Jury to decide teen's fate

Jury is to deliberate punishment today for teen convicted of hiring a supposed hit man

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Industry weighs energy tax

Analysts: Plan to alter costs unevenly for producers more than induce changes in fuel consumption

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Velarde wins arbitration

Shortstop Randy Velarde, who played ball at Midland Lee, wins arbitration case against the Yankees

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THE GRAND JURY REPORT

An in-depth look

A special grand jury report citing serious alcohol abuse among many of Midland's youth has received heavy scrutiny from the public. In a major in-depth look at the report, the *Reporter-Telegram* on Saturday will examine the key elements of the report, interviewing law enforcement officials, educators, parents and young people. In addition, the grand jury report, published in its entirity, will be included in Saturday's edition. For a complete look at Midland's youth alcohol problem, read Saturday's *Reporter-Telegram*.

War crimes court

UNITED NATIONS — The five permanent members of the Security Council agreed Thursday that an international court should be set up to punish war criminals in former Yugoslavia. Agreement by the United States, Britain, France, Russia and China virtually assured passage of the resolution, which is to be taken up by the full council today. British Ambassador David Hannay said he believed it would be adopted Monday./4A

AIDS-infected ban

WASHINGTON — The Senate voted Thursday to bar AIDS-infected foreigners from immigrating permanently to the United States, a lopsided defeat for President Clinton that left the White House groping for what to do next. Clinton had promised during the campaign that he would lift a ban already in place, but right after the vote the White House seemed to run up the white flag./8A

Red wine, hearts

University of California at Davis researchers have pinpointed a chemical component in red wine that they believe may offer those who drink moderate amounts of wine some protection from heart disease. The results of the test tube study, to be published in the British medical journal Lancet, may help explain the "French paradox" — how the wine-loving French can consume a diet rich in fats yet are three to five times less likely to die of heart disease than Americans.

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Jury indicts Bustamante, wife on bribery charges

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Former congressman Albert Bustamante and his wife were indicted Thursday by a federal grand jury that alleges Bustamante accepted bribes and illegal gifts in return for using his influence in Congress.

The 10-count indictment comes after more than 3½ years of grand jury investigation into influence-peddling allegations.

The indictment alleges Bustamante accepted money from a food service contract company, a realty company connected with the politically powerful Jaffe family and the San Antonio law firm of Heard, Goggan, Blair & Williams.

"God works in mysterious ways," Bustamante said Thursday in his lawyer's office. "We will go before a jury and we will fight this case and we will win."

Bustamante, a Democrat,

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AP Laserphoto

McDuff to die

A jury sends Kenneth McDuff back to death row. Story/1B

Medicare cut could shut hospitals in rural Texas

By Amy Keen
N.Y. Times News Service

A federal proposal to cut at least $35 billion from Medicare could cripple Texas' rural hospitals, which have already been wounded by shortages of money and patients, officials said this week.

President Clinton's budget-trimming measure would cut payments to hospitals and doctors and would increase premiums for the elderly in upper-income groups, administration officials have said.

Some rural hospital administrators say they've struggled to keep their doors open. Should the proposal win congressional approval, they said, it might put the last nail in their budgetary coffins.

"We've gone through several years of transitions. We're the ones who've survived, have

Please see **CUT**/2A

AP Laserphoto

Combatting the cold

A pedestrian in downtown Columbus, Ohio, combats cold, bitter air Thursday. Overnight temperatures dipped below zero. Midland, however, should warm considerably today, as the forecast calls for highs in the upper 60s. Story/2A

Clinton hits road to build plan support

■ GOP decries package; Perot offers cautious praise.

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — President Bill Clinton led his administration on a blitz across the map of America Thursday to enlist citizen support for a pain-then-gain economic plan that he said would keep America's children from having to settle for a "lesser life."

In a campaign-style rally at St. Louis' Union Station, the opening shot in his drive to win America to his side, Clinton said he was "tired of all the naysayers" who would oppose his budget plan.

"The price of doing the same thing is higher than the price of change," he declared.

Henry Cisneros, Clinton's housing secretary, carried the pitch to Flint, Mich., still reeling from the closing of a big General Motors plant in 1987. He said higher taxes can't be avoided.

"Taxes — even the word is difficult to express," Cisneros said. "I get dry in the mouth,

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Cityline Community Pulse

Dial your opinion

President Bill Clinton's $499 billion economic recovery program combines $246 billion in tax increases with $253 billion in spending cuts over four years. Do you beleive the package is fair to all?

The Reporter-Telegram CITYLINE Community Pulse wants to know your opinion of Clinton's plan.

Call 560-2400 and select category 7655 to cast your vote in favor or against the president's overall proposal.

Polling will continue until 5 p.m. Saturday, with results published in Sunday's edition.

Area reaction splits on party lines

By Katherine Poteet
Staff writer

Reaction to President Bill Clinton's televised address to Congress divided Republicans and Democrats just as sharply locally as it did nationally Thursday.

While Democratic leaders in Midland praised Clinton's speech and his economic plan, predictably, Republicans lined up against the president.

"I have trouble trusting the man, so I will believe when I see it," said Rick Davis, chairman of the Midland County Republican Party. "When he says something, it always come out the next

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Seas sink ferry carrying 2,000

■ Only 285 people are known to have survived.

Associated Press

PETIT GOAVE, Haiti — A packed ferry carrying up to 2,000 people sank in stormy seas off Haiti, and only 285 people were known to have survived, officials said Thursday.

Survivors told how they clung to floating objects, in one case a bag of charcoal, to stay alive.

"The sea was full of people," said one survivor, 29-year-old Madeleine Julien, from her hospital bed in this coastal town. "I kept bumping into drowned people."

The ferry Neptune went down late Tuesday off Petit Goave, 60 miles west of the capital. But communications are so crude outside the capital it took a group of about 60 survivors a day to first report the accident.

It was traveling from Jeremie to Port-au-Prince, 120 miles to the east of Jeremie.

A Haitian boat and three U.S. cutters began taking the bodies of 134 women and children to Port-au-Prince on Thursday night.

Please see **SINKS**/2A

AP Laserphoto

A woman at a Port-au-Prince hospital weeps for her mother who died when an overloaded ferry sank off southern Haiti.

Study's fruitful finding: Pear-shaped women more fertile

By Randi Hutter Epstein
Associated Press writer

LONDON — For women yearning to be fruitful and multiply, better to be a pear than an apple.

In other words, according to a Dutch study of 500 women, females who tend to gain weight in the waist take longer to conceive than women who tend to gain in the hips.

Doctors have long known that women who are too skinny or obese have more difficulties getting pregnant than women of average weight.

The new study, published in the Feb. 20 issue of The British Medical Journal, suggests fertility is not only affected by weight, but by how it is distributed.

"Our study shows women who are of normal weight and apple-shaped have a lower probability of conception than normal-weight women who are pear-shaped," said Dr. Boukje Zaadstra.

She is an epidemiologist at the Institute of Preventive Health Care of the Netherlands Organization for Applied Scientific Research in Leiden, Netherlands.

Dr. Alan DeCherney, chairman of obstetrics and gynecology at Tufts University, said the study confirms earlier observations. "Look at all the old fertility goddesses, they are all pears," he said.

Though scientists do not know why body shape correlates with fertility, they have speculated that fat can act like a chemical signal, triggering the release of hormones.

Apple-shaped women, the typical male shape, may have higher levels of male hormones compared to pear-shaped women, the typical female physique, DeCherney said in a telephone interview.

Previous American research tied other health benefits to the pear shape.

One study suggested pear-shaped women have higher levels of HDL, the "good" cholesterol associated with a lower risk of heart disease. Another study said pear-shaped women are less likely to get breast cancer compared with apple-shaped women.

Such clues prompted Zaadstra to wonder whether abdominal fat provokes hormonal changes that may also affect fertility.

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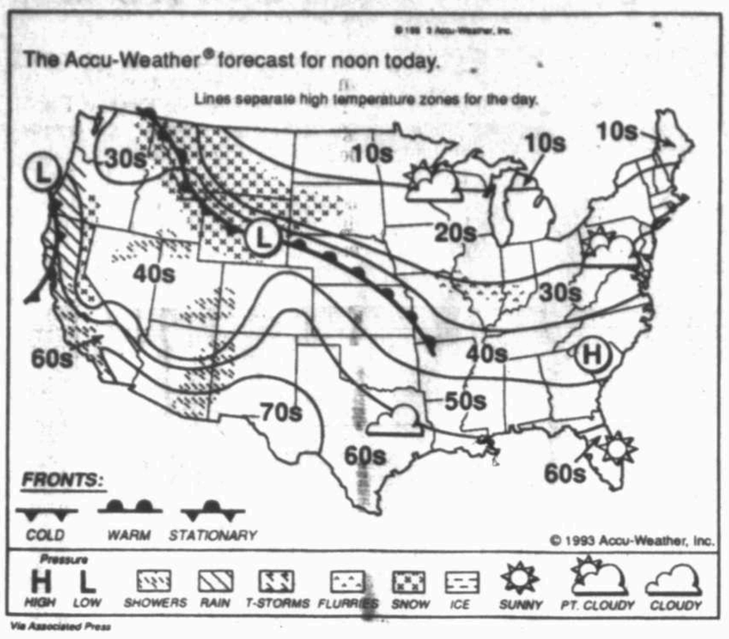
WEATHER WATCH



Via Associated Press

Look for upper 60s, finally

Staff report

Today's forecast calls for patchy morning fog, becoming mostly sunny by noon, with a high in the upper 60s and southwest winds at 15-20 mph. Tonight should be mostly clear with a low in the upper 30s, according to the National Weather Service in Midland.

Saturday should be sunny with the high again in the upper 60s.

After an overnight low of 23, Thursday's high reached 43, compared to the record high for that date of 85 set in 1986. The record low was 19 set in 1936.

STATE

Variable skies across the state were expected to turn increasingly cloudy and could bring drizzle to South Texas today, forecasters said.

Conditions were mild and mostly cloudy in South Texas Thursday with temperatures in the 50s. Clouds also dominated West Texas where mercury readings ranged from the 20s in the Panhandle to the 60s Far West.

Canadian air kept North Texas cool in the 30s, where variable cloudiness was the rule.

The South Texas forecast was for cloudy to mostly cloudy skies through today with a slight chance for light rain or drizzle in the Valley.

Lows were to be in the mid-30s with 50s along the lower Rio Grande, and highs in the 50s and 60s.

West Texans could expect partial cloudiness with early morning fog and low cloudiness east of the mountains. The mercury's low point was to be in the 20s in Panhandle while today's highs to range from 70s Far West and Big Bend, down to 40s in the Panhandle.

Cloudy skies were predicted for North Texas where warmer air was to push temperatures to near 60 at the high point, while nighttime lows were to fall to the 30-degree mark.

NATION

A strong low pressure system soaked the Pacific Coast and dumped snow over the Rockies on Thursday. Another storm brought snow and record low temperatures to the Midwest and Great Lakes region.

The Pacific storm, which was centered offshore and headed east, toppled trees and power lines in Santa Barbara.

Winter storm warnings were posted for California's San Bernardino Mountains, higher elevations of the Sierra Nevada and the Tehachapi Mountains.

The southern portion of the storm was expected to bring heavy rain to central and Southern California by Friday.

Winter storm warnings also were posted for western Wyoming and the Colorado mountains.

In the Midwest, a temperature of 5 degrees and winds to 25 mph dropped the wind chill index over west-central Ohio to as much as 35 degrees below zero. Wind chills over southern lower Michigan were around 25 degrees below zero.

The temperature in Springfield, Ill., fell to 15 degrees below zero, breaking the 1936 record by 6 degrees.

At noon CST, snow extended over the lower Great Lakes, parts of the Midwest, northwest Texas and the northern Rockies.

Rain fell from southern Oregon to Southern California, with rain changing to snow in higher elevations.

The Associated Press contributed to this report.

Midland statistics

FORECAST:

Today: Patchy morning fog, becoming mostly sunny by noon, high in the upper 60s, southwest winds at 15-20 mph.
Tonight: Mostly clear, low in the upper 30s.
Saturday: Sunny, high in the upper 60s.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

Yesterday's High	43 degrees
Overnight Low	23 degrees
Sunset today	6:39 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:26 a.m.
Precipitation:	
Last 24 hours	trace inches
This month to date	00.60 inches
Year to date	01.88 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

6 p.m.	25	6 a.m.	24
7 p.m.	25	7 a.m.	23
8 p.m.	25	8 a.m.	23
9 p.m.	24	9 a.m.	24
10 p.m.	24	10 a.m.	25
11 p.m.	24	11 a.m.	26
midnight	24	noon	28
1 a.m.	24	1 p.m.	31
2 a.m.	24	2 p.m.	34
3 a.m.	24	3 p.m.	37
4 a.m.	24	4 p.m.	38
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Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albuquerque	56	30		cdy
Atlanta	38	29		cdy
Atlantic City	33	23		sn
Baltimore	28	25		sn
Boston	29	22		clr
Chicago	18	-03		cdy
Cleveland	10	-01	.01	sn
Denver	51	-01		cdy
Detroit	15	02	.01	sn
Flagstaff	48	20		sn
Indianapolis	12	-09		cdy
Kansas City	23	-06		cdy
Las Vegas	54	45	.01	rn
Los Angeles	64	54	1.48	rn
Louisville	18	02		cdy
Memphis	28	18		cdy
Milwaukee	19	-01		cdy
Nashville	25	12		cdy
New Orleans	50	38		cdy
New York City	35	25		cdy
Oklahoma City	32	09		cdy
Orlando	66	49		clr
Philadelphia	30	26		sn
Phoenix	65	52		rn
Reno	42	25	.10	sn
Sacramento	59	43	.26	rn
St Louis	20	-01		cdy
San Francisco	59	51	.75	rn
Seattle	44	29		sn
Shreveport	44	32		cdy
Spokane	26	10		sn
Topeka	24	-05	.03	cdy
Tulsa	27	06	.06	cdy
Wichita	19	02		cdy

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Alpine	63	19	
Amarillo	32	11	
Austin	45	33	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	56	42	
Bryan-College Station	48	32	
Corpus Christi	54	45	
Dallas	40	25	
El Paso	72	39	
Fort Worth	39	24	
Galveston	51	42	
Houston	55	38	
Laredo	50	45	
Lubbock	31	17	
Marfa	64	23	
Presidio	70	38	
San Angelo	40	24	
San Antonio	47	36	
Victoria	52	39	
Waco	42	28	
Wink	44	25	

Area forecast

West Texas: Panhandle, today, some early morning low clouds, becoming partly cloudy. Breezy and warmer. Highs in the lower 50s oklahoma panhandle to the mid-60s southern Texas panhandle. Tonight, partly cloudy and mild. Lows in the upper 30s to mid-40s. Saturday, windy with highs in the lower to mid-50s oklahoma panhandle to the upper 60s in the Texas panhandle. Saturday night, fair. Lows in the 30s. Sunday, fair. Highs in the 50s. Monday, mostly sunny. Lows in the 20s. Highs, 50-55. Tuesday, mostly sunny. Lows in the 20s. Highs in the 40s. South Plains, today, patchy early morning fog, becoming mostly sunny by noon. Warmer with highs in the lower to mid-60s. Tonight, mostly clear with lows from the mid- to upper 30s. Saturday, mostly sunny with highs in the upper 60s to near 70. Saturday night, fair. Lows in the mid-30s. Sunday, partly cloudy. Highs around 60. Monday, mostly sunny. Lows around 30. Highs around 60. Tuesday, mostly sunny. Lows, 25-30. Highs in the mid-50s.

REACTS: Republicans line up against plan

(From 1A)

day in the paper or on television that there are inconsistencies in what he said. I read today that his spending cuts and increases in taxes will be offset by his increased spending in other areas. There will be no net savings."

"It's very frustrating to hear what he says and to know it won't work," Davis continued. "But, I try to be hopeful. He is our president and I hope he can succeed."

Local Democrats not only praised Clinton's speech, but his outline for economic recovery as well.

"I think it was a good speech that provides the framework for a revelation in government," said Chris McCormack, chairman of the Midland County Democratic Party. "It will take the government away from special interest groups and give it back to the people."

McCormack said he believed the president had taken a big first step in dealing with the nation's deficit.

"He has taken a serious, honest first step," McCormack said. "He is willing to do what people have talked about for years but haven't done."

Midlander Lou Brown, third vice president of the National Federation of Republican Women, said she thought the president's economic plan would be difficult to put into place because of Congress.

"Congress is very nervous," she said. "Some Democrats in Congress were even speaking against the program today."

"I think he did a good job of delivering — the man is definately a speech maker," she continued. "But, I don't believe he has a handle on the fact that a tax on those who make over $200,000 a year is going to help. That is only 2 percent of the population. He should really cut spending instead of raising taxes."

"I think it was a brillant political speech, but the substance was disappointing," said Ernest Angelo, a member of the Republican National Committee. "It's the typical Democratic way of tax and spend and that the government has all the answers. The program is simply not going to work and I'm afraid the brillance of the speech is going to cause people not to see that."

David Mandell, a local Democrat, agreed with McCormack.

"I thought he did a good job of laying out a program for the future," he said. "No one likes to pay taxes, but if it will lower the deficit, then I think we are all willing to pay."

"I really think more should be done by the people," said fellow Democrat Eva Dennis. "I think we should be willing to donate the money for the debt, in addition to the taxes. We all have to do something know so we can move on."

PLAN: Clinton leads administration on blitz

(From 1A)

but it's imperative."

But even as Treasury Secretary Lloyd Bentsen returned to Congress to implore legislators to cast "the vote of a lifetime" for Clinton's plan, a new release of fine print from the White House indicated the administration's deficit cutting to be less dramatic than first portrayed.

Republicans, meanwhile, accused Clinton of mounting a propaganda blitz to sell old tax-and-spend solutions disguised in new clothing.

Clinton brushed off questions about new deficit projections as he set out for the Midwest to generate the grassroots support that will be vital if his plan is to survive attacks by powerful interests, criticism by Republicans and misgivings by some fellow Democrats.

In his maiden appearance before Congress Wednesday night, the president proposed raising taxes, directly or indirectly, for most Americans. His ideas also would cut spending in 150 programs but increase it elsewhere. And, to reinvigorate a soft economy, he would cut some business taxes and undertake a quick public works spending program.

This amounted to "reinventing our government," Clinton told the lawmakers. Failure to take painful steps now, he said, would amount to "condemning our children and our children's children to a lesser life than we enjoyed."

But the new figures from the White House showed that when full account is taken of the impact of spending increases and pro-business tax cuts, the four-year reduction in deficits would not add up to the half-trillion dollars ballyhooed by the administration. Instead, there would be a net reduction of $325 billion.

Whatever that bottom line, Republicans pledged a fight against the thrust of Clinton's proposal. Senate GOP Leader Bob Dole called it "very heavy on the tax side and very weak" on reducing spending.

Former President Ronald Reagan said it resurrected "the failed liberal policies of the past." In The New York Times, Reagan said Clinton "has begun to sound like an 'old Democrat,'" not the "new Democrat" he campaigned as.

But Ross Perot, whose cut-the-deficit campaign won him 19 million votes last November, offered cautious praise. He called the program "a good artist's sketch." He also foresaw fierce opposition.

"In the next 90 days, lobbyists are going to collect more money than probably in the history of man, because that's the way the system works," Perot said.

Determined to sell the long-term benefits of Clinton's approach while public opinion is still fluid, administration officials fanned across the country, scheduling appearances Thursday and today in 28 states. House GOP Leader Bob Michel of Illinois called this "the biggest propaganda campaign in recent political history."

Many of the Clinton salesmen returned to their home states to start out on friendly ground. For the most part, they flew coach class.

Clinton, in the St. Louis rally, called on his audience to tell their lawmakers: "We will support you if you make the honest, tough decisions."

The president also arranged a question-and-answer session today with the townspeople of Chillicothe, Ohio, and a visit to Hyde Park, N.Y., for a meeting with the people of the Hudson Valley. Next week he hits the road again, with a West Coast tour.

Wall Street flashed a thumbs-up initial signal, then had second thoughts. The Dow-Jones industrial average turned down, but not nearly as much as the 83-point tumble earlier in the week upon Clinton's first general description of his plan.

The first rush of surveys taken after the speech suggested Clinton had done a good selling job.

INDICT: Grand jury charges Bustamante

(From 1A)

lost the 23rd Congressional seat to Republican Henry Bonilla in November.

"I tried to represent this community, my district, in a very straight forward way, always being up front, trying to help people," Bustamante said. "It (the investigation) has been very tough for my family, for myself for my friends."

On the advice of his attorney, Bustamante did not respond to specifics alleged in the indictment.

Bustamante is accused of assisting San Antonio-based Falcon Food and Management Services Inc. in getting a renewal of its contract to provide meals at Lackland Air Force Base. In return, the indictment said, Bustamante received $35,000 in February 1986 and used the money to pay off a mortgage on his Arlington, Va., home.

There was no telephone listing for Falcon Food.

In another allegation, Bustamante is accused of accepting $30,000 in November 1987 from State Realty Inc., a subsidiary of Southwest Merchandising Corp., which now is known as the Jaffe Group Inc.

Morris D. Jaffe Sr. and his son M. Doug Jaffe Jr. are politically connected Texans who are friends of Bustamante's and are friends of former U.S. House Speaker Jim Wright of Fort Worth. The two Jaffes are not mentioned by name in the indictment.

In a case produced by the same grand jury, M. Doug Jaffe Jr. and two Jaffe Group attorneys were charged last summer with breaking federal campaign contribution laws. They were acquitted in November.

The Thursday indictment says the $30,000 State Realty check was made payable to Bustamante's wife, Rebecca, and was delivered to Albert Bustamante.

The check allegedly was recorded as payment for consulting services, but the indictment says Rebecca Bustamante did not perform such services. The indictment alleges the Bustamantes used the money as a partial payment for a house.

A call made by The Associated Press to the Jaffe Group was not immediately returned Thursday.

Bustamante also is accused of receiving through his wife a percentage of money paid by the city of San Antonio and the South San Antonio School District for delinquent tax collection contracts to the law firm of Heard, Goggan, Blair & Williams. Rebecca Bustamante was an attorney with that law firm.

Attorney Oliver Heard declined to comment on the indictment.

The indictment alleges Rebecca Bustamante was paid $43,160 as a percentage of the school district's contract from March 1985 to March 1992 and was paid $236,349 as a percentage of the city contract from May 1985 to December 1991. The indictment claims Mrs. Bustamante did not do any work to earn that money.

CUT: Proposal could close hospital doors

(From 1A)

adapted, and will make it OK, if they — they being the federal government — will leave us alone," said James Reese, administrator of Stephens Memorial Hospital in Breckenridge. "If they don't, we can't make it."

Reese's hospital is in jeopardy partly because of its location, in sparsely populated Stephens County about 80 miles west of Fort Worth. The hospital is licensed for 40 beds and averages 18 patients a day. He estimated revenues at $4 million to $6 million annually but added, "We're presently writing off 40 percent of every Medicare patient's bill."

He said that between 70 percent and 80 percent of Stephens Memorial's patients are on Medicare, the program for the disabled and people 65 and older. The system pays the hospital set fees for each medical diagnosis, even though that amount may be well under the cost of the patient's hospital care, Reese said.

For example: If a patient is given $2,300 worth of care, but the Medicare charge rate is $1,000, the hospital must absorb the $1,300 difference, Reese said.

"There's really no more room for rural hospitals to receive cuts through Medicare and Medicaid," Reese said. "There's not a large enough segment of private-pay patients, those covered by insurance, to make up the difference."

An official with the Texas Hospital Association agreed that the proposed $35 million in Medicare cuts would be just one more shot lobbed at the state, which he said has the heaviest burden of uninsured elderly in the nation. But rural hospitals wouldn't suffer alone, he added.

"What would happen is all hospitals, rural and urban, would get less money as their costs continue to rise," said George Mead, vice president for federal relations with the Austin-based hospital association. "There are some areas in the cities which are in as terrible shape as our rural hospitals, depending on how they allocate the funding."

Between 1987 and 1992, Mead said, 96 Texas hospitals closed, including 44 in rural areas.

"We've got about 500 hospitals now. . . . ," he said. "We're considerably down from the peak in the late '70s, when we had well over 600. Some of these hospitals, to be candid, should have closed, because of declining populations. But the real decliner, in the last five years, has been Medicare."

Marcia Carr, administrator of Eastland Memorial Hospital, the only hospital left in Eastland County, has seen the lost revenue take its toll. In the last few years, hospitals have closed in Cisco and Ranger, only 10 miles away on either side of Eastland.

"Our costs and expenses have been held to the minimal level. Our budget does not have any fat left to cut," she said.

She recalled better times, when Medicare payments to rural hospitals were higher and the hospital averaged 70 to 75 patients a day. "Before those days, we were about 45 percent Medicare."

STUDY: It's better to be a pear

(From 1A)

Investigators examined women attending a fertility clinic between January 1986 and January 1988 because their partners were infertile or because they did not have a partner.

The 500 women, who had normal menstrual cycles, were undergoing artificial insemination. The doctors took body measurements and monitored how many cycles it took each woman to conceive.

Zaadstra said 212 women had hefty stomachs, with a ratio of waist-to-hip size greater than 0.8-to-1.

She said 32 percent of women with the highest waist-hip ratio conceived after 12 attempts compared to 63 percent of women with the lowest ratio, less than 0.7.

Zaadstra advises women who are both obese and apple-shaped to lose weight to improve their chances of getting pregnant.

Unfortunately, "you can't decide where you want your fat distribution to be," said Zaadstra, because fat distribution is genetic.

SINKS: Ferry goes down in stormy seas

(From 1A)

Lt. Gary Thomas, the 28-year-old commander of the U.S. cutter Padre, said said the bodies were floating among broken ladders, charcoal, small chairs, coconuts and the diesel fuel of the sunken vessel.

Bodies were earlier reported washing up on the beaches of Miragoane, 18 miles to the west of Petit Goave.

Cmdr. Larry Mizell said there was "no correlation between this and the boat people," referring to the tens of thousands of Haitians who have fled their homeland by sea since the army ousted elected President Jean-Bertrand Aristide in 1991.

One survivor, Benjamin Sinclair, told the private Radio Metropole that as many as 1,500 people were aboard the triple-decker ferry. The Coast Guard operations center in Miami said Thursday night that Haitian officials reported the Neptune was carrying between 820 and 2,000 passengers.

Sinclair, a 32-year-old bus driver, said he clung to a bag of charcoal from 11 p.m. Tuesday until fishermen picked him up at 4 p.m. Wednesday.

He said the vessel was cruising in a rainstorm and, as conditions worsened, passengers panicked.

Ms. Julien, a street merchant, said the seas and storm tossed the 150-foot Neptune from side to side.

People crowded atop the ferry were knocked screaming into the waters, she said. Farm animals on board floated away.

Ms. Julien was separated from six family members, who are presumably all drowned.

She and other survivors said there were no life jackets and life boats on board. People had little chance of surviving unless they were lucky enough, as Ms. Julien was, to grab an object to stay afloat.

Mizell said one of the survivors indicated "many of the people went to one side of the vessel, which may have contributed to the problem they had."

Military authorities in Jeremie, speaking on condition of anonymity, said one of the three decks it to shore.

Haiti's military approved flights by U.S. aircraft over the disaster scene and allowed Coast Guard cutters in the region to help in the rescue effort, said Mizell, the Coast Guard liaison in Port-au-Prince.

U.S. vessels routinely patrol international waters off Haiti for boat people, and have increased their presence in recent weeks.

Besides the Padre, the Coast Guard dispatched the cutter Dauntless out of south Florida, and C-130 airplanes.

As two Haitian navy ships searched for survivors, relatives of those aboard traveled to Petit Goave to await news about their loved ones.

Destina Momrosier, a seamstress from Port-au-Prince, said her brother and a cousin were aboard the Neptune when it left Jeremie.

Momrosier said she had taken the boat several times, usually with 500 to 600 other passengers, but as many as 1,500 probably could fit aboard.

"It's generally overloaded," she told The Associated Press. "It sways from side to side with people standing, sitting, even up on the roof."

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Christopher urges Arabs, Israelis to quick compromise

CAIRO (AP) — Secretary of State Warren M. Christopher challenged Arabs and Israelis on Thursday to strike compromises quickly or risk diminished U.S. interest in pressing the Mideast peace process.

"There are important opportunities here that should not be missed by the parties," Christopher said on his arrival in Cairo, the first stop on a week-long tour of the region and his first trip abroad since taking office.

"We have come to the region ready to do our best, and we will be assessing whether the parties are ready to do theirs," he said.

A senior U.S. official told reporters en route from Washington that the Arab-Israeli conflict "can't continue to have a high priority if we're pushing against a closed door."

The official, declining to be identified, added: "It's a big world with lots of things to do... You have to have some indication of willingness on their part to take some of the tough decisions."

The talks on borders, peace and Palestinian self-rule are "festering" and even "stalemated," the official said.

After a series of stops here, in Jordan, Syria, Saudi Arabia, Kuwait and Israel, Christopher will report his findings to President Clinton.

"He'll be inclined to gauge whether or not, as we go around, there's a serious endeavor here on their part," the official said.

In Moscow, the Russian Foreign Ministry said it "welcomes this important initiative of the new American administration."

The statement said Russian Foreign Minister Andrei Kozsyrev spoke with Christopher by telephone before the trip. It said they discussed several issues connected with the Middle East peace process but gave no details.

The World in brief

■ Muscovites place card on Red Square

MOSCOW — Young Muscovites crowded around a 12-foot-tall greeting card on snow-covered Red Square to write friendship messages to the United States on Thursday.

One hand-scrawled note, apparently addressed to President Clinton, said in Russian: "Billy, come visit us and eat our dumplings."

"I want a car and to live in America," read another, helpfully providing a Moscow telephone number.

Another, in broken English: "Helloy, Amerika. I'm Russian student. I want peace."

The giant card, sent from the United States and coordinated with the United Nations, was hand-painted by 400 artists. Covered by a canopy designed like a globe, the card features drawings of St. Basil's Cathedral, the Eiffel Tower, the Statue of Liberty and other international landmarks.

■ Police arrest suspects in tourist murder

CAIRO, Egypt — Police have arrested three suspects in the murder and robbery of an American tourist, an Interior Ministry spokesman said Thursday.

Rita E. Arias, 63, of Coral Gables, Fla., disappeared on Feb. 5 after arriving at Cairo International Airport to join an archaeological tour.

Her strangled body was found two days later in the desert between Cairo and Suez, 80 miles east of Cairo. Her money, jewelry and baggage were missing.

All three men have criminal records, the ministry spokesman said.

No further details were given.

■ U.S. van fired on in carjacking attempt

MOGADISHU, Somalia— A Toyota Land Cruiser belonging to the U.S. Embassy came under gunfire in southern Mogadishu Thursday, in what embassy officials described as a carjacking attempt. The Somali driver of the car was injured by broken glass.

Col. Fred Peck of the Marines, a spokesman for the joint military task force, said an Air Force colonel was in the van, along with two embassy employees, when the shooting occurred.

The shooting occurred outside the offices of CARE, and it prompted coalition forces to step up security around the embassy.

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U.N. powers agree to pursue Yugo war crimes court

UNITED NATIONS (AP) — The five permanent members of the Security Council agreed Thursday that an international court should be set up to punish war criminals in former Yugoslavia.

Agreement by the United States, Britain, France, Russia and China virtually assured passage of the resolution, which was to be taken up by the full council Friday. British Ambassador David Hannay said he believed it would be adopted Monday.

With no details worked out for such a tribunal, there is no prospect for any trials to be held soon. But one goal of the effort is to deter further atrocities in Bosnia and other former Yugoslav states by raising the possibility that war criminals will be pursued.

Many of those eventually tried may likely be Serbs, who are fighting to link Serb-dominated regions. A commission set up to study the idea of a court blamed Serbs for the bulk of the war's atrocities.

As well, then-Secretary of State Lawrence S. Eagleburger named Serbian President Slobodan Milosevic and Bosnian Serb leader Radovan Karadzic in December as possible war criminals. He also released a list of seven Serb and Croat military leaders accused of atrocities.

Still, the move toward a war crimes court could also further complicate efforts to forge peace in Bosnia, where 10 months of war has left 18,000 dead.

Even before agreement, Bosnian Serb leaders stunned U.N. officials Thursday by announcing they would not attend a new round of peace talks Friday. They demanded that the negotiations move back to Geneva.

That came a day after diplomats were caught off guard by the sudden cutoff of aid operations in Bosnia by the U.N. High Commissioner for Refugees, Sadako Ogata, because of interference by the warring factions.

Diplomats publicly supported the move, but privately they were worried it might complicate talks.

The resolution would authorize the creation of the court and ask Secretary-General Boutros Boutros-Ghali to study ways to set up its legal machinery. The court's jurisdiction would be strictly limited to atrocities arising from the fighting that has accompanied the breakup of Yugoslavia.

Diplomats who spoke on condition of anonymity said the latter restriction was crucial to getting the support of China, which has suppressed dissent in Tibet and crushed a 1989 democracy movement.

The draft text said war crimes committed after Jan. 1, 1991, would be punished by the court. Diplomats said that was an arbitrary date.

In October, the Security Council authorized a commission to gather evidence of war crimes, a process similar to that which led to the Nuremberg trials of Nazi war criminals after World War II.

The 1945-49 Nuremberg trials of Nazi war criminals established a chain of responsibility for collective war crimes. Nazi leaders — including Hermann Goering, Martin Bormann and Joachim von Ribbentrop — were condemned to death.

The U.N. commission, led by Tadeusz Mazowiecki, Poland's first post-Communist premier, has said it was overwhelmed by reports of atrocities. It said crimes were commited by all sides in the Balkan conflict, but blamed Serbs for the bulk of them.

Among its findings were mass graves; evidence of systematic rape of Muslim women by Serbs; and the "ethnic cleansing" campaigns of terror

Clinton wins foreign kudos for U.S. economic package

LONDON (AP) — President Clinton's plan to attack the U.S. budget deficit boosted the dollar Thursday and won international praise, but some economists feared the plan would leave Americans with less money to buy imports.

Clinton's package of tax increases and spending cuts lifted the dollar off a record-tying low against the Japanese yen in Tokyo and pushed it higher against other major currencies in European trading.

The Times of London said in an editorial that Clinton's proposals "show about an equal measure of political courage and low cunning."

"He deserves credit for facing the reality that his campaign promises to attack the deficit through taxes on the rich were nonsense," the newspaper said.

Josen Takahashi, a senior economist at Mitsubishi Research Institute in Tokyo, said the Clinton plan would be painful for Americans but was needed to reduce the government's deficit.

There will be "a big negative effect — for instance, on employment — and the big issue is how long (Clinton) can maintain the public support," Takahashi said. He added that he feared the program might increase pressure from Americans for trade protectionism.

Jacques Delors, president of the European Community executive agency, also said he was worried that the new U.S. administration would be confrontational on trade issues, but he welcomed Clinton's plan for the U.S. economy.

Russians urge tilt toward Serbs

N.Y. Times News Service

MOSCOW — As a striking example of the strong nationalist sentiment confronting President Boris N. Yeltsin's government, Russia's Supreme Soviet voted overwhelmingly Thursday for a non-binding resolution that would overturn Russian policy on the conflict in the Balkans.

Several days after President Clinton's special envoy on the Bosnian crisis met with Russian legislators and Foreign Minister Andrei V. Kozyrev, the Supreme Soviet voted 162-4 to urge the United Nations to impose sanctions on Croatia or, if not, to lift them on Serbia.

Russia has traditionally close ties to Serbia dating back to the 19th century, and Russian nationalists have decried Kozyrev's "betrayal" of historical allies in pursuit of a "pro-Western" policy.

Kozyrev, who is scheduled to deliver a policy statement on Bosnia to the Supreme Soviet on Friday, has criticized some members of Parliament for their "demagogic" support for Serbia and pleaded for an evenhanded policy.

"Unconditional support for one of the Slav peoples against all the other peoples of Yugoslavia" must be avoided, he said on Tuesday.

The major nationalities involved in the conflicts in the former Yugoslavia —Serbs, Croats, Slovenes and Bosnian Muslims — are all Slavic; they are divided by religion and by historic conflicts.

The vote Thursday, which will embarrass Kozyrev, does not augur well for the ratification of the strategic arms reduction treaty with the United States signed in January by Presidents Yeltsin and Bush. The ratification debate is scheduled to begin Feb. 22, and some Russians have made similar accusations that the treaty protects American strategic interests while eliminating the backbone of Russia's traditional deterrent, the heavy, land-based, multiple-warhead SS-18 missiles.

What has prompted parliamentary concern is a Croatian army offensive, beginning in late January, to retake Serbian-held territory in the Krajina region of Croatia. The Croats have used a period of truce with the Serbs to bolster their army, and many Russian nationalists feel that the West, the United States in particular, has been too quick to blame the Serbs for all of Yugoslavia's problems.

About 100 people demonstrated Thursday outside the Russian Foreign Ministry against Kozyrev's Balkan policy. They fired several flares at the building before the police dispersed them.

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Figures show a smaller trim in the deficit

N.Y. Times News Service

WASHINGTON — The deficit reduction proposed by President Clinton on Wednesday night would total $325 billion over the next four years, not nearly $500 billion as The New York Times and some other news organizations reported Thursday.

This became clear in more complete budget tables released Thursday by the administration. The $500 billion figure — actually $493 billion — represents the total amount of tax increases and specific spending cuts that Clinton proposed. It was emphasized in documents the White House handed out Wednesday. But it does not take account of $169 billion in tax cuts and new government spending Clinton wants for programs he favors.

Since deficit reduction is the combination of the net change in revenues and the net change in expenditures, the total reduction would actually be $325 billion, rounded off. That correct figure was reported Thursday by some news organizations.

Clinton did not mention either figure in his address to Congress, and administration officials insisted that no deception was intended. They said the problem stemmed from the haste in putting together the final elements of the package and the fact that the final tables were not put together until just before the president began his speech.

The problem, said Bruce Lindsey, one of Clinton's closest advisers, was "a failure to communicate."

Asked about the situation Thursday as he boarded a helicopter on the White House lawn, Clinton said: "Call Panetta. That's his department."

Barry J. Toiv, a spokesman for Budget Director Leon E. Panetta, said the problem developed because the Clinton administration thinks of proposals to lower the deficit and proposals to stimulate the economy, which the administration calls "investments," as two separate tracks.

"There was no intention not to be honest," Toiv said. "We feel very strongly that there is about $500 billion over four years of deficit reduction measures, the combined total of tax cuts and spending increases."

Asked at a hearing Thursday of the House Budget Committee which number, $500 billion or $325 billion, was correct, Panetta said, "They're both correct," one a gross figure and the other a net one.

At a briefing for reporters on Wednesday afternoon, Panetta did not distinguish between the conventional definition of deficit reduction and the new one the administration has adopted, using one definition in one sentence and the other one in the next sentence.

Blueprint shows change on fragile foundation

By R.W. Apple Jr.
N.Y. Times News Service

■ Analysis

WASHINGTON — It was a staggeringly long agenda that President Clinton laid before Congress and the nation Wednesday night, and his aides say he plans to press for much of it in his first year in office.

Not only does he intend to undo the Reagan revolution by increasing taxes, slashing the military budget, trimming spending here on some old projects, increasing it there on some new ones; he also proposes to create an entirely new system of health care, to reform campaign laws, to launch a service corps, to "end welfare as we know it," to impose gun controls, and on and on.

The last president to try anything on that scale was Lyndon B. Johnson, and he had a lot of things going for him that Bill Clinton does not have.

But Clinton believes that after months of talking about change, the moment for action is at hand, a genuinely pivotal moment for the nation, and that only a bold challenge from the White House stands a chance of success.

As a senior White House strategist said Thursday, "The voters gave us a mandate for change, if they did anything, and we have to make everyone and everything that stands in our way look like a roadblock on the highway to the progress the country demands."

So Clinton expresses exasperation with "all the naysayers" and earnestly seeks the cooperation of Ross Perot.

In an interview Thursday, Perot outlined an agenda that goes well beyond the president's, which could help Clinton by making his list of programs seem a more temperate alternative.

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Result of plan can benefit Americans

President Clinton outlined a new course for the nation Wednesday evening that calls for sacrifice by every American and promises by the end of the decade a redesigned America that is economically secure.

Clinton's plan, which calls for $7 billion more in spending cuts than the revenue it would generate through increased taxes, presents a shift away from the old "tax-and-spend" philosophy that brought the nation to this point facing a $3 trillion national debt and annual budget deficits in the hundreds of millions of dollars.

The president told the combined houses of Congress, "If we don't act now, you and I might not even recognize this government 10 years from now." He drilled that message home by telling his audience that the deficit will grow to $635 billion a year and the national debt will be consuming almost 80 percent of the gross domestic product in 10 years if Congress fails to act.

Clinton should be applauded for the plan. He obviously recognizes what many in the Congress have been unwilling to tell their constituents back home — that the annual deficits and national debt are endangering American independence. In a nutshell, our spending has brought us to the point of economic calamity.

While his basic concept for rebuilding the nation is sound, the $253 billion in spending cuts he has identified does not sufficiently reflect the serious nature of the fiscal problem the nation is facing. Deeper cuts should be identified by congressional budget cutters and made. Essentially all federal spending programs should be reviewed again — and again, if necessary — until they have been pared down to the essential expenditures.

Clinton's tax increases are more difficult to justify, but, as the president noted, everyone must share in the pain of removing the onerous national debt.

In noting that health care reform is critical to the success of his program, Clinton has placed the bee on Congress's back as well as the backs of health care professionals throughout the nation. That should now take priority in the Clinton administration so that it does not hold up economic recovery longer.

The one area where the president's plan appears unrealistic is in his call for an energy tax, based on the heating capability of various fuels. A much more preferable tax would be an oil import fee.

Clinton's plan for an energy tax would create a monstrous federal bureaucracy that would be a detriment to energy producers when, in reality, we need a freer environment in which they can operate.

As Republicans noted following Clinton's address, they will support him on what they believe is good for America and refuse to do so on matters on which they feel he is wrong. Americans also should make their thoughts known to their U.S. senators and congressmen.

Overall, however, Clinton did what the nation needed: He placed us on a course toward economic recovery. With fine-tuning by the Congress, the result of the plan can benefit all Americans both now and in the future.

JACK ANDERSON

GAP has beef with meat inspection

WASHINGTON — When the recent Jack-in-the-Box food poisoning outbreak hit the front pages, Tom Devine was "only surprised that the disaster took this long to happen."

Anderson

As the legal director of the Government Accountability Project, a whistleblower support group, Devine has represented over 150 meat and poultry inspectors — more whistleblowers than from any government agency. "A tragedy is never the sort of vindication a whistleblower wants," Devine says. "But it confirms all the warnings they've been making for the last decade."

Typical was a case we reported on in 1988. At a Nebraska meatpacking plant, a government inspector feared she would lose her job if she stopped the assembly line where she saw what appeared to be an unhealthy carcass pass. Her USDA superiors warned her that it was money out of the company's pocket every time she shut off the line. The inspector's union filed a grievance with the USDA claiming the veterinarian told her it cost $130 every minute the line remained idle.

This inspector's grievance was ultimately upheld, but most inspectors haven't had happy endings. "When meat inspectors protested too loudly, they were harassed, fired and even threatened with prosecution," Devine says.

This war on consumers and inspectors was presaged in a 1981 Department of Agriculture management memo: "The special interest groups representing the meat and poultry industry have won and now have the ear of Washington. They 'paid their dues' and are now in the driver's seat. . . . The consumer advocate base has disintegrated. We must be versatile and adjust to this new challenge."

Essentially, a new era in food safety was ushered in: slaughter houses were now on the honor system. The meat industry was allowed to purge trained and qualified federal inspectors. Inspectors had as little as six to eight seconds to inspect 1,000-pound carcasses, blurring by at 300 to 400 an hour. Whistleblowers said that even when violations were spotted, companies could call Washington and get individual inspector decisions overruled.

The upshot: In the 1980s inspectors condemned only 60 percent of the meat and poultry that would have flunked during the 1970s. The contaminated-meat scare is now on the Clinton administration's platter.

Though there is some temptation to heap blame on the hamburger-flippers for not cooking the meat long enough, the problem is more deeply rooted. The task of identifying contaminated meat is kept deliberately daunting.

"Although the inspectors are no longer blindfolded with their hands tied, the line speeds are still hopelessly out of control," Devine argues.

Meanwhile, Agriculture Secretary Mike Espy held an extraordinary meeting recently at GAP headquarters — once regarded as enemy territory — with five whistleblowers flown in from around the country. At least symbolically, Espy was declaring amnesty for a group of government workers who until now have had to rely on the underground.

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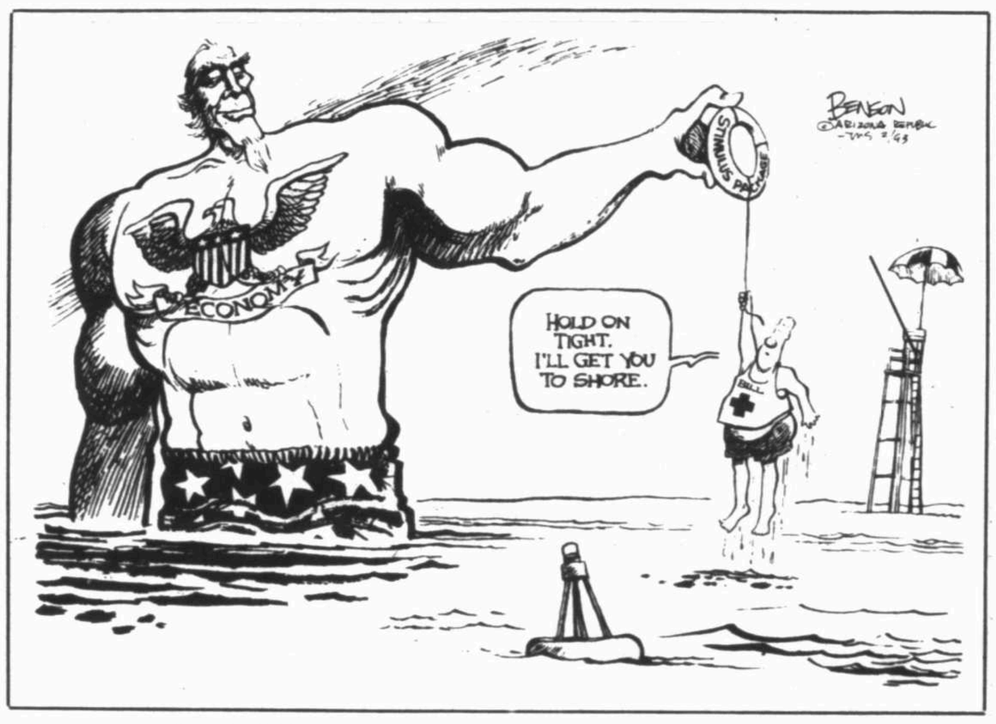

WILLIAM MURCHISON

Disappointment spreads with Clintonomics

The Clintons, Hillary and Bill, really don't get it, do they?

The Clintons claim to be pointing toward economic revival, which is great with us working, tax-paying stiffs. But what's this? — the quest, as they outline it, entails jumping up and down on business and taxpayers. With all four feet.

Murchison

More taxes, more government control, more overall spending: Such is the Clinton prescription for America's aches and pains. Clinton's rhetoric about business and its practitioners puts one in mind of his most recent Democratic predecessor, Jimmy Carter: who, as all should remember, came to a bad end.

Bill last week couldn't appeal for increased vaccination of children — a splendiferous cause — without indulging in a Carter-like swipe at pharmaceutical companies for profits earned "at the expense of children." No subtleties for the president. No scrutiny of the government regulations and the lawsuit costs that drive up pharmaceutical prices. No, just Fire One, Fire Two, Fire Three.

Could we wait a Little Rock minute? A few of us hayseeds had thought the job-creating machine called business needed oil and parts rather than a few ferocious kicks by those in charge of the government. Why the demagoguery?

We're supposed to up the penalty for work and investment, then wait for Americans to deliver more of both? What Never-Never Land does our first family inhabit?

The favored alternative to private enterprise is government. But government has done nothing for the economy lately besides drain it of vitality and resources.

The Texas-based Institute for Policy Innovation notes that government is America's No. 1 growth industry. Whereas 18.1 million Americans hold manufacturing jobs, 18.2 million are civilian government employees. Our biggest industry is government? Government, which produces nothing save paperwork? This has never happened before. But other statistics are nearly as gloomy. Whereas government sopped up 26.6 percent of economic output in 1960, today the figure is 37 percent — and rising with every tax increase, not counting those increases the Clintons are plotting. How do we like them apples, my fellow Americans? We are looking more and more like Eastern Europe and less and less like America. The irony is, Eastern Europe hopes to look more like America — at least the America of 10 years back.

The fault for all this can't be spread out too broadly at the Clintons' doorstep. The first family didn't invent big government, or even probig government demagoguery.

Yet present here is a spreading sense of disappointment — the kind Charlie Brown displays every time he prepares to kick the football and Lucy pulls it away.

Comes now the Clinton economic program; and, watch out — Lucy's grabbing for the football.

The Clintons' advisers have told them how critical this month is for what they want to do. Indeed. Either the Clintonites will lock in an agenda for bigger, badder government, or a strange thing will happen: Lucy grabbing the football, Charlie poising in mid-air for a swift kick. But not at the ball.

William Murchison's column is distributed by Creators Syndicate.

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Thursday, Feb. 18, the 49th day of 1993. There are 316 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Feb. 18, 1861, Jefferson Davis was sworn in as president of the Confederate States of America in Montgomery, Ala.

On this date:

In 1546, Martin Luther, leader of the Protestant Reformation in Germany, died.

In 1564, the artist Michelangelo died in Rome.

In 1885, Mark Twain's "Adventures of Huckleberry Finn" was published in the United State for the first time.

In 1930, the ninth planet of our solar system, Pluto, was discovered.

In 1953, 40 years ago, "Bwana Devil," the movie that heralded the 3-D fad of the 1950s, opened in New York.

In 1960, the Eighth Winter Olympic Games were formally opened in Squaw Valley, Calif., by Vice President Richard M. Nixon.

In 1970, the Chicago Seven defendants were found innocent of conspiring to incite riots at the 1968 Democratic national convention.

In 1972, the California Supreme Court struck down the state's death penalty.

In 1977, the space shuttle Enterprise, sitting atop a Boeing 747, went on its maiden "flight," reaching altitudes of up to 16,000 feet above the Mojave Desert.

In 1984, Italy and the Vatican signed a revised concordat under which Roman Catholicism ceased to be the state religion of Italy.

Ten years ago: The White House and congressional negotiators reached a compromise enabling investigators for the U.S. House of Representatives to see withheld Environmental Protection Agency documents. About 1,000 Muslim villagers in Nellie, India, were massacred by Assamese Hindus.

Five years ago: Soviet Communist Party leaders dropped former Moscow party chief Boris N. Yeltsin from the ruling Politburo. Anthony M. Kennedy was sworn in as the 104th justice of the U.S. Supreme Court.

One year ago: In the New Hampshire primary, President Bush won the Republican contest while challenger Patrick Buchanan placed a considerably strong second; among Democrats, Paul Tsongas came in first.

Today's Birthdays: Actor Jack Palance is 73. Cosmopolitan editor Helen Gurley Brown is 71. Actor George Kennedy is 68. Sen. John Warner, R-Va., is 66. Movie director Milos Forman is 61. Singer Yoko Ono is 60. Actress Cybill Shepherd is 43. Singer Juice Newton is 41. Actor John Travolta is 39.

LETTERS

Solutions could be negative

I am writing in response to the drug and alcohol study that was released a few weeks ago and I agree with everyone that there is a major problem in the schools and something should definitely be done about it.

What I do not agree with are the proposed solutions to these problems. Just to name a couple, one is to impose a police-enforced curfew of 11 o'clock for those under the age of 17, and the second was a call for tighter school security such as locker searches, hall monitoring, etc. Why are all these solutions negative reinforcement? Negative reinforcement, most of the time, causes negative feedback or reaction. The schools could find a much bigger problem on their hands if they choose to deal with these problems in a negative manner.

A police state atmosphere is not going to solve anything. What it will create is rebellion and more chemical abuse. A positive solution must be found such as education. Teach these kids the effects and consequences of this abuse. Education is a powerful weapon; let's arm our kids with it.

Secondly, the reason these kids resort to drugs and alcohol is out of a lack of anything else to do. Let's find constructive pastimes for these kids and not destructive ones. As far as I know, there is nothing for young people to do in this city! Midland does not cater to the youth as it does the adult population, why? Organize events, whatever they may be, but give them something to do.

Third and last, help these kids that are addicted and get them treatment and rehabilitation. The problem must be solved by the family; stop it before it begins by loving and talking to your children not preaching to them. They have minds, speak to them as people. I am a 20 year old voting citizen and I am very concerned about these kids. Let's help our children and friends, not put a leash on them.

Craig A. Simons
Midland

President gets undue credit

In a recent edition the sub-headline concerning the enactment into law of the family leave bill said something to the effect that "CONGRESS GIVES CLINTON A LEGISLATIVE VICTORY." That view must have come out of the White House PR office and over the AP wire since it has been repeated all over the land.

The headline, of course, is incorrect since the bill was written months ago, without any input from the president, and all he did was sign it. The headline and subsequent story should have read "CLINTON GIVES INCUMBENTS IN CONGRESS LEGISLATIVE VICTORY." As these old recycled bills (exempting the Congress, of course) roll out of that most highly esteemed of our U.S. institutions, I hope you will give our new president proper recognition for aiding and abetting THEIR legislative victories.

Wilbur A. Yeager Jr.
Midland

Reader condemns Clintons

For this cause a man shall. . .cleave to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh." (Mark 10:7-9.)

Thus it was that Slick Willie and Hilari(ous), one flesh, have been visited on an evil and adulterous nation as divine punishment.

Thus far, these two, one flesh, have condoned, approved, and encouraged homosexuality, abortion, adultery, and the general undermining of our God-founded country. Yea verily, Slick Willie and Hilari(ous) are the modern-day Anti-Christ, sent as punishment for our nation's moral decline.

Mark Gilham
Midland

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Gore begins sell on economic plan

N.Y. Times News Service

WASHINGTON — Vice President Al Gore kicked off a high-profile effort to sell the administration's economic package on Thursday that, if it works, could return him to the public eye as an important adviser to President Clinton.

Gore has been a constant presence at the economic policy meetings and Cabinet sessions that the president has held since he took office. But his role has often been overshadowed in news reports by accounts of the influence of Clinton's wife, Hillary.

Gore set out to alter that impression on Thursday. He appeared on three television talk shows Thursday morning and spent the rest of the day meeting with reporters and with members of Congress. He will leave Friday on his own sales trip, traveling to Raleigh, N.C.; Atlanta; Birmingham, Ala., and Tampa, Fla. And on Sunday he will join the president on a trip to the West Coast.

Seated behind Clinton at Wednesday night's speech to the joint session of Congress, Gore nodded his head in agreement as the president made his points. On one occasion he even motioned silent Republicans in the chamber to join their Democratic counterparts in applauding Clinton's call for gun controls.

"Maybe there was a slight bit of a taunt in it," Gore acknowledged on Thursday, smiling.

He did more than taunt his former colleagues. He goaded them, and made it clear where his loyalties lie.

"Political change has sometimes been described as the metaphor of a sailboat tacking against the wind," the former senator from Tennessee said at a breakfast meeting with reporters. "When one side comes up out of the water, it's a vivid image.

"I saw the mirror image of it during the beginning of the Reagan era, when one side of the chamber stands and applauds wildly and the other side sits with their hands folded in their laps," he continued. "Visually, the image is very much that of a great ship changing course, with one side out of the water and the other, sort of sinking."

Gore played the role of negotiator on Thursday, meeting in his Capitol Hill office with three Democratic senators, Richard C. Shelby of Alabama, Paul S. Sarbanes of Maryland and Ernest F. Hollings of South Carolina.

In a New York Times/CBS News Poll conducted last week, 44 percent of the registered voters surveyed said they did not know enough about Gore to have an opinion of him, up from the the 14 percent who offered that response in October. The evidence that he has

Soap opera actor dies

NEW YORK (AP) — Michael Morrison, an actor on the CBS-TV soap opera "As the World Turns," was found dead Thursday in a friend's Manhattan apartment, police said.

Ellen Borakove, a spokeswoman for the city medical examiner, said the cause of death was not immediately known. Autopsy results were expected Friday.

Morrison, 33, had played the role of Caleb Snyder on the show since June 1988, CBS publicist Janet Storm said.

Morrison was pronounced dead by a medical emergency team at an apartment where he had been staying with a friend, Detective Joseph McConville said.

The friend, who was not identified, tried to wake Morrison after he failed to respond to his alarm clock and then summoned help, police said.

Morrison also acted in Joseph Papp's Shakespeare Theatre in Central Park, several Broadway productions and in other television shows, including the CBS television movie "Hobson's Choice," Storm said.

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Haitian hijacks plane, surrenders in Miami

■ A Haitian hijacked a DC-3 plane briefly and took nine hostages before surrendering in Miami.

N.Y. Times News Service

MIAMI — A plane belonging to an American missionary organization was hijacked in Haiti on Thursday and ordered to fly with its nine passengers to Miami, where the hijacker immediately surrendered to a SWAT team.

Just before 6:20 p.m., the plane landed at Miami International Airport and taxied to a special area, called the penalty box, reserved for hijacking cases. FBI agents quickly surrounded the aircraft and subdued and handcuffed the hijacker, who did not seem to resist.

Soon passengers began emerging from the plane, a World War II-vintage DC-3. All walked under their own power.

The airplane is owned by Missionary Flight International, of West Palm Beach, Fla., and was hijacked in the northern coastal city of Cap-Haitien early Thursday afternoon. The hijacker, identified by the FBI as Woody Edouard, 24, seized a woman hostage on the ground and forced his way aboard the plane at gunpoint.

An FBI agent, John Pavlansky, said Edouard was a Haitian citizen and that all of the passengers and the two crew members, as well as the hostage, were American citizens. But it was unclear if the hijacker had been motivated by political concerns, and FBI officials in Miami said they had no information whether he had been hoping to obtain political asylum.

Since a military coup overthrew the Rev. Jean-Bertrand Aristide, the country's president, in September 1991, more than 40,000 Haitians have attempted to flee to the United States, almost all of them attempting the 600-mile journey in rickety boats.

In recent weeks, the Coast Guard has maintained a blockade off Haiti to prevent a greater seaborne exodus that was first inspired by the hope that the Clinton administration might ease limits on claims for political asylum.

Airport authorities said the plane, a charter ordinarily used to ferry medical and other relief supplies, had flown early Thursday morning to Port-au-Prince, Haiti's capital. It was making a stop at Cap-Haitien on its return to Florida when the hijacker acted. At one point before takeoff, he fired a shot into the floor of the aircraft, the FBI said.

Shortly before 3 p.m., the aircraft refueled at the airport at Blue Hills, Turks and Caicos Islands, just south of the Bahamas. Pavlansky described the situation at the refueling stop as "tense," with Edouard holding his gun to the head of the pilot.

But once Edouard was assured the plane was on its way to Florida, he surrendered his weapon to the crew. Pavlansky said the hijacker had engaged in "some religious conversation with the hostage" before handing over his gun.

Passengers were interviewed by law enforcement officers before their return to West Palm Beach.

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Parents file lawsuit over son's death

TACOMA, Wash. (AP) — The parents of a 2-year-old boy who died in the bacteria outbreak traced to Jack in the Box hamburgers sued the fast-food chain and its parent, Foodmaker Inc. on Thursday.

The lawsuit, filed in Pierce County Superior Court by Michael and Diane Nole of Tacoma, seeks unspecified damages for the death of their son, Michael.

The boy died Jan. 22 at Children's Hospital in Seattle of heart failure associated with hemolytic uremic poisoning caused by E. coli O157:H7.

The lawsuit claims the boy contracted the illness from eating a contaminated hamburger at a Jack in the Box restaurant in Tacoma.

Hundreds of people were sickened and two deaths occurred during the bacterial outbreak, which hit Washington the hardest though related cases were reported in Idaho and Nevada. Several children remain hospitalized in the Seattle area.

The outbreak was blamed on undercooked meat from a batch tainted with the bacteria, which is found in cattle guts and fecal matter. The state Health Department warned consumers of the outbreak Jan. 17, and linked it to Jack in the Box restaurants the next day.

Jack in the Box and San Diego-based Foodmaker have been named in several lawsuits stemming from the outbreak. They, in turn, have sued the meat supplier blamed for providing the tainted meat.

Senate opposes immigrants with AIDS virus

N.Y. Times News Service

WASHINGTON — In a sharp rebuff to President Clinton, the Senate voted overwhelmingly Thursday to stop the administration from allowing the immigration of people infected with the virus that causes AIDS.

Although the Senate action has little chance of becoming law, the 76-23 vote, in which 34 Democrats voted against the president, illustrated both the lingering discomfort in the Senate over AIDS and immigration issues and the new president's lack of control over the Senate.

It could foreshadow trouble as Clinton moves beyond economic issues to pursue his social agenda, which includes support for actions long advocated by homosexual-rights groups.

The vote followed an emotional debate between Republicans, who argued that the country could not afford to risk admitting AIDS patients, and liberal Democrats, who said Americans should show no less compassion than other industrialized countries that offer sanctuary to such immigrants.

The administration did not lobby strenuously against the Republican-sponsored measure, fearing that it would become as intensely disputed as the president's insistence on allowing openly homosexual people to serve in the military.

Gay-rights advocates privately expressed disappointment in the administration's inaction, but Senate Democrats said it was understandable that the White House chose to focus its attention on the economic program that Clinton introduced on Wednesday, particularly since the immigration measure will probably die in the House.

Currently, the restriction that prevents people with the AIDS virus from entering the country is included in regulations, and the President could simply reverse these. The measure passed by the Senate would make the restriction a matter of law that could be reversed only by Congress.

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Jury to deliberate teen's punishment

■ Mother testifies in punishment phase of her son's attempted capital murder trial.

By Ed Todd
Staff writer

Clay Colby Sellars, the 16-year-old Midland high-school student who was convicted on Wednesday of attempted capital murder of a fellow student last Nov. 7, has been "more somber, more serious than he was before," his mother testified on Thursday.

"He seems more mature," said his mother, Jan Sellars, a Midland certified public accountant. "He has been very remorseful . . . and has expressed shame."

Mrs. Sellars was one of several defense witnesses to testify before a six-man, six-woman jury in Judge Al Walvoord's County Court-at-Law courtroom during the punishment phase of the trial.

The youth's punishment could range from one-year probation, to be served at home with his family while attending counseling and therapeutic sessions, to a 40-year prison sentence.

Defense attorney Tom Morgan is building a case for effective rehabilitation through probation, while the prosecutor, Midland County Attorney Mark H. Dettman, is contending that Sellars should be imprisoned and his threat to society removed from the community.

The jury is to determine Sellars' punishment today after closing arguments by Dettman and Morgan.

If jurors sentence him to prison, Sellars, now a juvenile, would be confined in the Texas Youth Commission until his 18th birthday in June 1994. Then he would be imprisoned as an adult by the Correctional Division of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice.

The jury convicted Sellars of hiring a supposed Dallas-based contract killer — who in fact was a Texas Department of Public Safety undercover agent — to shoot to death 16-year-old Mario Paredes and to make his death appear suicidal.

Mario's parents, Greg and Martha Paredes, were in the courtroom.

Testimony indicated that Sellars' motive for hiring the would-be killer was rooted in jealously. Sellars wanted to date Paredes' girlfriend, 16-year-old Jeanette Oatman. Sellars had met Miss Oatman in a church setting.

"He knows . . . the Bible," Mrs. Sellars said of her son. "He knew it (the scheme) was wrong."

She described her son as an industrious, church-going boy who excelled in a Science Fair maze project, made television news with his dog, was in the San Jacinto Junior High School leadership class, delivered pizzas and mowed

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Raising the flags

St. Ann's School sixth-graders Brian Hill, 12, and Marie Monnig, 11, raise the U.S. and Texas flags during Thursday's cold weather.

State lawmakers file judicial election bill

■ Bill calls for dividing Midland, Ector and Lubbock counties along county commissioner district lines.

By John Powers
Reporter-Telegram Austin bureau

AUSTIN — A group of 14 state senators has introduced legislation that would divide Midland, Ector and Lubbock counties along county commissioner district lines for judicial elections.

Senate Bill 379, introduced Wednesday, also would conduct judicial elections in Jefferson, Harris, Dallas, Tarrant and Bexar counties along state representative lines.

"This legislation is a starting point for us to resolve this litigation, which has been going on for four years and cost the taxpayers hundreds of thousands of dollars in defending a system that is morally and legally indefensible," said Sen. Rodney Ellis, D-Houston, one of the bill's sponsors.

Ellis said he is flexible about how the Legislature would draw the lines and implement the details of the bill to provide for a smooth transition from incumbent judges to the new system.

The 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals panel of three judges ruled 2-1 that at-large judicial elections in the eight urban Texas counties create a disadvantage for black and Hispanic voters. The court gave state lawmakers six months to come up with a new system.

Since then, one member of the panel has asked that the case be reviewed by all 13 appeals court judges.

The U.S. Supreme Court ruled the Voting Rights Act applies to judicial elections, and sent the case back to the appeals court for action.

State Attorney General Dan Morales has said he will present several options within 30 days to be considered by the Legislature.

Sen. David Sibley, R-Waco, has announced plans to propose a constitutional amendment to allow appointment rather than election of judges.

Texas is one of only eight states that still elects all judges in partisan races. Only 12 of the 157 judges in the eight counties are black or Hispanic. In the the November election, voters defeated three minority judges that Gov. Ann Richards had appointed to fill unexpired judicial posts.

According to electoral analysis by Ellis, one of the three district judges in Midland County could be a minority, along with one of four judges in Ector County and two of six in Lubbock County. Currently, no minority serves as a state judge in the three counties.

Suspension 'politically motivated,' Martin dispatcher says

By Ed Todd
Staff writer

STANTON — Stanton City Councilman Jim Epley said Thursday that his being placed on a 60-day unpaid suspension as a dispatcher for Martin County Sheriff Mike Welling was "politically motivated" as were the firings of two police officers by Stanton Police Chief Michael Adams.

"I don't think Mike (Welling) would have fired me — suspended me 60 days without pay — if he hadn't been prodded into it by Michael Adams," Epley, 41, said.

Following Adams' firings of police officers Dwain Dempsey, 42, in mid-January and Oscar Chavez, 33, in early February, Epley had proposed in separate City Council hearings that the ex-officer be rehired despite Adams' protest.

Adams had terminated Dempsey for disobeying an order, which Dempsey had interpreted as an option. And Chavez was fired for making a false report to the sheriff. Both termed the police chief as intimidating.

The City Council, in a 2-3-1 vote, voted on Jan. 26 not to reinstate Dempsey. And on Feb. 8, the council voted 3-to-2 to rehire Chavez, who never returned to work. Instead, he took a job in Sierra Blanca, Epley said.

Epley surmised that his suspension by the sheriff is linked to his aggressiveness in city government and in calling for a review of Adams' techniques in running the Stanton Police Department.

"Mike (Welling) runs his office," Adams said. "That's the bottom line of it. That's something that is the inner workings of the Sheriff's Office."

Epley said that Welling suspended him on Wednesday afternoon for two reasons: for his discussing city business with Justice of the Peace Nolan Parker in the Sheriff's Office and for unspecified complaints against him.

"They (Adams and Welling) are hiding something, or they wouldn't be afraid of my working there (in the Sheriff's Dispatch Office)," Epley charged.

Epley, who formerly operated a livestock feed store in Greenwood, was elected to the City Council in May 1992. And in August 1992, retiring Sheriff Dan Saunders hired Epley as a dispatcher.

As an officeholder, Epley said he was not going to be a "yes man" and go along with the status quo.

"I started to question some of the expenditures, which I believed to be unnecessary (in his duty) to watch out for the taxpayers' money," Epley said is a prepared statement.

His wife, Ronnie, works in City

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Sales tax rebate checks increase for city and county

Staff report

Midland and Midland County both experienced increases from last year in February sales tax rebates, issued Thursday by State Comptroller John Sharp.

Midland had a 17.54 percent increase over last year with a 1993 figure of $1,376,373.94. Last year's figure was $1,170,948.51. It was also a 12.62 percent increase for the year-to-date figures. This year's total was $1,991,415.93, compared to last year's $1,768,-319.07.

Midland County had a 25.62 percent increase for the month with a $779.857.01 rebate this year. Last year's rebate for the county was $620.793.05. The county experienced a 17.82 percent increase for the year-to-date, with a 1993 figure of $1,135,546.68. Last year's total was $963.760.47.

Sharp delivered a total of $212.5 million in rebates to 1,071 Texas cities and 109 counties, which was a 17.3 percent increase over last year.

Texas cities received $192.1 million, up 17.5 percent over last year's $163.4 million. Counties received a total of $20.3 million this year, a 15.3 percent increase over the 1992 rebates of $17.6 million.

This month's payments include taxes collected on December's Christmas sales and reported in January by businesses filing monthly returns. February's rebates also reflect taxes reported by businesses filing quarterly returns for sales made in October, November and December.

High stepping'

Fred Wright IV, 9, front, defies gravity along with his friend Steven Long, 7, after school Thursday behind Marian Blakemore Planetarium near the Museum of the Southwest.

Joe D. Williams/
Reporter-Telegram

MISD trustee Marmolejo announces for re-election

Staff report

Adela Marmolejo has announced her re-election candidacy for District 2 seat on the Midland Independent School Board of Trustees.

Marmolejo

Born and raised in Midland, Ms. Marmolejo received her education from Midland public schools and graduated from Midland College.

"Education is the first step to a better future," Ms. Marmolejo said. "As a link in the communication of the whole community I have given voice not only to my district but also by listening and sharing the concerns of other districts."

"The more we share, the more the community will be united to provide the best education to our children that are the makers of tomorrow. We need to insure them a brighter future," she said.

She has served on the MISD board since 1988 and was board secretary in 1991-'92. She has continued to be an active member in the local, state, and national PTA organizations. She has participated in Project Blueprint, the Eastside Task Force, League of Women Voters, EPIC, Permian Basin School Board Association, Texas Bilingual Association, Community Justice Committee, Insurance Committee, Audit Committee, and

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Jurors send convicted killer McDuff back to death row

HOUSTON (AP) — It took a jury just 65 minutes Thursday to send Kenneth McDuff back to death row for the brutal kidnapping and murder of a Waco convenience store clerk last year.

McDuff, 46, labeled by prosecutors as a sadistic serial killer, became known around Texas as the prime example of a parole system in turmoil.

"Kenneth McDuff was a kidnapper, a rapist and a murderer and he got what he deserved," said Mike Freeman, assistant district attorney for McLennan County.

McDuff showed no reaction as the verdict was read but later professed his innocence.

"I'm sorry about what happened, but I wasn't the one who did it," McDuff said as he was led away from the courthouse.

The same jury on Tuesday convicted McDuff of capital murder in 22-year-old Melissa Northrup's slaying.

The pregnant mother of two disappeared March 1, 1992, from the Quik-Pak store where she worked as the overnight clerk. Her partially clad, decomposing body was found almost two months later floating in a Dallas County gravel pit. Authorities could not determine how Mrs. Northrup died, but her hands were tied behind her back.

The victim's mother, Brenda Solomon, thanked the jury for their verdict.

"I feel a whole lot better now," Mrs. Solomon said after hugging prosecutors Thursday.

One of McDuff's attorneys, Walter Reaves, said the defense team was "disappointed but not surprised."

The attorneys said McDuff was hurt by his insistence on taking the stand in his own defense and his refusal to allow them to present certain evidence.

"I do believe that if he would've let us put on the evidence that we wanted to present, we would've had a lot better shot at it," defense attorney Dwight Goains said.

During final arguments in the punishment phase Thursday, prosecutors portrayed McDuff as a vicious sexual predator, while defense attorneys urged jurors not to be swayed by emotion and asked that McDuff be sentenced to life behind bars.

"This man not only has a propensity for violence, I believe he has even an appetite for violence, simply for his own pleasure," Craw-

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TRIAL: Teen could get probation, confinement

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lawns.

"He had to earn his own spending money . . . for dates and gas," she said in response to Morgan's questions.

Sellars, who has been "in church" since he was an infant, had participated in the Walk to Emmaus, a four-day retreat and "a walk with Jesus" that afforded participants time to reflect on their relationship with God.

"He's not aggressive," Mrs. Sellars said. "He's not violent. There's not going to be anybody endangered" by her son should he be given probation.

Under questioning by Dettman, who suggested that Sellars was a "good boy gone bad," Mrs. Sellars responded: "He didn't go bad. He made a mistake."

"Pretty serious mistake," Dettman retorted.

"I agree with that," she said.

Dettman had termed the "mistake" a criminal act.

Dettman asked Mrs. Sellars how she would respond were her son the object of a murder plot.

"I would be (too) biased to make that decision," she said.

After Morgan summoned Roger Willis, the education minister of the church that the Sellars attend, Dettman played a five-minute tape recording of a Nov. 6 telephone conversation between Sellars and the go-between who was arranging Sellars' meeting with the "hit man."

Dettman said Sellars had tried to hire two other hit men before he met with the undercover agent on the Kmart parking lot on the afternoon of Saturday, Nov. 7.

"I . . . hate him," Sellars said in the taped obscenity-laden conversation. "I want him (Paredes) dead. . . . I'm dead . . . serious."

Sellars said on tape that if there were a " . . . load of cops" on the Kmart parking lot, "I ain't hanging around."

Sellars said that he couldn't afford to go to prison.

Earlier, Mrs. Sellars said that her son had "never used that (obscene) language in front of me."

Defense witness Kerry Hillman, a Midland educator who leaned toward probation for Sellars, told Dettman that, "first and foremost," there should be rehabilitation. And if imprisonment is necessary for rehabilitation, then "so be it."

"I know teen-agers do stupid things," Hillman said.

Hillman, assistant principal at Goddard Junior High School, had counseled Sellars when he was a teacher at San Jacinto Junior High School and later as dean of students at Lee High School.

San Angelo psychologist Dr. Jarvis A. Wright, who was hired by Morgan to test and evaluate Sellars, said that the youth appeared "relatively well adjusted" and that he was in the "bright-and-normal range."

However, Wright suggested that a "very good case of insanity" could be made for the time in November when Sellars sought out a hit man.

"I find it quite refreshing" that Sellars was remorseful for all the pain he caused others and himself, Wright said.

Under questioning by Dettman, Wright said Sellars' remorse was sincere and was not regret over his being caught and arrested.

"Basically, I find him to be a well-adjusted youngster," Wright said. "None of us is perfect."

Wright, too, recommended probation for Sellars, particularly since the attempted-capital-murder incident was a "very isolated thing in his life."

Wright said that it was "delightful" that Sellars didn't try to justify or mollify his action, which Wright described as "half-hearted."

Wright said Sellars told him that Paredes had been "very rude" to him and that Sellars "never told me he genuinely wanted him dead."

Wright said the Sellars family "doesn't make excuses" for the legal system for picking on the youth, whose family is supportive of him.

His father, Billy Jack Sellars, is a gun dealer and former oil-company production foreman.

In cross-examining the father, Dettman recalled asking the senior Sellars if he believed that "some people have the right to decide who gets to live and who should die?" To that, the father replied " 'Yes, I believe that,' " Dettman said. Later, Morgan said that the context, for example, would be in a military setting.

DEATHS

Jared Hayes

Graveside services for Jared Scott Hayes, infant son of John and Shelbae Hayes of Midland, are set for 2 p.m. Saturday at Resthaven North Memorial Park with the Rev. Russ Hale of Kelview Heights Baptist Church officiating. Services are under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Survivors include his parents, John and Shelbae Hayes of Midland; one brother, Corey J. Hayes of Midland; his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Hayes and Mr. and Mrs. T. Richard Foster, all of Midland; and his great-grandparents, Barham C. Parker of Silver Springs, Md., and Thomas T. Foster of Fort Stockton.

Louie Armstrong

Services for Louie E. "Boots" Armstrong, 62, of Midland are set for 2 p.m. today at First Baptist Church in Big Lake with the Rev. J.B. Bitner officiating. Burial will follow in Glenrest Cemetery in Big Lake with graveside rites by Big Lake Masonic Lodge. Arrangements are under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home of Midland.

Pallbearers are to be Don Johnson, Wilbert Holub, Charlie Bobb, Jimmy Morgette, Derrell Black and R.L. McKinney.

Willie Garvin

Services for Willie E. Garvin, 93, of Midland are set for 11 a.m. Saturday at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with Gene Stack officiating. Burial will be in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Garvin died Thursday in Midland.

She was born Jan. 31, 1900, in Nolan County and grew up in Dora.

She married Angus Garvin on Oct. 23, 1919. He preceded her in death in 1980.

She moved to Merkel and then to Midland in 1941. She was a member of Calvary Baptist Church.

Survivors include three sons, John A. Garvin of Midland, Charlie B. Garvin of Roebuck, S.C., and Jimmy F. Garvin of Traverse City, Mich.; and four daughters, Annie D. Jones of Buffalo Gap, Christine Webb of Commerce, Okla., and Evelyn Henley and Juanita Johnson, both of Midland.

Walter McQuatters

HOUSTON — Services for Walter W. McQuatters, 73, of Houston and brother of Auther Jay McQuatters of Midland, are set for 10 a.m. Saturday at North Assembly of God in Houston with the Revs. Paul Emerson and Robert Durham officiating. Burial will follow in Rosewood Memorial Park in Humble under the direction of Rosewood Funeral Home in Humble.

Visitation will be from 11 a.m.- 9 p.m. Friday at the funeral home.

McQuatters died Wednesday.

He was a U.S. Navy veteran of World War II. He was a retired longshoreman and a member of North Central Assembly of God.

Other survivors include his wife, Penny McQuatters of Houston; four daughters, Tereasa Durham of Porter, Sarah Emerson of Spring, Pamela Zaborowski of Houston and Beverly Smith of New Caney; and three grandchildren.

Miguel Ramirez

Mass for Miguel G. "Mike" Ramirez of Midland will be at 1 p.m. at Our Lady of Guadalupe Church with the Rev. Jose Lugo, O.M.I., officiating. Burial will follow in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Ramirez died Tuesday at a local hospital.

MARTIN: Sheriff denies council member's claims

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Hall as the police chief's secretary.

Epley noted that he stood up for Dempsey and Chavez in protesting what he termed their "unjust" firings.

"I believe it was politically motivated and done in retaliation just as my suspension was," Epley said.

Late Thursday, Welling said for "anybody to say this is political, or I've got anything to hide, is totally absurd."

The sheriff said he was "real disappointed that Jimmy wanted to bring this thing into the public.

"What started out to be an internal matter, he now is bringing into a public-type situation. When Jimmy brings City Council business into the Sheriff's Department, then at that point, and he's dragging us into it, and we don't want to be in it.

"The City Council business has no place in my office," the sheriff said, "and for him bring it in there is wrong."

Welling said he asked Epley to "take a leave of absence until they got everything straightened out in City Hall and until we had a chance to look at the complaints that had been lodged against him (Epley).

"I tried to get it across to Jimmy that we would handle the problem as quickly and as impartially as possible, and we would handle it internally," Welling said. "In all fairness to Jimmy and his family, I don't feel like I should make any further comment in this matter."

KILLER: Jurors sentence McDuff to death row

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ford Long, McLennan County assistant district attorney, said.

McDuff first was sent to death row a quarter-century ago after being convicted of killing a Fort Worth teen-ager in 1966. But that sentence was commuted to life in 1972, when the U.S. Supreme Court ruled the then-death penalty unconstitutional. McDuff was paroled in 1989 after serving 23 years.

His parole was viewed as an example of the problems in the state prison and parole system.

Defense attorneys said they plan to appeal McDuff's conviction on several issues, including their contention that charges should have been brought in Dallas County, where Mrs. Northrup's body was found, instead of McLennan County. The trial was moved to Houston due to extensive media coverage.

But they said their strongest ground for appeal comes in state District Judge Bob Burdette's decision to admit testimony from Alva Hank Worley, 34, of Temple. Worley testified that he and McDuff abducted 28-year-old Colleen Reed from an Austin car wash on Dec. 29, 1991. Her body has not been found.

"It certainly was a critical piece of evidence in this case, and I think we've got a real, real good chance on appeal," defense attorney Reaves said.

However, McLennan County District Attorney John Segrest responded: "If that's their major issue, this conviction should fly through the courts without any problem."

Juror Granston Smith, 49, a Houston truck driver, said it took two ballots for the jury to convict McDuff Tuesday. The first poll was 11-1 — with his vote the lone dissent, Smith said.

But Smith said his mind was changed by the testimony of a Seagoville woman, Shari Robinson. Ms. Robinson said she gave McDuff a bowl of beans when he came to her house near where Mrs. Northrup's body was found on the night of March 1.

"If the guy hadn't gotten hungry, wanted some beans, he probably would've won," Smith said.

If ever given the chance, Smith said, he believes McDuff will kill again.

"He's a man that don't need to be in society, that's for sure. He really is. He's a guy who don't have a heart, and I guess he just has to have everything his way or no way at all," Smith said.

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the Midland Bilingual Teacher Association.

She is a member of Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church, and is a single parent with a son who attends Lee High School.

Her honors include being awarded the State PTA LIfe Membership, National PTA Life Membership, Outstanding Hispanic Parental Involvement Award, Outstanding Hispanic Involvement, and Who's Who Among Hispanic Americans.

LOCAL/AREA REPORTS

■ Accident

Staff report

A two-vehicle accident west of Midland International Airport left an Odessa man pinned under a pickup for almost an hour Thursday.

Doug Millican was in Memorial Hospital and Medical Center with a broken leg and was undergoing further evaluation late Thursday after the pickup he was driving was struck by another pickup and flipped five times before coming to a rest on its top.

Millican and 20-year-old Mark Burns, also of Odessa, were in a 1989 red GMC pickup traveling west on a service road at 1124 E. Highway 80. A 1981 beige Ford pickup, driven by Randall Hugh Soules, 30, of Odessa, was also traveling west and attempted to pass the other pickup. Soules' truck hit the GMC, causing the Millican to hit a pole and flip.

Burns was also transported to the hospital with minor injuries.

Soules was not injured and was arrested at the scene for driving while intoxicated.

Burns said it was about 30 minutes after the accident occurred before anyone stopped and called for help. Department of Public Safety officials said they received a call on the accident about 7:50 p.m.

■ Burglary suspect

A 12-year-old Midland girl was in custody after being identified as the suspect in a burglary at Hawthorne Court Apartments Wednesday.

According to a police report, officers responded to the apartments at 4:43 p.m. Wednesday in reference to a burglary. The officers were told by a maintenance man and a witness that they saw a 12-year-old black female leaving a vacant apartment. After further investigation, the suspect was arrested and taken to Culver Youth Home.

The girl is believed to have been involved in four or five other similar burglaries.

■ Store burglary

Police are still looking for those involved in a burglary of a business early Thursday morning.

According to a police report, officers responded to an alarm at Midland Sound, 1024 Andrews Highway, at 3:16 a.m. Thursday. The officers found that a person or persons had smashed the front window and removed the car stereo display.

Taken from the store were an AM/FM cassette player, a compact disc player, amplifier, 8 x 10 speakers, 6 x 9 speakers. The total value of the items is $3,350.

■ Drug charges

Six Midlanders were arrested Wednesday night for possession of cocaine.

An officer conducted a traffic stop at 100 N. Lee at 7:22 p.m. Wednesday, police reported. The vehicle was occupied by three adults and three juveniles. A small bag of marijuana was thrown from the vehicle; officers later found it. After further investigation, a small amount of cocaine was also found, police said.

Rodrick Hickey, 20, Jackie Lenard and Jason McAfee, both 18, were arrested and charged with possession of cocaine. Hickey and Lenard had posted bond Thursday and McAfee remained in custody on $2,500 bond.

The three juveniles were taken to the Culver Youth Center and charged with possession of cocaine.

■ Shooting

ODESSA — An Odessa man was in jail Thursday following a shooting incident at an east Odessa apartment earlier in the day.

According to a police report, Rodney Lynn Creech, 30, of Odessa, reported that he and Kelly Conrad Ridley, 30, were in an argument when Ridley pulled out a rifle and shot Creech in the left hand. The incident occurred at 1:15 a.m. at Park Plaza Apartments, 938 N. Meadow, #L.

Creech was treated and released at Odessa Medical Center.

Ridley was in jail charged with aggravated assault. Bond was set at $5,000.

■ Drug possession

ODESSA — Four Odessa men were in jail Thursday after officers found cocaine in their possession.

According to a police report, officers were called to the El Silverado Club, 305 S. Grant, in reference to four men in possession of cocaine at about 2 a.m. Thursday.

Bivian Villalobos, 38, Abelino Martinez Porras, 51, and Jose Garcia Bernal, 38, were all in jail Thursday charged with possession of cocaine. Bond was set at $7,500.

Ruben Lujan Ortega, 36, was charged with possession of cocaine, unlawfully carrying a weapon on a licensed premise and had an outstanding warrant for parole violation. Bond was set at $7,500 for possession and $2,500 for carrying a weapon.

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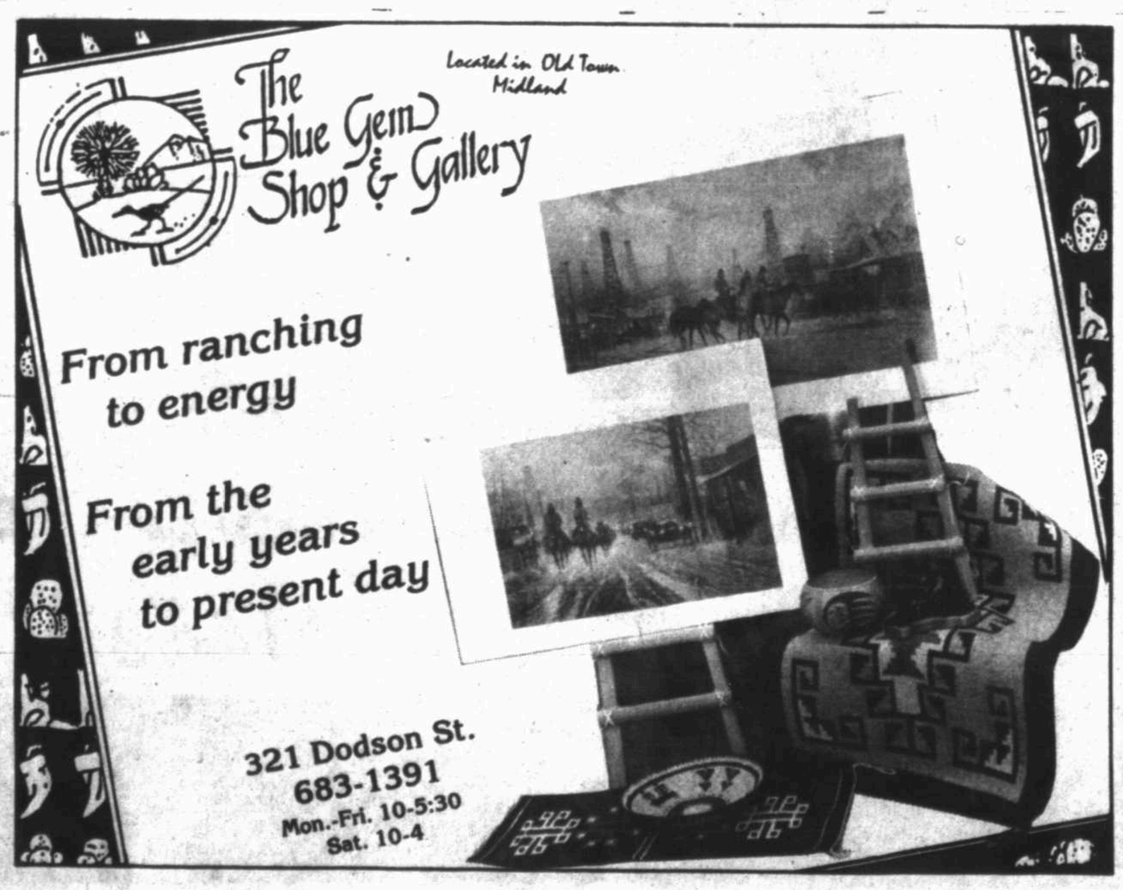

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Bentsen pitches Clinton's plan to Austin students

AUSTIN (AP) — President Clinton's economic plan got a passing grade from at least one segment of the population Thursday when U.S. Treasury Secretary Lloyd Bentsen pitched it to a group of high school juniors and seniors.

"I chose a group like this to talk about that speech last night because a lot of that speech was about you," Bentsen told about 300 students packed into Austin's McCallum High School cafeteria.

The students' homework assignment Wednesday was to watch Clinton's televised address to a joint session of Congress. But instead of facing a pop quiz on the material, they had the opportunity to test Bentsen.

The students asked him questions about education, jobs and the taxes proposed by Clinton.

Bentsen told the students that Clinton's plan would help cut the deficit, as well as provide jobs for them after they graduate from high school or college.

"We're investing in you, we're investing in Texas, and we're investing in our country with these programs," he said. "This package is aimed at improving the national economy . . . and that is the economy you're going to inherit."

Bentsen also reiterated Clinton's promise that the proposed tax increases will be balanced with federal cutbacks.

"It's only fair that we start cutting the bureaucracy in Washington," he said.

Bentsen joined other White House officials who took to the road Thursday promoting Clinton's economic plan.

Rebecca Boggs, a McCallum economics teacher, said Bentsen's visit helped the teen-agers understand the economy's intricacies.

"He did a real good job of trying to explain to the kids how the package would help them," she said.

The students gave Bentsen a standing ovation when he was introduced by student council president Matt Fuller.

"It's really neat just to have someone from Washington here," said Rachael Branson, a 17-year-old senior.

Fuller said he admired the Clinton administration's honesty in dealing with the economy.

"I like the sort of down-homeness of the whole thing. We're all in this together, and we're going to have to pay taxes," said Fuller, an 18-year-old senior.

Alex Kuperman, a 17-year-old junior, said the Clinton plan seemed to pertain to young people.

"It really does make the youth of America seem like they are part of this nation," he said.

Supporters: Gun bills would give victims 'fighting chance'

AUSTIN (AP) — Supporters of bills that would allow Texans to carry concealed handguns said Thursday that the proposals would give law-abiding citizens a fighting chance when confronted by a criminal.

But opponents said the measures would promote violence.

Two bills that would set up licensing of concealed handguns were considered by the House Public Safety Committee. The bills were expected to be sent to a subcommittee for further study.

In dramatic testimony, Suzanna Gratia of Copperas Cove re-enacted how a gunman in 1991 killed 23 people, including her mother and father, in a Luby's cafeteria in Killeen.

Ms. Gratia walked around the hearing room pointing her finger as if it were a gun and "shot" people. She contended that if someone had been carrying a gun, the carnage would have been stopped.

"Please do something to make it legal for me," to carry a gun, she said.

State Rep. Ron Wilson, D-Houston, the author of one of the handgun measures, said his bill would "allow some individuals who normally would be victims to walk away, hopefully, with their lives."

But Rep. Al Edwards, D-Houston, said, "The issue is people are carrying guns who shouldn't have them, and they're not being penalized."

The bill by Wilson and another one by Rep. Bill Carter, R-Haltom City, would allow persons who are 21-years-old or older with no criminal or mental illness background to apply for a license. To get the license, applicants would have to complete 15 hours of firearm education.

Carter said that since a similar law went into effect in Florida, the homicide rate has dropped.

But law enforcement authorities said there is no way for the state to conduct a complete background check to determine whether a person is stable enough emotionally to carry a gun.

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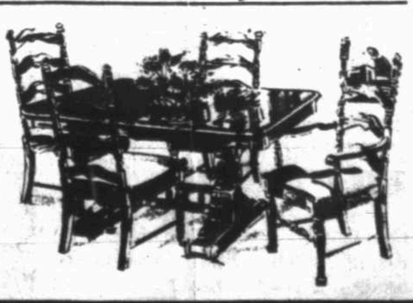

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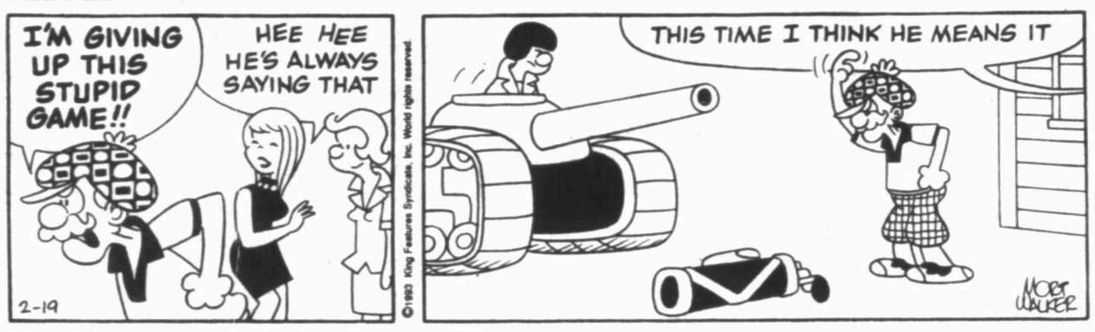

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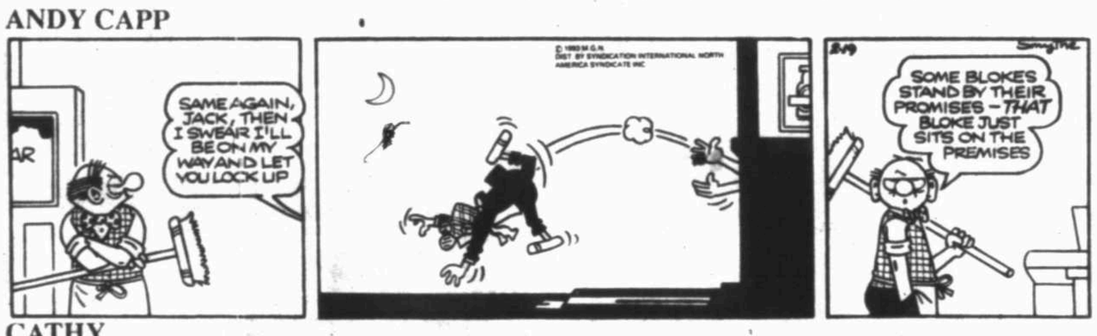

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By Jeane Dixon

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1993

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: A large helping of good luck will bring you the things you want most. Fortune smiles on your creative endeavors throughout the spring. This coming summer, other people try to influence your decisions more than you like. Selecting a partner who understands your need for freedom is the key to happy romance. By November, you will be contemplating a change of employment or residence. Friends and family prove wonderfully supportive.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: jockey Eddie Arcaro, the Duke of York Prince Andrew, actress Margaux Hemingway, singer Smokey Robinson.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): A wealth of ideas needs paring down to size. Do not let distractions keep you from handling important responsibilities. Creative ideas abound at work.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Original ideas and innovative methods attract favorable notice today. Use your theatrical flair to illustrate concepts. Now is the ideal time to launch a business enterprise.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Many errands and telephone calls are indicated today and tomorrow. Handle them promptly. A valuable partnership continues to flourish. A lucky breakthrough could come in an unexpected manner.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Highly favorable aspects mean speedy progress on an important work project or group effort. Friends can introduce you to business contacts. Let higher-ups see how talented you are.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): After a period of uncertainty, you reach a significant behind-the-scenes agreement. A job, investment or collaborative enterprise is at stake. Do not let temporary obstacles halt your progress.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Work should go well today. Be careful not to neglect family life in your preoccupation with getting ahead. Relax at home tonight. Read more about natural foods before altering your diet.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Someone may let you down today. It is best not to take promises at face value, especially where money or business is involved. Get the full facts from someone in the know.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Business and finance are again emphasized, and in a positive way. Creative ventures launched at this time stand a good chance of succeeding. Do not be afraid to take calculated risks.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Streamline your schedule so that you can concentrate on achieving what is really important. If planning to enjoy a socially active, fun-filled weekend, try to leave work early.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): You have lots of nervous energy today but may lack staying power. A meeting with the boss should go well. Toot your own horn for a change. Claim credit for your ideas.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): There is no point in postponing tasks that must be done or decisions that must be made. Roll up your sleeves and dig in. A negotiating session goes smoothly; the results delight you!

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): A good day for getting in touch with your real priorities and deepest needs. Planning ahead is reassuring. New occupational opportunities sound terrific.

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NORTH
♠ K 10 7
♡ K 9 4
◇ A 6 5
♣ K 9 3 2

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

EAST
♠ A Q 8 3
♡ 5
◇ Q 9 4
♣ Q 10 7 6 5

SOUTH
♠ 9 6 5
♡ A Q J 10 7 2
◇ J 3
♣ A 4

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 ♡	Pass	2 NT	Pass
3 ♡	Pass	4 ♡	Pass
Pass	Pass		

Opening lead: Six of ♡

Some bridge players are miserly with their cards. They hate playing anything but their lowest card to a trick they can't win. On defense, that means their partners will often have to work without any help of a signal. But being overly profligate with high cards can be as costly. This hand is from Bill Root's upcoming book on defense.

The auction is simple enough. South's heart rebid showed a six-card suit, and North, with a perfectly balanced hand, key heart filler and stopper in every suit, might have been wiser to insist on no trump rather than raise to four hearts. Nine tricks were on top after any lead.

West led a trump and declarer drew two more rounds. On the first of these East discarded a club, but on the second chose to signal with the eight of spades. That proved fatal. Declarer led the nine of spades, covered by the jack and king and won by East's ace. The club shift was taken in the closed hand and a spade to the ten fetched the ace. Declarer still had a diamond to lose, but that was all—making four-odd.

If declarer guesses the distribution, four hearts can always be made. However, had East discarded a low spade instead of the eight there is a great likelihood that declarer would have lost three spade tricks and gone down.

Bill Root's sage advice: Don't play a high card to give partner a signal if it may cost a trick.

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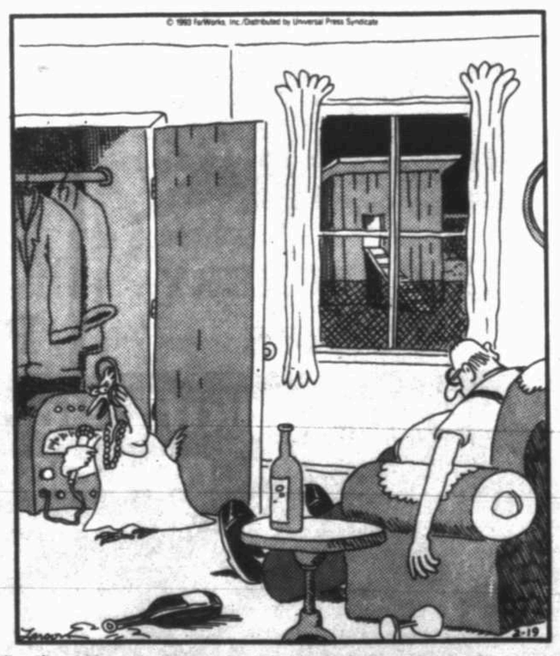

She was known as Madame D'Gizarde, and, in the early '40s, she used deceit, drugs and her beguiling charms to become the bane of chicken farmers everywhere.

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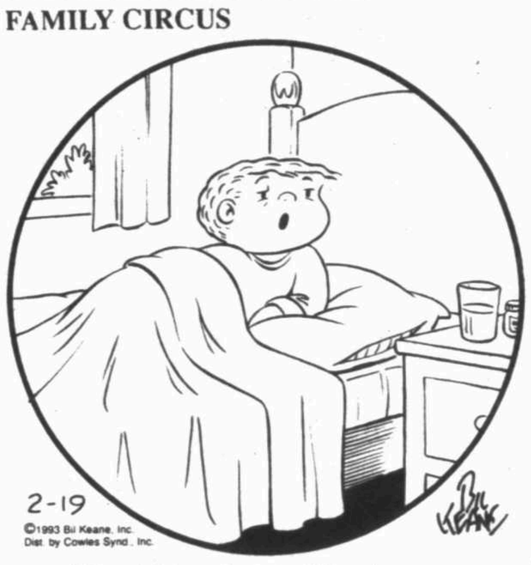

"Could I get out of bed now, Mommy? I'm feelin' less worse all the time."

DENNIS THE MENACE

"IS IT GETTING BORING IN HERE OR IS IT JUST ME?"

TODAY'S TV SCHEDULE

FRIDAY PRIME TIME — February 19, 1993 — *For complete information check movie listings.*

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3 KMID	2	3	News 426	Wheel of Fortune	Family Matters	Step by Step 890	Dinosaurs 3838	Camp Wilder 2345	20/20 9155		News 61180	Cheers 74600	Entertain. Tonight	Nightline 49529
5 KPEJ	24	5	Who's the Boss?	Designing Women	America's Most Wanted 44513		Sightings 98155	Sightings 73890	Star Trek: The Next Generation 40797		Mama's Family	Hunter: The Baby Game 857155		Love Connection
8 KOSA	7	8	News 3109	Golden Girls 7161	The Golden Palace	Major Dad 3345	The 1993 Miss USA Pageant 73451				News 18068	Married W/Children	Arsenio Hall 27819	
9 KTPX	9	9	News 7703	A Current Affair	Out All Night 1600	Rhythm & Blues	Perry Mason: The Case of the Skin-Deep Scandal ('93) (Raymond Burr) 24155				News 1737838	The Tonight Show (10:35) 1154345		Late Night
12 KMLM	42	12	Praise the Lord (4)		Update	The Tripps	Frederick K. Price		Praise the Lord 321161					
13 KOCV	36	13	MacNeil/Lehrer NewsHour 749703		Washington Week	Wall Street Week	McLaughlin Group	Inside Money	Great Performances: Miles Davis: A Tribute 855703				Off the Air	
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6 UNI		6	Magica Juventud 93744		Maria Mercedes 13635		Cine de Univision 20971				Noticiero Nocturna	Nosotros Gomez	Cine de Univision 1426074	
10 WGN		10	Designing Women	The Jeffersons	Heart Condition (R, '90) ** (Bob Hoskins, Denzel Washington) 847708				News: Rosenthal, Payne 633884		Night Court	Uptown Comedy 389971		Movie
11 WTBS		11	Beverly Hillbillies	Sanford & Son	Through Naked Eyes ('83) ** (David Soul, Pam Dawber) 732068				The Making of a Male Model ('83) * (Joan Collins, Jon-Erik Hexum) 575839				Valley Girl (R, '83) ** 691093	
14 CNN		14	Moneyline	Crossfire	Primenews		Larry King Live		World News		Sports	Moneyline	Newsnight	Crossfire
15 ESPN		15	SportsCenter	U.S. Pro Ski Tour 721548		Skiing: Subaru U.S. Alpine 133635		Superbouts 136242		Mickey Thompson's Off-Road Champ.	SportsCenter 683109			College Volleyball
16 USA		16	Quantum Leap 921345		Murder, She Wrote 325136		Renegades (R, '89) ** (Kiefer Sutherland, Lou Diamond Phillips) 420780				H.O.T.S. (R, '79) * (Susan Kiger, Lisa London) 305258			
17 HSE		17	College Hockey: Boston University at Maine 118364					SWC Today 57838	Boxing: Prime Championship Bout 88398				Hockey Week	Alamo High School
18 TNT		18	Jetsons 289432	Bugs Bunny &	Cat Ballou ('65) **** (Jane Fonda, Lee Marvin) 347600				NBA All-Star Friday 567242		Clash of the Titans (PG, '81) ** (Harry Hamlin, Laurence Olivier) 806819			
20 AMC		20	The Killers ('46) **** (Burt Lancaster, Ava Gardner) 853345				The Secret Life of Walter Mitty ('47) ** (Danny Kaye, Virginia Mayo) 858890				Roman Scandals ('33) *** (Eddie Cantor, Ruth Etting) 130906			
21 COM		21	Short Attention Span Theater 4893432		Two Drink Minimum 8241567			The A-List	Kids in the Hall	Saturday Night 8230451	Stand-Up Stand-Up	Whose Line Is It?	Mystery Science Theater 3000 6170708	
22 DISC		22	Galapagos: Ocean Travellers 209155		Wildlife Chronicles	The Arctic 513180	Submarines: Sharks of Steel 314426		Submarines: Sharks of Steel 490890		Wildlife Chronicles	The Arctic 656529	Submarines: Sharks of Steel 194884	
37 EWTN		37	Mass		You & God	Focus	Fr. Rutler	Rosary	Church	Vineyard	Scriptures	Familia	Mass	
39 A&E		39	In Search Of ... 390451		Time Machine 496074		Investigative Reports 405722		Caroline's Comedy Hour 492258		An Evening at the Improv 495345		Time Machine 285180	
40 FAM		40	Big Brother Jake	Maniac Mansion	Partners 'n Love ('92) ** (Eugene Levy, Linda Kash) 374068				The 700 Club 115722		Scarecrow and Mrs. King 125109		Bonanza: Maestro Hoss 469180	
41 NICK		41	Looney Tunes	Bullwinkle	Get Smart 792155	Superman 511722	Mary Tyler Moore	Dick Van Dyke	Dragnet 787838	Alfred Hitchcock	Lucy Show 661451	F Troop 574971	Get Smart 686155	Dobie Gillis
43 LIFE		43	Unsolved Mysteries		L.A. Law 402664		Body of Evidence ('88) *** 119548				thirtysomething		Unsolved Mysteries	
46 TNN		46	VideoPrime 456797		Crook and Chase		Nashville Now 686616			Encore!	Club Dance 657819		Miller & Company	
49 CNBC		49	Your Portfolio	Money Talk	Smart Money	Steals and Deals	Dick Cavett	Dick Cavett	Tom Snyder 5098242		Real Personal	Steals and Deals	Dick Cavett	Dick Cavett
51 BET		51	Triple Thr't	Sugar ...	Sanford	Comicview	Video Soul Top 20				Generat'n	News	Midnight Love Videos	
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1 VC1		1	Universal Soldier (5)		Lynyrd Skynyrd & Friends Lyve 3298819						Lynyrd Skynyrd & Friends Lyve 6550884			
23 HBO		23	Time After Time (5) (PG, '79) ** 826695		Double Impact (R, '91) ** (Jean-Claude Van Damme, Geoffrey Lewis) 652838				Freejack (R, '92) * (Emilio Estevez, Mick Jagger) 862093				Def Comedy Jam	Lower Level
24 SHOW		24	UHF (6:15) (PG-13, '89) ** (Weird Al Yankovic, Victoria Jackson) 15745074				Shocker (R, '89) * (Michael Murphy, Peter Berg) 950242				V.I. Warshawski (R, '91) * (Kathleen Turner) 712819			Wildest Dreams
25 TMC		25	Narrow Margin (5) (R, '90) *** 528093		Terminator 2: Judgment Day (R, '91) *** (Arnold Schwarzenegger, Linda Hamilton) 269884					True Identity (R, '91) ** (Lenny Henry) 8856797			Medicine Man (11:05) (PG-13) 50341797	
26 MAX		26	Telefon (5) (PG, '77) *** 832987		Voyager (PG-13, '91) *** (Sam Shepard, Julie Delpy) 372600				Wild Orchid 2: Two Shades of Blue (R, '92) * (Nina Siemaszko) 110277				Forbidden Passion (R, '83) 491180	
28 DISN		28	The Slipper and the Rose (5) (G, '76) *** 712906			Paula Abdul: Under My Spell 1675695	Journey to the Center of the Earth (8:35) (G, '59) *** (Pat Boone, James Mason) 36772168						Voyage to the Bottom of the Sea	
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PEOPLE

TV's Roseanne, Tom Arnold take time off, shop for gossip

DALLAS — When **Roseanne** and **Tom Arnold** aren't hungry for food, they shop for gossip.

During their two-day stay in Dallas this week, the television stars of ABC-TV's "Roseanne" and "The Jackie Thomas Show" were spotted shopping at a local grocery store.

Their haul? Copies of all the tabloids.

Tom Arnold told the staff of the Loews Anatole hotel the couple were "taking some time off."

The two spent most of their stay inside their room before checking out Wednesday.

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MONROE, N.C. — Actress-turned-director **Sondra Locke** is filming scenes for a trial drama at the Old Union County Courthouse, a 107-year-old building that epitomizes traditional Southern court architecture.

Locke

"Death in Small Doses," based on a real-life Texas murder case, stars **Richard Thomas** of "The Waltons" fame and **Tess Harper,** best known for her role in the movie "Crimes of the Heart."

Locke, who directed the feature films "Ratboy" and "Impulse," was exacting on the set Tuesday, ordering eight takes for a 90-second scene.

Locke gained acting fame in her first movie, "The Heart Is a Lonely Hunter," winning a 1968 Academy Award nomination as supporting actress when she was 17.

Filming in Monroe was scheduled through Friday. Producers have no air date for the ABC film yet.

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VALHALLA, N.Y. — Rapper **KRS-One** told young blacks to think for themselves and urged calm when verdicts are reached in the federal trial of Los Angeles police officers charged in the videotaped beating of Rodney King.

The rapper, whose real name is **Chris Parker,** told about 400 people Wednesday at Westchester Community College that racial barriers will be broken only when people begin looking for solutions within.

"We've got to think, to benefit ourselves, to benefit our future careers," he said. "The only black and white in this world are books and ink."

KRS-One and his group Boogie Down Productions had hits with the songs "South Bronx" and "Stop the Violence."

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NEW ORLEANS — **Wilma Rudolph,** the first woman from the United States to win three gold medals in track and field at a single Olympiad, will be grand marshal of this year's Mardi Gras parade by the Zulu krewe.

At the 1960 summer Olympics in Rome, Rudolph won a gold medal in the women's 100-meter and 200-meter dash and anchored the gold medal-winning 400-meter relay team.

Rudolph, who retired from competitive sports in 1961, now is vice president of Baptist Hospital in Nashville, Tenn., where she assists in developing corporate fitness programs. She also is a member of the U.S. Olympic Executive Committee.

Zulu, whose parade precedes that of the Rex krewe on Fat Tuesday, is a mostly black Carnival Krewe formed in 1916 by black laborers and longshoremen as a spoof of all-white Carnival clubs.

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ATLANTA — **Michael Jackson** will lend his presence, but not necessarily his voice, to former President **Jimmy Carter's** Atlanta Project.

The Carter Center retreated from its previous announcement that Jackson planned a free performance in May for children and families in the project's immunization program.

Now the center is saying only that Jackson will appear in Atlanta to support immunization efforts.

"The event will not be a traditional concert but part of a communitywide celebration," Carter Center spokeswoman **Carrie Harmon** said Tuesday.

Carter and Jackson recently announced a partnership between Carter's program fighting urban poverty and Jackson's "Heal L.A." project.

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LAS VEGAS — Singer **Abbe Lane** says she hopes her new book, a novel that mirrors her stormy marriage to the late bandleader **Xavier Cugat,** will give other women the courage to escape abusive relationships.

"If a woman is being abused, physically or emotionally, she should seek counseling," Ms. Lane said Tuesday night, midway through an 18-city tour to promote her new book, "But Where Is Love?"

"If the counseling doesn't work, then she should just get out," she said.

Lane, 56, met Cugat when she was 15 and he — at 52 — was an orchestra leader of the big band era. The two were married and spent 12 turbulent years together. They divorced in 1964. Cugat died in 1990.

She made 22 films between 1954 and 1964, and became a nightclub headliner. She said she endured emotional and physical abuse from Cugat until she finally summoned the courage to leave. Other women shouldn't wait so long, she said.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.

DAILY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Edited by Trude Michel Jaffe

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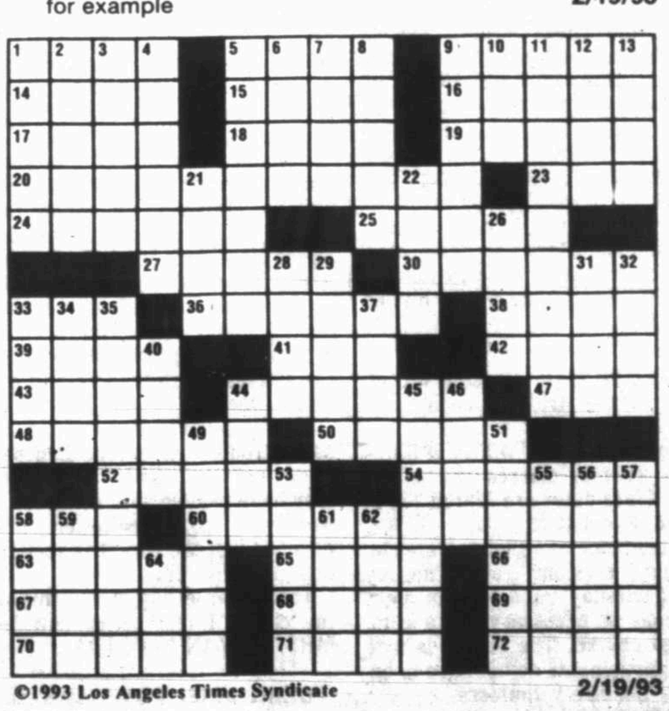

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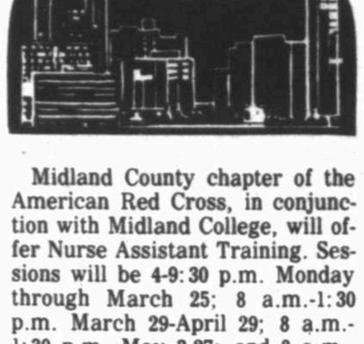

Midland County chapter of the American Red Cross, in conjunction with Midland College, will offer Nurse Assistant Training. Sessions will be 4-9:30 p.m. Monday through March 25; 8 a.m.-1:30 p.m. March 29-April 29; 8 a.m.-1:30 p.m. May 3-27; and 8 a.m.-1:30 p.m. July 12-Aug. 5.

Registration for this 80-hour program will be taken at the Continuing Education office at MC, 3600 N. Garfield. Cost for the course is $271, and pre-registration must be completed by noon of the business day before class begins.

The course will be taught at the Red Cross training facility, 704 Washington. Students who complete the program will receive an American Red Cross Certificaion and will be prepared and scheduled to take the state exam administered by Texas Department of Public Health.

For more information call Continuing Education at MC (685-4518) or American Red Cross (684-6161)...

...ALTRUSA INTERNATIONAL Inc. of Midland will host its annual Woman of the Year banquet 6:30 p.m. March 4 at the Plaza Club in ClayDesta. Past recipients will be guests of members...

...SUBURBAN LIONS Club will host its monthly Suburban Jamboree 6:30-10:30 p.m. Saturday at the club's building, 2550 Flynt Ave., north of Francis Street between Cottonflat Road and S. Midkiff. Western-swing music and gospel singing will be presented by local bands and singing groups. Individuals and groups are invited to participate. Club members will sell food, tea, coffee and soft drinks. The public is invited to attend this free event. For more information call 684-7233 or 685-1053...

...PERMIAN PLAYERS of Midland will once again present the Andrew Lloyd Webber rock opera "Jesus Christ Superstar." Open auditions will be 1:30 p.m. Feb. 28 and 7:30 p.m. March 1 at Permian Church of Religious Science, 2311 Elizabeth Ave.

Parts are available for youth and adults in a wide range of ages and various voice ranges. Casting committee will include the music director Janice Archer, choreographer Lisa Vaughn, and director Andy Salcedo.

Performance dates will be scheduled April 1-10. For more information or audition materials call 684-4230...

...MIDLAND CHRISTIAN Women's Club will meet for "Spring Into Fashion Brunch" 10 a.m.-noon March 2 at the Plaza Club. Mervyn's will present a spring fashion show. Chris Ashley will present musical entertainment. Darlene Bright of Garland will give a talk on "Bouquets of Practical Wisdom."

Cost of the brunch is $7. Free nursery will be at Northwestern Baptist Church. Midland Christian Women's Club is non-denominational and has no church membership or dues. All interested women are invited to attend. For brunch and nursery reservations call 699-7472 or 682-5851...

...ST. ANN'S Catholic Church Altar Society will host its annual Shrove Tuesday Spaghetti Luncheon 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Tuesday at St. Ann's School cafeteria, corner of M and Texas Streets. Tickets are $4 each and can be purchased at the door. Parking will be on school grounds. The public is invited to attend...

...MIDLAND ROSE Society will meet 7:15 p.m. Tuesday at Sibley Learning Center, 1300 E. Wadley in Midland. Hands-on demonstration of pruning will be presented. All interested persons are invited to attend...

...HOSPICE OF Midland will offer volunteer training each Tuesday and Thursday in March.

Morning classes will be 9 a.m.-noon; evening classes will be 7-10 p.m. Class dates are March 2-4, 9-11, 16-18 and 23-25.

Attendance at either morning or evening sessions each Tuesday and Thursday for a total of eight sessions is necessary for a completed course. The course is free and participants do not have to become Hospice volunteers.

For more information or to register call 682-2855...

FAMILY MATTERS

Daughter's divorce 'off limits' to parents

By Jim May, Ph.D.

DEAR FAMILY: My 30-year-old daughter is in the process of divorcing her husband of six years. They have two lovely daughters and it just breaks my heart to see all of this happen. My daughter has made it clear that the divorce is her business and, on the advice of her counselor, won't discuss any of it with me. That's all right with me *except* that her husband is in business with my husband and I have to see him regularly at the office.

May

I have no negative feelings against (son-in-law) at all. He has always been very nice to me and our family. As per my daughter's wishes, I'm not saying anything to (him) about all of this. We all just pretend that everything is all right and only talk about business and generalities.

The problem that I'm having in all of this is that friends of my daughter tell me that she is very, very angry at (husband). I've heard stories about some of the things that she has done, like locking him out of the house, throwing his clothes out on the driveway, calling the police, and on and on. She's not told me about any of this. I don't know why she is so very mad at (husband), but I just know that it's not good for her to be that mad at him for the girls' sake.

What can her father and I say to her about this?-We want to be supportive of her but at the same time we don't know what to do because she won't tell us anything. You're a counselor, why can't she talk to us about what's going on? Her husband is in the business because of her marriage to him; what are we supposed to do with that mess? How can we help our daughter without making matters worse? CONFUSED

DEAR CONFUSED: You are in a delicate situation indeed. Probably, you can do little if your daughter chooses to keep you outside the process. However, you have a right to a certain level of information because of the business. Counselors sometimes encourage adult children to establish boundaries when the client indicates a problem communicating with the parents. That is only one possible reason, and I would be hesitant to suggest others. I encourage you to respect her non-sharing stance *but* you are entitled to a "business discussion."

I suggest that you or your husband talk to your daughter and schedule a time with all three of you to meet to discuss the "state of the business." Your situation has a number of embedded problems — for example, your son-in-law must have a livelihood in order to provide for his daughters. I believe that at least one goal for this meeting should be an agreed upon strategy for the son-in-law/business system. I strongly believe in direct discussion of known and anticipated problem areas prior to crisis.

You also bring up a very important point about divorce that has been noted in the divorce research. While moderate negative feelings toward the former spouse are very common, strongly negative feelings can be very destructive in the subsequent co-parental relationships. Interestingly enough, the single best predictor of problems between divorced coparents was, "the belief that the former spouse had angry and hostile feelings towards oneself." What that means is that whether the "ex" is truly angry and hostile or not, if he/she is perceived as angry and hostile, then there will be problems.

I share your concerns over your daughter's anger. Hopefully, her counselor is working with her to dissipate that anger over time. In the meantime, I encourage you and your husband to continue to be supportive of your daughter. A divorce is very much like a death — it is the death of a marriage. The family undergoes substantive structural changes, in such areas as division of labor, family organization, roles and rules. Research suggests that typically, a family takes several years to reach a stable state after a divorce. These are hard times for everyone in the family. Continue to be there for your daughter and granddaughters, in spite of the lack of information.

THE PERMIAN BASIN CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION PROGRAM reminds us that children represent our hope for the future. Having children is one of the most natural things in the world, but being a good parent is not. Many people have not been taught how to handle the frustrations that accompany the joys of parenting.

Parents are not perfect; neither are children. Children do not come with a set of instructions, and parents are not trained in effective ways of parenting.

Seek help when help is needed. Being a parent is not easy but you are not alone. You can call CAPP at 699-2474 for more information.

Jim May is the director of the Family Wellness Center.

Questions for this column should be addressed to Family Matters, P.O. Box 10485, Midland, 79702.

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DEAR ABBY

Day in court has happy ending

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I am writing to you about the letter signed "Practically Broke in Iowa."

I also loaned some money to a friend, and after that I couldn't find him. He never answered my letters, and I couldn't get him on the telephone.

Van Buren

After three years, I took my family's advice. Even though this man had been a very good friend of mine, I took him to small claims court. I didn't think I had a chance of getting my money back because, like the man who wrote to you, I didn't have anything in writing. I was foolish, I know, but I really was naive and trusting, because we were such good friends.

Well, I got all my money back, plus court costs, plus interest on my money!

So, sometimes a verbal agreement is just as binding as a written one. I didn't have a lawyer to represent me. I represented myself! Abby, I don't know what the laws are in Iowa, but I would advise that Iowan who got taken for a ride to look into it.

If you use my letter, please don't use my name. Sign me ... LUCKED OUT IN ILLINOIS

DEAR LUCKED OUT: Congratulations. You lucked out with a sympathetic judge.

DEAR ABBY: My problem is actually more of a complaint — not one of major importance, but it has bothered me for years.

I have been "Mrs. Dow" ever since my marriage 44 years ago, and in all that time, I have been called "Mrs. Doe," "Mrs. Dowd," "Mrs. Dowdy" and even "Mrs. Downey."

When I meet someone, I make it a point to say, "My name is Mrs. Dow." Then I spell it, "D-O-W," and they still can't get it right.

I would think almost everyone has heard of the Dow Jones averages — statistics that show the trends of stocks and bonds traded on the New York Stock Exchange. Also, there's the Dow Chemical Co., founded more than a century ago.

I was recently hospitalized, and two nurses insisted on calling me "Mrs. Doe."

All my in-laws seem to have the same trouble. Everyone can say "cow," "now" and "how," but they have trouble with Dow. Can a word with only three letters, pronounced just the way it is spelled, be that difficult?

Thanks for letting me get this off my chest; I feel better now. — MRS. DOW IN FLORIDA

DEAR MRS. DOW: After this hits print, you may have less trouble. I hope so.

DEAR ABBY: The letter from "Big Problem, Vancouver, B.C.," the large woman who had been constantly mistaken for a man, hit home with me. I, too, am a large woman — 5 foot 11½ inches and 170 pounds. I am well-proportioned and not fat by any means.

I did all the things you suggested in your letter: wore makeup, more feminine-looking clothes, large earrings, and let my hair grow longer. It didn't help; I still got, "May I help you, sir?" The only time I wasn't mistaken for a man was when I was pregnant. — STANDING TALL IN TUCSON

Problems? Write to Dear Abby, P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, Calif. 90069. For a personal reply, please enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

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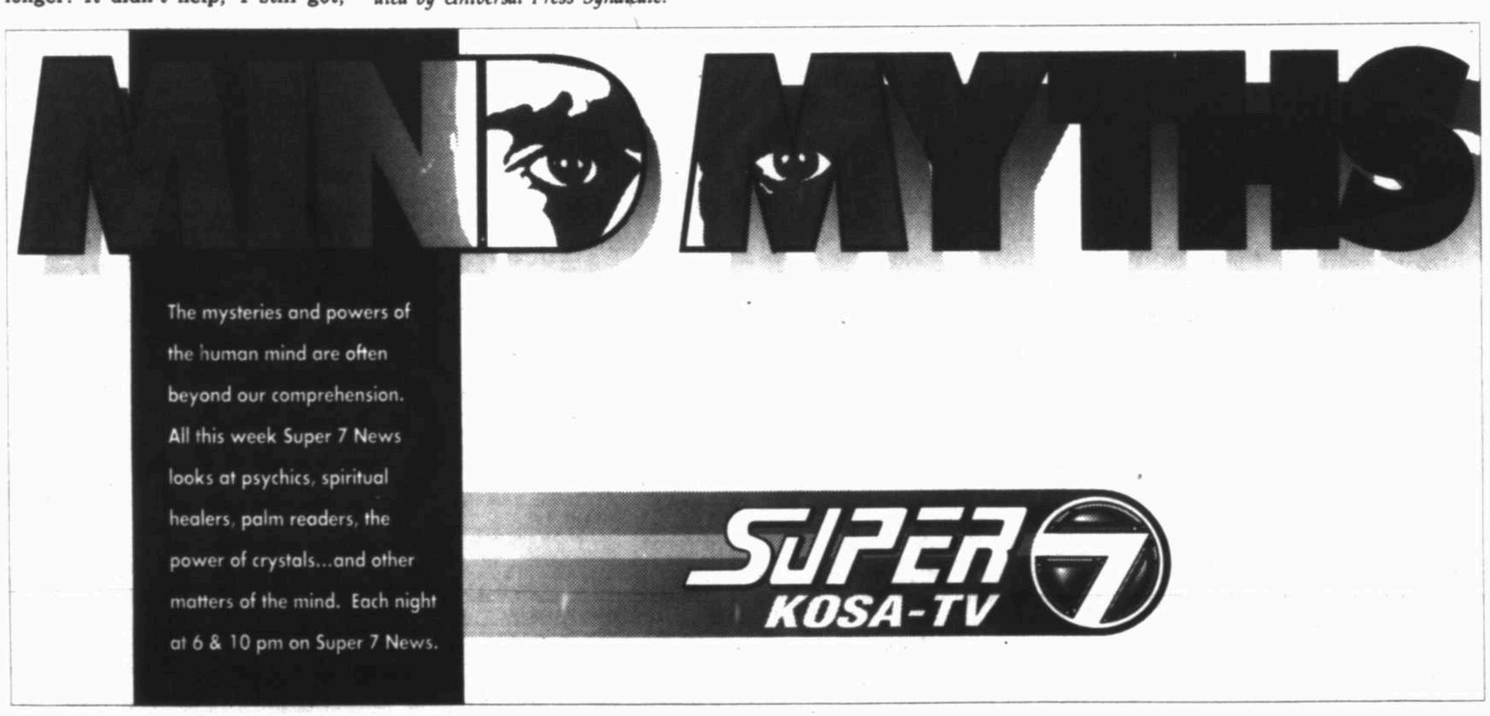

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PRIME TIME CALENDAR

CASA DE AMIGOS

Casa de Amigos is located at 1101 E. Garden Lane. For more information about services provided call 682-9701. Activities for the week include:

- Monday: 9 a.m. billiards/bowling; 9:30 a.m. exercise; 10 a.m. crafts; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 12:30 p.m. bingo.
- Tuesday: 9 a.m. billiards; 9:45 a.m. gem and minerals; 10:15 a.m. sing-a-long; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 12:15 p.m. bingo; 1 p.m. adult education.
- Wednesday: 8 a.m.-1 p.m. Afro-American history program; 11:15 a.m. lunch; noon-1 p.m. Taste of Culture.
- Thursday: 9 a.m. billiards; 9:30 a.m. adult education; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 12:15 p.m. sing-a-long.
- Friday: 9 a.m. billiards; 9:30 a.m. exercise; 10 a.m. ceramics; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 12:15 p.m. Bible study.

MIDLAND YMCAs

The Midland YMCAs have many activities scheduled for Prime Time adults.

For more information regarding available activities and classes contact Central YMCA, 800 N. Big Spring, 682-2551; Alamo YMCA, 901 N. Midland Drive, 694-2528; Northeast YMCA, 2301 Butternut, 682-8469; Town West YMCA, 1012 Andrews Hwy., 694-6821.

Scheduled activities at the Central YMCA are:

- Monday, Wednesday and Friday: 8 a.m., 9 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. Low impact aerobics; 7 a.m. YMCARDIAC (YCT) Therapy, call for appointment before beginning class.
- Call for information, Y's Way to a Healthy Back.
- By appointment, Specialized Strength Training for Seniors.

Scheduled activities for Alamo YMCA are:

- Monday, Wednesday and Friday: 1 p.m. and 2 p.m. Arthritis Water Class.
- Tuesday, Thursday and Friday: 10 a.m. Aqua Aerobics; by appointment, Water Rehab Therapy.

Scheduled activities for the Town West YMCA are;

- Monday, Wednesday and Friday; 9 a.m. Prime Time Water Aerobics; 10 a.m. no-impact aerobics.
- Tuesday and Thursday; 9:30 a.m. and 10 a.m. Prime Time Water Aerobics.
- Monday through Friday; 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Biking for fitness and Nautilus Weight Training for Prime Time adults is offered.

SOUTHEAST SENIOR CENTER

The Southeast Senior Center, 1803 E. Indiana, is open 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday. For more information about services offered, call Ellen G. Smith, center director, at 685-7231. Activities include:

- Monday: 9:30 a.m. singing; 9:45 a.m. exercise; 10 a.m. ceramics, needlework and billiards; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 1 p.m. table games.
- Tuesday: 9:30 a.m. singing; 9:45 a.m. exercise; 10 a.m. quilting, crafts and billiards; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 1 p.m. table games.
- Wednesday: 9:30 a.m. singing; 9:45 a.m. exercise; 10 a.m. ceramics, choir and billiards; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 1 p.m. table games.
- Thursday: 9:30 a.m. singing; 9:45 a.m. exercise; 10 a.m. ceramics and table games; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 1 p.m. table games.
- Friday: 9 a.m. singing; 9:45 a.m. exercise; 10 a.m. Bible class and table games; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 1 p.m. movie and center bingo.

MIDLAND SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER, DELLWOOD MALL

The Dellwood Senior Citizens Center is located in Dellwood Mall, 3303 W. Illinois, Space #18. For more information call 699-5023.

Activities planned include:

- Monday: 9 a.m. billiards and exercise; 9:45 a.m. exercise; 10 a.m. Kitchenettes; 11:30 a.m. lunch; 12:30 p.m. art for fun and novice bridge; 1 p.m. bridge.
- Tuesday: 9 a.m. billiards, exercise and ceramics; 11:30 a.m. lunch; 1 p.m. bridge.
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- Friday: 9 a.m. billiards and exercise; 9:30 a.m. quilting; 9:45 a.m. exercise; 10 a.m. advisory board meeting; 11:30 a.m. lunch; 1 p.m. bridge; 8 p.m. dance with band.

NONPROFIT RESOURCE CENTER

Nonprofit Resource Center, formerly The Volunteer Center, 1031 Andrews Hwy. Suite 210, has many opportunities for volunteers. Those interested in volunteering can call 697-8781 for information.

Nurse: Retirement is 'dirty word'

By Laura Rehrmann

BALTIMORE (AP) — Edith Sachs gently lifts a tiny, sleepy bundle wearing a pink yarn hat from the incubator, careful not to tangle the wires tracking every breath and heartbeat.

Miss Sachs has spent many a long night at the Sinai Hospital special care nursery with a premature baby in her arms. At 84, she wouldn't want to be anywhere else.

"This is the garden spot of the hospital. This is where these tiny, fragile buds are nurtured until you get a full, beautiful flower to go home," she said.

Miss Sachs, a part-time nurse who until recently worked the night shift full time at Sinai, started her career in the 1930s when outbreaks of polio, meningitis and scarlet fever were common and premature babies had little chance of survival.

As a nurse for 29 years at Sinai, a 466-bed hospital that is the third largest in Maryland, she has fed, diapered and soothed countless babies. She monitors their drug dosages, watches for any change in heart rate, breathing and body fluids and is always prepared for an emergency.

She also teaches parents how to care for their premature babies. Many of the mothers are poor teen-agers, some of whom had no pre-natal care or were addicted to drugs. But Miss Sachs builds a rapport through mutual respect.

'She's incredible. She just believes in every single person. She never takes a child for granted, never looks at (the job) as a routine.'

— Hannah Pigman
assistant clinical manager, special care nursery

"There's something about the children of the inner city. They respect the old folks. They would listen to their grandmother.

"They need a lot of help, a lot of understanding. They need to be respected. You tell them you know they're going to be a good mother," she said.

HER CARING, non-judgmental attitude inspires other nurses at the hospital, said Hannah Pigman, assistant clinical manager for the special care nursery.

"She's incredible. She just believes in every single person. She never takes a child for granted, never looks at (the job) as a routine," Ms. Pigman said.

"Every single baby in here is a new, breathtaking experience because she looks at each one and says, 'Will this be the one who finds the cure for cancer or brings world peace?' " Ms. Pigman said.

But Miss Sachs said it is the young nurses who inspire her.

"The treat me as though I'm their age. They never have a party I'm not invited to. The only thing they don't do is find a date for me," she said.

Although she never married or had children, Miss Sachs feels like a mother and grandmother many times over.

One of her favorite events is the "premie reunion," when parents of children born prematurely come back to the hospital for a party.

"They hand them up to you like it's an offering. They never say, 'Look at my baby.' They say, 'Here's your baby,' " she said.

Miss Sachs had intended to get her training at Sinai, but the $100 she saved for tuition was spent to care for her ill father.

She graduated from the training program at the former West Baltimore General Hospital in 1928 and worked during the Depression at Sydenham Hospital in Baltimore caring for children with communicable diseases.

SHE LATER became a private duty nurse to spend more time with her ailing father; eventually, she left nursing for eight years to care for her mother.

Miss Sachs returned to hospital nursing at Sinai in 1963 and worked full time, usually the 7 p.m. to 7:30 a.m. shift, until May 1990, when she broke her hip. She now works three 8-hour shifts a week, but still hopes to return to full-time work.

Retirement is "the dirtiest word in the English language," she said.

"Maybe when I get a little older I'll think about it," she said.

Jacob K. Felix, head of Sinai's division of neonatology, said he wondered after Miss Sachs celebrated her 75th birthday how long she would continue working.

Almost 10 years later, he marvels at her stamina and expects she will always work in the nursery, either as an employee or a volunteer.

"She just constantly is challenging herself. She doesn't slow down," Felix said. "She has given a lot of people a lot of hope and insight. She has an approach to life that keeps people going."

IT'S YOUR LIFE

Medicare guidelines must be followed

By Steve Edwards

QUESTION: Is home health care covered by Medicare?

ANSWER: Home health care for therapeutic services is covered by Medicare. However, there are very strict Medicare guidelines, including that the beneficiary must essentially be confined to the home under a physician's plan of care and regularly require nursing care or some form of therapy. A prior hospitalization is not required for Medicare to cover these types of home health care services.

Edwards

If medicare determines eligibility for home services, the care must come from a home health care agency which is approved by Medicare.

Also covered by Medicare, when approved, are medical supplies and equipment. These items fall under Part B (Supplementary Medical Insurance) of the insurance plan. The major limitation to the reimbursement of equipment is whether it is determined to be therapeutically necessary. This benefit is extremely advantageous for many people because the purchase or rental of equipment and supplies allows families to create a mini-nursing facility at home. This, in conjunction with professional in-home medical care, enables families to keep a loved one out of a nursing home. When the family chooses to keep an elder adult in their home, support programs such as Meals on Wheels, Friendly Visitor, transportation, cleaning and shopping services or Telephone Reassurance can be utilized.

QUESTION: What is hospice?

ANSWER: Hospice is a program designed to provide comprehensive care for terminally ill patients and their families. Hospice eliminates the traditional medical approach of life support treatment and enables the patient to die, free from pain, at home or in a comfortable surrounding.

A hospice staff provides both pain management and emotional support to the patient and his or her family. Hospices are often affiliated with organizations such as hospitals, home-care agencies and nursing homes.

Hospice care is covered under Medicare Part A, up to a lifetime limit of 210 days (but when circumstances warrant, the coverage may be extended) and by a number of private insurance companies, as long as the program is certified. The coverage usually includes skilled nursing care, various therapy programs and a percentage of prescription drug bills.

Steve Edwards is executive director of Community and Senior Services and consultant for the Visiting Nurse Service of Midland.

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Staff report

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Dinner and drinks will be served at 6:30 p.m., followed by a variety show featuring the Cherry Jones tap and jazz dancers performing to such tunes as "Boogie Woogie Bugle Boy" and "Little Brown Jug;" show tunes sung by local talents; Midland's World Champion Baton Twirler performing routines; and a ballet dancer.

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Aquadawgs strong, deep

■ Midland High's boys are favored to win while four girls teams are expected to make a run for the title in the District 4-5A swim meet.

By Jimmy Patterson
Assistant sports editor

Take it to the bank: Midland High's boys swim team is so strong and so deep, it will win the District 4-5A Swim Meet today and Saturday at the Odessa Permian pool. It's just a matter of by how wide of a margin.

The girls race, on the other hand will likely be a little more interesting with as many as four schools that have a legitimate shot at the team title.

"Midland High is a runaway in the guys' race," Midland Lee swim coach Jeff Goelz said. "They're just too deep, no one should even be close. They should triple the next best score."

Wanting to preserve his modesty, MHS head coach Larry Ridge didn't want to comment much on what everyone has sized up as a commanding MHS boys' victory, but he did say there was one way his team could face certain failure.

"I guess if they all got locked in the bathroom. I wouldn't put it past Jeff (Goelz)," Ridge joked.

Both Goelz and Ridge will send a handful of girls that have the abilities to help the Lady Rebels and Lady Aquadawgs win. But, then again, a couple of other teams are just as capable.

"It's going to be very tight between us, San Angelo, Abilene Cooper and Midland High," Goelz said. "If everything goes exactly as I've figured out — which it won't — we'll win by a point or two. But anything can happen."

Goelz said his accumulations were tabulated by figuring the Top 10 times of every girl in the district.

"I just hope it stays in Midland, between Jeff and me," Ridge said of the girls' race. "I think probably between the two of us we'll be cutting into San Angelo and Cooper pretty heavily."

In both the girls' and boys' meets, the top six finishers in each event will advance to the Region I swim meet in Lubbock. In addition, each school can only send one relay team.

The strength on Lee's girls' team lies with its divers. Junior M'Lee Ditmore and senior Heather Johnson, although both in their first season as divers, are considered two of the league's three

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GOLF — Senior Suncoast Classic, first round, 1 p.m., ESPN.

COLLEGE HOCKEY — Boston university at Maine, 6 p.m., HSE.

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Texas Scores

NBA — Houston Rockets 119, Boston Celtics 84.

San Antonio Spurs 103, Philadelphia 76ers 98.

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HIGH SCHOOL SWIMMING — Midland High and Midland Lee at District 4-5A meet, Odessa Permian pool.

HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL — Girls Bi-District Playoffs: Amarillo Tascosa vs. El Paso Hanks, 6 p.m., Chaparral Center; Lubbock Monterey vs. El Paso Burges, 7:30 p.m., Chaparral Center.

Boys: Midland High vs. Kermit (practice game), 7:30 p.m., MHS gymnasium.

Adkisson death

DALLAS — Kerry Adkisson, the youngest surviving member of the wrestling Von Erich family, was found dead in rural Denton County Thursday, one day after he was accused of cocaine possession. Authorities say Adkisson apparently killed himself.

Adkisson, 33, who had continued the star-crossed family's wrestling business, had been scheduled to appear today in a match in Dallas against "The Angel of Death"

Adkisson was the fourth of six brothers in his family to die since 1984 and the fifth overall. If his death is ruled a suicide, it will be the family's third in six years.

Adkisson's body was found shortly before 3 p.m. in a pasture on his father's farm about 10 miles south of Denton, said Denton County sheriff's department spokeswoman Sue Morrison. Denton is 30 miles north of Dallas.

"He suffered a single gunshot wound to the center of the chest," Ms. Morrison said. "It appears at this time to be self-inflicted."

'Bighouse' retires

WINSTON-SALEM, N.C. — Clarence "Bighouse" Gaines, with more college basketball victories than any other coach except Adolph Rupp, will retire at the end of the season after 47 years at Winston-Salem State.

Gaines, who spent his entire coaching career at Winston-Salem, has a record of 828-440, a .652 winning percentage. Rupp, the legendary Kentucky coach, had 875 wins over 41 seasons.

Spurs sale

SAN ANTONIO — San Antonio Spurs owner B.J. "Red" McCombs has finalized a deal to sell the franchise to a group of local investors for $75 million, according to a published report.

The group, headed by businessman Bob Coleman, was given until midnight Friday to pay McCombs half of the purchase price, the San Antonio Express-News reported in Friday's editions, citing unidentified sources.

TOMORROW . . .

The *Reporter-Telegram's* coverage of the Class 5A high school basketball playoffs continues, with a feature on the Midland High boys' inside players and a game day look at the MHS girls game against El Paso Andress in Alpine.

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CLASS 5A PLAYOFFS

District playoff success limited

By Terry Williamson
Sports editor

The District 4-5A boys' basketball teams haven't been overly successful in the state basketball playoffs of late, but Midland Lee, Midland High and Abilene Cooper will be out to change the numbers a little next week.

A 4-5A team hasn't been to Austin's state tournament since 1978 when Abilene High lost in the semifinals. Since then, the district owns a rather meager 8-24 record since 1979 and has lost six playoff games in a row. Only Abilene High has won two playoff games in a single season during that span, when the Eagles made it to the Region I tournament in 1988.

Since the Region I tournament moved to Midland's Chaparral Center in 1981, only Abilene High and Midland High have won berths in that tournament. MHS turned the trick in that first year, losing by five points to Fort Worth Dunbar in the semifinals before the largest crowd ever to see a high school game at the Chap with an estimated

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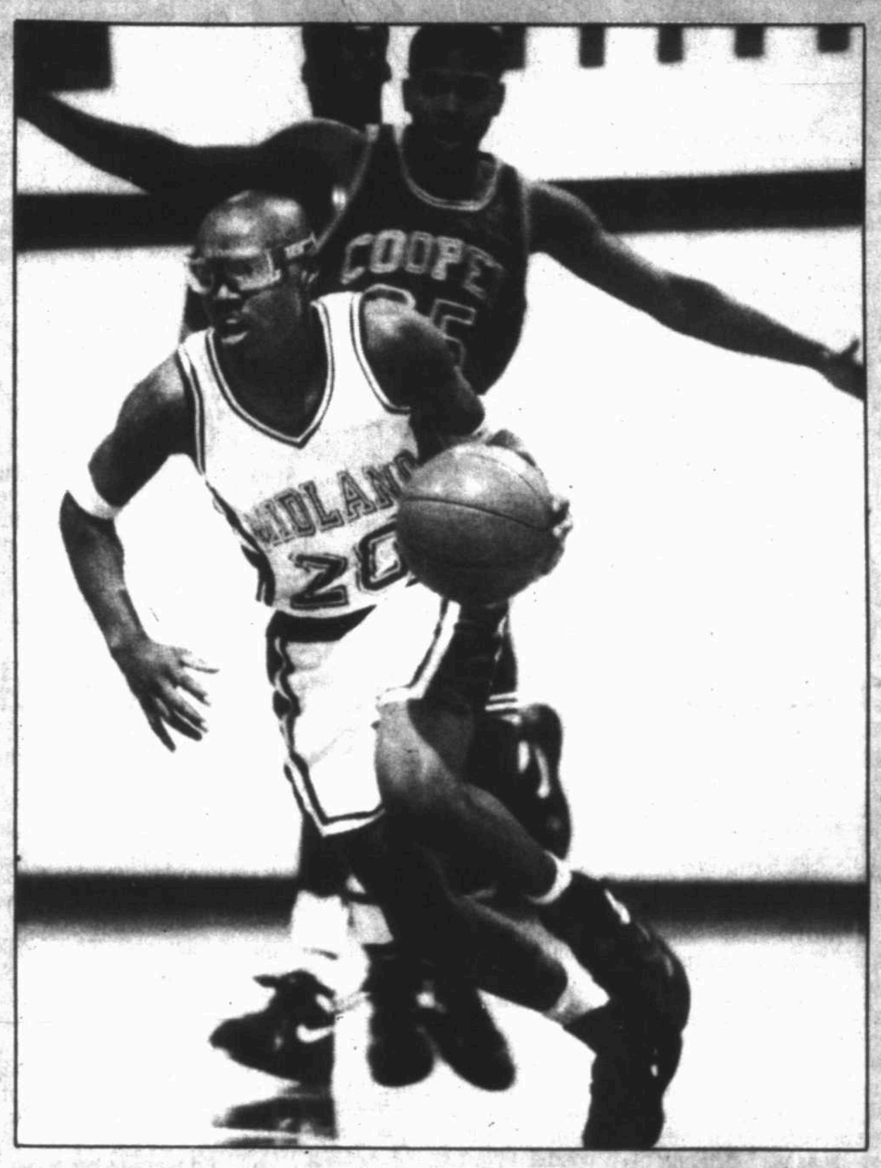

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Midland High's Jumon Halley takes the ball down the floor earlier this season against Abilene Cooper, a game MHS won 54-50 for possibly it's most significant victory of the year.

Bulldogs, Rebs still awaiting first opponents

Staff report

While the playoff pitcure for the Midland High and Midland Lee boys basketball teams remains somewhat boggled, both squads have scheduled practice games to stay in form for the postseason.

MHS' Bulldogs will host Kermit in a warm-up game at 7:30 p.m. today at the MHS gymnasium, while the 10th-ranked Lee Rebels will

■ Kermit at MHS boys practice game, 7:30 p.m., MHS gym.

scrimmage Plainview in Brownfield High's gym at 3 p.m. Saturday.

The Bulldogs do know who they will face in the bi-district round early next week, but the time and site of their game against Amarillo Tascosa have yet to be determined. The schools are waiting for this weekend's girls results — MHS plays El Paso Andress Saturday in Alpine while Tascosa goes against El Paso Hanks tonight at the Chaparral Center — in order to possibly schedule a boys-girls doubleheader.

Lee, the District 4-5A champion, receives a bye in the bi-district round of the playoffs and will face one of three El Paso teams in the second round. The Riverside-Montwood winner of Thursday's district playoff will face Andress Tuesday for the right to play Lee next weekend.

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Downhill flyer

Cary Mullen of Canada takes a jump in his downhill victory run Thursday at the U.S. Alpine Championships. See Downhill Results/3C.

Greenwood, Rankin gear up for playoffs

By Jimmy Patterson
Assistant sports editor

■ Area Basketball

The coaching theories of Greenwood's Robert Chaney and Rankin's Shannon Hooker differ, to be sure, but both of the methods work well enough that the Class 3A Rangers and 1A Red Devils are back in the state basketball playoffs for a combined 11th appearance in the last six years.

The Rangers have been to the postseason tournament in five of the last six years, while Rankin is working on a streak of six straight years.

Greenwood and Rankin are the only boys teams in the area to make it to postseason play, while five girls teams open the playoff action this weekend.

Chaney says this year's team may not be quite as talented as in years

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Velarde wins arbitration for $1.05 million in '93

Associated Press

Velarde

NEW YORK — Shortstop Randy Velarde, who played high school baseball at Midland Lee, won his arbitration case against the New York Yankees on Thursday, and third baseman Jeff King lost his case against the Pittsburgh Pirates.

Despite the differing outcomes, both players at least doubled their salaries from last season. Velarde, who made $360,000 in 1992, was given $1.05 million by Robert Creo instead of the team's $600,000 offer. King, who made $325,000, was given $675,000 by Ira Jaffe instead of his $1,075,000 request.

Velarde hit .272 with seven homers and 46 RBIs for the Yankees last season.

The decisions gave owners a 9-5 lead with four cases remaining. Infielder Carlos Quintana, who didn't play last season, argued for $850,000 before Robert Light on Thursday. The Boston Red Sox offered $340,000, the same salary Quintana made last season, when he didn't play following a car accident.

Montreal Expos outfielder Marquis Grisson asked Theodore High for a sixfold increase to $1.95 million from $300,000, while the team argued for its $1.5 million offer.

Boston reliever John Dopson and Seattle pitcher Erik Hanson are scheduled for the final two hearings on Friday.

Two players in arbitration settled their cases on Thursday. Outfielder Junior Felix and the Florida Marlins

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Baseball players begin to report

Associated Press

The big day that baseball fans waited for all winter arrived Thursday, and not even a little rain in Florida and Arizona could dampen spirits: Spring training has started!

Pitchers and catchers from 15 of the 28 teams reported to camp in places like Vero Beach, Sarasota and Scottsdale, with the first official workouts planned for Friday.

Before breaking out the bats and balls, however, there was other business to attend to after a busy off-season in which players changed teams like

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Cavs hand Duke 5th ACC loss

Associated Press

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va. — Once able to hold the upper hand over all of college basketball, Duke now can't even do it in its own conference.

Thomas Hill missed a 3-pointer at the buzzer Thursday night, giving No. 23 Virginia a 58-55 victory over the seventh-ranked Blue Devils.

It marked the first time since 1990 that Duke lost back-to-back

■ Top 25 Roundup

games to anybody, and the first time since 1990 the Blue Devils were swept by an Atlantic Coast Conference opponent. They lost to Wake Forest 98-86 in their last outing.

Virginia (16-5, 8-4 ACC) took sole possession of fourth place in the league and dumped Duke (19-5, 7-5) into the league's second tier.

Cory Alexander scored 20 points and Ted Jeffries 10 for Virginia, which last month broke Duke's 36-game ACC home winning streak.

Duke, playing in its first game since losing leading scorer Grant Hill to a sprained toe.

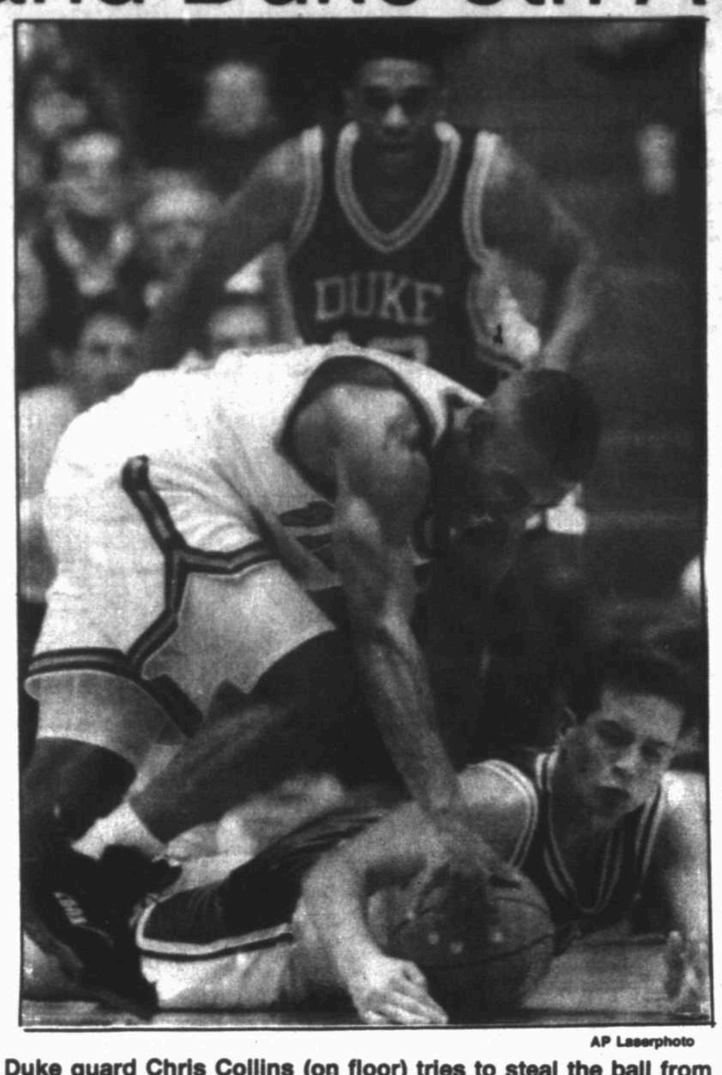
No. 4 Arizona 116, Arizona St. 80

TUCSON, Ariz. — Chris Mills and No. 4 Arizona ran-and-gunned to decimate Arizona State, extending its nation's-longest winning streak to 16.

The Wildcats (18-2) turned the helter-skelter, fast-paced pressure game Arizona State favors on the Sun Devils with deadly precision in improving their Pacific 10 Conference record to 12-0.

They used a stifling defense to hurry Arizona State's 3-point shooters, outrebounded the badly outsized Sun Devils, who had no starter taller than 6-foot-5, and even forced Arizona State coach Bill Frieder to call three second-half timeouts.

Mills scored 25 points in 24 minutes on 11 of 20 shooting, with 16 rebounds, and four teammates were in double figures: Khalid Reeves with 19 points, Ed Stokes 16, Joseph Blair 14 and Damon Stoudamire 13.



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Duke guard Chris Collins (on floor) tries to steal the ball from Cory Alexander of Virginia in the Cavaliers' win Thursday.

No. 12 Utah 87, Air Force 61

SALT LAKE CITY — Josh Grant scored 15 points and pulled down 15 rebounds to lead No. 12 Utah to a Western Athletic Conference victory over Air Force.

Guard Jimmy Soto scored 18 points and made seven assists and Byron Wilson added 17 points for the Utes (20-3, 13-1), who are unbeaten in 13 home games this season.

Air Force (9-13, 3-10) was led by Steve Haase and Chris Loll with 19 and 16 points respectively.

The Utes, with Wilson and Soto scoring 11 points each, built a 45-24 halftime advantage.

Haase hit three of his five 3-pointers during an 11-6 run by the Falcons to open the second half, making it 51-35 with 15 minutes to play.

Air Force pulled to within 61-48 after an Otis Jones 3-pointer with 10:12 play. The 13-point deficit was as close as the Falcons would get the rest of the way.

Utah widened the margin with a 14-1 run led by Wilson's six points.

No. 18 Tulane 75, UNC-Charlotte 70

NEW ORLEANS — Pointer Williams provided the defense, the free throws and a big 3-pointer when Tulane needed it most as the 18th-ranked Green Wave rallied to beat North Carolina-Charlotte.

Tulane held off Charlotte at the free throw line in the second half after going almost eight minutes without a field goal. Williams, who scored six points on foul shots during that stretch, gave Tulane some breathing room with his 3-point basket, making it 66-60 with 1:50 left.

Tulane (19-4, 8-1) suffered its only Metro Conference loss to UNC Charlotte last week.

No. 21 New Orleans 84, Lamar 73

BEAUMONT — Center Ervin Johnson scored a career-high 32 points and grabbed a school-record 27 rebounds, leading No. 21 New Orleans in a victory over Lamar.

The Privateers, who improved to 20-2 overall and 14-0 in Sun Belt Conference play, led only 39-38 at halftime, but tough defense and cold Lamar shooting in the second half allowed New Orleans to pull away.

New Orleans also took advantage of foul trouble by Lamar starters B.J. McClendon, Aaron Clauson and Shawn Clifton. All three fouled out.

No. 19 Massachusetts 96, Buffalo 67

AMHERST, N.Y. — Tony Barbee scored 18 points as No. 19 Massachusetts routed the State University at Buffalo for its 12th straight victory.

Massachusetts (18-4) wasted no time putting away undermanned Buffalo, scoring 25 of the game's first 33 points. The Minutemen, who scored a season-high point total, own the nation's second-longest winning streak.

The Bulls, meeting their first ranked team in two years competing at the Division I level, fell to 5-18, shooting only 37 percent from the field.

Barbee, one of the five Massachusetts players who average in

Ellis guides Spurs to 15th consecutive victory at home

Associated Press

■ NBA Roundup

SAN ANTONIO — Dale Ellis hit a club-record tying four 3-point shots in the fourth quarter on his way to 24 points Thursday as San Antonio defeated the Philadelphia 76ers 103-98, extending the Spurs' home winning streak to 15 games.

Overall, the Spurs have won nine of their last 10 games and 24 of 28 under coach John Lucas. San Antonio's last home loss was a one-point decision to Golden State last Dec. 28.

David Robinson added 19 points and 13 rebounds for the Spurs. Hersey Hawkins' 33 points led Philadelphia, which lost its second straight and eighth in nine games. The Sixers now have lost seven in a row in San Antonio.

The Spurs trailed 80-79 with 10:57 to play when Ellis triggered a 20-6 run with 14 points, including 12 from 3-point distance.

Philadelphia used a 3-point shot by Johnny Dawkins and a three-point play by Hawkins to draw within 102-98 with 44 seconds left, capitalizing on four consecutive missed free throws by Robinson.

Rockets 119, Celtics 84

HOUSTON — Carl Herrera scored a career-high 18 points to lead seven Houston players in double figures and the Rockets held the Boston Celtics to eight second-quarter points.

It was the second blowout victory in a row for the Rockets, who defeated Philadelphia 149-111 on Tuesday.

The Rockets took advantage of Boston's poor second-quarter shooting for a 45-29 halftime lead. Houston shot 58 percent for the game and Boston 38 percent.

Houston set a franchise record 68.5 percent shooting from the field against the 76ers.

Reggie Lewis led Boston with 21 points.

Hakeem Olajuwon scored 1[5] points and had 14 rebounds and Otis Thorpe added 17 points and 11 rebounds for the Rockets.

Jazz 105, Bucks 94

MILWAUKEE — Karl Malone had 26 points, and John Stockton 20 and 11 assists as the Utah Jazz used two second-half spurts to beat the slumping Milwaukee Bucks.

Blue Edwards, who came to the Bucks with Eric Murdock in a trade last summer that sent Jay Humphries and Larry Krystkowiak to the Jazz, led Milwaukee with 25 points. Frank Brickowski added 2[0] points for the Bucks, who have lost seven of their last nine games.

Timberwolves 121, Kings 114

MINNEAPOLIS — Christian Laettner had 28 points and 16 rebounds and Chuck Person and Micheal Williams made long 3-pointers down the stretch, leading the Minnesota Timberwolves to a victory over the Sacramento Kings.

Clippers 108, Bullets 95

LOS ANGELES — Loy Vaught came off the bench for 20 points and a season-high 14 rebounds as the Los Angeles Clippers beat the Washington Bullets.

The victory clinched a winning record at the All-Star break for the first time in the history of the Clippers.

Pervis Ellison and LaBradford Smith scored 17 points apiece for the injury-depleted Bullets, who lost their fifth consecutive game.

Sonics 131, Warriors 116

OAKLAND, Calif. — Derrick McKey scored a season-high 30 points on 12-of-16 shooting, and the Seattle SuperSonics beat the Golden State Warriors.

Ricky Pierce added 25 points and Eddie Johnson 22 for the Sonics, who are 3-0 against the Warriors this season, including two victories in Oakland. Golden State's three-game winning streak ended despite a season-high eight players reaching double figures.

Trail Blazers 105, Lakers 103

PORTLAND, Ore. — Terry Porter's driving layup with 27.1 seconds to go provided the winning points as Portland came from eight behind in the final 3:23 to beat the Los Angeles Lakers.

Suns 131, Hawks 119

PHOENIX — Richard Dumas scored a career-high 32 points, Charles Barkley had a triple-double, and the Phoenix Suns beat the Atlanta Hawks to move within a game of tying a franchise record of 19 consecutive home victories.

The Suns, who have 18 in a row in the new America West Arena, will have to wait until Feb. 26 to tie a mark set in two other seasons. Phoenix is on the road for two games before returning against Utah.

Barkley got his 14th career triple-double with 25 points, 16 rebounds and 12 assists.

Shaq displays maturity uncharacteristic of rookies

By Fred Goodall
AP Sports Writer

ORLANDO, Fla. — The closely cropped haircut was the giveaway.

So Shaquille O'Neal, who routinely checks into hotels under assumed names, wore a wig to sneak past fans waiting in the lobby.

Welcome to the world of the NBA's newest superstar, the Orlando Magic's 7-foot rookie sensation.

"There's been unbelievable response to him," said team official Alex Martins, who probably spends as much time on the road with the 20-year-old as anyone.

"And the way he's handled being such an attraction is amazing, too. He has a great attitude about the media and fans. He considers it just another part of his job."

O'Neal is off to Salt Lake City for the All-Star game this weekend and is almost certain to be the center of attention as the first rookie starter since Michael Jordan in 1985.

He's also taken opponents by storm, averaging 24 points, 14.3 rebounds and four blocks in 47 games. And the Magic, at 24-23, has already surpassed its victory total for all of last season.

"Of course for a guy like me, expectations are going to be high," O'Neal said. "I'm just doing the best I can, helping the team win ... Our goal is to make the playoffs. Hopefully, we can."

The maturity O'Neal has shown in handling his success both on and off the court, where he has significantly enhanced his basketball income (seven years, $40 million) through lucrative endorsements, has been one of the refreshing stories of the season.

Despite his growing popularity and unprecedented measures the Magic have taken to try to make his life easier, O'Neal hasn't tried to hide from the public.

The fourth-worst draw on the road last season, Orlando is fourth-best this winter behind Chicago, Boston and Portland.

The Magic routinely find between 100 and 200 fans awaiting their arrival at hotels. Fans have gotten so creative in their attempts to reach O'Neal by telephone that he registers under an assumed name.

Last month, the team arrived in Chicago at 2:30 a.m. and found the entrance to their hotel surprisingly clear of fans. But when O'Neal emerged from the team bus, dozens of people — they had stayed in their cars because the temperature was below freezing — descended on the Magic center.

"This is all new to us," said Martins, the team's director of media relations. "I'm always close by, first to make sure there are no security problems, and second to keep him moving. Sometimes you just have to tell him, 'Shaquille, you've got to go.'"

The Magic consulted with the Bulls, Celtics and the Los Angeles Lakers about the best way to approach the situation Orlando would probably encounter on the road.

Martins and O'Neal met three times before the start of training camp to get acquainted with one another and discuss travel plans that include a pre-practice news conference in every city the Magic visits.

"His attitude is, 'Hey, how much time do I really spend with the media — 30 minutes? He went to training camp knowing what to expect. He knew he'd be the focus," Martins said.

"But we've tried our best to do things without alienating the rest of the team. That's why we schedule the press conferences a half-hour before the shootarounds ... Our goal has been to not disrupt the team and, at the same time, not inundate him so much that it wears him out and it affects him on the floor."

Not that life at home isn't hectic, too.

While most of the Magic players park their own cars and walk through crowds of fans into Orlando Arena, O'Neal has valet parking and is escorted in and out by a security guard.

His popularity was reflected in All-Star balloting among fans and by decisions by NBC and TNT to increase the Magic's exposure on national television this season.

The Magic faced the Phoenix Suns and New York Knicks on NBC the past two Sundays. The network also may feature Orlando's Feb. 28 game against the San Antonio Spurs, while TNT is scheduled to carry five Magic games.

"People read about a superstar and they want to see what he can do," O'Neal said. "If I was a fan, I'd want to see Shaq, too."

Polynice continues fast for Hatians

Associated Press

MIAMI — Olden Polynice has lost nearly 6 pounds since joining HIV-infected Haitian refugees in their hunger strike, but the NBA player has gained momentum in his fight to bring attention to the plight of his countrymen.

Polynice, a 7-foot, 250-pound center for the Detroit Pistons, is fasting on non-game days in support of 230 Haitian boat people who had been striking for 21 days at the U.S. Naval Base at Guantanamo Bay, Cuba. The Rev. Jesse Jackson also joined the strike.

"I just feel that something has to be done," Polynice said Thursday at the Haitian Refugee Center in Miami. "We're talking about the Bosnians and the Somalians and everybody else, but nothing is being said about the situation in Guantanamo, or here in Miami, or the Haitian plight, period."

Polynice, 28, who came to the United States from Port-au-Prince at age 7, started fasting Tuesday. He said he ate only a small pasta salad before the Pistons 111-107 loss to Miami Wednesday night. He planned to consume only juice, water and "an occasional pop" through this weekend.

The NBA is on its All-Star break until next Tuesday.

The coaching staff in Detroit has neither deterred nor encouraged Polynice's political protest, he said.

"As far as the coaching staff, whether I had told them beforehand or not, it wasn't going to matter," Polynice said. "If they had said, 'No, we don't want you to do it,' I would have done it anyway."

But he said his teammates, despite sometimes taunting him with a chicken leg, have been very supportive. "We're friends and they can do that."

More than 100 refugees at Guantanamo vowed in a letter Wednesday to Americans and the U.S. government to continue their strike until they are let out of Guantanamo.

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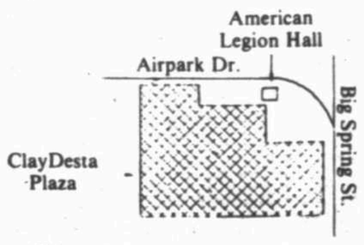

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EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	34	16	.680	—
New Jersey	30	21	.588	4½
Boston	26	24	.520	8
Orlando	24	23	.511	8½
Miami	18	31	.367	15½
Philadelphia	18	31	.367	15½
Washington	15	36	.294	19½

Central Division

Chicago	35	17	.673	—
Cleveland	34	19	.642	1½
Charlotte	26	23	.531	7½
Atlanta	24	27	.471	10½
Indiana	23	28	.451	11½
Detroit	21	29	.420	13
Milwaukee	20	31	.392	14½

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Midwest Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
San Antonio	34	15	.694	—
Utah	33	18	.647	2
Houston	30	21	.588	5
Denver	20	30	.400	14½
Minnesota	12	35	.255	21
Dallas	4	45	.082	30

Pacific Division

Phoenix	38	10	.792	—
Seattle	33	17	.660	6
Portland	31	16	.660	6½
LA Lakers	26	23	.531	12½
LA Clippers	26	25	.510	13½
Golden State	23	30	.434	17½
Sacramento	17	34	.333	22½

Thursday's Games

Minnesota 121, Sacramento 114
Utah 105, Milwaukee 94
Houston 119, Boston 84
San Antonio 103, Philadelphia 98
Phoenix 131, Atlanta 119
Seattle 131, Golden State 116
LA Clippers 108, Washington 95
Portland 105, LA Lakers 103

Friday's Games

No games scheduled

Saturday's Games

No games scheduled

Sunday's Game

All-Star Game at Utah, 5 p.m.

Monday's Games

No games scheduled

Spurs 103, 76ers 98

PHILADELPHIA (98)
Perry 7-12 0-2 14, Weatherspoon 4-12 4-4 12, Lang 2-4 2-2 6, Hornacek 6-15 0-0 15, Hawkins 13-22 5-5 33, Dawkins 5-11 2-2 14, Boi 0-0 0-0 0, Gilliam 2-6 2-2 6. Totals 39-82 15-17 98.
SAN ANTONIO (103)
Smith 0-1 0 0-0, Elliott 6-14 1-2 13, Robinson 7-18 5-12 19, Ellis 9-13 2-2 24, Johnson 4-9 2-2 10, Del Negro 4-7 0-0 8, Reid 7-12 1-2 15, Wood 0-2 0-0 0, Daniels 4-12 0-0 8, W.Anderson 3-6 0-0 6.Totals 44-94 11-20 103.

Philadelphia	**27**	**24**	**27**	**20— 98**
San Antonio	**23**	**27**	**25**	**28—103**

3-Point goals—Philadelphia 5-15 (Hawkins 2-3, Dawkins 2-4, Hornacek 1-6, Perry 0-1, Lang 0-1), San Antonio 4-10 (Ellis 4-7, Elliott 0-1, Daniels 0-2). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Philadelphia 47 (Perry 11), San Antonio 58 (Robinson 13). Assists—Philadelphia 21 (Hornacek 9), San Antonio 31 (Johnson 8). Total fouls—Philadelphia 16, San Antonio 14. A—16,057.

Rockets 119, Celts 84

BOSTON (84)
Abdelnaby 3-12 0-0 6, Gamble 5-12 2-2 12, Parish 1-4 1-2 3, Brown 2-10 0-0 4, Lewis 9-17 3-3 21, McHale 2-6 4-4 8, Fox 5-10 0-0 10, Kleine 2-3 0-0 4, Douglas 1-6 2-2 4, McDaniel 5-11 2-2 12, Williams 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 35-92 14-15 84.
HOUSTON (119)
Horry 6-10 1-1 13, Thorpe 7-12 3-4 17, Olajuwon 6-13 2-4 14, Maxwell 5-10 1-2 12, K.Smith 4-5 2-2 11, Brooks 5-8 1-2 11, Herrera 8-13 2-4 18, Garland 2-2 0-0 4, Rollins 1-2 1-2 3, Bullard 2-4 1-2 7, Floyd 2-2 0-0 4, Winchester 2-5 0-0 5.Totals 50-86 14-23 119.

Boston	**21**	**8**	**20**	**35— 84**
Houston	**21**	**24**	**37**	**37—119**

3-Point goals—Boston 0-0, Houston 5-12 (Bullard 2-4, Winchester 1-1, K.Smith 1-1, Maxwell 1-3, Horry 0-1, Brooks 0-2). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Boston 45 (Abdelnaby 8), Houston 58 (Olajuwon 15). Assists—Boston 28 (Douglas 8), Houston 31 (K.Smith 8). Total fouls—Boston 17, Houston 14. Flagrant fouls—Gamble, McDaniel. Ejection—McDaniel. A—13,672.

Jazz 105, Bucks 94

UTAH (105)
Corbin 7-15 2-2 16, K.Malone 10-17 6-8 26, Eaton 1-2 0-0 2, J.Malone 7-14 1-1 15, Stockton 7-9 3-3 20, Humphries 5-10 2-3 12, Brown 0-1 0-0 0, Benoit 1-2 0-0 2, Krystkowiak 2-5 5-6 9, Howard 1-1 1-2 3. Totals 41-76 20-25 105.
MILWAUKEE (94)
Avent 3-8 0-0 6, Edwards 10-15 4-5 25, Brickowski 9-11 2-6 20, Murdock 6-14 2-5 14, Robertson 0-2 2-2 2, Schayes 5-7 3-3 13, Mayberry 1-3 0-0 2, Barry 0-3 0-0 0, Roberts 2-5 0-0 6, Lohaus 2-2 0-0 6.Totals 38-70 13-21 94.

Utah	**25**	**28**	**22**	**30—105**
Milwaukee	**29**	**22**	**19**	**24— 94**

3-Point goals—Utah 3-7 (Stockton 3-4, Corbin 0-1, Humphries 0-1, Benoit 0-1), Milwaukee 5-14 (Lohaus 2-2, Roberts 2-3, Edwards 1-4, Brickowski 0-1, Mayberry 0-1, Barry 0-1, Murdock 0-2). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Utah 45 (K.Malone 11), Milwaukee 35 (Brickowski 8). Assists—Utah 22 (Stockton 11), Milwaukee 29 (Murdock 10). Total fouls—Utah 20, Milwaukee 20. Technicals—Utah illegal defense, Milwaukee illegal defense 2. A—14,263.

Suns 131, Hawks 119

ATLANTA (119)
Wilkins 11-22 5-8 27, Willis 10-15 0-0 22, Koncak 0-1 1-2 1, Augmon 2-7 0-0 4, Blaylock 10-20 0-0 25, Rasmussen 1-2 0-0 2, Keefe 3-8 1-2 7, Ferrell 7-11 5-6 19, Henson 2-3 0-0 5, Graham 3-6 1-3 7. Totals 49-95 13-21 119.
PHOENIX (131)
Barkley 10-19 4-4 25, Dumas 13-20 6-9 32, West 6-9 0-0 12, Knight 2-6 0-0 4, Majerle 8-16 2-3 21, Chambers 8-14 6-7 22, F.Johnson 1-2 2-2 4, Ainge 5-11 0-0 11. Totals 53-97 20-25 131.

Atlanta	**24**	**31**	**30**	**34—119**
Phoenix	**33**	**41**	**28**	**29—131**

3-Point goals—Atlanta 8-18 (Blaylock 5-9, Willis 2-2, Henson 1-1, Rasmussen 0-1, Ferrell 0-1, Wilkins 0-4), Phoenix 5-14 (Majerle 3-8, Barkley 1-2, Ainge 1-4). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Atlanta 47 (Keefe 10), Phoenix 56 (Barkley 16). Assists—Atlanta 27 (Blaylock 6), Phoenix 22 (Barkley 12). Total fouls—Atlanta 24, Phoenix 18. Technical—Willis. A—19,023.

Wolves 121, Kings 114

SACRAMENTO (114)
Simmons 9-15 6-8 24, Bonner 4-11 3-5 11, Tisdale 10-17 2-2 22, Brown 8-13 2-3 19, Webb 8-14 3-4 22, Higgins 3-9 5-5 11, Les 1-6 2-2 4, Rambis 0-1 1-2 1, James 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 43-87 24-31 114.
MINNESOTA (121)
Laettner 5-12 18-20 28, Person 11-20 2-3 26, Spencer 0-3 2-2 2, West 7-11 4-5 18, M.Williams 8-9 10-10 27, McCann 5-9 2-4 12, Smith 1-3 0-0 2, Bailey 2-3 2-2 6, Blanks 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 39-70 40-46 121.

Sacramento	**26**	**31**	**26**	**29—114**
Minnesota	**22**	**35**	**34**	**30—121**

3-Point goals—Sacramento 4-10 (Webb 3-5, Brown 1-1, Higgins 0-1, Les 0-3), Minnesota 3-5 (Person 2-4, Williams 1-1). Fouled out—Tisdale. Rebounds—Sacramento 40 (Bonner 8), Minnesota 48 (Laettner 16). Assists—Sacramento 35 (Webb 12), Minnesota 27 (Williams 11). Total fouls—Sacramento 32, Minnesota 24. A—17,813.

Clippers 108, Bullets 95

WASHINGTON (95)
Gugliotta 4-11 0-0 8, MacLean 7-18 0-0 14, Ellison 7-20 3-3 17, Adams 5-14 0-0 11, Smith 8-15 1-3 17, Stewart 6-9 4-5 16, Johnson 4-4 1-3 9, Jones 0-0 1-2 1, Price 1-2 0-0 2. Totals 42-93 10-16 95.
LA CLIPPERS (108)
Manning 7-12 3-5 18, Williams 2-10 1-2 5, Roberts 9-13 3-6 21, Harper 7-13 0-0 15, M.Jackson 8-14 1-2 17, Vaught 8-14 4-6 20, G.Grant 1-5 0-0 2, Spencer 2-2 2-5 6, Woods 1-4 0-0 2, Vandeweghe 1-3 0-0 2.Totals 46-90 14-26 108.

Washington	**20**	**27**	**26**	**22— 95**
LA Clippers	**25**	**35**	**25**	**23—108**

3-Point goals—Washington 1-4 (Adams 1-3, MacLean 0-1), Los Angeles 2-6 (Manning 1-1, Harper 1-2, G.Grant 0-1, Williams 0-2). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Washington 44 (MacLean, Ellison 8), Los Angeles 69 (Vaught 14). Assists—Washington 24 (Adams 8), Los Angeles 33 (M.Jackson 9). Total fouls—Washington 18, Los Angeles 20. Technicals—Ellison, Roberts. A—9,549.

Blazers 105, Lakers 103

LA LAKERS (103)
Worthy 11-17 2-2 26, Green 3-6 4-6 10, Perkins 6-9 2-2 14, Threatt 7-13 0-0 15, Scott 5-12 2-3 14, Divac 5-11 2-4 12, Campbell 4-6 2-2 10, Cooper 1-3 0-0 2, T.Smith 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 42-78 14-19 103.
PORTLAND (105)
Kersey 4-12 2-2 10, Williams 4-9 0-0 8, Duckworth 7-15 2-4 16, Drexler 8-18 2-2 20, Porter 5-11 0-0 12, Strickland 3-8 1-2 7, Robinson 7-14 7-9 21, Bryant 0-0 1-2 1, Elie 4-4 2-2 10.Totals 42-91 17-23 105.

LA Lakers	**28**	**24**	**27**	**24—103**
Portland	**20**	**30**	**27**	**28—105**

3-Point goals—Los Angeles 5-15 (Scott 2-4, Worthy 2-6, Threatt 1-3, Perkins 0-2, Cooper 0-2), Portland 4-9 (Drexler 2-3, Porter 2-5, Kersey 0-1). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Los Angeles 47 (Green 10), Portland 49 (Kersey 11). Assists—Los Angeles 21 (Scott 7), Portland 24 (Strickland 8). Total fouls—Los Angeles 20, Portland 20. Technicals—Campbell, Portland coach Adelman, Duckworth. A—12,888.

Sonics 131, Warriors 116

SEATTLE (131)
Kemp 9-11 3-5 21, McKey 12-16 3-4 30, Cage 1-3 3-4 5, Payton 6-16 0-0 12, Pierce 8-16 7-7 25, Askew 3-4 1-2 7, McMillan 1-1 1-2 3, Johnson 8-15 5-5 22, Barros 2-6 1-2 6, Paddio 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 50-89 24-31 131.
GOLDEN STATE (116)
Gatling 5-13 0-0 10, Houston 4-7 1-2 10, Alexander 5-10 2-2 12, Hardaway 7-19 2-5 17, Marciulionis 9-12 8-10 26, Lister 0-0 0-0 0, Higgins 5-9 0-0 12, Sprewell 3-6 3-6 12, Buechler 8-12 1-2 17, Nealy 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 46-89 17-27 116.

Seattle	**38**	**22**	**35**	**36—131**
Golden State	**25**	**23**	**36**	**32—116**

3-Point goals—Seattle 7-9 (McKey 3-3, Pierce 2-2, Johnson 1-1, Barros 1-3), Golden State 7-15 (Sprewell 3-6, Higgins 2-2, Houston 1-1, Hardaway 1-5, Gatling 0-1). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Seattle 54 (Cage 13), Golden State 45 (Higgins 7). Assists—Seattle 31 (McMillan 11), Golden State 23 (Hardaway 8). Total fouls—Seattle 25, Golden State 24. Technicals—Pierce, Hardaway, Marciulionis. Flagrant fouls—Johnson, McMillan. Ejection—Pierce. A—15,025.

NHL Results

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WALES CONFERENCE

Patrick Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Pittsburgh	37	16	5	79	245	189
Washington	29	22	6	64	234	207
New Jersey	28	24	4	60	202	198
NY Rangers	25	24	9	59	226	221
NY Islanders	26	26	6	58	239	211
Philadelphia	19	28	10	48	218	232

Adams Division

Montreal	35	19	6	76	242	196
Quebec	31	18	9	71	236	209
Boston	32	22	5	69	236	208
Buffalo	30	22	6	66	251	203
Hartford	15	38	4	34	183	261
Ottawa	7	49	4	18	138	283

CAMPBELL CONFERENCE

Norris Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Chicago	33	20	8	74	212	168
Detroit	32	21	7	71	257	202
Minnesota	29	22	8	66	207	200
Toronto	28	22	8	64	195	176
St. Louis	26	27	8	60	207	215
Tampa Bay	19	36	4	42	181	219

Smythe Division

Vancouver	32	17	8	72	246	176
Calgary	31	20	8	70	233	199
Los Angeles	26	26	7	59	236	251
Winnipeg	25	26	6	56	207	219
Edmonton	22	30	8	52	173	226
San Jose	7	49	2	16	155	290

Thursday's Games

Late Games Not Included

St. Louis 4, New York Islanders 2
Edmonton 5, Pittsburgh 4
Chicago 7, Los Angeles 2
Philadelphia at Vancouver, (n)
Winnipeg at San Jose, (n)

Friday's Games

Buffalo at New Jersey, 6:40 p.m.
Tampa Bay at Toronto, 6:40 p.m.
Calgary at Detroit, 6:40 p.m.

Blues 4, Isles 2

St. Louis	**1**	**0**	**3—4**
N.Y. Islanders	**0**	**1**	**1—2**

First Period—1, St. Louis, Bassen 5 (Korolev, Giles), 15:56.
Second Period—2, New York, King 29 (Turgeon, Thomas), 9:02 (pp).
Third Period—3, St. Louis, Hull 42 (Zombo), 1:03. 4, New York, Mullen 12 (Hogue, Krupp), 9:23. 5, St. Louis, Ron Sutter 12 (Miller, Korolev), 18:04. 6, St. Louis, Brown 16 (Janney, Shanahan), 19:59 (en).
Shots on goal—St. Louis 7-9-6—22. New York 12-13-9—34.
Power-play Opportunities—St. Louis 1 of 3; New York 0 of 3.
Goalies—St. Louis, Hebert, 8-6-2 (34 shots-32 saves). New York, Fitzpatrick, 12-10-5 (21-18).

Hawks 7, Kings 2

Los Angeles	**1**	**0**	**1—2**
Chicago	**1**	**2**	**4—7**

First Period—1, Los Angeles, Granato 27 (Donnelly), 9:11. 2, Chicago, Ruuttu 13 (Gilbert, Graham), 12:03.
Second Period—3, Chicago, Chelios 15 (Sutter), 11:18. 4, Chicago, Roenick 32 (Smith), 17:24.
Third Period—5, Chicago, Roenick 33 (Smith, Belfour), 3:57 (pp). 6, Chicago, Gilbert 12 (Ruuttu, Graham), 10:17. 7, Chicago, Goulet 19 (Roenick), 11:06. 8, Los Angeles, Rychel 5 (Huddy, Kurri), 11:25. 9, Chicago, Larmer 33 (Goulet, Roenick), 13:41 (pp).
Shots on goal—Los Angeles 7-8-12—27. Chicago 17-16-13—46.
Power-play Opportunities—Los Angeles 0 of 5; Chicago 2 of 6.
Goalies—Los Angeles, Knickle, 0-1-0 (46 shots-39 saves). Chicago, Belfour, 28-14-7 (27-25).

Oilers 5, Penguins 4

Edmonton	**0**	**2**	**3—5**
Pittsburgh	**1**	**1**	**2—4**

First Period—1, Pittsburgh, Stevens 44 (Jagr, Stanton), 14:57.
Second Period—2, Pittsburgh, Mullen 18 (Francis, Stevens), 6:21 3, Edmonton, Simpson 23 (Tikkanen, Smith), 9:16. 4, Edmonton, Klima 23 (Todd, Podein), 19:16 (pp).
Third Period—5, Pittsburgh, Stevens 45 (McEachern), 5:25. 6, Edmonton, Ciger 8 (Manson, Tikkanen), 6:26. 7, Edmonton, Simpson 24 (Podein, Richardson), 16:18. 8, Pittsburgh, Francis 17 (Murphy), 17:19. 9, Edmonton, Tikkanen 10, 17:39.
Shots on goal—Edmonton 8-8-12—28. Pittsburgh 12-11-13—36.
Power-play Opportunities—Edmonton 1 of 4; Pittsburgh 0 of 4.
Goalies—Edmonton, Ranford, 13-24-6 (36 shots-32 saves). Pittsburgh, Barrasso, 27-9-3 (28-23).

LPGA Scores

HONOLULU (AP) — Scores Thursday after the first round of the $450,000 Hawaiian Ladies Open, played on the 6,244-yard, par 36-36—72 Ko Olina Golf Club:

Gail Graham	33-34—67 -5
Lisa Walters	34-34—68 -4
Nancy Lopez	32-36—68 -4
Jill Briles-Hinton	34-34—68 -4
Liselotte Neumann	37-33—70 -2
Dottie Mochrie	35-35—70 -2
Cindy Mackey	36-34—70 -2
Tracy Kerdyk	35-35—70 -2
Laura Davies	37-33—70 -2
MB Zimmerman	36-35—71 -1
Deb Richard	37-34—71 -1
Caroline Keggi	36-35—71 -1
Brandie Burton	36-35—71 -1
Donna Andrews	35-36—71 -1
Kelly Robbins	34-37—71 -1
Leigh Ann Mills	34-37—71 -1
Julie Larsen	36-35—71 -1
Denise Baldwin	36-35—71 -1
Susie Redman	36-36—72 E
Betsy King	36-36—72 E
Lynn Connelly	36-36—72 E
Pat Bradley	36-36—72 E
Michele Redman	35-37—72 E
Karen Lunn	37-35—72 E
Alicia Dibos	36-36—72 E
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Hollis Stacy	36-37—73 +1
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Michelle Estill	38-35—73 +1
Jane Crafter	36-37—73 +1
Amy Alcott	35-38—73 +1
Kristi Albers	37-36—73 +1
Akiko Fukushima	38-35—73 +1
Suzy Whaley	35-38—73 +1
Hiromi Hirakata	36-37—73 +1
Kim Williams	38-36—74 +2
Kris Tschetter	38-36—74 +2
M Spencer-Devlin	37-37—74 +2
Pearl Sinn	38-36—74 +2
Amy Read	35-39—74 +2
Cindy Rarick	36-38—74 +2
Anne Marie Palli	36-38—74 +2
Deborah McHaffie	36-38—74 +2
Deedee Lasker	37-37—74 +2
Chris Johnson	37-37—74 +2
Dale Eggeling	36-38—74 +2
Missie Berteotti	36-38—74 +2
Amy Benz	38-36—74 +2
D Ammaccapane	36-38—74 +2
Lisa Kiggens	36-38—74 +2
Jayne Thobois	39-36—75 +3
Patti Rizzo	35-40—75 +3
Caroline Pierce	38-37—75 +3
Mary Murphy	39-36—75 +3
Michelle McGann	37-38—75 +3
Jenny Lidback	37-38—75 +3
Cathy Johnston	36-39—75 +3
Jane Geddes	36-39—75 +3
Lori Garbacz	37-38—75 +3
Cindy Figg-Currier	38-37—75 +3
Page Dunlap	37-38—75 +3
Connie Chillemi	36-39—75 +3
Susie Berning	39-36—75 +3
Tina Barrett	38-37—75 +3
Michiko Hattori	40-35—75 +3
Nayoko Yoshikawa	38-37—75 +3
Ikuyo Shiotani	39-36—75 +3
Jennifer Sevil	39-36—75 +3
Kathryn Marshall	39-36—75 +3
Sue Thomas	38-38—76 +4
Barb Thomas	38-38—76 +4
D Lofland-Dormann	37-39—76 +4
Hiromi Kobayashi	36-40—76 +4
Stephanie Farwig	37-39—76 +4
Dawn Coe-Jones	38-38—76 +4
Kim Bauer	37-39—76 +4
Loretta Alderete	37-39—76 +4
Tomiko Ikebuchi	37-39—76 +4
Suzanne Strudwick	37-39—76 +4
Marianne Morris	36-40—76 +4
Cathy Mockett	36-40—76 +4
Marilyn Lovander	40-36—76 +4
Jenny Wyatt	40-37—77 +5
Sherri Steinhauer	38-39—77 +5
Val Skinner	38-39—77 +5
NL Ramsbottom	38-39—77 +5
Joan Pitcock	38-39—77 +5
Cathy Marino	37-40—77 +5
Michelle Mackall	40-37—77 +5
Patti Lisnin	38-39—77 +5

College Basketball Results

Men's Scores

Thursday's College Basketball Scores
By The Associated Press
EAST

Daemen 75, Hilbert 61
Delaware Val. 74, Allentown 71
George Washington 89, St. Bonaventure 72
Hartford 88, Maine 76
Holy Family 61, Phila. Pharmacy 60
Mass.-Dartmouth 90, Suffolk 70
Massachusetts 96, Buffalo 67
Monmouth, N.J. 83, Fairleigh Dickinson 52
N. Adams St. 71, Fitchburg St. 55
N.J. Tech 92, Yeshiva 59
N.Y. Maritime 81, Bard 60
New Hampshire 66, Vermont 65, OT
Rivier 91, Daniel Webster 71
Robert Morris 81, St. Francis, NY 73
St. Francis, Pa. 80, Long Island U. 74
Utica 76, Mount St. Mary, N.Y. 74
W. Connecticut 70, Ramapo 59
Wagner 81, Marist 64
Westfield St. 99, Framingham St. 92
Worcester Tech 89, MIT 73

SOUTH

Ark.-Little Rock 67, Louisiana Tech 60
Ashland 74, Bellarmine 70
Barber-Scotia 108, Allen 64
Belmont 98, Trevecca Nazarene 82
Berry 55, Shorter 53
Birmingham-Southern 75, Auburn-Montgomery 69
Campbellsville 92, Indiana-Southeast 76
Catholic U. 89, Mary Washington 63
Claflin 81, Edward Waters 65
Coastal Carolina 71, Campbell 66
Coppin St. 75, S. Carolina St. 69
Cumberland, Ky. 78, Lee 53
Delaware St. 76, Howard U. 66
East Carolina 66, Virginia Tech 49
Faulkner 80, Montevallo 76
Fla. International 72, SE Louisiana 67
Ind.-Pur.-Ft. Wayne 80, Kentucky St. 78
Ind.-Pur.-Indpls. 82, Transylvania 75
Johnson C. Smith 94, Livingstone 90
Lambuth 92, Freed-Hardeman 86
Lindsey Wilson 87, Union, Ky. 69
Mercer 74, N.C.-Asheville 69
Milligan 91, Bluefield Coll. 87
N.C.-Wilmington 79, Coll. of Charleston 63
North Georgia 69, Southern Tech 62
Samford 85, Tenn.-Martin 63
St. Paul's 104, St. Augustine's 72
Stetson 95, Centenary 82, 2OT
Thomas More 91, Hanover 84
Tulane 75, N.C. Charlotte 70
Union, Tenn. 86, Bethel, Tenn. 77
Virginia 58, Duke 55
William Carey 140, Baptist Christian 90
Xavier, NO 91, Spring Hill 72

MIDWEST

Baker 94, Benedictine,Kan. 93
Butler 74, Dayton 59
Cleveland St. 67, Ill.-Chicago 64
Columbia, Mo. 110, Lindenwood 98
Concordia, Wis. 75, Marian, Wis. 71
Creighton 59, N. Iowa 54
Culver-Stockton 97, Cent. Methodist 81
Duquesne 77, Loyola, Ill. 71
Ferris St. 97, Grand Valley St. 80
Fontbonne 69, Parks 64
Fort Hays St. 85, N.Mex.Highlands 54
Illinois St. 72, Tulsa 63
Indiana Tech 82, St. Francis, Ind. 74
La Salle 73, Detroit Mercy 72
Mac Murray 79, Blackburn 64
Maryville, Mo. 80, Webster 73
Mayville St. 115, Minot St. 105
Michigan Tech 89, Hillsdale 60
Mid-Am Nazarene 79, Missouri Val. 78
Minnesota 85, Wisconsin 71
Mo.-Kansas City 94, NE Illinois 64
N. Illinois 74, W. Illinois 66
N. Michigan 81, Wayne, Mich. 69
North Park 96, Moody Bible 40
Oakland, Mich. 85, Northwd, Mich. 51
S. Indiana 78, Lewis 66
SW Missouri St. 71, Drake 67
St. Joseph's, Ind. 79, Ky. Wesleyan 54
Teikyo Westmar 87, Midland Lutheran 76
Valparaiso 93, Youngstown St. 72
Walsh 90, Dyke 63
Westminster, Mo. 76, Principia 67, OT
Wis.-Green Bay 76, Wright St. 66

SOUTHWEST

Arkansas Coll. 77, Harding 67
Arkansas Tech 75, S. Arkansas 73
Cent. Arkansas 81, Ark.-Pine Bluff 56
Henderson St. 101, Ark.-Monticello 77
Mary Hardin-Baylor 105, Texas Wesleyan 98
NE Louisiana 85, Texas-San Antonio 80
New Orleans 84, Lamar 73
Rockhurst 62, John Brown 61
SW Louisiana 70, Texas-Pan American 69
SW Texas St. 99, NW Louisiana 87
Sam Houston St. 97, North Texas 89
St. Edward's, Texas 70, Incarnate Word 66
Stephen F.Austin 86, Texas-Arlington 83, OT
Texas-El Paso 77, San Diego St. 60
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Arizona 116, Arizona St. 80
Brigham Young 90, Fresno St. 74
Colorado Christian 114, Fort Lewis 95
Gonzaga 69, San Diego 63
Montana 54, N. Arizona 46
Nevada 68, San Jose St. 64
New Mexico 82, Hawaii 58
Oregon 85, Washington 70
Oregon St. 59, Washington St. 58
Pacific U. 72, Utah St. 62
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Santa Clara 66, Portland 60
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Women's Scores

Thursday's Women's Basketball Scores
EAST

Babson 96, Trinity, Conn. 84
Binghamton St. 66, Hamilton 46
Caldwell 73, Dominican, N.Y. 62
Cent. Connecticut 67, Hofstra 57
Dickinson 70, Juniata 53
Lycoming 60, Misericordia 59
Marist 62, Wagner 59
Massachusetts 59, George Washington 57
Moravian 91, Muhlenberg 57
Nichols 51, Worcester Tech 50, OT
Pitt.-Johnstown 82, West Liberty 62
Point Park 65, Geneva 52
Robert Morris 60, St. Francis, N.Y. 57
St. Joseph's 61, Temple 54
St. Francis, Pa. 81, Long Island U. 66
St. Thomas Aquinas 74, Georgian Court 58
Salem St. 62, Bridgewater St. 58
Susquehanna 84, King's, Pa. 48
Towson St. 69, Liberty 57
Vermont 70, New Hampshire 55
W. Maryland 65, Lebanon Valley 63
Westfield St. 64, Framingham St. 25
Wheaton 80, Smith 56
Widener 67, Swarthmore 45
Xavier, Ohio 102, Duquesne 69

SOUTH

Arkansas St. 83, South Alabama 34
Barber Scotia 77, Edward Waters 46
Berry 85, Shorter 72
Campbell 81, Coastal Carolina 79
Coppin St. 67, South Carolina 64
Fla. International 77, SE Louisiana 61
Florida Atlantic 86, Florida Memorial 52
Georgia Southwestern 7, Georgia Coll. 6
Hampton U. 74, N.C. Central 60
Ind.-Pur.-Ft. Wayne 107, Kentucky St. 41
Jacksonville St. 78, Mississippi 48
Kentucky 74, E. Kentucky 56
Lander 67, Newberry 57
Lincoln Memorial 66, Wofford 59
LSU 72, Nicholls St. 42
Maryland 81, Clemson 73
McNeese St. 80, SW Louisiana 56
Memphis St. 101, Tenn.-Martin 89
Midway 97, Asbury 84
Mobile College 57, Belhaven 53
Montevallo 72, Auburn-Montgomery 68
Stetson 75, Cent. Florida 66
Tennessee 100, S.Carolina 57
Tennessee St. 70, Mercer 66
Tenn.-Wesleyan 72, Va. Intermont 54
Thomas More 71, Depaul 60
William Carey 106, Baptist Christian 19
Xavier, NO 79, Spring Hill 68

MIDWEST

Bellarmine 76, Ashland 63
Cleveland St. 93, Wright St. 83
Culver-Stockton 87, Cent. Methodist 83
Ferris St. 79, Grand Valley St. 59
Graceland 69, Evangel 60
Michigan Tech 75, Hillsdale 60
Mid-Am Nazarene 70, Missouri Val. 62
N. Michigan 90, Wayne, Mich. 77
NW Iowa 73, Mount Marty 70
Notre Dame 74, Loyola, Chi. 60
Oakland, Mich. 79, Northwd, Mich. 43
SW Missouri St. 84, N. Iowa 54
Siena Heights 81, Mich.-Dearborn 67
Tiffin 86, Cent. St., Ohio 82, OT
Urbana 71, Malone 68
Wichita St. 80, Creighton 74
Wis.-Green Bay 81, W. Illinois 60

SOUTHWEST

Arkansas St. 83, South Alabama 34
Midwestern St. 92, W. New Mexico 82
NE Louisiana 74, Texas-San Antonio 50
North Texas 74, Sam Houston St. 53
Rice 83, Prairie View A&M 57
SW Texas St. 88, NW Louisiana 71
Stephen F. Austin 73, Texas-Arlington 60
Wayland Baptist 80, Tarleton St. 62

FAR WEST

Cal St.-Fullerton 85, Nevada 65
Metro St. 72, S. Colorado 54
Montana 71, N.Arizona 29
Montana St. 65, Weber St. 47
Santa Clara 59, Portland 53

TOURNAMENT
Carolinas Conference
First Round

High Point 84, Coker 57
Mount Olive 71, Pfeiffer 70
Barton 70, St. Andrews 59

Top 25 Boxes

Virginia 58, Duke 55

DUKE (19-5)
Clark 0-4 0-0 0, Lang 2-5 1-4 5, Parks 8-12 0-1 16, Hurley 3-11 0-0 8, G.Hill 6-17 1-3 14, Meek 1-4 0-3 2, Blakeney 0-5 2-2 2, Collins 3-6 0-0 8. Totals 23-64 4-13 55.
VIRGINIA (16-5)
Burrough 1-6 4-5 6, Williford 1-3 0-0 2, Jeffries 5-10 0-2 10, Parker 4-11 0-2 8, Alexander 6-18 7-8 20, Barnes 1-5 2-2 4, Smith 3-4 1-2 8, Wilson 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 21-57 14-21 58.
Halftime—Virginia 30, Duke 26. 3-Point goals—Duke 5-15 (Collins 2-4, Hurley 2-5, G.Hill 1-4, Clark 0-1, Blakeney 0-1), Virginia 2-7 (Smith 1-2, Alexander 1-5). Fouled out—Lang. Rebounds—Duke 39 (Parks 11), Virginia 47 (Jeffries 9). Assists—Duke 16 (Hurley 9), Virginia 13 (Alexander, Smith 4). Total fouls—Duke 20, Virginia 14. A—8,864.

Tulane 75, N.C.-Charlotte 70

N.C.-CHARLOTTE (13-9)
Lang 7-17 3-5 17, Broadhurst 2-4 0-1 5, Odom 4-6 4-6 13, Thompson 4-11 0-0 10, Davis 6-17 0-0 18, Dottin 0-1 0-0 0, Kummer 1-3 0-0 2, Wilhite 2-3 1-2 5. Totals 26-62 8-14 70.
TULANE (19-4)
Greene 6-13 0-2 12, Reed 4-10 5-6 13, Popp 1-2 1-2 3, Williams 4-10 6-9 15,

Haas only Buick entrant to crack par

Associated Press

LA JOLLA, Calif. — In a field of 157, only Jay Haas could break par Thursday in dreadful conditions that turned the first round of the Buick Invitational into something approaching low comedy.

Haas, 39, put a birdie-birdie finish on a 2-under-par 70 at the North course at Torrey Pines, the shorter and easier of the two courses used for the first two rounds.

No one else was better than 72 in a big contrast to all the low scores at the Bob Hope Classic last weekend, won by Tom Kite at 35-under.

And, if he had his way about it, Haas — who started his day's play from the 10th tee — wouldn't have broken par either.

When he was standing on the sixth tee, Haas inquired of a PGA Tour rules official: "Why don't you call it off and send us in?"

The official took no note of that suggestion, and Haas played in, making birdies on his last two holes.

"About the worst winds I've played in," the veteran of 17 seasons on the PGA Tour said later.

"The conditions were marginal. If the greens had been about a foot faster, we couldn't have played. Just a little faster and the winds would be blowing the ball off the greens," Haas said.

As it was, winds gusting to 35 mph — higher in frequent squalls — and intermittant squalls with sheets of rain produced some scores that reached into the farcial range.

For example, there was 76-year-old Jerry Barber. He struggled to an 84. But he had a number of players in his rear view mirror.

Take Dave De Long. He had an 89. Or Mark Mason, who shot 90.

Lon Hinkle, a former winner of the World Series of Golf, wasn't quite that good. He had a 91.

But they were not alone. Some more prominent names also had their share of embarassment.

John Daly had a 79, Ben Crenshaw 80 and Chip Beck, who had a 59 two years ago, went to an 81.

North Star owner regrets possible move to Dallas

Associated Press

MINNEAPOLIS — Minnesota North Stars owner Norm Green, on the verge of moving his NHL team to Dallas, said Thursday that he has feelings of failure because he wasn't able to realize his dreams in Minnesota.

Sounding weary and resigned, Green told The Associated Press that, while he hasn't concluded negotiations with officials from the city of Dallas and Reunion Arena, "that track is moving along rapidly and this one hasn't changed; that track is a real possibility."

"I'm very sad, extremely sad. The last thing I want to do is start again from scratch," he said. "It's the toughest thing I've ever done. My wife and I shared some tears when we talked about all the dreams we had.

"Unfortunately, the salaries went up, revenues didn't keep pace and we face the reality that we might not reach the dream. We keep searching and not finding.

"I don't know what else I could have done, what else the team or organization could have done, but, yes, it is a feeling of failure."

Green said that, if negotiations with Dallas continue advancing rapidly and if no new developments occur in Minnesota, "by the end of February, we should have a very good indication of where we stand. That's 10 days and I can see it happening by then."

Earlier Thursday, Green returned after negotiations in Dallas and officially rejected bids by Target Center in Minneapolis and the St. Paul Civic Center.

Little-known Graham leads LPGA Hawaiian Open

Associated Press

HONOLULU — Unheralded Gail Graham shot a career-best 67 Thursday to take a one-stroke lead over three other golfers, including defending champion Lisa Walters and LPGA Hall of Famer Nancy Lopez, after the first round of the $450,000 Hawaiian Ladies Open.

Graham, whose best round in three years on the tour was a 68 and best finish was sixth in last year's U.S. Women's Open, turned in a bogey-free round over the 6,216-yard Ko Olina Course. She made the turn in 33 and closed with two more birdies on the back nine.

Sharing second place with Walters and Lopez was Jill Briles-Hinton, with early leaders Liselotte Neumann, Laura Davies and Tracy Kerdyk, plus Dottie Mochrie, last year's leading money winner, and Cindy Mackey in at 2-under 70.

The lack of winds in the afternoon were reflected in the scores. The top four leaders had late tee times. The morning starters had to overcome swirling 13 mph winds.

Graham said patience was the key to her play.

"I just tried to stay patient," she said. "I didn't let the wind bother me and I aimed for the green."

4-5A: Last state champion from district in '63

(From 1C)

5,500 fans.

You have to go back to the 1963 season to find the last state champion (San Angelo) from this district and that was back when Spike Dykes was an assistant basketball coach.

The 1981 season was the last time a local team earned a playoff victory as Midland High defeated Denton in bi-district play. The Bulldogs, with Herbert Johnson as the spark, had a 32-5 season.

Since beating Denton, MHS now has lost four consecutive playoff games (Dunbar, 1981; Amarillo High, 1984; Amarillo Tascosa, 1989; and Plainview, 1991).

Midland High is 9-8 in the playoffs since 1961, advancing to Austin twice, gaining the semifinals before losing to San Antonio Jefferson in 1972 and losing in the 1973 state finals to Houston Wheatley.

Since 1960 MHS has had four teams win 30 or more games with the 1973 state finalist team recording a school record 33-3 season. In 1980, MHS was 30-7 and didn't make the state playoffs.

Midland Lee, the newly crowned District 4-5A champion and entering the state playoffs as the No. 10 ranked team in the state, owns a 28-4 record and only one Lee team has won more than 30 games in a season, that coming in 1975 when Lee went 33-4 before losing to Houston Kashmere in the state semifinals behind Junior Miller and crew.

The 1973 Rebels had a 29-4 season, but didn't make the playoffs. Two other Rebel teams won 28 games, but neither made it past one round of the state playoffs. The 1974 team was 28-5, but lost to Richland in bi-district. The 1977 team posted a fine 28-7 record and didn't make the playoffs.

Since 1965 the Rebels have posted a 3-5 playoff record with all three victories coming in the 1975 season. Lee had wins over Wichita Falls Rider, Lubbock Monterey and El Paso Bowie that year before the loss to Kashmere.

One of the toughest Lee playoff losses came in 1985 in a one-point bi-district loss to Amarillo Palo Duro. Lee hit what appeared to be the winning basket, and had a victory celebration before officials said that the basket didn't count because the game-ending gun didn't fire on the first pull of the trigger. The gun had to be fired a second time to end the game. That was the way they did it at the Lubbock Coronado gym because you couldn't hear the clock buzzer. Still, most observers feel that Lee got that final shot off on time.

Lee was last in the playoffs in 1986, losing to Amarillo High in bi-district play. The Rebels have lost three consecutive playoff outings, heading into this year's run for roses.

But that is history. The present calls and hopes are running high at both schools. It's a rare opportunity for both local schools to have this chance in the same season.

Midland High Playoff History (Since 1961)
1971: Lost to Wichita Falls Rider in first round.
1972: Defeated Wichita Falls Rider, defeated Lubbock Monterey, defeated Highland Park, lost to San Antonio Jefferson.
1973: Defeated Richland, defeated Irving, defeated El Paso Austin, defeated Spring Branch, lost to Houston Wheatley.
1979: Defeated Wichita Falls, lost to Fort Worth Dunbar.
1981: Defeated Denton, lost to Fort Worth Dunbar.
1984: Lost to Amarillo High.
1989: Lost to Amarillo Tascosa.
1991: Lost to Plainview.
(Overall Playoff Record: 9-8).

Midland Lee Playoff History
1965: Lost to El Paso Austin.
1974: Lost to Richland.
1975: Defeated Wichita Falls Rider, defeated Lubbock Monterey, defeated El Paso Bowie, lost to Houston Kashmere.
1985: Lost to Amarillo Palo Duro.
1986: Lost to Amarillo High.

BASEBALL: Pirates must rely on their youngsters

(From 1C)

never before.

In Bradenton, Fla., the Pittsburgh Pirates began preparing to win their fourth straight NL East title after losing the likes of Barry Bonds, Doug Drabek, Jose Lind, Danny Jackson, Roger Mason, Alex Cole and others. The Pirates hope new players in camp named Young, Garcia, Martin, Backlund and DeLos Santos can take their place.

"Maybe they should hand out those little name tags to everyone, like they wear at conventions, that say, 'Hi, my name is ...'" center fielder Andy Van Slyke said.

At least a lot of the Pirates know each other. In Tucson, Ariz., 63 players reported for the expansion Colorado Rockies' first camp, and they spent a lot of time making introductions.

"Whenever I meet someone new — which is almost everybody around here — I repeat their name three times to myself," said Steve Reed, who pitched 18 games for the San Francisco Giants last season.

"There are 63 guys here, and I'm the only guy from the Giants organization. Trying to remember each guy's name, all the way from reporters to the clubhouse guys to the front-office guys and especially my fellow players, well, it's difficult," he said.

The one pitcher who needs no introduction this spring is Nolan Ryan, who will be playing his record 27th and final season this year.

Ryan, 46, was not among the 32 players who reported to the Texas Rangers' camp on Thursday. He's expected at Port Charlotte, Fla., next week and will work out for the first time on either Feb. 28 or March 1.

In Port St. Lucie, Fla., New York Mets manager Jeff Torborg said he will approach this spring training with a looser reign, mainly because he knows his veterans better.

SIGNINGS: Bosox pick up Russell

(From 1C)

agreed to $1.25 million with the chance for $50,000 in performance bonuses. He made $640,000 last season.

Infielder Craig Grebeck and the Chicago White Sox agreed at $632,500, more than triple his $200,000 he made in 1992.

Among free agents, reliever Jeff Russell and the Boston Red Sox agreed to a one-year contract with an option for 1994. Russell can earn up to about $2 million in performance bonuses if he appears in about 60 games and is healthy for three-quarters of the season.

Boston's option is for Russell's 1993 earnings, and the option would become guaranteed if the pitcher achieves about 40 percent of his performance levels this season. The option would allow Russell to earn about $6.7 million over the two years of the contract if he reaches the performance levels in both seasons.

Russell was 2-3 with a 1.91 ERA and 28 saves in 51 games for the Texas Rangers last season, then was traded on Aug. 31 with Ruben Sierra to Oakland for Jose Canseco. Russell was 2-0 with an 0.00 ERA and two saves for the Athletics.

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AREA: Rangers open playoffs against either Clint or Fabens

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past, but it's work ethic makes up for that.

"We've tried to preach that the only way we can be successful is if we stay within our capabilities, know our role on the team and put all those things together with hard work, and we'll be successful," Chaney said. "So far we've done that.

"We're not blessed with great athletes and we have to play hard. We don't out-hoss many people, so we have to out-think them."

In the regular season, the Rangers out-thought the district competition on nine of 10 occasions. Greenwood was the 6-3A champion with a 9-1 record, 15-9 overall.

Senior post Ray Seales (19 points per game), senior guards Greg Adams (10 ppg), Jeff Dunn (eight ppg) and Ted Flowers (four ppg), and junior Michael Paul Smith, a post who averages eight ppg, make up the Rangers starting five. Sophomores James Settles and T.J. Pfannenstiel are sparks off the bench for the Rangers.

Greenwood opens the playoffs next Friday night against either Clint or Fabens, the runner-up in District 5-3A.

"I feel really good about the playoffs," Chaney said. "We're hungrier. We've been playing a lot better toward the end of the year compared to last year when we were going down hill a little bit. Last year we lost that eagerness to advance in the playoffs, and some of the guys that are back remember that. I think we'll be really successful this year."

At Rankin, Hooker preaches defense. The Red Devils eat, drink and sleep defense, as a matter of fact.

"It all starts with defense," Hooker said. "We preach and teach that defense starts our offense. You can't rest on the defensive end and go to work on the offensive end. If you can't play defense, you're not going to play for us."

It must work. The Red Devils, currently riding a 20-game win streak, are 24-2 overall, and won both halves of the District 7-1A basketball race, with 3-0 records in each half.

Two years ago the Red Devils went to the regional tournament. Last year, Rankin was beaten in the area round by Sudan.

This year, the Red Devils open the tournament against Tornillo, in a bi-district game next Friday in Alpine. Tornillo is the District 8-1A runner-up which finished the season with an overall record of just 5-12, 2-2 in district.

Rankin is led by senior post Jimmy Low, whose 23 ppg and 12 rebounds per game leads the team. Senior guard Jeff Jones (15 ppg, five rpg) and junior point guard JoJo Guerra (13 ppg, eight assists per game, seven steals per game) add another 28 combined points per game. Senior post Joey Varela (eight ppg, six rpg) and Roy Abalos (four ppg) round out the Rankin starting five.

"As far as interest in basketball," Hooker said, "this group is very interested. They've got all kinds of heart. If you look at them they don't look like basketball players physically. But we stress teamwork; no one person tries to be a hero, and that's good for our team."

Area girls teams in the playoffs include:

- Big Spring (23-5, 12-0, District 3-4A Champion) vs. Levelland (26-6), 7 p.m. Saturday, Lamesa.
- Andrews (18-14, 8-4, 3-4A runner-up) vs. Canyon Randall (24-4), 6 p.m., Saturday, Lubbock.
- Stanton (18-8, 4-2, 6-2A Champion) vs. Van Horn, 6 p.m., Saturday, Monahans.
- Garden City (23-6, 7-2, 6-1A Champion) vs. Whiteface, 6:30 p.m. today, Seminole.
- Rankin (12-12, 2-0, 7-1A Champions, both first and second half) also plays Tornillo at 6 p.m. today, Sul Ross State University, Alpine.

SWIM: Girls race wide open

(From 1C)

elite in the sport.

"If I can get those girls to dive, it'll be frosting on the cake," Goelz said. "They both have gymnastics backgrounds which helps. They know how to twist and turn. That they're in their rookie seasons of diving and considered among the best in the district shows you just how much natural ability they have."

Other Lee girls to be counted on are Shannon Conkey, Allison Owens, Sara Carnett, Catrina Keiffer, Tami Campbell and Natalie Reed.

At MHS, Kathryn Krall and Robin Hill lead a group of nine girls. Others who'll make a splash at the meet are Kelli Hales, Elizabeth Bryant, Carol Snead, Sarah Vaughan, Angie Seltzer, Elise Rotenberry and Holland Patterson.

"At the first of the year, we were heavy favorites," Ridge said of his girls team. "But we've had moveaways. It's going to be a close race, that's all I can say."

MHS' dominating boys group is led by Clay Brown and Howard Flowers. Others expected to compete for medals are Blake Johnson, Brandon Johnson, James Holme, John Green and Clay Brown.

Brandon Johnson, Holme, Green and Brown, Ridge said, have a good shot of all four finishing in the Top 6 in two events — the 200 and 500 freestyle.

Other MHS boys to watch are Blake Henry, Paul Houk, Anthony Mills, Bill Parsley, Neil Sherrod and Adolfo Urquieta.

"It's really been a blessing having so many good boys," Ridge said. "I've got so many, every one of them have a shot at making the top six."

At Lee, Steven Mullins will be expected to compete in the 100 backstroke, where it is expected to be a close race between him and MHS' Flowers.

Other Lee swimmers of note are Nathan Reed, Karl Walker and Chris Waschmann.

"It's gonna be a barn-burner," Goelz said.

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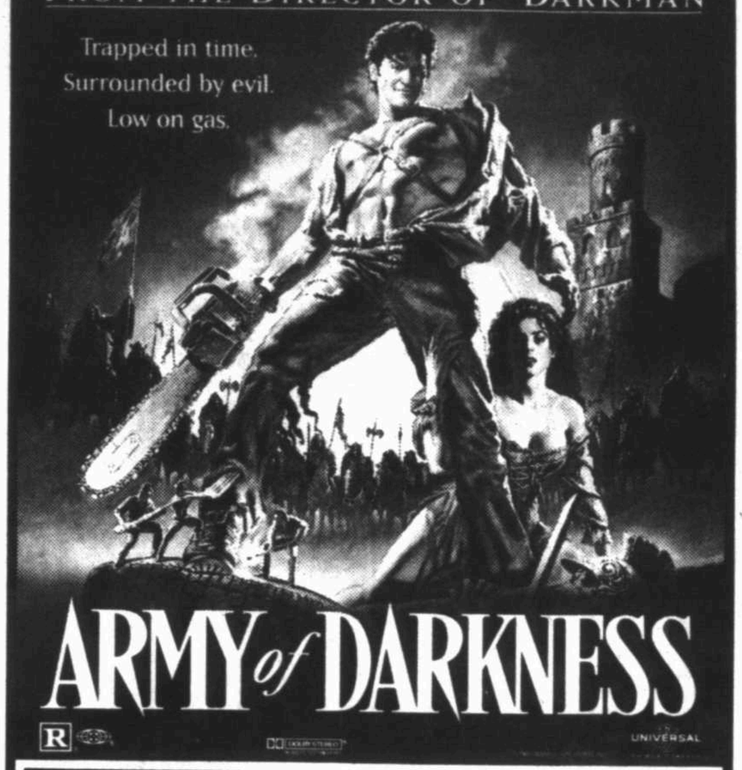
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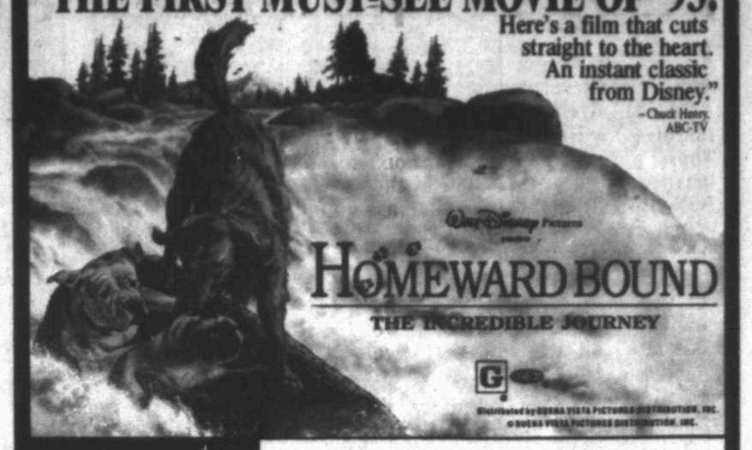
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UNTAMED HEART 2:40 4:45 7:10 9:25 PG-13
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THE CRYING GAME 2:45 5:00 7:25 9:45 R
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NORTH PARK 697-3243 LOOP 250 & BILLINGSLEY
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CaGr	31.38	N.L.	+.02
GinIM	16.14	N.L.	+.03
GthInc	29.52	N.L.	—.14
HQ Bd	16.46	N.L.	+.08
TxFBd	18.25	N.L.	+.18
ABT Funds:			
Emrg p	12.08	12.68	+.24
FL TF	11.21	11.77	+.08
GthIn p	10.74	11.28	+.01
Utilin p	13.38	14.05	+.02
AHA Funds:			
Balan	12.16	N.L.	
Full	10.57	N.L.	+.06
Lim	10.49	N.L.	+.02
AIM Funds:			
AdjGv p	9.89	10.20	+.01
Chart p	8.48	8.97	+.01
Const p	14.30	15.13	+.15
CvYld p	14.03	14.73	+.14
HiYld p	5.70	5.98	
IntlE p	9.13	9.66	+.04
LimM p	10.23	10.33	+.02
Summit	9.31		+.02
TF Int	10.78	11.11	+.04
Weing p	16.29	17.24	—.01
AIM Funds C:			
AgrsvC p	17.93	18.97	+.23
GoSoC p	10.33	10.85	+.04
GrthC p	11.48	12.15	
HYIdC p	9.58	10.06	+.01
IncoC p	8.27	8.68	+.07
MuBC p	8.46	8.88	+.06
TeCtC p	10.94	11.49	+.07
UtilC p	13.61	14.40	+.04
ValuC p	18.05	19.10	+.14
AMF Funds:			
AdjMtg	9.98	N.L.	
IntMtg	9.99	N.L.	+.03
IntlLiq	10.95	N.L.	+.03
MtgSc	11.40	N.L.	+.02
ASM Fd	9.12	N.L.	—.09
ASO Funds:			
Balance	11.24	11.77	
Bond	11.17	11.70	+.06
Equity	13.19	13.81	—.05
LtdMat	10.73	11.01	+.03
AcornF	56.50	56.50	+.19
AdsnCa p	21.58	22.25	—.01
Advest Advant:			
Govt p	9.60	9.60	+.09
Gwth p	15.83	15.83	—.03
HY Bd p	9.19	9.19	—.01
Inco p	12.39	12.39	+.05
Spcl p	16.96	16.96	+.02
Aetna Funds:			
Aetna	10.19	N.L.	+.01
Bond	10.27	N.L.	+.06
GrwIncm	10.37	N.L.	—.01
IntlGr	9.08	N.L.	+.05
Alger Funds:			
Growth t	18.77	18.77	+.19
IncGr r	13.36	13.36	+.05
SmCap t	21.12	21.12	+.40
Alliance Cap:			
Alian p	6.69	7.08	+.01
Balan p	13.62	14.41	—.01
BondA p	13.04	13.44	+.07
Canad p	4.87	5.15	
Count p	18.42	19.49	—.11
GlbSA p	9.74	10.31	+.10
GovtA p	8.57	8.84	+.04
GovtB p	8.57	8.57	+.04
GrInc p	2.41	2.55	—.01
ICalT A p	13.69	14.34	+.09
InsMuA p	10.35	10.84	+.06
IntlA p	14.09	14.91	+.05
MrtgA p	9.31	9.60	+.05
MrtgB p	9.31	9.31	+.05
MrtgTrB p	10.01	10.01	+.01
MltiG	9.98	10.08	—.01
MltiIn t	1.89	1.89	
MMSA p	8.73	9.00	+.01
MMSB t	8.73	8.73	+.01
MuCA A p	10.44	10.93	+.05
MuNY A p	9.83	10.29	+.05
NtlMuA p	10.60	11.10	+.05
NEur p	9.42	9.97	+.07
NAGvB p	9.99	9.99	+.04
QusrA p	20.73	21.94	+.16
ST Mla p	9.17	9.45	+.01
ST Mlb t	9.17	9.17	+.01
Tech p	27.70	29.31	+.47
WldIn p	1.90	1.90	
Ambassador Fds:			
GrwthF	11.79	11.79	+.09
IdxStkF	11.17	11.17	—.03
IntlStk	10.51	10.51	+.02
SmCoGF	12.71	12.71	+.06
Amer AAdvant:			
LtdTr	10.13	N.L.	+.02
Amer Capital:			
CmstA p	17.16	18.21	—.02
CpBd p	7.02	7.37	+.03
EmGr p	21.67	22.99	+.34
EntA p	12.40	13.16	+.03
EntB p	12.40	12.40	+.03
EqInc p	5.22	5.54	+.01
Exch	102.86		—.46
FMgA p	12.65	13.18	
FMgB p	12.66	12.66	
GlEqA p	9.73	10.32	
GlGvA p	8.93	9.38	+.02
GvScB p	10.94	10.94	+.05
GvScA p	10.93	11.48	+.05
GvT97 p	13.04	13.44	+.03
GrInc p	12.82	13.60	—.01
HarbA p	15.13	16.05	+.02
HiYld p	6.36	6.68	+.01
MunB p	10.26	10.77	+.06
PaceB p	12.06	12.06	—.01
Pace p	12.09	12.83	—.01
TxE I p	11.51	12.08	+.05
TXMS p	9.99	10.49	+.05
TEHY p	11.19	11.75	+.04
American Funds:			
A Bal p	12.45	13.21	+.01
Amcp p	13.28	14.09	—.04
AMutl p	21.05	22.33	—.03
Bond p	14.37	15.09	+.06
CapIB p	31.70	33.63	+.06
CapW p	15.27	16.03	+.04
Eupac p	33.54	35.59	+.11
Fdlnv p	17.71	18.79	—.03
Govt p	14.28	14.99	+.07
Gwth p	24.01	25.47	—.01
HI Tr p	14.67	15.40	+.01
Inco p	13.94	14.79	+.01
IntBd p	14.37	15.09	+.07
ICA p	17.88	18.97	—.04
NEco p	26.92	28.56	—.10
N Per p	12.38	13.14	+.02
SmCp p	19.08	20.24	+.07
TxEx p	12.06	12.66	+.08
TECA p	15.62	16.40	+.12
TEMd p	15.39	16.16	+.08
TEVA p	15.85	16.64	+.09
Wsh p	16.67	17.69	—.07
A GthFd	8.76	9.57	—.03
A Herit	1.19	N.L.	
Amer Natl Funds:			
Grth	4.38	4.67	—.02
Inco	21.62	23.06	—.05
Triflex	15.50	16.53	—.05
API Gr p	10.85	N.L.	—.15
Am Perform:			
Bond	10.73	11.18	+.06
Equity	11.86	12.35	
IntBd	10.89	11.23	+.05
AmUtlFd	22.95	N.L.	
Analyt	12.06	N.L.	—.02
AnchrCa	f22.38	22.38	+.01
Aquila Funds:			
AZ TF	10.70	11.15	+.05
CO TF	10.63	11.07	+.07
HI TF	11.60	12.08	+.05
KY TF	10.72	11.17	+.05
OR TF	10.71	11.16	+.06
Arch Funds:			
CapApp	13.67	14.31	—.07
Div Fl	10.55	11.05	+.05
MoTF	11.44	11.98	+.07
US Gov	11.06	11.58	+.05
Amstng	7.63	N.L.	+.01
AtlantaGr p	10.97	11.40	—.03
Atlas Funds:			
CaMuni	11.07	11.41	+.09
GvtSc	10.73	11.06	+.03
GroInc	13.34	13.75	
NaMuni	11.15	11.49	+.09
BFMShDu	9.96	N.L.	—.01
Babson Group:			
Bond L	1.66	N.L.	+.01
Bond S	10.49	N.L.	+.03
Enterp2	15.01	N.L.	+.08
Enterp	15.80	N.L.	+.04
Gwth	12.44	N.L.	—.03
Intl	12.66	N.L.	+.01
Shadw	11.90	N.L.	+.02
TaxFrL	9.34	N.L.	+.08
UMB B	11.42	N.L.	+.04
UMB St	15.90	N.L.	—.07
Value	21.92	N.L.	—.09
Baird Funds:			
BIChip p	18.05	19.15	—.07
CapDev p	21.64	22.96	—.04
BakerGv	15.17	N.L.	
BaronA	17.80	N.L.	—.06
Bartlett Funds:			
BasVl	14.22	N.L.	—.04
Fixedl	10.46	N.L.	+.03
VI Intl	9.77	N.L.	+.02
Bascom	23.28	23.28	—.05
Beac Hill	31.40	N.L.	—.25
Benham Group:			
AdjGov	10.03	N.L.	+.01
CalTFI	11.19	N.L.	+.07
CatfIn	10.27	N.L.	+.08
CaTFS	10.30	N.L.	+.03
CatfH	9.30	N.L.	+.06
CatfL	11.53	N.L.	+.09
EqGro	11.50	N.L.	—.07
EurBd	10.11	N.L.	—.02
GNMA	10.92	N.L.	+.01
GoldIn	8.10	N.L.	—.03
IncGro	13.90	N.L.	—.09
NITFI	10.98	N.L.	+.07
NITFL	11.82	N.L.	+.12
Tg1995	91.04	N.L.	+.31
Tg2000	65.14	N.L.	+.74
Tg2005	44.17	N.L.	+.60
Tg2010	31.38	N.L.	+.49
Tg2015	22.95	N.L.	+.30
Tg2020	15.66	N.L.	+.19
TNote	10.71	N.L.	+.06
Berger Group:			
100	13.19	N.L.	+.19
101	9.66	N.L.	—.01
Bernstein Fds:			
GvSh	12.73	N.L.	+.02
ShtDur	12.80	N.L.	+.02
IntDur	13.38	N.L.	+.07
Ca Mu	13.59	N.L.	+.08
DivMu	13.54	N.L.	+.07
NYMu	13.58	N.L.	+.07
IntlVal	12.28	N.L.	+.05
BerwynEd	15.75	N.L.	+.09
Blanchard Funds:			
GlGr p	9.57	N.L.	+.01
PrcM p	5.29	N.L.	—.02
ST Gl	1.84	N.L.	
BdEndw	19.28	N.L.	+.12
Boston Co:			
AAloc p	14.66	N.L.	—.05
AMEF	11.50	11.50	—.04
CaAp p	25.48	N.L.	—.09
Intl	10.52	N.L.	+.04
IntGv p	13.13	N.L.	+.07
Mgdl p	11.79	N.L.	+.19
SpGth p	16.52	N.L.	+.10
TF Bd	12.49	N.L.	+.08
Brndywn	21.93	N.L.	+.34
Bruce	106.11	N.L.	+.79
BrundgSl	10.78	N.L.	+.05
Bull & Bear Gp:			
FNCI p	17.73	N.L.	—.06
GlbInc p	8.84	N.L.	+.03
Gold p	11.05	N.L.	—.07
GovtSc p	15.13	N.L.	+.10
MuInc p	17.55	N.L.	+.17
SpEq p	23.78	N.L.	+.30
USOvs p	7.46	N.L.	+.05
Burnhm	20.92	22.02	+.03
C&SRlty	32.43	N.L.	+.09
CGM Funds:			
CapDv	27.48	N.L.	+.11
Mutl	26.71	N.L.	+.01
Calmos			
CalTrst	12.79	N.L.	+.12
CalUS	10.83	N.L.	+.09
Calvert Group:			
Ariel	29.35	30.81	—.01
ArielA	20.73	21.76	—.05
Inco	17.75	18.64	+.09
Social p	29.77	31.25	+.02
SocBd	17.20	18.06	+.11
SocEq	21.19	22.25	—.01
TxF Lt	10.71	10.93	
TxF Lg	16.71	17.54	+.10
TxF VT	16.24	16.87	+.10
US Gov	15.81	16.60	+.05
Cambridge Fds:			
CapGrA	14.67	15.52	—.02
CapGrB t	14.66	14.66	—.02
GvInB t	14.29	14.29	+.02
GwthB t	15.03	15.03	+.02
MuIncB t	15.20	15.20	+.13
Capstone Group:			
CshFr	11.60	12.18	+.03
Fd SW	17.71	18.59	+.08
GvtInc	4.78	4.78	+.01
MedRs	16.16	16.97	—.03
PBHG	9.55	10.03	+.16
Trend	13.89	14.58	—.03
Cardnl	12.50	13.30	+.01
CrdnlGv	8.91	9.33	
CarilCa	12.24	12.88	+.04
CrnOHTE	9.77	10.23	+.03
CenturionG	8.99	9.44	—.05
Cnt Shs	26.00	N.L.	+.04
ChCapBC	12.23	12.23	+.04
Chestnt	132.19	N.L.	—.35
Citibank IRA-CIT:			
Balan f	2.95	N.L.	
Equit f	3.19	N.L.	—.02
Incom f	2.57	N.L.	+.01
ShrTr f	1.92	N.L.	
Clipper	52.08	52.08	—.14
Colonial Funds:			
IntEq p	15.01	15.93	+.03
US Id p	21.10	22.39	—.06
CalTE A	7.46	7.83	+.05
ConTE A	7.55	7.93	+.05
FedScA p	11.14	11.70	+.06
FundA p	23.09	24.50	+.02
GwthA p	14.16	15.02	+.02
HiYldA p	6.54	6.87	
IncomeA p	6.60	6.93	+.02
MATxA	7.82	8.21	+.05
MI TE A	7.08	7.43	+.04
MN TE A	7.24	7.60	+.03
NatResA	9.70	10.29	—.01
NY TE A	7.22	7.58	+.05
OhTE A	7.39	7.76	+.04
SmlStk p	15.27	16.20	+.13
StrtInA	7.13	7.49	+.01
TxExA p	13.79	14.48	+.07
TXInsA P	8.30	8.71	+.05
USGvA p	6.90	7.24	
UtilA p	13.66	14.34	—.02
GlEqB	9.76	9.76	+.02
HYSec B	6.54	6.54	
NatResB	9.69	9.69	—.01
USGvB	6.90	6.90	
Columbia Funds:			
Balance	17.23	N.L.	+.05
Fixed	13.64	N.L.	+.07
Govt	8.49	N.L.	+.03
Grth	25.73	N.L.	+.15
Muni	12.46	N.L.	+.03
Specl	18.60	N.L.	+.14
Common Sense:			
Govt	11.71	12.56	+.06
GrInc	15.80	17.27	
Grwth	14.94	16.33	+.02
MunB	13.61	14.29	+.06
Compass Capital:			
EqInc	11.72	12.18	—.01
FxdIn	10.84	11.26	+.06
Grwth	11.06	11.49	—.01
IntlFl	10.69	11.11	+.01
ShInt	10.67	11.09	+.03
Composite Group:			
BdStk p			
Gwth p	12.34	12.92	—.08
InFd p	9.22	9.60	+.04
NW50 p	14.08	14.74	—.03
TxEx p	7.78	8.10	+.06
USGv p	10.83	11.28	+.04
ComPtSt t	9.08	9.51	—.01
ConestgEq	14.09	14.53	
Conn Mutual:			
Govt	11.44	11.92	+.04
Grwth	14.37	15.13	+.01
Income	9.96	10.16	+.04
TotRet	14.10	14.84	+.04
Copley	20.20	N.L.	+.02
CoreFunds :			
EqIdx	20.17	N.L.	—.08
IntBd	10.14	N.L.	+.03
IntlGr	10.28	N.L.	+.03
Cowen p	12.53	13.17	—.03
CownOp p	13.03	13.69	+.15
CrabHus p	12.13	N.L.	+.01
DG Investor:			
Equity	10.28	10.49	+.02
GvtInc	10.23	10.44	+.06
Dean Witter:			
AmVl t	20.55	20.55	+.23
CalTF t	13.02	13.02	+.10
CapGr t	13.83	13.83	—.02
Convt t	9.60	9.60	+.02
DevGr t	14.09	14.09	+.29
DivGr t	28.08	28.08	—.07
Divin t	10.21	10.21	+.01
EqInc t	9.10	9.10	—.07
Euro t	9.04	9.04	—.01
Glbl t	9.33	9.33	+.01
FedSec t	9.79	9.79	+.04
HiYld f	7.06	7.47	
Intmd t	10.05	10.05	+.04
NYTF t	12.32	12.32	+.09
NtlRs t	11.03	11.03	—.04
PacGr t	13.16	13.16	+.08
PrcM t	7.92	7.92	—.05
SearT p	12.39	12.39	+.08
Mngd t	10.87	10.87	—.01
Strat t	14.38	14.38	+.01
TaxEx	12.15	12.66	+.08
USGvt t	9.43	9.43	+.03
Util f	13.87	13.87	
ValAd t	18.17	18.17	—.05
WWIn	9.11	9.11	
WldW t	13.94	13.94	+.06
Delaware Group:			
Trend p	12.68	13.45	+.09
Value p	18.06	19.16	
Delcp p	22.56	23.94	+.05
Dectrl	16.63	18.17	—.07
Dectll p	13.12	13.92	—.06
Delaw p	18.38	19.50	+.01
Delch p	6.92	7.27	
USGvt p	9.03	9.48	+.02
Treas p	10.13	10.44	+.02
TxUS p	12.33	12.94	+.07
TxIns p	11.47	12.04	+.05
TxFPa p	8.55	8.98	+.05
Dimensional Fds:			
US Lrg	13.07	N.L.	—.04
US Sml	7.54	N.L.	+.02
Japan	18.87	N.L.	+.08
UKing	18.46	N.L.	+.05
Cont	11.22	N.L.	—.02
Fixd	102.43	N.L.	+.07
GlBd	104.35	N.L.	+.40
Govt	106.50	N.L.	+.50
IntGv	114.90	N.L.	+.84
Dodge&Cox:			
Balan	43.76	N.L.	+.13
Inco	11.99	N.L.	+.07
Stock	49.59	N.L.	+.03
Dreyfus:			
A Bond	15.20	N.L.	+.12
Aprec p	14.29	N.L.	—.05
CalTx p	15.24	N.L.	+.11
CvSec	8.41	N.L.	
Dreyf	13.00	N.L.	
GNM p	15.41	N.L.	+.02
GnCA	13.68	N.L.	+.12
GMBd p	15.49	N.L.	+.12
GNY p	20.52	N.L.	+.17
GrInc	14.75	N.L.	—.02
GthOp	12.31	N.L.	+.06
Index	17.88	N.L.	—.06
InsMu p	19.11	N.L.	+.15
Interm	14.32	N.L.	+.09
InvGN	15.54	N.L.	+.05
Mas Tx	16.87	N.L.	+.12
MunBd	13.22	N.L.	+.10
NJ Int	13.43	N.L.	+.09
NJ Mun	13.52	N.L.	+.10
NwLd r	32.03	N.L.	+.03
NYIn p	11.87	N.L.	+.07
NY Tax	15.95	N.L.	+.11
NYTE p	18.09	N.L.	+.11
PeopIn t	15.35	N.L.	—.04
PeoMid r	15.51	N.L.	+.03
ShIGv	11.63	N.L.	+.05
ShInT p	13.20	N.L.	+.02
Thrd C	8.17	N.L.	+.01
UST Int	13.56	N.L.	+.11
UST Lng	14.93	N.L.	+.15
USTSh	16.17	N.L.	+.05
Dreyfus Premier:			
CAMuA	13.08	13.70	+.10
CTMA	12.22	12.80	+.09
CapV A	10.98	11.50	—.02
CapGth	17.13	17.66	—.01
FLMuA	14.95	15.65	+.10
GlbInA	13.60	14.24	+.01
GnmaA	15.23	15.95	+.05
MAMA	12.03	12.60	+.07
MDMA	12.97	13.58	+.09
MIMuA	15.60	16.34	+.12
MNMA	15.28	16.00	+.11
MuBdA	14.44	15.12	+.11
NYMA	14.54	15.23	+.12
NCMA	13.31	13.94	+.11
OHMA	13.03	13.64	+.08
PAMA	16.57	17.35	+.11
TXMA	21.16	22.16	+.18
VAMA	16.75	17.54	+.12
Dreyfus Strategic:			
Dynm p	10.92	N.L.	+.16
Emgrth p	9.10	N.L.	+.12
USGvt p	7.83	N.L.	+.05
Energy	9.46	N.L.	+.02
Envirn	7.19	N.L.	
Eqty p	16.75	N.L.	—.10
Europ	10.35	N.L.	+.08
FinSvc	17.78	N.L.	+.04
Flex	17.39	N.L.	+.01
IntGov	13.01	N.L.	+.08
IntlGr	12.67	N.L.	+.04
Util	10.62	N.L.	+.10
TxFre p	16.38	N.L.	+.14
Gold	4.26	N.L.	—.05
HlthSc	32.85	N.L.	—.04
HiYld p	7.12	N.L.	
Indust p	5.10	N.L.	+.01
IndInc p	11.41	N.L.	+.05
Leisur	18.40	N.L.	+.10
PcBas	11.47	N.L.	+.04
SelInc p	6.69	N.L.	+.02
Tech	21.45	N.L.	+.40
First Amer Funds:			
Equity p	14.48	15.16	—.07
FstEag r	13.60	13.60	+.03
FtHawMu	11.12	N.L.	+.07
First Investors:			
BlChp p	15.15	16.27	+.02
Global p	5.02	5.39	+.01
Govt p	11.87	12.75	
HighY p	5.05	5.42	—.01
Inco p	3.99	4.29	
InvGrd p	10.20	10.96	+.06
NJTF p	13.00	13.96	+.07
NYTF p	15.03	16.14	+.07
PA TF p	12.59	13.52	+.08
SpcBd	11.62	12.49	—.01
SpSit p	15.19	16.32	+.13
TxEx p	10.52	11.30	+.05
TotRt p	12.27	13.18	+.05
FirPrfEqT	10.22	10.22	—.04
FirPrfFIT	10.55	10.55	+.06
First Union:			
BalT	11.54	N.L.	
BalB p	11.54	12.02	
FxInB p	10.74	11.19	+.04
FxInT	10.74	N.L.	+.04
InsTFB p	10.69	11.14	+.07
MnBdT	10.72	N.L.	+.06
ValueB p	16.98	17.69	—.13
ValueT	16.98	N.L.	—.13
Flag Investors:			
EmGt p	13.11	13.73	+.09
IntInc p	10.66	10.82	+.04
IntlTr p	9.93	10.40	+.07
MMun p	10.76	11.27	+.09
QuIG p	12.92	13.53	—.09
TelIn p	12.53	13.12	
TRTs p	10.71	11.21	+.09
Value p	10.70	11.20	
Flagship Group:			
AATE p	10.94	11.42	+.07
AZ TE p	10.75	11.22	+.08
CTTE p	10.63	11.10	+.07
FLTE p	10.70	11.17	+.08
GATE p	10.57	11.03	+.05
GldRb p	17.20	N.L.	+.06
KYTE p	11.01	11.49	+.07
LATE p	10.87	11.35	+.08
LITE p	10.74	11.02	+.05
MITE p	11.72	12.23	+.08
MOTE p	10.78	11.25	+.07
NCTE p	10.47	10.93	+.07
NY TE p	10.73	11.20	+.09
OHTE p	11.52	12.03	+.07
PATE p	10.38	10.84	+.07
TnTE p	11.15	11.64	+.07
VATE p	10.76	11.23	+.07
Flex Funds:			
Bond p	19.72	N.L.	+.15
GlbIn p	9.62	N.L.	
Grth p	12.66	N.L.	—.02
Muir fp	5.37	N.L.	—.04
Fontaine	9.84	N.L.	
Fortis Funds:			
AstAl p	14.08	14.74	+.08
CaAp p	20.97	21.96	+.47
Capitl p	17.26	18.12	+.08
Fidcr p	28.32	29.73	+.15
GlbGr	12.04	12.64	+.14
GvTR p	9.08	9.51	+.04
Grwth p	25.54	26.81	+.41
HiYld p	8.23	8.62	
TF MN	10.49	10.98	+.06
TF Nat	10.90	11.41	+.08
TF NY	11.32	11.85	+.06
US Gvt	10.03	10.50	+.04
Fortress Invst:			
AdjRt t	9.93	9.93	
Bond r	9.81	9.91	+.06
GlSt r	9.50	9.60	+.02
Munln t	10.91	11.02	+.07
OH Fort p	11.21	11.32	+.08
Util r	12.61	12.74	
44Wall	2.47	2.47	—.01
44 WlEq	6.49	6.49	—.03
FormBd	10.66	11.08	+.05
ForumSt	10.23	10.63	—.06
Founders Group:			
BlueC p	6.78	N.L.	
Discv p	18.75	N.L.	+.08
Frntr p	23.50	N.L.	+.16
GovSc	10.48	N.L.	+.05
Gwth p	10.32	N.L.	+.08
Inco p	8.50	N.L.	+.04
Specl p	7.64	N.L.	+.04
WldGr p	13.55	N.L.	+.03
FountSQG	9.77	9.99	—.05
Franklin Group:			
AGE	2.76	2.88	
AdjUS	9.86	10.09	+.01
ARS	10.05	10.05	
AL TF	11.59	12.07	+.07
AZ TF	11.48	11.96	+.04
CalIns	12.09	12.59	+.06
CalTF	7.39	7.70	+.04
CO TF	11.74	12.23	+.07
CT TF	11.07	11.53	+.06
CvtSc	11.24	11.71	+.03
DNTC	9.53	9.93	+.05
Equity	6.94	7.23	—.05
FedTxF	12.23	12.74	+.06
FL TF	11.59	12.07	+.05
GA TF	11.75	12.24	+.05
GlOpt	8.63	8.99	
Gold	10.13	10.55	—.04
Grwth	13.59	14.16	—.10
HY TF	11.00	11.46	+.05
Incom	2.26	2.35	
IN TF	11.77	12.26	+.06
InstAdj	9.88	9.88	
InsTF	12.31	12.82	+.05
IntlEq	10.27	10.75	+.03
LA TF	11.45	11.93	+.05
MD TF	11.16	11.63	+.05
MaTF	11.63	12.11	+.05
MI Tax	12.08	12.58	+.06
MNIns	12.26	12.77	+.06
MO TF	11.63	12.11	+.05
NJTF	11.73	12.22	+.04
NYIns	11.07	11.53	+.05
NY Tax	11.97	12.47	+.04
NC TF	11.77	12.26	+.05
Ohiol	12.20	12.71	+.05
ORTF	11.61	12.09	+.05
PaTF	10.46	10.90	+.05
PrmRt	5.48	5.71	
PR TF	11.71	12.20	+.04
SI Gov	10.67	10.92	+.05
SpEq	13.46	14.02	—.02
TA Gov	10.97	11.43	+.03
TxAHY	8.53	8.89	—.01
TX TF	11.56	12.04	+.05
US Gov	7.26	7.56	+.02
Utils	10.09	10.51	+.03
VA TF	11.59	12.07	+.05
Franklin Mgd Tr:			
CpQul p	23.91	24.27	+.02
InvGd p	9.12	9.50	+.06
RisDv p	15.73	16.39	—.19
Fremont Funds:			
MltAst	11.77	N.L.	+.01
Equity	10.45	N.L.	
CA Int	10.95	N.L.	+.07
FundTrust:			
Aggr fp	15.01	15.24	—.06
Grol fp	15.16	15.39	—.04
Grth fp	13.37	13.57	—.08
Inco fp	10.21	10.37	+.02
MgdTR fp	11.22	11.39	—.01
Fundamental Funds:			
CAMun p	9.03	N.L.	+.06
NYMun p	1.25	N.L.	+.01
US Gov	2.02	N.L.	+.01
GAM Funds:			
Glbl	107.07	112.71	+.43
Intl	140.53	147.93	+.73
PcBas	133.47	140.49	+.19
GIT Invst:			
EqSpc	18.95	N.L.	—.13
HiYd	11.39	N.L.	+.08
TFVA	11.85	N.L.	+.08
GNMA	10.21	N.L.	+.01
GovIn	10.92	N.L.	+.04
HighI r	11.97	N.L.	
LtdGv	10.27	N.L.	+.03
LTG	12.33	N.L.	+.08
Munin r	10.94	N.L.	+.08
NJHY r	11.49	N.L.	+.09
NYHY r	11.15	N.L.	+.08
PAHY r	10.88	N.L.	+.08
ShtMu	10.03	N.L.	+.03
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FRIDAY BUSINESS WATCH

SPOT MARKET
W.T. INTERMEDIATE
- Thursday $19.42
- Previous Close $19.33
- One Year Ago $18.12

POSTED PRICE
- Today $18.00
- Previous Week $19.00
- One Year Ago $17.00

Prices gain

Demand driven by a late-winter cold snap sent natural gas futures prices to a two-month high Thursday on the New York Mercantile Exchange.

Wholesale natural gas for March delivery surged 7.6 cents to $1.873 per 1,000 cubic feet, the highest settlement for a near-term contract since Dec. 21.

West Texas Intermediate for March delivery rose 9 cents to $19.42 a barrel.

A recent shift to unseasonably cold temperatures in the Great Plains and Midwest has drawn down dealer supplies of natural gas, analysts said.

Thursday's surge extended a rally that began from a low of $1.55 on Jan. 19. Analysts said trading of March contracts was likely to become volatile on Friday, which is "first notice day" for March contracts, marking the start of the delivery process.

They also predicted prices as high as $2 this spring as demand for natural gas as a clean-burning fuel continues to rise.

Chamber mixer

Chevron will host the Midland Chamber of Commerce "Business After Hours" mixer Tuesday at the Chevron Building, 15 Smith Road, from 5 to 7 p.m.

Neal Miller, manager of public affairs for the Chevron Companies, will briefly discuss the recent reorganization of the company, which employs more than 500 people in the immediate area.

Admission is free with a business card and guests are encouraged to bring business cards to exchange and to win door prizes.

Trade seminar

The Small Business Development Center of the University of Texas of the Permian Basin will host a workshop on international trade Tuesday and Wednesday at the Center for Energy and Economic Diversification.

Conducting the seminar will be Deborah Hernandez, international marketing director for the Texas Department of Commerce, Les Castro, University of Texas at Dallas, Bob Blades, Texas Commerce Bank, and Joseph H. Ringer, marketing officer for the Export-Import Bank of the United States.

Cost is $35 for both days, $20 for one day. Lunch is available for an additional fee. Reservations can be made by calling 567-5502.

Dollar mixed

NEW YORK — The dollar settled mixed Thursday after advancing in foreign markets as traders worldwide assessed President Clinton's sweeping plan for economic reform.

In New York the dollar settled at 119.15 yen, down from 119.65 from yen on Wednesday.

In New York it cost $1.4475 to buy one pound, more expensive than Wednesday's $1.4455.

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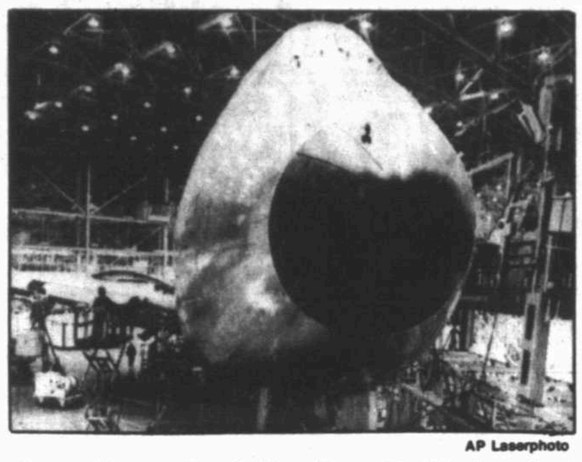

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Assemble work at the Everett, Wash, plant Wednesday. Boeing has orders for 16 freighters.

Boeing to cut 27,000 jobs by 1994

SEATTLE (AP) — Boeing Co., the world's biggest airplane maker, said Thursday it is cutting 27,000 jobs by mid-1994 because of declining production blamed on the troubled commercial airline industry.

The cuts, nearly 20 percent of the company's workforce, will be accomplished through resignations, retirements and other attrition, as well as layoffs, the company said.

Lax demand for airplane tickets and continued fare wars have cut deeply into the profits of major airlines, prompting them to reduce plans for purchases or leasing of new planes.

"These reductions reflect the realities of the current market in the aerospace industry," said Boeing chairman and chief executive Frank Shrontz.

Airlines that have delayed or canceled orders and options for Boeing planes in recent months include the Irish-based leasing company GPA, United Airlines and Japan Air Lines.

Job reductions at Boeing were widely anticipated after an announcement last month that production was being cut by 35 percent over the next 18 months.

With the announcement, Boeing joins a list of big American companies that are making major reductions in their workforces.

The cutbacks have come despite evidence that the U.S. economy is slowly strengthening after a prolonged bout of weakness.

Boeing said it plans to cut 22,000 jobs this year. Those cuts will include 15,000 jobs in the Puget Sound area; 6,000 in Wichita, Kan.; 300 each in Philadelphia and Huntsville, Ala.; 250 in Portland, Ore.; and 150 at other locations.

Industry eyes tax's cost, benefit

By Thomas C. Hayes
N.Y. Times News Service

DALLAS — Energy analysts and industry officials said Thursday that the new tax that President Clinton has proposed on the heat content of most fuels would alter costs unevenly for various producers within the coal, oil and natural-gas industries more than it would induce changes in fuel consumption.

For instance, producers of thick, heavy-grade oil from California fields would face higher costs not only from the new tax on the oil itself but also because of new taxes on the natural gas they pump into reserves to loosen the oil and cause it to flow to oil wells.

Moreover, natural-gas producers would be forced to add the taxes to their production costs at a time when cash prices in some areas remain depressed below $1.25 for 1,000 cubic feet. Some producers will be able to pass along the increases more easily than others because their relative costs are now lower.

Denise Bode, president of the Independent Petroleum Association of America, a trade group that represents small oil and gas drillers, said natural-gas drillers had been led to believe in recent weeks by various officials, including Treasury Secretary Lloyd Bentsen, that the administration would favor increased production in its policy proposals.

But after attending a White House briefing on the energy taxes Thursday afternoon, Ms. Bode said she was taken aback. "We're talking about a serious problem," she said. "If those California oil drillers produce less, demand for natural gas could fall."

But she added that the proposal is not yet final. Officials at the White House briefing welcomed comments that could lead to significant changes in the tax formulas before a bill is sent to Congress in late March.

In all, the oil industry will confront $3.5 billion in taxes on crude supplies purchased for the nation's refineries, according to Philip K. Verleger Jr., visiting fellow and energy economist at the Institute for International Economics in Washington.

Refiners had recently shown signs of recovering from two years of weak profits caused by the recession, slack demand and stiff competition. If demand is adequate, they will add the higher taxes to prices for gasoline and other refined products, but if the economy sputters, profit margins could be squeezed anew.

Allen E. Murray, chairman and chief executive of Mobil Corp., the nation's second-largest oil company after Exxon Corp. and a big refiner and gasoline retailer, attacked Clinton's call for a higher tax on oil, compared with other fuels like natural gas and coal.

"Any tax designed to discriminate against particular segments of society is clearly unfair and not in the best interests of the nation," he said. He said that a tax on consumption would be more equitable.

In choosing a tax on the heat content of each fuel, as measured by British thermal units, Clinton picked a tax that will affect all corners of the American economy, many in indirect ways. A British thermal unit, or BTU, is the quantity of heat needed to raise the temperature of a pound of water one degree.

The Clinton proposal is for a tax of 59.9 cents for each million BTUs of oil, or about $3.50 a barrel, and 25.7 cents for a million BTUs for natural gas, coal and nuclear power.

Some natural-gas producers said that by taxing natural gas and coal equally, the Clinton proposal would delay or diminish the gas industry's hopes for displacing coal as a source for electric power generation.

"The biggest growth in gas usage in the United States can come from utilities, where gas competes directly against coal," said Anthony R. Lentini, a spokesman for Mitchell Energy and Development Corp. in Houston. "This BTU tax just keeps things the way they are. We think gas should get more favorable treatment because of its environmental benefits over coal."

Theodore R. Eck, chief economist at Amoco Corp., which holds the biggest natural-gas reserves in North America, said, "I wouldn't think that many environmentalists think this is very good. This is not a 'green' bill. It's a greenback bill that puts greenbacks into the Treasury."

Large manufacturers in the Midwest that can heat or power their plants with coal or natural gas said that the energy taxes probably would not change their consumption patterns because the tax as proposed would not favor one fuel over the other.

Rita Castle, a government-affairs manager at Caterpillar Inc., in Peoria, Ill., said the taxes would raise Caterpillar's production costs. And some economists said that companies like Caterpillar that are engaged in pricing wars with global competitors will be hurt by the energy tax.

"The administration doesn't realize the trade impact here," Eck said. "This bill would be a major problem for heavy industry that has to compete either in export or import markets like steel."

The Northeast-Midwest Institute, a research firm that analyzes the impact of federal policy on states in those regions, estimated that the BTU tax would raise the most revenue in the 15 southern states from Virginia to Texas.

The institute said those states would contribute $7.6 billion of a total of $21.7 billion that the tax would generate yearly by 1997. The six New England states would pay $1.2 billion in higher energy taxes; the five Middle Atlantic states, including New York and New Jersey, would pay $3.4 billion; the seven Midwestern states would pay $3.9 billion; and the 18 Western states would pay $5.7 billion, according to the institute.

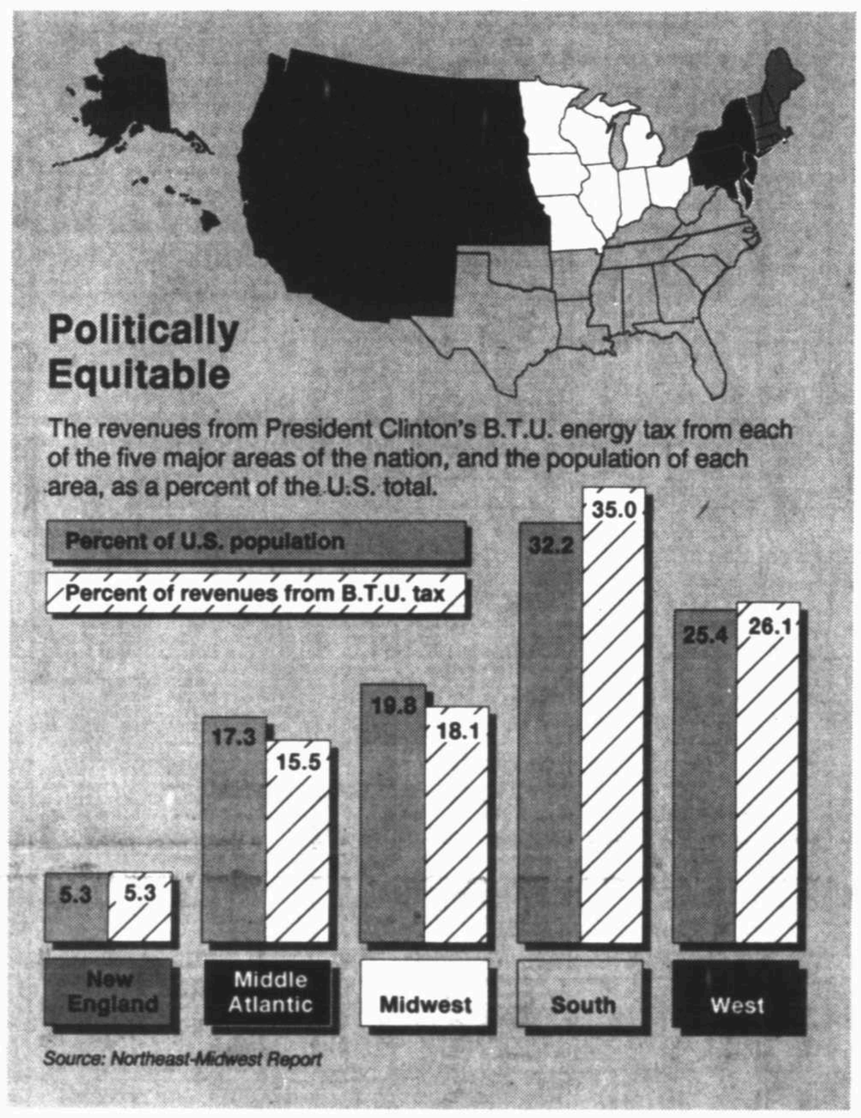
Some large industrial energy suppliers and users applauded Clinton's proposal as a necessary step toward curbing the nation's widening budget deficit, even though their operations would be hurt.

Al Becker, a spokesman for American Airlines, said the nation's largest airline could see its yearly jet-fuel costs rise by tens of millions of dollars. Over all, the airline industry has lost $10 billion in the last three years.

"The president is faced with a very difficult situation" in trying to balance the federal budget, Becker said. "Our very strong feeling at American is that these sacrifices have to be made."

But the airline trade group, the American Transport Association, condemned the Clinton energy tax, saying it would add $1.4 billion in yearly costs when it reaches full force in 1997.

John Bryson, chief executive of the nation's largest natural-gas utility, Southern California Edison in Los Angeles, supported Clinton. "Nobody likes a tax, and we don't either. But the country faces a major deficit, and we're prepared to do our part," he said.



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INVESTORS' GUIDE

Reinvested dividends, distributions are taxable

By Bill Doyle

Q: I invested $2,500 in a mutual fund on Dec. 12, 1992. I am enclosing the year-end summary the fund sent me. I am shocked to see, for 1992, I had taxable dividends and capital gains distributions of $631, while the year-end value of my account was only $2,574

Doyle

I phoned the fund for an explanation, as I feel I owe the government tax on $74, not $641. To say the people at the fund were not helpful is an understatement. Am I right that I owe income tax on only $74?

A: Nope. The numbers the fund supplied are correct. Besides the year-end summary you sent along, you also received a Form 1099 listing the exact amount of 1992 dividends and capital gains distributions to which you were entitled and which the summary statement shows you reinvested to purchase additional fund shares.

You had your choice of either taking the dividends and capital gains distributions by check or reinvesting them. You chose the latter. Either way, you are required to report them on your income tax return and pay the tax due.

Copies of all 1099s go into the Internal Revenue Service's computer system based in Martinsburg, W.Va. If you fail to report the full amount of those dividends and capital gains distributions, the "Martinsburg Monster" will find out and you will hear from the revenooers.

Along with many mutual funds, the one in which you invested declares dividends and capital gains distributions once a year. When you buy fund shares shortly before those payments are declared, you purchase a tax liability. As has often been noted in this column, for tax purposes, it's better to invest in a mutual fund after the dividends and capital gains distributions are made.

Q: What happens to the value of a mutual fund share when a dividend or capital gains distribution is declared?

A: It declines by an amount equal to the dividend or capital gains distribution on the ex-dividend or ex-distribution date.

Let's say XYZ Mutual's net asset value per share is $20 and the fund declares a $1 dividend and a $1 capital gains distribution per share.

At the opening of business on the ex-dividend and ex-distribution date, the fund's per-share net asset value will automatically be reduced by $2. That will make XYZ Fund's per share value $18 — unless the market values of the securities the fund holds in its investment portfolio rise or fall. That's why the reduction in a fund's share value on the "ex" date is not always exactly equal to the per-share dividend or capital gains distribution.

Q: I fail to understand the difference between a dividend and a capital gains distribution paid by a mutual fund. Can you explain?

A: That's relatively easy.

A mutual fund collects dividends from stocks it holds as investments and interest from bonds and other debt securities in which it has invested. After deducting its operating expenses, the fund passes that money along to fund shareholders as dividends.

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IT IS FURTHERED ORDERED THAT any and all objectives to this Motion be made in writing under oath or affirmation, by filing them, along with any supporting documentary evidence, with the Court and mailing a copy to: Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation; P.O. Box 101556, San Antonio, Texas 78201-9556; to the Attention of George W. Johns, Attorney, on or before July 20, 1994, or such objections will be forever barred; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT should any objections to this Motion be filed, a hearing will be set up for a date and time certain approximately sixty (60) days thereafter; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT any parties who file objections to the Motion be required to appear at the hearing to present their objections or be forever bound by this Court's ruling thereon; that the Court may, in its discretion, assess the expenses incurred by the Receiver in defending any exception, together with the regular costs provided by law, against the depositor, creditor or shareholder filing such objection; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT after the time period for filing objections has passed if no objections are filed, the Court will enter a Final Order providing as follows: (i) that the Receiver's Final Account is confirmed and approved; (ii) that the receivership is terminated;

(iii) that the Receiver is forever discharged from all liabilities and duties; (iv) that no person may have or maintain any claim or suit against the Receiver individually or in its capacity as statutory liquidator of such bank, except for any deposits which may have been approved before, but unpaid, before termination but not otherwise; and, (v) such other and further Orders as are necessary and proper to accomplish the termination of this Receivership.

50 Legal Notices

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James D. Ross,
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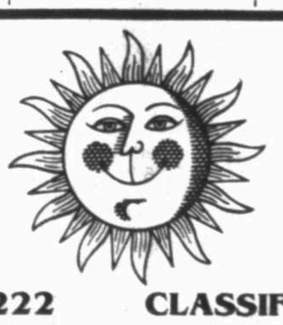

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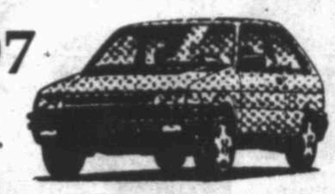

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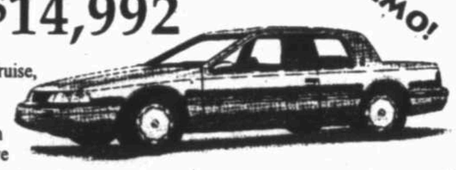

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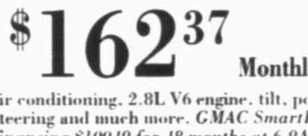

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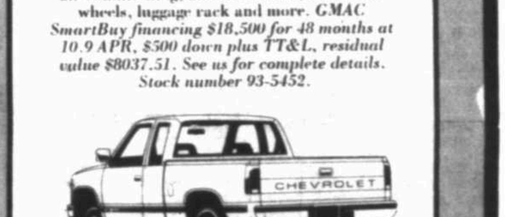

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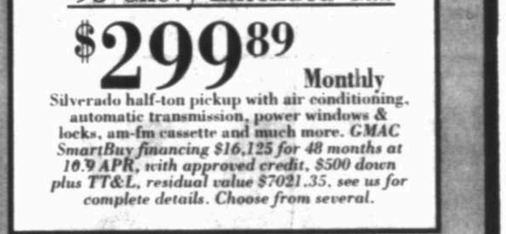

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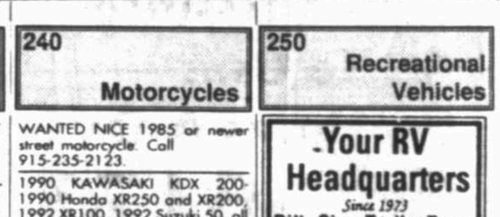

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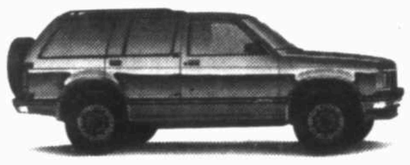

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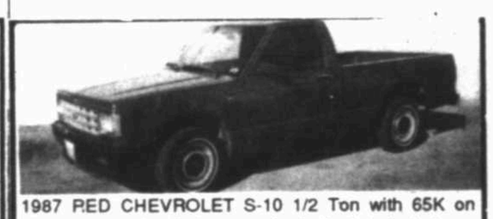

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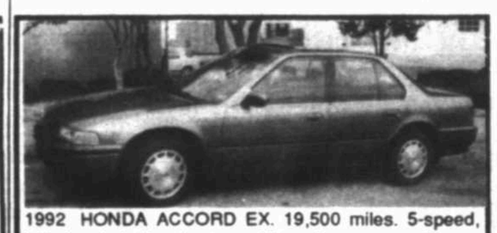

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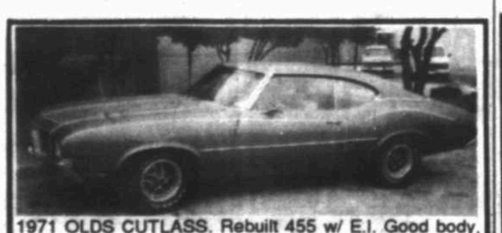

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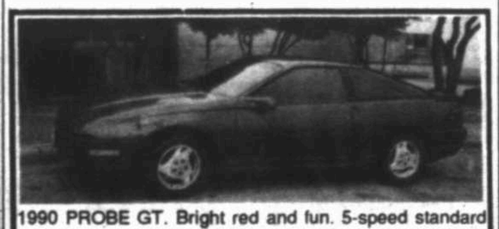

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PERMANENT PART TIME POSITION

Individual needed to collect grocery store data. Hours vary 20 to 40 hours a week. Must have dependable transportation. Mileage reimbursement. Send resume BOX J-12 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

AVON SALES POSITION OPEN - Sign up to sell thru LOCAL MIDLAND representative. Call Verla 520-0119

GOOD JOB OPPORTUNITY. Full time - part time, sandwich prep and general short order counter help, food prep etc. Good pay and good hours available for qualified job seekers. Apply in person only Michael's Charcoal Grill 4317 W. Illinois.

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Full time teachers needed. Apply in person, 7:30am - 5:30pm, 1321 S. Goode Street. Experience needed

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CASHIERS AND WAITPERSON needed. Please apply at Sakura Restaurant, 1501 N. Big Spring.

SONIC DRIVE-IN- Midkiff Road is now hiring for day shift or night shift. Car Hops, Counter Help, and experienced Fast Food Cooks. We work around school schedules. Please apply between 9 and 5.

Looking for enthusiastic, bright, energetic employees, to help manage our tire stores. Apply between 8 am and 11 am, at 2804 W. Wall.

NEED HOST/ HOSTESS to work split shift. Apply in person only Cattleman's Steak House, 3300 N. Big Spring street.

EXPERIENCED WAITPERSONS. Must have minimum 1 year cocktail and food. Will check references. Apply in person at The Bar. 606 W. Missouri between 2 and 4 pm. No phone calls.

HOLIDAY INN accepting applications for a working chef to help run kitchen. Females are encouraged to apply. Apply in person only 4300 W. Wall

APPLICATIONS BEING taken for temporary front desk clerk. Experience a must. Call 697-9900. La Quinta Inn.

ASST. PURCHASING CLERK. Entry level position. Data entry experience desirable. Apply in person, Jacob's Electronics, 500 N. Baird, Midland, TX.

Holiday Inn is accepting applications for a host/hostess, must enjoy working with the public. Position could pay up to $5 per hour for the right individual. Must be very responsible and committed to quality. Apply in person only. NO PHONE CALLS. 4300 W. Wall.

Holiday Inn is accepting applications for a bookkeeper, some experience necessary. Reliable, dependable, computer experience helpful but not required. We will train the right individual in all aspects of hotel operations. Apply in person only. NO PHONE CALLS. 4300 W. Wall.

TELEMARKETERS hourly plus commission. Call 520-4700.

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3 years experience, excellent pay and benefits.
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Excellent Benefits

Come see us at our People Dept.
8:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.
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The Midland Reporter-Telegram has an opening on one of it few "Special Allowance" routes, available March 1, 1993. This larger route receives a $50 check each Friday, in addition to the regular monthly route profits, $100 deposit is required. The route is in the Washington Park area.

As with all newspaper distributorships, this opportunity requires a 7 day a week commitment (when you go out of town, you must arrange a substitute for yourself) and it is early morning work.

Newspaper distributors provide great supplement income for housewives/ mothers, senior citizens, college students, or any other adult wanting to "Moonlight".

Apply in person 201 E. Illinois or call circulation 688-2700

PROOF READERS, wanted for court reporters. Work out of your home, must be fast and accurate. 15¢ Per page, 25 lines per page. Send resume to P.O. Box 10625, Midland, Tx 79702.

KINDER CARE LEARNING CENTER is now accepting applications for qualified people to work with pre-school age children. Applications accepted between 9 - 11, Monday thru Friday. 4303 W. Illinois.

MASTER CUTS

located at Midland Park Mall is seeking hair stylists, no clientele necessary you just need to be a great hair cutter. Licensed cosmetologist only. We offer excellent benefits.

- Guaranteed Salary
- Monthly Bonuses
- Retail Commission and Prizes
- Furnished Supplies
- Advance Training
- Employee Stock Option Plan
- Opportunity For Advancement With A National Leading Chain

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Holiday Inn is accepting applications for a night auditor, 11 pm to 7 am. Training on property management system and our world wide reservations system. Continued growth and training with the company. Apply in person only. NO PHONE CALLS. 4300 W. Wall.

POSITION: Visual Merchandiser. Must have eye for fashion and color continuity. Good public relation skills both in person and over the telephone. Retail experience a plus. Part time position. Please send resume to Midland Park Mall Management Office, Att: Marketing Dept. 4511 N. Midkiff, Midland, TX 79705

AVON Wants individuals interested in earning $6 - $10/ HR. No door to Door. 1-800-428-6646.

TELEMARKETERS $5 - $10/ Hour. Management position open. Apply in person at 619 W. Texas. #103.

PINOCCHIOS PIZZA

Now hiring delivery drivers. Drivers make average of $5 - $10 hourly plus tips, flexible hours with full or part time available. Need own car with current drivers license and insurance. Please apply in person at Pinocchios Pizza, 3303 N. Midkiff, San Miguel Square Shopping Center.

AUTOMOTIVE TECHNICIANS- West Texas Multi- Dealer looking for top gun Technican- Ford, Lincoln, Mercury, all GM's, Geo, Chrysler, Dodge, Nissan, Hyundai, Lexus and Toyota. Good pay and benefits. Send resume or qualifications to P.O. Box 62593. This is your chance don't hesitate- apply today!

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CRUDE OIL TRANSPORT operator needed, current CDL required. Subject to drug screen and physical. Experience preferred. 686-7153.

ELECTRONIC ASSEMBLY Part - time employment. Must have PCB experience. Call for appointment 683-3150.

NEEDED- Child care giver- must have GED or high school diploma, 18 or older, working phone and transportation. Call 699-1313 for appointment.

Painters needed, must have 5 years experience, dependable, nonsmoker, painting custom homes only. Call 682-9068, leave message.

EXPERIENCED floral designer, minimum 2 years experience. Call for appointment 687-2101.

311 Medical Help Wanted

CASE MANAGER - Part Time of Contract RN needed to provide case management services. If interested please call Susan at 915-585-7477.

DENTAL ASSISTANT for full time position. Mipimum of 2 years experience required. Provide resume to Dr. Tannich- 1804 W. Wall.

LICENSED DENTAL HYGIENIST needed for full time position. Provide resume to Dr. Tannich- 1804 W. Wall.

M SYSTEM IS NOW ACCEPTING applications for Meat Cutters, Meat Wrappers, Pharmacy Technicians, and Floral Clerks. Apply at any M System.

WEST TEXAS OPPORTUNITIES, INC. Child care management services, taking applications for a client service worker. College degree or 3 years full time social work experience required. Pickup applications at 2525 N. Grandview, Suite 600, Odessa, Texas 79761. Application deadline is Wednesday February 24, at noon. W.T.O., I. is an equal opportunity employer.

DRIVERS ED classroom instructor needed. Must have endorsement on Texas Teaching Certificate. Call 694-9310, Monday - Friday, 8 AM - 12 Noon.

314 Skilled Trade Help Wanted

DESIGN DRAFTSMAN

Proficient with Autocad, experienced in ASME Code Pressure Vessels and tanks. Permian Tank and Manufacturing Inc. Odessa, 333-4591 or 1-800-375-8265.

PRODUCTION FOREMAN to supervise 15 pumpers. Send resume to P.O. Box 681, Solana Beach, California 92075.

FACILITY MAINTENANCE ENGINEER

Must have commercial/ industrial HVAC experience. Strong background in plumbing, electrical, controls and the ability to work in a retail atmosphere.

Good benefits, insurance, health plan, credit union, vacation, employee discount.

Send resume in confidence to:

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4501 N. Beach Street
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ATTN: Steve Frazee
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312 Professional Help Wanted

APARTMENT MANAGER
150 unit, experience required.
Salary negotiable.
Apply in person with resume.
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ENGINEERING ASSISTANT II or III

Engineering Assistant II ($2,236.00 per month): Performs progressively responsible engineering work. Essential duties include preparation of plans, specifications, and estimates for highway construction projects. Supervise or perform engineering field work such as surveying and construction project management, laboratory analysis and materials design. Minimum qualifications are 1) Bachelor of Science Degree in Civil Engineering from an accredited college/university or a Bachelor of Science Degree in engineering in another discipline plus one year of experience in the field of employment. 2) Working knowledge of engineering fundamentals and application of engineering theory and ability to analyze information and problem solve. 3) Working knowledge of higher mathematics. 4) Satisfactory driving record and satisfactory completion of a post offer/pre-employment physical examination is required and a condition of employment.

Engineering Assistant III ($2,389.00 per month): Essential duties same as Engineering Assistant II position. Minimum qualifications are 1) Bachelor of science Degree in Civil Engineering from an accredited college/university plus one year experience in highway engineering work; a Bachelor of Science Degree in engineering plus a masters degree in the same discipline as field of employment, or a Bachelor of Science Degree in engineering in another discipline plus two years experience in highway engineering work. 2) Additional qualifications are the same as #2, #3, and #4 of the Engineering Assistant II position.

Please apply at or mail completed application to Texas Department of Transportation, 2701 Elizabeth Avenue, Midland, Texas 79701. For information call 915/684-4981 or 570-7506.

Job vacancy closes at 8:30 a.m. February 24, 1993.

TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY

seeking Electrical Engineer to provide support services for campus electrical and related system. DEGREE REQUIRED, PE desired. All phases of design, installation, maintenance, and construction. Highly demanding; requires good initiative, judgement. Salary + excellent benefits.

Send resumes to:
Sandy Ellis
Texas Tech University Physical Plant
Box 43142
Lubbock, TX 79409-3142.
Applications taken until qualified applicant chosen.
AA/EOE/ADA.

311 Medical Help Wanted

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Physical Therapists
Occupational Therapists

Needed for regionally based therapy management company. Full time positions available. Excellent Salary and benefits.

Call 1-800-624-3662
OR
1-800-659-5171
for more information.

312 Professional Help Wanted

EXPERIENCED PROGRAM DIRECTOR

For very active Senior Center. College degree required.
Please send resume and references to:
Dellwood Senior Center
3303 W. Illinois, Space 18.
Midland, Tx 79703
Attn: Director.
No phone calls.

DEFENSIVE DRIVING instructor. Clean driving record, people person, teaching experience required. Call 694-9310 Monday - Friday, 8 AM - 12 Noon only.

316 Clerical Help Wanted

TEXAS NATIONAL BANK OF MIDLAND
a growing, independent bank,
has an immediate opening for an experienced
SALES ASSISTANT/ EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

Will assist Investment Services Division. Must have High School Diploma or equivalent, strong clerical skills including grammar and spelling, typing 70 WPM (typing test required), ability to organize all activities of the department and be able to communicate effectively with clients. A generous salary with performance incentives and a complete benefits package offered.

PART TIME DATA PROCESSOR

Will maintain database and files. Must have High School Diploma or equivalent, computer skills. Must be completely accurate and have the ability to maintain integrity of work. Accounting experience a plus. Morning or afternoon hours available.

Send resume to
Texas National Bank
Human Resources Department
P.O. Box 3090
Midland, TX 79702
An Equal Opportunity Employer

312 Professional Help Wanted

JOB OPENING for a licensed Physical Therapist Assistant. Excellent salary and benefits. Please contact John Clark at the Permian Basin Rehabilitation Center. 620 N. Alleghaney. Odessa, Tx, 79761 or call 332-8244.

PROPERTY MANAGER. Local firm seeking experienced individual to supervise multiple apartment properties. Qualified candidate must have minimum 5 year experience supervising multiple properties. Send resume to BOX A-08 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

MAJOR INDEPENDENT Oil Company

needs a full time Records Assistant. Having a minimum 5 years experience and preferably with a degree in Library Science or Record management. Send replies to BOX A-12 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

314 Skilled Trade Help Wanted

ELECTRICIAN
Need experienced electrician for construction project in Alpine. Minimum 2 months work, may last 10 months. Will furnish living quarters. Call 837-5121 days, 837-5215 nights.

PHOTOGRAPHER experienced for glamour photography, wage plus commission, travel required. Call 520-4700 for appointment.

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Send resume to:
MWJ
400 W. Illinois, Suite 1100
Midland, Texas 79701
No walk-ins
Principals only please

NEED RECEPTIONIST for doctors office. Typing a must. send resume to P.O. Box 9462, Midland, TX 79708.

LONG TERM assignment available to detail conscious person with knowledge of Microsoftword and general office procedures. Manpower International, 682-2119.

LEGAL SECRETARY

Experienced legal secretary with commercial and general civil litigation background needed for Midland Law firm. Word perfect with minimum typing of 80 WPM required. Excellent benefits. Send resume to Billie Elliott, 300 N. Marienfeld Suite 700, Midland, Tx, 79701.

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Immediate opening for person with manual payroll, AP/AR and 10 key experience. Temporary to full time position. $7+ per hour. Never a fee. Bring resume to Vickey.

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RECEPTIONIST

Indefinite assignment available for receptionist with Q&A experience. Typing 40 wpm. General office duties. Hours are 9 - 5. Salary is $5.00 per hour. Never a fee. Bring resume to Fran.

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TEMP TIME 687-1545

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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING
CALL 682-6222

320 Sales Help Wanted

MANAGEMENT OPPORTUNITY

Life Investors Insurance Co. of America, rated A+ by A.M. Best Co. (1992), is looking for an agent in the Midland/ Odessa area with 1-5 years experience who is interested in management and agency building around a unique health insurance concept which will help people control health insurance premiums. We have an excellent wealth accumulation package, trips, competitive commissions and bonuses. Athletic/ coaching background helpful. Call 1-800-448-0920 Monday - Friday 8 - 4.

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NOW ACCEPTING applications for door to door newspaper subscription solicitors. Paid on a nightly commission basis. Must be 16 years or older. For further information contact:
JJ Jackson
688-2700

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MANAGEMENT POSITIONS Available now, send resume to Midland Expansion, P.O. Box 53401, Lubbock, TX 79453.

EXPERIENCED RADIO salesperson needed. Send resume 6 Desta Dr., Ste. 3500, Midland, 79705, Attn: KIOL.

SOFTLINES DEPARTMENT manager needed full time. Apply in person Oshman's Sporting Goods, Midland Park Mall.

Call 682-6222 to place your ad!

330 Situations Wanted

Female banjo player/ singer seeking band with whom to perform. Country, gospel, some bluegrass. 520-3831.

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Monday thru Friday
8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Saturday
8:00 to 10:00 a.m.
(Cancellations & Corrections Only)

79701

FALL CLEARANCE $1 Sale 1992 Merchandise. K - DEE, #11 Meta Dr., 683-8154.

BARGAIN BARN * 50% - 75% off clothes, shoes, purses. 2420 W. Front. Monday - Friday, 10 - 5:30; Saturday, 10 - 4.

1902 WARD
Furniture, wooden shelves, tables and benches, rocking chairs, shutters, kitchen items, clothing, bookcases, glass top table and chairs, and miscellaneous.
Friday 8 - 4; Saturday 8 - 12.
NO EARLY SALES!

ESTATE SALE
2502 HARVARD
Being handled by Mary Hoover Langley
Friday, Saturday, Sunday
9 - 6
Until all is sold!
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FRIDAY & SATURDAY 9 - ?
NEW AND USED ITEMS!
16 x 36 portable metal building - store fixtures - office furniture.
Too many items to list.
1605 W. INDUSTIRAL

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MOVING SALE 1210 W. Tennessee, Friday - Saturday. Appliances, furniture, tools, miscellaneous. Inside and out.

(ALL size winter clothing 50¢) Bedding all sizes, table cloths, towels, curtains, dishes, new set cookware, household items, twin bed, dining table,
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Spaces available
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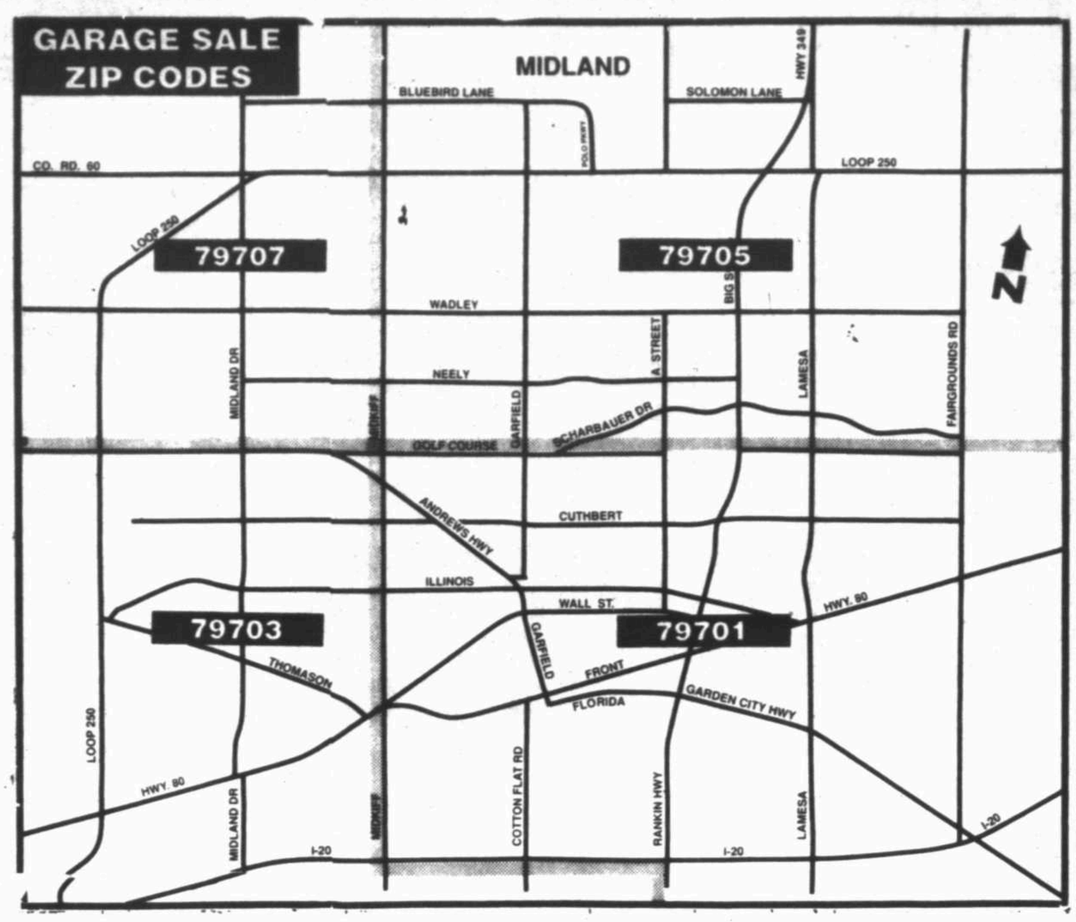

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YARD SALE 2 year old king size 5 piece black lacquer bedroom suite, moving boxes, toys, lots of miscellaneous. 4406 Monty, Friday, Saturday, Sunday.

4304 ANETTA. Round bed, miscellaneous glassware, books, clothes, household items. SATURDAY ONLY!

504 BROOKS, Saturday, Sunday 8 to 4. Baby items to furniture. Lots,lots of miscellaneous.

LOTS OF CHILDRENS CLOTHES, womens clothes, furniture, miscellaneous. Cheap Prices!! Saturday 8 - 3, 3512 W. Michigan.

OPENING February 26, 27, 28th and every weekend there after at 315 B. N. Midland Drive (Across street from K-Mart) Don't have time to hold a garage sale? Let us do the work for you. For information call 520-2203 or come by Gaston's Gift World. (Next Door).

CITYLINE 560-2400

79705

MOVING SALE - Unbelievable! You won't be disappointed! 4900 Spy Glass (off Bluebird Lane) Friday - Saturday, 9 - 6. Antiques, sporting goods, furniture, decorator items, housewares, toys, baby/ toddler/ girls/ mens and ladies clothing, costumes, bedding, books and free stuff.

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HUGE SALE
Polo Park- 1813 Devonshire Ct
Oak table & chairs, encyclopedias, coats, clothes and lots of quality items.
Friday & Saturday 8 am till ?
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SATURDAY ONLY! 8 - 5
3400 Northfield Dr. Lots of goodies, furniture, twin bed, washer, dryer, small TV, all kinds of household items, children's and adult's clothing. Fund raiser for the Blue Diamonds softball team.

1606 HODGES- Saturday 8- 3. 3 piece dining room suite, bicycles, couch, love seat, chairs, chest, lots of clothing (adult to children), miscellaneous!

2508 FANNIN 8:45am Friday - Saturday Golf clubs, TV, child's bicycle, kitchen utensils, china, encyclopedia, bedding, clothing, crafts, several new items.

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MULTI - FAMILY BONANZA!
Ping golf clubs, lefthanded woman's clubs, 6 bikes, table, chairs, beds, dressers, dishes, microwave, books, toys, encyclopedia, Nintendo power set, clothing, stereo equipment, drafting table, file cabinet, miscellaneous household items.
SATURDAY ONLY 8 am5136 ASHDOWN

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1701 NORMANDY- Saturday 9 to 3. Butcher block table/ 6 chairs, 26" Sony color T.V., Double bed frame with shelved headboard, 7 tires (75R15's), toys, clothing, sporting goods, miscellaneous.

79707

3010 PHILLIP PLACE
(Wydewood area off Preston).
Lots of children's clothes (boys and girl's), lots of toys, bedspread, miscellaneous, etc.
Friday 9 to 2 No checks.

4205 CRESTGATE- Friday, Saturday 10 am - 5. Exercise equipment, clothing, toys, furniture, household appliances, wall hangings.

SATURDAY ONLY
2705 Dora Place (Wydewood area)
Clothes, toys, household goods, and much more.

Saturday only
8:30 - noon
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4302 Gulf

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Friday 2 - 5, Saturday 9 - ?
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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1:00 P.M.

JEWELRY: Mens 14k Gold Nugget Ring With Approx. 1½cts. T.W. Diamonds; Ladies 14k Diamond Tennis Bracelet With Approx. 9cts. T.W.; Ladies 14k Diamond Cluster Ring Approx. 7cts. T.W.; Ladies Diamond & Ruby Tennis Bracelet Approx. 11cts. T.W.; Mens 18k Rolex President Watch With Day/Date & Custom Diamond Bezel; Mens 20" Solid Gold 5mm Diamond Cut Rope Necklace; Ladies Diamond & Blue Sapphire Tennis Bracelet X-Link Design Over 10cts. T.W.; Pair Ladies Diamond Solitaire Studs With 1¾cts. T.W. High Quality Diamonds; Assortment Of Ladies & Mens Gold Rope & Herringbone Necklaces & Bracelets; Assortment Of Ladies Pink Ice Rings, Earrings, Etc.; Assortment Of Ladies Genuine Marcasite Jewelry; Ladies 32" Necklaces With Genuine Lapis, Turquoise & Rose Quartz, Etc.; Ladies Garnet & Cultured Pearl Bangle Bracelets; Several Pieces Of Ladies Sterling Silver, Ivory & 14k Jewelry; Genuine Hand Carved Elephant Pendants (Black Onyx, Lapis, Tiger Eye, Etc.); Large Assortment Of Ladies Gold Earrings; Ladies 14k Rings With Diamonds; Mens Gold Rings With Diamonds; Ladies & Mens Designer Watches; Loose Gem Stones Including Blue Topaz, Rubies, Emeralds; Etc., Etc. NOTE: All Gold, Silver, Diamonds, Gem Stones & Rolex Watches Guaranteed Genuine.

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410 Miscellaneous Sales

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MOVING TO small townhouse must sell: pool table, full size with ¼" slate, $350 - Loveseat sofa, almost new $600 - Amana 25 side by side refrigerator with ice maker $600 - 3½ HP compressor $169. 684-8117.

415 Miscellaneous Wanted

WANTED OLD STYLE erector sets and HO trains. Call 683-2808 leave message.

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FOR SALE or lease by owner, 3 bedrooms, 2 bath, 2 car, fireplace, $600/ month or $1,000 down and refinance. 4703 Princeton. (817) 447-8271 after 6 pm.

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SWEETBRIAR-Non-qualifying assumption. Monthly payment of $402. and approx equity of $7,000. Call for more details $35,780
CO. RD. 124 E.-Super country property in Ridge Heights. 4BR, 3BA, 2-car att. garage, 1 car det. barn, pipe fencing, terrific for animals $99,900
RUSTIC TRAIL: Kahler construction, Quality built, 4BR home with wonderful view of Golf Course. Lots of windows. Pricedright at $148,900
IRVIN-Country living with city convenience in Skyview. Large home in great condition $94,500
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LINDORA-Unique home with loft. Great decor in burgundy and greens $76,500
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KNIFFEN-Super country kitchen, 1.5 ac. 3 BR, great condition $119,900
CO. RD. 57E.-Large country home Greenwood Schools, could be 3 or 4 BR $54,900
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GREENTREE COUNTRY CLUB
ISLAND DR...Move In! New construction by James Morris, 4BR/3BA, 2 living areas, membership included $239,900
RUSTIC TRAIL. Greentree North. Like new! Lovely 3 bedroom, 2 bath home. REDUCED!! Open & airy $129,900
WESTMINISTER...just listed...beautiful 4 BR/4 BA home beautifully decorated, patio off living area $122,000
OHIO...Neat 3 bedroom town house with seq. master, priced to sell, within walking distance to schools $48,000
WOODCREST. Bright & shining completely redone, 3 BR, 2 BA, large kitchen & utility room...All for only $33,500
WASHINGTON...2 Bedroom, 2 bath new paint; workshop, on corner lot, ready to move in to, a MUST to see $25,000
SAGEWOOD CONDOMINIUM...Owner financing available. Buy your own place, separate dining area, covered parking $23,500

Fairmont Park
PINEMONT...Just like the model home on Whittle Way (w/out upgrades). 3BR, 2 living areas, 2 1/2 BA $104,500
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DENTCREST-4BR, 2BA, large kitchen $93,600
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3416 BAUMANN: 1. New paint outside and inside 2. Good newer carpet fresh/clean. 3. Three bedroom, two bath 4. Fireplace, large living area 5. Outside storage, sprinkler system 6. Possible owner financing $45,000
5108 DAVENTRY: 1. Saddle Club South 2. Three bedroom, 2 bath 3. Vaulted ceilings 4. Large open kitchen 5. Huge living w FP 6. Formal dining $99,900
2403 STOREY: 1. Swimming pool 2. Guest house or pool-house 3. Low maintenance yard 4. New paint inside/out 5. New roof to be added 6. Two bedroom, two living $59,900
2203 NEELY: 1. New carpet, new paint, new spanish tile in kitchen 2. Formal living and dining, den with fireplace. 3 bed 3. Large masonary fenced back yard, well landscaped $94,500

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5123 SUNNYSIDE. Foreclosure. **SOLD** Fireplace, formal dining.
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SUNDAY 2-4

3210 Camarie - 4/2/2 ..... $67,500
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Large townhouse in Saddle Club North
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3305 Whittle Way ..... Model Home
3403 Pinemont $104,500
3611 Dentcrest $94,500
3604 Dentcrest $93,600
shown by: **Carolyn Boyd**
3502 Crestmont $98,500
shown by: **Clemmie Sorge**
3214 Boyd $82,000
shown by: **Skeet Doss**
3106 Metz $86,700
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713 Pine .....
shown by: **Kay Horchler**
3600 Springmont $92,000
3/2/2 workshop
shown by: **Clemmie Sorge**
3502 Crestmont $98,500
4/2/2
shown by: **Clemmie Sorge**
4902 Sherwood $104,950
shown by: **Larry or Debbie Hatfield**

SUNDAY 2-5

2202 Lindora $76,500
shown by: **Marilyn Jo Smith**
4967 Rustic Trail $148,900
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4901 Whitman $99,900
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4014	LIVINGSTON ST.	2/2	$48,000
4013	PLEASANT DR.	3/1	$17,100
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4309 BROOKDALE-3/1/2 liv. areas, starter home $27,500
3401 W. LOUISIANA-4/2/2 liv. areas. NON QUALIFYING LOAN, OWNER WANTS OFFERS NOW $62,000
MAXWELL-Lge. 4 bdrm, 4 bath/2 liv. areas, cnr lot ..$108,000
S. CO. RD. 1120-3/2/2, Greenwood area, assumable $106,000
AUBURN-4/3/2/3 liv. areas, OWNERS WANT TO SELL $105,000
CRESTMONT-4/2/2, frml dining, new construction $98,500
ANGELINA-Lge. 3/3/2, front courtyard, NICE $94,000
SPRINGMONT-One owner, 3/2/2, lge. workshop $92,000
SENTINEL-5/3/2,room for everyone, Lge. 2 story $88,500
WHITTLE WAY-3/2/2, well maintained, reduced $63,000
SAN ANTONIO-Lovely starter home, 3/2/2, offers $59,900
W. PINE-4/2, corner lot, lge. yard $58,000
CO. RD. 1085-3/2/2, 1/2 ac, near Greenwood $54,000
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