo, Ruff 10 (Foligno, Andreychuk), 7:29. 3, Buffalo, Ruff 11 (Tucker, Perreault), 9:27 (pp). 4, Quebec, Sauve 4 (Picard, Anderson), 16:01 (pp). 5, Buffalo, Ruff 12 (Foligno, Housley), 16:57.

Third Period—6, Quebec, P.Stastny 17 (A.Stastny, Picard), 1:45. 7, Buffalo, Seiling 7, 8:50. 8, Ruff 13 (Andreychuk,8Ramsey), 13:33 (pp).

Shots on goal—Quebec 7-9-8—24. Buffalo 11-14-12—37.

Goalies—Quebec, Malarchuk. Buffalo, Barrasso. A—12,182.

St. Louis	0	1	2	—3
New Jersey	1	1	0	—2

First Period—1, New Jersey, Anderson 4 (Johnson4 Iggine), 11:27.

Second Period—2, New Jersey, Broden 9 (Muller, MacLean), X 11:51. 3, St. Louis, Pasiawski 9 (Reed, Wilson), 12:10.

Third Period—4, St. Louis, Mullen 15 (Sutter, Ramage), 13:37. 5, St. Louis, Ramage 5 (Bell, Flockhart), 19:59 (pp).

Shots on goal—St. Louis 7-12-9—28. New Jersey 17-12-7—36. G. Goalies—St. Louis, Wamsley. New Jersey, Resch. A—6,208.

Pittsburgh	1	2	2	—6
N.Y. Rangers	1	1	0	—2

First Period—1, New York, Ruotsalainen 7 (Pavelich), 8:51. 2, Pittsburgh, Lindstrom 8 (Hannan, Chabot), 19:54.

Second Period—3, Pittsburgh, Lemieux 19 (Simpson), 10:42. 4, New York, Osborne 9, 14:16. 5, Pittsburgh, Ruskowski 11 (Schmidt, Lemieux), 18:56.

Third Period—6, Pittsburgh, Simpson 4 (Lemieux, Ruskowski), 1:02. 7, Pittsburgh, Simpson 5 (Lemieux, Ruskowski), 10:49.

Shots on goal—Pittsburgh 10-9-7—26. N.Y. Rangers 12-11-17—40.

Goalies—Pittsburgh, Meloche. N.Y. Rangers, Vanbiesbrouck, Hanlon. A—17,302.

Vancouver	0	1	2	—3
Edmonton	2	1	2	—6

First Period—1, Edmonton, Summanen 8 (

Yankees have a solid nucleus...of unhappy players

By MURRAY CHASS
Times News Service

NEW YORK — Poor Lou Piniella. He is more than two months away from the first spring training of his managerial career, and already the Yankees have a solid nucleus of unhappy players who could ignite the type of turmoil the Yankees have become accustomed to in the George Steinbrenner years. Britt Burns, the new No. 2 starting pitcher, said he eagerly looked forward to playing for the Yankees, but a substantial number of other players on the team as it is currently constituted could erupt from the opening day of spring camp.

Some of those players may not be around by then, but in spite of requests for trades, the Yankees emerged from the winter meetings with Don Baylor, Ed Whitson and Ken Griffey remaining on their roster. And they added Gary Roenicke, who has no desire to play in New York and plans to leave as soon as he can become a free agent at the end of next season. And don't forget Dave Winfield, whom Steinbrenner labeled "Mr. May" in September.

The Yankees, to be sure, improved themselves with their flurry of trading activity last week; no one else made three trades as they did. Burns should provide more victories than Joe Cowley, and Roenicke may add some right-handed punch. The trades furthermore put the Yankees in position to complete their free-agent business; they could sign Butch Wynegar and Phil Niekro this week, and Joe Niekro shouldn't be far behind.

But they are left with an unhappy Whitson, who wants to be in New York no longer, and a platooned pair of designated hitters, Baylor and Griffey, who want no part of those restricted roles.

"Donnie Baylor is a quality person, a quality player," Piniella said. "I know he wants to play every day; I respect that. But we have other capable people on our club we have to utilize."

The way the alignment appears now, Roenicke, a good defensive player, and Dan Pasqua, the promising young left-handed power hitter, will platoon in left field. That leaves Griffey, already a disgruntled player, for half a d.h. job, or perhaps a 72 percent d.h. job.

"George said I was going to play against left-handers," Baylor said."That's 28 percent of the time."

Baylor, of course, could liberate himself by agreeing to a trade without the $750,000 in inducements he sought from the Chicago White Sox. He may still see that as his smartest way out, or he may at least agree to a smaller sum. Griffey, though, seems to be a prisoner of his contract. Some teams could use him, but they shy away from his salary.

Baylor and Griffey are not very likely to remain silent about their displeasure should they be Yankees when spring training begins. Winfield will remember Mr. May. Whitson will continue to see Billy Martin, the ex-manager with whom he was involved in a barroom skirmish and who this year will be a Yankee television commentator. Roenicke will wonder what he got into.

Piniella may not take long to wonder himself.

DARNELL Coles, one of the players involved in a trade, going from Seattle to Detroit, unwittingly played a role in Met history. When the Mets had the No.1 selection in the 1980 amateur draft, they were seriously considering choosing Coles. However, Coles had suffered a high school football knee injury, and the Mets brought him to New York for an examination.

Dr. James Parkes, the Mets' orthopedist, checked the knee, then advised the Mets the injury could make Coles a risk. So the Mets passed on Coles and picked Darryl Strawberry instead.

DOES HE or doesn't he?

Have political ambitions, that is. Peter Ueberroth, the commissioner.

Ueberroth has repeatedly denied that he has such ambitions, but news reports in recent weeks have had him meeting with California Republican leaders about a possible run for the U.S. Senate next year. Then there was his address to baseball people last Tuesday in which he outlined an eight-point plan to rid the country (not just baseball) of cocaine.

The politicians who control foreign aid, Ueberroth said, "must get tough" with the six countries that export cocaine. The United States has to protect its borders. Border guards, the commissioner said, are given "tinker toy weapons" when AWACs could be used. "The police," he said, "have to quit looking the other way. Those who live in New York like me know what I mean."

Many people who heard the remarks went away with the definite impression that Ueberroth sounded like a man running for public office. Some wrote about those impressions. That reaction, in turn, prompted further comment from Ueberroth during a news conference the next day.

After answering many questions about the owners' meeting that had just concluded, the commissioner, unsolicited, said, "I want to make a statement. I'm willing to stay here and answer your questions as long as you want, as long as nobody infers this to be any kind of political statement or anything else. I got no politics in my mind now or in the future, and anybody that takes that punch is taking an unfair one."

Hot Stove League

Only one unbeaten left

Associated Press

Fresno State's 51-7 romp over 20th-ranked Bowling Green has left top-rated Penn State, which has a Jan. 1 Orange Bowl date with Oklahoma, as the only unbeaten, untied major college football team.

Fresno State, 11-0-1, recovered five fumbles and intercepted three passes to turn Saturday's California Bowl at Fresno into a rout. The passing duel between Fresno State's Kevin Sweeney and Bowling Green's Brian McClure never materialized.

"I don't know if any team had tried to strip the ball against Bowling Green," said Fresno State Coach Jim Sweeney, father of the quarterback. "And a lot of those turnovers were stripped. We're faster and quicker defensively."

Sweeney, a junior quarterback who has compiled 8,260 yards passing in three seasons, hit Gene Taylor for scoring strikes of 53 and 33 yards and combined with Stephen Baker on a 40-yard touchdown.

College Football

McClure, No. 1 in NCAA career passing with 10,280 yards, connected on 22 of 42 passes for 254 yards, but was continually hounded by the Bulldogs' defense.

Bowling Green wound up 11-1.

In other games Saturday, Furman ripped Nevada-Reno 35-12 and Georgia Southern edged Northern Iowa 40-33 in NCAA Division I-AA semifinals; North Dakota State won the NCAA Division II title with a 35-7 rout of North Alabama and Augustana captured its third straight NCAA Division III crown, 20-7 over Ithaca.

In NAIA Division I semifinal playoffs, Hillsdale (Mich.) topped Mesa (Colo.) 24-21 in two overtimes and Central Arkansas beat Henderson (Ark.) 21-9.

At Greenville, S.C., John Bagwell ran for two touchdowns and Bobby Lamb passed for one TD and ran for another for Furman, 12-1, which faces Georgia Southern, 12-2, next Saturday at Tacoma, Wash., for the division crown. At Cedar Falls, Iowa, Tracy Ham raced 20 yards with 30 seconds left to lead Georgia Southern past Northern Iowa.

In the Palm Bowl at McAllen, Texas, North Dakota State won its second title in three years behind Jeff Bentrim, who rushed for two touchdowns and passed for another against North Alabama.

In the Amos Alonzo Stagg Bowl at Phenix City, Ala., Greg Wallace scored one touchdown and scored another as Augustana extended its winning streak to 37 games with the triumph over Ithaca — 13 this season.

At Grand Junction, Colo., Mark Baker's 30-yard field goal lifted Hillsdale, which rallied from a 21-0 fourth-quarter deficit against Mesa.

At Conway, Ark., the rushing of Shawn McGehee and the passing of reserve quarterback Victor Turner led Central Arkansas over Henderson, which had won their previous meeting this season.

The title game will be at Conway next Saturday.

NCAA exercises vigilance

By HAL BOCK
AP Sports Writer

It is comforting to know that the vigilant guardians of integrity at the NCAA remain on duty, protecting collegiate sports from the excesses that more than occasionally pop up across the landscape, threatening tranquility.

Why, in the last week alone, they have struck twice, teaching important lessons to those who trifle with the standards.

There was the Steve Alford case when the Indiana basketball star was suspended for one game for allowing his picture to appear in a sorority fund-raising calendar for a girls' summer camp.

Imagine the penalties that might be imposed for appearing in some other kinds of calendars.

EARLIER, THE NCAA also nailed Colorado State placekicker Steve DeLine, deciding his five years of athletic eligibility have expired because of a horseshoeing course he took at Colorado Mountain College back in 1981.

Nice try, cowboy.

First, the kicker's case. His father owns a 2,200-acre ranch near Walden, Colo., and DeLine likes branding calves, roping stock and working the spread. Before he ever thought about Colorado State University, he took the horseshoeing course at Colorado Mountain College, because that seemed like the sort of thing a ranch hand ought to master.

The course in ferrier science is a vocational-technical program offered to train cowhands. It is distinctly non-academic and involves 12 weeks of intensive eight-hour-a-day, five-day-a-week training.

DeLine hardly needed a college to teach him this craft. "I could have learned horseshoeing from some old guy in any shed," he said. Blacksmithing 101, remember, does not appear on many academic curriculums. The credits, as you might expect, could not be applied toward DeLine's degree progress at Colorado State, where he won the kicking job as a non-recruited walk-on after arriving there in 1983.

THE NCAA version differs slightly. "Our investigation indicates he was a fulltime student at Colorado Mountain College, eligible for extracurricular activities," said Bill Hunt, assistant executive director for legislative services.

Five years is five years, says the NCAA, and so DeLine's athletic eligibility has expired. That, despite the fact that Colorado Mountain College had no intercollegiate sports program when he was there — unless you count horseshoes.

THEN THERE is the matter of Alford, who was grounded for one game by the eligibility committee because of his involvement in what the NCAA viewed as a commercial venture, posing for Gamma Phi Beta's calendar which was published to raise funds for a girls' summer camp.

Even Coach Bobby Knight, one of college sports' most devout code defenders, wondered about the penalty.

There is one final irony to all of this. Alford's one-game suspension came when Indiana played Kentucky, where the basketball program has occasionally been accused of committing misdemeanors a tad more serious than posing for a calendar.

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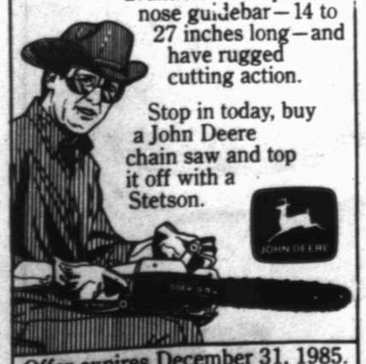
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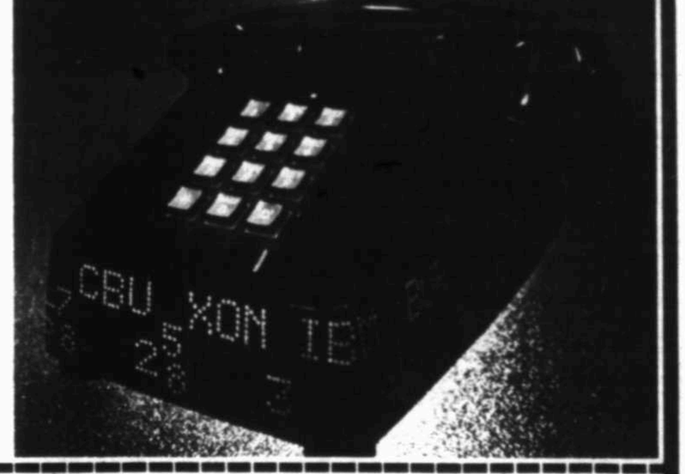
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JIM MURRAY

Pickett always wanted to be Cowboy

LAS VEGAS – The thing about Dee Pickett, the Idaho kid, is that he always knew he wanted to be a cowboy.

The trouble was, he didn't know whether he wanted to be a Dallas Cowboy or an all-around cowboy. He didn't know whether he wanted to throw passes or lassoes.

With a little luck, he could have been the next Roger Staubach. He had the arm for it, the speed and the know-how – he was a junior college All-American. What he didn't know was whether he had the heart for it.

Not the courage. He had plenty of that. It takes more heart to jump off a moving horse and turn over a kicking calf and tie his legs together than to stand up to an NFL pass rush.

But Dee Pickett loved the rush of rodeo cowboying more than Tom Landry's kind. The wide receivers he wanted to hit were four-legged and sure-footed. To be sure, their routes were more erratic than any Joe Montana might expect. And Dee didn't have the length of the field to hit them. He only had 30 feet of rope.

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BUT THE only playoffs he ever wanted to be in are the ones he's in this week at the Thomas & Mack Center here, the National Finals Rodeo where men are men, bulls are real, seldom is heard a discouraging word and we're really headed for the last roundup, the last stand of the Old West in our society.

Dee Harris Pickett is the reigning all-around cowboy world champion.

But about a dozen years ago, it looked as if Dee Pickett, instead of following in the footsteps of Kit Carson, Buffalo Bill and the other dime-novel heroes who made their livings in boots and saddles, would join another cast of athletic legends – BYU quarterbacks.

Dee was a deadeye quarterback for his high school team in Caldwell, Ida., and every school in the Big Sky and a few in the Big Eight were hot after him. Brigham Young of the Western Athletic Conference got him.

LAVELL Edwards, the BYU coach who elevated the forward pass to its highest form in the college game and had already had Virgil Carter and Gary Scheide in his backfield and was soon to have Gifford Nielsen, Marc Wilson, Steve Young, Jim McMahon and Robbie Bosco, wanted Pickett to join this cast.

A lot of people thought Dee Pickett was as great as any of them. He could throw long. He could hit a needle in the eye at 40 paces with the front end of a football, he was rawhide tough and you knew he wasn't afraid of contact because he used to spend his weekends falling on steers' horns or flipping kicking calves over on their backs and trussing them up.

Pickett signed a letter of intent with BYU and went to fall practice there. The job was surely his, if not that year, at least the next three, but that's when he came down with homesickness.

It's not exactly the kind of homesickness you feel when you want your own bed or your mom's cooking. What Pickett was homesick for was the pungent aroma of manure, dust, sweat, tanbark. The smells and sounds of that most American of all sports, the rodeo.

Pickett wanted something you could play in boots and spurs, not cleats.

People told him he was crazy. One of them was his own father who was not very supportive of his son's career choice. But Dee was in the grip of a desperate love affair with a horse and a rope.

"I knew whichever sport I chose, I'd wonder all my life if I made the right choice." he said. But it was his heart that dictated the choice.m

HE WENT first to Walla Walla Junior College when he left BYU, then Boise State. Even though he had an injured knee during much of his senior year at Boise State, NFL scouting combines came after him.

The Dallas Cowboys and Seattle Seahawks were dangling contracts. He flew to San Francisco for a tryout and ran a 4.6-second 40, even though he'd had knee surgery the year before. But Dee wanted a home on the range, not a locker room.

Pickett was a born athlete but he was a roper by inclination. Ever since he was a toddler in Caldwell, he seldom went anywhere without a loop over his belt. He would lasso anything – the bed post, the mail box, the family Volkswagen, the milk cows, fire hydrants, the neighbors' dog. He got so he could get a rope around a blowing feather.

His principal specialties in rodeo were calf roping, steer roping and team roping, although he also did bulldogging (steer wrestling).

Calf roping is a holdover from the days of the bunkhouse west when the wranglers had to separate and brand the youngsters of the herd on the open range.

It calls for a calf to be released from a pen a few seconds before a cowhand on a horse sets after him with a twirling lasso. The rider drops the loop over the head of the running animal, jerks him backward and then leaps off his horse running, flips the calf and knots its feet, then remounts and gives the calf six seconds to free himself.

If the calf doesn't, he posts his score. If the calf does, he posts zero.

A running calf has more moves than Lynn Swann on a curl pattern. He runs a route no quarterback could follow. Among other tactics, he may stop altogether. He could not only fake out a defensive back, he fakes out the quarterback.

Team roping is more of the same, except that one cowboy ropes the calf's head and a second the hind feet, by dropping a 6-foot loop on the ground in front of the running hoofs and tightening the noose when the calf steps into it.

It's harder than it sounds. You have to catch both feet. Catch only one and you forfeit 10 seconds. Catch none and you have a shutout going.

WOULD Pickett have been better off trying to reach Tony Hill or Steve Largent with his flings?

"I made the right decision," he said. "I'm doing what I love. If I were going to make football my career, I should have stayed at BYU. That would have been the place for a quarterback to come from. When I dropped out of there, I had pretty much made up my mind."

Pickett has earned $629,506 in his career on horseback. That's exclusive of commercial tie-ins – boots, hats, belt buckles. That's only what he's earned with a rope in his teeth.

He is not having his greatest NFR, where he is defending all-around champion, this week. His loop Wednesday night wound illegally around the horns for a no-score in the team roping, and his 11.5 in the calf-roping, while not all bad, is not All-American either, and not all-around.

But, shucks, Roger Staubach threw an incompletion now and then. At least, in his sport, Dee Pickett doesn't have to worry about throwing interceptions, and the calves can't score on him.

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Kansas finally beats Kentucky

By KEN RAPPOPORT
AP Sports Writer

College Basketball

The Kansas Jayhawks have a proud basketball tradition. Against Kentucky, however, it hasn't been anything to brag about.

So Danny Manning decided to do something about it Saturday night.

"Somebody told me I was 7 years old the last time we beat them, and I thought that was too long," Manning said after leading the seventh-ranked Jayhawks to an 83-66 rout of the ninth-ranked Wildcats. "I had been playing kind of tentatively. I wanted to be more assertive, be a factor. And we don't want anybody to beat us in our own house."

The victory was the first for Kansas over Kentucky since 1973 and marked only the second time in 18 meetings that the Jayhawks had beaten the Wildcats.

"They are a special program with a great tradition," Jayhawks Coach Larry Brown said of Kentucky. "It means a lot for us to beat them."

IN OTHER games involving the nation's ranked college basketball teams, No. 1 North Carolina beat Ohio University 99-57; No. 2 Michigan stopped Western Michigan 74-54; No. 4 Syracuse crushed Brooklyn College 102-61; No. 5 Georgetown whipped Florida A&M 86-56; No. 8 Oklahoma edged Texas 93-92 in overtime; No. 10 Illinois outscored Houston 102-92; No. 11 Louisiana State defeated Hardin-Simmons 87-71; No. 12 Memphis State routed South Carolina State 119-73; No. 13 Nevada-Las Vegas clubbed Nevada-Reno 74-52; No. 14 St. John's trimmed UCLA 69-65; No. 15 Louisville beat Western Kentucky 73-70; No. 16 Alabama-Birmingham defeated West Texas State 65-56 in the final of the Early Season Tournament at Honolulu; No. 18 Indiana walloped Texas Tech 74-59, and Arkansas upset No. 20 Ohio State 79-70 in overtime.

Manning triggered early Kansas spurts in each half. Kansas bolted to a 14-1 lead in the first half, but Kentucky fought back behind Kenny Walker and Ed Davender and trailed by only eight points at halftime, 42-34.

But Manning, a 6-foot-11 sophomore forward, got the fiZsj basket of the second half, then stole a Kentucky pass and fed Cedric Hunter for another Jayhawks' basket and a 46-34 lead. The Wildcats never got closer than 15 points the rest of the way.

Walker had a team-high 12 points for Kentucky when he left the game with 16:48 remaining in the second half with a facial injury — the result of being hit with an elbow.

Top Ten

Brad Daugherty scored 17 points and Jeff Lebo had 11 as North Carolina overcame a sluggish start in defeating Ohio University.

THE TAR Heels were bothered by Ohio's trapping defense early, holding no more than a five-point lead in the first 13 minutes. But in the final seven minutes of the first half, North Carolina outscored the Bobcats 19-3 for a commanding 40-23 lead at intermission.

Roy Tarpley scored 18 points and Gary Grant collected 16 as Michigan took control early in the second half and defeated Western Michigan.

Grant was the key factor in a 22-6 second-half surge that broke open a close game with 15:10 remaining. He had 12 points during the eight-minute span which ended with the Wolverines ahead 58-40.

Fifteen points apiece by Sherman Douglas and Rafael Addison helped Syracuse crushed Brooklyn College.

Addison moved into fourth place in career scoring at Syracuse, his 1,508 points putting him ahead of Dale Shackleford, Rudy Hackett and Dennis DuVal. Syracuse's Dwayne "Pearl" Washington, a junior, joined the career 1,000-point club, scoring 13 points for 1,001.

Freshman Jonathan Edwards came off bench and sparked a first-half Georgetown blitz as the Hoyas outclassed Florida A&M.

Wisconsin Fridge just too big to wrestle

By KIRK HOLMES
Marshfield News-Herald
An APSE Column Exchange

PITTSVILLE, Wis. (AP) — He stands 6-foot-2 and weighs in the neighborhood of 310 pounds.

Any other year, he would have probably been one of the biggest high school wrestlers in the United States. But today, he can only stand and watch.

His name is Mark Brandt, and he is a 16-year-old sophomore at Pittsville High School, a school of 245 students in central Wisconsin.

The problem is Brandt can't participate on the Panthers' wrestling team this season because the maximum weight limit for a high school wrestler is 275 pounds, according to a new rule implemented by the National Federation of High School Associations.

Brandt isn't alone. A high school wrestler from Mount Clemens High School in Michigan has been ruled ineligible because of his weight.

The federation believes Brandt and other boys his size may seriously injure someone. The rule was adopted because lawsuits have sprung up as the result of smaller wrestlers being injured in the heavyweight division.

"I don't think the rule is fair," Brandt said. "I think it is discriminating."

Douglas Brandt, Mark's father, doesn't totally agree about the discrimination charge, saying the only schools "that will squawk about it are those that have a heavy kid."

Sutton-Floyd win playoff

BOCA RATON, Fla. (AP) — Hal Sutton sank a 12-foot birdie putt on the first extra hole Sunday to break up one of golf's most crowded playoffs and win $55,000 first-place checks for himself and partner Ray Floyd in Chrysler PGA Team Invitational golf tournament.

Five teams finished the 72-hole best-ball test tied at 28-under-par 260 after a tight final round on the par-72, 7,233-yard No. 1 course at the Boca West Club.

Tied with Sutton-Floyd were the teams of Tom Purtzer-Jim Colbert, John Fought-Pat McGowan, Gary Hallberg-Scott Hoch and Charles Bolling-Brad Fabel. PGA officials couldn't recall a more crowded playoff picture with 10 players seeking to break a deadlock.

Seven of them missed birdie putts on the first hole before Sutton holed his.

Arkansas gives SWC prestige big boost

Associated Press

Arkansas gave the Southwest Conference some much needed basketball prestige over the weekend.

The Razorbacks' 79-70 overtime victory over the previously unbeaten 20th-ranked Ohio State was the biggest in Nolan Richardson's brief career at Arkansas.

"We really showed some character," said Richardson. "It was an important victory for a young team."

In other SWC games, Baylor fell 64-58 to Drake in the finals of the Heritage Drake Classic; Oklahoma beat Texas 93-92 in overtime, Texas A&M downed Oral Roberts 81-75 in Tulsa; Texas Christian defeated Texas Lutheran 94-61; Illinois outgunned Houston 102-92; Southern Methodist beat Illinois State 68-58 win the Dallas Morning News Classic, and Texas Tech fell to Indiana 74-59 in the finals of the Indiana Classic Tournament.

In games this week, Louisiana State is at Texas on Tuesday in another chance for the Longhorns to give the SWC some luster.

In tournaments this week, Baylor is at the Volunteer Classic in Knoxville, Tenn; SMU is at the Kentucky Invitational in Lexington; Texas hosts its own Longhorn Classic in Austin; and Texas A&M is at the Gator Bowl Tournament in Jacksonville, Fla.

Arkansas has a big game on Saturday, traveling to highly ranked Kansas. The Jayhawks blasted Kentucky on Saturday.

MARIS

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Beyond the statistics, there is the matter of winning games. Consider the 1962 World Series: Third game, series tied, Maris drove in the first two runs with a single and took second on the throw home. Elston Howard hit a moderate fly to center and Maris noticed that the fielder, fellow named Mays, was nonchalanting it, so Maris took third after the catch. And scored on an infield out. Yankees won, 3-2.

Seventh game, Yankees leading, 1-0, in the ninth. With a runner on first and two out, Mays slashed a hit into right field, where Maris cut it off and fired the ball into the infield, holding the runners at first and third. The next batter, Willie McCovey, hit a screamer at Bobby Richardson, making Ralph Terry the most valuable player of the series, but Maris's feet and Maris's glove and Maris's arm had saved two of the victories, and nobody put an asterisk on that.

In 1961, Maris acquired the reputation of resident grouch.

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Dollar fluctuates

LONDON (AP) — The U.S. dollar fluctuated in a mixed performance against major hard currencies today in quiet year-end trading on foreign exchange markets. Gold was also mixed.

Foreign exchange and gold dealers said they expected little significant change in prices before the New Year, barring unforeseen economic developments.

In Tokyo, where trading ends before Europe's business day begins, the dollar rose to a closing 202.40 yen from Friday's 202.30, a slight rise after it fell against the yen for two consecutive days. Later, in London, it was quoted at 202.50 yen.

Other dollar rates at mid-morning, compared with late Friday:

—2.5210 West German marks, up from 2.5190

—2.1083 Swiss francs, down from 2.1090

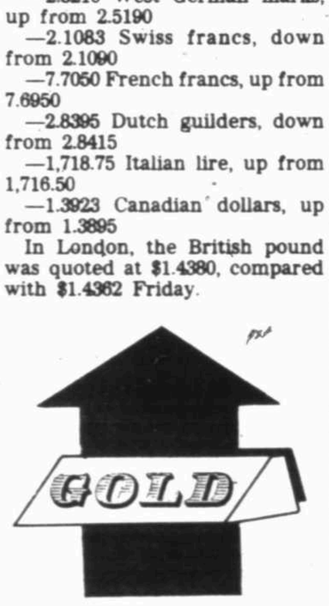
—7.7050 French francs, up from 7.6950

—2.8395 Dutch guilders, down from 2.8415

—1,718.75 Italian lire, up from 1,716.50

—1.3923 Canadian dollars, up from 1.3895

In London, the British pound was quoted at $1.4380, compared with $1.4362 Friday.



Gold opened in London at a bid price of $318.35 a troy ounce, compared with late Friday's $318. At mid-morning today, the city's five major bullion dealers fixed a recommended price of $318.25.

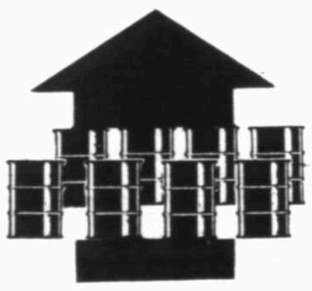
In Zurich, the bid price was $318.35,. down from $318.50 Friday.

Earlier, in Hong Kong, gold fell 79 cents to close at a bid $319.34.

In New York Friday, gold rose $1.90 to close at $319.

Silver was quoted in London today at a bid price of $5.85 a troy ounce, down from Friday's $5.87.

SPOTMARKET



W.T. INTERMEDIATE

Latest quote $27.35; previous quote $27.25; year ago $26.40.

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Latest quote $26.15-26.20; previous quote $25.95-26.00; year ago $25.60.

Latest quotes are from Friday, December 13. Previous quotes are from the previous working day.

Source: Wall Street Journal

CREDIT RATES

New York Times News Service

Current Interest Rates, Dec. 16, 1985

..... Last Week
..... In Percent

Long-Term Rates
Tax-Exempt Bonds
.....8.42
An index of yields for long-term A-rated general obligation bonds compiled weekly by The Bond Buyer.

Aa Utility Bonds
.....10.63
Salomon Brothers' estimate for new long-term issues.

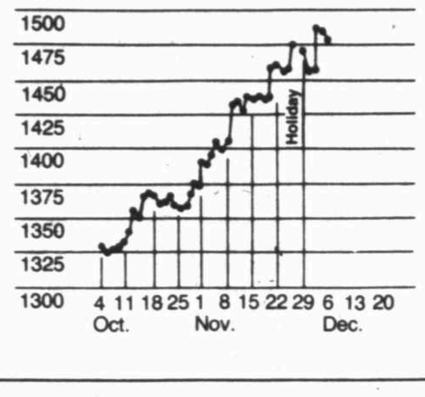
Treasury Bonds
.....9.79
Weekly average yield of outstanding long-term Treasury issues.

Short-Term Rates
Federal Funds
.....8.03
The rate for overnight loans among financial institutions.

Treasury Bills 6.98
Discount rate for Treasury bills traded in the secondary market.

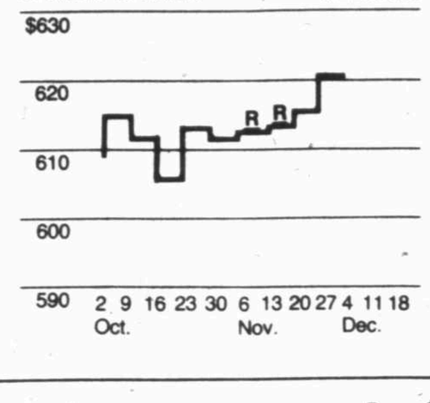
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30 industrials



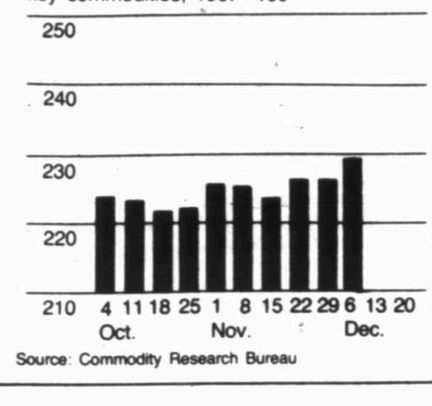
Money supply [M1]

In billions of dollars R=Revised



Commodity futures index

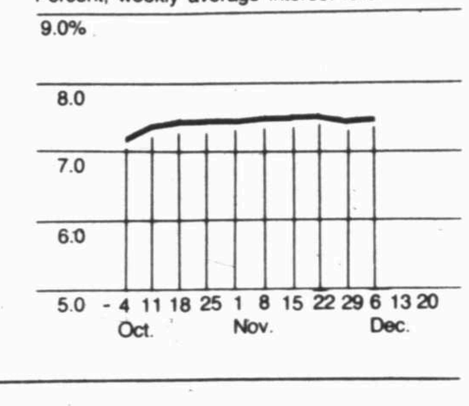
Index of weekly closing prices of 27 key commodities; 1967=100



Source: Commodity Research Bureau

3-month Treasury bills

Percent, weekly average interest rate



Economists see possible recession in 1987

By MARTIN CRUTSINGER
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States should enjoy slightly better economic growth next year but a recession looms as a growing possibility in 1987 with a great likelihood the downturn will either be triggered or made worse by the new balanced-budget law, the nation's business economists said today.

The National Association of Business Economists said its latest poll of 300 of its members found an overwhelming 85 percent believe the country will be in a recession by the end of 1987.

Only 15 percent of those polled believed the current recovery, which is now entering its fourth year, would survive into 1988 or beyond.

The economists also expressed little confidence in the legislation Congress passed last week requiring a balanced budget by 1991.

A substantial majority, 59 percent, said they did not believe the balanced budget bill was an effective way to reduce soaring federal budget deficits, objecting in part to the automatic nature of the cuts.

The problem, as the economists see it, is that federal budget cuts will reduce the stimulus needed to drive the economy forward and that the alternative, raising taxes, also would retard economic growth.

"There is no question that our members think that 1987 is the most likely year for a recession," said Kathleen Cooper, president of the association. "If we start to cut spending or raise taxes during 1986, it is going to make 1987 an even rougher year."

Despite the potential impact in 1987, Ms. Cooper said there had been positive short-term effects already from the balanced budget legislation. Like other economists, she credited the strong rallies in both the stock market and bond markets to confidence the proposal would lead to lower interest rates and a stronger economy in the months ahead.

The business economists, at least through next year, agree with the assumptions of the financial market, forecasting stronger growth for 1986 than they did in an earlier survey.

"Economists are beginning to see signs of a revival in the economy, including a stronger stock market, and this makes us believe that the near term is going to be stronger than we thought just three months ago," Ms. Cooper said.

Among the forecasts contained in the latest survey:

—The overall economy, as measured by the gross national product, will grow 2.9 percent in 1986. While this would be an improvement over the expected 2.5 percent rate of growth this year, it still would be far below the 6.8 percent expansion in 1984. The Reagan administration is forecasting 4 percent growth next year.

—Inflation will remain in check, with consumer prices rising at a 4 percent rate next year, up only slightly from the expected 3.5 percent increase this year. Six months ago, the economists were predicting 1986 inflation would reach 4.5 percent.

—Despite the slightly improved growth rate, unemployment will remain stuck where it is now, averaging 7.2 percent in 1986, the same as 1985.

—Interest rates, as measured by the benchmark prime rate, will end next year right where they are now, at 9.5 percent. Just three months ago, the economists were predicting interest rates would go higher, with the prime rate hitting 10 percent.

As for when the next recession will begin, 37 percent of the economists surveyed said it would start sometime in 1986, while 46 percent pegged 1987 as the likely starting point. Fifteen percent said they believed the current recovery would last into 1988 or beyond.

Interest rates likely to continue falling

WASHINGTON (AP) — In good news for home buyers, interest rates are likely to continue falling at least until spring as the nation's central bank throws its support behind a new deficit-cutting law, many economists predict.

Mortgage rates, which already are at their lowest levels in six years, could dip into the single-digit range, some analysts believe.

Much of the optimism stems from a belief that the Federal Reserve Board will be pushing rates lower as a way of showing support for the law passed last week by Congress which pledges to shrink the huge federal budget deficits to zero by 1991.

Federal Reserve policy-makers were meeting today and Tuesday behind closed doors to map strategy. While the results of those deliberations will not be made public until February, many analysts said they detected signs the central bank already has embarked on at least a modest loosening of controls over the money supply.

A key barometer of Fed policy, the federal funds rate, the interest that banks charge each other for overnight loans, dropped below 8 percent last week.

This decline, in part because of its timing, was widely interpreted as a signal that the Fed was easing monetary policy. It came as Congress was passing the Gramm-Rudman amendment, which sets a series of declining deficit targets over the next five years.

Fed Chairman Paul Volcker often has called for greater efforts on the part of Congress to get control of the deficit. Volcker complained that as long as the federal government crowded out private borrowing needs, there was little the Fed could do to lower interest rates.

"The Fed is taking the position that Gramm-Rudman represents real progress in reducing the defict, and the central bank is keeping its part of the bargain by lowering interest rates," said Michael Evans, head of a Washington forecasting firm.

Others analysts said that unless the Fed loosens credit conditions, it runs the risk that the big cuts in federal spending could plunge the country into a recession.

"If you are going to tighten fiscal policy, you had better loosen monetary policy or we will have a recession next year," said David Wyss, senior economist at Data Resources Inc., another private forecasting firm.

The Fed, through its control over monetary policy, seeks to allow the money supply to grow enough to provide for steady economic expansion while guarding against higher inflation.

Congress and the president control fiscal policy which involves decisions on how much the government puts into the economy through spending and takes out in taxes.

"The clear-cut move toward fiscal restraint throws the burden on the Federal Reserve to be the driving force in the expansion," said Allen Sinai, chief economist for the investment firm of Shearson Lehman Brothers.

Sinai predicted a variety of short-term interest rates would drop by one-fourth to one-half percentage point over the next two months.

However, he doubted the central bank would decide at the meeting this week to cut the discount rate. A cut in the discount rate is the most dramatic way the Fed uses to signal its intention to aggressively push interest rates lower.

However, other analysts would not rule out a cut in the discount rate, if not this week then sometime in late January or early February.

Analysts agreed, however, that interest rates will be falling in coming weeks, with or without a discount rate cut.

Mortgage rates already have dropped to an average of 11.3 percent for a fixed-rate loan, the lowest level since 1979.

Wyss predicted mortgage rates could drop as low as 9.5 percent by this spring, the first time they have been in single digits since 1978.

"We are already seeing single-digit bond yields, and I think we could see mortgage rates in single-digits by the time the home building season gets under way," he said.

He predicted the prime rate, the key business lending rate, which has been at 9.5 percent since June, will drop to 9 percent, probably by early February.

Sometime next spring, many analysts believe interest rates will begin rising slightly as the economy picks up momentum.

While analysts believe that economic growth will remain sluggish through the first quarter next year, they are calling for a rebound to growth in the range of 3 percent to 4 percent after that.

White congratulates Kentucky

AUSTIN (AP) — Gov. Mark White, who had journeyed to Japan on a sales mission, Wednesday sent a telegram to the governor of Kentucky, congratulating that state on landing a Japanese auto company's new factory.

White's telegram to Gov. Martha Layne Collins offered congratulations on Kentucky's being chosen as the site for a plant being built by the Toyota Motor Corp.

White, who traveled to Japan this fall to try to convince Japanese officials to choose a Texas city for their plant, also sent a telegram to Toyota president Dr. S. Toyoda.

"I congratulate you on your judgment to build your major high-technology facility in the United States ... it will represent a major investment in international cooperation, understanding and progress," White's telegram said.

First oil sold from Petroleum Reserve

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — The U.S. Energy Department hopes to complete by mid-January the first shipment of crude oil from the nation's Strategic Petroleum Reserve, officials said.

The first of several deliveries from the first shipment was made Wednesday in Houston to La Gloria Oil & Gas, which signed a 10,000-barrel contract with the Energy Department last December. The reserve's final contract was signed last Friday with Amoco Oil Company.

The delivery to La Gloria was the first in the decade that the nation has been stockpiling oil in salt domes throughout Louisiana and Texas. Congress created the reserve system in hopes of preventing another energy crisis.

"We've shown beyond any reasonable doubt that the government and the private sector can work together in a fair and efficient test of the Reserve's competitive bidding process," said Energy Secretary John S. Herrington in a prepared release.

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Alcan	.80	56	1674	28⅜— ⅛
AlcoStd	1.24	16	464	36⅛+ ⅜
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ABdcst	1.60	20	134	120½
AmCan	2.90	13	446	62⅜+ ⅜
ACyan	1.90	17	1019	66⅛+ ⅜
AElPw	2.26	10	2077	23⅜— ⅛
AmExp	1.36	17	2037	54 — ⅛
AFami	s.48	16	163	29⅜— ⅜
AHome	2.90	13	892	64⅜— ⅜
Amrtch	6.60	10	283	103⅜+ ⅛
AlnGrp	.44	24	332	107 + 2⅛
AmMot			979	2⅜— ⅛
AmStd	1.60	13	272	38⅛+ ⅛
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BltGE	s1.70	9	348	23⅜— ⅛
BncOn	s.80	12	74	25⅝+ ⅛
BkNY	2.28	9	681	48⅜— ⅛
BnkAm	.80		3366	15⅛— ⅛
Bausch	.78	15	434	32⅜— ⅛
BaxtTr	.37	86	5180	16⅜
BeatCo	1.80	9	2486	45⅜
Becor	.44	116	117	16 — ⅜
Beker			41	1⅜
BellNet	.62	11	267	32⅜+ ⅛
BellAtl	6.80	10	871	102⅝— ⅛
BellSou	2.80	10	423	48⅝— ⅛
BentCp	2	12	570	u46⅝+ 1⅛
BengtB	.07j		136	3⅝— ⅛
BeatPd	.24	166	421	14⅜+ ⅛
BethSt	.30j		476	15⅜— ⅛
Beverly	.32	18	480	37⅝
BlackD	.64	17	567	20 — ⅛
BlkHR	a1.36	8	101	36⅛—1
Boeing	s1.08	16	1970	62⅛+ ⅜
BoiseC	1.90	26	472	45⅝+ ⅛
Borden	s1.52	14	1394	61⅜— ⅛
BorgWa	.96	12	1722	23⅝— ⅛
BoaEd	3.44	9	19	43⅜
BristM	1.88	16	1515	66⅝
BritPt	2.01e	7	39	30⅝
Brnswk	1	10	662	44⅜— ⅛
Burlind	1.64	69	147	30⅛
BrlNth	1.40	9	361	71⅛— ⅛
Burrgh	2.80	13	1430	66⅝— ⅛

C—C

CBS	3		639	116 + ⅜
CIGNA	2.80	27	549	62⅝— ⅛
CNW			169	21
CPC Int	2.20	17	484	52⅛+ ⅜
CRSS	.34	13	17	14⅝
CSX	1.16	11	6392	30⅜— ⅛
Caesar		14	131	16⅛
CRLx	g.40		146	22
CamSp	s1.32	17	443	52⅛— ⅜
CapCits	.20	20	97	214⅜— ⅛
Caring	g.48		71	9⅜— ⅛
CarPw	2.80	8	1344	29⅜— ⅛
Carrol	.10	12	48	7⅜
CartHw	1.22	19	96	s31⅜+ ⅛
CastlCk			80	13 + ⅛
CatrpT	.50		2106	u42⅝+ ⅛
Celanese	4.80	12	172	146⅜+ ⅛
CenSoW2	.02	8	1294	26⅝
CntlPS	1.84	11	111	19⅝— ⅛
CentrDt			326	4⅜— ⅛
Crt-teed	.70	9	58	26⅝
CessAir	.30j	26	3	29⅝— ⅛
Chmpln	.52		1048	24⅝+ ⅛
ChamSp	.40	16	869	8⅝— ⅛
ChrtC			208	2
Chi	wt		42	⅛
Chase	3.80	6	591	u69⅛+ ⅛
CheaPn	2	14	3026	46 —1
Chevrn	2.40	9	1140	38⅝— ⅛
ChiPnT	.40e	11	109	20⅝
ChrisCr		600	29	54 + ⅛
Chryslr	1	3	2692	44⅝+ ⅜
CirCity	.10	13	246	24⅜+ ⅛
Citicrp	2.26	7	1836	49⅜+ ⅛
ClarkE	1.10		167	25⅝— ⅛
ClevEl	2.64	7	586	26⅛
Clorox	1.36	14	166	48⅝+ ⅛
Coastl	s.40	12	99	36⅛+ ⅜
CocaCl	2.96	17	1719	66⅛—1
Coleco			417	17⅛— ⅛
ColgPal	1.36	51	3533	32⅛
ColPen	1.40	11	x13	34⅝
Coltind	2.50	9	90	64⅛— ⅜
ColGas	3.18		1611	36 + 1
CmbEn	1		302	29⅛+ ⅛
Comdre		8	1583	11⅛
CmwE	.3	7	10329	29⅜— ⅜
Comsat	1.20	11	141	34⅜+ ⅛
ConsEd	2.40	9	602	37⅝+ ⅜
ConNG	2.84	9	886	46 + ⅛
ConsPw			1632	8 — ⅛
CntlCp	2.80	41	1126	47⅜— ⅛
ContTel	1.80	8	727	25⅝— ⅛
CtData	.70j		1776	19⅝+ ⅛
Coopr	1.52	16	320	38⅝— ⅛
CornG	s1.40	26	208	61⅜— ⅛
CrwnCk		13	36	63⅝— ⅛
CrwZel	1		1836	40⅝+ 1⅛
CumEn	2.20	9	80	71⅛— ⅛
CurtW	1.20	19	x34	u40⅛+ 1⅛

D—D

DanaCp	1.28	8	248	27⅛— ⅛
DartKr	s1.56	14	1490	43⅛
DataGn		52	757	48 —1⅝
Dayco	.24	10	644	19⅜
DaytHd	.92	19	416	48⅛+ ⅛
DaytPL	2	8	1200	20⅝+ ⅛
Deere	1	59	1920	26⅝+ ⅛
DeltaAr	1	7	2952	41⅛+ ⅜
DetEd	1.68	7	632	15⅝
DiamS	1.57r		989	14⅛+ ⅛
Digital		22	2819	135⅝
Disney	1.20	58	336	u108⅜+ 1⅛
DomRs	2.84	9	617	34⅛+ ⅛
DowCh	1.80	17	2032	40⅝+ ⅛
DowJn	.76	23	304	48⅝+ ⅛
Dresr	.80	15	1568	17⅜— ⅜
duPont	3	17	2036	66⅛+ 1
DukeP	2.80	10	596	u39⅜+ ⅛
DuqLt	2.08	8	431	16⅛+ ⅛

E—E

EastAir		6	1651	6⅛
EastGF	1.30		276	23⅜
EsKod	s2.20a	16	2304	52⅝+ ⅜
Eaton	1.40	9	132	63⅜— ⅛
Echlin	s.44	13	864	14⅝— ⅛
EmrsEl	2.76	15	557	u81 + ⅛
Enserch	1.60b	124	931	21 — ⅛
Ethyl	s.80	17	154	29⅜— ⅛
ExCelo	1.72	12	46	46⅛— ⅛
Exxon	3.80	9	3696	52⅝

F—F

FMC	2.20	34	142	66 + ⅛
FPL Gp	1.96	8	706	26⅝+ ⅛
Fairchd	.20		719	10 — ⅛
Fairfd	.16	10	18	13⅛
Feders	.08e	8	186	8
FedNM	.16		1498	28⅝
FedDSt	2.54	10	169	70⅝— ⅛
FinCpA	.05j		2748	10⅝+ ⅛
FnSBer		12	143	9⅛— ⅛
Firestn	.80	16	2457	21⅛+ ⅛
FtBkBy	1.80	8	226	41⅛+ ⅛
FBkFl	s1	16	12	38⅛+ ⅛
FstChic	1.32	10	2561	u27⅛+ ⅛
Fintste	2.60	8	742	52⅝
FstPa			1336	7⅝
FWash	wi		467	34⅛— ⅛
FleetEn	.44	12	658	24⅛+ ⅛
FightSt	s.16	19	32	20⅛— ⅛
FlaPrg	2.28	9	447	29⅜
FlwGen			219	7⅝
Fluor	.40		1166	14⅛— ⅛
FordM	2.80	4	2574	57⅛
FrptMc	.80b	11	4386	20⅛+ ⅛
Fruehf	.70	6	72	24 + ⅛

G—G

GAF	.20	18	7780	61⅛—3⅝
GTE	3.16	9	1472	44⅛— ⅛
Gannett	1.88	20	1906	60⅝+ ⅜
GnCorp	1.80b	36	99	62⅛— ⅜
GnDyn	1	7	266	67 — ⅛
GenEl	2.32	14	3898	s71⅜+ ⅜
GnHous	.24		24	11⅜— ⅛
Gninst	.25		881	17⅜— ⅛
GnMills	2.24b		208	69⅛— ⅛
GMot	6r	7	2900	76⅛+ ⅛
GMtr	E.16i		746	42⅛+ 1⅛
GPU		8	423	16⅛+ ⅛
GnSignl	1.80	12	337	44⅜— ⅛
Genesco			661	2⅜— ⅛
GaPac	.80	103	1103	25⅝
GerbPd	1.32	16	192	u41⅜+ ⅜
GibrFn		4	692	10⅛+ ⅛
Gillette	2.60	14	106	70⅜— ⅛
GldNug		26	692	11⅜
Gdrich	1.56		118	32⅜— ⅛
Goodyr	1.60	7	2249	30
Gould	.88		1134	31⅛— ⅛
Grace	2.80	14	2049	46⅜— ⅜
GtAtPc	.10e	9	970	u21⅛+ ⅜
GtNNk	1.52	18	910	40⅜+ ⅛
GtWFin	1	8	442	33⅜— ⅛
Greyh	1.32	13	764	33⅛— ⅜
Grumn	1	11	167	31⅛
GlfWst	.90	14	x834	49⅛
GlfStUt	1.64	6	1006	13⅛— ⅛

H—H

Halbtn	1.60	12	863	25⅞— ⅛
Harind	s.56	22	44	37⅜— ⅛
Harris	.88	16	1319	27⅜+ ⅜
HeclaM	.20		305	14⅛— ⅛
Heilmn	.48a	12	266	19⅜— ⅛
Heinz	a.90	16	1051	32⅜— ⅛
Hercule	1.80	14	641	40 — ⅛
Hershy	1.50	15	62	54 + ⅛
HewlPk	.22	20	3136	37⅜— ⅛
Holiday	1	13	497	59⅛— ⅛
HollyS	1	39	8	95⅝— ⅛
Hmstke	.20	67	526	22⅛— ⅛
Honwell	2	19	1686	79⅛+ 1⅛
HCA	.60	10	2175	36⅛+ ⅜
Hotlin	a2	16	9	20⅝+ ⅛
HousInt	1.81	11	66	42⅛
Houlnd	2.84	7	364	28 — ⅛
HughTl	.48		374	12⅝
Human	.76	14	1361	31⅛— ⅛

I—I

IC Ind	1.44	17	118	39⅜— ⅛
IRT Prp	1.50	7	12	16⅛+ ⅛
ITT Cp	1	12	7759	u37⅛+ ⅛
IU Int	.60		682	14⅜+ ⅛
IdahoP	s1.72	10	93	23⅛
IdealB			811	4⅛+ ⅛
IllPowr	2.64	7	2790	24 — ⅛
ImpChm	2.28e	6	308	41⅜— ⅛
ImpICp		106	26	10⅝+ ⅛
INCO	.20		2480	12⅜+ ⅛
Inexco	.07j		159	4⅜— ⅛
IngerR	2.60	17	286	66⅝+ ⅛
InldStl	.36j		139	24⅛
Intrfst	.60	11	478	10⅝
Intrlk	2.60	10	7	52
IBM	4.40	15	5509	151⅛+ ⅝
IntFlav	1.26	20	261	36⅝— ⅛
IntHarv		11	1639	8⅝— ⅛
IntMin	2.60	11	97	38⅛— ⅛
IntPapr	2.40		917	50⅝— ⅛
IntNrth	2.48	10	209	46⅛— ⅛
Ipalco	3.04	10	116	37⅛+ ⅜

J—J

Jewlcr		20	13	19⅛+ ⅛
JohnJn	1.30	16	1172	53 — ⅛
Joslen	s.88	16	90	u29 + ⅜
JoyMfg	1.40	28	36	23⅝— ⅛

K—K

K mart	1.40	11	1375	36⅛— ⅛
KaiserAl	15j		214	17⅛— ⅛
Kaneb	.40	21	640	7⅛
KanGE	1.16	5	547	13⅜— ⅛
KanPLt	2.96	9	90	40⅛+ ⅜
Katytn			125	15⅛— ⅛
KaufBr	.60	6	206	16 + ⅛
Kellogg	1.84	16	376	69⅝+ ⅛
KerrMc	1.10	23	171	31⅛+ ⅛
KimbCl	2.32	12	474	66⅛— ⅛
KnghtRd	.76	18	402	40⅛+ ⅜
Kopers	.80	675	2072	20⅛+ 1⅛
Kroger	2	12	183	49⅝— ⅛

L—L

LTV			2252	6⅜+ ⅛
LearPt	.20		36	8⅝— ⅛
LearSg	2	10	16	49⅜
LeaRnl	s.40	16	124	18
LeeEnt	1.04	19	14	43⅜— ⅜
Lehmn	1.68e		147	15⅜+ ⅛
LOF	1.32	8	57	48⅜+ ⅛
Lilly	3.20	16	324	108⅝— ⅛
LincNtl	2	11	447	51⅛— ⅛
Litton	1.50j	11	390	82⅝— 1⅛
Lockhd	75e	8	2164	47⅜+ ⅛
Loews	s1a	10	3704	56⅝+ ⅛
LnStar	1.80	5	131	32 — ⅛
LilCo		2	926	8⅛— ⅛
LaLand	1	9	1119	31⅛+ ⅛
LaPac	.80b	40	219	23⅜— ⅛
LuckyS	1.16	12	110	26⅝— ⅛
Lukens	.48	16	26	14⅜— ⅛

M—M

MDU	2.72	10	33	38⅛+ ⅛
MGMGr	.44	34	38	16⅜— ⅛
Macmil	s.56	16	123	36⅛
Macy	1.16	17	882	63 + ⅛
MagiCrf	1.12e	10	56	56 + ⅛
Manvl			491	6⅛+ ⅛
MAPCO	1	8	564	36⅝+ ⅛
MarMid	1.80	8	92	37⅛+ ⅛
Marriot	.64	19	154	112 + ⅛
MartM	s1	10	1215	37⅝— ⅛
Masco	.56	19	1208	u41⅜+ ⅛
MaseyF			192	2⅛— ⅛
Maxam		5	62	10⅝
MayDStr	1.88	12	143	63⅜— ⅛
Maytg	3a	14	144	71⅛+ 1⅝
McDert	1.80		389	17⅛— ⅛
McDmid	.80	16	676	79⅝
McDnD	1.84	8	1394	72⅛+ ⅜
McGrH	1.40	17	226	48⅝— ⅛
McKess	2.40	14	360	u52 + ⅜
Mead	1.20	13	324	42⅝— ⅛
Mellon	2.88	7	236	52⅛+ ⅜
Melvill	1.44	14	293	u51⅛+ ⅛
Merck	3.60	19	366	134⅝+ ⅜
MerLyn	.80	18	6464	36 + ⅛
MesaPt		6	864	16⅛
MesaP	wi		16	2⅝
MidSUt	1.33j	4	2749	10⅜
MWE	2.76	12	12	32⅝
MidM	3.60	16	866	88⅝+ ⅛
MinPL	2.76	8	37	u39⅝+ ⅛
Mobil	2.20	14	2260	29⅜
MohkDt			1046	1⅜+ ⅛
Monsan	2.50	13	500	47⅝+ ⅛
MonPw	2	13	245	33⅛+ ⅛
Morgan	2.48	8	9349	65⅛— ⅛
Morton	.70	10	345	39⅝+ ⅛
Motorla	.84	41	2211	40⅜+ ⅛

N—N

NCR	.88	14	1864	41⅛
NL Ind	.20		486	13⅛
NWA	.90	28	1136	50⅝+ ⅛
NatDist	2.20	26	301	39⅝— ⅛
NatFGs	2.08	8	11	29⅛+ ⅛
NtGyp	s1.52	9	158	44⅝— ⅛
NtI	.26		248	27⅜— ⅛
NtSemi		36	2794	13⅝
NevPw	2.84	10	40	32⅜— ⅛
NEngEl	3.84	8	53	60⅛+ ⅛
Newmt	1	36	126	46⅛— ⅛
NiaMP	2.08	8	1204	20⅜— ⅛
NorfkSo	3.40	10	238	79⅝
Nortek	.08	6	251	15 — ⅛
NAPhil	1	11	130	36 — ⅛
NoestUt	1.56	6	670	18⅛
NIndPS	1.56j	9	1416	9⅛
NoStPw	3.52	9	80	u52⅜+ ⅛
Nortrp	1.20	9	491	46⅛+ ⅛
Norton	2	14	148	36⅜—1⅛
Norwst	1.80	9	328	30
NutriS	.08j	105	199	6⅛— ⅛
NYNEX	6.40	9	383	96 — ⅝

O—O

OcciPet	2.50	6	1549	32⅜— ⅛
OhioEd	1.88	7	1128	16 — ⅛
OkleGE	2.06	11	401	25⅝
Olin	1.50		624	38⅝— ⅛
ONEOK	2.56	11	118	31⅛+ ⅛
OwenC	1.40	9	315	38⅝+ ⅛
Owenll	1.80	11	106	53⅜— ⅛
Oxford	.44	30	53	13⅜+ ⅜

P—Q

PPG	1.76	11	407	49⅛— ⅛
PacGE	1.84	7	1101	19⅛— ⅛
PacLtg	3.48	13	76	46⅛+ ⅛
PacTele	5.72	9	482	82⅜+ ⅛
Pacitcp	2.40	8	648	30⅝
PanAm			2100	7⅝— ⅛
PanhEC	2.30	12	533	35⅝+ ⅜
PantPr			1989	10 + ⅛
Penney	2.36	11	867	57 — ⅛
PePL	2.56	10	264	27⅜+ ⅛
Penwlt	2.20		162	u63⅛+ ⅛
Pennzol	2.20	29	1464	66⅝— ⅛
PepBy	s.20	22	96	27⅝— ⅛
PepsiCo	1.76	13	1360	74⅝+ ⅜
PerkEl	.80	18	441	31 — ⅛
Pfizer	1.48	16	1410	66⅛— ⅛
PhelpD			887	23⅝+ ⅛
PhilaEl	2.20	7	1197	16⅝
PhilMr	4	10	11437	87⅛+2⅜
PhilPt	s1	10	20479	12
Pilsbry	1.72	14	867	62⅛— ⅛
Pioneer	1.24	13	166	24 — ⅛
PittsB	1.20	16	208	48 — ⅛
Pittstn			330	11⅛— ⅛
Polarid	1	67	318	36⅝— ⅛
PortGE	1.80	9	174	22⅝— ⅛
ProctG	2.60	18	1234	70⅛— ⅛
PSrCol	2	10	379	21⅝— ⅛
PStnd	1	8	690	7⅛
PSvEG	2.84	8	780	31⅛— ⅛
PugetP	1.76	8	483	16⅛— ⅛
PultteHm	.12	16	726	14⅛+ ⅛
Pyro		7	413	6⅛— ⅛
QuakOt	1.40	16	274	69⅛— ⅛
QuakSO	.80a	19	136	23⅛+ ⅛
Questar	1.60	11	132	30⅝— ⅜

R—R

RCA	1.04	22	6739	66⅛— ⅛
RLC	.20	22	42	7⅛— ⅛
RalsPur	1	16	427	49⅝—1
Ramad		21	1094	7⅝— ⅛
Ranco	.84	10	1	16⅛— ⅛
RangrO			300	3⅝— ⅛
Raythn	1.80	12	917	64⅝— ⅛
ReadBt	.04		283	d 6 — ⅛
ReichC	.80	14	4	30⅛+ ⅛
RepAir		6	4981	u11⅝+ ⅛
Revlon	1.84	19	26	67⅜+ ⅛
Reynln	s1.48	8	15168	32⅝+ ⅛
ReyMtl	1		86	36⅛— ⅛
RiteAid	.60	16	736	24⅛
Robins			524	11⅜— ⅛
Rockwl	1.12	9	841	36⅛— ⅛
RohmH	2.20	13	24	76⅜— ⅛
Rohrin		11	186	60⅝+ 1⅛
Rorer	1.12	18	86	35⅝
Rowan	.12	59	560	7⅛
RoyID	3.29e	8	673	60⅝
Ryder	s.60	14	623	35⅛+ ⅛

S—S

SCM	.2	16	91	72⅝— ⅛
SPSTec	.88	16	116	33⅜— ⅛
StgdBs	.30	18	157	20⅛+ ⅛
Safewy	1.70	9	483	36⅝— ⅛
SFeSoP	1	15	1282	35⅝— ⅛
SaraLee	1.80	14	494	u51⅛+ ⅛
SCANA	2.16	9	73	28⅝— ⅛
SchrPlo	1.88	17	2547	u64⅛+ 2⅛
Schimb	1.20	10	4068	34⅛— ⅛
ScottP	1.24	12	582	u49 + ⅛
Seagrm	.80	16	1486	u47 + ⅛
Sears	1.76	11	4419	40⅝— ⅛
ShellT	2.52e	7	29	36⅜— ⅛
Shrwin	.92	16	114	45⅝— ⅛
Singer	.40	10	152	41⅜+ ⅛
Skyline	.48	20	x66	15⅝+ ⅛
SmkB	3	12	936	78⅛— ⅛
Sonat	2	10	446	32⅛— ⅛
SonyCp	.16e	17	1056	21 — ⅛
SCalEd	2.16	9	1512	27⅝+ ⅛
SouthCo	2.04	7	1456	22⅛+ ⅛
Soutlnd	1	11	744	47 — ⅛
SwBell	6	8	446	84⅝+ ⅛
SwtPS	2.02	9	462	25⅝— ⅛
Sperry	1.92	89	2326	52⅝+ ⅛
SquarD	1.84	13	111	41⅜— ⅛
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Textron	1.80	9	231	50⅝— ⅛
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Time	1	19	1343	u64⅝+ ⅛
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Pennzoil head battles deadline to head major oil company

Will retirement overtake Liedtke in bid to realize lifelong dream?

By DEBRA WHITEFIELD
Los Angeles Times-
Washington Post News Service

HOUSTON — J. Hugh Liedtke, the chief executive of Pennzoil, always has been a man in a hurry.

At the tender age of 16, the Tulsa boy was already studying pre-law at Amherst College. By age 21, freshly armed with an MBA from Harvard Business School, he was fighting for his country on an aircraft carrier in the Pacific. He raced through the University of Texas Law School in two years. And, when he was still wet behind the ears in the profession that he had selected for himself when he was just a youngster, oil, he had already set his sights on running a major oil company.

Now 63, Liedtke is still racing the clock.

With only 13 months to go before he reaches 65, mandatory retirement age at Pennzoil, Liedtke has yet to build Pennzoil into the major oil company of his dreams. What is more, he faces the grim prospect of devoting many, and perhaps all, of those remaining months to settling a score with the company that he accuses of sabotaging his best shot at achieving his dream: Texaco.

"This has put a real crimp in our plans," says the imposing, gravelly voiced chief of the nation's 36th-largest oil company. "So much of our energies now are devoted to getting this matter resolved."

"This matter" is a nasty dispute with Texaco that has escalated into the biggest civil case in U.S. history.

It all started in January 1984, after the much-larger Texaco announced that it was buying Getty Oil, a prize that Pennzoil thought it had won two days before after a marathon two-day bargaining session with the feuding Getty owners.

Pennzoil sued. And after a sometimes acrimonious, 17-week trial, a Texas jury decided last month that Texaco was indeed guilty of misdealings in the takeover game. The fine: $10.53 billion, the largest civil damage award ever, dwarfing the $1.8 billion won — but never collected — by MCI in a 1980 suit against AT&T.

Texaco had plenty of company in dismissing the award as a fluke that would never stand up to judicial review. But last week, a Texas state judge added some punch to the verdict. He upheld the jury's decision and the full award stood. With interest, Texaco owes Pennzoil $11.1 billion.

A stunned Texaco has vowed to seek a new trial, or failing that, to appeal. It also has raised the specter of bankruptcy, a threat that Liedtke has labeled "baloney they have been spreading around."

In the days following that ruling, pressure for a settlement has intensified. But while the two sides have been in almost daily contact, and both say they are quite sure there will be a settlement before the fight reaches an appeals court, the two camps characterize the prospects for a quick settlement as improbable. Their ballpark settlement figures are still too far apart.

Neither side will publicly divulge its bargaining stance. But Liedtke, advised that lawyers and securities analysts are betting on a final settlement of $2 billion to $3 billion, replied in an interview last week in his office on the 34th floor of Pennzoil Place: "That's what they were saying before the judge's ruling. Do you think you would settle for the same thing if you'd just won an $11 billion judgment?"



AP Laserphoto

J. Hugh Liedtke has only 13 months before retirement

Texaco's highest offer so far is believed to have been in the range of $1 billion to $1.5 billion, a far cry from what Pennzoil is believed to be seeking: at least $5 billion, principally in assets.

"We'll listen to anything," said Liedtke, "but our business is oil and gas. Too much cash makes oil guys nervous."

Liedtke, whose imprint is on the company as indelibly as Armand Hammer's is on Occidental Petroleum or Fred Hartley's is on Unocal, is by all accounts an "oil guy" par excellence.

"There is no question, in terms of a strategist and classic wheeler dealer, there is nobody better than Hugh Liedtke," said Marc D. Cohen, a longtime Pennzoil watcher for New York brokerage Kidder, Peabody & Co.

But while his reputation in oil circles is as one of the last great wildcatters, in recent years his successes have been largely due to some financial wizardry. He has earned high praise from analysts and competitors for engineering the formation of several innovative, quasi-public ventures that have allowed Pennzoil to ably compete with the majors in the exploration and production of oil and gas, even though it has not the huge financial resourses of the industry giants.

Pennzoil traces its origins to the same man who controlled much of this country's oil production in the late 1800s, John D. Rockefeller.

Among the 33 companies formed when Rockefeller's Standard Oil empire was split up in 1911 was South Penn, which got the Standard Oil business in Pennsylvania and West Virginia, a booming oil area before the turn of the century. But over the next 50 years, the oil industry moved west to Texas, Oklahoma and California, and South Penn — which even as far back as 1916 was selling motor oils under the Pennzoil name — went steadily downhill.

No one was more displeased with that deterioration than an investor who owned 10 percent of the company, J. Paul Getty. As luck would have it, Getty had once lived in Tulsa, Okla., and was acquainted with Liedtke's father, who worked there as corporate lawyer for Gulf Oil. Liedtke heard about South Penn and Getty's displeasure and decided that it would be the perfect vehicle for "glowing his own small oil venture in Midland, Tex., into the major company that he dreamed about even then.

Liedtke's route from Tulsa to Midland was a circuitous one. First there was Amherst, a Massachusetts college that attracts mostly old Eastern families and in those days had only about 1,000 students — all men.

"My father picked that out for me," Liedtke recalled. "And in my house, what he said you did. They had small classes and I was so young. He thought it would put me more in contact with my classmates."

After Amherst, he earned an MBA at Harvard, joined the Navy and then went to law school at the University of Texas. In his last year of law school, Liedtke married his childhood sweetheart, whom he had first met when they lived a block apart in Tulsa.

Practically everyone who had influenced his life up to that point had been in the oil business, including his father, his uncle and his father-in-law. Liedtke said he "always knew I wanted to be in that business, too."

He and his bride and his brother moved to Midland, where the brothers opened a law firm. But they devoted most of their time to forming oil and gas partnerships. There they became friends with a salesman for Dresser Industries, George Bush, now the vice president of the United States.

With a fourth partner, John Overbey, Bush and the Liedtkes in 1953 raised $1 million from friends in Tulsa and from some Eastern and foreign investors who were clients of Bush's uncle. They formed their own oil company, which they named after the Mexican revolutionary Emiliano Zapata.

"There was a Zapata movie playing at that time, starring Marlon Brando," Liedtke recalled. "We needed a name, something that would pique people's curiosity, and we thought that sounded pretty good." (On his wall at home in an exclusive neighborhood west of downtown Houston, the same neighborhood where Bush long lived, hangs a picture of the revolutionary painted by a man who knew Zapata.)

The four partners then "terrorized our investors," Liedtke recalls, by spending $850,000 of their $1 million on a single oil field in Coke County, Tex. They surprised everyone by drilling 137 wells, all of them successful. They are still producing oil today.

Overbey bowed out when the others decided to form a drilling company. And Bush parted company — amicably, Liedtke says — in 1959 when the Liedtkes wanted to concentrate on exploring for oil and gas and Bush saw more of a future in contracting out offshore rigs.

Three years later, not long after Liedtke approached J. Paul Getty about taking over South Penn and was told to show his real interest by buying some stock in that company, Liedtke was named president of that company. And a year later, in 1963, Zapata, South Penn and a third company owned by his brother, William C. Liedtke Jr., merged to form Pennzoil.

"From that point forward," says Texas oilman T. Boone Pickens, who says he has "always kind of thought of Hugh Liedtke as one of my mentors" and whose first entry into the offshore business was with Liedtke, "the personality of the company has been the personality of Hugh Liedtke."

Toyota plans no union recognition

New York Times News Service

LEXINGTON, Ky. — Top officials of the Toyota Motor Corp. said Wednesday that they do not intend to grant advance union recognition at the new assembly plant it will build about 12 miles north of here. However, they stopped short of saying they would oppose organizing efforts.

The officials, including Eiji Toyoda, the chairman of the company, said there was a major difference between the Kentucky operation and the one it conducts as a joint venture with the General Motors Corp. in Fremont, Calif.

Toyota accepted representation by the United Automobile Workers union at Fremont because of its history as a GM plant with a union work force, Toyoda said. "We have a considerably different situation here as far as union matters are concerned," he said in an interview. "We are not presently contemplating the subject of a labor union."

Toyoda's remarks came as the company officially announced plans to build an $800 million stamping and assembly plant near Georgetown, Ky. The plant will produce about 200,000 cars a year starting in 1988 and will employ about 3,000 workers.

The Japanese auto companies have varied in their reactions to the powerful auto union. Sources close to the situation said Toyota had accepted the UAW at Fremont because of the association with GM and the union's power to disrupt other GM plants.

Similarly, the Mazda Motor Co. agreed in advance to a set of operating principles for its future plant at Flat Rock, Mich. because of its location near the union's power center and because it is 25 percent owned by the Ford Motor Co.

The Nissan Motor Co., which has a plant in Smryna, Tenn. and the Honda Motor Co., in Marysville, Ohio, have both said that it was up to the union to try to organize workers. A vote on whether to unionize is due next week in Marysville.

Toyota's labor strategy appears to parallel that of Honda, which has said publicly that it is neutral on the union, but which has worked quietly to discourage workers from joining.

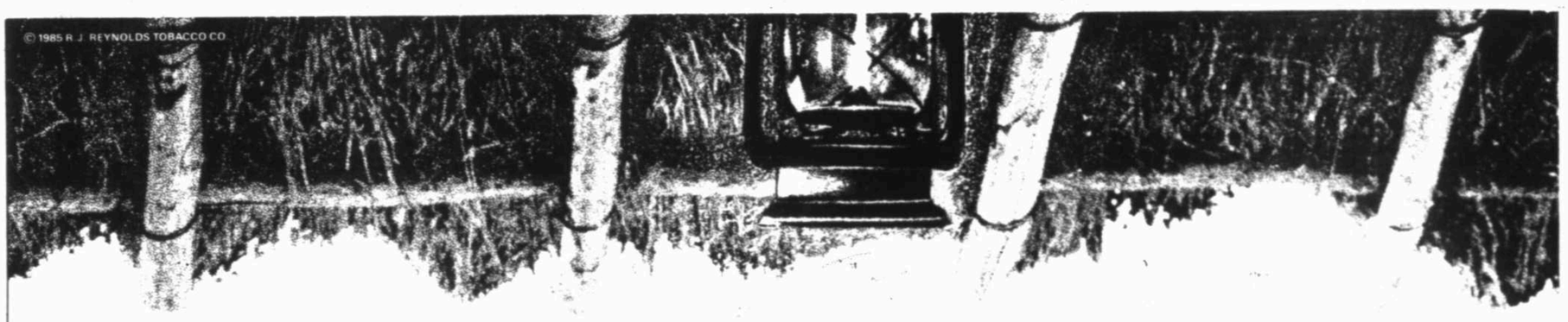
However, Owen F. Bieber, the president of the union, reminded Toyota of the union's presence in the Fremont plant, which is to start producing Toyota vehicles in addition to the Chevrolet Novas now coming off the lines. In a statement, he said the union "looks forward to developing a productive ongoing relationship as Toyota establishes additional manufacturing sites, such as the one announced today."

Toyota's product strategy for the new plant appears to differ somewhat from the earlier Japanese ventures in this country. Instead of choosing a small, economy car, such as Nissan's Sentra or the Nova, which is based on the Corolla subcompact, the new Toyota vehicles will be aimed at the profitable midsection of the American car market.

According to Toyoda, the Georgetown cars will be in the same class as its current Camry model, a midsize family car that is priced between $9,378 and $11,488. Cars of this sort have traditionally been Detroit's best sellers and the source of much of the American auto industry's profits.

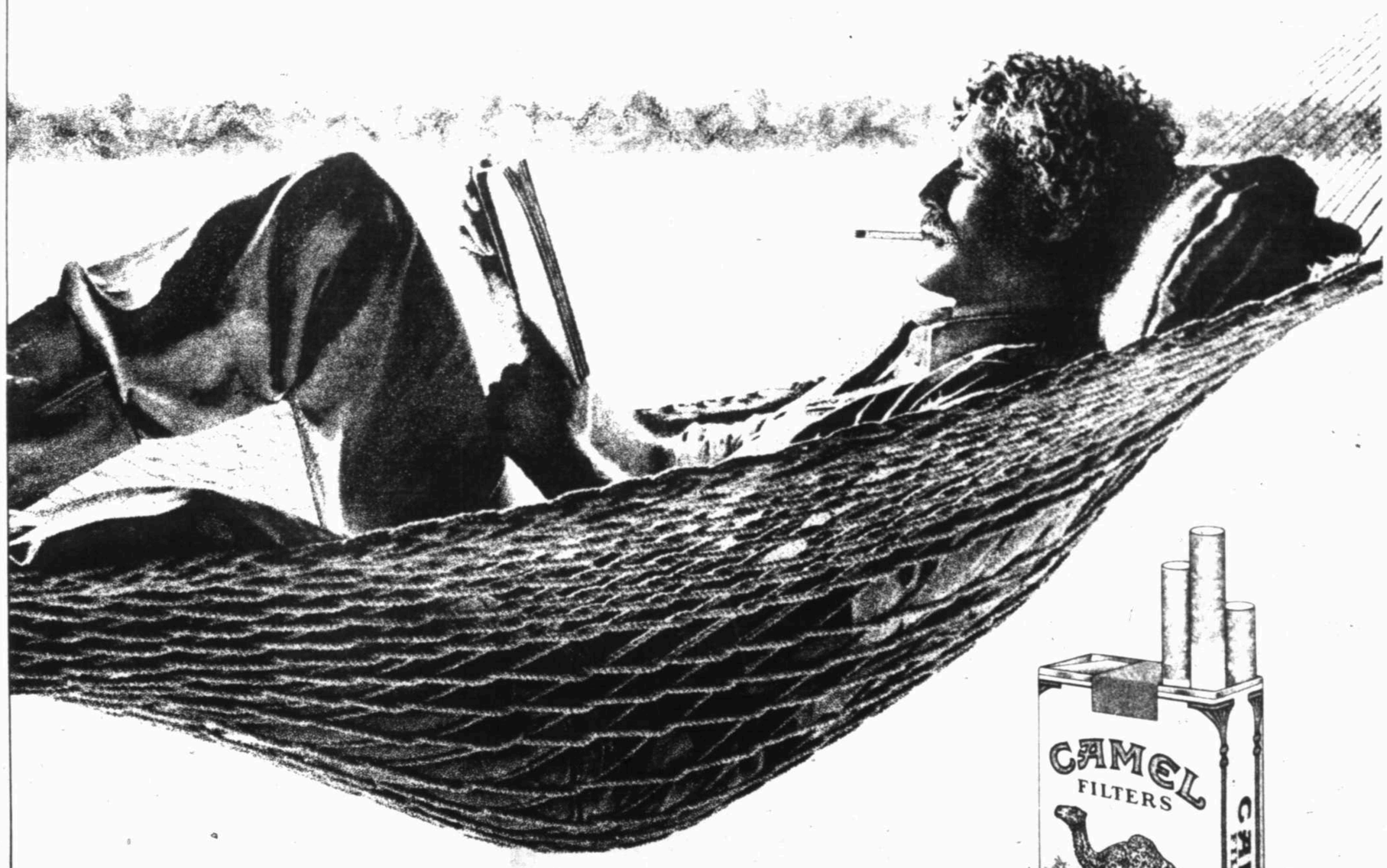
Toyota officials said the production operations in the plant would be similar to those at Fremont, with sheet metal stamping and final assembly taking place on the site, but with engines, transmissions and suspension components being shipped from Japan. The American content of the car, including assembly labor, will be about 50 percent, they said.

Because of the distances involved, Toyoda said, it will not be possible for the company to operate its very low inventory production system.



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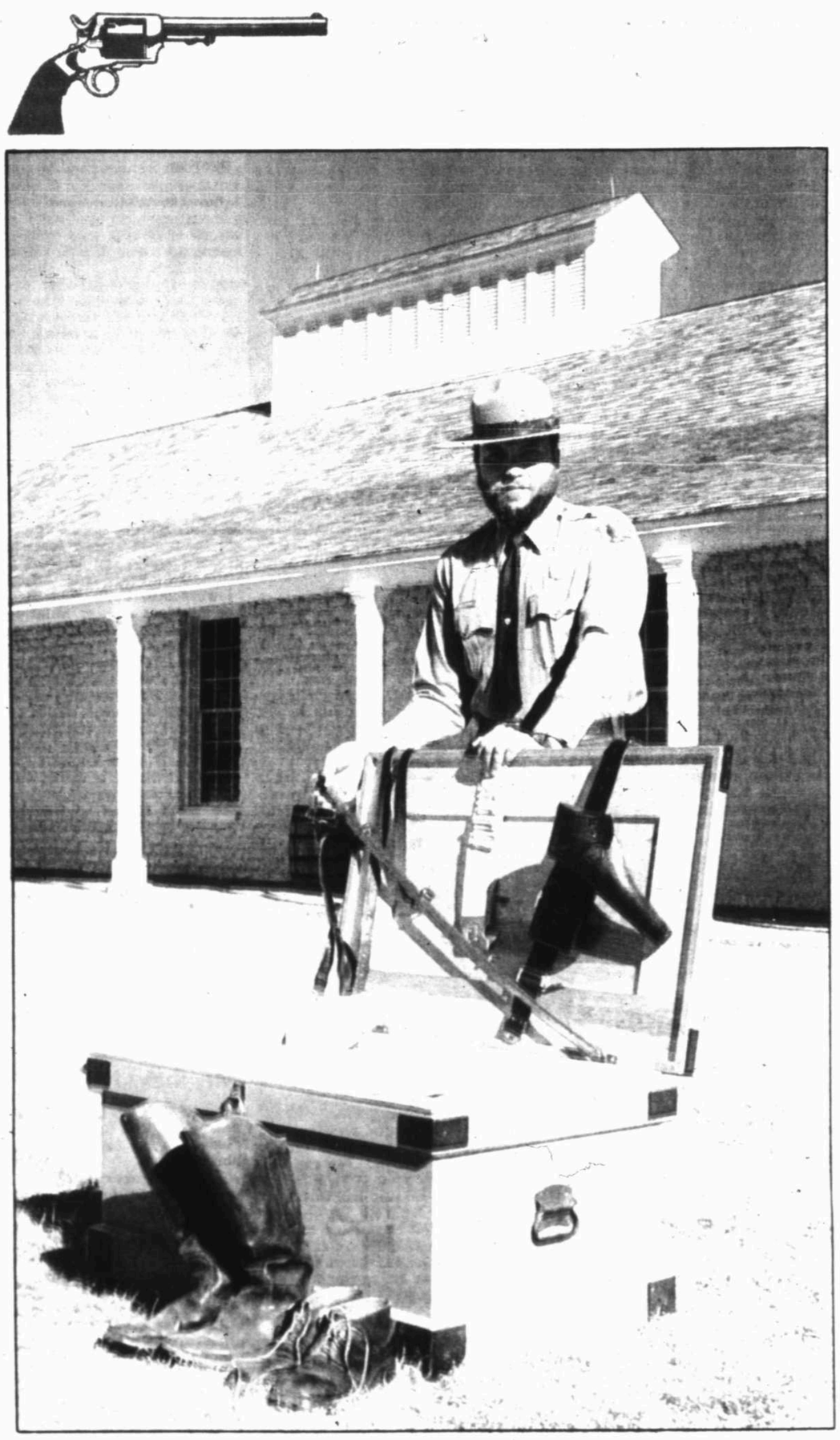
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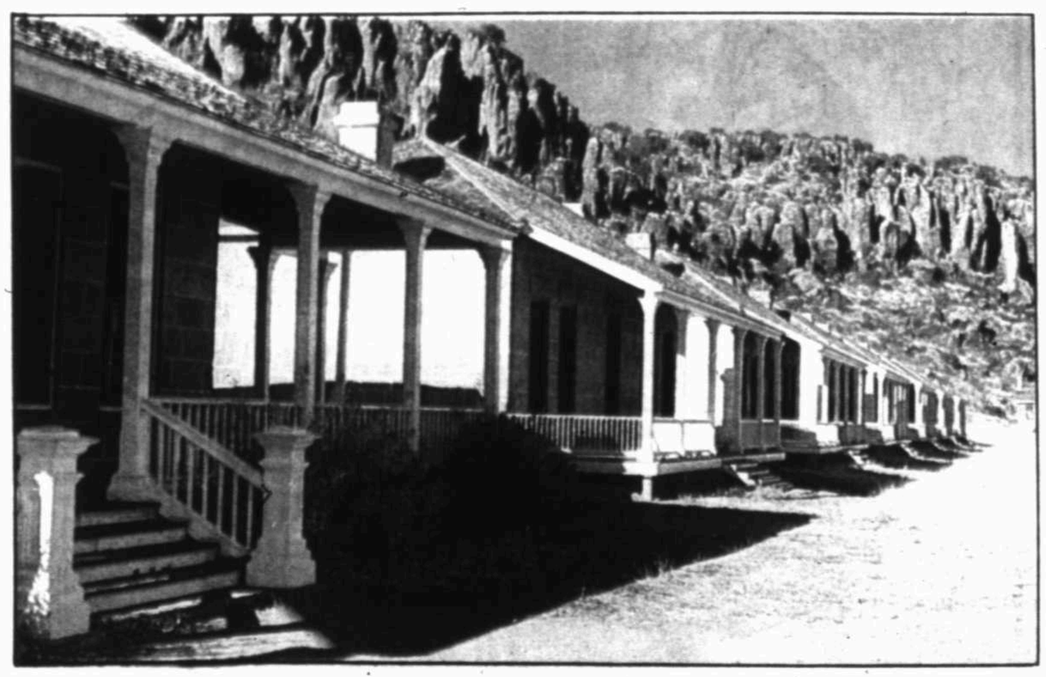
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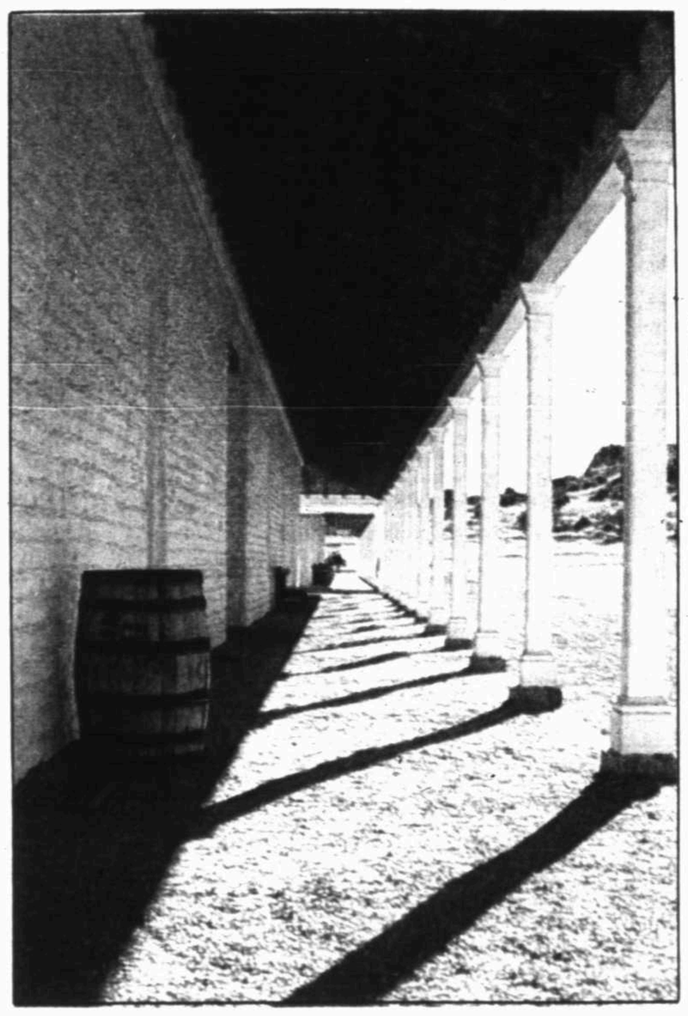
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Bill Gwaltney of the Ft. Davis National Historic Site displays some of the weapons and personal items used by black enlisted men.



In contrast to the Spartan existence lived by enlisted men, the officers were allowed their own houses with opulent Victorian funishings.



The exterior of the restored and and refurnished barrack reflects the austerity of the common soldier's life at the fort.

Buffalo soldiers

FORT DAVIS — To the Indians, their hair resembled that of the sacred, but vanishing, buffalo.

Called other names by racist settlers and white soldiers, they were labeled "Buffalo Soldiers" by the people they were to help subdue.

You probably won't find them in the average John Wayne Western, but black soldiers played an important role in the Indian wars. Their participation has been overlooked by most historians and historic monuments until recently.

For the first time in national park history, a black enlisted soldiers' barrack is being restored to its original form at the Fort Davis National Historic Site, about a three-hour drive southwest of Midland.

When finished, the barrack restoration and refurnishing should cost about $135,000. Restoration of the interior was completed in April, but about $30,000 is still needed to complete the barrack's furnishings, said the site superintendent, Doug McChristian.

The restoration and refurnishing is being funded through foundation grants and private donations, McChristian said.

The barrack once housed Troop H of the 10th U.S. Cavalry. Troops from the four black regiments formed after the Civil War served at Fort Davis, including the 9th U.S. Cavalry and the 24th and 25th U.S. Infantry.

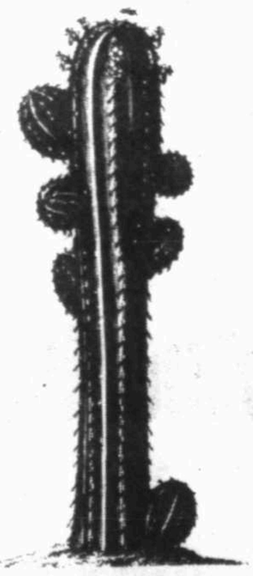
After the Civil War, blacks enlisted in large numbers into the regular Army, which had formerly forbidden black servicemen, said Mary Williams, site historian.

Black enlistment rates may have been high because many might have felt a need to repay a Civil War debt. But for other newly freed slaves, the Army was the only choice they had to make a decent living, said Bill Gwaltney, a site park ranger.

"The army was the only course available to black men after the war that allowed opportunity to advance and have a salary, but sadly not to have a family," Gwaltney said.

White and black enlisted men were not allowed to have wives or families in the Army, Gwaltney explained.

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Cleaning implements and small luxuries, like aftershave and tobacco, were a necessary part of everyday life at the Western frontier outpost.



Text and Photos by Ramona Nye

McCrary to run for county commissioner

From Staff Reports



Guy McCrary

Guy McCrary announced today that he will seek the Republican nomination for County Commissioner, Precinct 2. McCrary, a local businessman and civic leader, made the announcement during a news conference at the Midland County Republican Headquarters.

He will oppose incumbent C. Wallace Craig, who announced for re-election last week, in the Republican primary.

Declaring a need for more decisive leadership, McCrary said that he felt it was time for some new direction in county government.

"For too long, our county government has lacked leadership...to make tough decisions on controversial issues," he said. "The voters expect an elected official to judge issues and make sound decisions. If I am elected that's what I intend to do."

McCrary stated that his community leadership experience had qualified and prepared him for the commissioner's post.

"Many people with whom I have worked, both in business and on community projects, have strongly encouraged me to run for public office," he said. "At the county level, I believe I can make the greatest contribution."

McCrary pointed to the jail as the most evident issue before the county. "Idle conversation has gone on far too long; the delays by the commissioners' court have been far too costly," he said. "It's time for us to finalize a plan of action that will lead to the resolution of the jail problem. Either we must solve the problem or the state or federal government will solve it for us."

In addition to his remarks about the jail, McCrary cited the need for effective planning by the county, stating "that there is no apparent agenda of objectives — long term or short term — to guide the policy and management decisions of the commissioners' court."

"This results in problems such as the crisis with the jail, the need for improved county road maintenance, the immediate need for expanded courtroom and courthouse space and the poor condition of the County Annex Building," he said. "The bottom line to the absence of planning is inefficient use of our tax dollars."

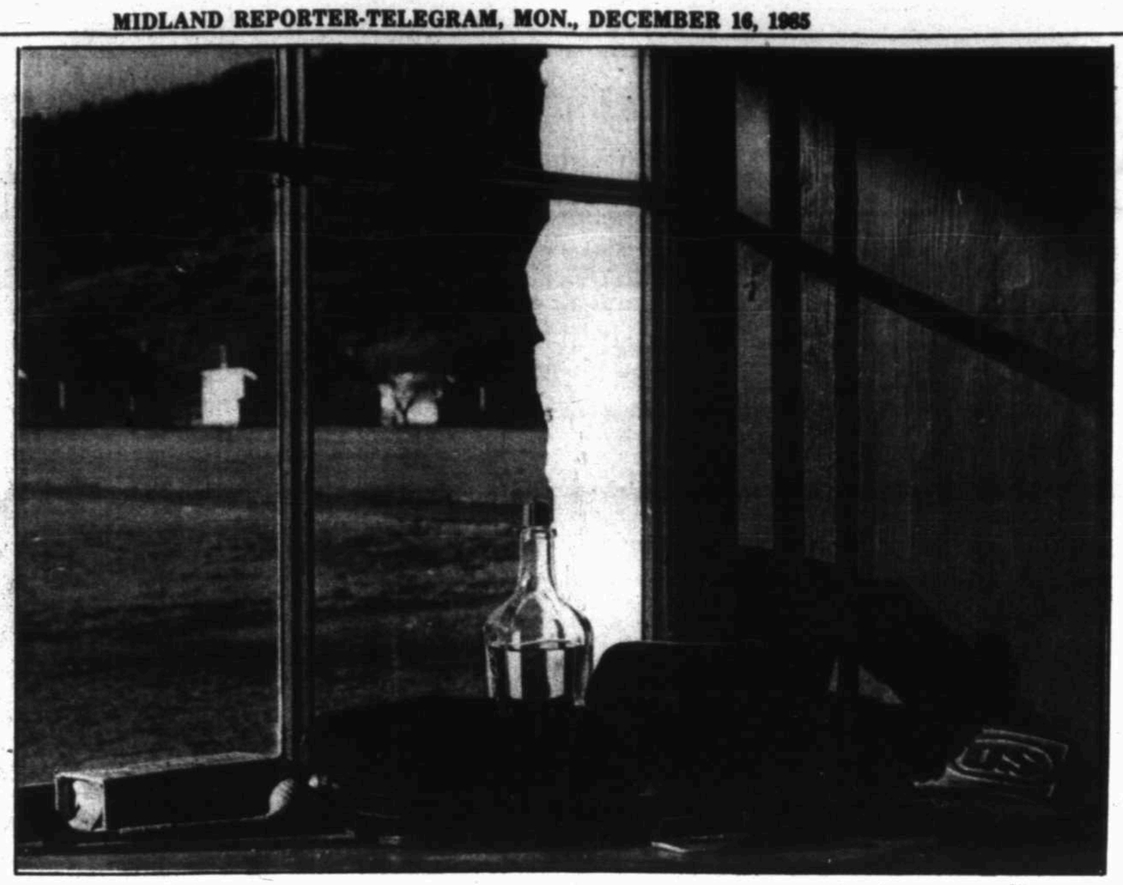
McCrary also said that he would work for better communication and cooperation between county and city governments, adding that "people expect all their tax dollars to be used wisely. They are not interested in political or bureaucratic boundaries that defy common sense."

He also stated that he looked forward to "the challenge of bringing new direction, new action and new energy to county government."

McCrary is the principal of Guy McCrary & Associates, a local marketing and public relations consulting firm. He is president of the Midland Centennial Plaza Association, the Jaycees organization that recently developed Centennial Plaza in downtown Midland and serves on the board of directors of the Midland Association for Retarded Citizens.

He has served as president of the Midland unit of the American Cancer Society and on the boards of United Way of Midland, Community and Senior Services of Midland, Leadership Midland, the Midland Jaycees and the Buffalo Trail Council of the Boy Scouts. He also has served as the executive director for Objectives for Midland — the Eighties, a long range community planning symposium conducted during 1980. He was presented the Distinguished Service Award from the Midland Jaycees in 1982 and was selected as a Midland Centennial Citizen earlier this year.

Dean Rucker, a Midland attorney, will serve as treasurer for McCrary's campaign. A steering committee will be announced at a later date.



The afternoon sunlight drifts through a window of the restored enlisted men's barrack, overlooking the officers' quarters.

Ramona Nye/Reporter-Telegram

SOLDIERS

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From 1867 to 1885 black soldiers played a significant part in the Indian Wars, Ms. Williams said.

"It seems that the blacks were usually in the forefront of action, so that when there were problems with the Indians, you usually found the blacks," she said.

"On paper they could have been sent anywhere, but they were primarily in the West," Ms. Williams said.

"We can't say with any real assurance that the Army was trying to hide those soldiers. But we can say those soldiers coming to the West got a majority showing of the action," Gwaltney said.

After the Civil War, black troops from the newly formed 9th U.S. Cavalry were sent into the harsh West Texas frontier to protect a popular route to the gold rush in California — the San Antonio-El Paso trail.

The soldiers also had to rebuild the vandalized Fort Davis, which was almost destroyed by Indians and wanderers during its Civil War abandonment. Fort Davis was closed during the Civil War because it was too isolated to be strategically important, Gwaltney said.

Rickety iron post beds with wide wooden boards bolted across their lengths, furnish the Spartan barrack, which housed about 26 men. White canvas bed sacks full of straw were used as mattresses.

A replicated white stretched canvas represents the original ceiling used at the barrack heated by two iron black wood stoves centered in the airy room.

Grey wooden footlockers sit at the end of the beds, containing the heavy blue woolen uniforms required year round by army regulations, even in the Fort Davis mountainous desert climate where summertime temperatures can reach as high as 117 degrees.

The claim that blacks could endure heat better than whites was one justification the Army used to send black troops to desert outposts, Gwaltney said.

Conflicts between black and white soldiers were mainly avoided by separating the two ethnic groups at different forts and giving them different duties, Gwaltney said.

From 1867 to 1881, Fort Davis was manned solely by black soldiers with white officers overseeing them, Ms. Williams said.

"Where you ran into problems was between the black soldier and white townspeople," Gwaltney said.

After Indian danger was past, the townspeople would sometimes turn on the black soldiers, taunting them and then killing them when they reacted, he said.

"These fellows would sometimes react, and whenever they did it was a tinderbox," Gwaltney said.

Despite the black soldiers importance in "taming" the West, Gwaltney said the role these men played has mainly been forgotten by most Americans until recently.

"I think America forgot the role of the black soldier and it was enhanced by the media depiction.

"It wasn't always benevolent neglect. It was sometimes intentional alterations of history to fit preconceived notions," Gwaltney said.

"The academic world is really catching up. But the media depictions are not at that level," Gwaltney said.

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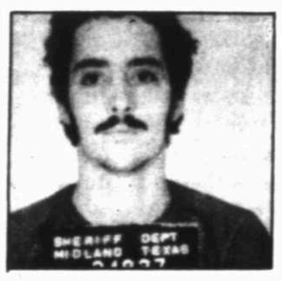
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Jayne Gregory, white female born Aug. 6, 1960. Five feet six inches tall, 120 pounds, brown hair and hazel eyes. Wanted for violation of probation received for indecency with a child.



Janet Rose Williams, white female born Sept. 17, 1960. Five feet seven inches tall, 130 pounds, blond hair and green eyes. Wanted for revocation of probation received for forgery by possession with intent to pass.



Danny Lee Byrom, white male born Jan. 22, 1962. Five feet 10 inches tall, 165 pounds, brown hair, brown eyes. Wanted for violation of probation received for delivery of marijuana.

Terry Adair, white male born July 27, 1963. Six feet tall, 220 pounds, brown hair and brown eyes. Wanted for violation of probation received for indecency with a child.

Theft of Honda three-wheeler reported to police

From Staff Reports

A $600 Honda three-wheeler was among several items reported stolen to the Midland Police Department and the Midland County Sheriff's Office over the weekend.

The three-wheeler was reported stolen by Morgan Stewart, Route 2, Box 238B. The theft occurred Dec. 9, reports said.

A Ford valued at $1,400 was reported stolen by Gaylene Sayger, 3600 N. Loop 250. The car was parked near 2900 W. Illinois when it was stolen Saturday, reports said.

Salon Unique, 4400 N. Midland, reported the theft of a $500 solar lamp. Also taken in the Friday theft was a $100 supply cart, reports said.

An $8,000 Buick was reported stolen by Edward L. Williams, 4415 Northcrest. The car was taken Saturday, reports said.

The Wal-Mart store at 4715 Billingsley reported the theft of a $578 videotape recorder. Also taken in the Saturday theft was a $19 toy, reports said.

A $400 television was reported stolen by Lawrence D. Black, 101 Holly. The television was taken sometime between Saturday and Sunday, reports said.

A 1980 Ford Futura, no value given, was reported stolen by Jim T. Harris, 2503 Tamarind. The car was taken Saturday from a location on Loop 250 and Holiday Hill Road, reports said.

Rosa Jaso, 3203 Park Lane, reported the loss of a 1980 Chevrolet Monte Carlo. No value was listed for the car, which was stolen Sunday, according to reports.

Alleged bomber described as 'fine young man'

PARIS (AP) — Among the pictures of Paris High School's Class of 1969 is one of Albert Lee Thielman, described by his former principal as "about as fine a young man as we ever had."

Thielman, a San Marcos resident, is accused of planting a bomb on an American Airlines jet bound from Austin to Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport Oct. 30. He was arrested at a Las Vegas airport Dec. 7 and is being held without bond.

The FBI charges that Thielman wanted to kill his wife and three children so he could collect $4 million in insurance money.

The plane's 154 passengers and crew members escaped injury when the bomb exploded in the baggage compartment as the aircraft pulled up to the terminal. Thielman, in FBI interviews, denied any involvement.

"This community has never had the shock that this has been," said retired school principal Dee Cunningham. "He was about as fine a young man as we ever had in Paris High School. If there was such a thing as an ideal youngster, he was it."

The FBI, in court affidavits, alleges Thielman, who worked as a salesman for a prefabricated home company, had large gambling debts, was considering filing for bankruptcy, bought more than $30,000 in cocaine in an eight-month period and spent money on a nude model.

DEATHS

Matthew Hale

Matthew Hale, infant son of Mr and Mrs. Joseph G. Hale of Midland, died Saturday following a sudden illness.

Graveside services will be at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at Resthaven Memorial park with Father Fred Nawarskas of St. Ann's Catholic Church officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Survivors include his parents; three brothers, James Joseph Hale, William Robert Hale and David Christopher Hale, all of Midland; his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Jernigan of Grapevine and Mr. and Mrs. James Hale of Midland; and his great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R.W. Jacquess of Ada, Okla.

Tough measures apparently cut down on DWIs

AUSTIN (AP) — Tougher measures against drunken driving have resulted in 15 percent fewer DWI arrests and a 35 percent drop in alcohol-related trafffic deaths, police say.

Senior Patrolman Charley Chipman of the Austin Police Department said the drop in fatalities and arrests show that beefed-up patrols by the Selective Traffic Enforcement Program are keeping drunken drivers off the roads.

"There just aren't as many DWIs on the road — at least not here," Chapman said.

Police records show about 2,800 people were charged with driving while intoxicated through Nov. 30, down from 3,330 for the same period last year.

So far this year 24 of the 71 traffic deaths, or 24 percent, have been alcohol-related.

Twelve-year-old boy dies in mobile-home fire

From Staff Reports

ODESSA — A fire of undetermined origin swept through a mobile home on the city's near-eastside early today and killed a 12-year-old boy and hospitalized a 25-year-old fireman.

Assistant fire marshal Rick Cates said Tommy Hartley, 913 Pittsburg, was transported to Medical Center Hospital after being pulled from the burning mobile home. The youth was pronounced dead about 2:30 a.m.

According to Cates, firefighter Darrel Pope inhaled "quite a bit of smoke" and was hospitalized overnight for observation at Medical Center Hospital.

Cates said the report of the fire came in about 1:53 a.m. today and 12 firefighters and four units responded to battle the blaze that destroyed the mobile home of Martha Hartley.

Firefighters were on the scene for about 3½ hours and pumped some 1,500 gallons of water on the fire before it was extinguished.

Cates said investigators this morning were attempting to determine the cause of the fire that destroyed the mobile home. Firefighters managed to contain the blaze and no other nearby mobile homes were damaged.

Goldsmith man killed in mishap

From Staff Reports

A 63-year-old Goldsmith man was killed early Sunday in a one-vehicle accident in Ector County, according to Department of Public Safety reports.

Arthur Frank Lehman was northbound on FM 866 about 3 a.m. when his car ran off the road, according to DPS reports. He apparently overcorrected and ran into a ditch, and his 1983 Chrysler overturned. Lehman, who was thrown out of the car, was pronounced dead at the scene by Ector County Justice of the Peace Virgil Lumpee.

The accident occurred about four miles south of State Highway 158, reports said.

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First of three suspects in arson epidemic put on trial

EMHOUSE (AP) — Emhouse is a small Navarro County town with only 197 people, but it has suffered through an epidemic of arson fires that created a virtual reign of terror and destroyed the town's only store.

The fires and accompanying threatening telephone calls caused residents to live in terror for almost two years.

One of three men arrested in connection with some of the 15-16 arson fires here during the past two years was scheduled to go on trial at Corsicana today. Two other men are awaiting trial following their indictment on arson charges.

Fred Reed, 45, of Corsicana, was to go on trial today, according to Navarro County Assistant District Attorney John Jackson. Trials for Thomas Frye, 17, of Emhouse, and Thad Watts, 29, of Corsicana, are expected to be held sometime after the first of the year, he said.

The three were arrested and indicted after Reed's 14-year-old son was caught setting fire to a house in Corsicana, according to Douglas Fogg, assistant fire chief at Corsicana.

Fogg said officers made the other arrests based on information learned during their investigation of the Corsicana fire.

Some of the town's residents claim that on May 4, the night that the only store in town burned, a young man was standing alone on his porch, playing his guitar and singing and eerie song about the fire.

The store fire was the latest in a string of at least 15-16 fires. Some people claim there were several fires in the town before anyone realized there was an arsonist or arsonists on the loose.

The fires caused so much panic in the small town that town meetings were held and some men took turns driving the street at night in threes in hopes of catching the arsonist or arsonists.

Federal authorities joined in the investigation of the store fire since the town's post office was located there.

There have been no other fires in the town since the three men were arrested, officials say.

Kenneth Ray, 48, a volunteer firefighter battled the blaze that destroyed the store he and Charles Carroll had just bought. He said the store was not insured and estimated their loss at about $7,500.

The town has two firefighting units and uses firefighters from other towns, Ray said.

The store was moved to a portable building and Ray says he and Carroll plan to rebuild a permanent location later.

Authorities say each arson fire involved the use of gasoline and each probably was set to cover up evidence of a burglary.

"There's really nothing you can do about it," Ray told the Dallas Morning News. "They broke into the store and got some groceries and stuff, but they didn't find money, so they just set fire to it."

"Everybody was pretty well disturbed over it because it was the only store that was in Emhouse," Ray added. "The post and everything was in this store."

San Angelo judge adds nice touch to court

By JAN TOMAS

SAN ANGELO (AP) — Judge Marilyn Aboussie speaks softly in the courtroom, but everyone knows she carries a big stick.

With a bang of her gavel, Ms. Aboussie can send a person to the penitentiary, award big bucks to an injured party or grant divorces. She has forced the Tom Green county government to quit dragging its feet and build a juvenile justice center.

She is the first woman judge in Tom Green County, and one of fewer than a dozen female district court judges in Texas who regularly hear matters of general jurisdiction.

"She adds a nice touch to the court," said Assistant District Attorney Thomas McCoppin III. "She is an excellent judge."

Appointed by Gov. Mark White to the newly created 340th State District Court in 1983, Ms. Aboussie has earned top marks from the legal community in the two years she has served on the bench.

"She was a pleasant surprise," said attorney Tom Gossett. "I did not expect her to be as judicious as quickly as she did. She stepped in and acted like a judge very quickly."

But there are touches, as McCoppin said. A crystal water decanter and glass sit next to the gavel on the bench. Instead of the usual tie and short collar above the judicial robe, there might be a strand of beads.

Ms. Aboussie often pressures attorneys to settle cases rather than spend two or three days in hearings, attorney Max Parker said. In criminal cases, Ms. Aboussie has helped attorneys work out plea bargains when neither side believed a plea bargain was possible, Parker said.

MS. ABOUSSIE takes pride in settlements over which she has presided.

"The mark of an above average attorney is not to just represent the client, but to see all angles of the client's position — to inform the client of the strengths and weaknesses of the case," Aboussie said.



Judge Marilyn Aboussie

Guiding a client to a reasonable compromise that brings a fair settlement is another task of an attorney, Ms. Aboussie said.

"One of my strengths as an attorney was that I was willing to play devil's advocate with a client, to show how the other side or the judge might view the situation. I often encouraged a client to settle with less than perfect circumstances, if it was a fair resolution. Some attorneys are more active in that direction."

In the courtroom, while attorneys take firm positions regarding their clients, Ms. Aboussie is still interested in a fair resolution. "That's why the podium is raised. The judge is above all that (one-sided arguments)."

Finding a middle ground is an easy task, Ms. Aboussie said. A complicated lawsuit which requires her to be attentive is Ms. Aboussie's idea of fun. "I like something full of briefs to study and arguments to hear," she said.

Does she take hard cases home with her? "No," said the judge. "Well, I might be less attentive that evening. I might be in a crummy mood."

MS. ABOUSSIE thought a little longer. "It's impossible to leave the work completely behind. It's hard not to think about a heart-rending decision.

"At first I thought 'I'll never be able to send them down' (convicts to prison). But then I would remember I didn't cause them to commit the crime."

In court, Ms. Aboussie is courteous and kind to defendants. Viewers get the feeling the judge sympathizes with their plight. "I do. I guess it's the human interest part of what we do. If you divorce yourself from that — though I have to be detached — you become cold-hearted. I often am not in a position to do anything about it (their situation) or improve it for them.

"One of the things you learn is that it's impossible to please everyone. You will always make someone unhappy. People want a fair trial. If I consider the factors people think are important — if they feel they were treated fairly — then they're satisfied."

Most times Ms. Aboussie feels good about her decisions. "I seldom brood. Even a legally right decision doesn't bring the best results. There have been a few decisions where I wish could have made another, but they were proper."

Ms. Aboussie hears most of the juvenile cases in Tom Green County, and chairs the Tom Green County Juvenile Board.

In March, Ms. Aboussie said she would not violate federal law by continuing to allow youthful offenders to be housed after Dec. 8 in the Tom Green County jail. She said she would either release juveniles or send them to proper detention facilities elsewhere.

THE JUDGE'S statement caused consternation among county officials. They promptly contracted to purchase land at the 900 block of West 19th Street and announced they would not seek a city zoning permit for the project.

Relations between county and city officials reached a low point and residents in the area petitioned against the project. The county decided to build without regard to the neighborhood opposition or the city zoning approval.

Eventually the issue was settled when the city initiated and passed its own zoning request for the project.

Many juveniles have been sent to Taylor County's juvenile center until the San Angelo center is built, Ms. Aboussie said.

"I said what I would do several times, and someone finally heard me," Ms. Aboussie said. For Ms. Aboussie it was not only a matter of law, "It was the right thing to do. I didn't even think about it (causing problems)."

Ms. Aboussie graduated from Midwestern University in her native Wichita Falls with a bachelor of arts degree in government.

In 1973, she graduated from the University of Texas Law School. While attending law school, she worked as a staff assistant for a state representative.

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Almost half of pilots surveyed think maintenance worse since deregulation

DALLAS (AP) — Of more than 1,200 U.S. passenger pilots recently surveyed, almost half said they feel aircraft maintenance and the quality of new pilots have declined since the airline industry was deregulated, the Dallas Times Herald reported Sunday.

Only 1 in 70 saw increased safety result from deregulation, instituted by the federal government in 1978 to promote competition within the industry, and five of eight, or 63.7 percent, said deregulation has made air travel more dangerous, the newspaper said in a copyright story.

Almost two-thirds said they believe deregulation has made flying more dangerous, and one-third said the quality of air traffic control has worsened, the newspaper said.

In written comments and in follow-up interviews to the mailed questionnaire, pilots stressed that flying is still the safest way to travel and that passengers need not fear for their lives when boarding an airplane. But most expressed concerns about developing trends, the Times Herald reported.

The pilots all fly for passenger airlines and hold airline transport certificates. The survey posed a range of questions about the airline industry and safety issues.

The newspaper said more than a third of the questionnaires were returned, with 1,212 pilots listing their primary occupation as flying for passenger airlines, including charter services.

Although only one in five rated the air traffic control system better today than before the 1981 firing of thousands of striking controllers, nearly half the pilots rated the system "about the same." Some 31 percent said they believe the system is less safe today.

A theme that was mentioned repeatedly in the replies, the newspaper said, was that the proliferation of low-cost "upstart" airlines had filled the skies with planes of questionable maintenance and pilots with questionable skills.

A number of pilots said they would not allow their families to fly on some newer airlines.

"They're trimming back everything imaginable, maintenance and personnel," said Jerry Thompson, a Fort Worth-based captain for Eastern Airlines, in a common criticism of newer carriers.

"The management coming up is not so aviation-oriented, just looking at the bottom line. They don't know the down-line effects of cutting back maintenance, and that has caused decay in the whole system."

Warren Bayless, a New Jersey-based DC-9 pilot for a major carrier, said he could see the effects of cost-cutting measures in his own company.

"Although I'm never forced to take a plane I don't like, I see more inclination to nurse planes along and get them somewhere else. Let's face it. It's costly to keep maintenance up to the top level. If a company can postpone a cost, it's economically attractive to do that."

A Mississippi-based pilot with more than 10 years experience said, "Although competition is a good thing, I think it has taken emphasis away from safety and efficiently moving passengers from one place to another, and has wrongly placed the emphasis on making a buck."

The Air Line Pilots Association and the Federal Aviation Administration declined to comment on the survey, the Times Herald said.

But the Air Transport Association, a major industry lobbying group, said the survey's results were invalid because those pilots who have complaints about safety are more likely to respond than those who believe the system is operating properly.

Thomas Tripp, a transport association spokesman, said the results were irrelevant because the industry's safety record has actually improved since deregulation.

"You can't debate safety on the grounds of the pilots' feelings. You've got to have the facts, something to make a point, and I'm not aware that they do," Tripp said.

The Times Herald said some pilots acknowledged that their anger, particularly over the effects of deregulation, stemmed from the erosion of benefits as a result of cost-conscious competition and what they see as the union-busting tactics of several carriers formed or reorganized under deregulation.

A&M working on wind-shear sensor

COLLEGE STATION (AP) — A wind shear sensor that could detect the deadly weather condition and immediately alert airplane pilots is being developed for Lockheed-Georgia Co. by researchers at Texas A&M.

Officials of the aviation company said they hope to test the device next year on a Lockheed airplane.

Wind shear is a violent and sudden change in wind speed or direction that often is associated with thunderstorms. It has been cited as a possible cause of several airplane accidents, most notably the Aug. 2 crash of a Delta Air Lines jet in Dallas that killed 137 people.

Other mechanisms exist to detect wind shear, but the one being worked on at Texas A&M — a cylindrical tube mounted on the front on an airplane — differs in that it is not ground-based.

The new sensor would measure the degree of the wind change and provide visual and audio signals to the cockpit, Lockheed-Georgia spokesman Joe Dabney said.

"It would buy the pilot some time to respond," he said. "It may be just a few seconds but that could make the difference."

Claude Williams, an engineering manager at Lockheed-Georgia's Flight Systems Department, said the Marietta-based company, a major military contractor, became interested in the on-board aspects of the device because its airplanes must have the ability to land in "austere locations" — far from air traffic control facilities.

Work on the project currently involves tests on its effectiveness.

Kidnapped infant will be home for Christmas

DALLAS (AP) — A kidnapped infant, missing exactly one month, will be home for Christmas.

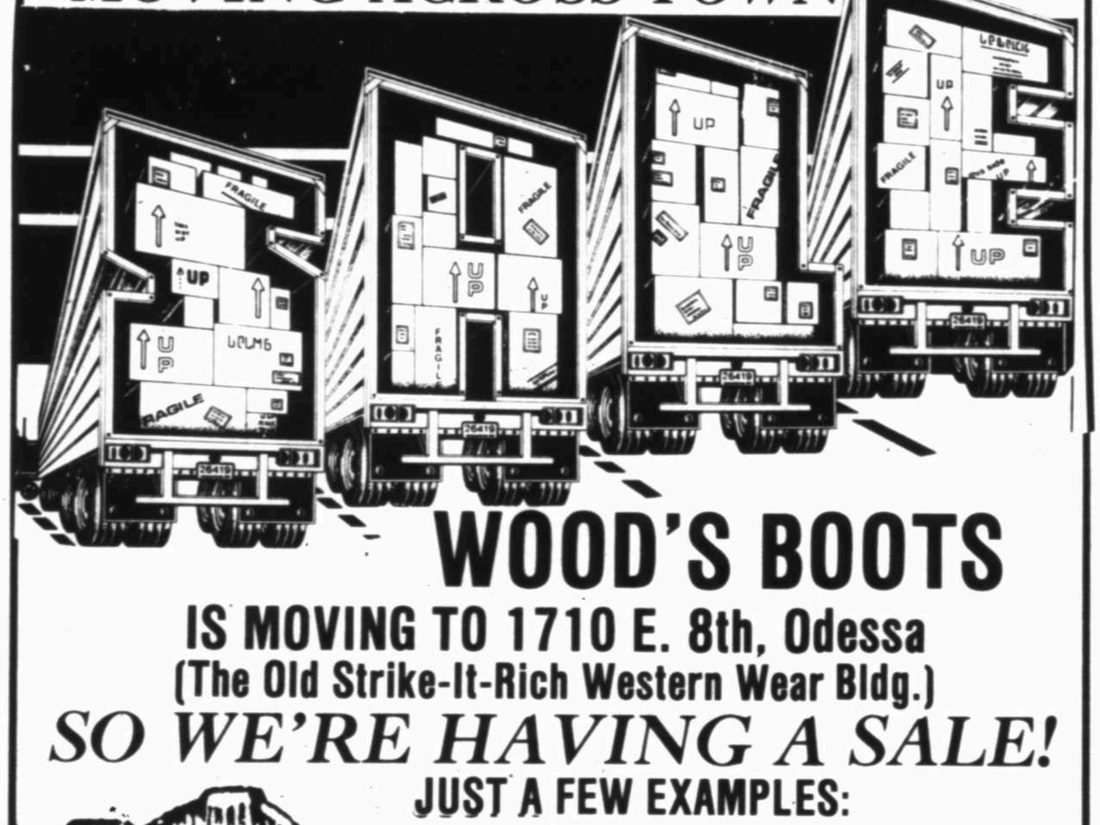
Mallory Elizabeth Sutton of Coppell, 3½ months, was found Friday night in Tampa, Fla., FBI Special Agent Woody Specht said.

"The baby is in good health and appears to be well cared-for," Specht said, adding that Mallory's mother was to return the child to Texas today.

Jennifer Lynn Sutton, 20, returned home Nov. 13 to find both the baby and a new babysitter missing, along with the child's clothes, formula and bottles, officials said.

Also missing was a picture of Mallory, prompting police speculation that someone had taken her for the purpose of selling her.

The woman answered a classified ad Mrs. Sutton had placed, and provided references. However, the mother admitted tearfully after the kidnapping that she had not checked the references.





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Shultz meets with Hungarian leaders


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BUDAPEST, Hungary (AP) — Secretary of State George P. Shultz, eager to stimulate Hungary's economic independence from the Soviet Union, held trade talks today with government leaders.

Surrounded by evidence of Hungary's relative prosperity compared to the Soviet Union — streets filled with holiday shoppers and stores abundantly stocked with consumer goods — Shultz began a busy day that mixed official business and symbolic ceremonies.

He placed a wreath at a memorial to Hungarian heroes and held discussions with Foreign Minister Peter Varkonyi.

He also planned a visit to St. Stephen's crown, Hungary's most prized treasure, and a meeting with Communist Party leader Janos Kadar.

Shultz is on a 10-day tour of Europe that includes visits to three communist countries that a U.S. official recently described as "off the reservation" in their relations with the Soviet Union.

Shultz was in Romania on Sunday and will go to nonaligned Yugoslavia Tuesday. Romania occasionally differs with the rest of the Soviet bloc on foreign policy issues.

Although Hungary is in lock-step with the Soviet Union on military policies, the government has strayed from the Kremlin model of tightly controlled economic planning. A report recently published in the United States also gave Hungary good grades on human rights, citing relatively relaxed strictures on emigration and tourist travel abroad.

Shultz told a news conference in Bucharest, Romania, on Sunday, that the aim of U.S. policy toward Eastern European countries was to encourage the lowering of barriers with Western Europe.

"It is a fact that Europe is divided," he said. "It's divided artificially, it's divided by barbed wire, it's divided by a Berlin Wall, it's divided by restrictions of all kinds on the freedom of Europeans to travel to each others' countries."

Eastern Europe will be "more stable, more joyous," if those restrictions are lifted "and I've heard many of my friends in Eastern Europe say the same thing," Shultz said.

Hungary, Romania and Yugoslavia are the only Eastern European countries to benefit from congressionally conferred most-favored-nation trading status, which makes it easier for them to trade with the United States.

The Kadar government would like such status made permanent, rather than being reviewed each year by Congress. Under U.S. rules, continuance of the trading benefits is dependent on a country's human rights record.

In Romania, also a member of the Soviet bloc, Shultz told President Nicolae Ceaucescu on Sunday that his government was in danger of losing the trading rights unless it made progress in human rights areas indicated by Washington.

Shultz brought with him a letter from Rep. Bob Michel, R-Ill., the House Republican leader, expressing what the secretary called "concerns" about current Romanian policies.

Upset by reported persecution of some religious groups, Congress has threatened to take away Romania's most-favored-nation status, which helps the country achieve a $700 million trade surplus with the United States.

Shultz told a news conference after meeting with Ceausescu that the session resulted in an agreement to "set up procedures we hope will resolve these differences."

A senior U.S. official, who asked not to be identified, said the "differences" included the U.S. effort to get Romania to loosen restrictions on the religious minorities, which include Jehovah's Witnesses and Evangelicals, and on other groups.

Talks between the State Department and the Romanian Embassy will be held in Washington, and similar lines of communication will be set up in Bucharest between Roger Kirk, the U.S. ambassador, and the Romanian Foreign Ministy.

In what were described as "frank and candid" talks, Ceaucescu was made to understand that there is "a direct relationship between our bilateral relations and the views in Congress which we in the administration couldn't control, " the U.S. official said.

Media says Syria has missiles along border

DAMASCUS, Syria (AP) — State-run media said today that Syria is deploying Soviet-supplied surface-to-air missiles along its border with Lebanon despite warnings from Israel that the batteries would interfere with Israeli surveilance flights.

Syria also disclosed that it had acquired new Soviet naval vessels for President Hafez Assad's campaign to match Israel's sea power.

The state-controlled media confirmed the missile deployment that apparently resulted from a Nov. 19 dogfight in which Israel claimed its U.S.-made F-15 Eagle fighters shot down two Soviet-supplied MiG-23 intercepters over Syria.

"It is Syria's right...to deploy inside its territory whatever weapons necessary for its self-defense," said the newspaper Al-Baath, which is the mouthpiece of Syria's ruling Baath Party.

Lt. Gen. Moshe Levy, Israel's military chief-of-staff, said Sunday that Syria had deployed SA-2 missiles at three points along the Lebanese border.

"The emplacement of the missiles is affecting and disrupting and is blocking our freedom of flight over Lebanon to a significant degree," Levy said.

The missiles have a range of between 24 miles and 30 miles and could strike Israeli warplanes that routinely patrol Lebanese skies.

Israel recently has intensified its surveillance flights over eastern Lebanon's Bekaa Valley to monitor Syrian military deployments and guerrilla activity. Israeli warplanes also have bombed pro-Syrian guerrillas bases in the valley 13 times this year.

Al-Baath and the government newspaper Tishrin said in editorials broadcast by Damascus radio that Israel has no right to object to any military deployment within Syrian territory.

Al-Baath said Levy's comments were a sign that "Israel is preparing for a new military adventure against Syria."

The official Syrian Arab News agency said new "naval and support units from the Soviet Union" were delivered at the Latakia naval base Sunday.

Memorial service held in Gander

GANDER, Newfoundland (AP) — A U.S. ambassador put his head in his hands and wept as hundreds of townspeople honored 248 "Screaming Eagles" swept from the sky when their military charter crashed and exploded outside Gander.

Braving bitter cold, 600 people packed St. Martin's Anglican church for a Sunday interfaith service in tribute to the U.S. soldiers and eight crewmembers who died in Thursday's crash of their DC-8.

"We care about you and we're grieving for you," said Anglican minister James Reid, directing his words to the families of the men and women killed as they were returning home from peacekeeping duties in the Middle East to Fort Campbell, Ky.

"It's only natural we would come," said Gander resident Patrick J. Walsh, who also remembers the town's last memorial service, held in 1967 for 18 people who died in the crash of a Czechoslovak plane.

Ruby Holloway, a housewife in this comunity of 12,000 near Canada's Atlantic coast, said townspeople made a special effort to attend because "we all feel for their families back home who can't be here."

But Gander, where the DC-8 had stopped to refuel, could be grateful that the tragedy had not been greater, Ms. Holloway said.

"If the pilot had made the decision to go down another runway, a lot of Gander might be wiped out now," she said. "That's probably the reason a lot of people came: They know what could have happened."

Thomas Niles, the U.S. ambassador to Canada, told the packed church, "We on the side of the United States are deeply grateful to all of you for coming to this service. Words are inadequate in a time like this to express the way all of us feel."

Niles buried his face in his hands and wept shortly after the service began, and many others were in tears as a lone bugler played "The Last Post" for the dead soldiers of the 101st Airborne Division.

As another 300 people watched on television screens at St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church nearby, a choir sang "The Battle Hymn of the Republic." Surrounded by four Canadian flagbearers, a U.S. infantryman in fatigues marched down the aisle carrying the Stars and Stripes.

"At this time of year, a tragedy such as this is difficult to understand, especially with these soldiers, who were on a mission for their country, a mission of peace," Maj. Gen. John S. Crosby, the U.S. Army's assistant deputy chief of staff, said at the service.

"We have been deeply touched by the people of Gander," he said.

Canadian officials attending the service included Minister of Justice John C. Crosbie, Brig. Gen. Fred Sutherland, Newfoundland Lt. Gov. Anthony B. Paddon and Gander Mayor Doug Sheppard.

Protesters build huts on site of nuclear plant

WACKERSDORF, West Germany (AP) — Hundreds of nuclear protesters have built temporary huts on the site of a nuclear reprocessing plant seeking to prevent workers from clearing more forest for the project, police said.

About 1,500 riot police watched without intervening Sunday as the protesters built huts from trees already felled, erected tents and made tree-branch barricades on the road to the site.

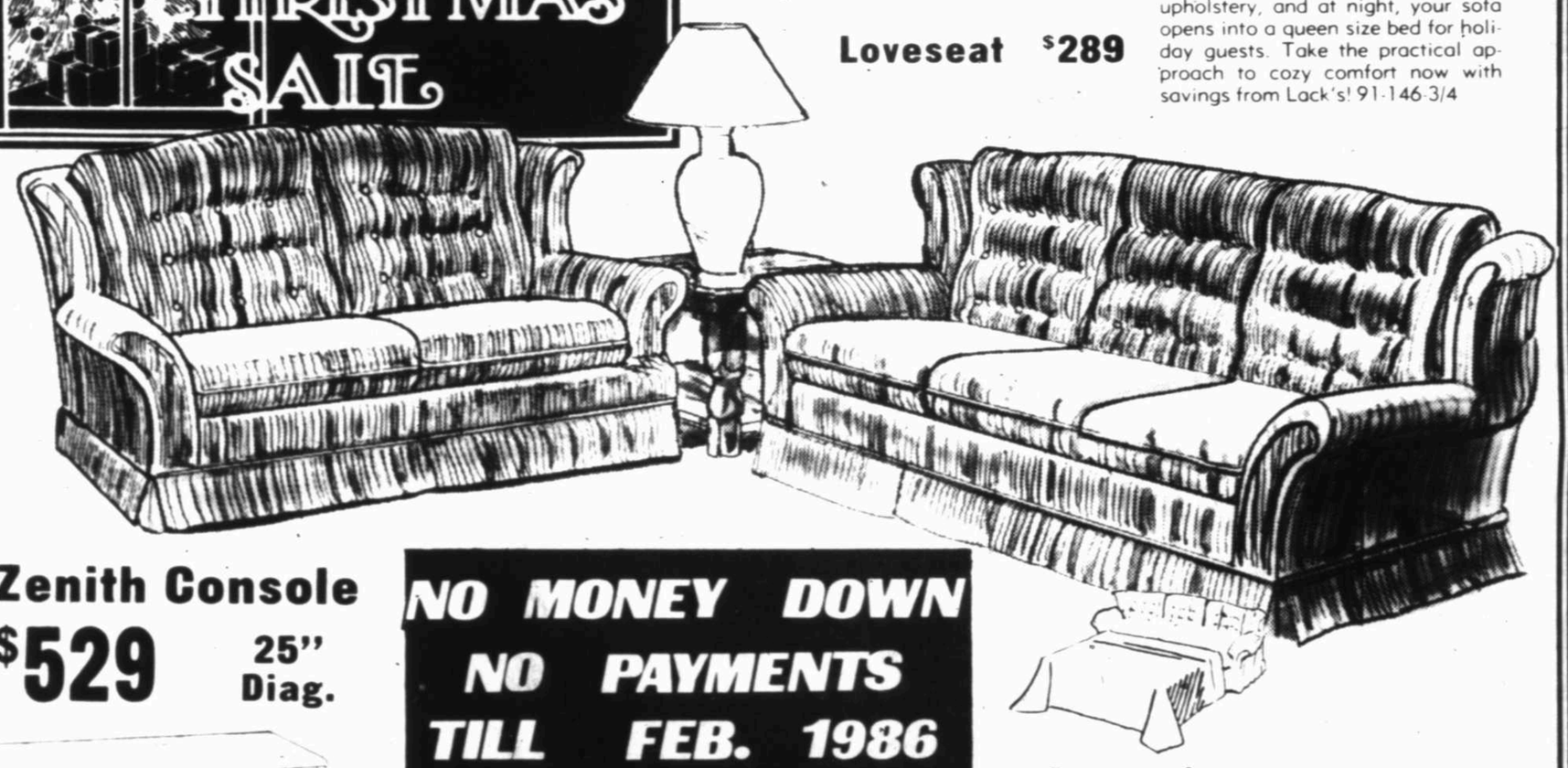
More than 1,000 protesters filtered onto the site, but no disturbances or arrests were reported.

But Regional police commissioner Hermann Friker said wood-clearing would resume and riot police would ensure the work proceeded unhampered.

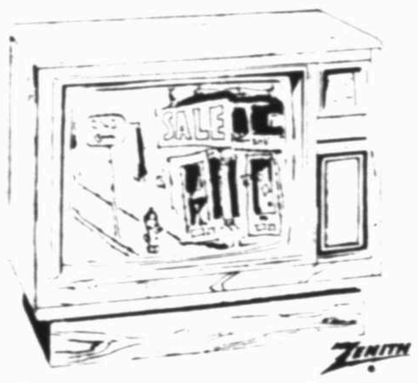
The German Society for Recycling of Nuclear Waste began work on the plant last Wednesday after a court refused to block construction. The builders plan to clear 114 acres of forest.

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Delightful writing desk is as useful as it is pretty. Has drawer with pencil tray, plus 3 pigeon holes and a gallery. Burnished oak finish. 95-275-0

30" Gas Range
$349



Your taste-tempting meals get a helpful start from Magic Chef's quality-built 30" gas range from Lack's! Your new range features Uniburners, low heat oven control, lift-up/lift-off cooktop, and so much more. 76-205-0

Attractive Folding Chair



Reg. $119.95
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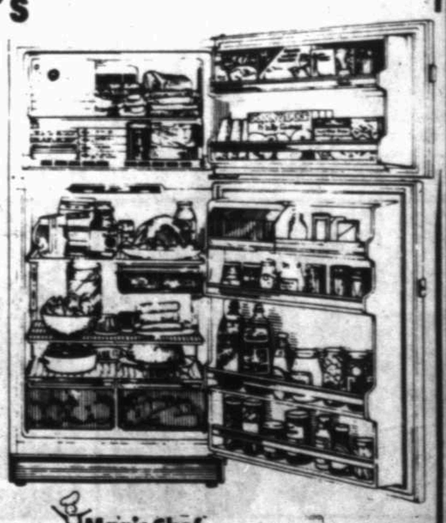
Guests will find it difficult to believe that the chair they're sitting on is an "extra" chair that only comes out for special gatherings, but it is! When not in use, the elegantly designed fruitwood chair with oatmeal upholstery seat is folded away in the closet. 96-309-0

Serta's Posture Capri
Reg. $169.95
Twin Size $89 ea. pc.
$219.95 Full Size $139 ea. pc.
$499.95 Queen Size $319 Set
$699.95 King Size $399 Set



This holiday season, get the comfort you deserve with Serta's Posture Capri bedding from Lack's-Frontier! The refreshing quilt cover is a snowy silver gray, accented by a glorious floral design in peach, off-white, and violet colors. Hidden beneath a comfortable layer of SertaFoam are 312 coils of 13 guage steel for true support. 80-374

Magic Chef's 16.6 Cu. Ft. No-Frost
$579



You'll have plenty of room for all your Christmas goodies in Magic Chef's big 16.6 cubic foot refrigerator-freezer from Lack's-Frontier! Your new unit has a large 4.82' freezer section, 2 cantilevered and adjustable wire shelves, meat keeper and 2 vegetable crispers and more! 75-354-0
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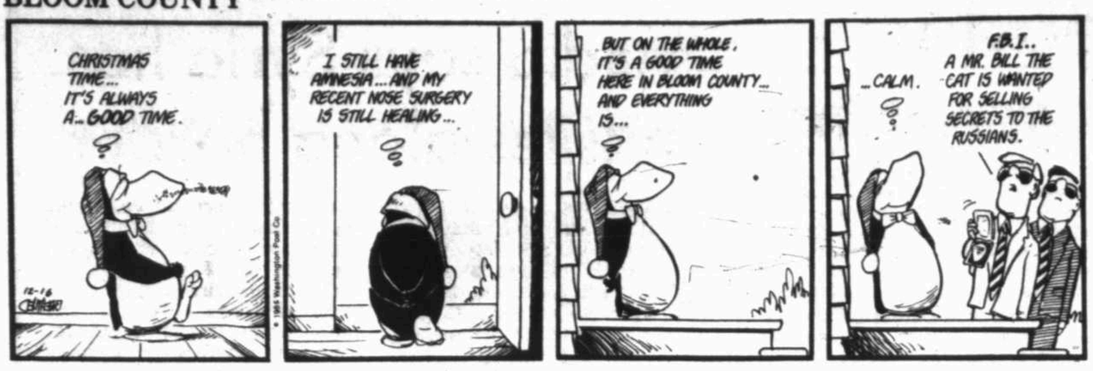
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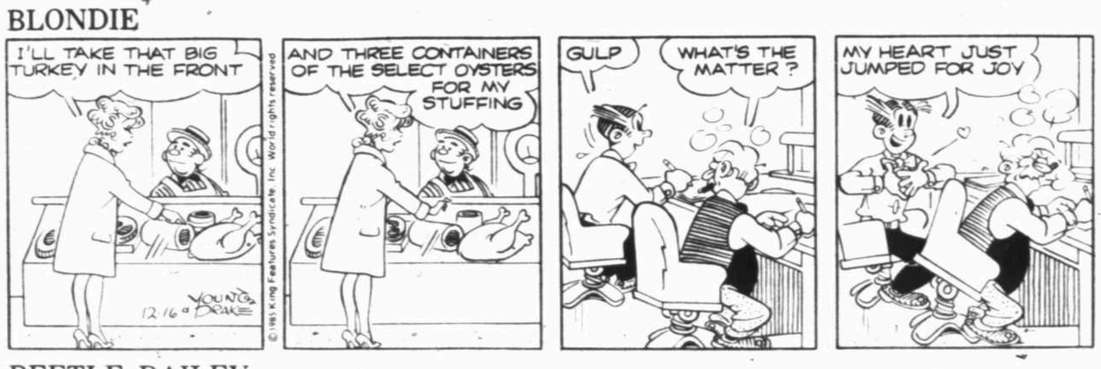
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Your horoscope

By JEANE DIXON

Tuesday, December 17, 1985

YOUR BIRTHDAY TODAY: You can no longer postpone a decision on a family financial matter. Make up your mind and let others know your position. Cut personal spending and insist that other household members do the same. A more exciting love life depends on your communicating your feelings in a subtle way. Woo loved one with thoughtful gifts and romantic outings. Your imagination and sincerity make you a wonderful spokesman for any cause or product you really believe in. Remain true to your high ideals. CELEBRITY BIRTHDATES: columnist William Safire, Boston Red Sox reliever Bob Ojeda, Pittsburgh's Marvell Wynne, Boston Pops conductor Arthur Fiedler.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Look forward to a sudden breakthrough where your career or finances are concerned. A new partnership leads to higher earnings. Your love life is not at a standstill. A marriage proposal is likely!

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): A communications tangle could cause delay. Your patient attitude and organizational talents help you straighten things out. Emphasize your strengths to those in authority.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): You are a role model for other members of your sex. Do not let them down. Provide firm leadership. Some recent changes have proven very successful. Take a bow -- you deserve it.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Patience and understanding will help you solve a tricky personal or family problem. Guard against going into debt while shopping for the holidays.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Do not allow your personal feelings to interfere with business negotiations. Your persistence pays off; you get the support you need. Trust your intuition. Romance improves following a candid chat with mate.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Get routine chores out of the way early in the day. Creative endeavors promise to be most rewarding. Be patient with those who are less capable. Your sense of humor attracts interesting people.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Channel your energy in the right direction and you will accomplish more. Someone who loves you wants to help. Stop being so secretive or this person could get the wrong impression. Compromise.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Do not let distractions prevent you from meeting an important deadline. Pay closer attention to budget matters. You need to eliminate nonessential purchases for a while.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Carefully scrutinize all papers before affixing your signature. Be more open with family members and good friends. You will be surprised at how quickly others come around to your way of thinking.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Put your best foot forward even if afraid that you might stumble. You will do much better than you think! Travel could strengthen the bonds between you and loved ones. Complete creative projects.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Steer clear of troublemakers. You can make a nice profit by recycling an old project. Use your powers of persuasion to straighten out a romantic problem. Loved one wants to be convinced!

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Good fortune brightens your day. An unexpected development sheds new light on an old puzzle. Seek an attorney's advice on a legal matter. You need to keep a low profile for a while.

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SHOE



ANDY CAPP



CATHY



DICK TRACY



STEVE ROPER



GOREN BRIDGE

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ANSWERS TO WEEKLY BRIDGE QUIZ

Q.1—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠AKQ ♡AK9852 ◇Q10 ♣53
The bidding has proceeded:

South	West	North	East
1 ♡	Pass	1 ♠	Pass
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What do you bid now?
A.—Clearly, some jump is in order, but which? All are flawed. Even though your three-card support for partner's suit could not be better, spades might not be a good trump suit because partner will be forced to ruff clubs with your master trumps and so could lose control. And your heart suit is really not good enough for a jump to three hearts. The latter, however, is clearly the lesser evil, and we would choose the jump rebid in your own suit.

Q.2—East-West vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠K72 ♡6 ◇6 ♣Q10965432
Partner opens the bidding with one no trump. What do you respond?
A.—Show us a bridge expert who tells you he knows how to handle an eight-card suit and we'll show you a teller of tales. At no trump, your hand could produce a lot of tricks for partner—or none at all. For our money, we'd gamble out five clubs; not just because we might make it, but because it might not even be our hand.

Q.3—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♡AK93 ◇AJ63 ♠A9852
The bidding has proceeded:

East	South	West	North
1 ♠	Dble	2 ♠	3 ♡
3 ♠	?		

What do you bid now?
A.—You don't need much for slam, and partner should have some values for his free bid, vulnerable, at the three-level. East's preemptive rebid has made life awkward, but your hand is worth one move, and the obvious call is a cue-bid of four spades. If partner does no more than bid five hearts, drop the auction.

Q.4—Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠9872 ♡63 ◇J852 ♣Q92
The bidding has proceeded:

North	East	South	West
1 ♠	1 NT	Pass	Pass
Dble	Pass	?	

What action do you take?
A.—Partner's double is largely penalty oriented, but you have no reason to feel confident about defeating the opponents. Neither of your suits is strong enough to bid, so we suggest you take out to two clubs; but be prepared to apologize if you have made the wrong decision.

Q.5—Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:
♡AQJ6 ◇5 ♠AQJ109643
Partner opens the bidding with one spade. What do you respond?
A.—As a rule, we are not in favor of a jump shift with a void in partner's suit, but this hand is clearly the exception. You have ten tricks in your own hand and need no trump support from partner, and he'll never believe that if you don't jump to three clubs now.

Q.6—Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠K107652 ♡8 ◇A953 ♣92
The bidding has proceeded:

North	East	South	West
1 ♡	Pass	1 ♠	Pass
2 ♡	Pass	?	

What action do you take?
A.—To bid again invites a large penalty. The hand looks like a misfit. Since partner surely has a six-card heart suit on this auction, there is no reason to suppose that a spade contract will be at all superior to hearts. If you bid again, partner would be entitled to expect more from you, and the end result could be a catastrophe if the opponents start wielding the ax.

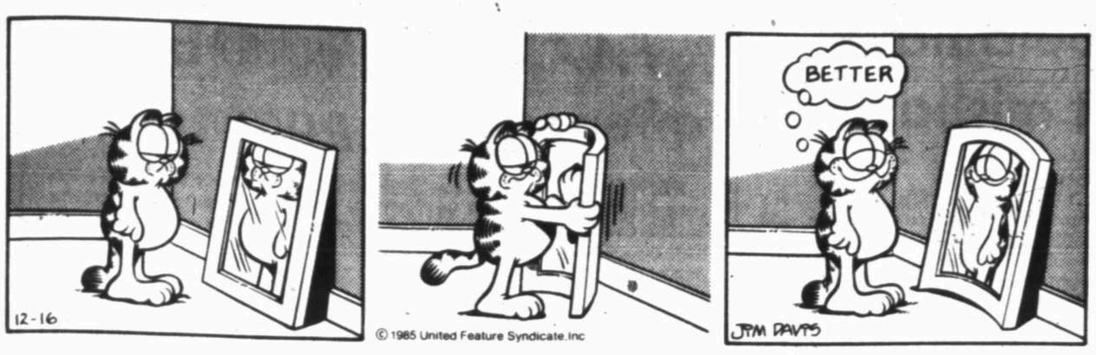
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"HOW COME YOU TOLD GRANDMA THAT DADDY'S PAJAMAS WERE WORN OUT AND HE WEARS SIZE C ?"

THAT DAILY PUZZLER SCRAM-LETS® WORD GAME
Edited by CLAY R. POLLAN

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

AXMIRT

TUSLY

RINAG

TIEING



One sure way to stay in good health is to avoid seconds of meals, mortgages and --------

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

2 PRINT NUMBERED LETTERS IN SQUARES

3 UNSCRAMBLE FOR ANSWER

SCRAM-LETS ANSWERS

Matrix — Lusty — Grain — Ignite — MARTINIS

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MARMADUKE



"Sorry, that is not the correct answer to our 'Sing That Song' contest!"

FAMILY CIRCUS



"Wish I could keep that red light on in my room all year 'cause it makes me warm and happy."

DOONESBURY



PEOPLE

James Taylor weds Kathyrn Walker

NEW YORK (AP) — A private reception for 60 close friends and relatives and a larger gathering of 300 people were held for singer **James Taylor** and actress **Kathryn Walker** after their weekend wedding.

Taylor, 37, whose hits include "You've Got a Friend" and "Fire and Rain," has been married once before, to singer **Carly Simon.**

Miss Walker appeared on Broadway in "Private Lives" in 1983, and has had a number of roles on television programs.

They were married Saturday night at the Cathedral of St. John the Divine in Manhattan.

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MEGHAULI, Nepal (AP) — Former Beatle **Ringo Starr** says he was skeptical about riding an elephant for a polo match, but ended up having a ball.



Starr

Starr was on a celebrity-laden team from Cartier, the Paris jewellers, in the 10-team bout of this year's World Elephant Polo championship on Sunday.

"I think I've done excellently," Starr said, although his team didn't win. "I was pretty skeptical when it all began but it's fun when you come down to it."

Others on the Cartier team were Starr's wife, actress **Barbara Bach;** Scottish comedian **Billy Connolly;** actor **Max Boyce;** and Cartier president **Alani Perrin.**

The tournament was won by a team called Tiger Tops Tuskers who smashed in a goal during sudden death overtime to trounce the King Mahendra Trust for Nature Conservation 1-0.

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NEW YORK (AP) — NBC sports commentator **Ahmad Rashad** and actress **Phylicia Ayers-Allen** moved up their wedding date in what Rashad called a "quarterback sneak."

They became engaged on national television during Thanksgiving Day football coverage and had announced a Jan. 18 wedding date, but tied the knot Saturday before about 40 guests and relatives. "Actually, we just wanted to do it quietly," Rashad said.

Ayers-Allen plays the wife of Bill Cosby on TV's No. 1-rated "The Cosby Show."

Cosby was at the wedding, as were ABC sports commentator O.J. Simpson and comedian Bill Murray. The matron of honor was the bride's sister, Debbie Allen Nixon, star of the movie and TV show "Fame" and wife of pro basketball player Norm Nixon.



AP Laserphoto

Singer-singwriter James Taylor married actress Kathryn Walker Saturday at the Cathedral of St. John the Divine in New York City.

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NEW YORK (AP) — Chrysler Chairman **Lee Iacocca** says Americans should write politicians telling them of sacrifices they'd be willing to make to balance the federal budget.

"The budget won't get cut until we tell the politicians to do it and send them a list of sacrifices we are willing to make," he said in the Dec. 23 issue of Newsweek.

"We've been rewarding politicians for too long whose idea of compromise is to say 'yes' to everybody. Now it's time to pin medals on the ones who show the courage to say 'no' to everybody. These are the guys and gals we should elect in 1986," he wrote in the magazine's "My Turn" column.

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NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — **Stoney Jackson,** who blew the whistle on television game-show answer-fixing in the 1950s, says he just spent his last few dollars to eat and keep warm at an Idaho motel.

Jackson, 72, said he'd like a job as his Christmas present. "That's what I'd like for Santa Claus to bring me," he said in an interview in Sunday's edition of The (Nashville) Tennessean.

Jackson, a former boxer, journalist, sports promoter and preacher who lived in Tullahoma for years, won $16,000 in 1957 on the CBS television show "The $64,000 Question."

Two years later he told a congressional committee that he was fed some of the answers.

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Weill

NEW YORK (AP) — A former president of American Express, **Sanford I. Weill,** has made the largest individual donation ever to Carnegie Hall, $2.5 million.

Weill, 52, who headed American Express from 1983 to 1985, was playing golf in Florida when the gift was announced Sunday at a party for the Andrew Carnegie Society.

At the party for donors of $100,000 or more, Wolfensohn said that $40 million is raised of the $50 million needed for renovation and restoration.

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MANILA, Philippines (AP) — Former Foreign Minister **Carlos P. Romulo,** who served all nine Philippine presidents and became one of the world's best-known diplomats, died Sunday in Kidney Foundation hospital. He was 86.

Romulo waded ashore as a U.S. Army brigadier general with Gen. Douglas MacArthur to start the liberation of the Philippines from the Japanese in World War II. He was a former president of the U.N. General Assembly and of the Security Council, and was the last surviving signatory of the original United Nations Charter.

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MOSCOW (AP) — Hungary's new defense minister, **Gen. Istvan Olah,** died Sunday, the official Soviet news agency Tass reported from Budapest, Hungary. He was 59.

Olah, a career military man since 1945, was appointed defense minister on Dec. 6. He had been a deputy defense minister since 1966, the year he was also promoted to general. In January 1973, he was named chief of staff of the army, succeeding Lt. Gen. Karoly Csemi.

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DOUGLAS, Ariz. (AP) — **Aaron E. Loney,** longtime publisher of The Daily Dispatch, died Saturday. He was 64.

Loney bought the Dispatch in 1965 and sold it to the Thomson Newspapers group in 1973. He stepped down as publisher earlier this year because of illness.

Evening TV Schedule



THE LETTER

Loni Anderson (l.), Stephanie Zimbalist (center) and Michele Lee co-star in "A Letter to Three Wives," a remake of the 1948 film airing Monday, Dec. 16 on NBC.

8 p.m., channel 9

MONDAY DECEMBER 16, 1985 **Programs subject to change without notice**

	KMID Midland CABLE 3	KOSA Odessa CABLE 8	KTPX Odessa CABLE 9	SIN Spanish CABLE 10	KERA Dallas CABLE 13	ESPN Sports CABLE 12	SHOWTIME Movies CABLE 5	WTBS Atlanta CABLE 7	WGN Chicago CABLE 11	TBN Religious CABLE 4
5:00	3's Company	"	News	Mundo Latino	Sesame Street	SportsLook	"	Down To Earth	Jeffersons	Praise The
5:30	ABC News	CBS News	NBC News	Noticiero SIN	"	In Motion	A Good Tree	Safe At Home	WKRP	Lord
6:00	News	News	Price Is Right	Loco Amor	Jacques	SportsCenter	Faerie Tale	Rocky Road	Barney Miller	Praise The
6:30	Wheel Fortune	M*A*S*H	Sanford	"	Cousteau	NFL Films	Theatre	Sanford	Benson	Lord
7:00	Hardcastle	Scarecrow	TV Bloopers	Cristal	Treas. Houses	Moments	Robin Hood	Movie:	Dempsey &	The Scenes
7:30	"	And Mrs. King	"	"	"	Matchup	"	"The Promise	Makepeace	Marilyn Hickey
8:00	NFL Football	Kate & Allie	Movie:	La Noche	Great	Skate	Movie:	Of Love"	Greatest	Laverne Tripp
8:30	New England	Newhart	"A Letter To	"	Performances	America	"The River"	"	American Hero	Doug Clark
9:00	Patriots at	Cagney &	Three Wives"	Bodas De Odio	"	Roller Derby	"	Billy Graham	News	Praise The
9:30	Miami	Lacey	"	24 Horas	Presenation	"	"	Crusade	"	Lord
10:00	Dolphins	News	News	"	MacNeil /	B. Dance	Movie:	Movie:	Carson	Praise The
10:30	"	Remington	Best Of	El Genio	Lehrer	Outdoor Life	"Going	"Madigan"	Love Boat	Lord
11:00	News	Steele	Carson	"	A. Smith	SportsCenter	Berserk"	"	"	Praise The
11:30	Ent. Tonight	Movie:	David	"	Dave Allen	NFL Films	"World Is Full	"	"That	Lord
12:00	Nightline	"Wonder	Letterman	"		Presents	Of Married	"Chapman	Hamilton	The Scenes
12:30	News	Woman"	News	La Noche		"	Men"	Report"	Woman"	C.M. Ward

DAILY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Edited by Trude Michel Jaffe

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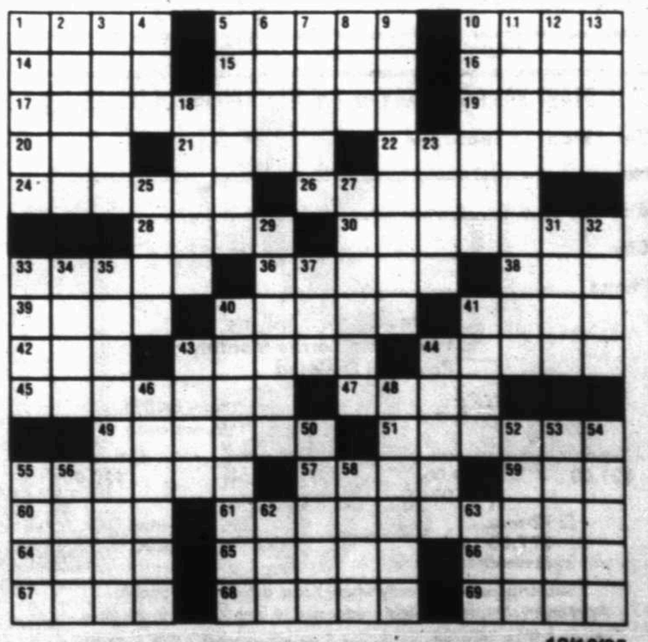
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29 School break
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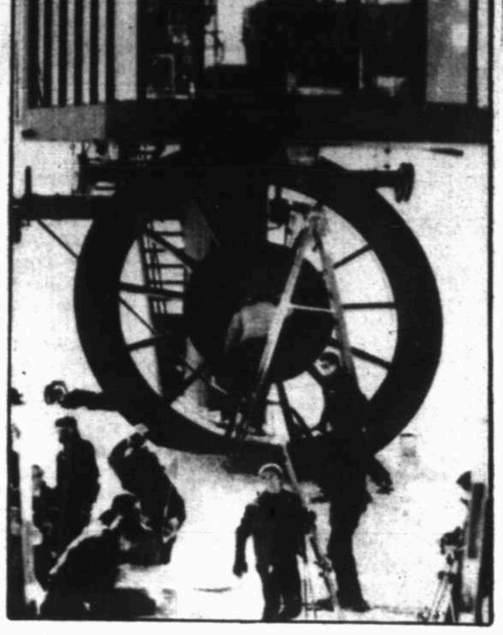
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Workers inspect damage to the wheelhouse atop Keystone Mountain in Colorado Sunday, where 49 people were injured Saturday when the giant wheel dropped from its hub. Skiers fell as much as 40 feet from lift chairs as the cable carrying the chairs whiplashed.

AP Laserphoto

Broken weld could have caused chairlift mishap

DILLON, Colo. (AP) — A broken weld on a huge pulley wheel may have caused the chairlift accident at Keystone Mountain that sent shock waves down the cable like a giant blacksnake whip, hurling skiers from their chairs and hospitalizing 25 of them, resort officials said.

Late Sunday night, 22 people remained hospitalized from Saturday's accident, three of them in critical condition. Most of them were evacuated by medical helicopters to hospitals in Denver, Colorado Springs and Vail.

"We don't know why it broke. What we do know is that the wheel fell and it is held to the shaft by a weld," said Keystone spokeswoman Lillian Ross on Sunday. She said the wheel could not have ripped loose unless the weld failed.

Meanwhile, investigators for the state Passenger Tramway Safety Board refused to comment on their inspection of the collapsed bull wheel.

Jonathon Carrick, supervisory tramway engineer for the state, said preliminary reports would be released at a public meeting in Denver Tuesday.

When the huge, horizontally mounted wheel fell from its axle it released tension on the 2-inch steel cable that holds the 3-person chairs on the 5,800-foot teller lift.

The loss of tension sent the cable snaking like a whip to the bottom of the run, flinging skiers head over heels out of their chairs and crashing to the snowcovered slope 20 to 50 feet below. More than 300 skiers on the lift were able to cling to their swaying seats and later were helped to safety.

Two skiers who survived the crack-the-whip ride on the chair lift Saturday returned for more skiing Sunday at Keystone.

FAA has failed to act after crashes, paper says

MILWAUKEE (AP) — The government's failure to act on recommendations after air crashes has contributed to other accidents, eroding the safety of commercial aviation, says a published report.

Congress has failed to remedy "perilous side effects after lawmakers passed the Airline Deregulation Act in 1978," opening airlines to free-market competition and stimulating growth in the industry, The Milwaukee Journal concluded in a copyright story Sunday.

The story, the first in a series on air safety, reported on results of the newspaper's investigation into a dozen major air accidents that killed 796 people over the past six years.

It also cited examples of what it described as "laxity, sluggishness and incompetence" by the Federal Aviation Administration, the agency whose job is ensure that airlines perform safely.

But Fred Farrar, an FAA spokesman, denied the charges and said the agency has moved speedily when a safety need was demonstrated.

He also said recommendations of the National Transportation Safety Board, about 80 percent of which are adopted by the FAA, sometimes are viewed as economically unrealistic.

"The safety board is operating with the benefit of hindsight," Farrar said. "It's not omniscient, either. If Congress meant for us to adopt every recommendation the safety board gave us, they would have told us to do so. They didn't. They left it up to us."

NATION IN BRIEF

Parents should stress giving, psychologist says

DETROIT (AP) — Parents should avoid stuffing children's stockings with high-priced presents, and instead emphasize inexpensive gifts and seasonal themes of sacrifice and love, says a university psychologist.

Parents are pressured to buy all kinds of toys, but the holiday should be a time to introduce children to economic realities, said Carolyn Shantz of Wayne State University.

"One of the best ways of showing love is to say 'no' kindly and firmly," she said. "Just tell the child, 'I can't afford it. What's your next choice?' Talk it over directly with the child.

"That's one of the ways a child grows up."

Shantz said gifts don't have to be expensive and flashy. Toddlers like to stack and fill plastic food containers, which also improves their creativity and imagination, she said.

A recent study, she said, showed that lower-class children were more creative than middle-class children, because youngsters from lower-income families don't have as many toys and are forced to create their own fun.

Wing section causes flap

REVERE, Mass. (AP) — A man who was attending a Hanukkah party at a home here says the "whole house shook" when a section of wing flap from a British Airways jet landed in the driveway as the plane approached the airport in Boston.

The section was one of two that fell from the jet Sunday afternoon. The other fell into the ocean.

The Boeing 747, carrying 254 passengers and 17 crew members, landed safely at Logan International Airport and there were no reports of injuries, an airport spokesman said.

The airline did not know why the flap sections fell off and the Federal Aviation Administration was investigating, said British Airways spokesman John Lampl.

A 10-foot, left-wing flap section glanced off the roof of a house, hit a car in the driveway of a home owned by Elizabeth Gordon as a Hanukkah party was under way and landed on the ground nearby, witnesses said.

Perry Yarrow, 61, who was at the party, said the 4-foot-wide section badly damaged the hood of his wife's car.

Shuttle countdown begins

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — The countdown began today for the launch of space shuttle Columbia on what the crew calls "an end-of-year clearance flight" because so many things were added to the manifest, including a Florida congressman.

Columbia, the flagship of the nation's shuttle fleet, is scheduled to lift off at 7 a.m. EST Wednesday to start its first mission in more than two years. The craft recently completed an 18-month overhaul for installation of sophisticated gear already aboard its three sister ships.

The launch, just 15 days after Atlantis returned from space, will mark the shortest turnaround time between shuttle missions.

The seven-man crew flew here Sunday from the astronaut training base in Houston. It includes Rep. Bill Nelson, a Democrat who represents the district that includes Cape Canaveral and the Kennedy Space Center.

Man's rescuers injured

BOSTON (AP) — Five firemen were injured when a man who kept rescuers at bay for 1½ hours jumped from an elevated highway, taking one of the rescuers with him.

The jumper, William Dolan, 28, was uninjured, but Firefighter Walter McGinn, 35, who went over the rail as he tried to grab Dolan, and four of the nine firefighters holding a net 30 feet below were treated for injuries received in the incident Sunday, officials said.

Dolan was taken into protective custody by police and held for observation, said police spokesman Larry Gillis. He faces charges of disorderly conduct and interfering with a firefighter in the performance of his duty, Gillis said.

Attractive kids do better

STATE COLLEGE, Pa. (AP) — Good-looking children do better at school and athletics and get along better with other children than ugly kids, says a Pennsylvania State University study.

Richard M. Lerner, director of Penn State's Center for the Study of Child and Adolescent Development, said a child's self-concept, temperament, sexual development and other factors played much less of a role than did attractiveness.

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LIFESTYLE

Puppets help teach children about 'handicapped kids'

Los Angeles Times-
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WASHINGTON — "Some people don't think that handicapped kids should be in regular schools," declares 10-year-old Christopher Harney. "I think they should be. ...

"It makes them feel that someone won't always be looking after them, that eventually you will get to a point in life where you're going to have to look out for yourself. That idea always has been in my mind."

Though he doesn't use the word, Christopher, a fifth-grader at Fairhill Elementary School in Fairfax, Va., is talking about mainstreaming — having disabled children spend at least a portion of their school time with their non-disabled peers.

More than 4 million disabled people, ages 3 to 21, are receiving special education and spending at least part of their days in the nation's public classrooms, according to the National Education Association. This is due to the "mainstreaming" law enacted in 1977, which requires public schools to accommodate disabled and handicapped children.

Since then, parents, teachers and other educators have sought and developed ways to sensitize able-bodied schoolchildren to their classmates who are disabled, and to help both groups appreciate and accept their differences.



LAT Photo

Barbara Aiello, right, with puppet Lynne Casey, talks to children at Cora Kelly Elementary School in Alexandria, Va. Aiello is the creator of The Kids on the Block, near-life-size puppets with simulated handicaps.

ONE OF THE FIRST programs to emerge was The Kids on the Block, a troupe of near-life-sized puppets created by special-education teacher Barbara Aiello in 1977. Since the creation of her first Kid — Mark Riley, a wheelchair-bound puppet with cerebral palsy — the concept has spread across the country and around the world.

Christopher Harney and his Fairhill classmates know all about the program.

"I like The Kids on the Block," says Julie Karickhoff, 10. "You learn a lot from them and they're fun to watch."

Julie says children who are unlikely to ask a classmate about a disability won't hesitate to ask a puppet with the same handicap. "Then it's easy," she says.

Among the most common questions asked by members of the audience, according to a Kids on the Block survey of more than 2,000 children:

- "Will I catch it?"
- "Will your handicap kill you?"
- "How do you eat, play, go to the bathroom ... ?"
- "Do you ever wish you could walk, see, hear ... ?"
- "What do you do if someone calls you 'retard'?"
- "How did you get cerebral palsey, spina bifida, retarded ... ?"

The Kids' answers are straightforward, truthful and understandable.

MOST OF THE students at Fairhill have seen one or more Kids on the Block programs, but their primary appreciation of handicaps comes from daily interaction with their disabled classmates from the Fairhill Special Services Center, located in a wing of the school.

"It's not strange having them (disabled children) here," says Mary Csordas, 9. "Most of us like the same things. The girls like to tease the boys and we all like to talk and we like the same colors — pink and purple."

Mary explains that the teachers talk to the students before a disabled child begins mainstreaming. "Melinda, my friend, has muscular dystrophy. Our teacher told us about Melinda first, and then she told us about herself, answered our questions and all."

Michelle Mack, 12, says it doesn't bother her when people ask about her having cerebral palsy, adding, "Mostly though, they don't ask." Is she treated differently from anyone else at home or school? "Well, not really. I give my parents lots of hugs, maybe more than my three brothers and sister.

"What I do that's most important now is my School Safety Patrol work in the afternoons in the school lobby."

"I LIKE mainstreaming," says Jeffrey Watkins, 12. "I take part in social studies." Jeffrey, who is blind and has a nervous system disorder, says he gets around school very well by himself, but adds, "Kids will help me if I ever need it, and if I needed help I'd ask for it. I liked The Kids on the Block program when it was here."

"Jeff," says Christopher Harney, "has lots of friends in social studies. You know, once you get to know a person, you don't look at what they look like. You just see the person."

John King, 12, says he particularly likes mainstreaming. "I like it here, being with my friends. I eat lunch with them, too." What really makes school special, he says, is his teacher. "She's very nice and she makes us learn. Isn't that what school is for?"

John, however, is looking forward to moving on to Holmes Intermediate School next year: "They don't change the schedule around at Holmes."

Fourth-grader Mitra Sabeti, 9, says the whole school day is a matter of everybody helping everybody, disabled or not. "It's like on the playground, people help each other on the swings and things like that."

Dean Ford, a learning-disability resources teacher at Fairhill, says she considers The Kids on the Block "a marvelous portrayal of the experiences and feelings that the children can share."

Fairhill Center physical therapist Anne-Marie Barry rates the Kids "very good," although portrayals of the disabilities "are not as severe as you see in reality. The positive attitudes portrayed and evoked, however, are excellent."

BUT ELLEN KAHAN, a special education coordinator in the Arlington, Va., school system, thinks the program "is sort of gimmicky. It's expensive (roughly $350 for two one-hour performances over a day), and just about impossible to do on an ongoing basis. The PTA or someone has to come up with the money for it."

Kahan says her school system is particularly high on "Special Delivery," a series of five half-hour films "dealing with handicapping situations. The format is varied, using robots, animation and actual people." Each segment, she notes, has at least one well-known person discussing what it's like to have a handicap.

"The series," says Kahan, "is available through the entire county school system. ... It's not expensive." The school system also has a handbook of activities for teachers to use as follow-up.

Kahan and her colleagues also have developed a "handicap awareness showcase," featuring "signing, crutches, braces, that sort of thing. We go to classes and talk about the most visual handicapping situations," discuss them and allow the children to handle the appropriate equipment.

"We try to dispel some of the notions of impairment," adds Kahan.

THAT IS ALSO a goal of Kids on the Block. The program has grown enormously over the past eight years: There now are more than two dozen different Kids, and more than 20 puppet presentations covering topics ranging from deafness and blindness to cerebral palsy, spina bifida, diabetes, epilepsy, aging, asthma, sexual abuse, fire safety and prevention, and teen-age pregnancy. There currently are more than 3,000 volunteers running more than 650 Kids programs.

Puppet characters and programs now in development include Ana Melo, a child with leprosy, and Jinx Braxton, a gifted and talented biracial child. Brenda Dubrowski, who already exists, is going to become a child of divorce.

"Preparing Nondisabled Students to Appreciate a Disabled Classmate," a pamphlet developed by The Kids on the Block Inc., is available from The Kids on the Block, 822 N. Fairfax St., Alexandria, Va. 22314.

For information on "Special Delivery," contact Lawren Productions Inc., P.O. Box 666, Mendocino, Calif. 95460. (707) 937-0536.

DEAR ABBY

Have a little drink? Use a little common sense

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN



Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: Our 16-year-old son brought his high school newspaper home, and an article titled "Have a Little Drink?" appeared on the front page. It was from your booklet, "What Every Teen-Ager Ought to Know," and printed with your permission.

My husband agrees that it should be run in your column so that children all over the country can read it.

Please do, Abby. Thank you. — JIMMY'S PARENTS, MILWAUKEE

DEAR PARENTS: Here's the piece.

HAVE A LITTLE DRINK?

Now about drinking.

Are you afraid to say no when someone in the crowd says, "Aw, come on, have one ..."? Don't be. If someone offered you a Coke, and you didn't like Coke, you wouldn't hesitate a second to say, "No, thanks."

It's just as easy to turn down beer, wine or liquor, and far, far wiser. Those in the crowd who really count will respect your refusal. Why should you care what the others think?

Alcohol dissolves almost anything — including your judgment. Under its influence, you may do things you shouldn't and wouldn't do normally.

Most people think of an alcoholic as a smelly old bum sleeping it off in a doorway.

But would you believe there are alcoholics as young as 10 years old?

Or that automobile accidents caused by drunken driving are the No. 1 cause of death among teen-agers?

Or that teen-age alcoholism is so bad a problem that many states are upping their drinking-age limits?

It's true.

Alcoholism is now considered a disease, not a character flaw to be ashamed of. Just why one drinker becomes an alcoholic and another doesn't is still a puzzle. But one thing is certain: Alcoholism is self-induced and self-destructive.

This is not to say that a can of beer or an occasional cocktail will start you on your way to skid row. For the vast majority, it won't. But for a few, alcohol can be a bomb, a time bomb.

How can you tell? There are clues. If ...

You're having three while others are having one ...

You need a drink to make you feel more relaxed, comfortable and at ease with people ...

You drink because it gives you self-confidence and courage ...

You turn to alcohol in times of stress or trouble — to "forget" ...

You drink alone ...

You take a drink to help you get over the effects of the night before ...

Then you could be an alcoholic, and shouldn't drink at all. Even if you drink only beer, you can become an alcoholic. It's not what you drink, but how much.

If you think you've got a drinking problem, help is as near as your telephone. In every city, even in small towns, there's an organization called Alcoholics Anonymous (better known as AA) whose members — all ex-alcoholics — are ready to help you night and day.

And it's free. It's also "anonymous." No one will say he saw you there.

You don't have to sign up or "join" anything. In fact, you don't even have to give your name.

All right, let's assume you are not an alcoholic. You're a normal, healthy teen-ager who has just discovered that a beer or two (or maybe a shot of vodka from the old man's liquor cabinet) gives you a "lift." It makes you feel "good, happy, exhilarated." It adds to your self-confidence, removes your inhibitions and makes you much more sociable.

Maybe so — for a while. But the effects of the "high" are bound to wear off, and when they do, you'll feel let down, depressed and blue. Alcohol is not a stimulant. It's actually a depressant.

Add to that the knowledge that the removed inhibitions may cause you to say and do things you would never have done otherwise. If you're really unlucky, you can pass out, and when you come to, you'll have to ask, "What did I do?" Now, who would want to be in a mess like that?

I realize that a few lines in a booklet will not keep you from having a drink or two if that's what you want to do, but if it is, I can only implore you to know your limit and don't ever exceed it. And don't drive while you are under the influence.

Abigail Van Buren is a columnist for Universal Press Syndicate.

Newest Kid on the Block teaches about severe burns

Los Angeles Times-
Washington Post News Service

WASHINGTON — Lynne Casey, the newest Kid on the Block, is "almost 12. Well, I'll be 12 in February."

Lynne was developed by The Kids on the Block Inc. in conjunction with St. Christopher's Hospital for Children and the Burn Foundation of Philadelphia. She made her debut in Philadelphia recently, as well as appearing in a special preview

Lynne and her mother were burned (Mom less seriously) when the gas heater in their house blew up.

Lynne was greeted with a dramatic, somewhat shocked reaction when the Cora Kelly school kids first saw her face, but by the end of the performance they were carrying on a lively question-and-answer session with her and puppeteer and Kids creator Barbara Aiello.

Dressed in a jumper, sweatshirt and sneakers, the 3½-foot tall Lynne weighs in at 4 pounds — of muslin, felt, velour, foam and plastic.

"We start to feel affectionate toward Lynne," says workshop supervisor Annette Ferri, 23, "as soon as we start constructing her face, putting her nose and ears on."

The workshop, Ferri says, turns out "20 to 25 kids a week, depending on how difficult they are to make." Lynne is a toughie. It takes 15 to 18 hours to make each Lynne puppet, Ferri says.

Knocked-out teeth reattached

Los Angeles Times-
Washington Post News Service

If a tooth is knocked out, rinse it off in salt water and put it back in its socket and get to a dentist within an hour to maximize chances of reattachment, University of Alabama dentists recommend.

Don't touch the root. If you can't get it back in, wrap the tooth in clean, salt-soaked gauze. If there's no gauze, put it under your tongue — unless there's a lot of bleeding, in which case there's a risk of swallowing the tooth.

Handwashing best protective measure

CHICAGO (AP) — Handwashing is the best way school children can protect themselves against contagious ailments of their peers, says the author of new guidelines on when to send or keep ill children home from school.

"The school is frequently between a rock and a hard place in sorting out whether the child is sick enough to be sent home, and secondly, whether he is sick enough to pose some kind of health risk to other children," said Dr. Michael Donlan, author of the guidelines.

Developed by the American Academy of Pediatrics' school health committee, of which Donlan is a member, the guidelines are aimed at educating grown-ups in basics about common ailments that often cause children to be sent home unnecessarily.

Head lice, impetigo and oral herpes often can be treated without keeping children home and without endangering other children, the committee said.

Sending a child home with fever is valid, "as long as everyone is in agreement about the definition of fever ... a temperature of more than 100," Dr. Joseph Zanga, panel president, said in a telephone interview Wednesday from Richmond, Va.

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Trial of sanctuary workers major test of movement

By ARTHUR H. ROTSTEIN

TUCSON, Ariz. (AP) — Two Roman Catholic priests, a nun, a Presbyterian minister, a Quaker activist and seven other sanctuary volunteers have been on trial since October 22 on federal charges of smuggling aliens into the United States on an "underground railroad."

Legal scholars believe this is the first time members of the clergy have faced prosecution on criminal charges based on undercover infiltration of churches and worship sessions.

The trial is considered both a major test of the 4-year-old church-based sanctuary movement, which sees its efforts as a First Amendment freedom, and as a challenge to the Reagan administration's tough policy on asylum for Central American refugees.

The defendants are accused in a 71-count indictment of bringing Salvadoran and Guatemalan immigrants into the United States illegally and of harboring and transporting them.

The federal government used informants and undercover agents to clandestinely make 91 tape recordings of conversations, many of them in Spanish and some of them from prayer meetings.

"I'm not aware of any instance in which the church has been secretly infiltrated in prior instances" in the United States, said Michael L. Altman, an Arizona State University law professor who is representing one of the defendants, Sister Darlene Nacgorski.

Paul Hoffman, legal director of the American Civil Liberties Union Foundation of Southern California, representing another defendant, also said he knew of no such previous U.S. government action.

Altman and other lawyers explained that previous government prosecutions of churches or church figures had come after court orders were issued for informants or recording devices.

U.S. District Judge Earl H. Carroll, presiding in the case, has said the government's procedures sullied the case, but after a June pretrial hearing he ruled the tactics "unacceptable but not outrageous" and not illegal.

The prosecution had indicated it would use parts of at least 21 of the 91 tape recordings in its case, but then surprised the defense by announcing it would use none of the tapes.

Defense attorneys, who had sought unsuccessfully to prevent use of the tapes as evidence, then said they would try to use them to discredit government testimony.

Among the defendants are two men considered founders of the sanctuary movement, which now includes more than 247 churches and synagogues nationwide: Jim Corbett, 52, a retired Tucson rancher and Quaker, and the Rev. John Fife, 45, pastor of the Southside United Presbyterian Church.

The others are:

The Rev. Ramon Dagoberto Quinones, 50, Nogales, Mexico; the Rev. Antonio Clark, 35, Nogales, Ariz.; Philip Willis-Conger, 27, director of the Tucson Ecumenical Council's Task Force on Central America; Sister Nacgorski, 41, of Phoenix, a member of the School Sisters of St. Francis in Milwaukee, Wis.; Mary Kay Espinosa, 30, secretary of the Association of Educational Form of Sacred Heart Church, Nogales, Ariz.; Katherine Flaherty, a 33-year-old Tucson social worker; Peggy Hutchinson, 27, director of border ministries for the Tucson Metropolitan Ministries; Wendy Lewin, 26, a lay worker serving refugees in Phoenix; Nena McDonald, 38, a nursing graduate, Lubbock, and Maria del Socorro Pardo de Aguilar, 59, who works with refugees in the Sonora-Nogales jail in Nogales, Mexico.

The January indictment named 16 people, but charges against two nuns were dropped and two other women pleaded to lesser charges.

The prosecution contends that the sanctuary workers violated United States immigration laws by bringing Central Americans into the country secretly and without applying for asylum at the border.

Penalties upon conviction could range from six months in jail and $500 fines to five years and $10,000 fines.

Donald M. Reno Jr., special assistant U.S. attorney, has said the defendants cannot claim being above the law simply because they are members of the clergy or otherwise church-associated.

Sanctuary workers maintain that their religious beliefs compel them to provide aid to refugees who claim to be fleeing for their lives from oppression in their homelands, and that such people are entitled to political asylum under the 1980 Refugee Act.

Carroll, however, has ruled that the defendants may not base their case on religious beliefs.

He has also denied several defense motions to dismiss the case or to base the defense on various constitutional concepts, in effect limiting its scope.

Among his rulings were:

— That the defendants' actions were not sanctioned by international law.

— That the federal immigration law does not give unequal protection, as defendants claimed, because it permits employers to hire undocumented foreigners.

— That the defendants may not claim they acted under duress or necessity, without a practical alternative, in conducting an underground operation.

— That the defendants' First Amendment right to freedom of religion and Fourth Amendment right against unlawful search and seizure had not been violated.

— That evidence obtained from an unlawful arrest of two sanctuary members in 1984 did not taint the prosecution's investigation.

The defense won on one key issue — a prosecution effort to bar them from claiming they had no intent to violate the law.

Carroll said that would be resolved during the trial.

He did not rule on a defense motion for acquittal on the claim the defendants were following international law that defines the treatment of refugees.

Despite the restrictions over the lines of defense the sanctuary legal team may pursue, lawyers are expected to try to show their clients' motivation was based on their religious beliefs and backgrounds.

The trial, which has lasted six weeks, was moved from Phoenix for the defendants' convenience. The jury selection may turn out to be critical, and residents of Tucson, where the sanctuary movement was born in 1982 and where 14 congregations are declared sanctuaries for Central American refugees, are considered more sympathetic to the sanctuary effort than people in Phoenix.



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Sister Ninfa Garza, left, director of Casa Oscar Romero in San Benito, Texas, sometimes has more than 200 Central American refugees to care for at the shelter, sponsored by the Catholic church. Two previous directors were convicted of transporting illegal aliens as part of the sanctuary movement.

Counties in Rio Grande Valley 'detention area' for illegal aliens

By SCOTT McCARTNEY

SAN BENITO, Texas (AP) — On a hot day in south Texas recently, a three-bedroom house on a dirt lot not far from the Mexico border was home to 213 people.

The house is Casa Oscar Romero, a church-sponsored refuge for illegal aliens from Central America.

A visit last year might have found only 50 aliens at Casa Romero, which opened in 1982. But things have changed in the last year.

Two directors of the refuge were convicted for transporting illegal aliens, and U.S. Border Patrol checkpoints posted north of here have sealed off roads leading to Dallas and Houston.

"The four-county area (of the Rio Grande Valley) has become a detention area," said Hernan Gonzalez, director of Christian services for the Roman Catholic diocese of Brownsville. "It's both because there's a bottleneck of people here and because there are more people coming here."

To make matters worse, a national sanctuary movement organizer says, the underground rilroad that carries aliens from border areas to some of the 247 declared public sanctuaries has derailed in Texas.

Aliens are still being moved, Philip Willis-Conger said in Tucson, Ariz., but finding enough volunteers in the Lone Star State has recently been difficult.

"It's been real different in south Texas. There has not been a wide base of support," Willis-Conger said. "The underground railroad is not operating as strong in Texas as elsewhere."

Six churches have declared themselves public sanctuaries in Texas, the same number as in Pennsylvania, Massachusetts and Colorado; but fewer than in eight other smaller states. According to the Chicago Religious Task Force, Milwaukee has as many public sanctuaries as does all of Texas.

"There hasn't been a groundswell of support," acknowledged Jack Elder, a former director of Casa Romero who was convicted of transporting illegal aliens and served a 150-day sentence in a San Antonio halfway house.

Yet Texas has thousands of aliens crossing the border every week.

In August, agents arrested 10,141 aliens, nearly twice the 5,900 arrested in August 1984, according to Border Patrol Chief Silvestre Reyes in McAllen.

For every alien arrested, Reyes said, two or three enter the country without detection. And even though almost 90 percent of those aliens come from Mexico, the Rio Grande Valley leads the nation in arrests of what the government calls "other than Mexico," he said, with Salvadorans and Nicaraguans accounting for more than 80 percent of that group.

At the same time the number of aliens has increased, volunteers have become more cautious because of the trials and convictions of Elder, Stacey Lynn Merkt and Lorry Thomas, said Fort Worth organizer Warren McDonald.

"There's been a lot of support. People are just being more quiet," said McDonald, an insurance salesman. "It's a little slow-moving in Texas, but interest in Central America and the sanctuary movement is hitting higher all the time."

The trials also changed activity at Casa Romero, which is perhaps the most visible sign of the movement in the state. Elder and Ms. Thomas were directors of the shelter.

Bishop John J. Fitzpatrick declared that directors of the shelter would no longer engage in illegal transportation of aliens, and he appointed feisty Sister Ninfa Garza to clean up the operation.

"This is a house for people," said Sister Garza, a nun for 26 years. "I never have in my mind legal-illegal, documented-undocumented. To me, they're people. I don't know how they get there, and how they leave. I don't ask."

"What we do here is something that the church has always done," Gonzalez said. "One of the first places people turn to when they're poor and have no place to turn is the church. People say this is a sanctuary. We say it's just human need."

Reyes said the Border Patrol monitors comings and goings at Casa Romero but has no plans to raid the shelter.

"The bishop of Brownsville has finally realized from all indications that it's not wise to associate with this illegal activity," he said. "Casa Romero is a good-faith, honest attempt to be a way station for those not able to feed and clothe themselves."

Nicaraguans pose dilemma for sanctuary movement workers

By SCOTT McCARTNEY

McALLEN (AP) — Silvestre Reyes keeps his finger on the pulse of illegal immigration from Central America to the United States.

He is chief of a U.S. Border Patrol sector where more arrests are made of aliens from countries other than Mexico than any other part of the country.

Recently, Reyes and his agents have noticed the number of Nicaraguan refugees increasing dramatically, and that posed a curious dilemma to one of his most visible adversaries — the sanctuary movement.

"Since July, the ratio of Salvadorans to Nicaraguans has been running one-to-one," Reyes said. "There has been a recent increase in the number of Nicaraguans we've arrested." Volunteers who work with refugees say the increased U.S. aid to the Contras battling the Sandinista government of Nicaragua had opened a refugee faucet.

The sanctuary movement at first shut its doors to Nicaraguans because, leaders said, Salvadorans were more in need of their limited assistance.

"Nicaraguans were getting preferential treatment by the Immigration and Naturalization Service. They usually came with more funds and more contacts, and all they wanted was to get to Miami," said Jack Elder, a Texas sanctuary movement leader convicted of transporting illegal aliens.

But critics of sanctuary workers said the Nicaragua dilemma exposed the political nature of the movement. Most volunteers oppose the ruling governments of El Salvador and Guatemala, which are supported by the Reagan administration, and back the Sandinista regime, which the administration is trying to overthrow.

Bruce Bowman, a Los Angeles attorney who works solely with Central Americans, says more Nicaraguans are coming to him for help in applying for asylum.

"Almost universally they left because of the draft," he said. "They're young single men, many are professionals."

Bowman also said the U.S. government looks more favorably on refugees fleeing the Marxist Sandinistas than it does on immigrants running from American-backed governments in El Salvador and Guatemala.

"I've got 1,000 Salvadoran cases pending. Of the 50 I've had settled, only five have been granted political asylum," Bowman said. "Of 12 final decisions for Nicaraguan clients, six of them — 50 percent — have been allowed to stay."

Founders of sanctuary movement are unlikely heroes — or criminals

EDITOR'S NOTE — The sanctuary movement has spread from Oregon to Vermont in four years, to more than 240 churches and synagogues representing most all denominations.

By SCOTT McCARTNEY

TUCSON, Ariz. (AP) — In 1981, their lives were simple and quiet. Pennsylvania native John Fife was the preacher at a small barrio church on Tucson's dusty south side. Jim Corbett, a graying anti-war activist, was teaching desert goat ranchers how to improve milk production.

Today, the chain-smoking Presbyterian minister is called the father of a growing national movement. And the goateed Harvard philosophy graduate is a veteran of national news programs and "Donahue."

Some say they're heroes. The government says they're felons.

Fife, 45, and Corbett, 52, are founders of what has become widely known as the sanctuary movement, a grass-roots coalition of churches and synagogues offering refuge to thousands of Central Americans in open opposition to the Reagan administration.

They are currently standing trial with 10 colleagues for what they consider an act of mercy, conspiring to transport Central American refugees to safety.

It's a conspiracy rooted in their former ignorance, a movement that grew in spite of them.

In July 1981, a friend of Corbett's picked up a Salvadoran hitchhiker outside Nogales, Ariz. He told a moving story of how his relatives had been killed by death squads and he had escaped. At a U.S. Border Patrol checkpoint, the hitchhiker was arrested.

Intrigued by the hitchhiker's plight, Corbett learned that when arrested most aliens are taken to outlying detention camps and asked to sign voluntary deportation papers. He learned that aliens from El Salvador had little chance for political asylum. When he learned of other Salvadorans hiding in Mexican churches, he began following his Quaker heritage by taking them across the border to his Tucson home.

"THE ONLY route was to work out ways to keep them from being captured for as long as we can," he said.

Corbett wrote to other Quakers asking for help and suggesting a network, an underground railroad. And he asked Fife if he could help by housing some at his Southside Presbyterian Church.

"Jim came to me in the fall of 1981 and said he had 20 Salvadorans living in one room of his house and his wife was about to divorce him. He asked if he could bring them to the church, at which point I had to decide if I thought he was right," Fife said.

"Then I had probably the only original thought I've ever had in my life," Fife said. "I thought the concept of sanctuary applied here, and I thought maybe you could publicly declare a church a sanctuary for these people."

Fife's 125 congregation members voted 119-2, with four abstentions, to accept a Salvadoran family in sanctuary on March 24, 1982, the second anniversary of the assassination of Archbishop Oscar Romero in El Salvador.

"After a long meeting, we basically decided that we're the church, and if people need the hospitality of the church, we have to help," he said.

Knowing their acts would be considered illegal, Fife sent telegrams to the Immigration and Naturalization Service and the Justice Department and asked other churches to join, hoping a groundswell of support would keep him out of jail.

"We waited to be indicted," he said. "When we weren't, we said, 'Well, let's go back to work.'"

THE FORMER beer-drinking collegian who attended seminary on a dare from a friend was suddenly thrust into the limelight as the father of a national movement. Even today, when not traveling to speaking engagements or sitting for interviews, the pickup-driving preacher pursues his favorite interests — quail hunting and University of Arizona football.

Work meant establishing relationships with churches in El Salvador and rendezvousing with aliens in Mexico. It meant organizing volunteers to transport refugees around Border Patrol checkpoints and shuttling them to the growing number of sanctuaries. It included raising bail money and arranging legal advice. It meant taking reporters along on caravans to attract support.

A 27-year-old San Diego native named Philip Willis-Conger, the son of missionary parents, soon rose to the top of the loose group, providing organizational and Spanish-language skills.

At Southside Presbyterian Church, a baby-blue Spanish-style building with a big sign proclaiming in Spanish "This Is The Sanctuary For The Oppressed Of Central America," much of the daily paperwork is handled by Willis-Conger, one of the 12 indicted in Tucson.

"Here's one who was granted asylum in Canada and if I can find the right record, we can get $1,500 in bail back," he said as he juggled papers from a thick file.

Corbett, who was a rancher until doctors told him he had rheumatoid arthritis, became the philosopher-poet of the movement, providing the writings and inspiration to other churches.

"IF YOU think of what we're doing as civil disobedience you're going to go pretty far astray," he said. "This is not civil disobedience but civil initiative. We want to make the laws we have work."

Today, Corbett writes on an IBM personal computer. The watch fastened to his belt beeps hourly. His office wall is lined with videotapes of his television appearances and stories about the movement.

He is uptight to Fife's laid-back, impulsive to Fife's free spirit. The two carry each other.

"The reality is that the sanctuary movement would not be considered as an option by any of the churches in this country without the spiritual leadership of Jim Corbett and John Fife and the other people in Tucson," said Bruce Bowman, a Los Angeles immigration attorney who works with Central Americans.

"They were able to set an example, to carry a message to the whole country to become symbols."

Fife, Corbett and Willis-Conger, whose wife was named as an unindicted co-conspirator in the government's indictment, knew that becoming symbols would probably mean going to prison.

"I assumed from the beginning of this that at some point I'd be imprisoned," Fife said. "I'm very surprised that the government didn't move against us before now, and I'm very surprised that they gave the movement this much time to organize and expand."

The trying times of the last four years have pushed the three beyond any limits they thought they had. From personal standpoints, they say the experience has been rewarding.

"There's been a perverse satisfaction for me," said Fife, who never had much ambition beyond helping the poor and running his small church.

"It's been gratifying for me to see that I've been able to hang in there and handle it."



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This is an undated photo of Rev. John Fife, left, Phil Willis-Conger, right, and Jim Corbett. Fife and Corbett are founders of a grassroots coalition that offers refuge to thousands of Central Americans. Willis-Conger provides Spanish language and organization skills.

Reform Jews endorse sanctuary

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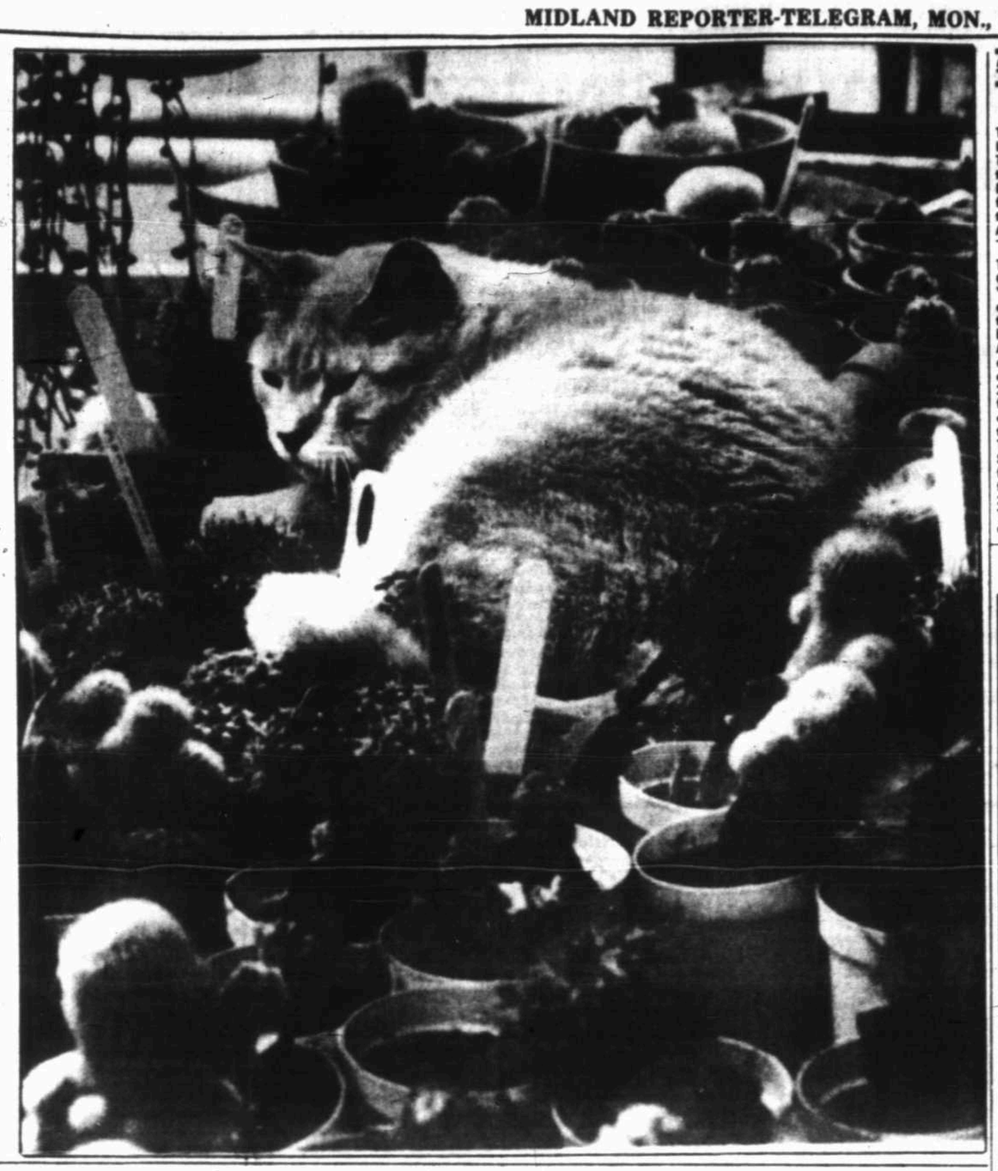
LOS ANGELES — Reform Judaism's national body endorsed the religious sanctuary movement at its November convention in Los Angeles, becoming the first Jewish synagogue organization to join a number of Christian denominations that have opposed the deportation of Central American refugees.

The 2,800 delegates to the biennial Union of American Hebrew Congregations general assembly passed, by a 2-1 margin, a resolution urging the liberal body's 791 congregations to support the movement despite "serious legal implications of some forms of sanctuary."

Jury selection is under way in Tucson, Ariz., federal court in a case involving 11 persons, including Roman Catholic and Protestant clergy, who are accused of illegally smuggling aliens from El Salvador and Guatemala into the United States. The defendants acknowledge that they operated an underground railroad but say it was a humanitarian effort to help people flee persecution and possible death. Government officials characterize most illegal aliens from Central America as "economic refugees" looking for better opportunities in the United States.

"This resolution points to the right direction for congregations," said Rabbi Joseph Weizenbaum, whose Temple Emanu-El in Tucson is part of the sanctuary movement in that city. Though the rabbi was not indicted on smuggling charges, Weizenbaum said his temple "provides every form of aid and support short of housing."

Nationwide, at least 250 Christian and Jewish congregations have endorsed the sanctuary movement. In April, the movement won support from Southern California-based executives of 10 ecumenical denominations, who based their approval on religious grounds, saying: "We are inheritors of a sacred tradition that emphasizes hospitality and caring for strangers and sojourners."



Fat cat

A cat named Morris didn't seem to mind a bed of prickly cacti for his afternoon map at Al Krumen's greenhouse in Agusta, Maine, recently. Krumen said Morris showed up nine years ago and has been making himself at home at the greenhouse ever since.

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Saudi prince hero in his country

RIYADH, Saudi Arabia (AP) — A 28-year-old U.S.-educated prince with a taste for fast airplanes and American slang has become a folk hero in a country short on contemporary idols for its youth.

Last June, Prince Sultan bin Salman bin Abdel-Aziz, nephew of King Fahd, joined a crew of astronauts aboard the U.S. space shuttle Discovery, becoming the first Arab rocketed into space.

Since then the young prince, who toured the country last week with his fellow crewmen, has been touted as a national hero. Six months after the discovery flight, Saudi youngsters still flock to his public appearances, and school children compete in art contests depicting his mission.

Newspapers, television and radio not only in Saudi Arabia but in other Islamic countries, proudly hail Sultan as "the first Arab Moslem astronaut," whose achievement shows there is more to Saudi Arabia than oil wells, camels and endless wastes of sand.

"There were a few complaints by some cynical, perhaps more sophisticated Saudis that all this hoopla wasn't deserved," said one Westerner who spoke on condition he not be identified. "But from the standpoint of the Saudi masses, particularly the young, it's had a great impact to have a Saudi hero, the first Moslem Arab astronaut."

Four Saudi University professors, in conversations at the southern provincial capital Abha, agreed that Sultan's mission had inspired their students to accomplish more in life than make money.

"After Prince Sultan's mission, all the students wanted to become astronauts," said one professor. "It didn't matter if they were studying English, or business or science. They all said, 'Maybe I have a chance too.'"

One Westerner who knows the country well said the prince filled a need for modern heroes in a fast-changing society whose traditional idols, desert warriors and poets, seem part of an increasingly distant past.

"In the major developed countries, you find heroes in all sorts of fields," he said. "But not in this society. Except for a few football (soccer) players, the Saudis don't have many heroes in their recent history."

The accomplishment also underscored the vast changes which oil wealth has brought in the short time since Sultan's grandfather, King Abdel-Aziz ibn Saud, united this desert land early in the cetury in a series of military campaigns often conducted on camels.

As a folk hero, Prince Sultan, a graduate of the University of Denver, fits the Saudi ideal for his role well. In public appearances the young prince displays a quiet dignity that Saudi customs demand. At over six feet, he stands taller than most Saudis.

In a staunchly religious society, he freely tells interviewers that he sees no conflict between science and his Islamic faith.

During the discovery mission, Sultan prayed five times a day as his religion requires while helping launch a modern communications satellite to link Arab countries and photographing Saudi territory for geological research.

Aside from his personal qualities and family connection, Sultan is a qualified jet pilot with more than 1,000 hours flying experience.

Like space veterans of other countries, Sultan complains that the public acclaim here has put more demand on his time "than I ever expected or wanted."

"But I think I have to be always willing to oblige these demands because i think it's my responsibility to be always there when I'm called for," he told The Associated Press.

Sultan said the discovery mission had been important to Saudi Arabia because of the opportunity it gave Saudi scientists to work with more experienced American colleagues in planning and carrying out experiments in space.

"A large number of our own scientists had the opportunity to go into these great organizations to work very closely with the people there," he said. "In the future we hope to be involved in much more expanded and elaborate experiments in space...I think Saudi Arabia in the future will be seriously and genuinely interested in participating in future space programs."

U.S. Navy Capt. John Brandenstein, Sultan's commander on the mission, described the prince as a "very enthusiastic member of the crew" and a fast learner.

Mormons trying to help Vietnamese

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — Half a world away and 11 years after communist tanks triumphantly rumbled into Saigon, Virgil Kovalenko still remembers the hundreds of Vietnamese converts he and other Mormon servicemen left behind. An occasional plaintive letter seeking help keeps him from forgetting.

"The story of the exodus has been very well told of people fleeing for their lives," he said. "A number of the members of the church were able to leave...but more than got out remained behind."

Kovalenko, 51, who served in Southeast Asia as an Air Force adviser in 1971-72, says many Vietnamese Mormons died of unspecified causes after the surrender of South Vietnam, and some served long terms in "re-education" camps.

He and other Mormon veterans formed the Veterans Assisting Saints Abroad Association in 1983 to aid those who didn't flee the country in the U.S. airlift before Saigon's fall, or in the fishing boat flotillas afterward.

At the church's zenith, there were about 400 Mormons in Vietnam, Kovalenko said.

His organization was born out of a letter from a Vietnamese convert.

"In March of 1982, a letter arrived here in Salt Lake. That letter was simply addressed to the 'Church of the LDS (Mormon), U.S.A.,' trying to find a serviceman who had been a (religious) home teacher," he said.

Kovalenko will not reveal names or discuss other details of the association's work in aiding Vietnamese Mormons, including successful efforts in relocating them in the United States and elsewhere for fear of jeopardizing their safety.

But he said the letter marked the beginning of careful correspondence with, and aid to church members still in Vietnam.

Kovalenko said packages of clothing, medicines and other items are sent to Mormon families in Vietnam, although the country's government charges a 30 percent tax on them.

The group, which has 300 members in 30 states and eight countries, is not officially sanctioned by the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, but has caught the imagination of Mormon officials, Kovalenko said.

Church spokesman Don LeFevre said that although Mormon officials will not comment on the association's work, they are concerned about the plight of members in Vietnam.

While the association is independent, the church "does know who we are and what we're doing," Kovalenko said.

"They're very excited about our work, and we've been asked to provide reports about the conditions and status of the church" in Vietnam, he said. "Whenever we get letters from members of the church there, we have them translated...and share them with the church."

Although he said he cannot verify that any Vietnamese Mormons were executed for their links to the American-born faith, "We have heard that some have died; what the estimate is I don't know. Following the fall, there was a very deep concern that any Vietnamese nationals who had a close association with the U.S. were in jeopardy," he said.

Law could ruin some Utahans' holiday

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — At first, Clarence Cummings thought the Utah Highway Patrol car pulling up behind him, its light bar flashing, was on an errand of good will. Perhaps his Christmas tree was slipping off the roof; he knew he wasn't speeding.

As his grandchildren looked on, Cummings discovered he was only half right. He wasn't going too fast, but the officer, eyeing the tree, was pulling out his ticket book.

Although Cummings produced a carbon copy of a check and other proof that the tree was legally purchased, it wasn't enough to dissuade the trooper.

"He said, 'If you don't have a tag, you just got yourself a ticket, Mister,'" said Cummings. "And as we were leaving, he made the most stupid statement. He said, 'We're not paid to think. We're just paid to enforce the law.'"

UHP spokesman Sgt. Gary Whitney acknowledges Cummings and at least 10 other Utah residents have fallen victim to the state's newly launched campaign to enforce a little-known 1983 law against Christmas tree poaching. And while saying the unidentified trooper may have been overzealous, he basically defends his behavior.

"The reason for enforcing this is that we received a request from the state Division of Natural Resources," Whitney said. "(But) there's got to be a little more definition of what constitutes proof of ownership. Each individual tree is supposed to have a tag on them. If they don't, then supposedly they've been taken illegitimately."

Specifically, the law prohibits transportation of trees without proof of ownership, such as a contract, permit, bill of sale or receipt.

However, while trees cut from federal forests carry tags, some trees legally cut from state lands do not. David Schen, DNR forest management specialist, said the state is considering requiring such tags.

Cummings, the 59-year-old president of First Security Leasing, does not argue against the need to fight poaching of trees from the state's forests. But he pleads for "some common sense" in enforcement of the law.

"It would seem you'd want to go after truckloads of trees," he said. "It's just dumb. Had there been a truckful of trees going by (when he was stopped), he (the trooper) couldn't have done anything about it because he was checking me out.

Cummings said the Nov. 29 incident ruined for him, his wife and four grandchildren a four-year family tradition — a trip to a small tree lot in the central Utah town of Nephi to usher in the holiday season.

"We were in a joyous mood after getting our Christmas tree," said Cummings. "It was a shock. My poor little granddaughter was crying, scared to death. She thought we were going to have to go to court right away."

His son-in-law, who was following Cummings in a stationwagon loaded with three trees, was not stopped.

Cummings said he has mailed in the citation, copies of the Nephi lot's permit and the check used to buy the trees and a written innocent plea to the Springville justice of the peace. He also has written letters to local newspapers and the UHP.

"I'll let it go at that," he said. "I would hate to spend time and money to appear (in court) on such a stupid citation. If they expect me to appear, then I'll probably turn it over to my attorney."

Whitney said the UHP is investigating the incident, and that perhaps more "officer discretion" should have been used. Still, he said until the law is clarified, officers will continue to have problems with its strict enforcement.

"At this point, we've decided to look over what constitutes a legal receipt," he said. "We don't want to go around arresting everyone who picks up a Christmas tree from a lot. We have to make sure permits are given out (at the point of sale)."

50 LEGAL NOTICES

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STATE OF TEXAS

To JOHN M. GILL, Defendant, GREETINGS:

"YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear by filing a written answer to the Plaintiff's Original Petition at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this citation, the same being Monday the 27th day of January, 1986, at or before 10 o'clock A.M., before the Honorable District Court of Midland County, at the Court House in Midland, Texas.

Said Plaintiff's Original Petition was filed on the 6th day of May, 1985. The file number of said suit being No. 34,781.

The names of the parties in said suit are: Revecca S. Childers as Plaintiff and John M. Gill and McLendon Pools Co. as Defendants.

That nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit:

Plaintiff prays that she have judgment over and against Defendants, jointly and severally, for the amounts mentioned, for costs of suit and for other and further relief.

Issued this the 11th day of December, 1985.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Midland, Texas, this the 11th day of December, 1985.

Vivian Wood, Clerk
District Court,
Midland County, Texas
By: Maria Lourdes Chaves, Deputy

110 LODGE NOTICES

The Midland Shrine Club, 2019 Trade Drive. Regular state meeting December 20, Christmas Party. 7:00p.m. Business meeting 8:00 p.m. All Shriners and their ladies invited. Charley Goss, President, James Whitt, Secretary.

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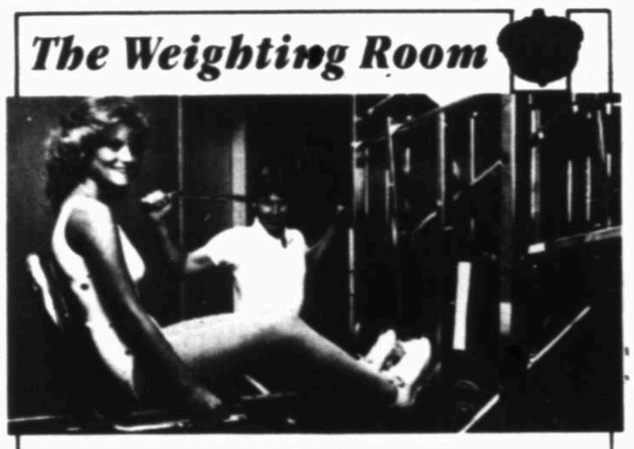
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630 Houses Furnished & Unfurnished

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640 Condos & Townhouses Unfurnished

UNIQUE townhouse, 2-2, atrium, loft, double garage with opener. 716 Melton Alley. $375. 683-2982.

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655 Mobile Homes Unfurnished

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FOR Rent: Nice two bedroom, one bath mobile home. Between Midland and Odessa in Spring Meadow Mobile Estates. $275 month, first month free. Deposit required. Call 561-8555.

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1978 Artcraft 14 x 76, all electric, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, $14,692.18 or equity and assume 31 low monthly payments of $171.94 and bonus of over $5,000.00 in extras. Airline Mobile Park, 561-9336 - 5:30 p.m.

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Delightful and full of charm. Atrium adds character to this unusual property. Master suite has 2 baths, separate sitting room with fireplace and separate whirlpool. $200,000
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SALE by owner. 3 bedroom, 1½ bath, 2 living areas, central heat & air, fresh paint. Nice home reasonably priced. 4404 Wilshire. $49,500. Call to see house 697-6506.

BY OWNER: Non qualifying, low equity, 3-2-2, large kitchen, fans, wall paper, garage door opener, storage & many extras. Exceptionally clean. 694-5295 & 682-5802

For Sale. 3 bedroom, 1¾ bath, 2 living areas plus play room, wood burning stove, central air, on west side. Approx 1900 feet. $54,000. 697-5129

FOR Sale By Owner: 2 bedroom townhouse with sprinkler system, wet bar, automatic garage door opener. $88,000 or best offer. 2411 Castleford Rd. Please call Kelly Coleman at 686-0657 or 699-5149.

NO down payment, assumable 9% loan at $375 per month, brick, 2 bedroom, 1 bath, fully carpeted, utility room, refrigerated air, fenced yard, 1212 Cedar. 687-5442

LOW-OWNER FINANCING
Goddard Place - Super special large 4BR, 3 1/2 baths, 3 living areas, $150,000. Betty Taylor, Agent-Owner, 683-1504, 694-6842.

PRESTIGIOUS LOCATION

4 bedroom brick cottage with sunroom. 2 bathrooms and 2 half bathrooms, large kitchen, extra large den with fireplace. 2 car garage. Beautiful lawn with new sprinkler system and many mature shade trees. Price $150,000. 2407 Stutz Place, near college. Shown by appointment only. Call daytime only, 682-0514.

CUSTOM built- One owner. Large trees, many amenities. Mature area. Two lovely patio areas with swimming pool and fountain, 4-2½-1 or 3-2½-2, appraised $190,000., will consider offers in $170,000 range.682-9195.

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3 bedroom, 1 bath, 4510 Versailles. Call 694-2384 after 5:00.

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1% Down, $432 per month. Two bedroom, 1 bath, 2 year old home. Fenced yard. Fairgrounds East. Call

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BY owner: 3 bdrm, 1¾ ba, XLNT cond. $79,900. Assumable 699-0532

FOR sale by owner home on 2 acres. Fenced, trees, 2 horse barn, home is over 2000 square feet with mother-in-law apartment & shop. Earth tones, cedar trim, 3 bedrooms, 3 baths, walk-in closets, ceiling fans & more. $67,950. Call 682-4611

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FIRST time listed, 3 bedroom, 1¾ bath, brick, air conditioning, 2 car garage, large yard, nice neighborhood. 4311 Roosevelt 689-6694 or 697-2273. View by appointment.

NEW 1985 three bedroom, 2 bath on ½ acre. Windmill Estates, Greenwood. Assume loan. Payments $655 monthly. Call 694-3900.

BY OWNER

On Cimmaron: Nice neighborhood. 3Br, 1¾ bath. Many roses. Tasty grapes. Recent paint and roof. Garage door opener. $79,000.00 or make offer. Owner might partially finance. Lease-purchase possible. Call 697-4665 evenings and weekends.

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PAY no closing cost. 3 bedroom, 1 bath, brick home, 1300 sqaure feet, FHA non-qualifying assumable loan, $5,000 equity, $1,000 under appraisal. Payments $538. Interest 14%, 4015 Monty Drive, call 697-7505.

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LEASE OR SELL

Beautiful townhome, FHA assumption. $68,000. $4500 equity. Lease- $600. First month rent free, 6 months or longer. New loan- $70,000. Seller will pay closing costs.

Billie Perry 694-1886
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BY owner- 3-2-2 brick with fireplace, large office, lots of closets and 2350 square feet liveable. 28x13 family room open to large, bright, attractive kitchen with pantry and abundant cabinets. Formal dining and living room combination. Excellent location, beautiful yard, abundant storage. $78,800. 697-5933.

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3BR, 2BA, attractive sunken LA w/unusual FP, fully equipped kitchen w/bright breakfast area. LA & MBR open to decked patio & jacuzzi. Small sprinklered yard. A must to see for the more discriminating buyer. Contact

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Large 4 bedroom, 3 bath, 2 story, very liveable with extra gameroom and/or seperate living quarters. Near Midland College on Maxwell Street. Bargain priced at only $129,500.

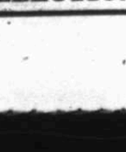
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Super clean inside & out. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, range, dishwasher, fenced yard with dog run. Lot 50's. Owner may consider carrying part of equity. TALK TO PATSY BRICE, Associate, DON HARVEY, REALTORS, 683-5333, evenings, 683-1596.

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Beautiful 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath home with formal dining room. Light & bright and open. TALK TO KAREN FOSTER, Associate, DON HARVEY, REALTORS, 683-5333, evenings, 697-4434.

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Assumption or refinance immaculate home - family room features fp, bookcases, vertical minis, vaulted & beamed ceiling. Kitchen has lots of cabinets, pantry, skylight, double oven. Lg tile block storage. Very attractive yard for you to enjoy. For full details, ask for

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3 bedroom, 2 bath home with fireplace, refrigerated air and double car garage for only $55,000. Nice area, better hurry. CALL MARLENE GROCE, Associate, DON HARVEY, REALTORS, 683-5333, evenings, 697-0927.

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Immaculate 3 bedroom home accented with skylights, high ceilings, parquet flooring and custom drapes. Master bath has marble tub & separate shower. Located in Polo Park with security and sprinkler system. CALL HELEN MASON, Associate, DON HARVEY, REALTORS, 683-5333, evenings, 694-0247.

3 bedroom, 1 bath. Low down payment, low monthly payments. Nice carpet, wallpaper, block fence, storage house, no garage. West Elementary School District (Midland). A little repair negotiable. 1-337-3250.

*WYDEWOOD/ WEDGEWOOD

Two homes in great locations with lovely pools. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, formal dining and many extra. Assumable. TALK TO NELDA FOSTER, Associate, DON HARVEY, REALTORS, 683-5333, evenings, 694-6112.

NEW LISTING, $60,000
Unusual floor plan for this price property. Open and pretty living area includes living room, den, central air and heat, dishwasher, disposal, oven and range. Ceiling fans, track lights, thermal windows. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, walk to Bonham Elementary and Alamo Junior High.
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Located on W. Golf Course Road with 3 large bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, very private with maintenance free yard. Big country kitchen plus much more. Owner will carry paper at 10%. $129,500.

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COZY 2 bedroom, 1 bath, by anxious owner. Fireplace, central refrigerated air and heat, dishwasher, range, compactor, office-studio, darkroom, workshop, storage, garden. $33,000, 2111 W. Kentucky, 685-1976

CASH FOR YOUR HOME!
Call now for details! Family Realty 697-6795, Dobie 683-4527, Linda 1-263-7758.

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1) Lovely, new 3 bedroom, 2 bath home. 2) Super low, fixed rate financing and 3) Owner willing to negotiate and help with closing! Call now and be at home for the holidays. In the $70's. Family Realty 697-6795, Paul 697-5192, Kim 686-0261.

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Trade your mobile home for a new home...
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Will trade one of our homes for yours! We have several 2, 3 and 4 bedroom homes from $35,000 to $200,000. Family Realty 697-6795.

HOLIDAY GOODIES!
Foreclosed 2 and 3 bedroom starter homes from $30's to $50's. Owner needs to sell and is offering low, fixed rate financing. Family Realty 697-6795, Dobie 683-4527, Linda 1-263-7758.

JUST RIGHT...
FOR FAMILY COMFORT
We have two executive homes in established family neighborhoods. Many amenities including swimming pool, mature landscaping. PLUS low, fixed rate financing is available. Family Realty 697-6795, Linda 1-263-7758, Dobie 683-4527.

ENJOY AN
OLD-FASHIONED CHRISTMAS
In this lovely 2 bedroom cottage with 2 bedroom rental. Older Midland, just minutes from downtown! $50's. Family Realty 697-6795, Paul 697-5192, Kim 686-0261.

CELEBRATE THE HOLIDAYS
In a spectacular executive garden home in Meadowpark. Beautiful open floorplan, perfect for entertaining, formal dining, gourmet kitchen, wet bar and much more. Call today and ask about available low, fixed rate financing. Family Realty 697-6795, Dobie 683-4527, Linda 1-263-7758.

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Low maintenance, worry-free townhomes. 2 or 3 bedrooms, excellent north central Midland. Owner will help with closing, from the $80's. Family Realty 697-6795, Paul 697-5192, Kim 686-0261.

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$725 Per Month
$3650 Down, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage, newly constructed brick home...large family room with fireplace... cathedral ceiling in master bedroom with unique dressing area-...call today to see! Builder pays all allowable closing cost!

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$73,000, 360 pmts, 10.15% APR

NOTHING DOWN
Veterans pay nothing down and start enjoying this large 3 bedroom, 2 bath, oversized double car garage brick home in northwest Midland. 2 large bay windows with open kitchen arrangement with breakfast area... corner brick fireplace in family room... too many extras to mention. Payments starting as low as $665 per month. Call today..

S&W HOMES, INC
OF MIDLAND
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$77,500, 10.62% APR
with 3/2/1 buydown, 360 pmts

*BEAUTIFUL RANCH STYLE
Spacious 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage brick home in northwest Midland...bay window...large covered porch & patio...2 separate dining areas...big family room with brick fireplace... 6 foot wood fence... all this and much, much more for only $3900 down and special fixed rate financing with payments of only $775 per month... call today to see!

S&W HOMES, INC
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*$500 DOWN
NO CREDIT CHECK
2 for the price of one! 2 bedroom, 1 bath with efficiency apartment in back-...near downtown...no credit! No problem! Take over existing loan and payments of only $491 per month. Call today for more information.

S&W HOMES, INC
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$2800 DOWN
$604 Per Month
8.5% FHA financing on this new 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage brick home in west Midland. Large family room with lots of extras. Builder will pay all closing costs. Call today for more details.

S&W HOMES, INC
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$66,000, 360 pmts

$700 Per Month
Fixed Rate Financing
FHA fully assumable fixed rate payment on this newly completed 3 bedroom, 2 bath double car garage in west Midland. Call today to find out how easy it is to own your own home. Builder pays, all closing cost...10 year home owners warranty!

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OF MIDLAND
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$66,000, $2800 down
360 pmts, 10.98% APR

NO DOWN PAYMENT
3 bedroom, 1 bath, central air & heat. 11½% interest fixed. You pay only closing cost. 1610 E. Pine. $31,000.
Call A.G. Calderon Real Estate
685-1001 day 689-7792 evenings
Equal Housing Opportunity

NO DOWN PAYMENT
1001 WAVERLEY
2 bedroom, 1 bath, central air & heat. You pay only closing costs. Excellent location. 11½% interest fixed. $44,000. For more information.
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Equal Opportunity Housing

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TOAST YOUR TOES
And relax in front of this comfy fp while your children play in their own playroom - three br with built-in desk and bookshelves, 1¾ ba, and 2 extra bonus rooms. $57,000. Ask for

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Sara Carr Newsom
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697-1091 or 697-4512

PUT ANOTHER LOG ON THE FIRE!
Cozy sunken living area with inviting fireplace, lovely formal dining, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths with lots of amenities! Owner anxious to sell. Low $90's Family Realty 697-6795, Linda 1-263-7758, Dobie 683-4527.

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Come by and preview this magnificent home now underway at 6411 Sequoia. With over 3800 sq. ft. of living area, virtually every amenity has been included: Sunken living-room with atrium, den wet bar, formal dining, large kitchen with breakfast area, sunken master bath and upstairs library. four BR with 3½ BA. Priced at $227,900. If this doesn't fit your family's needs, let us assist in designing and building one that will.
ROYAL CREST BUILDERS
Jim Gilland
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IMMACULATE CONDITION!
Super nice 3 bedroom, 1 bath, 1 car garage in west Midland...Must see to believe the condition of this lovely home equipped with central heat & air...storm windows and more...all this for only $431 per month and $1250 down.

S&W HOMES, INC
OF MIDLAND
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$40,300, 360 pmts, 10.98% APR

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JUST RIGHT
For single, retired couple, or investor. This north side of a nice duplex is priced right and owner needs to sell now, so he wants your offer - for more information, ask for

Maria Kotner
687-0595
eves. 682-2406

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CUSTOM BUILT TOWNHOUSE
Great 2-2 townhouse with lots of space!! This townhouse is well built and has many extras such as: court yard, ceiling fans, fp, garage door opener and sprinkler system. For more information, call

Tim Green
687-0595
eves. 685-3229

DeneKelly INC REALTORS
LOCATION, LOCATION!!
You would have to see to appreciate. Beautiful for entertaining or just living!!! Beautiful, mature landscaping with large swimming pool, gazebo & all the extras - located in older Midland. Call today for your private showing.

Mary Pagett
687-0595
eves. 697-6848

DeneKelly INC REALTORS
ST ANDREWS
Spacious 3 br, 2 ba, rear entry garage, lots of extras including wet bar, intercom and more. Great area and owner ready to sell.

Jimmy Smith
687-0595
eves. 699-1708

DeneKelly INC REALTORS
LARGE TOWNHOUSE
IN GREEN TREE
Beautiful 3-3-2 townhouse on the 9th fairway on the golf course. Modern decor with loft, sundeck, wet bar, and lots of great looking wall paper and mirrors. Owner will lease, lease purchase or sell. For more information,call

Tim Green
687-0595
eves. 685-3229

DeneKelly INC REALTORS
OLD MIDLAND....
At its best in 3 br, 1¾ ba, oversize 2 car garage. Beautiful yard w/water well, workshop, and room enough to build two swimming pools!! Only $81,500.

Jimmy Smith
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eves. 699-1708

DeneKelly INC REALTORS
LESS THAN $2500 DOWN
Puts your family in one of these homes. On Parkdale - 4 br, 2 ba, $55,000 On Thornridge - 3 br, 2 ba, lg covered patio, water well, $57,000
To find out how to move in by January 30, call

Mary Pagett
687-0595
eves. 697-6848

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BRIGHT AND BEAUTIFUL
Many renovations in this beautifully updated home on a quiet Cul-de-sac. Elegant, free flowing floor plan for entertaining, yet beautifully arranged for comfortable family living. Well landscaped yard. Call now for more details on this 3 bedroom, 2 living area home

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eves. 697-6884

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$110,000
For beautiful NEW CONSTRUCTION - country type property. One acre with access easement to two additional acres with man-made lake. tranquil, peaceful setting, 3 bedroom with formal dining, family room with magnificent stone fireplace. Don't let it sell before YOU get your chance to buy this special home.

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eves. 697-6884

1200 Manor- $79,900. 3 Br, 1¾ Ba, mirror accents and MORE! Call May Barber/Stephenson Realtors 697-1091 or 687-5203.

4409 Pleasant- $56,900. REDUCED! 3BR, 1¾ BA, Gar, lots of new inside and out. Call Joyce Bennett/Stephenson Realtors 697-1091 or 689-0359.

3316 Caldera # 156- (condo). $36,500- Good price! Convenience such as clubhouse, swimming pool, yard maintenance. Great investment! Call Rod Foster/Stephenson Realtors 697-1091 or 697-1103.

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$26,000!
4318 Thomason. 694-9689 ask for Daniel or Martha.

★BEAUTIFUL★
2 living areas, 3 bedroom townhouse. Dining, breakfast, 2 fireplaces. All rooms large. Corner lot.
CARRIAGE COMPANY REALTORS
684-5881

VETERANS!
Seller will pay all closing costs for you to buy this lovely 3 bedroom, 2 bath home. Appraised, repaired, and ready to go. Will on any type loan. $55,900.
CARRIAGE COMPANY REALTORS
684-5881

730 Suburban Property

GREENWOOD

Choice location. 1983 large 2 bedroom, 2 bath. Washer, dryer, range, skirted, storm windows, refrigerated air. $1000 down, assume $236 monthly. Lot rent $100 monthly. 1st payment January 1986.
GREENWOOD REALTORS
687-5935

You be the broker. And receive 6% commission of negotiated price. On 2535 sq ft, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, dining, den with fireplace, large kitchen, double garage, total electric, 3 acres, paved drive, pecan trees. On Rankin Highway. 687-4133 or 563-0447

SALE FELL THROUGH
FIRST TIME OFFERED

FOUR Bedroom, 2000 sq.ft. house, 1 mile south of Triplex Store. Cloverdale Road, Greenwood area. Large den and large swimming pool, solar heating, radio or tv tower, lots of concrete and block fences. Small shop/office and garage. Approximately 1 acre. $80,000 firm. Call Leroy Stewart at 683-2536.

BY owner, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, fireplace, many extras. East of City, on 1.71 acres, Greenwood Schools, $65,000. 685-5094

RANKIN Hwy- 1.49 acres. 2 bedroom, living room, den, 1¾ bath. Central heat and air, carpeting. Barn, storage shed, 3 water wells, orchard. Owner financed. 684-9958 or 682-5047.

COUNTRY LIVING

2½ acres with lovely 3BR, 2BA home, large game room + BIG shop in back. Don't wait - will not last long at $115,000. Call

Pixie Barrett
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697-3208
Evenings, 694-1341

SUPER BUY

Large contemporary. 3/2/2, FP, beautiful landscape, pool w/deck, pipe fence for horse at 206 Irvin. Foreclosure near. To make offers call

Marilyn Lynch
CHAPARRAL REALTORS
697-3208
Evenings, 694-4794

DeneKelly INC REALTORS
GREENWOOD
Three bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage. Ready to sell at $64,500.
Donna Gatlin
687-0595
eves. 694-1446

770 Resort Property

CONDO - SHARE FOR SALE
BANDERA HOMESTEAD, BANDERA, TEXAS
(COWBOY CAPITAL OF THE WORLD)

Two weeks prime time (red) May & June
Exchange privilege paid for next three years
Currently valued at $9,000 per week
Available now at $5,000 per week before Christmas

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730 Suburban Property

*GREENWOOD SCHOOLS

Approximately one acre with brick home and refrigerated air. Seller wants to sell now. Bring offers, seller will consider anything. Priced in the 40's. CALL RUTH YOUNG, Associate, DON HARVEY, REALTORS, 683-5333, evenings, 697-1217.

740 Out of Town Property

1½ blocks on the corner, 801 St. Paul, Stanton. 3 bedroom, 1½ bath, large living room, dining room and kitchen. Carport. Call and will show by appointment after 5:30. 686-1015.

750 Lots and Acreage

LAND for sale by owner, good soil and water. Phone 684-8831.

4.27 acres on pavement. Greenwood. Best most abundant water available, and deep top soil. Will include well septic. For $2250 down. Jerry Snow 687-0627 or 682-6819

1 to 10 acre tracts. Owner financing, no down payment required. Discount for cash and VA sales. 699-4387.

18 Acres in GREENWOOD- With very good well and septic. Next to irrigated farm, paved roads and gently rolling terrain. $3,995 down.
Jerry Snow 687-0627, 682-6819.

GREENWOOD- Best water and soil available. One acre tracts, 10% down with well and septic, paved streets, private phones. Also larger tracts to 200 acres available. Terms. Jerry Snow, 687-0627, 682-6819.

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LAND for sale, 2 acres and larger. Call Gloria, Country Realty, after 6pm. 684-9020.

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NORTHGATE Phase II
Residential Lots
•Single Family Lots
•Interim Permanent Financing available
HOME SAVINGS ASSOCIATION
contact Charles or Louis
697-6795

750 Lots and Acreage

TWO side by side 10 acre lots for sale in Midland. No down, take up payments. 512/257-6802.

TIERRA, REALTORS

MCCARTER Restricted 1 acre home sites. $5000. MOBILE HOME LOTS with water & septic. Owner financing $5950. GREENWOOD LOTS. $4950. WESTVIEW 1-3 acres. $5000/ac.
Commercial lots off I 20
Ray & Joyce Smith
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MOBILE HOME LOTS
For sale off County Road 1140 N., 8 mobile home hookups with 2 mobile homes included. Priced to sell immediately. Just name an offer, call

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DEL NORTE ESTATES
One plus acre - residential lot. call

Donna Gatlin
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*ONLY $15,000
For this great lot on La Salle Circle in Scotsdale Addition. TALK TO ENID ELLIS, Associate, DON HARVEY, REALTORS, 683-5333, evenings, 697-6110.

LETS Make a Deal. Acre and or trailer in Westview. Good water. 561-8339 or 687-0684. David.

*NORTHWEST COUNTRY ESTATES
2 miles NW of Midland. 1 plus acre lots for sale. Owner will consider financing and drilling water well. Invest now. CALL CLIFF MCCLUNEY, Associate, DON HARVEY, REALTORS, Commercial Dept. 683-5333.

One commercial lot Atlanta Street and one commercial lot on Lamesa Road. 12 residential lots on Noble Street. All for $25,000. No collect calls. Phone (318) 343-4900.

760 Farms and Ranches

SCENIC ranch in the foot hills of the Sacramento mountains, near Ruidoso NM. 5358 acres deeded with some minerals. Many improvements. Deer, Barbary sheep, turkey & dove. $225 per acre. Owner financing, will subdivide. 915-683-4638 or P.O. Drawer 10845, Midland, Texas 79702.

33 acres, all or part; good hunting, all-weather road. 15 miles southeast of Brady. (915)643-2897.

770 Resort Property

2 Bedroom home, electric oven and cook top built in. And some furnishings, double carport, and good storage building, treated water on paved street, good location on deeded lot, priced to sell. Lake Leon. Call 817-629-8459

NICE 2 year old home on Lake Spence. 5 lots, chain link fence, other out buildings, and boat house. Owner will help with down-payment. Stephens Real Estate. San Angelo, TX. Call 944-1817

TIME Share on 2 bedroom, 2 bath condo in Ruidoso. $1500 and assume payments of $67 month. Beautiful view. Convenient to race track and downtown. Call 362-8237

780 Business Property

Restaurant available for lease with equipment. Lease and buy for the right individual, excellent location, 2505 West Michigan (Corner of Andrews Highway and Michigan). For more information call 683-9701 or 694-3907

For Lease. Shop (35 x 75), Showroom, and 2 offices. 1700 West Front. $750 per month. Call 683-6639 after 5 or weekends.

Commercial/Industrial building. 1507 W Industrial Blvd.; 5370 sq. ft.. Building includes offices. Has fenced equipment yard. 1st City National Bank Trust Department. 685-5315.

A family owned retail business for lease or sale. Active business, northwest high traffic location. Full service grocery, gasoline, and delicatessen. Owner 683-1406

*C-3 ZONED
Nearly 30 acres with 3600 sq.ft. offices, warehousing 7000 sq.ft. Good for pipe yard, trucking company, warehouse development, etc. CALL LARRY SUTTON, Associate, DON HARVEY, REALTORS, Commercial Dept. 699-7913.

*REAL ESTATE INVESTMENTS
Various income producing properties for sale in and around Midland. CALL JOHN PIERCE, Associate