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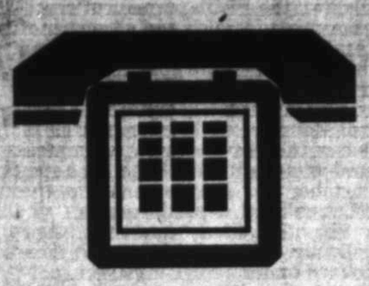

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Looking for change

Jared Rogers, 7, looks for quarters in the narrow slots between the candy machines at a local department store. Rogers was using a straw to try to jar the stray coins loose.

Pelletreau, PLO hope talks lead to Mideast peace

Pelletreau

TUNIS, Tunisia (AP) — U.S. Ambassador Robert H. Pelletreau Jr. opened historic talks with the PLO on Friday, and both sides said they hoped the dialogue would lead to a comprehensive Middle East peace.

The meeting, coming just two days after Washington reversed a longstanding policy of refusing to deal with the Palestine Liberation Organization inspired hope in many quarters that the Middle East peace process soon will become more than just an empty phrase.

"Our discussions were very practical and characterized, I would say, by seriousness of purpose," Pelletreau told reporters after the 90-minute meeting with a four-man PLO delegation led by Yasser Abd-Rabbou, a member of the group's executive committee.

The ambassador implied there would be other meetings but did not say when. Abd-Rabbou said the next session probably would come in the next few weeks.

"It is our hope that this dialogue, as it develops, will help bring about direct negotiations that will lead to comprehensive peace," said Pelletreau, who was accompanied to the talks by Edmund Hull, political counselor at the U.S. Embassy in Tunis.

Each side made separate statements to reporters after the meeting at Dar Maghrebia, an official Tunisian government guest residence in Carthage, a suburb just north of Tunis. Neither side gave substantive details of the talks.

"We hope the application of this change in the policy of the United States will be practiced through a real pressure on Israel in order to change the policy of occupation, the policy of terrorism, the policy of oppression against our Palestinian people," said Abd-Rabbou.

U.S. officials have emphasized the new contacts are merely a "dialogue" and do not represent real peace negotiations. The PLO says it does not see the distinction.

"We don't see any difference between dialogue and talks and negotiations," said Abd-Rabbou, a member of the Marxist Democratic Front for the Liberation of Palestine and director of the PLO's Information Deparment. In Washington, State Department spokesman Charles E. Redman declined to comment on Abd-Rabbou's statement. Redman said he did not know when the next meeting would be held.

Abd-Rabbou said the Palestinian delegation represented the PLO executive committee, which in turn was "assuming the role of the provisional government of Palestine."

Last month the Palestine National Council, the PLO's parliament in exile, proclaimed an independent Palestinian state. The borders were not specified.

After a news conference by PLO chief Yasser Arafat on Wednesday, the United States announced that the organization had met conditions for the start of a dialogue by clearly recognizing Israel and renouncing terrorism.

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Former Marine to head prosecution team against North

WASHINGTON (AP) — A combat veteran of the Vietnam war was named Friday to head the team of lawyers to try the Iran-Contra case against fellow former Marine and ex-presidential aide Oliver L. North.

John W. Keker, 44, who like North was wounded while leading a Marine infantry platoon in action, was named lead trial prosecutor in the case by independent counsel Lawrence E. Walsh.

The 76-year-old Walsh, an experienced trial attorney, had said he would like to try the North case personally. But he said in a statement Friday that he would continue to deal with problems posed by a wealth of classified documents and supervise the continuing investigation of the Iran-Contra affair.

Walsh's spokesman, James Wieghart, said Keker's war record, which was not mentioned in the statement, was coincidental to his selection to lead the three-lawyer trial team.

But Keker's Purple Heart for his combat wound is a serendipitous qualification for the lead prosecutor in the case against North, who has made patriotism and his own Vietnam service a hallmark of his public defense since the Iran-Contra affair unfolded two years ago.

North, 44, who earned two Purple Hearts for combat wounds, wore his Marine uniform when he testified before the congressional committees that investigated the arms-for-hostages deals.

Walsh announced his courtroom team in advance of a hearing next Wednesday by U.S. District Judge Gerhard A. Gesell to begin final preparations for North's trial, which could begin in late January.

The former National Security Council aide, who retired from the Marines as a lieutenant colonel following his indictment last March, is accused of conspiring to illegally divert profits from the U.S.-Iran arms deals to the Contra rebels in Nicaragua.

Keker, who is on leave from his San Francisco law firm, will be joined by associate independent counsels David A. Zornow, 33, and Michael W. Bromwich, 34, both former federal prosecutors in New York City.

Zornow investigated and helped try several major municipal corruption cases in New York, including the successful racketeering prosecution of Stanley Friedman, the former Democratic chairman of the Bronx.

"This commits three of our most experienced criminal lawyers to the case," Walsh said in the announcement.

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Tower on good terms with Congress, state leaders say

WASHINGTON (AP) — Former Sen. John Tower will be on good terms with Congress as he faces tough cuts at the Pentagon needed to trim the deficit, Texas congressmen said Friday as President-elect Bush nominated the Texan to be defense secretary.

Tower is the fourth Texan nominated by Bush to the Cabinet and the announcement comes following an extensive background check that delved into his personal life and connections with the defense industry.

Rep. Charlie Wilson, a Lufkin Democrat who serves on the defense appropriations subcommittee, said Tower would have "an excellent relationship with Congress, a good grasp with regard to reducing growth in the Defense Department, and will be absolutely independent of any special interests."

Rep. Marvin Leath, a Waco Democrat and member of the House Armed Services Committee, said Tower understands the politics involved and hopes the new secretary will chose tough managers who will bring credibility to the Defense Department, particularly in procurement.

Rep. Larry Combest, a Lubbock Republican who worked for Tower for seven years, said the appointment fulfills a lifelong ambition for the 63-year-old Tower, a former chairman of the Senate Armed Services Committee.

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Teen who shot out windows agrees to make restitution

By PATRICK CRIMMINS
Staff Writer

The first of three men accused of smashing 200 windows with high-powered BB rifles on September 11 has received a 10-year probated sentence and agreed to make full restitution, according to court records.

James Hunter Isbell, 18, 4415 Northcrest Drive, pleaded guilty to criminal mischief in exchange for 10 years probation.

The agreement stipulates that Isbell must spend at least three months and up to a year of the sentence at the Midland County Rehabilitation Center, according to District Attorney Al Schorre, who prosecuted the case.

Isbell also agreed to pay restitution by December 31 to the owners of vehicles that were damaged in the spree, according to the judgment.

The judgment also stipulates that if the co-defendants in the case, 18-year-old Spencer David Wilson and Harold Keith Turicchi, 18, both of 2005 College Ave., also receive probated sentences and are ordered to pay restitution, Isbell would be reimbursed for their share.

If the other defendants receive prison sentences, they cannot be required to pay restitution, under the agreement.

Regardless of the outcome in the other cases, Schorre said all victims will be reimbursed.

Isbell's attorney, William Smith, said Friday he had no comment on the plea and sentence.

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Piano 'Sam' played in 'Casablanca' sells for $154,000

NEW YORK (AP) — A Japanese trading company outbid developer Donald Trump for a piano that was a centerpiece in the classic movie "Casablanca," paying $154,000 Friday for the ivories once tickled at Humphrey Bogart's request.

"It's because many Japanese are fans of the old '40s movies," said Mashahiro Kanaoka of C. Itoh & Co., who bought the piano on behalf of an anonymous "Casablanca" buff in Japan.

Trump was in the audience bidding himself, but he went home without the piano — and without comment — immediately after the piano sold at Sotheby's auction house in Manhattan.

The green and beige upright piano, from the 1942-43 Warner Brothers classic, had a presale estimate of $75,000 to $100,000 — bench included — by Sotheby's.

Clark Gable's script from the 1939 movie "Gone With The Wind" went for $77,000 to a telephone bidder — well over its presale estimate of $3,000-$4,000.

The script, its worn leather cover embossed in gold with Gable's name, was given by the actor to an MGM studios secretary who was a "close personal friend," the auction catalog said.

A pointed, black witch's hat from the "Wizzard of Oz," circa 1939, went for $33,000 — it had been estimated at $30,000 to $50,000. At the end of "Oz," the hat was all that remained of the melted Wicked Witch of the West, who had shrilly warned Dorothy and Toto, "I'll get you, my pretty, and your little dog, too!"

Disney also had a niche at the sale. An oil panel depicting Donald Duck trying to hit a golf ball had an estimate of $30,000 to $40,000. It did not sell. And a celluloid, showing Lady carrying Scamp past a proud Tramp as three other puppies romp around him, was estimated at $16,000 to $20,000 and sold for $44,000.

Bidders also had a shot at nine stemware glasses from Rick's Cafe in "Casablanca," estimated at $1,000 to $5,000, with the winner paying $3,020. A Masonite advertising board used at the movie's 1943 premiere, estimated at $5,000 to $7,000, was sold for $22,000.

The "Casablanca" piano was from the famous Paris flashback scene at Le Belle Aurore Cafe, where Rick (Bogart) and Ilsa (Ingrid Bergman) discuss love, marriage and the impending German occupation while Sam (Dooley Wilson) plays "As Time Goes By."

Later, Rick and Ilsa meet again at Rick's Cafe in Casablanca, where Sam plays an encore on another piano.

"You played it for her. You can play it for me," Rick said. To which Sam replied, "But I don't think I can remember."

"If she can stand it, I can. Play it!" Rick commanded, in a line that has since been widely misquoted as "Play it again, Sam."

While many famous props, such as the ruby slippers from "The Wizard of Oz" and the sled from "Citizen Kane" were made in multiples, "This piano from the Paris scene is truly unique in that it was actually used throughout the entire Paris cafe sequence," the auction catalog said.

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Mystery Santa makes girl happy

RICHARDSON, Texas (AP) — Nine-year-old Judy Darr and her family are still wondering about the identity of a mystery Santa Claus who looked like Clark Kent of Superman fame and brought home the meaning of Christmas.

Judy and her parents were shopping Sunday at Zale's in Valley View Mall in Dallas when the youngster's attention turned to a crystal teddy bear that cost $30.

Judy told her father that if she saved $7 more, she would be able to buy the crystal bear. The family then continued shopping.

A little while later, "A gentleman came up and dropped a box in front of me," Judy wrote in a letter to the Dallas Times Herald.

"He tapped me on the shoulder and said, 'Merry Christmas.' We looked up, and he was gone. We opened the box, and there was a beautiful crystal teddy bear," she wrote.

"We were startled and looked around for him. We could not find him. Now I have the teddy bear on my TV stand," she said. "Every time I look at it or think of it, I wish I could thank him. I hope he will read this and know I wish him a Merry Christmas."

Patricia Bohn, the girl's mother, said her daughter described the man as looking "like Superman before he was Superman, which I guess means like Clark Kent."

Judy also told her mother the mystery man was wearing a long, black coat.

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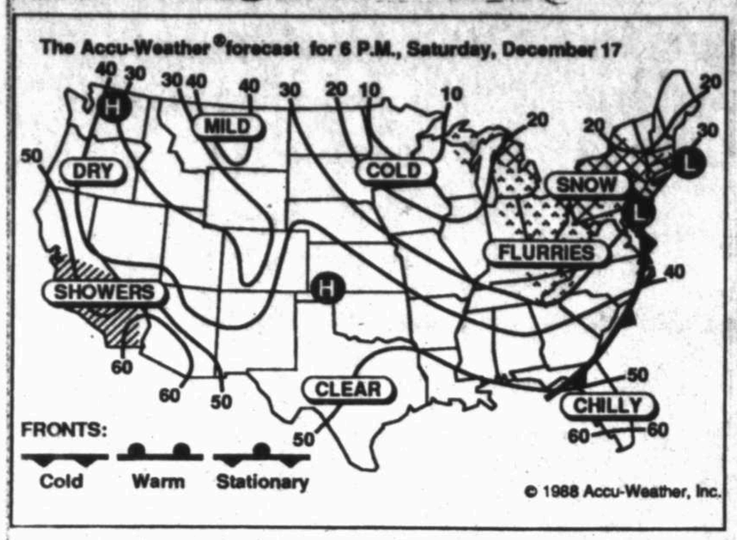

Fair skies in forecast

From Staff and Wire Reports

Today's forecast calls for fair skies with a high in the high 50s, according to the National Weather Service at Midland International Airport. Winds should be out of the northeast at 5 to 10 mph.

Tonight should be clear, with lows in the upper 20a.

Sunday should be fair with a high near 50.

The record high Friday was 80 degrees, set in 1946. The record low for today was 18 degrees, set in 1932.

STATE

A high-pressure ridge produced cloudiness Friday in southern sections of Texas, from the Edwards Plateau southeastward to the Rio Grande plains and into the lower river valley.

Meanwhile, a weak low-pressure trough was moving across the High Plains. Skies were mostly sunny to partly cloudy elsewhere.

Forecasters predicted generally fair to partly cloudy skies statewide through Saturday. The weather service said early-morning lows should range from near 20 in the Big Bend mountains to the low 50s along the lower Gulf coast.

NATION

The sand dunes of Cape Hatteras, N.C., got some rare snow Friday and Southern California endured a second day of snow, rain and high winds, but the nation's midsection had mostly sunny, clear weather.

In addition to coastal North Carolina, parts of northeastern South Carolina also got some snow and sleet. Heavier snowfall during the six hours ending at 1 p.m. EST included 3 inches at New Bern, and 2 inches at Hatteras, Wilmington and Cherry Point, all in North Carolina.

Snow and winter weather advisories were still in effect for the northern and central coastal areas and the outer banks of North Carolina.

In Southern California, snow ended in the lower elevations but continued in the mountains. A winter storm warning was extended for the San Bernardino mountains northward, with a snow advisory for the higher deserts of Southern California. A wind advisory issued for the mountains of San Diego County.

Mount Wilson, Calif., has received more than 3.5 inches of precipitation since the storm began Thursday, most of it rain.

Travelers to the Northeast should expect of significant snowfall expected over the weekend from New York City through much of New England as a storm developed along the East Coast, the weather service said.

Although inclement weather dominated both coasts, the nation's midsection enjoyed mostly sunshine and clear skies Friday.

Midland statistics

FORECAST

Today: Fair, high in the high 50s, winds northeast at 5 10 mph. Tonight: Clear with a low in the upper 20s Sunday: Fair, with a high near 50.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

Yesterday's High	48 degrees
Overnight Low	19 degrees
Sunset today	5:47 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:43 a.m.
Precipitation	
Last 24 hours	0 inches
This month to date	.53 inches
Year to date	18.29 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES

6 p.m.	37	6 a.m.	19
7 p.m.	37	7 a.m.	20
8 p.m.	36	8 a.m.	25
9 p.m.	35	9 a.m.	31
10 p.m.	34	10 a.m.	35
11 p.m.	33	11 a.m.	37
midnight	32	noon	40
1 a.m.	29	1 p.m.	45
2 a.m.	23	2 p.m.	47
3 a.m.	22	3 p.m.	48
4 a.m.	20	4 p.m.	48
5 a.m.	20	5 p.m.	45
		6 p.m.	45

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Alice	53	46	
Alpine	56	17	
Amarillo	49	17	
Austin	54	39	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	56	43	
Beeville	58	48	
Brownsville	58	50	
Bryan-College Station	54	39	
Childress	51	20	
Corpus Christi	56	48	
Cotulla	54	47	
D-FW Airport	48	28	
Dalhart	49	14	
Del Rio	50	43	
El Paso	52	23	
Fort Worth Meacham	49	26	
Galveston	53	46	
Hondo	54	41	
Houston Intcntl	58	46	
Junction	52	38	
Kingsville	55	48	
Lajitas	57	32	
Laredo	54	46	
Longview	49	36	
Lubbock	50	20	
Lufkin	53	36	
Marfa	56	18	
McAllen	59	48	
Midland-Odessa	48	19	
Mineral Wells	49	26	
Palacios	53	46	
Presidio	57	35	
San Angelo	50	30	
San Antonio	56	42	
Shreveport, La.	48	32	
Stephenville	48	29	
Texarkana	44	27	
Victoria	56	45	
Waco	50	34	
Wichita Falls	48	21	
Wink	47	20	

Counties forecasts

Midland, Ector, Crane, Upton, Howard, Martin, Andrews, Glasscock, Gaines, Reagan, Borden and Dawson: Saturday, fair with a high near 50. Wind northeast 5 to 10 mph. Saturday night, fair and cold. Low in the upper 20s. Sunday, mostly fair with a high near 50.

Sterling, Tom Green, Irion and Coke: Saturday, fair with a high in the lower 50s. Wind northeast 5 to 10 mph. Saturday night, fair and cold. Low in the upper 20s. Sunday, mostly fair with a high in the mid 50s.

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albany,N.Y.	20	06		sn
Anchorage	32	22	.19	sn
Asheville	40	29		cdy
Atlanta	45	34	.01	clr
Austin	54	39		clr
Baltimore	31	21		clr
Birmingham	40	28		clr
Bismarck	31	22		cdy
Boise	35	18		clr
Brownsville	58	50		clr
Casper	38	15		clr
Charleston,S.C.	44	38	.39	clr
Cheyenne	38	11		clr
Cincinnati	25	10		cdy
Cleveland	22	16		sn
Columbia,S.C.	48	37	.16	clr
Dallas-Ft Worth	48	28		cdy
Dayton	22	08		cdy
Des Moines	36	-01		clr
Detroit	22	11		cdy
El Paso	52	23		clr
Fargo	25	14		cdy
Flagstaff	45	18		cdy
Grand Rapids	17	12	.04	cdy
Greensboro,N.C.	37	26		cdy
Hartford	23	12		clr
Houston	52	42		clr
Indianapolis	23	08		cdy
Juneau	39	35		mis
Kansas City	43	08		cdy
Little Rock	42	21		clr
Los Angeles	58	51	.89	rn
Lubbock	50	44		clr
Midland-Odessa	48	19		clr
Mpls-St Paul	25	00	.07	cdy
Nashville	34	20		cdy
New Orleans	53	43	.18	clr
North Platte	45	15		cdy
Omaha	40	09		cdy
Orlando	76	50	.05	clr
Philadelphia	30	21		cdy
Portland,Maine	20	10		sn
Portland,Ore	51	36		clr
Providence	26	16		clr
Rapid City	40	11		clr
Reno	42	21		clr
Richmond	33	24		clr
Sacramento	53	35		cdy
Salt Lake City	37	18		cdy
San Diego	61	56	.90	rn
Seattle	48	32		cdy
Shreveport	48	32		clr
Spokane	31	17		cdy
Syracuse	23	09	.04	sn
Topeka	46	07		clr
Tulsa	46	19		clr
Wichita	48	13		clr

Extended forecast

West Texas: Mostly fair through Sunday. Highs Saturday mid 40s Panhandle to upper 50s Far West except upper 60s along the Big Bend of the Rio Grande. Lows Saturday night near 20 Panhandle to near 30 Far West and mid 30s Big Bend valleys. Highs Sunday upper 40s Panhandle to mid 50s Concho Valley and Far West except upper 60s along the Big Bend of the Rio Grande.

North Texas: Fair through Saturday night. Cold at night. Highs Saturday 52 to 56. Lows Saturday night 28 to 33. Increasing cloudiness and warmer Sunday. Highs 53 to 57.

South Texas: Fair skies Saturday through Sunday. Highs Saturday in the 60s and from the 50s North to the 60s South Sunday.

Extended forecast

West Texas: A chance of light rain Monday. Mostly fair Tuesday and Wednesday, near normal temperatures expected throughout the period. Permian Basin ... Highs mid to upper 50s. Lows mid to lower 30s. Concho Valley ... Highs upper 50s to near 60. Lows upper to mid 30s. Far West ... Highs lower to mid 50s. Lows mid to lower 30s. Big Bend ... Highs mid 50s mountains to mid 60s along the Rio Grande. Lows mid 20s mountains to upper 30s along the Rio Grande.

PLO

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Secretary of State George P. Shultz designated Pelletreau, 53, as Washington's only authorized channel for dealing with the PLO, apparently hoping to avoid back-door contacts.

Western diplomatic sources, speaking on condition that they not be identified further, said the first priority of the U.S. side would be making clear Washington's attitude on terrorism.

The sources said that while the United States was aware the PLO could not be held responsible for all acts of terrorism, it would expect the group to dissassociate itself clearly from any future terrorist attack.

The second U.S. priority, the sources added, was a general explanation of Washington's position on Middle East peace.

Substantive talks, the sources said, most likely would have to wait until President-elect George Bush takes over next month.

The PLO delegation to the talks included Abd-Rabbou; Hakim Balawi, the PLO's permanent representative to Tunisia and a member of Arafat's Fatah guerrilla group, the largest of the nine groups under the PLO umbrella.

Also in the delegation were Abdullah Hourani, an independent member of the PLO executive committee; and Abdellatif Abu Hajiah, a Fatah member and director-general of the PLO political department.

The delegations conducted their talks across two tables placed face-to-face under a huge crystal chandelier in a large blue room of the guest house. On a marble-top table off to one side stood small U.S. and Palestinian flags.

Abd-Rabbou credited the year-old uprising in the Israeli-occupied West Bank and Gaza Strip for the present talks.

"We are here in the name of the intefadeh (uprising)," he said. "We will continue our efforts to achieve the goals of the intefadeh." More than 320 Palestinians and 13 Israelis have been killed in the uprising.

DPS trooper shot in head

WACO (AP) — A state trooper was shot in the head Friday night after he responded to a request for aid by a sheriff's department, the Texas Department of Public Safety said.

The trooper, David Shawn of Waco, was in critical condition at Providence Hospital in the Central Texas city, a spokeswoman said. One person was arrested in connection with the shooting and DPS officials said another suspect may be involved.

Shawn was shot at about 9:30 p.m. when he responded to a McLennan County sheriff's department call for assistance at Lincoln City, an unincorporated community near Northcrest, a Waco suburb, the DPS said.

Law enforcement agencies began an extensive manhunt, involving about 200 officers, for another suspect, said DPS spokesman Mike Cox in Austin.

The initial call from the sheriff's office involved a report of a man with a gun drawn, authorities said.

"We have one subject in custody and possibly another involved. We are not sure yet," said Curtis Starnes, DPS communications supervisor in Waco.

Miller to return to job Jan. 3

By FRANK TROMBLEY
Staff Writer

ODESSA — The attorney for Judy Miller, the fired city planning and inspection director rehired by a majority council vote Tuesday, said her client has decided she will return to her job Jan. 3.

Council members, by a 4-to-1 vote, agreed to accept the findings of retired District Judge Ken Spencer of Crane. Spencer ordered the Oct. 27 termination of Ms. Miller reversed because evidence presented during an Nov. 16 grievance hearing was "inadequate to support" her firing by City Manager Bill Brown.

In a brief statement read following an executive session, Mayor Don Carter said of Spencer's finding: "We have received his opinion and will accept it whether or not we are in total agreement."

The mayor said Ms. Miller would be reinstated with no loss of back pay and all benefits.

Asked if the council decision to rehire Ms. Miller, with no loss of pay or benefits, included payment of attorney's fees, City Attorney Joel Roberts said no mention was made of attorney's fees.

He indicated if Ms. Miller intended to seek attorney's fees she would have to file a claim.

Brown fired Ms. Miller, who had served as director of planning and inspection for 12 of the nearly 14 years she had been employed by the city, for allegedly falsely claiming credit for 31 hours master's degree work on a resume, failing to get his approval for sick leave, for improper reporting of payroll and for the inability or unwillingness to perform assigned work.

Spencer was asked by the council to rule on the findings of the Nov. 16 grievance hearing held by Personnel Director Allen Coco in an effort to mitigate any question of conflict since Brown was a principal witness in the hearing. Under normal city grievance procedures, the city manager reviews the personnel director's recommendations and accepts or rejects them.

In addition to seeking a grievance hearing on her firing, Ms. Miller filed a complaint with the federal EEOC office in El Paso alleging sexual discrimination.

Melissa Hirsch, Ms. Miller's attorney, said Friday the reinstatement of her client will have no effect on her claim of sexual discrimination if she decides to pursue that legal option.

WEST TEXAS IN BRIEF

Conoco CEO responds to interveiw in Journal

From Staff Reports

HOUSTON — Conoco President and Chief Executive Officer Constantine S. Nicandros has issued a response to a Wall Street Journal interview by Du Pont President Edgar S. Woolard.

"In a lengthy interview with the Wall Street Journal on Dec. 12, Du Pont President Edgar S. Woolard responded to questions on a wide range of subjects. Several questions were related to Conoco, and specifically whether management would consider sale of a significant part of Conoco or its assets.

In response, Woolard pointed out that a prudent management should not rule out any options. He stated that a company the size of Du Pont should always be willing to examine all the options open it it, including divesting parts of any business. It should be emphasized that there are currently no plans to sell a significant part of Conoco or a major portion of its assets.

"Conoco is a well-managed company and it competes for discovery and production of oil very effectively," Woolard said in the interview. "There is really only one fundamental issue about Conoco, and that's the price of crude oil."

Du Pont continues to believe that an efficient Conoco provides an important participation in the petroleum business that should be of significant benefit to the company and its shareholders over the long run."

Teen sentenced to 20 years

ODESSA — A 161st District Court jury Friday deliberated about two hours before sentencing 17-year-old Michael Hancock to 20 years in prison and fined him $10,000 for a conviction for attempted murder.

On Wednesday, Hancock was found guilty of the Oct. 19 drive-by shooting of Lamont Deon Harris, a 20-year-old Arkansas resident attending Odessa College on a track scholarship.

One of the bullets allegedly fired by Hancock in the direction of the Parker Hall dormitory struck Harris in the chest, passed through his heart and lodged near his spine, leaving him paralyzed.

The jury of seven women and five men sentenced Hancock to the maximum allowable sentence.

Assistant District Attorney Howard Whitworth said that since the jury found Hancock used a deadly weapon, he will be required to serve not less than five years in prison before reaching eligiblity for parole.

Santa letters accepted

The American Red Cross Youth Committee is sponsoring a "Letters to Santa" house at Midland Park Mall through Sunday, according to Faye Beery with the Red Cross.

The house was built by Scott Mangan of Midland as an Eagle Scout project, and is being managed by area teens. When the mall is open, letters can be deposited at the house through a mail slot. After school and this weekend, the house will be manned by Santa's elves, Ms. Beery said.

All letters will be answered, and children will receive a letter from Santa by return mail. Parents should be sure the childrens' letters have a return address on them.

The Red Cross Youth Committee plans to make the "Letters to Santa" House as an annual event for the community. For information about the house, and about the Red Cross, call Ms. Beery at 684-6161.

CAPP receives computer

Permian Basin CAPP, a program of Family Services in Midland, has announced that Abacus Computers of Midland and Odessa has donated an IBM Personal Computer System to the CAPP program.

Permian Basin CAPP's program is dedicated to the education of parents, children and professionals in the prevention of child abuse.

They are also developing programs to increase nurturing family interactions.

Abacus Computers has worked the West Texas area since 1982.

WINDOWS

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The prosecutor said he was happy with the sentence under the circumstances.

"What I'd like the public to know is that if he (Isbell) satisfactorily completes the time at the Rehabilitation Center, he will spend the remainder of the 10 years on probation," said Schorre.

"In light of the defendant's lack of prior criminal record, and his age, we feel like this is the best punishment we could get and also get the full restitution."

The damage has been figured at about $30,000, Schorre said.

The prosecutor has talked to attorneys for Wilson and Turicchi, but he said no agreements have been reached, he said.

"They are scheduled to go to trial after the first of the year," he said.

According to police, the trio, armed with three BB rifles, decided to go frog hunting late on September 11. At one point, one window was shot out and the shooting spree "snowballed" from there, as one detective described it.

Almost three hours later, the shooting stopped, though a few windows were broken the next day, according to police reports.

Investigators said there was no motive for the vandalism. The damage was not aimed at any particular individual or area of town, but most of the vehicles were in west Midland.

Police were led to the trio after receiving a tip that a dark Chevrolet Camaro was seen near the area of the shootings. One of the men drives a black 1986 Camaro, and the three men were in the car the night of the shootings, police said.

LAWYER

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Walsh had repeatedly expressed an interest in trying the case against North, former national security adviser John M. Poindexter and arms dealers Albert Hakim and Richard V. Secord.

But Gesell's decision to order separate trials for each of the defendants and the continuing complications of classified documents and congressional immunity given North, Poindexter and Hakim forced a re-examination of those plans, according to a source who spoke on condition of anonymity.

TOWER

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"He has one of the great minds in the country," Combest said, "and understands the difficulties any administration goes through dealing with Congress on a defense program."

But whatever Tower recommends should be cut from the nation's military, Combest said, "I will sleep well knowing he's at the helm."

"He has a lifetime of experience that qualifies him for this unique job, a job that's going to be tough during the next few years," said Sen. Phil Gramm, a Republican who followed Tower to the Senate. The two are the only Republican senators from the state since Reconstruction.

"This is a job that doesn't just entail keeping Ivan back from the gate but also entails making the tough decisions...to deal with our deficit problem and to keep the wolf back from the door of the working men and women of America at the same time," Gramm said. "That's a tough job. It takes a tough person to do it. And John Tower is the person who can and will do the job for America."

Texas Gov. Bill Clements, a deputy secretary of defense in the 1970s, said Tower's many years of experience on the Senate Armed Services committee would be invaluable.

"In John Tower, President-elect Bush has selected a qualified, dedicated and enthusiastic individual to lead the defense department," Clements said. John Tower is an expert in national security and defense matters. His commitment to our country and to its well-being is without question. John Tower is a true Texan, a true patriot, a true American.

Sen. Lloyd Bentsen said recently that he also thought Tower would be a good defense secretary. "He's an able man and well-versed in the armed services."

Rep. Bill Archer of Houston, ranking Republican on the House Ways and Means Committee, called Tower "one of our nation's outstanding experts on the national defense. He has a deep understanding of its implications in the geo-political framework. I think he'll do an excellent job."

Tower joins three other Texans chosen by Bush, an adopted Texan, for his Cabinet — Robert Mosbacher for commerce secretary, Lauro Cavazos, to remain education secretary, and James A. Baker III to be secretary of state.

Bush described Tower as a man of "great experience, expertise and commitment to peace and freedom" and said Tower is committed to reforming the Pentagon.

Tower said the nation must have "as much if not more defense for less money."

DEATHS

Ruth Rustamier

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind. — Funeral services for Ruth Ann Rustamier, 94, mother of Jack W. Rustamier of Midland, will be held Monday at the Flanner and Buchanan Funeral Home in Indianapolis. She died Thursday night at a nursing home in Indianapolis.

She was a frequent visitor to Midland.

Other survivors are son William R. Rustamier of Speedway, Ind.; two grandsons, Jack Rustamier of Garland and Jim Rustamier of Anchorage, Alaska; four grandchildren; six great-grandchildren and two great-great grandchildren.

The family asks that memorials be directed to a favorite charity.

Bobby Arnold

Services for Bobby H. Arnold of Midland, will be at 1 p.m. today in the Ellis Funeral Home Chapel, with the Rev. Bill Penland officiating. Burial will follow in Resthaven Memorial Park.

Pallbearers are Auvie Bailey, Marvin Bigby, David Burkett, W.E. Townsend, W.L. Saultz and Everett Stangle.

Honorary pallbearers are employees of the Union Oil Co. of California.

Mary Dameron

Services for Mary H. "Larry" Dameron will be held 11 a.m. Saturday at the First Christian Church with Dr. Ray Bristol officiating. Graveside services will be held at Rosehill Memorial Park in Fort Worth 4 p.m. Monday under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Pallbearers will be Rodger Dameron, Melvin Sattawhite, Don McMillian, Eddie Horton, Ken Maxwell and Ken Stahl.

William Sutton

Services for William C. "Bill" Sutton will be held 3 p.m. today at the Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Bill Simpson officiating. Burial will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park.

Pallbearers will be Mark Clack, Danny Campbell, Harold Campbell, Malcom Campbell, Jimmy Sutton and Winferd Sutton.

SANTA

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Ms. Bohn, who works as a secretary, said the third-grader at Heights Elementary in Richardson "is obsessed with trying to thank this man."

Ms. Bohn said the family agrees that the stranger, whoever he is, has brought the meaning of Christmas home to them.

"It's experiences like this that renew our faith in people, that they are good and kind," Mrs. Bohn said. "This man made a little girl very happy, and she wants to grow up and be just like that. I wish we could thank him."

PIANO

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The piano also was used in 1943 in a U.S. Savings Bond drive featuring Judy Garland, Mickey Rooney and Lucille Ball.

On Wednesday, an anonymous buyer paid $143,000 at Sotheby's for the original "War of the Worlds" radio script by Howard Koch, who later shared an Oscar for his work on "Casablanca."

'Goose' flew just once

Howard Hughes' wooden flying boat, "The Spruce Goose," went on its only flight Nov. 2, 1947.

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Indians returning to roots with totem pole carvings

SAXMAN, Alaska (AP) — Lee Wallace is descended from a long line of totem pole carvers, but his father, like many other Northwest coast Indians, gave up his craft for the sake of becoming "modern."

Today the younger Wallace is part of a renaissance in the art of carving. Totem poles are coming back.

At 36, Wallace is an apprentice carver at Saxman, a Tlingit village just south of Ketchikan where leaders are building totem poles into a local industry. Saxman has opened a totem park for tourists and hopes eventually to have a pole factory.

"I'm from a long line of carvers. My grandfather, great-grandfather, great-great-grandfather were all carvers," Wallace says as his adz, an ax-like tool used for trimming and smoothing wood, shapes a beaver on a pole in the Saxman carving shed.

His grandfather was so renowned he was sent to other parts of the United States to carve poles for exhibitions, Wallace says. But his grandfather died in 1950 and Wallace's father gave up the craft.

"It was a time when it was not popular to carve, or to speak the language, or to dance. It still wasn't really popular around here in the '70s when I went to school," he says.

Wallace took up carving a few years ago when he lost his job as a flight attendant. Now he says there's nothing he'd rather do than shape centuries-old cedar trees into works of art.

Stories like Wallace's can be heard throughout southeastern Alaska, where native arts galleries are opening amid souvenir shops and new poles are going up next to totems carved decades ago.

"I would say five years ago you could look at the carvers and list them on one hand. Now there are carvers all over," says Bill Trudeau, former program director at the Totem Heritage Center in Ketchikan.

About 25 people, Indians and others, are studying traditional carving at the center, a city-run museum established to preserve old totem poles.

At Saxman, high school students are offering carvings made in Indian arts classes to a store that could hardly find items to sell two years ago.

"In the last five years there's been national and international recognition of the art form," says Ward Serrill, president of Cape Fox Tours, the Indian corporation that runs the totem park. "There has been a proliferation of books written. Consequently it's a lot easier for someone to make a livelihood."

Totem poles were just one of many types of art produced by Northwest coast tribes. They also carved copper shields, wooden boxes, large fishhooks and the interiors of their wooden plank houses.

When whites explored the region in the 1700s, they found totem poles at Indian villages along more than 1,000 miles of coast, from present-day Washington state through British Columbia to Yakutat, a village at the top of the Alaska Panhandle.

"The restricting factors are the trees available and the tools," Trudeau says.

Totem poles serve three purposes, Serrill says. Some mark a place, others are mortuary or memorial poles. The third type tells a story or commemorates an event.

The three most common colors are red, from volcanic rock; black, from graphite or charcoal, and a pale aqua, made from copper ore. The pigments were ground and mixed into paint with a natural adhesive made by chewing salmon eggs and cedar bark.

Poles traditionally were owned by chiefs or other wealthy people who commissioned them. Carvers were traveling artisans who enjoyed high social status.

Serrill dates the decline of pole carving to the late 1800s and the birth of a movement to suppress Indian culture. Throughout the first half of the 20th century, traditional Indian activities were discouraged.

In 1938, the federal government included pole carving in the Civilian Conservation Corps program. Decaying poles were brought to Ketchikan from a number of outlying villages. Master carvers, many in their 70s, were hired to duplicate them and teach the art to younger people.

The group restored 48 old poles and duplicated 54 before World War II broke out in 1941. Then it disbanded to build airstrips and other military facilities, says Mary Kowalczyk, ranger for Totem Bight State Park north of Ketchikan.

Carving all but stopped in the four decades that followed. The art was kept alive at only a few centers, including the University of Washington in Seattle, the Alaska Indian Arts Center at Haines and in the workshops of several Canadian carvers.

Today, a handful of masters from those programs are teaching the current crop of novices. There are about 30 carvers in southeastern Alaska, eight to 10 of them masters.

One of the teachers is Wayne Price, who is working with Wallace on the eagle-beaver pole at Saxman. Price carves one side of the pole, then Wallace tries to match it stroke-for-stroke on the other side. The 250-year-old cedar they're shaping lies horizontal on a platform in the Saxman carving shed.

Sitting on a partly carved paw and sharing his dried halibut between sentences, the 31-year-old Price took a break to tell his story.

He started hanging around the Indian Arts Center in Haines in 1970, when he was in junior high school.

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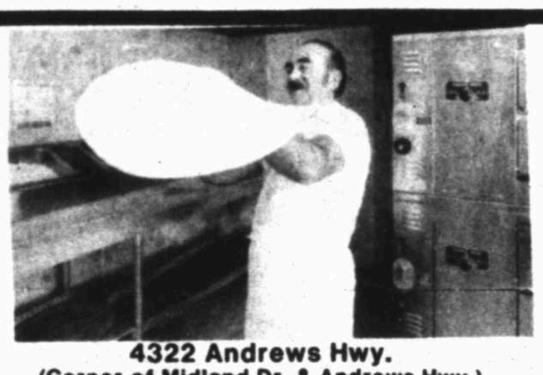

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Gay rights leader says judge's words will be remembered

Judge Jack Hampton

DALLAS (AP) — A gay rights leader warned Friday that outraged voters will remember a judge's statement that he gave a light sentence to a murderer partly because his two victims were homosexuals, and another organization has filed a complaint against the judge.

"These two guys that got killed wouldn't have been killed if they hadn't been cruising the streets picking up teen-age boys," State District Judge Jack Hampton told the Dallas Times Herald in a copyright story. "I don't much care for queers cruising the streets picking up teen-age boys. I've got a teen-age boy."

Hampton, of the 283rd Judicial District, said the homosexuality of the murder victims entered into his decision on Nov. 28 to give the 18-year-old killer a 30-year prison term instead of a maximum life sentence.

The judge said he would have given a harsher sentence to Richard Lee Bednarski if his victims had been, for example, "a couple of housewives out shopping, not hurting anybody."

The Times Herald reported that in the interview Hampton expressed no reservations about his statements.

"Just spell my name right," Hampton said. "If it makes anybody mad, they'll forget it by 1990 (election year)."

Hampton did not immediately return a telephone call made to his office Friday by The Associated Press.

William Waybourn, president of the Dallas Gay Alliance, said the organization's eight telephone lines began ringing constantly after the newspaper published the judge's statements Friday morning.

He said the organization is hopeful that Hampton's remarks will prompt the public to work to remove him from the judicial bench.

"Judge Hampton said it himself: No one will remember this in 1990. But we will remember," Waybourn said.

"Being at the wrong place at the wrong time is just a tragedy," Waybourn said of the killings. "I'm sorry for the families of the men who were killed. They don't deserve this. And Hampton doesn't deserve to be a judge."

Robert Flowers, executive director of the state Commission on Judicial Conduct, declined Friday to comment specifically on Hampton's statements.

"A judge's discretion is his or her own," Flowers said. "And generally, we haven't had too many occasions where the judge has spoken about what his thought process has been (in sentencing)."

Flowers also said the commission, charged with overseeing the state judiciary, occasionally initiates an investigation itself. He would not say whether that would happen in Hampton's case.

"If we do read a story in a newspaper that has a potential for misconduct, the commission would be the complaintant in that case," he said.

But later Friday, the Texas Human Rights Foundation filed a complaint against Hampton with the judicial conduct commission.

"The statements by Judge Hampton constitute judicial misconduct," said Tom Doyal, legal director for the non-profit group active in gay and lesbian issues.

Doyal said Hampton's remarks "show open disregard for the laws of our state. He has created an entirely new class of crime: Murder of expendable classes of people."

Hampton said he rejected a prosecution request for a life sentence for Bednarski because he believed the murder victims were not completely blameless.

"These homosexuals, by running around on weekends picking up teen-age boys, they're asking for trouble," Hampton told the Times Herald. "They really are."

A Richland College student at the time of his conviction, Bednarski was accused in the shooting deaths of Tommy Lee Trimble, 34, and Lloyd Griffin, 27.

Court testimony revealed that Bednarski and a group of nine friends drove to the Oak Lawn area of Dallas to harass gay men the night of May 15.

The boys testified that they were standing on a street corner jeering at passers-by when Bednarski persuaded another boy to join him in beating and robbing Trimble and Griffin, who had invited the boys into their car.

The four then drove to a park and walked to a hilltop clearing, according to testimony.

Testimony did not reveal whether the victims actually solicited sex from Bednarski and his friend. But, the judge said, "I think it was understood by everybody that they went into the bushes for some oral sex."

The other youth testified that Bednarski immediately pulled a pistol and ordered the men to take off their clothes.

He said that when they refused, Bednarski drew a pistol and started shooting. Trimble died immediately of gunshot wounds to the face, neck and back. Griffin, who also suffered three gunshot wounds, died five days later at Parkland Memorial Hospital.

Hampton was the subject of controversy in 1982 when he acknowledged he was among a group of Republican politicians who posted signs in predominantly minority and Democratic voting precincts that told voters they could be prosecuted if they did not follow election laws.

The words "YOU CAN BE IMPRISONED" were printed in large red letters on the signs, in what critics called an attempt to intimidate blacks and keep them from voting.

Turkey's prime minister to address Tech graduates, receive honorary degree

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LUBBOCK (AP) — Texas Tech University will strengthen its already strong ties with Turkey today when Prime Minister Turgut Ozal delivers a commencement address to graduating students and receives an honorary degree.

Ozal's visit stems from a 4-year-old student exchange program between Texas Tech and two Turkish universities by which more than 40 Turkish graduate students are enrolled at Tech studying education, mathematics, physics, chemistry, geosciences, engineering and economics.

"When they return home, they will be employed as teaching faculty," said Tech political science professor Metin Tamkoc.

The program, which includes students from Middle Eastern Technical Institute in Ankara and Karadeniz University in Trabzon, is administered by Tech's 22-year-old International Center for Arid and Semi-arid Land Studies.

The university also houses the Archive of Turkish Oral Narrative, an audio collection of Turkish history, folklore and culture as told by the people of Turkey. It is the largest such repository in the world, according to university officials.

In his speech to graduates, Ozal is expected to discuss the strong ties between his country and Texas Tech.

Meanwhile, U.S. Secret Service and local law enforcement officials said they will adopt stringent security measures for Ozal's visit.

"All the people wearing academic regalia — all graduating students and faculty — will have to go through a magnetic detector at the (Lubbock) coliseum," where the ceremony is to be held, said Tech spokeswoman Margaret Simon.

U.S. Secret Service Resident Agent R. David Freriks said secruity arrangements would be tight, but declined to discuss specifics.

Ozal, 61, was wounded in the right hand during an assassination attempt in Ankara earlier this year. The prime minister and his wife, Semra, will travel around town in an armored limousine provided by the White House and used by President Reagan, said university officials.

Jet crashes into mountains with two on board

MONTERREY, Mexico (AP) — The search for a U.S.-based Lear Jet that crashed Friday in northern Mexico was to resume Saturday, according to an official who said a farmer reported having seen it and two bodies near Cuatrocienegas.

The jet, which had a flight plan filed for a suburban Dallas airport mysteriously overflew its destination and crashed in the mountains in northern Mexico with two occupants aboard, U.S. and Mexican authorities said.

An F-16 and another plane tried to intercept and contact the Dallas-based Lear Jet's pilot after it climbed to more than 40,000 feet, the Federal Aviation Administration said. But the agency said the pilot did not respond.

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The co-pilot was Susan Reynolds, 25, of Dallas.

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Legislators adopt trimmed budget

AUSTIN (AP) — Legislative leaders Friday adopted a proposed state budget that trims from a previous plan some spending on education, prisons, welfare and health.

But the Legislative Budget Board's spending recommendation for the 1989 Legislature was viewed more as a starting point than a genuine budget.

"This budget does not adequately address the needs" of the state, said Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby, who heads the LBB. But Hobby said the panel had to pass a budget proposal before the Legislature convenes in regular session Jan. 10.

"There's really not much alternative," he said prior to the 9-0 vote.

In voting for the measure, state Sen. Bob Glasgow, said more revenue is needed, and noted Gov. Bill Clements' statements to the contrary.

"I tell the governor, 'I hope he's right,' but I don't believe he is," said Glasgow, D-Stephenville.

Changing the state's economic base from the oil and gas industry to high-technology requires an educated work force, Glasgow said. "Now is not the time to back off of education," he said.

"This budget does not adequately address the needs (of the state)...There's really not much alternative."
— Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby

Sen. Kent Caperton, D-Bryan, voted for the plan, but said, "We can't be satisfied with this kind of budget."

But Rep. Stan Schlueter, D-Killeen, said as much as $800 million could be made up to bridge the perceived shortfall through changes in state law dealing with the collection of franchise and insurance taxes.

Earlier this month, the LBB staff proposed a $26.6 billion budget for the two-year period beginning Sept. 1, 1989. That proposal would have paid for the current level of services of state government, but was about $1.1 billion more than the state expects to collect in revenue.

The legislative leaders directed their budget staff to write a plan that would fit the revenue forecast.

Hit hardest in the latest proposal were prisons and higher education.

The Texas Department of Corrections would lose about $385 million. Those funds would have been used to relieve overcrowded prisons with the construction of about 6,000 additional prison beds. Budget leaders, however, said alternate funding sources, such as bonds, could be used to make up this loss.

The prison funding proposal brought an immediate protest from officials from counties whose prisons are overcrowded with convicted felons awaiting transfer to the state prison system. There are about 7,500 inmates in county jails statewide waiting to be transferred to the TDC.

"Many Texas counties have already been placed in legal jeopardy by this state-created overcrowding and will come under federal and state court mandates," if the state does not help ease the problem, the Texas Conference of Urban Counties said in a statement.

State colleges and universities would lose $307 million, including a 5-percent, across-the-board cut, under the proposal.

In addition, the LBB staff proposed reducing its original proposal by $129 million in the Department of Human Services and $128 million in public education.

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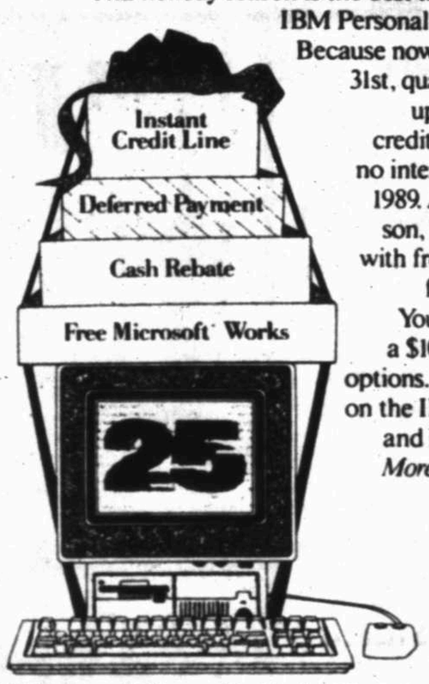

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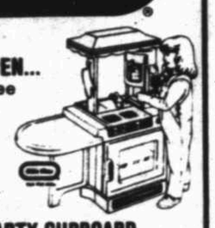
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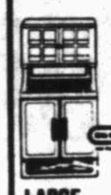
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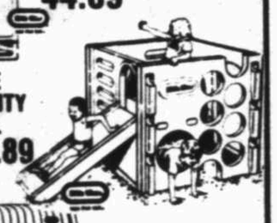
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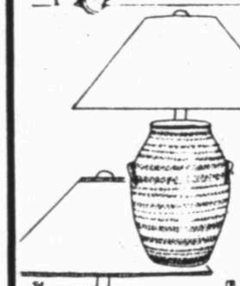
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The Maghreb: North African nations seeking unity

EDITOR'S NOTE: Free of the colonial yoke for three decades, the five Arab nations of North Africa known as the "Maghreb" still rely heavily on foreigners to keep them going and the democracy many North Africans fought for still eludes them. But now the five are seeking solutions in unity.

By MICHAEL GOLDSMITH

ALGIERS, Algeria (AP) — Soaring 300 feet into the air on the heights overlooking Algiers is a monument to the heroes of the National Liberation Struggle. The three intertwining concrete leaves are of Polish design and Canadian execution.

In neighboring Morocco, a French engineering company is building the world's largest mosque.

In Tunisia, a Dutch company is draining the evil-smelling lake between the capital and its wealthy suburbs.

In Mauritania, French engineers operate the iron mines and the railroad providing the country's main source of income.

In Libya, foreigners operate the oil fields and work at many other jobs in the country.

The first three decades of independence have left a vague legacy of disappointment in the five North African Arab countries known as the "Maghreb" — the Arab West — and a reliance on foreigners to do the important work remains widespread.

No one dares question the wisdom of going it alone — that would put in doubt the very core of their existence. But citizens in the five Maghreb countries are asking themselves whether their leaders have gone the right way about getting the most out of their sovereignty.

This public discussion has provided the context for the current debate on unity.

Not one of the five countries can be described as democratic. With the exception of Morocco, none has had a genuinely free election since the end of what was mainly French colonial rule.

Algeria, which became known as the Democratic People's Republic after winning its independence war against the French in 1962, is still recovering from the 13-year dictatorship of Col. Houari Boumedienne, who died in 1978. His successor, Chadli Bendjedid, is trying to remove the "old guard" without rocking the boat.

Tunisia shook off the 32-year dictatorship of its "president for life," Habib Bourguiba, removed from office on grounds of senility in 1987, only to fall into a more moderate form of autocratic rule under Zine El Abidine Ben Ali.

Morocco has a limited form of democracy, but King Hassan II is the supreme arbiter of all political events. No one rules but the king.

Libya is known as the "Jamahiriya" or republic. Col. Moammar Gadhafi is its heaven-sent ruler and no one dares oppose him. Mauritania has plunged from one military coup into another.

With such a legacy, it is surprising that the Maghreb countries have not seen more violence and bloodshed than they have.

They have set the scene for several air hijackings, American planes bombed Libyan cities to "punish" Gadhafi, and Israeli aircraft bombed the headquarters of the Palestine Liberation Organization in Tunis. The PLO's No. 2 man, Abu Jihad, was killed in his Tunis home by assassins believed to have come from Israel.

Islam remains the common link for the region. From Tobruk in eastern Libya to Dakhla in the Western Sahara, muezzin can be heard calling the faithful to prayer, and most work stops throughout the holy month of Ramadan.

Only in Tunisia did Bourguiba once try to stop the Ramadan fast, publicly drinking orange juice at midday in a much-publicized gesture of defiance.

The gesture failed, and Tunisia today is as religious-minded as ever. With the exception of Morocco, whose king claims direct descent from the Prophet Mohammed, Islamic fundamentalism is on the upsurge everywhere.

In Algeria, the authorities tried to meet this revivalism with a revolutionary form of socialism. Hard-line officials still try to keep these principles alive, but few Algerians really believe they will bring salvation.

Throughout the region unemployment, as high as 40 percent in urban centers, is the most pressing problem. Health and education are close behind. Inflation is rearing its head. No one seems to have any remedy. The population is soaring by nearly 4 percent a year, the underlying cause of most other problems.

Despite official protestations to the contrary, women are subjected to such discriminatory practices as polygamy, denial of inheritance rights and unilateral divorce. Only the educated minority among the women think of protest.

With the exception of a narrow fertile coastal strip, most of the land is desert. About 12,000 years ago, it was a fertile region of fruit trees and tropical animals, as testified by prehistoric rock paintings. All this has gone. The Sahara moves steadily outward by hundreds of square miles a year.

With the 19th century collapse of the Turkish Empire, most of the Maghreb became a French preserve. Only Libya, then a gathering of impoverished tribes, fell to Italy.

The discovery of major oil deposits throughout the region made all the difference.

Morocco alone had no oil. But it did have massive deposits of phosphates, the natural chemical needed for fertilizers. Morocco has nearly one-fourth of all the world's known deposits of phosphates, without counting the Western Sahara.

This former Spanish colony, which continues the Moroccan coastline 1,600 miles to the southwest, was intended mainly as an outer defense for the Canary Islands. Most of it was left as a wilderness. Under Moroccan pressure, Spain abandoned the territory in 1975, and it ultimately fell to Morocco.

For the past 13 years, a forgotten war has raged between the Moroccan army and the Algerian-backed Polisario movement seeking independence for the Western Sahara.

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Western Sahara may be subject of compromise

By MICHAEL GOLDSMITH

RABAT, Morocco (AP) — The forgotten war that has been raging across the barren wilderness of northwestern Africa may soon draw to a close as the two sides — Morocco and the Marxist Polisario Front — are forced into a compromise over the territory of Western Sahara.

The framework for the compromise is likely to be suggested by the United Nations. It could be a long way from the extreme demands made by the Polisario Front.

The main reason for the change will be the Algerian government's disillusionment with the Polisario fighters, whose 13 years of guerrilla war has not brought them control of a single Saharan city.

A referendum is to determine the wishes of the original inhabitants of the disputed territory, whether they now are in the Moroccan-held cities or in the Polisario-run camps in Algeria.

Everything lies in the question to be put in the referendum: Will the estimated 100,000 inhabitants and their adult children be asked simply whether they want independence, or will they be asked to endorse the Polisario as their "sole legitimate representative?"

Endorsement of the Polisario would give the guerrilla movement the right to determine the territory's future, even if the inhabitants are of two minds about outright independence.

King Hassan II of Morocco has staked his regime on having the question put in such a way that the Polisario movement does not become directly involved.

The Moroccans occupied most of the former Spanish Sahara in 1975, after claiming it as Moroccan since early in the century.

The Algerians immediately recognized the Polisario movement's struggle for the independence of the territory. Some 70 nations, mostly members of the non-aligned group, followed suit.

Mauritania, which had occupied the southernmost third of the disputed territory in 1975, backed out in 1979 and Morocco took over responsibility for the whole area.

The Polisario, with extensive help from Algeria and Libya, waged an aggressive guerrilla war. With a heavily armed guerrilla force of upward of 20,000 men, Polisario almost captured the Mauritanian capital, Nouakchott, in 1976, disrupted phosphate mining at the Sahara mining center Bou Craa and attacked shipping off the Atlantic coast with heavily armed rubber boats.

The Moroccans responded with a succession of interlocking walls. Virtually the entire Moroccan army of 120,000 men was deployed and guerrilla activity virtually came to a halt.

But the operation was expensive. By 1986, the upkeep of the wall cost the Moroccans some $1.5 million a day, most of it contributed by Saudi Arabia and other Persian Gulf states. In addition, they lost some 15,000 men — matched by losses on the Polisario side.

By 1988, the Algerians — the Polisario's main foreign backers — decided they had more to gain by reaching a direct understanding with Morocco.

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But the guerrillas have made little headway.

The Moroccans assembled superior firepower and a 1,500-mile wall that barred access to the territory. The guerrillas proved unable to breach the wall in strength or to prevent its extension.

Mauritania, which at first joined with Morocco in suppressing the guerrillas and then flipped to the opposite side, ended up on neither side.

As a result of these moves, the Polisario was gradually eliminated from the struggle. King Hassan accepted a U.N. proposal for a controlled international referendum to settle the territory's future. Unless the Polisario finds some way to block it, the referendum is likely to take place some time in 1989. It is generally expected to lead to a Moroccan victory.

In his vigorous campaign for the Moroccan cause, Hassan forged a treaty of union with Libya. The treaty stopped Libyan support to the Polisario but it seriously upset Morocco's American friends.

When the Polisario had been defeated, the treaty was no longer needed and Hassan used the first pretext to cancel it.

Meanwhile, Gadhafi made a series of ill-fated attempts to merge with his neighbors. They all ended in failure. Everyone likes Gadhafi's money, but no one wants to be seen selling his independence to the highest bidder.

At the same time, the North African leaders bowed to widespread public pressure and began a serious attempt to find some kind of unity. The five met in Algiers in June and agreed to work toward a North African confederation.

Tunisia and Libya hurriedly restored the diplomatic relations they had broken over Libya's expulsion of more than 30,000 Tunisian workers three years earlier. Algeria and Morocco agreed to ignore Polisario protests and did likewise.

Hassan arrived in Algiers in a chartered car ferry, and when Bendjedid came to meet him, the two men fell into each other's arms. All present felt they saw history in the making.

Gadhafi again was the odd man out. He played the clown, walking up and down on the terrace outside the meeting room, declaring the summit was a "gathering of has-beens."

It took all the diplomatic skill of President Ben Ali of Tunisia and Secretary-General Chedli Klibi of the Arab League to persuade Gadhafi to join the meeting.

Ultimately, they worked out a plan for a greater Maghreb confederation. It is only on paper, so far, and all the real work remains to be done.

But Hassan had learned at first-hand about the advantages of the European Economic Community, which turned down Morocco's request to join. He is a fervent advocate of creating a similar community in North Africa. His arguments won the day.

The summit instructed the bureaucrats to work out the details. It remains to be seen how far they will succeed.

Parliament dissolved

PORT VILA, Vanuatu (AP) — President George Sokomanu dissolved parliament Friday and called elections for February, citing economic problems and political violence, but Prime Minister Walter Lini rejected the decision.

He said Sokomanu was a "political fool" with no power to dissolve the parliament of these South Pacific islands and suggested the president resign.

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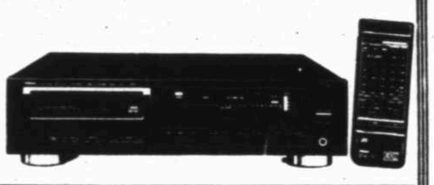

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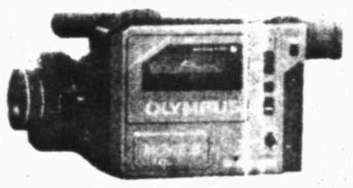

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By JENNIFER McNULTY

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Joseph Emerson Eaton Jr., born to wealth and privilege in Boston, met death as a homeless alcoholic, tossed unconscious from a fast food restaurant to die alone on a cold sidewalk in San Francisco's Tenderloin.

Eaton was an unlikely member of the city's legion of street people, and family riches couldn't overcome his love of vodka or the despair he felt after losing his lover to AIDS a year ago.

His crumpled, lifeless body became as invisible to dozens of passersby in those chilly hours of early Saturday morning as the hundreds of other huddled forms that line the city's streets and crowd into doorways.

ADVOCATES FOR THE HOMELESS have seized upon Eaton's death at age 38 as a symbol of the homeless crisis and public callousness.

"If he had been a middle-class person at a restaurant anywhere else in town and passed out, they'd have called for an ambulance, or the cops if he was drunk," said the minister who discovered Eaton's body. "They wouldn't just throw him out onto the sidewalk and let him lay there and die."

Eaton's lonely death has raised questions about society's responsibility for the homeless, but his life was a story of sadness and failed opportunity.

A prep school graduate and the grandson of a Boston banker, family members said Eaton's troubles began when he started drinking at 13.

After years of battling alcohol, Eaton's final tailspin began as he was mourning the death of the man who had inspired him to forsake the bottle.

It ended when he collapsed over a bacon cheeseburger at a Carl's Jr. restaurant around midnight Dec. 2. He died after a security guard, thinking Eaton was drunk, dragged him outside into the 48-degree cold and left him in a misshapen pile.

Almost five hours later, the Rev. Thomas Flower, an Eastern Orthodox monk who feeds hundreds of homeless people from his van, recognized Eaton and discovered he was dead. The exact cause of death will not be known for at least a week, pending results of toxicology tests.

IN AN IRONIC TWIST to an already tragic story, the guard was himself homeless before he was hired by the restaurant 3½ years ago.

Eaton grew up the son of privilege in Duxbury, Mass., a well-to-do suburb of Boston. His late grandfather, Charles Freedom Eaton Jr., cofounded Investors Bank & Trust Co. His father, Joseph Sr., is a retired business executive.

But Eaton's alcoholism systematically destroyed whatever stability his family's wealth provided, according to friends and family.

"He was an alcoholic," said Eaton's older brother Nick, a contractor in New Hampshire. "He was also a person who was gay, and I think that it took him a long time to come to grips with that and to start feeling really good about himself."

Although Nick disputes it, some friends say Joe's homosexuality was a source of family tension.

"The family had limitations on how much they could accept Joe because of his homosexuality," said one friend, Stephen Irvine, 43, of San Francisco.

The family repeatedly paid Eaton's enrollment fees at some of the nation's most expensive alcohol and drug rehabilitation programs, but Eaton repeatedly fell off the wagon.

Irvine, who last saw Eaton almost a year ago on the eve of his beginning yet another treatment program, said his friend didn't struggle with his drinking problem, but "went right head first into it."

When friends would intervene with his drinking, "it was as though he'd get just clear-headed enough to recognize his despair and plunge out," said Irvine. "Vodka. He really liked vodka."

EATON'S SPONSOR in Alcoholics Anonymous for six years said Eaton's problems were not with his family but with himself.

"Sobriety is for people that want it," said Skip B., who withheld his last name in compliance with AA tradition. "I'm really sorry it ended this way, but I can't say I'm surprised."

"I like Joe as a person," Skip said later, lapsing into present tense. "He's a nice guy and I somehow felt that under all that booze...there was somebody trying to get out. I just figured that someday maybe he'd get it."

Although Irvine and some of Eaton's acquaintances on the streets accuse family members of using their wallets to say what their hearts could not, others portray a man trapped in self-destruction, refusing to take responsibility for his life.

Eaton never went to college and worked as a chef and a florist when he was sober. After some years in Denver, he came to San Francisco in 1981. The next year, he was arrested on drug charges.

Eaton's life turned around when he met Phillip Coleman through AA. They became lovers and lived together for five years. Until Coleman's death of AIDS in November 1987, Eaton stayed clean and sober.

Irvine said Eaton "just adored and lived through Coleman." But after his lover's death, Eaton "had no real desire to go on. All the life he'd known was dead. I think he was a passive suicide."

Eaton, who knew he had AIDS-related complex, spent a lot of time drinking alone in the apartment the couple had shared, according to Skip.

He lost his job as a florist's driver. Finally, in late January, Nick flew out, packed Eaton's belongings and enrolled him in a $7,000, one-month program at St. Mary's Hospital in Minneapolis.

When Eaton returned to San Francisco, he lived with Skip rent-free for several months, but quickly returned to sporadic heavy drinking.

He asked his family if he could move back East. Nick agreed and was readying a cabin on his property.

But family members had agreed with Joe after the Minneapolis treatment that if he came home, he should be sober — and if he started drinking again, he had to bear responsibility.

"He felt very strongly about that," said Nick, emphasizing that his brother had not requested any assistance this time. "I think he was trying to prove himself...He was making an effort — not that night, I guess — to pull it together."

"I think he was having one last fling."

EATON LOST HIS HOME with Skip after passing out during a binge and starting a minor fire with a lit cigarette. The landlord ordered him out, and Skip, who said he "doesn't give up on people," had to comply.

On Nov. 13, the day Skip turned him out, Eaton landed in an intensive care unit in a coma, with a blood-alcohol level experts said could have killed him.

"The last I heard from him was Friday (hours before his death) when he called to see if his welfare check had arrived," said Skip.

That same day he called Nick to ask if the family would pay for one more treatment program. Nick promised they would.

Compared to many of the city's thousands of homeless, Eaton had a short life on the streets. Yet his death has refocused attention on the problem and the inadequacy of support programs.

"These are our people," said Rev. Cecil Williams, pastor of Glide Memorial United Methodist Church and a frequent spokesman for the city's underpriviliged. "We've got to make sure our people don't need to go through serious misery from year to year before something is done."

John Crew, a lawyer with the American Civil Liberties Union, said Eaton's death is "another tragic example of how this society has not dealt with the fundamental social and health issues of homelessness."

A spokesman for the restaurant that put Eaton on the street said the eatery had no choice.

"If somebody is obviously passed out drunk, we're not going to have people sleeping in our restaurant. No one is," said Carl's Jr. spokesman Paul Mitchell. He said the same thing takes place "one, two or three times a night."

The Eaton family plans no legal action against the restaurant or the guard who ejected Joe. As the man who discovered Eaton's body said at an informal street memorial service Tuesday, the time for anger is past.

"It is time for reconciliation," said Flower. "The best memorial for Joseph Eaton is reconciliation."

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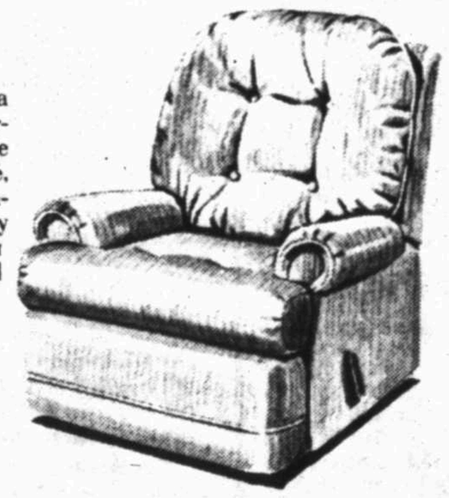

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Wright says Gonzalez will be dedicated to help small banks

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — House Speaker Jim Wright says U.S. Rep. Henry B. Gonzalez will work to reinstate small banks that watch out for the average family when he becomes chairman of the House Banking Committee next month.

"Henry Gonzalez is dedicated to the proposition that the average family will have it better," Wright said Thursday at a breakfast for the congressman.

"He understands that the bank has a role to be closer to its customers," Wright said. "He understands we must reinstate the small bank that knows its customers as human beings."

Mayor Henry Cisneros unveiled a plaque rededicating the Henry B. Gonzalez Convention Center to Gonzalez.

Cisneros credited Gonzalez with getting national legislation passed to create HemisFair in 1968, which resulted in construction of the San Antonio Convention Center.

Gonzalez also met with about 20 members of the Independent Bankers Association of Texas, a group composed mostly of smaller banks.

The San Antonio Democrat said that as banking chairman he will continue to urge that savings and loan associations stop letting their losses ride.

The General Accounting Office's last estimate of the cost to bail out the industry was $23.5 billion, Gonzalez said.

"As long as the problem is not addressed, it continues to grow. It's time to stop the bloodletting," he said.

Wright also told the breakfast group that when the 101st Congress is sworn in Jan. 3, the first bill he would allow to be introduced is Gonzalez's proposal to establish a national trust for first-time home buyers to purchase houses with 6 percent loans.

Lawmaker says execution of retarded 'barbaric'

AUSTIN (AP) — Execution of mentally retarded criminals is both uncivilized and wrong, said two lawmakers who vowed Friday to try to convince the 1989 Legislature to ban such punishment in Texas.

"I think that any country or any state that executes the mentally retarded is barbaric, and we need to take a much more civilized, much more rational approach in dealing with this problem," said Rep. Juan Hinojosa, D-McAllen.

He said he would co-sponsor a bill by Rep. Bob Melton, D-Gatesville, to ban the death penalty for crimes committed by mentally retarded people.

Hinojosa — chairman of the House Criminal Jurisprudence Committee — said testimony received by that panel indicated seven of the 267 Texas Death Row inmates have IQ test scores of 70 or less, the standard for determining retardation.

A Texas case on the issue is pending before the U.S. Supreme Court. The court is scheduled to hear arguments Jan. 11 concerning Johnny Penry, whose attorneys contend the death penalty statute in Texas is unconstitutional because it allows execution of the retarded.

Penry was sentenced to die for the rape and murder of a Livingston housewife.

Although mentally retarded criminals should be incarcerated for punishment and to protect the public, Melton said, they should not be given the death penalty.

If the bill is passed, Hinojosa said, a judge likely would determine whether an accused person is mentally retarded before a trial began.

"It is inhumane to hold any offender — whether a child or mentally impaired adult — to a standard beyond his or her reach, especially when it can result in death at the hands of the state," said Steve Martin, board member of the Interagency Council for Mentally Retarded, Developmentally Disabled and Mentally Ill offenders.

Martin has worked as a prison guard, case worker and chief counsel to the Texas Department of Corrections, he said.

Harry Whittington — former member of the Texas Board of Corrections and father of a mentally retarded daughter — said retarded people "just as all other offenders are entitled to equal treatment under the law."

"Since the death penalty is the punishment which our state imposes on those criminals who are unquestionably the most accountable for their actions, we must be certain that the sentence is not imposed unless all doubt about due process has been removed from the time of arrest to the final verdict," he said.

"I'm convinced that under our existing laws, Texans can never be certain that a person with a deficient and limited understanding has been given adequate opportunities to defend himself," Whittington said. "Our state should recognize its moral obligation to protect from cruel treatment those who are unable to protect themselves."

Health officials issue warning about measles outbreak

AUSTIN (AP) — The Texas Department of Health has warned that because of a current outbreak of red measles occurring in the Houston area it is possible holiday travelers could spread the disease to other parts of the state.

Most of the 50 confirmed cases of red measles in the Houston area have been toddlers and infants who had not been immunized against the disease, Robert Crider, director of the department's immunization division, said Friday.

Red measles, or Rubeola, is highly contagious and can be spread through the air, he said. The symptoms of red measles are fever, runny nose, cough, watery eyes and a rash which usually appears on the back and spreads to the body, Crider said.

Crider added that Rubeola should not be confused with Rubella, commonly known as German measles, or three-day measles, which can cause deformities in unborn babies.

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Pigs in a pen in Madrid, Spain, sport graffiti reading "we're European" after the European Economic Commission lifted a ban on importing Spanish pork that had been imposed because of an oputbreak of porcine fever.

WORLD

Protesters jeer U.S. officials at service for victims of crash

REMSCHEID, West Germany (AP) — Protesters jeered two American officials outside an emotional memorial service for six people who were killed when a U.S. military jet crashed in this central German city.

The service was held Thursday night, one week after the A-10 Thunderbolt II jet crashed, destroying several homes.

Loudspeakers broadcast the service to at least 1,000 people who stood outside the packed Lutheran church near the crash site.

The 60-minute memorial service was attended by U.S. Ambassador Richard Burt, U.S. Air Force officials, West German Defense Minister Rupert Scholz and representatives of state and local government. After the service, Burt and the Air Force officers were jeered by about 50 protesters outside the church.

Several shouted "Amis (Americans) Go Home!" at Burt, and others shouted "murderers" at the military men. Protesters also hooted at Scholz.

After the crash NATO defense officials suspended all tactical fighter training flights until Jan. 2 in memory of the victims. Mayor Willi Hartkopf said that period allows only enough time "to brush the tears from our eyes."

"This mixture of horror, sadness and selflessness...requires us to do everything in our power to prevent something like this from happening again," Hartkopf said during the service. His statement was greeted with applause.

Earlier Thursday, members of a Remscheid peace group and members of opposition political parties held a vigil near the crash site.

Members of the group carried placards saying "Never Again Remscheid" and also demanded a halt to all low-level military training flights.

The crash killed five civilians and the American pilot and renewed the public outcry over military training flights over West Germany.

The cause of the crash has not been determined. Air Force officials say the aircraft was not engaged in a low-level flight.

Kidnappers release Red Cross official

SIDON, Lebanon (AP) — Kidnappers on Friday released Peter Winkler, a Swiss official of the International Committee of the Red Cross, from a month of captivity, police said.

"I've never known that four weeks can be as long as that," Winkler told reporters as he was driven from Sidon to a Syrian command post in Rmeileh, six miles north of this southern port.

Winkler flashed the V for victory sign as he posed jovially for news photographers in front of a portrait of Syrian President Hafez Assad in Rmeileh.

Asked whether he will resume his work for the Red Cross in Lebanon, Winkler said: "I'm afraid I will have to leave Lebanon soon...My enthusiasm has suffered."

Police sources speaking on condition of anonymity said Winkler was taken Friday night to Damascus, Syria, before flying home today.

Winkler, 32, was freed at 9 p.m. at Hisbeh Square in Sidon, Lebanon's third largest city, the same spot where he was abducted Nov. 17.

He was in high spirits and cleanshaven and looked fit, with no sign of physical torture or maltreatment. "I have shaved off the beard I've grown in captivity today," he said.

The leftist Nasserite Popular Organization militia, which has been ruling Sidon since the 1975 outbreak of Lebanon's civil war, took delivery of Winkler upon his release.

He was turned over to the Swedish ambassador to Syria and Lebanon, Rolf Gauffin, who took Winkler in his black Volvo to Rmeileh and then to Beirut. A carload of Syrian secret servicemen escorted the freed hostage on the 25-mile trip from Sidon to the Lebanese capital.

The Christian-controlled Voice of Lebanon radio station in east Beirut said Winkler was released by the Fatah-Revolutionary Council, the guerrilla group headed by Palestinian terrorist Abu Nidal.

The police spokesman quoted Winkler as telling the militia's chief of staff, Usama Saad, he did not know the identity of those who were holding him.

"I was held in a small room all the time, with only one jailer entering to bring in meals," police quoted Winkler as telling Saad.

"But whenever others came in to talk to me the jailer used to blindfold me. These people told me time and again that I was being held to guarantee that Hussein Hariri will be treated well in Switzerland."

Hariri, 22, a Shiite Moslem Lebanese, is scheduled to go on trial in Geneva on Feb. 20 on charges of hijacking an Air Afrique jetliner on July 14, 1987 and forcing it to land at Geneva airport. He is accused of killing a French passenger before he was overpowered and arrested.

Red Cross officials had been in continuous contact with Lebanese and Palestinian factions in a bid to gain Winkler's release. Earlier Friday, the Red Cross addressed an open letter to Winkler and said it would not rest until he gained his freedom.

Winkler's release reduced to 14 the number of foreigners held hostage in Lebanon — nine Americans, three Britons, an Irishman and an Italian. Terry Anderson, chief Middle East correspondent of The Associated Press, is the longest held. He was kidnapped on March 16, 1985.

Winkler

The Nasserite Popular Organization, one of several pro-Nasser groups in Lebanon, cooperates with Palestinian guerrillas. It is a largely Sunni Moslem outfit.

WORLD IN BRIEF

Decorative knives banned

HONG KONG (AP) — In an effort to reduce violent crime in Tibet's capital, officials have outlawed the long, decorative knives that many residents wear attached to their hips, a newspaper reported Friday.

The Chinese-language Ta Kung Pao said that although carrying the knives is a part of Tibetan custom, many people in Lhasa, the capital, have used the weapons in murders, robberies, rapes and burglaries.

So far this year, 25 people have been killed and 34 injured in 56 criminal cases involving the long knives, the newspaper reported.

The Lhasa Public Security Bureau responded by forbidding residents, businessmen, travelers and pilgrims from carrying knives longer six inches.

The newspaper said offenders would be punished and their knives confiscated.

Plaintiffs to be paid

TOKYO (AP) — The government was ordered Friday to pay 319 residents of a southern Japanese city $1.59 million in damages to compensate them for suffering caused by noise at their local airport.

Those compensated were among 507 residents of Fukuoka who filed civil suits in 1976 and 1981 against the government. They asked for a ban on night flights at the airport.

The plaintiffs complained of stomach ulcers, sleeplessness and hearing difficulties caused by nighttime military and civilian flights, according to a court spokesman, Yuichi Shiona.

The court ruled Friday it could not ban nighttime flights at the airport, partly because of national security concerns outside its jurisdiction, but it ordered the government to pay $1.59 million in damages to 319 of the plaintiffs for suffering caused by the noise pollution, Shiona said.

Plan limits Rome traffic

ROME (AP) — Rome increased the area of the city closed to most private cars to prevent traffic jams during the Christmas holidays, officials said Friday.

The plan, adopted by the City Council Thursday, will be in effect through Jan. 15, when officials will consider adopting it on a permanent basis.

The mayor dropped a plan to limit access to the city based on an alternate license-plate scheme after it was criticized at the City Council meeting.

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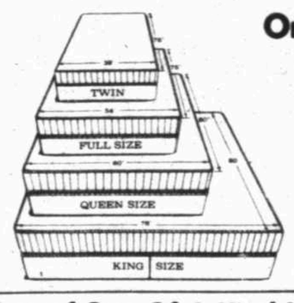

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High levels of radon found in many European homes

BONN, West Germany (AP) — Tens of thousands of European homes have high radon levels but officials say many people question the danger in spite of research linking the colorless, odorless gas to fatal lung cancer.

Some researchers feel the continent may be years behind the United States in developing programs to meet the threat.

"We were two years behind the United States in recognizing the problem and it will take another two to three years to catch up," said Bernd Franke of the West German Institute for Energy and Environmental Research in Heidelberg.

A traditional popular belief that the gas has curative powers compounds the problem. A few radon spas still operate in Austria and Hungary, and people still descend into deep caves in hopes the gas will help cure rheumatism and other ailments.

Radon is a radioactive gas produced in the decay of uranium, of which at least trace amounts are present in all soil and rock.

It tends to concentrate on the lower floors of buildings and kills by leaving its a residue in the lungs that irradiates the tissues for a lifetime. Smoking substantially increases the danger from radon, according to health officials.

U.S. health officials say radon exposure is second only to smoking as a cause of lung cancer and up to 20,000 Americans die of its effects each year. Legislation pending in Congress would require inspections of public schools and set a long-term goal of making air equally low in radon indoors and outdoors.

American officials have declared 4 picocuries of radon per liter of air (150 becquerel per cubic meter) to be the level at which homeowners should take preventive action. That is the equivalent of smoking 10 cigarettes a day or having 200-300 chest X-rays a year.

West Germany recently set radon action limits at 250 becquerel per cubic meter, the equivalent of 6.6 picocuries. The limit for new houses in Sweden is 75 becquerel, or 2 picocuries.

Extensive testing and research programs are under way in Britain, West Germany, Sweden, Norway, and Switzerland.

"It's going to take a long time to pin down the houses at risk," said Matthew Gaines of the National Radiological Protection Board in Britain. "We'll be testing until the end of the century."

Recent European studies have found:

■ More than 20,000 British homes have high radon levels and 800-900 people die annually as a result of exposure to it. The Radiological Protection Board is testing a sample 17,000 homes, most of them in Devon and Cornwall where the problem is most serious.

■ In Sweden, about 40,000 homes have unsafe levels of radon and roughly 60,000 houses are tested each year. More than 700 deaths a year are attributed to the gas and officials say the rate could reach 1,100 in the early 1990s.

■ Up to 190,000 homes in West Germany have radon levels above government safety standards and about 2,000 radon-related deaths occur annually. Initial tests show the highest levels in the south and southwest.

■ Homes in volcanic areas of the upper Lazio region north of Rome had Italy's highest radon concentrations.

■ Most homes in Denmark, Holland, Belgium, Spain and Greece showed little radon risk to residents.

French officials have said radon is not a serious health risk in that country and some have discounted publicity about the gas in the United States and elsewhere.

"It's a question that's been a bit blown up in the media," said Jean-Pierre Moroni of the government radiation control agency. "There's a very simple measure. ... Open a window when you get up. It's a matter of good sense. It amounts to not living all closed up."

French environmental activists disagree.

"To say there is no problem in France is a mistake," said Corinne Castanier, who speaks for the Independent Regional Commission for Information on Radioactivity.

She said her group, established after the Chernobyl nuclear accident in 1986, has found high levels in some homes in the mountainous Massif Central region.

Officials in Britain and West Germany say they have trouble convincing residents of the danger.

"I think a lot of the reaction is a bit skeptical," said Albert Weeks, chief building control inspector for the Kerrier District Council in Cornwall, southwest England.

"It's almost a non-belief. They don't really think it's that bad. They say 'We've been living with it for X number of years and it doesn't seem to affect us.'" Weeks said.

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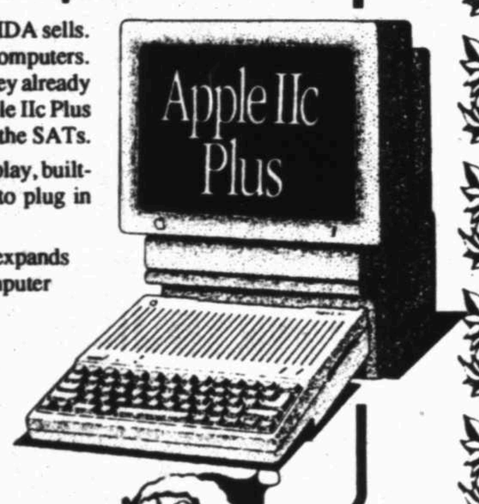

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All isn't well in Japan's booming but well-watched crime syndicate

By ERIC TALMADGE

KOBE, Japan (AP) — Each day children on their way home from school calmly walk past the headquarters of Japan's largest underworld syndicate, behind plastered beige walls in a classy residential district overlooking the sea.

Across town, a red-tiled building controlled by the gang is within 100 yards of the Kobe District Courthouse. It bears the golden, diamond-shaped logo of the gang, which leaders wear on their lapels and which is printed on members' business cards.

Over the past few years the Yamaguchi-gumi syndicate has waged a successful war of revenge against a major rival, doubled its membership and raked in millions of dollars annually, said Takashi Ishii, assistant director of the National Police Agency's Organized Crime Control Office

But all is not well within the criminal empire.

The year's business for the 20,000-member syndicate traditionally starts Dec. 13, when ranking bosses gather at headquarters in this western port city for a formal celebration called "koto hajime" — the beginning of things.

But since gang leader Masahisa Takenaka was killed by a splinter group's gunman in 1985, custom has forced the Yamaguchi-gumi to cancel the annual ceremony because it has no top don.

Takenaka was replaced by two men, acting gang leader Kazuo Nakanishi and "young leader" Yoshinori Watanabe, who led the gang into a war to avenge Takenaka's killing, police say.

Though that vendetta, which has left 25 dead and 70 injured by police count, now seems to be nearing an end, police say the long time without a leader has led to factionalism in the gang, weakening its pyramid-style command structure.

Public reaction to the high-profile violence has also plagued the gang. Japan has low rates of violent crime and very strict gun-control laws. But gunfights have brought attention to the gangs, spawning grass-roots movements to rid residential areas of gang headquarters and offices.

A Yamaguchi-gumi subgang in the central Japanese city of Hamamatsu was in the media spotlight until public opposition forced it to relocate last year. The gang is now on the verge of collapse, according to Ishii of the crime control office.

But Masafumi Ueda, director of the office, said in an interview that the public outcry and tough police crackdowns also may have worked to the syndicate's benefit, putting many smaller gangs out of business or forcing them to seek Yamaguchi-gumi protection.

A recent issue of "Endless Advance," an in-house journal published by the Kyokuto Shinsei-kai, a large Tokyo syndicate, attested to the trend toward consolidation.

In the 120-page edition obtained by The Associated Press were photos of top underworld figures gathered for dinner at a posh Tokyo hotel to "pursue friendly relations and cooperation" and avoid intergang trouble.

Technically, the Yamaguchi-gumi has only 86 members, but each of the top 86 controls a network of subordinate gangs, which, in turn, have their own "kasa" — Japanese for umbrella.

Top bosses rarely face prosecution for serious crimes as underlings take responsibility, sometimes even turning themselves in, since doing prison time can bring a promotion.

According to an annual report by the National Police Agency, more than 86,000 gangsters in 3,201 gangs are spread across the country. Roughly 40 percent belong to the big three nationwide syndicates — the Yamaguchi-gumi, the Tokyo-based Sumiyoshi Rengo-kai and the Inagawa-kai, also based in Tokyo.

Ueda of the National Police Agency estimated total underworld income at the yen equivalent of $15 billion annually, but he added that "is only a rough guess."

Yamaguchi-gumi income sources include gambling, the protection racket, fraud, prostitution, money laundering and narcotics. These and countless other scams are backed up by front operations in construction, the stock market and real estate.

Police believe the deaths of Hiroyuki Watanabe and his boss, Kazuo Kengaku, an Osaka stock market speculator, are shadier examples of what the Yamaguchi-gumi has done.

The bodies of the men, who police allege had been kidnapped and held for ransom, were dug up Oct. 18 — entombed in a slab of concrete. Two Yamaguchi-gumi affiliate members later confessed to the crime.

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Top members of the Yamaguchi-gumi, Japan's largest crime organization, arrive for the February 1985 funeral in Kobe of their boss, Masahi Takenaka, killed by a splinter group's gunman. Soon after Takenaka's death, the gang's war to avenge his murder left 25 dead and 70 injured.

Lawyer frowns on linking Italian-Americans, crime

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — If you link Italian-Americans to organized crime and the Mafia, generally or jokingly, you'll have to answer to Gabe Bevilaqua.

And usually wind up apologizing.

The 40-year-old lawyer is chairman of the Commission for Social Justice of the Pennsylvania Grand Lodge of the Order of the Sons of Italy, which claims 58,000 members. He fights discrimination, racism and ethnic stereotyping anywhere he sees or hears it — in a newspaper column, an advertisement, on television, from a comedian.

He doesn't deny that some Italian-Americans are involved in criminal activity, just as there are crooks among blacks, Irish, Hispanics, Poles, Jews, and others.

"The question really is whether crime organizes along ethnic lines, and I say it doesn't," Bevilaqua told a reporter.

He acts as the moral conscience for the 58,000 members of the Pennsylvania Sons of Italy, and even for Italian-Americans everywhere across the country.

"The fascination the public has with the underworld always seems to center on Italian-Americans, and many wrongfully feel that organized crime equals Italian-Americans," says Bevilaqua, born in Rome and who came to the U.S. with his parents at the age of 8.

He claims his anti-discrimination task centers on the next generation of Italian-Americans.

"Will they carry this burden when they try to get into better schools?" Bevilaqua asks. "How many will shy away from associating with them? That's the bottom line that worries me. With about 30 percent of Pennsylvania's population being of Italian origin it is fitting that Pennsylvania lead the way."

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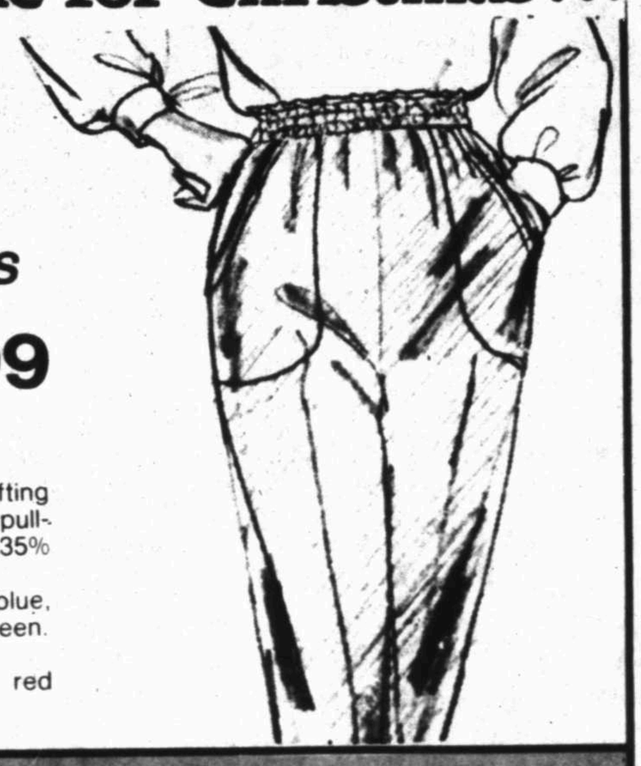

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State prep titles on line today

Associated Press

Converse Judson has the tradition of winning a state championship but Dallas Carter has the reputation of a great escape artist going into the Class 5A state championship football game in Texas Stadium on Saturday.

The high noon clash will be televised across the state.

Carter, survivor of a month-long legal battle, will be playing in its first state championship game. Defensive back Gary Edwards' math grade has been the topic of a running court battle which won't be settled until next spring.

The Cowboys, 14-0-1, are the first Dallas team to play for a state title since Sunset beat Houston Reagan 14-6 in 1950 in the City Conference.

Texas Stadium brings back fond memories for Converse Judson.

Judson (14-1) was the 1983 state champion, beating Midland Lee 25-21 in Texas Stadium.

Judson tailback Kyle Arnell rushed for 1,094 yards and averaged 7.4 yards per carry to lead the Rockets' rugged running game.

The Rockets have over 4,000 yards rushing this year.

Carter beat Odessa Permian 14-9 in Memorial Stadium, Austin, last week.

The Rockets beat Houston Stratford 16-0 in the other 5A semifinal without starting quarterback Tommy Ramey, who left in the first period with a thigh bruise.

Ramey, who was questionable for the Carter game, was replaced by Mike Jinks, who produced the key plays in the victory.

In other title games, Paris (12-3) and West Orange-Stark (12-2) play at 2 p.m. in Kyle Field for the Class 4A crown; Southlake Carroll (15-0) meets Navasota (12-3) at 8 p.m. in Floyd Casey Stadium in Waco for the 3A title; Quanah (14-1) meets Corrigan-Camden (14-0-1) for the 2A title at 7:30 p.m. Saturday in Pennington Field, Bedford; and White Deer (14-0) plays Flatonia (15-0) at 7:30 p.m. Saturday in the Mustang Bowl in Sweetwater.

Paris will take on a two-time defending state champion in West Orange-Stark which is led by running back Terrance Brown, who has gined 1,617 yards and scored 29 touchdowns.

Paris coach Allen Wilson said West-Orange Stark is soo good "they should be in the NCAA Division II or something. They have a lot of skill people and they play good defense."

Southlake Carroll lost last year to McGregor in the state semifinals and remembered how it felt to go so far only to lose.

"We we wondered how we got beat," said running back Wayne Walker. "We don't want that feeling again."

Both teams are high scoring. Carroll has outscored its playoff opponents 198-15 while the Dragons of Navasota have outscored opponents 595-71.

Odessa girls edge Midland

By JIMMY PATTERSON
Sports Writer

Gina Messman sank a jump shot at the buzzer to lead the Odessa High Lady Bronchos past the Midland High Lady Bulldogs, 50-48, Friday night in the district opener for both teams.

Messman's shot came underneath in heavy traffic, just to the right of the lane. She timed her leap and release perfectly, and with it, OHS had successfully capitalized on numerous mistakes by the Lady 'Dawgs in their district home opener.

The loss for the Lady Bulldogs moves their record to 3-9 on the year, 0-1 in district. The Broncs rise to 6-9 and 1-0.

In other District 4-5A girls action, Midland Lee downed Odessa Permian, 67-47; San Angelo fell to Abilene High, 67-59, and Abilene Cooper was idle.

The Bulldogs were up by 11 early in the third quarter, but the Bronchos were insistent on turning MHS errors into points.

"I don't call it luck," OHS head coach June Owen said. "Just determination. We kept coming back and coming back. We were 10, 11, 12 points down and we just kept coming back."

Messman's shot was made possible after Midland High's Paige Nolen and Effie Freeman missed three straight free throws with 45 seconds left. OHS grabbed the rebound on Freeman's missed shot, driving the length of the court and running out nine seconds before Messman took the final-second shot. So close was she to being out of time that the buzzer actually sounded between when she shot and when the ball found net.

In the fourth quarter, Midland High handed the ball to OHS on numerous occasions. OHS took advantage of the turnovers, which is something Midland High, when given the chance, could not do.

The Lady Bulldogs missed on several free throw opportunities in the waning moments, contributing also to the narrow defeat.

MHS' Kim Jackson led all scorers with 21, hitting seven field goals and 7-of-8 from the free throw line.

"What can I say?" a disillusioned MHS head coach Jane Young asked. "I thought they played well.

"We had some chances to win. The girls did a good job. It was slow coming but they played a good game. We had less turnovers than usual."

Michelle Griffin led all lady Broncho scorers with 18; Sjanna Swinney added 15 more for OHS.

Odessa High is idle next Tuesday and won't resume action until Jan. 3 against Odessa Permian.

ODESSA HIGH (50) — Charnie Bassler, 0 1-2 1; Michelle Griffin, 8 2-5 18; Tina Medders, 3 1-3 7; Sherrie Tyler, 1 0-0 2; Lori Morris, 1 0-1 2; Gina Messman, 1 1-3 3; Sjanna Swinney, 5 5-6 15; Stephanie Graham, 0 2-3 2.

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Andrews surprises Taskermen

From Staff Reports

ANDREWS — The Andrews Mustangs, who learned Friday morning that they have been ranked as third in the state by the Texas Basketball Coaches Association, went out and proved deserving of that stature here Friday night with an 82-81 victory over Coach Ralph Tasker's New Mexico defending state champion Hobbs.

Despite the high scoring game before another packed house in the Andrews gym, Damon Clay's two-point shot for Andrews with 2:02 left in the game was the last score of the night.

Clay took a charge from a Hobbs player with 28 seconds left to perserve the victory. Clay ended the night with 24 points while Gym Bice led all scorers with 26 points. Andrews also got 17 points from Ara Baten.

Hobbs was led by Pat Hudgins' 24 and got 17 from Curtis Haynes and 15 from Joel Ellis.

"We feel like this is a big win for our program, but also for West Texas basketball in general," said an elated Andrews coach Frank Bice. "We had another full house and our kids know that anytime they take the court at home they will have great support. We had over 500 people to turn out for our first basketball practice, which was held at midnight.

"Hobbs is the defending state champion and they feel like they will be better than last year. They have an outstanding club and pushed us to our limit."

The Mustangs, 12-1 on the season, open district play Tuesday in Andrews against Snyder, leaving Bice and his team little time to enjoy the win over Hobbs.

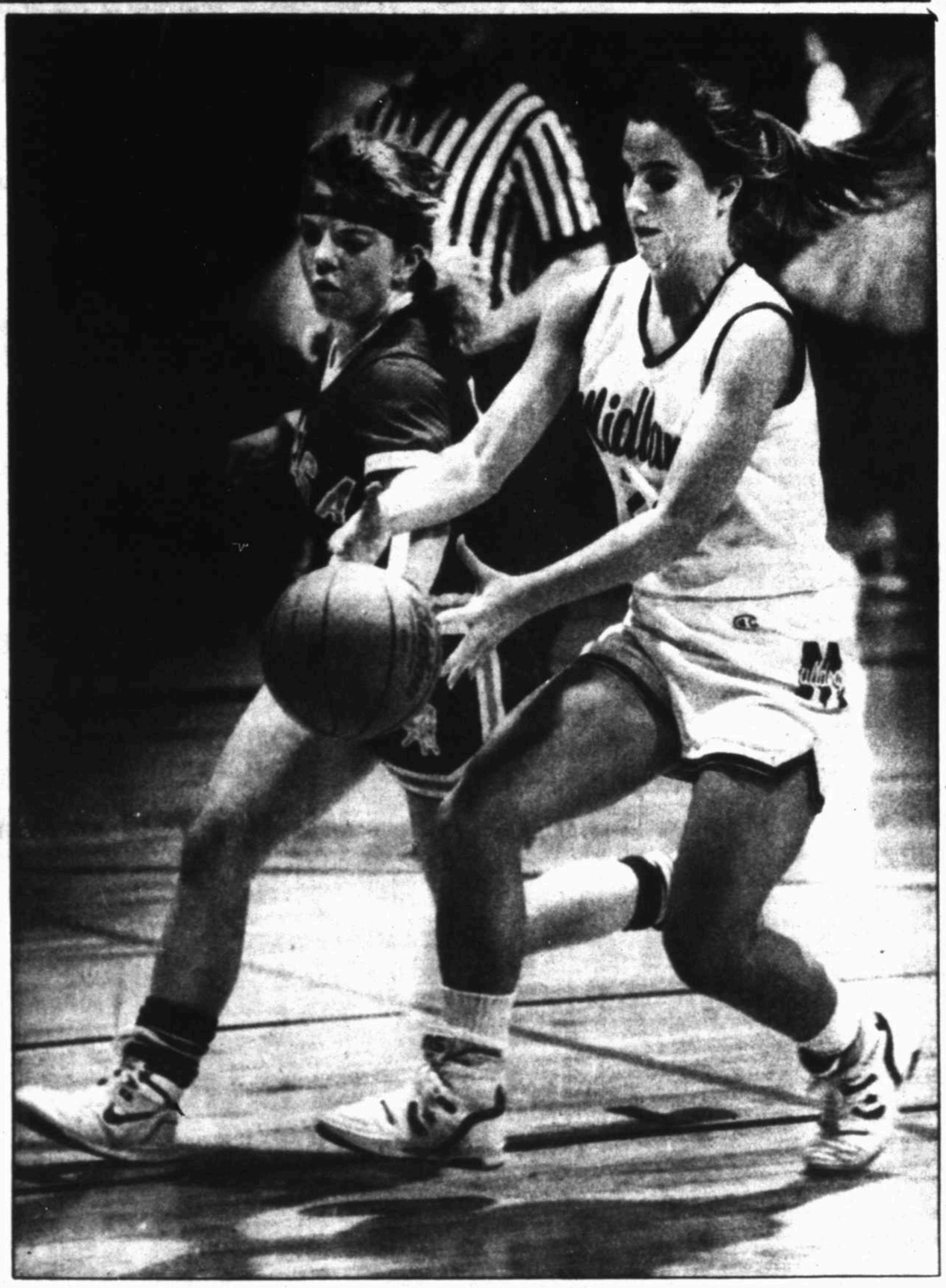
"No matter how big a win this one is for us, we've got to come down and get back up by Tuesday. Snyder won't be impressed much by the fact that we beat Hobbs. They always play us strong," said Bice.

Hobbs (81): Billy Fagen 3, Pat Hudgins 24, Pete Lewis 9, Joel Ellis 15, Curtis Haynes 17, Russell Jones 5, Kyle Bradley 2, Nery Rameriz 2, Jerry Bourne 4.
Andrews (82): Guy Hester 6, Gym Bice 26, Damon Clay 24, Scott Collins 7, Brinson Hammond 2, Ara Baten 17.

Score by quarters:

Hobbs	23	24	18	16—81
Andrews	33	21	18	10—82

Three-Point Goals: Hobbs, Hudgins 1; Andrews, Bice 2.



George Wolf, Reporter-Telegram

Paige Nolen, Midland High, foreground, out races Odessa opponent for a loose ball in 4-5A girls action Friday night.

Lee girls open district with win

From Staff Reports

ODESSA — Mary Ann Isom and Monica Ramirez combined for 46 points to lead the Midland Lee Lady Rebels to a 67-47 win over the Odessa Permian Lady Panthers Friday night.

The Lady Rebels scored 27 fourth quarter points to breakaway and leave Lady Mojo in the dust. Lee had held just a two point lead at the half before outscoring Permian 40-22 in the final sixteen minutes.

"We had a lot of teamwork and good defense," Lee head coach Shirley Stephenson said. "Especially in the second half. All of our kids did a really good job."

Kaelie Butler had 12 to lead Permian.

The win moves Lee to 9-4 overall, 1-0 in district. The Lady Rebels visit Abilene Cooper next Tuesday night; Odessa Permian falls to 5-7, 0-1.

MIDLAND LEE (67) — Marcia del Llano, 3-7 1-2 7; Mary Ann Isom, 9-13, 2-4 22; Kim Davis, 2-6 1-2 6; Gina Navarette, 0-3 2-3 2; Monica Ramirez, 8-18 6-8 24; Keyshia Crisp, 0-3 0-4 0; Twala Medearis, 1-2 2-4 4; England Carter, 0-0 2-2 2.

ODESSA PERMIAN (47) — Tracey Bowser, 2-8 0-0 4; Stephanie James, 1-10 0-0 2; Sandy Reyes, 1-5 0-1 2; Kaelie Butler, 5-11 2-2 12; Anita Wright, 7-13 1-3 15; Kesha McCown, 2-2 0-0 4; Michelle Flores, 0-0 1-2 1; Angela Wallace, 1-3 1-3 3; Rosanna Subia, 0-3 2-2 2; Karey McSwain, 1-2 0-2 2.

MIDLAND LEE	10	17	13	27	— 67
ODESSA PERMIAN	14	11	6	16	— 47

Three point goals: Isom 2, Davis (Lee).

Greenwood girls reach tourney finals

By BILL GRIMES
Sports Writer

GREENWOOD — The Greenwood girls basketball team didn't need five overtimes in its semifinal game of their own basketball tournament here Friday.

Nor did the Rangerettes need even one extra period in a 56-26 romp over Lovington, N.M. The Rangerettes, 8-4, will face Wall in the championship game at 5 p.m. today. Wall is ranked second in the latest Class 2A Texas Association of Basketball Coaches poll, while Reagan County is ranked 11th in 2A.

In consolation bracket action, Stanton coach Rob Young cleared his bench early and the Buffs held on to beat Ozona 47-37, while Coahoma beat Crane 49-40.

Coahoma, 15th in the TABC Class 3A poll, faces Stanton in the consolation final at 2 p.m. today, while Lovington battles Reagan County in the third-place game at 3:30.

Greenwood-Lovington

For Greenwood, Friday's game was a far cry from Thursday's quintuple-overtime thriller against Stanton. But Rangerette coach Terry Crocker said that was just as well.

"Stanton took a lot out of us last night," Crocker said. "We were really tired."

It appeared that Friday's game might go to the wire, at least on the basis of the first eight minutes. Greenwood led Lovington's Tricia Smith get open for a couple of easy baskets and the Lady Cats were down only 9-8 going into the second period.

That's when the sky fell on the visitors, however. Greenwood outscored Lovington 38-7 in the second and third periods, and the Rangerette press helped keep the Lady Cats scoreless for more than 10 minutes at one point.

That streak of ineptitude effectively drove Lovington out of the game. Greenwood scored 23 unanswered points, while forcing Lovington into innumerable turnovers and poor shot selection (three-of-15 in the middle two quarters).

"We wanted to put them in a position to make a mistake," Crocker said. "Our press really hurt them."

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Steer 3-pointer nips MHS at gun

By TERRY WILLIAMSON
Assistant Sports Editor

Doug Young hit a three-point shot and Thane Russey nailed a free throw in the last seven seconds of play to lead the Big Spring Steers to an almost unbelieveable 64-63 victory over the Midland High Bulldogs at Chaparral Center Friday night.

Two free throws by MHS' Greg Lewis with 14 seconds left in the game gave the Bulldogs a 63-60 lead, a margin that looked like enough for a victory, but the Steers finally got the shot they've been waiting all season for.

Chris Cole passed the ball upcourt to Young, who put a 20-foot jumper through the net and was fouled by Bart Saddler. That tied the game, but Young missed his free throw, but Thane Russey came down with the rebound and was fouled by Tracey Bascus. Russey put the game away by hitting the front end of a two-shot foul.

"I felt a lot of pressure on that free throw," said Russey, "but I kept saying to myself, 'you've just got to make it.'"

Young didn't really have time to feel the pressure on his three-point shot.

"There was no pressure because it happened so fast," said Young. "Chris Cole got me the ball and I knew I hadn't played very well and needed to do something to contribute."

For Big Spring coach Boyce Paxton it was an end to losing the close one.

"We've lost twice to San Angelo and once each to Midland Lee and Abilene Cooper by scores of one, two and three points," said Paxton. "We've just needed just a little bit to get over that hump and we needed a win over a good team. Since we host Pecos Tuesday at 5:30 p.m. to open district play, this was a good time to get over that hump. Now our kids know they can do it.

"Young came into the game with a slight sprain, but he sure came through in the clutch tonight. We have Young and (Abner) Shellman who can shoot the three-point shot and we felt like we had to get it to one of them in that situation."

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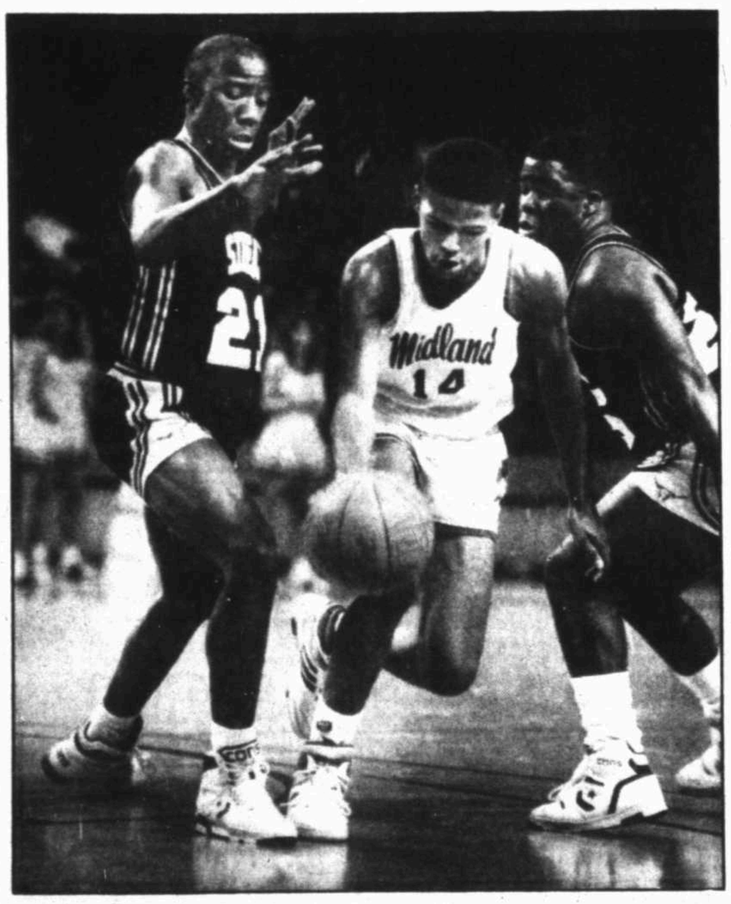
Big Spring (64): Brandon Burnett, 1-2 0-0 2 2; Tony Lewis, 0-0 0-0 0 0; Doug Young, 5-12 0-2 2 12; Abner Shellman, 7-12 1-1 2 17; Louis Soldan, 1-2 2-2 1 4; Thane Russey, 2-5 1-2 4 5; Jason Davis, 0-1 0-0 1 0; Chris Cole, 1-2 0-2 2 2; Joe Downey, 6-11 10-11 3 22. Totals: 23-47 14-20 17 64.
Midland High (63): Greg Lewis, 7-12 5-5 4 19; Bart Saddler, 3-10 0-0 3 6; Ben Wilson, 0-1 0-0 1 0; Aundria Shaw, 2-6 0-0 2 4; Tracey Bascus, 5-11 1-1 1 11; Scott Melzer, 0-4 0-0 0 0; Dorey Thompson, 3-5 2-4 1 8; Dexture Young, 5-12 0-1 2 11; Tony Henderson, 0-0 2-2 1 2; Jarrod Johnson, 0-1 0-0 0 0; Gary Nathan, 1-1 0-1 0 2; Rudy Garcia, 0-0 0-0 0 0. Totals: 26-63 10-14 15 63.

Score by quarters:

Big Spring	19	14	12	19—64
Midland High	14	21	14	14—63

Three-Point Goals: BS, Doug Young 2, Shellman 2. MHS: Dexture Young 1.



AP Laserphoto

Midland High's Tracey Bascus dribbles between Big Spring's Abner Shellman, left, and Doug Young during non-conference play at Chaparral Center Friday night. Young hit a three-point shot late in the game to aid Big Spring's one-point victory.

SportScan

TV Sports....

(Subject to Change)
COLLEGE SOCCER- Indiana-Howard, 11 a.m., ESPN.
FOOTBALL- Redskins-Bengals, 11:30 a.m., CBS.
Patriots-Broncos, 3 p.m., ABC.
5A championship game: Judson-Carter, noon, ABC.
COLLEGE BASKETBALL- DePaul-Georgetown, 2:45 p.m., CBS.
UCLA-North Carolina, 3 p.m., BAC.
Loyola Marymount-Oklahoma, 7 p.m., ESPN.
GOLF- Krin Cup, 4 p.m., ESPN.

Sports Today...

BASKETBALL— Greenwood-Midland Lee, Chap Center.

Trivia Teaser...

Saturday's Question- He won four U.S. Opens in a four-year period?
Friday's Answer- Harry Brecheen, St. Louis, was the 1948 NL strikeout leader with 149.

Quotebook....

Speedy Nieman, *"Winter is when the kids start leaving doors open they have been slamming all summer."*

Inside....

Scoreboard ..... 3B.
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Oilers path blocked by snow, Strock ..... 7B.
UH players figure Cougs just lack political pull of Aggies 10B.

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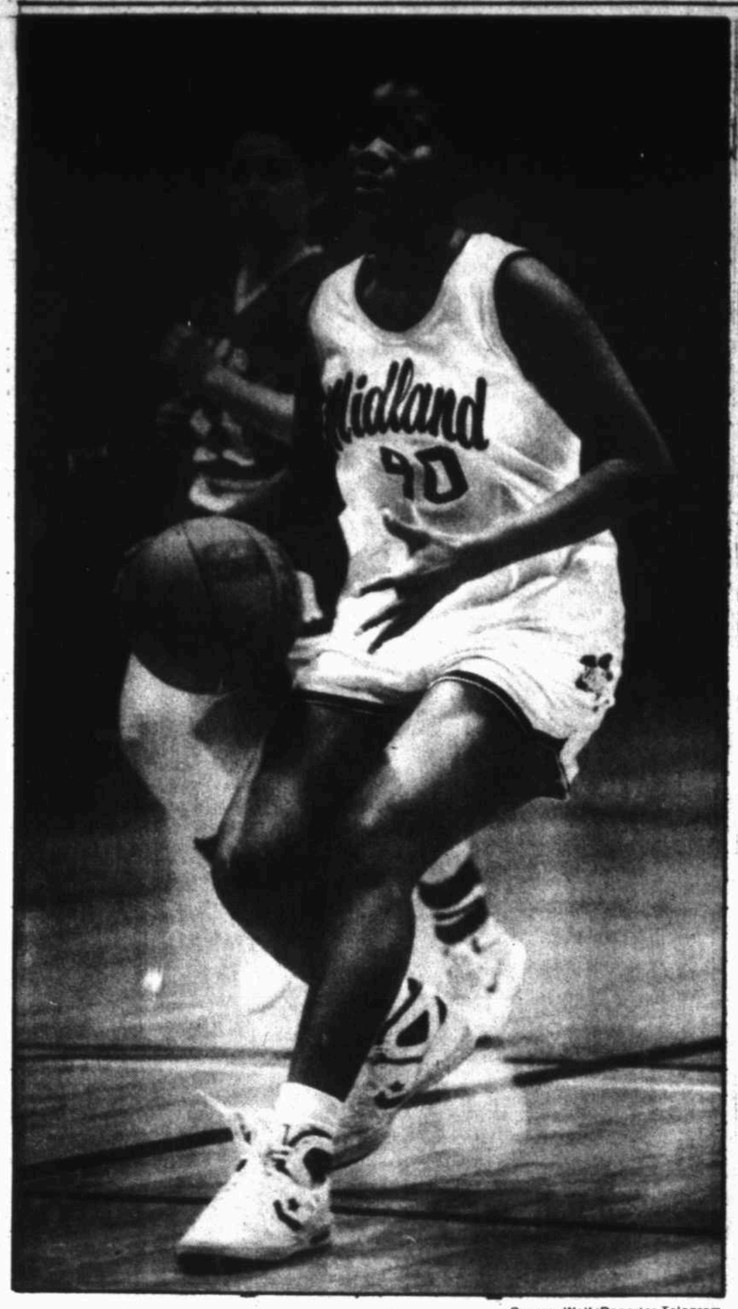

George Wolf/Reporter-Telegram

Kim Jackson of Midland High pulls up for a jump shot in game against Odessa High Friday night.

Sole survivor didn't suit up for game

BELOIT, Kan. (AP) — Teri Trechek didn't feel well enough to suit up for Hillcrest's basketball game against the St. John's Blujays Friday night in western Kansas. But when the game was over, she was the only Mustang on the floor.

After 69 fouls were called in the Kansas Class 1A girls basketball game, the sophomore guard was the only player left for Hillcrest. Her six teammates had fouled out, as did three of the eight St. John's players.

Under state high school activities association rules, a team must have a minimum of two players on the court.

With three minutes left in the game, Hillcrest led 57-53. But a Hillcrest foul left only Summer Hasket on the court for the Mustangs. The officials were about to call the game when Trechek, ill with the flu, put on a teammate's uniform and entered the game.

When Trechek stepped onto the court she was given a technical foul for wearing an ineligible number. The previous player wearing that number had fouled out.

Trechek and Hasket held their own against the five St. John's players until Karyn File tied the game at 57 with 2:42 remaining. Free throws gave St. John's a 61-57 lead before the team went into a stall and Hasket committed her fifth and final foul.

This time there was nobody left on the Hillcrest bench, only Techek on the court, and the officials ended the game with 46 seconds left, giving St. John's a 61-57 victory.

FINALS

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Meanwhile, Greenwood post Tiffany Long was accurate from medium range and teammate Kendra Underwood controlled play underneath for most of the game. Long led all scorers with 16 points, while Underwood finished with 15.

Kevia Ford paced Lovington with nine points, seven in the fourth period.

Rankin notches 4th victory over Forsan

From Staff Reports

RANKIN— Rankin's Red Devils upped their record to 4-2 with a 70-58 victory over Forsan here Friday night in non-district action.

Rankin jumped front 18-7 after a period and led 40-19 at half and coasted him the final two periods.

Rankin will host Sonora Tuesday night in its next game.

Rankin 70, Forsan 58

Rankin— Braden 14, Watson 16, T. McCravy 15, B. McCravy 10, Ramos 2, Gonzales 5, Ramirez 5, Gobbels 3. Totals 28 14 70. Forsan— East 9, Newton 20, Salvato 14, Howard 10, Rundell 3, Bailey 2. Totals 23 8 56.

Score by Periods:

Forsan	7	13	20	18—58
Rankin	18	22	12	18—70

Rankin 4-2, Sonora at Rankin Tuesday night.
JV: Rankin 49, Forsan 27.

Stanton-Ozona

Ozona took a 2-0 lead on a medium-range jumper by Adriane Wilson in the opening seconds, but that would be the Lions' only lead.

Stanton led by as much as 11 in the second period, and 18 in the third period despite incessant substitutions by Young.

"We went into the game thinking, win or lose, we're going to play all the kids," the Buff coach said. "Those kids needed to get that confidence."

Dottie Gonzales came off the bench to pull Ozona to within six, but Shannon Koonce scored her first basket of the season with 50 seconds left to lock up the win.

Kaki Elmore led 9-6 Stanton with 16 points, while Wilson had 12 for Ozona

Lovington (26): Marcie McBeth 0 0-0 0; Ruth Brown 3 0-0 6; Amy Ellis 0 1-2 1; Elsa Acosta 0 0-0 0; Jerri Williams 0 0-0 0; Connie Caudillo 0 2-2 2; Tricia Smith 3 0-0 6; Terra Stewart 0 0-0 0; Ailese Porter 0 0-0 0; Pamela Dunlap 0 0-0 0; Denise Lovelace 1 0-0 2; Kevia Ford 4 1-3 9. Totals 11 5-8 26.

Greenwood (56): Shelly Mackey 0 0-1 0; Denisa McMullan 3 3-3 9; Wendy Smith 1 1-2 3; Robyn Banks 0 0-0 0; Kendra Underwood 7 1-1 15; Robbie McCollum 2 0-0 4; Linda Arrington 3 1-2 7; Tiffany Long 6 4-11 16; Tammy Koonce 1 0-2 2. Totals 23 10-22 56.

Score by quarters:

Lovington	6	4	3	11—26
Greenwood	9	19	19	9—56

Three-point goals: none. Total Fouls: Lovington 20, Greenwood 10. Fouled Out: McBeth.

Stanton (47): Stacie Tom 1 1-2 3; Karen Graves 1 0-0 2; Mitzi Koonce 1 0-0 2; Kelli Glaspie 4 0-1 9; Jana Heidelberg 1 0-0 2; Lori Pardue 0 0-0 0; Karen McCalister 2 0-0 4; Kaki Elmore 8 0-0 16; Heather Colburn 2 0-0 4; Courtney Duke 1 0-0 2; Shannon Koonce 1 1-2 3. Totals 22 2-5 47.

Ozona (37): Shannon Curry 1 0-2 2; Kristina Martinez 1 0-0 2; Kriss Korley 2 0-0 4; Adriane Wilson 6 0-1 12; Cathy Moran 1 0-0 2; Tammy Arrott 1 1-3 3; Miki Ramirez 0 2-2 2; Dottie Gonzales 4 0-0 8; Stacey Lay 1 0-0 2. Totals 17 3-9 37.

Score by quarters:

Stanton	12	9	17	9—47
Ozona	6	8	8	15—37

Three-point goals: Glaspie. Total Fouls: Stanton 11, Ozona 11. Fouled Out: Lay.

Crane (40): Celina Garcia 6, Angie Workman 2, Monica Allen 6, Denny Young 6, Tammy Galindo 2, Tiffany McWhorter 12.

Coahoma (46): Paula Clanton 4, Kelly Williams 7, Kim Gee 5, Paige Wilson 8, Lori Rich 2, Kristie Frankie 5, Latisha Anderson 2.

Reagan Co. (38): Stacie Beam 10, Jennifer Boyce 4, Christy Monzingo 10, Berta Saldibar 2, Sheba Minnick 10, Sharon Floyd 2.

Wall (40): Kathy Haltmann 8, Kathi Ullrich 10, Debra Johnson 8, Melissa Multer 9, Tobi Cook 4.

Coahoma 46, Crane 40

Coahoma— Clanton 4, Williams 7, Gee 5, Wilson 8, Rich 2, Frank 5, Anderson 2. Crane— Garcia 6, Workman 2, Allen 6, Young 6, Sanchez 6, Galindo 2, McCorder 12.

Watlrip sets pace

MELBOURNE, Australia (AP) — American Michael Waltrip scorched around the 1.15 miles Calder Park Thunderdome at an average speed of 141.51 mph today to post the fastest qualifying time for Sunday's $850,000 NASCAR Christmas 500 stock car race.

Morgan Shepherd was second fastest in a Pontiac at 141.48, followed by Dave Marcis in a Chevrolet at 141.12.

Sabatello sentenced

GENOA, Italy (AP) — Argentinian Mario Sabatello, a former left wing for Italy's Sampdoria soccer team, was sentenced Friday to 16 months in jail for drug possession, the Italian news agency ANSA reported. The Court of Appeals also fined him $320.

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Lee boys defeat Monahans Loboes

By BILL GRIMES
Sports Writer

Ed Brown, Darren Dortch and the rest of the Midland Lee boys basketball team "wolfed" down a Lobo sandwich Friday at the LHS gym.

With Brown triggering a devastating full-court press, and Dortch making himself available at the end of ensuing fast breaks for a season-high 21 points, the Rebels showed that the Monahans Loboes couldn't cut the mustard in a 76-45 blowout.

The Rebels put their 8-5 mark on the line tonight in Chaparral Center against the surging Greenwood Rangers. Game time tonight is 8 p.m.

Lee scored the first 11 points of the game to set the tone for the rest of the evening against the outmanned Loboes, now 4-9. Brown, the team's point guard, had seven of those first 11 en route to a 13-point, nine-steal, eight-assist performance. The senior said Friday's game could be a milestone for the Rebs, who had gone belly-up in last week's Midland College Tournament.

"I feel like it's the turning point of our season," Brown said. "We hadn't been playing to our capabilities the past few games, so Coach (Paul Stueckler) told us to move low and stay low, which is the key to doing good on the press."

Brown didn't even have his usual group to work with, though Dortch is far from a newcomer to the program.

Dortch had earned honorable mention all-district last season, but a broken finger had all but rendered him useless until last week's tournament.

But the senior got an opening when Jared Edwards had to sit out Friday with a back injury, and made the most of the opportunity — though nine of his 21 points were in fourth-quarter garbage time when the game was far from in doubt.

It didn't matter that Dortch had never played on the wing before, save a couple of practices.

"It was awkward on defense at first," he said. "But it was about the same on offense."

Dortch, Brown and super sub David Meade fueled a 20-6 Rebel run in the first quarter. Things got no better for the Loboes in the second quarter, as Lee went into the half leading by 19.

Monahans closed the gap some in the third quarter, getting within 11 at one point. But Lee stepped the pace early in the fourth quarter with a 15-2 run that destroyed what little momentum the Rebs could muster.

Torval Crisp added 14 points for Lee, while Carlton Clark led Monahans with 13 points. Chris Hallam and Ralph Sanchez added 11 and 10 points, respectively, for the Loboes.

Stueckler, too, saw some improvement in the Lee attack.

"I thought the kids hustled real well and played real hard."

Monahans (45): John Blevins 3 0-2 6; Richard Gould 0 1-3 1; Carlton Clark 6 1-2 13; Mark Valencia 1 1-2 4; Chris Hallam 3 4-4 11; Michael Nixon 0 0-0 0; Joe Ozuna 0 0-1 0; Ralph Sanchez 3 4-8 10; Chris Molina 0 0-1 0. Totals 16 11-23 45.

Midland Lee (76): Ed Hartman 3 1-1 7; Darren Dortch 10 1-2 21; Ed Brown 5 3-3 13; Torval Crisp 6 2-2 14; Terry Riley 2 2-6 6; Carlton Pertile 0 0-0 0; Greg Crowe 1 4-4 7; Glen Chambers 1 0-0 2; David Meade 3 0-0 6; Paul Dunn 0 0-0 0; Cody Reeves 0 0-0 0. Totals 31 13-18 76.

Score by quarters:

Monahans	6	13	14	12—45
Midland Lee	20	16	15	25—76

Three-point goals: Crowe, Valencia, Hallam. Total Fouls: Monahans 14, Lee 25. Fouled Out: Blevins.

STEERS

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MHS coach Jack Stephenson was almost at a loss for words after the loss.

"I felt pretty good when we had the three-point lead with 14 seconds left," said Stephenson. "We didn't mind the foul in that situation, but you want to make one where they don't have a chance to hit the three-point shot, too."

Midland High fell to 6-7 with the loss while Big Spring climbed to 6-8. MHS was led by Greg Lewis with 19 points while Tracey Bascus and Dexture Young each had 11.

Big Spring got a game high 22 points from Joe Downey, who scored 14 points in the first half and hit 10 of 11 free throws in the game. The Steers also got 17 points from Abner Shellman, the team's leading scorer, and 12 from Young, including two three-point baskets in the fourth quarter.

Big Spring led by seven points, 19-12, in the first quarter, but MHS rallied to tie it at 29 with 2:38 left in the second period on a Bascus bucket and later owned an eight-point margin, 47-39, with 2:15 left in the third quarter on a basket by Aundria Shaw.

The game saw the score knotted eight times and there were 16 lead changes before the Steers finally nailed it down.

Midland High travels to Lamesa Tuesday before heading to the Kerrville tournament after Christmas. On Jan. 3, the Bulldogs will face Midland Lee in the District 4-5A opener.

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Converse Judson (14-1) vs Dallas Carter (14-0-1), noon, Texas Stadium.

4A

Paris (12-3) vs West Orange-Stark (12-2), 2 p.m., Kyle Field.

3A

Southlake Carroll (15-0) vs Navasota (12-3), 8 p.m. Floyd Casey Stadium in Waco.

2A

Quanah (14-1) vs Corrigan-Camden (14-0-1), 7:30 p.m., Pennington Field in Bedford.

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White Deer (14-0) vs Flatonia (15-0), 7:30 p.m., Mustang Bowl in Sweetwater.

Colorado Ski

DENVER — Colorado Ski Country USA reports the following conditions at major Colorado ski areas on Friday, Dec. 16.

Arapahoe Basin — 3 new, 36 depth, powder, packed powder.
Aspen Highlands — 1 new, 23 depth, powder, packed powder.
Aspen Mountain — T new, 22 depth, powder, packed powder.
Buttermilk — 1 new, 20 depth, powder, packed powder.
Snowmass — 2 new, 22 depth, powder, packed powder.
Beaver Creek — 1 new, 21 depth, powder, packed powder.
Breckenridge — 1 new, 24 depth, packed powder.
Ski Broadmoor — 5 new, 26 depth, powder, packed powder.
Ski Cooper — 5 new, 28 depth, powder, packed powder.
Copper Mountain — 1 new, 26 depth, powder, packed powder.
Crested Butte — 2 new, 25 depth, powder, packed powder.
Cuchara Valley — 0 new, 30 depth, powder, packed powder.
Eldora — 3 new, 31 depth, powder, packed powder.
Ski Estes Park — 1 new, 30 depth, packed powder, hard packed.
Keystone — 3 new, 26 depth, powder, packed powder.
Loveland Basin — 1 new, 33 depth, powder, packed powder.
Monarch — 2 new, 34 depth, powder, packed powder.
Powderhorn — 0 new, 21 depth, packed powder.
Purgatory — T new, 22 depth, packed powder.
Silver Creek — T new, 22 depth, powder, packed powder.
Steamboat Springs — 1 new, 22 depth, packed powder.
Sunlight — 2 new, 25 depth, powder, packed powder.
Telluride — 0 new, 21 depth, hard packed.
Vail — 0 new, 22 depth, powder, packed powder.
Winter Park — 2 new, 24 depth, powder, packed powder.
Mary Jane — 3 new, 31 depth, powder, packed powder.
Wolf Creek — 1 new, 46 depth, powder, packed powder.

Snow depth in inches refers to unpacked natural snow at midpoint. Snowmaking means artificial snowmaking equipment in use. New snow refers to snow within last 24 hours. T means trace.

Figures are supplied to Colorado Ski Country USA, a ski-industry organization, by individual areas. For updates, call (303) 831-7669.

Transactions

Friday's Sports Transactions

BASEBALL

American League

MINNESOTA TWINS—Announced that Tim Laudner, catcher, has agreed to salary arbitration. Signed Scott Leius, shortstop, to a one-year contract.

NEW YORK YANKEES—Signed Wayne Tolleson, shortstop, to a two-year contract.

SEATTLE MARINERS—Sent Bruce Fields, outfielder, to Calgary of the Pacific Coast League.

National League

HOUSTON ASTROS—Announced that Craig Reynolds, shortstop, has agreed to arbitration. Acquired Ed Vosberg, pitcher, form the San Diego Padres for Dan Walters, catcher, and assigned him to Tucson of the Pacific Coast League. Reached agreement with Dave Johnson and Mitch Johnson, pitchers, and assigned them to Tucson.

PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES—Traded Milt Thompson, outfielder, to the St Louis Cardinals for Steve Lake, catcher, and Curt Ford, outfielder.

PITTSBURGH PIRATES—Sent Rick Reed and Scott Medvin, pitchers, outright to Buffalo of the American Association.

SAN DIEGO PADRES—Assigned Dan Walters, catcher, to Wichita of the Texas League.

New York-Pennsylvania League

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MINOR LEAGUES—Approved the addition of franchises in Watertown, N.Y., and Niagara Falls, N.Y.

BASKETBALL

National Basketball Association

CHARLOTTE HORNETS—Placed Rex Chapman, guard, on the injured list. Activated Dell Curry, guard, from the injured list.

GOLDEN STATE WARRIORS—Signed Steve Alford, guard, to a one-year contract.

MILWAUKEE BUCKS—Placed Mark Davis, guard, on waivers. Activated Jeff Grayer, guard, from the injured list.

SACRAMENTO KINGS—Waived Michael Jackson, guard.

WASHINGTON BULLETS—Activated Harvey Grant, forward, from the injured list. Released Dominic Pressley, guard.

FOOTBALL

National Football League

GREEN BAY PACKERS—Activated Lavale Thomas, running back, from injured reserve. Placed Gary Richard, defensive end, on injured reserve.

LOS ANGELES RAMS—Waived Mike Guman, fullback.

MIAMI DOLPHINS—Placed Eric Kumerow, defensive end, on injured reserve. Signed Tony Burse, fullback.

PHOENIX CARDINALS—Placed Tootie Robbins, offensive tackle, on injured reserve. Activated Tyrone Jones, linebacker, from injured reserve.

PITTSBURGH STEELERS—Placed Aaron Jones, defensive end, on injured reserve. Activated Jeff Markland, tight end, from injured reserve.

HOCKEY

National Hockey League

QUEBEC NORDIQUES—Named Jean Perron coach.

ST. LOUIS BLUES—Recalled Jim Vesey, right wing, from Peoria of the International Hockey League.

International Hockey League

IHL—Suspended Martin Simard, Salt Lake Golden Eagles forward, for the 10 remaining games against the Denver Rangers and Stu Grimson, Salt Lake Golden Eagles forward, for this Saturday's game with Denver, for fighting in a game Dec. 10.

COLLEGE

NCAA—Placed Houston's football program on probation for 1989, 1990 and 1991 and barred them from post-season play in 1989 and 1990. Scholarships were cut from 30 to 15 for incoming players next season and the team is banned from television for 1989.

EAST COAST CONFERENCE—Announced that Marist, Central Connecticut State and Maryland-Baltimore County will be added for the 1990-91 season.

ARIZONA—Announced the resignation of Dick Jochums men's and women's swimming coach.

MARSHALL—Extended the contract of George Chaump, head football coach, through 1992.

NORTH ALABAMA—Announced the resignation of Steve Carter and Jeff Webb, assistant football coaches, effective Dec. 31.

RHODE ISLAND—Named McKinley Boston athletic director.

WEST GEORGIA—Named Mac McWhorter head football coach.

Sanctions Against SWC

Summary of sanctions imposed on Southwest Conference football programs:

Houston — Placed on probation for 1989, 1990 and 1991 and barred from post-season bowls in 1989 and 1990. Scholarships were cut in half, to 15, for incoming players next season; the team is banned from television for 1989. The NCAA also advised the university to prohibit former head football Coach Bill Yeoman from engaging in duties associated with the school's athletic program for at least a year. The violations occurred between 1978 and 1984 during the tenure of Yeoman, who resigned under fire in 1986. During that tenure the Cougars received three years' probation in 1966 and a one-year sanction in 1977 for recruiting violations and illegal payments.

Southern Methodist — Begins competition in 1989 after serving a one-year "death penalty" for repeated NCAA violations. SMU decided to not play any games in 1988. In 1984, Allegations of payments to the family of a recruit from Pittsburgh surfaced and during the NCAA investigation, it substantiated that other players were being paid through a "slush fund" set up by alumnni. Besides the suspension of its program, the Mustangs' scholarships were substantially reduced along with its coaching staff.

Texas — Received a two-year football probation in 1987 after 51 of 63 alleged violations were substantiated. The Longhorns were not banned from bowl games or TV, lost five scholarships and 20 paid visits to prospective recruits. The NCAA earlier this year dropped the second year of the sanctions. Among the violations was an athletic department official posting $56 bail bond for a player. Also, players were found to have sold their complementary tickets. Texas was ordered to hire a compliance officer to oversee administrative changes. The school was cleared of questions surrounding the leasing of a BMW automobile by running back Edwin Simmons.

Texas A&M — Received a two-year probation and a ban from post-season action after the 1988 season. The NCAA also cut five scholarships for 1989 and limited on-campus recruiting visits to 75. Only eight assistants will be allowed to recruit off campus.

Texas Christian — Its football program was placed on three years probation in May 1986 after cash payments to players, including All-American Kenneth Davis, were revealed in September 1985. In some cases, a pizza parlor owner had money stuffed into players' shoes in the locker room. One player received cash in the mail. The Horned Frogs were barred from bowls in 1986, were required to repay $323,000 in television revenue, received a major reduction in scholarships and were forced to ban six boosters from associating with the program.

Texas Tech — Put on one-year probation for the 1987 season with no bowl or television sanctions after 15 violations were verified. The violations included the promise of a pair of boots and a free trip to Las Vegas to recruit Chris Pryor.

Arkansas, Baylor and Rice have not been investigated by the NCAA for football violations.

NBA at a Glance

EASTERN CONFERENCE Atlantic Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	15	6	.714	—
Philadelphia	13	10	.565	3
Boston	11	11	.500	4½
New Jersey	9	15	.375	7½
Charlotte	6	14	.300	8½
Washington	5	14	.263	9
Central Division				
Cleveland	14	5	.737	½
Detroit	16	6	.727	—
Atlanta	15	8	.652	1½
Milwaukee	11	9	.550	4
Chicago	10	10	.500	5
Indiana	5	15	.250	10
WESTERN CONFERENCE Midwest Division				
Denver	14	7	.667	—
Dallas	13	7	.650	½
Houston	13	9	.591	1½
Utah	13	9	.591	1½
San Antonio	6	13	.316	7
Miami	1	18	.053	12
Pacific Division				
L.A. Lakers	16	6	.727	—
Portland	12	9	.571	3½
Seattle	11	9	.550	4
Phoenix	10	9	.526	4½
Golden State	8	12	.400	7
L.A. Clippers	7	14	.333	8½
Sacramento	5	14	.263	9½

Friday's Games

Philadelphia 114, New Jersey 108
Dallas 107, Charlotte 98
Atlanta 115, Milwaukee 112
Boston 110, L.A. Lakers 96

Saturday's Games

Washington at New York, 6:30 p.m.
Utah at Philadelphia, 6:30 p.m.
Dallas at Miami, 6:30 p.m.
Atlanta at Cleveland, 6:30 p.m.
Charlotte at Detroit, 6:30 p.m.
New Jersey at Indiana, 6:30 p.m.
Golden State at San Antonio, 7:30 p.m.
Chicago at Milwaukee, 8 p.m.
Clippers at Denver, 8:30 p.m.
Sacramento at Seattle, 10 p.m.
Phoenix at Portland, 10:30 p.m.

DALLAS (107)

Aguirre 7-18 10-11 24, Perkins 7-15 7-8 21, Donaldson 2-7 1-2 5, Harper 4-10 6-6 14, Blackman 6-13 3-3 15, Davis 3-6 0-0 7, Schrempf 4-7 0-1 8, Tarpley 5-10 3-7 13, Tyler 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 38-86 30-38 107.

CHARLOTTE (98)

Tripucka 10-17 1-4 21, Rambis 4-12 1-2 9, Hoppen 4-7 1-2 9, Holton 7-15 2-2 16, Reid 9-23 2-2 20, Curry 2-5 0-0 4, Green 4-10 1-1 10, Cureton 1-3 0-0 2, Kempton 3-7 1-2 7, Lewis 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 44-100 9-15 98.

Dallas	**25**	**29**	**29**	**24—107**
Charlotte	**26**	**18**	**30**	**24— 98**

3-Point goals—Davis, Green. Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Dallas 58 (Perkins 14), Charlotte 59 (Rambis 21). Assists— Dallas 17 (Harper 7), Charlotte 26 (Holton 9). Total fouls—Dallas 16, Charlotte 28. Technicals—Holton, Rambis, Donaldson. A—23,388.

PHILADELPHIA (114)

Barkley 4-11 6-8 15, Colemann 4-5 0-0 8, Gminski 8-19 7-7 23, Cheeks 9-12 1-1 19, Hawkins 6-12 2-2 16, Anderson 8-15 3-4 19, Brooks 1-1 0-0 3, Welp 2-4 0-0 4, Henderson 3-6 0-0 7. Totals 45-86 19-22 114.

NEW JERSEY (106)

Hinson 9-14 3-3 21, B.Williams 5-8 5-5 15, Carroll 7-14 0-0 14, Conner 5-9 2-2 12, McGee 3-9 1-2 8, Hopson 5-12 2-2 13, Morris 2-6 0-0 4, Bagley 7-12 1-2 15, Lee 1-4 2-2 4. Totals 44-88 16-18 106.

Philadelphia	**32**	**27**	**29**	**26—114**
New Jersey	**29**	**32**	**28**	**17—106**

3-Point goals—Hawkins 2, Barkley, Brooks, Henderson, McGee, Hopson. Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Philadelphia 44 (Barkley 13), New Jersey 45 (Hinson 8). Assists—Philadelphia 18 (Barkley 9), New Jersey 18 (Conner 7). Total fouls—Philadelphia 20, New Jersey 21. Technical—Hopson. A—12,597.

MILWAUKEE (112)

Cummings 10-26 12-13 32, Krystkowiak 9-11 4-4 22, Sikma 5-7 6-6 16, Moncrief 4-11 5-6 13, Pressey 1-4 0-0 2, Humphries 4-11 0-0 8, Pierce 6-13 4-4 16, Breuer 0-1 0-0 0, Roberts 1-3 1-2 3, Grayer 0-1 0-0 0, Mokeski 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 40-88 32-35 112.

ATLANTA (115)

Levingston 5-9 2-3 12, Wilkins 11-25 8-9 30, Malone 9-16 11-15 29, Rivers 4-6 2-2 11, Theus 4-10 2-3 10, Battie 3-4 2-2 8, Webb 1-2 0-0 2, Carr 3-7 1-1 7, Tolbert 2-2 2-2 6. Totals 42-81 30-37 115.

Milwaukee	**23**	**24**	**33**	**32—112**
Atlanta	**26**	**27**	**27**	**35—115**

3-Point goal—Rivers. Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Milwaukee 46 (Cummings 13), Atlanta 50 (Malone 12). Assists—Milwaukee 19 (Pressey, Humphries 4), Atlanta 25 (Rivers 11). Total fouls—Milwaukee 27, Atlanta 27. A—14,379.

L.A. LAKERS (96)

Worthy 3-14 3-4 9, Green 3-9 8-8 14, Abdul-Jabbar 5-13 0-1 10, Scott 4-13 3-3 11, E.Johnson 11-23 9-10 31, Thompson 3-7 0-1 6, Cooper 3-4 0-0 8, Wooldridge 1-4 5-6 7. Totals 33-87 28-33 96.

BOSTON (110)

McHale 8-10 0-2 16, Lohaus 3-5 0-0 6, Parish 9-20 1-4 19, D.Johnson 3-8 0-0 6, Ainge 8-18 7-7 25, Lewis 9-17 4-5 22, Paxson 3-7 0-0 6, Shaw 1-6 1-1 3, Acres 3-4 1-3 7, Gamble 0-0 0-0 0, Grandison 0-0 0-0 0, Rivas 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 47-95 14-22 110.

L.A. Lakers	**26**	**19**	**27**	**24— 96**
Boston	**26**	**33**	**20**	**31—110**

3-Point goals—Cooper 2, Ainge 2. Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Los Angeles 53 (Green 16), Boston 62 (McHale 13). Assists—Los Angeles 15 (E.Johnson 7), Boston 35 (Ainge 10). Total fouls—Los Angeles 19, Boston 25. Technicals—Los Angeles coach Riley, Abdul-Jabbar, Boston illegal defense. A—14,890.

INDIANA (93)

Person 7-16 4-6 18, Williams 7-13 0-0 14, Smits 0-4 0-0 0, Fleming 4-12 1-2 9, Miller 8-14 3-5 22, Gray 4-8 0-0 8, Dreiling 2-3 1-2 5, Tisdale 3-8 7-8 13, Skiles 0-2 0-0 0, Long 2-5 0-0 4, Frederick 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 37-85 16-23 93.

CHICAGO (100)

Grant 3-9 1-2 7, Sellers 4-5 2-2 10, Cartwright 9-14 5-6 23, Vincent 2-6 2-2 6, Jordan 10-22 8-9 28, Perdue 0-2 0-0 0, Pippen 4-6 3-7 11, Paxson 1-3 4-4 6, Hodges 3-5 0-0 9, Corzine 0-3 0-0 0. Totals 36-75 25-32 100.

Indiana	**27**	**15**	**30**	**21— 93**
Chicago	**23**	**31**	**31**	**15—100**

3-Point goals—Miller 3, Hodges 3. Fouled out—Sellers. Rebounds—Indiana 50 (Gray, Person 8), Chicago 51 (Cartwright, Jordan 10). Assists—Indiana 16 (Fleming 4), Chicago 28 (Vincent 9). Total fouls—Indiana 26, Chicago 19. Technical—Miller. A—17,488.

PORTLAND (125)

Anderson 8-14 1-2 20, S.Johnson 4-7 0-2 8, Duckworth 4-14 6-6 14, Drexler 15-30 9-9 42, Porter 7-16 2-2 17, Jones 1-2 0-0 2, Branch 4-9 6-6 14, Young 3-5 0-0 6, Neal 1-2 0-0 2. Totals 47-99 24-27 125.

PHOENIX (132)

Chambers 6-16 4-4 16, Gilliam 18-26 5-7 41, Lang 1-3 2-2 4, Hornacek 3-10 1-2 7, K.Johnson 7-16 8-9 22, Majerle 4-9 0-0 9, West 5-8 4-9 14, E.Johnson 8-14 3-3 19. Totals 52-102 27-36 132.

Portland	**32**	**30**	**27**	**36—125**
Phoenix	**31**	**35**	**38**	**28—132**

3-Point goals—Anderson 3, Drexler 3, Porter, Majerle. Fouled out—None. Portland 60 (Porter 13), Phoenix 54 (Gilliam 12). Assists—Portland 36 (Porter 15), Phoenix 33 (K.Johnson 16). Total fouls— Portland 29, Phoenix 24. A—11,196.

Women's Basketball

Friday's Scores

Houston 65, Utah 62
Duquesne 81, Ohio U. 72
Kean 83, Glassboro St. 69
Louisiana Tech 90, DePaul 74
Mississippi 72, Jackson St. 53
Miss. Valley St. 95, Arkansas St. 84
Murray St. 89, Texas Christian 56
Cincinnati 51, W. Michigan 47
Concordia, Neb. 99, Westmar 56
Defiance 62, Spring Arbor 44
Indiana 64, Louisville 57
Mount Mercy 82, Coe 50
Northwd. Mich. 77, Ind.-Purdue Indpls. 58
Boise St. 66, Idaho St. 42

AP Top 20

Top Twenty Fared

How The Associated Press Top Twenty college basketball teams fared Friday:

1. Duke (6-0) did not play.
2. Michigan (9-0) did not play.
3. Syracuse (9-0) did not play.
4. Iowa (8-0) did not play.
5. Georgetown (5-0) did not play.
6. Illinois (6-0) did not play.
7. Oklahoma (5-1) did not play.
8. North Carolina (8-1) did not play.
9. Arizona (3-1) did not play.
10. Missouri (8-2) beat Eastern Washington 81-68.
11. Georgia Tech (4-0) did not play.
12. Florida State (5-0) did not play.
13. Nevada-Las Vegas (3-2) did not play.
14. Ohio State (5-1) did not play.
15. Louisville (4-2) did not play.
16. Tennessee (4-0) did not play.
17. Seton Hall (9-0) beat Fordham 78-64.
18. North Carolina State (2-1) did not play.
19. Notre Dame (4-0) did not play.
20. UCLA (4-0) did not play.

AP Sportlight

Dec. 17

1933 — The Chicago Bears won the first NFL championship with a 23-21 victory over the New York Giants. The winning touchdown came on a 36-yard play that started with a short pass from Bronko Nagurski to Bill Hewitt. Hewitt then lateraled to Bill Kerr, who went in for the score.

College Basketball

SOUTHWEST

Langston 86, Oklahoma Baptist 73
McMurry 92, Texas Wesleyan 90
S. Nazarene 93, Texas Coll. 82

FAR WEST

N.Mex.Highlands 84, Colorado Col. 81
St. Mary's, Cal. 92, Idaho St. 48

SOUTH

Columbus 106, Rollins 88
Miami, Fla. 102, Long Island U. 66

EAST

Bluefield Coll. 79, Fairmont St. 71
Kean 78, Glassboro St. 50
Seton Hall 78, Fordham 64

MIDWEST

Augustana,Ill. 87, Mount Marty 64
Dordt 104, Dakota Wesleyn 75
Luther 85, Winona St. 72
Monmouth, Ill. 93, Aurora 80
North Central 91, Grand Rapids Baptist 74
North Dakota 96, Valley City St. 93
St. Louis Christian 76, Sanford Brown 73
Wis.-Stout 105, Marian, Wis. 74

TOURNAMENTS

AUM Holiday Tournament
First Round

Auburn-Montgomery 94, Brewton-Parker 89, OT
North Alabama 79, Mobile 74

Bayou Classic
First Round

Nicholls St. 80, SW Louisiana 79

Capitol City Classic
First Round

E. Tennessee St. 88, Pacific U. 86

Catawba 7 Up Classic
First Round

Catawba 76, St. Andrew's 73
Lander 53, Lenoir-Rhyne 47

Dartmouth Invitational
First Round

Maine 82, U.S. International 67

High Point Holiday Tournament
First Round

Gardner-Webb 75, Francis Marion 61
High Point 85, Barber-Scotia 65

Kentucky Invitational
First Round

Arkansas St. 81, Marshall 73
Bowling Green 56, Kentucky 54

LMU Holiday Classic
First Round

Carson-Newman 97, Cedarville 89
Lincoln Memorial 121, Charleston, W.Va. 96

UAB Classic
First Round

Ala.-Birmingham 93, Florida A&M 56
Louisiana Tech 87, Murray St. 69

WIBW Holiday Tournament
Second Round

Colorado Baptist 68, Dallas Baptist 67
David Lipscomb 106, W. Virginia Tech 101
Southern Tech 67, Westmont 61
Washburn 92, Henderson St. 85

Walsworth Classic
First Round

Missouri 81, E. Washington 68
Ohio U. 90, Drexel 78

Wright State Classic
First Round

Bethune-Cookman 64, Wright St. 55
NE Louisiana 84, Howard U. 63

Mazda Golfx

DORADO BEACH, Puerto Rico — $850,000 Mazda Championship

Walker-Hill	30-30—60
Green-Moody	32-31—63
Stephenson-Rodriguez	33-31—64
Sheehan-Charles	32-34—66
Lopez-Herning	35-31—66
Inkster-Geiberger	33-33—66
Postlewait-Palmer	34-33—67
Turner-Player	34-33—67
Hee Ko-Littler	32-35—67
King-Crampton	36-32—68

SWC

Southwest Conference Men's Basketball Standings
As Compiled By The Conference Through Games of Dec. 14

	SWC	PCT.	Overall	PCT.
Texas	0-0	000	7-1	.875
A&M	0-0	000	6-1	.857
Ark	0-0	000	3-1	.750
UH	0-0	000	4-2	.666
TCU	0-0	000	4-2	.666
Rice	0-0	000	4-3	.571
SMU	0-0	000	2-2	.500
Baylor	0-0	000	1-5	.166
Texas Tech	0-0	000	1-5	.166

NHL

All Times EST

WALES CONFERENCE

Patrick Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Pittsburgh	18	11	2	38	149	133
NY Rangers	16	12	4	36	127	119
Washington	15	13	4	34	109	110
Philadelphia	15	17	2	32	130	122
New Jersey	12	14	5	29	107	123
NY Islanders	7	22	2	16	91	135
Adams Division						
Montreal	19	10	6	44	135	110
Boston	13	12	8	34	107	98
Hartford	13	15	2	28	110	106
Buffalo	12	17	3	27	109	134
Quebec	11	20	2	24	117	153

CAMPBELL CONFERENCE

Norris Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Detroit	17	10	4	38	131	120
St. Louis	12	13	5	29	99	102
Toronto	11	19	2	24	103	139
Minnesota	9	16	6	24	96	116
Chicago	8	19	4	20	125	152
Smythe Division						
Calgary	22	5	5	49	138	83
Los Angeles	21	11	1	43	176	134
Edmonton	18	12	3	39	157	132
Winnipeg	13	10	5	31	122	119
Vancouver	12	16	5	29	109	109

Friday's Games

Los Angeles 6, Detroit 4
Calgary at Vancouver, (n)

Saturday's Games

Quebec at Boston, 1:35 p.m.
New Jersey at Islanders, 7:05 p.m.
Detroit at Pittsburgh, 7:35 p.m.
Edmonton at Hartford, 7:35 p.m.
Winnipeg at Washington, 7:35 p.m.
Rangers at Montreal, 8:05 p.m.
Philadelphia at Toronto, 8:05 p.m.
Chicago at St. Louis, 8:35 p.m.
Los Angeles at Minnesota, 8:35 p.m.

Los Angeles	0	2	4—6
Detroit	1	1	2—4

First Period—1, Detroit, MacLean 18 (Zombo, Yzerman), 14:05.

Penalties—Galiant, Det, minor-misconduct (unsportsmanlike conduct), 1:53; Murphy, Det (high-sticking), 5:26; Watters, LA (rough-ing), 7:55; King, Det (roughing), 7:55; Baumgartner, LA (tripping), 8:43; Taylor, LA (slashing), 14:54.

Second Period—2, Los Angeles, Tonelli 11 (Krushelnyski, McSorley), 1:27; 3, Los Angeles, Taylor 14 (Robitaille, Laidlaw), 1:58; 4, Detroit, Gallant 17 (Norwood), 18:26 (pp).

Penalties—Krushelnyski, LA (cross-checking), 4:20; Baumgartner, LA, minor-major (roughing, fighting), 6:56; King, Det, major (fighting), 6:56; Norwood, Det (holding), 9:04; Gretzky, LA (unsportsmanlike conduct), 9:17; Tonelli, LA (roughing) 14:48; Duchesne, LA (roughing), 14:48; McSorley, LA, double minor (roughing), 14:48; Delorme, Det (roughing), 14:48; MacLean, Det (roughing), 14:48; Gallant, Det (roughing), 14:48; Baumgartner, LA, misconduct, 17:23; Allison, LA (interference), 17:23; Los Angeles bench, served by Logan (failure to go directly to penalty box), 17:23; Zombo, Det, misconduct, 17:23; Burr, Det (roughing), 17:23.

Third Period—5, Los Angeles, Wattersi 1 (Gretzky, Healy), 4:25. 6, Detroit, Zombo 1 (Yzerman, Gallant), 9:31 (pp). 7, Los Angeles, Nicholls 35 (Duchesne), 11:10. 8, Los Angeles, Allison 8 (Carpenter, Gretzky), 11:53. 9, Detroit, Yzerman 30 (O'Connell), 19:18. 10, Los Angeles, Gretzky 25, 19:59 (en).

Penalties—Taylor, LA (cross-checking), 2:57; Klima, Det (interference), 3:14; Allison, LA (interference), 7:44.

Shots on goal—Los Angeles 7-7-12—26. Detroit 13-13-17—43.Power-play Opportunities—Los Angeles 0 of 4; Detroit 2 of 8.Goalies—Los Angeles, Healy, 16-8-0 (43 shots-39 saves). Detroit, Hanlon, 6-3-4 (25-20).A—19,875.

Hockey

Friday's College Hockey Scores

Ill.-Chicago 4, Michigan 3, OT
N. Michigan 9, Denver 2

AP Laserphoto

The Splits

Flyers' goalie Ron Hextall goes all out to foil Penguins' Mario Lemeiux in NHL action.

Scratchpad

Tarkanian

NCAA EYES UNLV ACTION— Dick Shultz, NCAA executive director, said he has no personal interest in seeing **Nevada-Las Vegas** coach **Jerry Tarkanian** suspended, but believes his organization will take some action against the school's basketball program when it meets Feb. 3 in San Diego. "They (the infractions committee) won't want to set some type of precedent where you can try us for 10 years, lose and then get off scot-free," Shultz said.

ALFORD TO WARRIORTS— Steve Alford, cut by Dallas this week, says his agent has made a verbal agreement with the Golden State Warriors. Alford said he would fly from Dallas to San Antonio with the intent of singing of a contract.

ASTROS TRADE— The Houston Astros acquired lefthander **Ed Vosberg** from San Diego in exchange for catcher **Dan Walters** in a deal involving minor league players. Vosberg will be assigned to Tucson and Walters is headed for Wichita, Kan.

KLEINE FINED— Sacramento's Joe Kleine fined **$1,500** and **San Antonio's Greg Anderson** was assessed **$1,000** by the NBA for fighting in Tuesday game in Sacramento. Kleine was hit with a larger amount because he initiated the scuffle.

HILL RED HOT— Dave Hill rolled in eight birdie putts and Colleen Walker, his partner, had four as the two took the first-round lead in the **$850,000 Mazda Championship** with a 12-under par 60 at Dorado Beach, P.R. Their closest rivals were three strokes back, **Orville Moody** and **Tammie Green**. Third, at 64, were **Chi Rodriguez** and **Jan Stephenson**.

NORDIQUES HIRE COACH— Jean Perron, who resigned last spring as coach of the **Montreal Canadiens,** returned to the bench Friday when he was named coach of the **Quebec Nordiques,** replacing **Ron Lapointe,** who stepped down when it was announced that doctors have discovered a tumor in his kidney.

'New Look' FA's decide futures

Associated Press

NEW YORK — Jim Clancy left the Toronto Blue Jays for Houston and Alan Ashby re-signed with the Astros Friday, the deadline for the "new-look" free agents to decide their fates.

Claudell Washington and Doyle Alexander, also among the 12 granted a second chance at free agency, left their teams and became free agents.

Meanwhile, pitcher Ron Guidry of the New York Yankees and catcher Ernie Whitt of Toronto elected to stay with their teams. So did outfielder Brian Downing of California, who got a slightly improved contract.

THE SEVEN were among the 12 players made "new-look" free agents by arbitrator George Nicolau as part of the Collusion II case. They had until midnight to decide whether or not to leave their teams. Unlike "regular" free agent, Washington and Alexander may negotiate with their former clubs beyond the Jan. 8 deadline.

Also Friday, infielder Wayne Tolleson, a "regular" free agent, re-signed with the Yankees.

Ashby, 37, agreed to a one-year contract worth $550,000. He batted .238 in 1988 with seven home runs and 33 runs batted in, earning $450,000. Several clubs were interested in signing him, especially Montreal.

California guaranteed Downing's $850,000 salary for 1989 and gave the Angels an option for 1990. Whitt already is signed for 1990 by Toronto at $800,000.

In becoming a free agent, Washington rejected the Yankees' offer of a two-year, $1.5 million contract. He batted .308 in 1988 with 11 homers and 64 runs batted in.

Tom Reich, Washington's agent, said that there still was a chance the outfielder would return to New York, but it was decreasing.

"WHAT has been lost in that there's no longer a primary commitment to New York," Reich said Friday. "At this point, he'll go to wherever he has an attractive offer."

Although Guidry decided not to become a free agent, his remaining time with the Yankees figures to be short. New York is not expected to offer the pitcher a new contract by next Tuesday's deadline, making him a free agent anyway.

Five "new-look" free agents previously agreed to new contracts. Second baseman Willie Randolph left the Yankees and signed with Los Angeles for $1.75 million over two years and catcher Bob Boone left California and signed with Kansas City for $883,001, one dollar more than he played for last season.

Pitcher Ken Dayley re-signed with St. Louis for $1.85 million over two years, catcher Rich Gedman re-signed with Boston for one year at $1.15 million and pitcher Roy Smith agreed to a split contract with Minnesota that will pay him $100,000 if he is in the major leagues and $42,000 if he is in the minor leagues.

Two free agents Friday accepted salary arbitration offers from their former clubs — shortstop Craig Reynolds with Houston and catcher Tim Laudner with the Twins.

Celtics shock Lakers, 110-96

Associated Press

BOSTON — Reggie Lewis scored 10 points in the fourth quarter and Danny Ainge added nine as the Boston Celtics survived Los Angeles' second-half comeback Friday night and beat the Lakers 110-96.

The Celtics, whose 59-43 lead late in the first half dropped to 69-65 in the third quarter and 90-84 in the fourth, took control in the final six minutes.

A jumper by Lewis began a two-minute, 11-2 spurt that gave Boston a 101-86 lead with 3:58 left. Los Angeles got the next six points, making the score 101-92 with 2:26 to go, but came no closer.

Los Angeles, which lost to New Jersey Wednesday night, dropped consecutive games for the first time this season and has lost three of its last four. Its 16-6 record is still the NBA's best.

Boston, 11-11, won its second straight and its first in five regular-season games against Los Angeles.

Ainge had 25 points, including a layup set up by Lewis' steal, and a 3-pointer, both in the 11-2 run. Lewis added 22 and Robert Parish 19, including eight in the fourth quarter.

Magic Johnson scored 31 for the Lakers and A.C. Green 14.

Before the game, the Lakers' last of the regular season in Boston, Kareem Abdul-Jabbar was honored in a 10-minute ceremony. It was the eighth stop in his farewell tour of NBA cities. He scored 10 points, including the opening basket, in his 1,500th NBA game.

The game was tied at 26 after one quarter, but the Celtics led 59-45 at halftime. The Lakers, who began the game with a league-leading 50.5 field goal percentage, made just 13 field goals and 28.3 percent of their shots in the first half.

Los Angeles outscored Boston 20-10 in the first eight minutes of the third quarter to cut the lead to 69-65 as Abdul-Jabbar had six points and James Worthy five.

The Celtics got the next six points, the first four by Lewis, and led 79-72 going into the fourth quarter. The Lakers made 52.3 percent of their third-quarter shots.

Mavericks 107, Hornets 98

CHARLOTTE, N.C. — Mark Aguirre scored 10 of his 24 points in the fourth quarter and Sam Perkins had 21 points and 14 rebounds.

Dallas led 54-44 at halftime and increased its lead to 65-52 when Perkins made two free throws with 7:19 left in the third quarter.

A 10-3 run, capped by Michael Holton's transition layup, pulled Charlotte to 68-62 at the 4:34 mark. Kelly Tripucka's layup brought the Hornets within 77-74 with 42 seconds left before the Mavericks scored six straight points to finish the quarter with a 83-74 lead.

Aguirre's layup with 8:28 left capped a 10-4 run that put Dallas ahead 93-78.

76ers 114, Nets 106

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. — Charles Barkley capped a 17-point run spanning the third and fourth quarters with a dunk and 3-pointer,snapping a four-game losing streak.

Philadelphia, which won for the third time in 10 road games, trailed 89-83 with 1:20 left in the third quarter. The 76ers got going Mike Gminski made a 15-foot jumper and Maurice Cheeks drove the lane for a three-point play, pulling them to 89-88 at the end of the quarter.

Cheeks put the 76ers ahead by a point with a 15-footer at the start of the fourth quarter and Philadelphia went on to score the next 10 points

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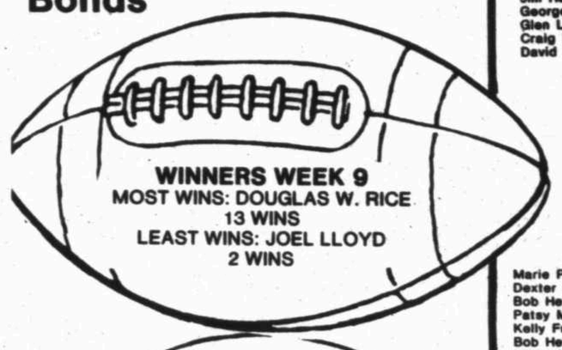
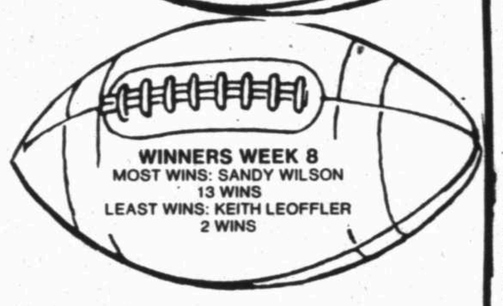


WINNERS WEEK 9
MOST WINS: DOUGLAS W. RICE
13 WINS
LEAST WINS: JOEL LLOYD
2 WINS



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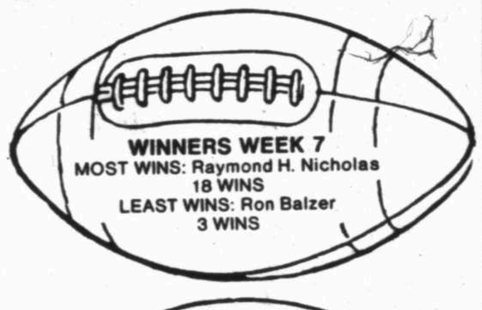
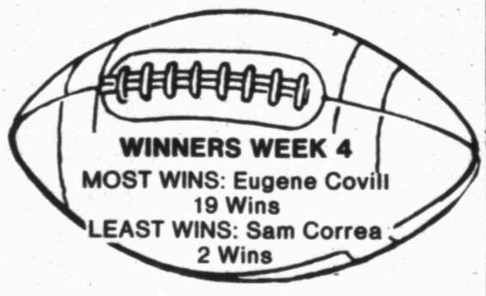
MOST WINS: SANDY WILSON
13 WINS
LEAST WINS: KEITH LEOFFLER
2 WINS



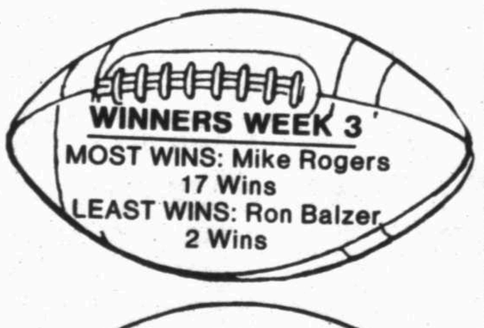
WINNERS WEEK 7
MOST WINS: Raymond H. Nicholas
18 WINS
LEAST WINS: Ron Balzer
3 WINS

WINNERS WEEK 6
MOST WINS: Gina Salcedo
16 Wins
LEAST WINS: Jo Ann Boulter
3 Wins

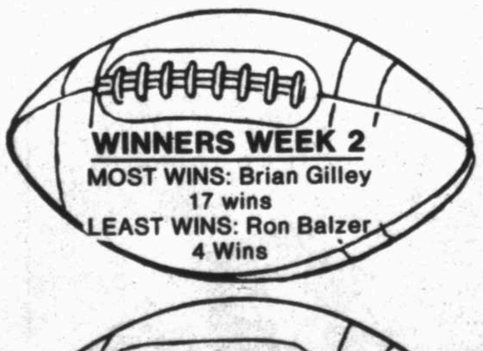
WINNERS WEEK 5
MOST WINS: Patti Lindsey
17 Wins
LEAST WINS: Preston Black
2 Wins



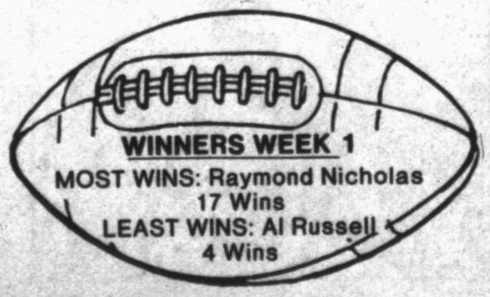
WINNERS WEEK 4
MOST WINS: Eugene Covill
19 Wins
LEAST WINS: Sam Correa
2 Wins



WINNERS WEEK 3
MOST WINS: Mike Rogers
17 Wins
LEAST WINS: Ron Balzer
2 Wins



WINNERS WEEK 2
MOST WINS: Brian Gilley
17 wins
LEAST WINS: Ron Balzer
4 Wins



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MOST WINS: Raymond Nicholas
17 Wins
LEAST WINS: Al Russell
4 Wins

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JIM MURRAY

Clippers take heat off Miami

Murray

A highly disconsolate Donald T. Sterling stood in the runway leading from the basketball floor to the locker rooms at the L.A. Sports Arena Wednesday night. Like a lot of rich men, Donald Sterling likes to own only the best — fine foreign cars, a place at the beach, tailor-made suits. To that end, he has bought downtown Beverly Hills, good stocks and a company here and there listed on the Big Board.

He also bought the Los Angeles Clippers, probably the nation's most dedicated group of underachievers, on the mistaken notion that they were a pro basketball team. They're a team, but it's hard to define the activity they engage in as pro basketball.

THIS WAS shockingly brought home to owner Sterling Wednesday night as his team airily lost a game to a team that had never won one in its history.

It was kind of an awesome achievement in its own way:

— It required a total of 23 relatively unforced turnovers. Two more and you got a bakery.

— It required more or less total lack of concentration.

— It required complete indifference to what was going on around you, particularly, offensive rebounding.

— And it required a whole lot of standing around like a bunch of guys waiting for a bus or a post office to open. Two more periods and pigeons would have tried to light on their shoulders.

STERLING was inconsolable.

"It was the worst game I have ever seen," he said. "We had no fire. We weren't motivated. We had five spectators on the floor." He shook his head. "I don't know what to do."

He turned to a friend. "What would Jack Kent Cooke do?" he wanted to know.

Jack Kent Cooke is the patron saint of basketball owners everywhere. In 1965, he bought the Los Angeles Lakers for $5.175 million, a then-unheard of price for an NBA team that had been bankrupt in Minneapolis only 5 years before.

But Cooke knew that he was getting for his money not only a one-of-a-kind franchise in one of the world's most valuable markets, he was also getting Elgin Baylor and Jerry West, which was like acquiring the Kohinoor diamond and a Tintoretto painting at one auction.

That wasn't enough for Cooke. He later conned the league into letting him get Wilt Chamberlain, and still later maneuvered his way into Kareem Abdul-Jabbar. His foundling franchise was worth 10 times what he paid for it when he sold it.

DONALD Sterling thought he had crossed his threshold when he won the league lottery last year and got the rights to one of the most celebrated collegiate players of the last decade.

So far as basketball was concerned, Danny Manning was wrapped in swaddling clothes right after birth and wise men came from afar to see him. He was going to be a savior for a franchise that won only 17 games last year and only 12 the year before. The Clippers put him on billboards and the cover of the team press guide before he had played a game, in fact, before he had even signed a contract.

It was Cooke's formula, but not Cooke's broth. Get the best player available and stand back. It isn't working for Sterling. Manning is averaging a respectable 15 points a night, he is rebounding respectably for a rookie, but he is hardly dominating.

BASKETBALL used to be a game in which one man could make not a difference but *the* difference. Usually, it had to be a man in the pivot — Bill Russell, Bill Walton, Wilt Chamberlain, Abdul-Jabbar.

Can one man do it anymore?

Well, Pat Ewing, who was even more coveted than Danny Manning in his lottery year, has hardly turned the Knicks into the New York Yankees of basketball, as he was expected to do. Michael Jordan is one of the world's great soloists, but the Chicago Bulls don't scare anybody. Akeem Olajuwon could rebound the moon, but the Houston Rockets don't put you in mind of the Russell Celtics.

It's hard to believe, looking at them, but someone once swapped the Boston Celtics for the Clippers. They were the Buffalo Braves then. Celtic owner Irv Levin wanted a franchise in Southern California. So, by the time Donald Sterling got the old Buffalo Braves, they were the San Diego Clippers.

BY ANY OTHER name, they weren't roses. This is a franchise that has been over .500 only 4 times in its history on two coasts. This may mark the 10th straight time under .500 for a season.

Everybody in the Sports arena knew what the Clippers' play should have been Wednesday night. With 12 seconds to play, trailing by a point, you in-bound the ball to your best player and let him clear out for a game-winning basket.

The Clippers inbounded the ball to Benoit Benjamin.

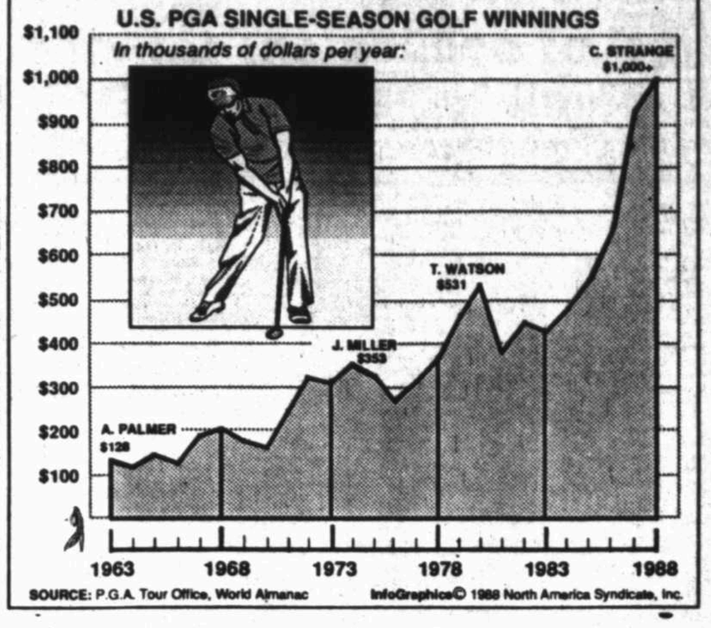
He seemed as stunned as everybody else in the building at this development and stood there like a guy who has just been handed the swag by a bunch of bank robbe. when they hear the cops coming.

Benjamin is not as bad a player as everybody thinks. But he's close. By the time he had dealt the ball off to Norm Nixon, who should have had it in the first place, there was barely time for Nixon to throw up the predictable brick at the buzzer.

(Jim Murray is a syndicated columnist of the LA Times)

Top U.S. golfer winnings

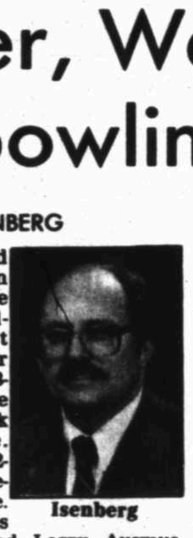
On Monday, Nov. 14, 1988, Curtis Strange won the $2-million Nabisco Championship to become the first golfer on the Professional Golfers' Association tour to win more than $1 million in a single season. This is Strange's third year as a top dollar winner. In 1963, Arnold Palmer, who was the first golfer to pass $1 million in career earnings, was the first golfer to make more than $100,000 in a season.



BOWLING BEAT

Boyer, Welborn set bowling pace

By RANDY ISENBERG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Mike Boyer and Stacy Welborn paced league bowlers at Dellwood Lanes last week. Boyer racked up a 258-690 series in the Midweek Break Mixed League. Stacy rolled a 222-617 in the Las Vegas Mixed League.

Other top scores produced included Larry Ausmus with a 264 in the Midweek Break Mixed and Civic Commercial Men's, he posted his 611 and 601. Roy Nini had a 276 in the Mixed Scratch Trio.

A year ago Boots Butler averaged 176 in the SW Bell League and this year he is at 183 after a recent 223-629.

In the Early Mixers, Dennis Montgomery, 612, Dale Gravelle, 219-611, and Dana Dunbar, 244-598 all reached personal top levels.

Montgomery was 122 pins over his series average. Gravelle carries a 172 average and Dunbar surpassed his average by 86 pins.

Also Early Mixers, Ken Denman eclipsed his 155 with a 225.

In the His And Hers Mixed, Joe Nelson, 165 league average, rolled a 230-622. Pat Brown, 137 average, rolled a 234 and her 533 series was 122 over average.

Mary Kelly, Ladies Night Out, 144, had a 240-539. Rock N Roll Senior teammates, Lonna Wise surpassed her 133 average by 69 pins. Lora Duke had a 140-516.

Kevin Kemper, 123 average, had a 210 in Special Olympics competition.

Bowling dates: 7 p.m. Dec. 23, 12-game marathon, $12; 10 a.m. Dec. 24 Youth Christmas Fun Activity Day, $5; 10 a.m. Dec. 31, New Year's Even Moonlite Silver Rama; 3 p.m. Jan. 1 Special 8-gamer, #35; Jan. 2 Miller Doubles In-House qualifying, $30.....

Bill Roberts and Leroy Socggins are the current Millers Doubles leaders with a 1256. Winners advance to the regional in Del Rio. The Doubles concludes Jan. 2. Entry fee is $30.....

League scores:

Jerel Blair 227-620; Meke Velasco 232-638; Paul Cox 244-632; Rick Bevins 244-628; Burt Evans 622; Raymond Williams 223-630; Gil Pyle 622; Tom Kuzmich 256-643; George Overton 615; Randy Isenberg 225-611; John Denton 232-609; Doinnie Rains 605, 231-637; Roben Garza 609, Jerry Upton 604, Joe Nelson 230-622; Rick Velasco 234-616; Rick Smith 216-601; Fred Holmes 235-595; Javier Tan 245; Don Wallace 244; Brad McClure 244, Jim Burnett 209; Darrell Boen 245.

Four-game Series: Mike Reed 227-808, Susan deGeare 216-744.

Ladies: Mae Beth Tryon 212-570, Brenda Weeks 204, Dana Sue Gibbs 223-565; Lisa Fierro 557-556; Michelle Pitts 213; Lynn Morton 212, Donna Bowden 207; Karen Ennis 217; Judy Daily 201. Stcy Wellborn 201, Cookie Brasher 211, Debi Ellis 227, Lanell Hester 203; Paula Bayley 203, Wanda Hoover 208, Peggy Anderson 202, Mary Jo White 222, Mary Kelly 240, Kathy Conderon 206, Vida Teel 228, Rosalie Harvey 214, Kathy West 206.

Rock N Roll Seniors: Roy Hase 522, Ed Matthews 204-533; 182-519; Elvis Barrington 211-518, Helen Poindexter 166-539. Maurine Johnson 161-454.

Special Olympics: Bonita Lakey 144-394. Chelle Dumas 139-357; Judy Aycock 119-303, Deana Merritt 117-307, Mike Fisher 155-406; Jerry Laskey 182-483.

SPORTS BRIEFS

OU-Loyola looms as classic shootout

Associated Press

NORMAN, Okla. — You may see more than just the players loosening up prior to Saturday night's game between seventh-ranked Oklahoma and Loyola-Marymount. The scorekeeper might get into the act, too.

Loyola-Marymount averages 116 points per game, and earlier this season tied an NCAA record by scoring 164 against Azusa-Pacific. Oklahoma isn't far behind, averaging nearly 103 points per game. Last week, the Sooners scored 152 against Oral Roberts, including an NCAA-record 87 in one half.

"They can score, but they can also be scored on," said Oklahoma coach Billy Tubbs. "It's gonna be an interesting game. I wouldn't even begin to predict it. I think it will be a game well worth seeing."

Loyola coach Paul Westhead said it "could be the classic shootout. The decisive factor will be which team will try to play a more controlled offense. We probably won't."

THE LIONS, 1-2, led the nation in scoring last season and are at it again. Center Hank Gathers averages 33.7 points and 13.7 rebounds, while guards Enoch Simmons and Jeff Fryer average 18 points apiece.

Oklahoma, which finished second in the scoring race last year, is getting 25 points from center Stacey King and 18 per game from point guard Mookie Blaylock, who has had two strong scoring nights after a sluggish start.

Tubbs said the game "doesn't necessarily have to be a scoring marathon. Remember, our idea of a scoring marathon is us scoring and the other team not. We're gonna score, but we have to stop them."

The two teams may feel as though they're looking into a mirror — both use a full-court press from start to finish. But Oklahoma, 5-1, hasn't had the same luck with its press as it did a year ago when it reached the NCAA championship game.

"THE PRESS is OK. It's the teams we're playing against that are screwing it up," said Tubbs. "We've been playing some unusual teams that are tough to press. It'll come along. It'll be all right."

Gathers noticed while watching the Sooners on television that Blaylock — shame, shame — walked the ball up the floor a time or two.

"Oklahoma runs when they have the chance. We create our chances," he said. "They don't push the ball the way we do. We push the ball all the time."

Tubbs said Loyola presents more problems than most other opponents simply because the Lions can score in a hurry. But Tubbs also noted that "we prepare for Oklahoma night in and night out. We spend more time with what Oklahoma's gonna do."

Westhead said his team isn't approaching the game any differently. "I know we'll get more opportunities to score," he said.

Westhead has suggested that many coaches stay away from the run-and-gun style that will be on display Saturday because the coaches can lose control of the game. Tubbs agreed, but both coaches clearly are comfortable with it.

Becker, Steeb win

GOTEBORG, Sweden — Carl-Uwe Steeb and Boris Becker beat Sweden's Grand Slam tournament winners in the opening singles to give West Germany a commanding 2-0 lead over the defending champions in the Davis Cup final Friday night.

Steeb, who is ranked only 74th in the world, stunned the world's top-ranked player 8-10, 1-6, 6-2, 6-4, 8-6 after saving one match point at 5-6 in the decisive set.

Becker then easily defeated Wimbledon champion Stefan Edberg 6-3, 6-1, 6-4 in their first meeting ever on clay. The match ended well past midnight.

ACC vs. Big East

RALEIGH, N.C. — Final arrangements are being worked out that will lead to a series of basketball doubleheaders between teams from the Atlantic Coast and Big East conferences, ACC commissioner Gene Corrigan says.

The proposal calls for a series of doubleheaders next Dec. 4-7 — one each night — pitting the No. 1 ACC team against the No. 1 Big East team, No. 2 against No. 2 and so on. Because the Big East has nine team and the ACC eight, one Big East team will sit out each season.

One major stumbling block that does remain is television. Corrigan said the two leagues had put together "specifications about what we expect" and that they would be sent out to the three major networks, ESPN, Home Box Office and a consortium of cable networks starting next week.

Yanks sign Tolleson

NEW YORK — Shortstop Wayne Tolleson, who became a free agent after the 1988 season, signed a two-year contract worth $835,000 to stay with the New York Yankees. Tolleson will receive $410,000 in 1989 and $425,000 in 1990. He made $410,000 in 1988.

Tolleson was slowed by arthroscopic surgery on his right shoulder and a pulled left hamstring this year and played in only 21 games for the Yankees, hitting .254.

Tolleson, whose best season was 1985, when he batted .313 with the Texas Rangers.

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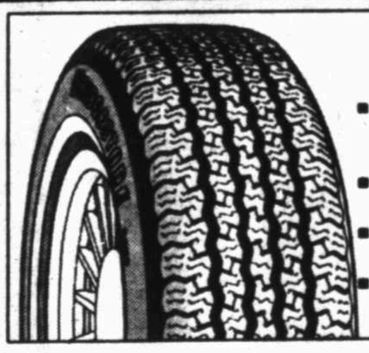

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Snow and Strock stand in path of Oilers and playoffs

By CHUCK MELVIN

CLEVELAND (AP) — The Cleveland Browns hope to welcome the Houston Oilers to a cold, windy, snowy city Sunday. The Browns apparently have forgotten that their likely starting quarterback, Don Strock, has the best suntan in Cleveland.

"I might just stay home and watch it on TV," says Strock, the 38-year-old veteran signed by Cleveland earlier this year after he spent 15 seasons in sunny Miami.

Strock replaced Browns' starter Bernie Kosar in the fourth quarter of Cleveland's 38-31 loss to the Dolphins on Monday night. Kosar, who suffered a sprained knee when he was hit on the leg by linebacker John Offerdahl, is listed as questionable for the Houston game and has been unable to practice this week.

THE WEEKEND weather forecast calls for temperatures in the low 20s, with little or no precipitation expected.

"It'd be fun to play in the snow," Strock said. "Actually, once you get out there moving around, you do get warm, believe it or not."

The Browns have performed well with Strock at quarterback this season. He led them to a 19-3 victory over Philadelphia in his only previous start Oct. 16, and he threw two touchdown passes in relief of Kosar on Monday.

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If Kosar cannot suit up, Strock would be backed up by rookie 12th-round draft pick Steve Slayden, who has been waived and re-signed several times this year because of a series of injuries to Browns' quarterbacks. Because Slayden hasn't played a single down during the regular season, it would seem to be to the Oilers' advantage to try to knock Strock out of the game.

"They go after everybody, so I don't think it'll be especially so with me," Strock said. "They're going to play the same way they always do. They've been successful that way. They're not going to change. We're working on some things, and we'll be ready for them."

HOUSTON linebacker Robert Lyles said the Oilers would prefer not to have their season ended by a 38-year-old quarterback.

"We're not going to allow that. There's no way," Lyles said. "Sure, we'll go after him and either make him play a great, great game, or get out of there."

Houston, 10-5, could still win its first AFC Central Division championship if it wins Sunday and Cincinnati loses to Washington on Saturday.

The Oilers would clinch at least a wild card berth by beating the Browns, but Houston could also be eliminated by losing Sunday, if New England wins at Denver on Saturday.

A New England victory and Houston loss would leave New England, Houston and Cleveland all with 10-6 records. New England would get the first wild card berth because of its superior conference record; Cleveland would get the second because of a better division record than Houston.

"It's a horrifying thought that after all the hard work, we stand a chance of coming out of this with nothing," Lyles said. "It's not a scary thought. It just adds more intensity. Either you live or you die."

Cleveland must win or tie Sunday to make the playoffs.

Houston coach Jerry Glanville said he doubted that the weather or Cleveland's natural turf would have any effect on the game. The Oilers have played all 15 of their regular-season games on artificial turf this year.

"We played on grass twice in the preseason. Unlike Cleveland, it was real grass growing out of the ground," Glanville said. "I call that painted dirt up there. There's not much grass."

NFL Standings

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

East	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
x-Buffalo	12	3	0	.800	315	220
New England	9	6	0	.600	240	263
Indianapolis	8	7	0	.533	337	301
N.Y. Jets	7	7	1	.500	345	333
Miami	6	9	0	.400	295	340
Central						
y-Cincinnati	11	4	0	.733	428	312
Houston	10	5	0	.667	401	337
Cleveland	9	6	0	.600	276	265
Pittsburgh	4	11	0	.267	296	397
West						
Seattle	8	7	0	.533	296	292
L.A. Raiders	7	8	0	.467	268	326
Denver	7	8	0	.467	306	342
San Diego	5	10	0	.333	207	319
Kansas City	4	10	1	.300	241	296

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

East	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
N.Y. Giants	10	5	0	.667	338	277
Philadelphia	9	6	0	.600	356	312
Washington	7	8	0	.467	328	367
Phoenix	7	8	0	.467	327	372
Dallas	3	12	0	.200	256	356
Central						
x-Chicago	12	3	0	.800	285	187
Minnesota	10	5	0	.667	378	206
Tampa Bay	4	11	0	.267	240	340
Detroit	4	11	0	.267	210	292
Green Bay	3	12	0	.200	214	296
West						
y-San Francisc	10	5	0	.667	353	256
L.A. Rams	9	6	0	.600	369	277
New Orleans	9	6	0	.600	302	274
Atlanta	5	10	0	.333	235	305

x-clinched division title
y-clinched playoff berth

Saturday's Games
Jets 34, Indianapolis 16
Philadelphia 23, Phoenix 17

Sunday's Games
Houston 41, Cincinnati 6
Dallas 24, Washington 17
Chicago 13, Detroit 12
Giants 28, Kansas City 12
New England 10, Tampa Bay 7, OT
Buffalo 37, Raiders 21
Green Bay 18, Minnesota 6
San Francisco 30, New Orleans 17
San Diego 20, Pittsburgh 14
Rams 22, Atlanta 7
Seattle 42, Denver 14

Monday's Game
Miami 38, Cleveland 31

Saturday, Dec. 17
Washington at Cincinnati, 11:30 a.m.
New England at Denver, 3 p.m.

Sunday, Dec. 18
Atlanta at New Orleans, noon
Buffalo at Indianapolis, noon
Detroit at Tampa Bay, noon
Houston at Cleveland, noon
Miami at Pittsburgh, noon
Giants at Jets, noon
Philadelphia at Dallas, noon
Seattle at Raiders, 3 p.m.
Kansas City at San Diego, 3 p.m.
Green Bay at Phoenix, 3 p.m.
Rams at San Francisco, 7 p.m.

Cowboys want role of Scrooge Sunday

By DENNE H. FREEMAN

IRVING, Texas (AP) — The Dallas Cowboys want to play scrooge to Buddy Ryan's Christmas.

"There's nothing we'd love any better than to ruin Philadelphia's Christmas just like we ruined Washington's Christmas," said Dallas safety Bill Bates.

The Cowboys are trying to find any solace they can from a 3-12 season. Knocking Philadelphia and coach Ryan out of the playoffs on Sunday would provide some.

Dallas defeated Washington 24-17 last week, ejecting the defending Super Bowl champions out of the playoff picture.

The Cowboys have no Christmas spirit toward Ryan.

He ordered a last-second touchdown pass to run up the score in a 37-20 victory in 1987 at Philadelphia.

And this October, Dallas jumped to a 20-0 lead before losing 24-23 on a touchdown with four seconds left in Philadelphia.

Oddsmakers rated the Eagles' two-point favorites for the noon game in Texas Stadium.

Landry publicly holds no grudge against Ryan, who got mad at the Cowboys because they beat him in a strike game last year with some regulars while the Eagles had no regulars in their lineup.

"Buddy is Buddy and that's the way it goes," Landry said. "We want to play well and win for our own benefit. We want to take a step forward like we did when we beat Washington."

But the players do.

"He ran the score up on us and we won't forget," Bates said.

"It would be the perfect way to end the season," said Dallas quarterback Steve Pelluer. "We're tired of his bull."

The Cowboys are tied with Green Bay for the right to the NFL's number one draft pick next spring.

Ryan worked his team out in Phoenix to prepare for the Cowboys.

The Eagles beat Phoenix 23-17 last Saturday, ensuring them of their first winning season since 1981, the last time Philadelphia was in the playoffs.

An Eagles' victory coupled with a loss by the New York Giants to the New York Jets would give Ryan the NFC East title. Philadelphia is 9-6.

Philadelphia would still be in contention for a wild card berth if it and the Giants won.

Ryan said Dallas would be dangerous because "they aren't playing for anything. They'll be playing with reckless abandon. They have nothing to lose.

"They looked good beating Washington and should have beaten the (Cleveland) Browns. If we beat Dallas we have a chance for the playoffs. If we don't, we don't."

Only 4 weekend tilts meaningless

Associated Press

Detroit at Tampa Bay. Miami at Pittsburgh. Kansas City at San Diego. Green Bay at Phoenix. On the final weekend of the NFL season, these are the only four games that have nothing to do with the playoffs.

The other 10 do.

NFL

While last year's Super Bowl combatants are long gone and the hottest teams in the NFL have cooled off, there remain 11 contenders for six playoff spots. Only two division titles have been clinched — Buffalo in the AFC East and Chicago in the NFC Central — while Cincinnati and San Francisco have clinched wild-card berths.

The 1988 Super Bowl champion Washington Redskins and the team they beat, Denver, need victories just to finish with .500 records. The two teams that had played best down the stretch — Cincinnati and Minnesota — were beaten last weekend, and the race is wide open.

Today, Washington is at Cincinnati and New England is at Denver. Cincinnati is trying to clinch the AFC Central, and New England's hanging onto wild-card hopes.

Sunday's games with playoff implications have Atlanta at New Orleans, Buffalo at Indianapolis, Houston at Cleveland, New York Giants at New York Jets, Philadelphia at Dallas, Seattle at Los Angeles Raiders, and Los Angeles Rams at San Francisco.

Chicago is at Minnesota Monday night.

AFC East

Although the Bills, 12-3, have clinched the division, they can also secure the home-field advantage throughout the playoffs by beating the Colts or if the Redskins beat Cincinnati.

New England, 9-6, needs a victory over Denver to clinch a wild card, although the Pats also get the wild card if both Indianapolis and Cleveland lose. The Colts, 8-7, get the wild card only if they win, while Cleveland and New England both lose.

AFC Central

A Cincinnati victory or Houston loss clinches the division for the Bengals.

A Houston victory or New England loss give the wild card to the Oilers.

AFC West

Seattle, 8-7, leads the division by a game over the Raiders, 7-8, and only the division winner gets a playoff spot. If the Raiders beat Seattle, they win the division based on a better division record.

Denver is out of the playoffs because of a 3-5 division record.

NFC East

The Giants, at 10-5, win the division by beating the Jets in this "road" game. The Giants, going for four in a row, are visiting at their own ballpark because the Jets also call Giants Stadium home. If the Giants lose and Philadelphia, 9-6, beats Dallas, the Eagles are division champions because they beat New York twice this season.

If the Giants lose, they still could get a wild card if the Rams lose to the 49ers. Philadelphia gets the wild card if it's tied with the Rams and Saints at 10-6 or 9-7.

NFC Central

While the Bears, at 12-3, already have clinched the division and the home field advantage, the 10-5 Vikings could clinch a wild card Monday night with a victory. Even with a loss, however, Minnesota virtually is assured a wild card spot over other 10-6 teams because of victories over Philadelphia and New Orleans, a better conference record than the Giants and a big advantage in net conference points advantage in a three-way tie.

NFC West

The 49ers have a one-game lead, at 10-5, over the Rams and the Saints. San Francisco wins the division on overall record with a victory over the Rams, and the 49ers also get the division crown in a three-way tie because of a better winning percentage among the tied clubs.

Los Angeles can win the division only if it beats the 49ers and the Saints lose.

The Rams get a wildcard with a victory and either a Giants or Eagles loss. The Saints' chances are remote. They must beat Atlanta, and both the Rams and Eagles must lose.

Yeoman still on Houston's payroll

By MICHAEL A. LUTZ

HOUSTON (AP) — The University of Houston's football program, completing one of its one of its most successful seasons, was placed on probation for three years by the NCAA Friday, and barred from bowl games for two years and from television for one.

The penalties stems from violations that occurred during the tenure of former Coach Bill Yeoman, who retired after the 1986 season after 25 years with the school and is now a $100,000-a-year athletic fund raiser.

President Richard Van Horn said the school retained Yeoman partially to assure his cooperation in the probe of the school's football program.

"One of our concerns was that as long as Bill Yeoman was employed by the University, he was bound by university policy to cooperate fully in the investigation," Van Horn said.

"WE DID HAVE a problem that many of the assistant coaches whose positions were ended simply wouldn't talk to us and they wouldn't talk to the NCAA."

The Cougars also lost 10 scholarships for next season, leaving Coach Jack Pardee with 15 scholarships for the 1989-90 academic year.

Houston becomes the seventh school in the nine-member Southwest Conference to be penalized by the NCAA in the past three years.

The punishment does not affect the Cougars' Aloha Bowl appearance against Washington State on Christmas Day. Houston finished the regular-season with a 9-2 record.

The NCAA also advised the school to prohibit Yeoman from "engaging in duties on behalf of the university's athletic program that place him in contact with prospective student-athletes or representatives of the institution's athletic interests for a period of one year."

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New York (AP) – Stock trading for the week:

	DV	P/E	VOL	HI	LO	LST	CHG

A—A

AAR			4417	1122	24¼	23	24⅛ + 1⅛
ACM n		1.01	760	9	8¾	8¾	8¾ — ⅛
ACMIn	1.26a		3952	10% d	10¼	10	10¼ + ⅛
ACM M n		.08e	1542	10	9¾	10	+ ⅛
ACMSc s		1.26	5953	10%	10¼	10⅜	— ⅛
ACMSp n		1.01a	3824	8% d	8¼	8⅜	— ⅛
AMCA		.12e	114	3%	3¼	3¼	
AM Intl			5006	5	4¾	4¾	+ ⅛
AM Int pf		2.00	611	21¾	21¼	21¾	+ ⅛
AMR		9	11780	54¾	52¾	53⅜	— ⅛
ANR pf		2.67	6	25¾	25¼	25⅜	— ⅛
ANR pf		2.12	5	23¾	23¾	23⅜	
ARX		10	1833	6¾	5¾	6	+ ⅛
ASA		3.00a	1380	36⅜	37¼	36⅝	— ⅛
AVX		12e12	850	17	16¾	16⅞	+ ⅛
AbtLab		1.20	15 19770	47¾	46⅝	46½	— ⅛
AbtHbi g		1.00	426	16¾	15¾	15¾	— ⅛
AcmeC			40	2063	8¾	7¾	8⅜ + ⅛
AcmeE			32b27	108	6¼	6	6⅛ + ⅛
Acusn			23	1854	24¾	23¾	24⅜
AdaEx		1.82e		702	15	14⅞	14⅞
AMD			16	34278	8¾	7¾	7¾ + 1⅛
AMD pf		3.00	2561	29¾	29	29⅜	+ ⅛
Adobe				440	6¼	6¼	6⅜ + ⅛
Adob pf		1.84		88	17¾	17¾	17⅞
Adob pf		2.40		76	20¼	20¼	20⅜ + ⅛
Advest			1222	708	7¼	6¾	7⅛ + ⅛
AetnL I		2.76	8	8827	47¼	46	46⅜ — 1¼
AetL pfC		6.79e		103	95½	94	95⅛ + 2
AfilPb s			22	4607	34	32⅞	33⅜ + 1⅛
Ahmans			88	9 14241	16¾	15¾	15⅝ — ⅛
Aileen				117	3¼	3¼	3⅜
AirPrd		1.20	10	16043	40%	39¾	40 — ⅛
AirbFrt				6020	1296 u	20¼	18⅝	19¾ + ⅛
Airgas				16	148	15¾	14⅝	14½ — ⅛
Airlease			2 40	9	159	19¾	19¼	19⅜ — ⅛
AlaP pf		2.12e		300	23¼	23¼	23½ + ⅛
AlaP dpf				87	174	9¾	8¾	9⅛
AlaP pf			9 00	2600	93½	93¼	93¼
AlaP pf			11 00	z540	103¾	102	102
AlaP pf			9.44	z150	94	93¼	93¾ — ⅛
AlaP pf			8 16	z17800	83¾	81	81½ — 1⅛
AlaP pf			8 28	z11000	82¾	81¾	81½ — ⅛
AlskAir				2010	1454	19¾	19¾	19¾ + ⅛
Albnyln				2511	2258	15¼	14⅞	15¼ + ⅛
Alberto				3018	632	36¾	34¾	35⅝ — ⅛
AlbCulA				3013	182	26⅞	26	26¼ — ⅛
AlbIsn				5616	4087	36	36⅜	36⅝ — ⅛
Alcan s			1 20	6	9818	31¾	30¾	31⅛ + ⅛
AlcoStnd				7611	60589	28¾	26⅝	28⅝ + ⅛
AlexAlx			1 00	16	3225	24¾	23¾	24 + ⅛
Alexdr				93	745	67⅞	63¾	66⅝ + 3⅜
AllegCp			10	89	73	71¾	71¾ + ⅛
Alginl				1417	1¼	1⅛	1⅛
Algl pr				303	3¼	3¼	3¼ + ⅛
Algl pfC				215	11	10¾	11 + ⅛
AlgLud			1 00a	7	564	30½	29½	29¾ — ⅛
AlgPw			3 08	10	2474	37¾	37¼	37½ + ⅛
AllenG					721	13½	12¾	12⅝ — ⅛
Allen pf			1 75		326	15¼	14⅝	15⅛ — ⅛
AlnCap n			1 26		889	10½	10	10¼ + ⅛
AltdPd					383	14¼	14	14¼ + ⅛
AltdSgnl			1 80	12	11195	33¾	33	33⅜ — ⅛
AltaMu				78a	x1475	10%	10¼	10¼ — ⅛
AltaMn n				32e	x1558	10	9¾	9¾ — ⅛
AltaMO n				08e	x680	10½	10¼	10¼ + ⅛
ALLTEL			1 72	10	2561	36¾	34⅝	35 — 1
Alcoa			1 40	6	10159	53¾	52	53⅜ + ⅛
AmaxG				0819	809	16¾	14¾	15⅝ — 1⅛
Amax				4011	14658	22¾	21¾	21⅝ — ⅛
Amax pf			3 00		14	40½	39	40 + 1
Amcast				48	9	323	12¾	12¾ + ⅛
AmHes				60	x8714	30¾	29¾	30¾ + ⅛
AmBarck				10e	2348	18⅝	18	18⅝ — ⅛
AmBrnd			2 44	9	11542	55¾	54	54⅝ — ⅛
AmBrd pf			2 75		46	26	27¾	27⅝ — ⅛
AmBrd pf			2 67		2	112¼	112	112 — 3
AmBldM				92	15	89	25½	25½	25½
AmBusPr				88	12	75	25	24¾	25 + ⅛
AmCapBd			2 20		506	20½	19¾	20¼ + ⅛
AmCapCo			5 13e		149	22¼	21¾	21½ — ⅛
AmCapIn n			1 10a	x594	9½	9	9¼ — ⅛
ACMR				1 00	9	354	9	8¾	8⅝ — ⅛
ACentC					416	9-64	d	9-64 — 1-64
ACyan			1 20	14	13842	47¾	45¾	45¾ — 1⅝
AEPPw			2 32a	10	16428	27¾	27¼	27¾ — ⅛
AmExp			84	4	3088	26	12⅜	13⅜ — ⅛
AFamly					2610	3224	13¾	12¾	13¾ + ⅛
AGnCp			1 40	9	13683	30¾	30	30⅝ — ⅛
AGnl wt						3596	6¾	5¾	5⅞ — ⅛
AmGnl n				84a	612	8¾	7¾	7¾ — ⅛
AGIP n				24e	895	9¾ d	9¼	9⅜ — ⅛
AHltPr				2 12	12	587	18¾	17¾	18⅜ — ⅛
AHerit				1 08	12	17	25½	25	25⅜ — ⅛
AHoist						1755	12¾	11¾	11¾ — ⅛
AHoist pf			1 95		475	22½	21¾	21¾	21⅝ — ⅛
AHome			3 60	13	10827	83¾	81¾	82½ + ⅛
Amrtch			5 40	10	12320	96¾	94	95¾ + ⅛
AIntGr			40	9	11748	67⅝	65¾	66¾ — ⅛
AMI				72	12	12785	15¾	14½	15¾ — ⅛
APresd				50	10	3144	33¾	32½	33¾ + 1⅛
APriad pf				3 50	78	58	58⅜	57¾	57¾ + 1⅛
AREst				2 00	9	411	16⅜	15⅝	15⅝ — ⅛
AmRlty				60	3	575	4¾	4¾	4¾ — ⅛
ASB				80	3	620	14¾	12⅜	13 — 1⅛
ASB			1 81		197	17	16⅞	16⅞ — ⅛
AShip					328	5⅝	5	5⅛
AmStor			1 00	16	x4050	57	51½	53 — 4
AStr pfA			4 38		741	62	59	60¼ — 2
AT&T			1 20	15	72079	29¾	28¾	29¾
AmWtr				68	10	4775	18¼	17¾	17¾ — ⅛
AWat pr				1 25		z700	14	14	14
AmHotl					58	534	13	12¾	12¾ + ⅛
Ameron			1 12	12	59	31	30¼	30¾ — ⅛
AmesDp					1012	4410	14	12⅜	13 — ⅛
Ametek					6015	x3212	14	12⅜	13¾ + ⅛
AmesWt				1 08e		173	10¼	10⅛	10⅛ — ⅛
Amoco			3 50	9	16596	75½	73¾	74⅜ + ⅛
AMP			1 00	17	9517	44¾	43	44⅜ + ⅛
Ampco				30		150	13¾	13⅜	13⅜ + ⅛
Amre s				08	23	x1223	15	14⅞	14⅞ — ⅛
Amrep				3	284	8¾	7¾	8 — ⅛
AmSth			1 32	8	x836	23¼	23	23⅜
Anacmp					10	5704	8¼	8	8⅜ — ⅛
Anadrk					3044	3426	27¾	26½	27¾ — ⅛
Analog					15	4594	11¾	11⅝	11⅝ — ⅛
AnchGl					08	26	1606	9¾	8¾	9¾ + ⅛
Angelic					7612	1208	21¾	20½	21¾ + ⅛
AngelRl				1 52		389	9½	9	9 — ⅛
Anheus				7213	23434	32¾	31¾	31¾ — 1
Anthem					10	2206	9¾	8¾	9¾ + ⅛
Anthny s				44	8	366	11¾	11½	11½ + ⅛
Aon Cp				1 28	10	5038	27¾	26	26¾ — 1⅛
Apache				28		3383	8¼	7¾	8 + ⅛
ApPw pf			8 12		z15	10	85	83	85 + ⅜
ApPw pf			7 40		z530	77½	76	76½	
ApPw pf			8 28		z11000	82¾	81¾	82 — ⅛
AppIRs					7	591	32	31½	31⅝ — ⅛
AppIMg					9	3566	13¾	13	13¾ + ⅛
ArchDn			10b	10	22816	21¾	20	20¾ — ⅛
ArcoCh			1 00	7	3637	29¾	28¾	28¾ — ⅛
Aristec				92	4	8590	26	24	24 — 2
ArIPt pf			7 08e		z50	210	72	d 70¾	70¾ — 1⅛
Arkla			1 08	19	7371	20¾	19¾	20¾ + ⅛
Arkla pf			3 00		174	40¾	40¾	40¾
Armada					32	11	11	11
Armco						73	8513	9¾	9¾ — ⅛
Armc pf			2 10		367	23¾	23¾	23¾ — ⅛
Armc pf			4 50		156	42½	41¾	41¾ — ⅛
ArmWt			1 00	9	5132	33½	32¾	33 — ⅛
ArmW pf			3 75		z360	51½	50¾	50¾ — ⅛
ArowE					13	802	6¾	5¾	6¼ + ⅛
ArowE pf			1 94		278	13½	13¼	13¼ — ⅛
Artra					1363	300	26⅜	25⅝	29⅜ + 3¼
Arvin				6826	2308	19¾	18	18⅝ + ⅛
Asarco				80	5	3967	26⅜	25⅛	26⅛ — ⅛
AsCoal n				05e	5	988	11⅝	11⅛	11⅝ — ⅛
AshOil s			1 00	8	2808	34	32¾	33⅜ + ⅛
AsiaPc						878	6¾	6¼	6¾ + ⅛
AtalSos				40e	6	259	4¾	4¼	4¾ + ⅛
Athlone				1 60		266	26¼	24¾	25⅛ + 1
AtlGas			1 86	11	3190	26⅝	25	25⅛ — 1⅛
AtlEnrg			2 76	9	2879	33¾	33⅜	33⅜
AtlRich			4 00	9	15710	80	78¾	79¾ + ⅛
AtlRc pr				3 00		4	536⅜	536⅜	536½ — 7⅝
AtlRc pr			2 80		4	190⅛	189¾	190⅛ + ⅛
AtlasCp					211	28¼	27¾	28⅛ — ⅛
ATMOS			1 12	7	4025	16¾	16⅜	16⅜ — ⅛
AudVd					27	4391	7	5¾	6 — ⅛
Augat				40	3243	11¼	10⅝	11 + ⅛
Ausimt				6016	1682	33⅜	33	33⅜ — ⅛
AutoDI				52	18	x7041	39¾	38¾	39¾ + ⅛
Avalon						295	5¾	5¾	5¾ + ⅛
AVMCO				34	12	598	24⅞	23¾	24⅛
Avery				48	20	3828	22¾	22	22⅜
Avnet				50	14	x6417	21	19¾	21 + ⅛
Avon			1 00		12	846	19¾	19¼	19¾ + ⅛
Avon pf			2 00		2	3272	21	20¾	20¾ + ⅛
Aydin					9	93	21¼	21¼	21¼ — ⅛
Aydin wt						4	14¼	14¼	14¼

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BCE g			2 48		1299	31¼	30¾	31 — ⅛
BET			88e	10	66	16⅜	16¼	16⅜ — ⅛
BMC				6	305	7¼	6¾	6¾ — ⅛
BRE			2 40	16	108	31	30	31 + 1
BRT			2 48	7	423	18¾	18¾	18¾
Bairnco				90		812	25¼	24	25 + ⅛
BakrF s			2 32e		284	19	18¾	19 + ⅛
BakrHu				4631	21132	14	13¾	13⅝
BkrH pf				3 50	1477	40¾	39¾	39¾
Baldor					5624	310	23¾	22¾	23¾ + ⅛
Ball				1 08	12	2615	29¾	29¼	29¾ + ⅛
BallyMf					2423	12819	23¾	20¾	22 + 1⅛
BaltBcp					5068	1076	13¾	13	13⅜ — ⅛
BaltGE			2 00	9	4146	31¾	30¾	30¾ — ⅛
Balt pfB			4 50		z820	52	51	51¾ — ⅛
BncOne				926	9	7826	24¾	22¾	23 — ⅛
BcBstn n					1761	35	35⅜	35⅜
BncCtrl				28	15	148	22¾	21¾	22¾ + ⅛
BnCtr3 n						1	18¾	18⅛	18⅜
BnSant				97e		255	60½	59¾	59¾ — ⅛
BanTex					2871	13-16		7-16	7-16 — 1-16
Bandag					9014	x298	64½	63	63¾ — ⅛
BkBost			1 24	8	x14060	24¼	23¾	23¾ — ⅛
BkB pfA			3 56e		8	40	d 39¾	40	
BkB pfB				6 00e		87	38¾	37¾	38¾ — ⅛
BkB pfC			6 25e		z310	67	67	67	
BkNE				1 36		9612	24¾	22	22⅛ — 2⅛
BkNY			1 92	6	8978	u	37	35⅝	36¾ + ⅛
BnkAm				9	25645		18¾	17¾	18 — ⅛
BkA pf			3 56e		586		35	33¾	34 — 1
BkA pf			6 00e		417		55¾	54¾	54¾ — 1⅛
BkA pf			2 88		420		6¾	6¼	6¾ + ⅛
BankTr			1 86	4	19553		38¾	37¾	37¾ — ⅛
Banner s					256		16¾	15¾	15⅝
Barclay			1 65e	16	1288		30¾	29¾	30¾ + ⅛
Bard s					3218	7209	23¾	22¾	22½ — ⅛
BarrGp			1 20	11	222		36½	35¾	36 + ⅛
Barnwl			1 04	9	8856		33¾	33¾	33½ + ⅛
BaryWr				60a		636	5¾	5	5¾
BASIX				2678	9-32	d	⅛	9-32	+ 3-64
BatlMt					1014	6369	14½	13¾	14¼ — ⅛
Bausch				1 00	14	3386	42¾	41⅛	42¼ + ⅛
Baxter					5014	32882	17¾	16⅞	17¾ — ⅛
Bax pfA			3 67e		17	16	38¼	37¼	38¼ + ⅛
Bax pfB			3 50		1896	58⅜	56¾	57	—1¼
BayFin				05j		186	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛
BayStG			1 66	10	195	u	24¾	24¼	24¾ + ⅛
BearSt				50	8	26608	13	12¾	13 + ⅛
BearS pf			4 00e		23	40	40	40	— ⅛
Bearing				80	12	376	34¾	33¾	34¼ — ⅛
Beazer				52e	7	20	12½	12¼	12⅜ — ⅛
Bckhm n					178	18¾	17¾	17¾	17¾ — ⅛
BectDk			1 00	15	x2697		55	53¾	53¾ — 1
BeldnH					5211	70	30	29	29½ — ⅛
BellAtl			4 08	11	12434	73½	72¾	73¾ + ⅛
Bellted					2815	756	15¼	14¾	15
BellSo			2 36	12	22075	40½	40	40¾ + ⅛
BelloH					4430	1080	24¼	23¾	24 — ⅛
Bemis s					4416	945	23½	21¾	22⅜ — ⅛
BenfCp			2 00	9	4368	46¼	44½	45¾ — ⅛
Benef pf			4 30		24	41	40¾	41 — ⅛
Benef pf			4 50		z280	42	41	41 — 1
Benef pf			2 50		z120	24	24	24
BerkHa				19	5	1719	4¾	3½	3⅝ — ⅛
Berkey					1428		⅞ d	⅞	13-32 — 1-32
BerkHa			188	z550	4975	4875	4900	—100
BestBy				39	803	8¾	8½	8¾
BethSt				5	15687	22¾	21¾	21¾ — ⅛
BethSt pf			5 00		7	75	51	50¼	50¾ + ⅛
BthS pfB			2 50		218	25½	24¾	24¾ — ⅛
Beverly				05j		8752	5¾	4½	5 — ⅛
BevP			1 98e	8	1917	11¼	11¼	11¼
Biocft					15	1085	8¼	7¾	7¾ — ⅛
BirSt s			30	9	1873	23¾	21¾	22¾ — ⅛
BlkstnO			1 10		4999	9 d	9¼	9¾ — ⅛
BlksTT n				08e		11238	10	9¾	9¾ — ⅛
BlkHR				1 04	17	4148	27¼	26¾	27¼ + ⅛
BlueAr s				14e		5337	15¼	15	15¾ — ⅛
BlueChp				19e		1019	6	5¾	6 + ⅛
Boeing			1 60	16	15933	62¾	61	61⅝ — 1⅛
BoiseC s			1 40	7	5803	40%	39¾	39¾ — ⅛
BoltBer				08	13	2689	11¾	d 10¾	11⅜
Bond n						1595	7¼	6¾	6¾ — ⅛
Bondwt						251	1⅝	1⅛	1⅛ — ⅛
BordC s			2 21e		3423	17¼	16⅝	17¼ + ⅛
Borden			1 56	14	5170	58¾	57	57¾
Bormns				05j	6315	u	25⅜	12⅜	24½ + 11½
BrCelts			1 60e	9	2180		13¾	13¾	— ⅛
BostEd			1 82	10	4804		15⅝	15⅛	15⅝ + ⅛
BosE pf			8 88		x6540		85	82¾	84½ + 1⅛
BosE pr			1 46		292		14¾	14	14¾
Bowatr			1 12	7	3001		27¼	26½	26¾ — ⅛
Brazil n					2565		7¾	7¼	7¼ + ⅛
BrigSt s					18014	1577	28¾	26¾	27¾ — ⅛
BristMy			2 00	16	25557	u	46	45¾	45¾
BrkM pf			2 00		1	u190	190	190	+ 5¼
BritAir			1 41e	7	4738	29¾	29	29¾ + ⅛
BritGas			1 60e	11	6259	29¾	29¼	29¾ + ⅛
BritPt			3 28e	13	9026	57	56	56¾ + 1⅛
BritPt wt						2211	7¾	6¾	7¼ + 1
BritPt pp					9440	u	¼	32¾	33¾ + 1¼
BritSH pp					19235	11¾	11	11¾	+ ⅛
BritTel			1 98e	10	207	46½	45¾	46¼ — ⅛
BHP n			1 10e	12	172	24¾	23	23¾ — ⅛
BkIyUG			1 72	10	533	23¾	23¾	23¾ + ⅛
BkUG pf				2 47	1	27¾	27¾	27¾ — ⅛
BwnSh				32	206	14¾	13¾	13¾ — ⅛
BrwnGp			1 56	14	2203	32	31¾	32 — ⅛
BrwnFr			56	18b	11700	28¾	27¾	27¾
Brunsk				44	7	21825	18	16⅝	17 — ⅛
BrshWl				64	15	x3711	26¾	25⅜	26¾ + ⅛
Buckeye			2 40	7	644	21¾	20¾	21¾ — ⅛
BushInt			1 76		137	17¾	16⅝	17⅜
BtlInc			1 80	10	624	13¾	12¾	12⅝ — ⅛
BurlnCt					10	309	17¾	16⅝	17¼ + ⅛
BrlNth			2 20	24	2472	u	76¾	75¾	76⅝ + 1⅛
BrlNt wi						18946	22⅜	d 21⅜	22⅛
BrlNo pf					55	46	8¾	8¾	8¾
BrlSc n			15e	20	081	s	33	31¾	32⅝ + 1⅛
BrlRs wi						6200	32¾	31¼	32⅛
Burndy					48	5903	u	25¾	25¾	25¾ + ⅛
Busmid					16	3110	13¾	13	13¾ + ⅛

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CBI In			9032	2483	26¾	25¾	26⅝ + ⅛
CBS			4.40	15	1916	169¾	167	168⅝ + 1⅛
CCX				609	3¾	2¾	3¼ + ⅛
CDI			13	729	u	30¾	28¾	30¼ + 1⅛
CIGNA			2 96	8	9453	47¾	46	46⅜ — 1⅛
CIGNI n			32e		1707	9¾	9¼	9¾ — ⅛
CML				9	922	18¾	18¾	18⅝ — 1⅛
CMS En				7	4698	25¾	24¾	25⅛ — ⅛
CNA Fn				9	1449	61¾	58¾	59¾ — 1⅛
CNAI			1 24	9	251	11⅛	11⅛	11⅜ — ⅛
CNW				9	3030	26¾	25¾	25¾ — ⅛
CNW pf			2 12		824	25¾	25¾	25¾ — ⅛
CPC			2 40	14	2450	71½	70	70⅝ — 1⅛
CP Ntl				1	7615	2096	38¾	37¾	38¾ + ⅛
CRIIM			8 75e	4	563	13¾	13¾	13¾ — ⅛
CRI II			3 21e	8	x466	14¾	13¾	13¾ — ⅛
CRI III n				1	6010	672	15¾	14¾	14¾ — ⅛
CRSS s					2419	366	u 26¾	24¾	26⅝ + 2⅛
CSX			1 24	58	18740		32	31	31¾ + ⅛
CTS				50	9	272	22¾	21¾	22 — ⅛
C 3 Inc					14	4027	13	12	13 + ⅛
Cabot					9217	2094	38¾	37¼	37¾ — ⅛
Caesar					11	35683	u	32¾	24¾	32¾ + 7⅞
CalFSP				1 00		1186	6¾	6¾	6¾ — ⅛
CalFed			1 40	4	2613	22	21	21¾ — ⅛
CalRE				40	x241	6¼	5¾	6 — ⅛
Calfhn				20		753	15¾	15¾	15¾ — ⅛
Calmat					4815	2048	29	26¾	28 + ⅛
Calton						4	3087	2¾	2¾	2¾
Camni				04		2705	15¾	14¾	15 — ⅛
Cami pf			3 50		235	42¼	42¼	42⅜ — ⅛
CmpR g					2118		¼ d	⅛	11-16
CampSp					9217	7692	32¾	31¾	31⅝
CdnPc g				76	12018	17	16⅝	16⅝
CdnOcs						288	6¾	5¾	6¼ + ⅛
CnlCa pf			1 30		x44	9¼	d 8¾	8¾ — ⅛
CanonG						724	4¾	4	4¼
CapCits					2017	1271	363	352	355¾ — 7
CapHld			1 00	11	3374	33	32	32¾ + ⅛
CapH pf			7 35e		52	86	87	86	87 — 1⅛
Career s					14	3544	9¾	8¾	9¾ + ⅛
Carlisle			1 16	11	1213	32½	30¼	30¼ + ⅛
CarolcP					8	1016	7¾	7	7¾
CarolMd						1	1	1	1 — ⅛
Carolc wt							1	1	1 — ⅛
CarrFt				5427	443	25	23¾	24	24 — 1
CarrPw			2 76	16	6958	u	36¾	36	36¾ + ⅛
CarTec			2 10	14	245	45¾	43¾	45¾ + ⅛
Cargind				10	9	136	5¾	5¾	5¾ — ⅛
CarsPir				1069	5223	u	13	12	12⅜ + ⅛
CartHw					9	1590	8¾	7¾	7¾ — ⅛
CartWri				6815	507	40½	39¾	39¾ — ⅛
CascNG			1 26	11	10	144	14¾	14¾	14¾ + ⅛
CastlCk					13	2441	28¾	27	27⅝ — ⅛
Casterp			1 20	11	10668	63½	61¾	61¾ — 1
CastFr s					1	08	9	478	10½	9	9¾ — ⅛
Castmt					1	8414	47¾	47¼	48¾ + ⅛
CentEn			1 60	6	21926

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MUTUAL FUNDS

AAL Mutual: CapGr p 8.84 9.28 Inco 9.37 9.84 MuBd p 9.88 10.16
AARP Invst: CapGr 24.12 NL GnlM 14.82 NL GenBd 14.67 NL GthInc 21.06 NL TxFBd 16.07 NL TxFSh 15.23 NL
ABT Funds: Emrg p 7.85 8.24 Gthin p 10.29 10.80 Socin p 9.54 10.02 Utilin p 13.73 14.41
Adsn Cap p 14.33 14.77
ADTEK 9.37 NL
AdvntG p 9.04 9.44
AIM Funds: Chart p 5.34 5.81 Const p 7.24 7.80 CrYld p 9.16 9.82 HiYld p 8.29 8.70 LimM p 9.73 9.90 Sumit 6.65 Weing p 9.11 9.56
A M A Funds: ClaGt p 8.78 NL Clain p 8.67 NL EMT p 11.93 12.52 GlbGt p 19.79 NL Glbin p 19.94 NL GlbST p 10.03 NL GrPl p 16.38 NL MedT p 9.77 NL
AMEV Funds: AstAll 10.23 10.71 Capitl 11.66 12.74 Fidcur 18.37 19.24 Grwth 14.88 16.26 HiYld 9.92 10.39 Specl 18.41 NL TF Nat 9.76 10.22 US Gvt 9.48 9.93 AcornF 38.99 38.99 Afuture 9.21 9.21
Advest Advsnt: Govt p 8.27 NL Gwth p 11.91 NL Inco p 9.76 NL Spcl p 9.46 NL
AlgerG t 10.13 10.13
Alliance Cap: Alian p 5.79 5.85 Balan p 12.12 12.83 Cenad p 7.43 7.86 Conv p 8.98 9.50 Count p 14.38 15.20 Divid p 2.53 2.69 Govt p 8.28 8.76 HiYld p 8.26 8.74 Intl p 15.17 16.05 ICalTx 11.90 12.40 InsMu 9.23 9.61
Monin p 11.73 12.41 Mortg p 8.82 9.33 MunCA 9.37 9.76 MuNY 8.67 9.03 NtlMu 9.29 9.68 Quasr 17.40 18.41 Survy p 11.21 11.86 Tech p 19.45 20.58
Amer Capital: Cmatk 12.95 14.15 Corp 7.07 7.42 Entrp 10.15 11.09 Exch 65.16 FdMg p 12.41 13.03 Fd Am 10.08 10.99 GvSc p 9.93 10.65 Grow 15.38 Harbr 12.21 13.34 Hi Yld 8.91 9.55 Mun B 18.22 19.13 OTC 6.12 6.69 Pacc 21.58 23.58 Provid 3.90 4.20 TEHY p 10.68 11.19 TxE I p 10.68 11.21 Ventr 11.47 12.54
American Funds: A Bal p 10.39 11.02 Amcp p 9.78 10.38 A Mutl 17.54 18.61 Bond p 13.34 14.01 CapIB p 22.41 23.78 CapW p 14.83 15.57 Eupac p 25.12 26.65 FdInv p 14.50 15.38 Govt p 13.43 14.10 Gwth p 17.15 18.20 Hi Tr p 14.13 14.83 Incom 11.42 12.12 IntBd p 13.71 14.39 ICA p 12.79 13.57 NEco p 19.62 20.82 N Per p 9.74 10.33 TxEx p 10.75 11.29 TECA p 13.72 14.40 TEMd p 13.57 14.25 TEVA p 14.05 14.75
Anchor Group: Gvsc p 9.74 10.25 Grth p 11.89 12.52 HiYld p 10.11 10.84 Inco p 7.60 8.00 MunB p 7.55 7.95 Util p 11.02 11.60 Value p 13.18 13.87
Citibank tRA-CIT: Balan I 1.73 NL Equit I 1.88 NL Incom I 1.72 NL ShtTr I 1.49 NL Clipper 39.87 39.87
Colonial Funds: AGold p 20.71 22.21 CalTE p 6.84 7.18 CpCsh p 42.55 43.42 CCall p 42.74 43.61 Dvadn 7.22 7.74 Eqinc 14.86 15.94 Fund 18.06 19.37 GvSec p 11.01 11.81 Grwth 11.21 12.02 HiYld p 7.24 7.60 Incom p 6.82 6.95 IncPls 8.82 9.46 IntEq p 18.16 19.07 Mi TE p 6.55 6.88 MnTE p 6.73 7.07 NYTE p 6.55 6.88 OhTE p 6.70 7.03 Smlln p 12.06 12.66 TXIns p 7.46 7.83 TxEx p 12.95 13.60 US Gv p 7.10 7.45 US Id p 13.67 14.35 VIP Hi 9.94 9.94
Columbia Funds: Fixed 12.11 NL Grth 22.05 NL Muni r 11.35 NL Spcl 38.14 NL
Common Sense: Govt 10.92 11.71 Grwth 10.84 11.63 Grinc 10.49 11.46
Composite Group: BdStk p 10.14 10.56 Gwth p 11.02 11.48 InFd p 8.89 9.05 NWPr p 14.73 15.34 TxEx p 7.16 7.46 USGv p 9.72 10.13 Value p 10.71 11.16
Concord Income: Conv 9.59 10.26 USGv f 8.77 7.05 NtITE f 6.98 7.27
Conn Mutual: Gov 10.18 10.66 Grwth 10.92 11.65 TotRet 11.68 12.46
Contl Equities: Equty t 8.76 8.98 Optin t 8.02 8.23 TE CA 7.53 7.72 USGvt t 8.91 9.14 Copley 12.11 NL
Counsellors Fd: CapAp 9.45 NL FixInc 9.77 NL IntGvt 10.03 NL NYMu 9.59 NL
Ctry Cap 15.30 15.77 Cowen t 9.86 9.86 CownOp p 9.22 9.69
Criterion Funds: Cmrc p 8.76 9.20 Gvins p 8.55 8.77 InvQl p 8.85 9.29 Lowry p 8.38 8.80 Pilot p 7.45 7.82 QualT p 9.84 10.33
Sunbelt p 16.07 16.87 Tech p 17.80 18.69 USGv t 8.43 8.85 CvSec t 9.24 9.24 CrtG ft 10.69 10.69 WHYld 9.57 9.57 CmbrldG 9.83 9.83 DR Eqty 10.99 10.99
Dean Witter: AmVl t 13.08 13.08 CalTF p 11.53 11.53 Convt t 8.57 8.57 DevGr t 9.24 9.24 DvGth t 20.10 20.10 GPlus t 8.90 8.90 HiYld 11.78 12.47 NYTF t 10.76 10.76 NtlRs t 9.61 9.61 Optn t 8.09 8.09
SearT p 10.92 10.92 AdTx p 9.08 9.08 Mngd t 10.17 10.17 Strat 9.38 9.93 TaxEx 10.82 11.26 USGvt t 9.43 9.43 Util t 10.56 10.56 ValAd t 12.12 12.12 WldW t 15.08 15.08
Delaware Group: Dectnl 16.46 17.99 Dectll p 11.27 11.83 Delcp p 13.55 14.23 Delchl 7.81 8.16 Dlchll p 7.81 7.99 Gvtln p 8.51 8.93 Inves p 9.71 NL TxFPa 7.67 8.05 TF USI 10.40 10.92 TxFU 11.23 11.79 Trend 7.74 8.46
DIT Funds CaGth p 12.65 NL Curnt p 9.66 NL GvtSc p 9.50 NL OTCG p 25.35 NL Destinyl 11.97 Destll 17.96
Dimensional Fds: Cont 11.83 NL Small 6.78 NL Fixd 100.06 NL Govt 99.43 NL Japan 29.05 NL UKing 24.89 NL DG Div 22.31 NL DodCx Bl 31.91 NL DodCx St 34.92 NL DbleExC 10.20 10.43 DbleTec 14.17 11.95
Drexel Burnham: Bantam 20.81 21.91 DS BD t 10.60 10.60 DS Cv t 8.41 8.41 DST E t 9.62 9.62 DS Gv t 9.25 9.25 DS Gr t 12.14 12.14 DS Ld t 9.49 9.49 DST Op 9.47 9.47 DS P t 10.49 10.49 FenEq t 10.30 10.30 TFLtd 10.40 10.56 TFLg p 9.29 9.70
Dreyfus Grp: A Bond 13.38 NL CalTx 14.30 NL CapV p 24.01 25.14 CvSec 8.87 NL Dreyf 10.74 11.74 GNM p 14.27 NL GthOp 10.07 NL InsTx p 17.13 NL Interm 13.31 NL Levge 13.47 14.10 Mas Tx 15.46 NL NJ Tx p 12.03 NL NwLd p 23.09 NL NY Tax 14.62 NL NYTE 16.20 NL Optn t 8.09 8.09
Eaton Vance: EHStk 13.45 14.50 GvtOb p 11.17 11.73 Grwth 6.85 7.19 HiYld 5.04 5.29 IncBos 9.62 10.10 Invest 7.10 7.45 MunBd 8.84 9.28 Nautls 10.17 10.68 SpEqt 17.93 19.33 TotRt p 7.93 8.33 VS Spl 10.41 10.93
Eaton V Marathn: CalMn t 9.70 9.70 Hilnc t 9.37 9.37 HiMun t 9.50 9.50 EclipEq 10.16 NL EmpBld 16.61 17.44
Enterprise Funds: Grinc t 13.66 13.66 Grwth t 6.85 6.85 HYBd t 12.45 12.45
Equitec Siebel: AgGth t 11.73 11.73 HiYld tf 8.73 8.73 TotRet t 12.95 12.95 USGv t 9.19 9.19 EqStrat 18.77 18.77
Evergreen Funds: Evgrn 12.11 NL TotRtn 17.17 NL ValTm 11.41 NL FBL Gth t 10.59 10.59
FPA Funds: Capit 12.13 12.97 Nwinc 9.56 10.01 Parmt 13.70 14.65 Peren 19.06 20.39 Fairm 45.70 45.70
Federated Funds: CpCsh 9.04 NL Exch 51.02 NL FBF 8.77 NL FT Int 16.91 NL FdrInt 9.40 NL FloatT 9.46 NL GNMA 10.60 NL Gwth 16.93 NL HiYld 9.99 NL Inco 10.01 NL FIMT 9.75 NL MtgSc 9.90 NL Short 10.13 NL SIGT 9.86 NL StkBd 15.33 NL Stock 22.76 NL USGov 8.96 NL
Fidelity Invest: AgrTF r 11.24 NL Balanc 10.49 10.70 BluCh 10.36 10.57 CA TF 10.84 NL CA In 9.37 NL Cda r 12.45 12.70 CapAp r 14.05 14.34 CongSt 92.16 NL ConnT 10.28 NL Contra 12.58 12.58 CnvSc 10.02 10.02 Eq Inc 25.05 25.56 Eqidx 10.63 NL Europ r 12.87 13.13 Exch 70.73 NL Fidel 15.46 NL FlexB 6.66 NL Grwth 12.34 NL GloBd r 11.57 11.57 GNMA 9.91 NL GovtSc 9.26 NL Grolnc 14.75 15.05 GroCo 14.81 15.27 Hilnc 8.58 NL HiYld 12.21 NL InsMu 10.62 NL IntBd 9.87 NL IntGr r 11.80 11.92 LtdMn 9.18 NL Magin 47.60 49.07 MI TF 10.65 NL MA TF 10.87 NL MN TF 9.19 NL MtgSc 9.79 NL MunBd 7.85 NL Oh TF 10.38 NL NJ HY 10.16 NL NY HY 11.42 11.42 NY Ins 10.48 NL OTC 17.44 17.98 Ovrse 24.60 25.36
PcBas r 14.68 14.98 Pa TF 9.55 NL Puritn 12.70 12.96 RealEs 6.91 9.09 ShtBd 9.21 NL ShtTGv 9.79 NL Sht TF 9.43 NL SpcSit 15.99 16.68 TX TF 9.91 NL Trend r 37.89 37.89 Utilinc 11.09 11.32 Value 25.80 NL
Fidl Inv Instit: CTAR r 9.13 NL EqP G 12.30 12.30 EqP I 11.11 NL IP LTD 10.12 NL IP SG 9.39 NL TE Ltd 10.50 NL QuaID 11.94 11.94
Fidelity Selects: SlAir r 9.67 9.87 SlAGI r 14.01 14.30 SlAut r 11.45 11.68 SlBio r 9.96 10.16 SlBrd r 12.43 12.68 SlBrk r 7.46 7.61 SlCap r 9.58 9.78 SlChe r 21.14 21.57 SlCmp r 10.22 10.43 SlDef r 11.27 11.50 SlElec r 6.55 6.68 SlEUt 9.15 9.34 SlEng r 12.59 12.85 SlEnS r 7.29 7.44 SlFnS r 26.77 27.32 SlFd r 18.12 18.49 SlHlth r 34.10 34.80 Slind r 12.81 13.07 SlLeis r 23.47 23.95 SlMD r 7.69 7.85 SlMetl r 11.31 11.54 SlPap r 11.68 11.92 SlPrp r 10.89 11.11 SlReg r 9.40 9.59 SlRetl r 12.45 12.70 SISL r 9.14 9.33 SISoft r 13.75 14.03 SlTec r 16.18 16.51 SITele r 18.50 18.88 SlUtil r 26.61 27.15
Fidl Plymth: Aggln p 9.83 10.24 GovSc t 9.05 9.43 GrOp p 14.10 14.69 IncGr p 10.98 11.44 SpcSit p 9.80 9.95 5.81 6.16.52
FiduCap 14.73 NL
Financial Prog: Dynam 6.63 NL FSB Gv 6.88 NL FSP Eg 9.27 NL FSP Eu 8.97 NL FSP Fn 7.36 NL FSP U 8.52 NL FinTx 14.10 NL Gold 4.86 NL HiSci 14.07 NL HiYld 7.87 NL Indust 3.50 NL Incom 7.99 NL Leisr 11.68 NL Pacif 12.57 NL Select 6.41 NL Tech 10.23 NL
FstEag r 11.39 11.39
Fst Investors: BdAp p 10.22 11.02 Disco p 8.40 9.18 Govt p 10.78 11.62 Gwth p 5.69 6.22 HighY p 13.19 14.22 Inco p 5.23 5.72 IntSc p 4.40 4.81 NYTF p 13.40 14.45 SpcBd 13.32 14.36 TxEx p 9.82 10.59 Value p 10.49 11.46
First Trust: TF Inc 13.30 13.96 TF Ins 14.95 15.70 USGv p 9.93 10.43
Flag Investors: CrpCs p 9.60 NL EmGt p 11.15 11.68 IntTr p 11.84 12.40 Telln p 16.70 TRTs p 9.99 10.46
Flagship Group: AZTE p 9.35 9.76 CpCsh p 34.34 NL CTTE p 9.41 9.82 GATE p 9.51 9.93 KYTE p 9.58 10.00 MITE p 10.34 10.79 NCTE p 9.18 9.58 OHTE p 10.22 10.67 PATE p 9.25 9.66 TnTE p 9.88 10.31 VATE p 9.50 9.92
Flex Funds: Bond p 18.26 NL Grth p 10.25 NL IncGr p 18.99 NL Muirl p 5.29 NL RetGr p 10.23 NL
Fortress Invst: GISI r 9.05 9.14 HiQal t 12.06 12.18 HY TF t 9.89 9.99 TP US r 9.84 9.94 44 WlEq 4.35 4.39 44Wall r 2.34 2.34
Founders Grp: BlueC p 6.58 NL Frntr p 13.71 NL Gwth p 7.60 NL Inco p 7.02 NL Specl 5.67 NL
Franklin Group: AGE 3.30 3.44 AdjMt 10.03 10.45 AZ TF 10.26 10.69 Calins 10.72 11.17 CvtSc 9.15 9.53 CpCsh 7.59 NL DNTC 11.59 12.07 Equity 6.47 6.74 FedTx 11.16 11.63 Gold 10.85 11.30 Grwth 19.58 20.40 HY TF 10.41 10.84 Incom 2.06 2.15 InsTF 10.96 11.42 MaTF 10.49 10.93 MI Tax 10.77 11.22 MNIns 11.14 11.60 NY Tax 10.70 11.15 PaTF 9.42 9.81 Option 5.24 5.46 PR TF 10.43 10.86 SI Gov 10.05 10.20 TA Gov 9.88 10.29 Utils 7.39 7.70 US Gov 6.80 7.08 CalTx 6.82 7.10
Franklin Mgd Tr: CpCsh p 21.14 21.46 InvGd p 8.63 8.99 RisDv p 9.99 10.41
Fst Investors: EqVal t 9.91 9.91 Globl t 10.56 10.56 GlfPl t 10.71 10.71 Gold t 14.36 14.36 GvPls t 9.46 9.46 MgTE t 10.51 10.51 RgBk t 10.72 10.72
FundTrust: Aggr fp 11.88 12.06 Grth fp 12.70 12.89 Grol fp 12.54 12.73 Inco f 9.67 9.82
Fund Source: EqTr p 9.05 9.43 GvSec 6.64 6.76 InEq fp 16.08 NL GabliA t 15.16 NL GabliG t 12.55 NL Geico fp 21.15 NL
GIT Invst: EqSpc 15.65 NL HiYd 10.71 NL InMax 8.26 NL InAIR 9.95 NL TFVA 10.09 NL GNA Inv 9.41 9.41 GatwyGr 9.62 NL GtwyOp 13.61 NL
GT Global: Bond 11.15 11.71 Euro p 15.76 16.55 Gvlnc 10.74 11.28 Intl p 19.83 20.82
Japan p 12.53 13.15 Pacif p 17.26 18.12 WldG p 10.01 10.51
Galaxy Funds: Bond 10.28 10.28 Equity 10.25 10.25 GenAgr p 20.40 NL
Gen Elec Inv: EtInn 10.57 NL EtInTr 28.23 NL EtInTx 10.88 NL S&S 29.40 NL S&S Lg 10.82 NL GnNYT p 18.23 NL GenSec 10.94 10.94 GnTxE p 13.31 NL
Gintel Group: CaAp p 13.00 NL Erisa p 35.37 NL GintFd 64.01 NL GrnGSt p 16.28 NL
Gradison Funds: EstGr p 16.76 NL Gvln p 12.68 12.94 OpGr p 12.95 NL GwWsh p 12.14 12.78 Grth Ind 7.71 7.71
Guardian Funds: Bond 11.69 NL Pamca 21.74 22.76 Stock 19.15 NL HTIns 10.57 11.07 HarbEq 11.33 11.33 HarbrG 10.84 NL
Hart EGt 11.02 11.36 Hart Gth 14.14 14.58 HrvstG p 9.74 10.33 HeartIG p 9.04 9.47
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NCAA probation draws mixed reaction on UH campus

HOUSTON (AP) — University of Houston students had mixed reactions Friday to their school's NCAA-imposed three-year probation, with some agreeing with the penalty for recruiting violations while others attacked the NCAA for not recognizing Houston had cleaned up its football program.

"I think the sanctions are absolutely ridiculous," said Troy Hagood, 33, a history and political science major and avid Cougars fan.

"As soon as (former coach) Bill Yeoman admitted the violations, the board of regents cleaned house. They got a new president, a new athletic director, a new coach at the top of his career and completely squeaky clean," Hagood said.

"Yet, that means nothing to the NCAA. I think the NCAA needs to take a hard look at how they mete out punishment, because I think they've lost credibility on this one."

Many Houston students say their football program has gained in popularity during the Cougars winning season, and worried that momentum would be lost at the school known for dismal turnouts on game days.

"This is a commuter school and there are not a lot of students who come to the games, but people have started to band together this year and go," said Lillian Tran, a sophomore business major. "I think it's going to hurt school spirit."

Others agreed with the NCAA action despite concerns that the Southwest Conference is being unfairly singled out, saying tough punishment and strict enforcement is needed in colleges nationwide.

"I think it's gotten out of hand everywhere. It seems like nobody's really concerned with education anymore," said law student Kathy Marlow.

"All they're interested in is seeing who can make the most money by attracting the best players," said Ms. Marlow. 26.

UH PLAYERS REACT

Cougs lack Aggies' clout

By MICHAEL A. LUTZ

HOUSTON (AP) — The NCAA meted out harsher punishment to the University of Houston because it has less political clout than Texas A&M, Cougar quarterback David Dacus said Friday.

"If we had the political power of Texas A&M, it probably wouldn't have come down that much," Dacus said.

"We're probably a little scapegoat for the Southwest Conference. They used us to say what's going to happen to other schools if something like this happens."

The Cougars were placed on three years probation by the NCAA Friday for rules violations that occurred between 1978 and 1984 during the tenure of former Coach Bill Yeoman.

Houston is banned from bowl appearances for two years and can't play on television next season.

The Aggies were placed on two years' probation in September for recruiting violations and Coach Jackie Sherrill resigned Monday amid the continuing controversy.

"I think that's pretty drastic," Dacus said of sanctions against Houston. "That's the goal of every team to go to a bowl. We've got a young team that can be a bowl contender next year and proably the following year."

The Cougars, 9-2, will play Washington State in the Aloha Bowl Christmas Day in Honolulu.

Freshman linebacker Ted Pardee, son of Houston head coach Jack Pardee, agreed with Dacus' assessment of the penalties.

"The program is just getting turned around and it's not as big as A&M's or Texas," Pardee said. "That kind of thing happens to the small guy I guess."

Other players called the penalties too severe since they were being punished for what happened before they came to the school.

"I didn't expect three years, maybe one year but not three," sophomore quarterback Andre Ware said. "That'll probably make us play that much harder once we go to Hawaii next week.

"It'll mean a lot more to us sophomores because it will be our last chance to play in a bowl game."

Ware, the Cougar starter, says there won't be any players transferring to other schools.

"I'm going to be here until I play my last down or take my last exam," Ware said. "It would be difficult to adjust to another situation.

Senior wide receiver Jason Phillips, who led the nation in receiving the past two seasons, said the penalties will hurt Cougar recruiting.

"They won't be able to get the guys here that they want because of the probation," Phillips said. "I'm sure there are guys that won't want to come to a school on probation so it'll hurt the future recruiting."

Phillips said he was hurt personally by the penalties, although he is a senior.

"It does affect me because I plan to be an alum here and something like this can really hurt," Phillips said.

Phillips said the penalties were unjust for the players and for Pardee.

"Coach Pardee is a great man and he wasn't here when any of this happened, none of us were," Phillips said.

The Cougars are nearing the end of their best season since 1979, when they finished with an 11-1 record that included a 17-14 victory over Nebraska in the Cotton Bowl.

Going to a bowl game after being placed on probation will help ease the pain, wide receiver Brian Williams said.

"We're just going to try to build a foundation and win," Williams said. "But there are some teams that go four years without going to a bowl.

"I'm just happy the way it turned out."

The Cougar still have a goal for next season, although they can't go to a bowl game or appear on television.

"I'd love for us to finish 11-0 next season and have people say we're the best team in the conference and it's a shame we can't go to a bowl game," Ware said.

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Houston's Jamie Mouton, left, and Derrick Price scan list of NCAA sancitions against the Cougars.

Fighter convicted

BERLIN (AP) — Graciano Rocchigiani, the International Boxing Federation super middleweight champion, was convicted of resisting arrest and causing bodily harm by a West Berlin court Friday and fined $11,400. Rocchigiani was charged along with his brother Ralf in the case stemming from a brawl with West Berlin police Dec. 22, 1987, following a party.

The court ordered Rocchigiani to pay the fine to a childrens' home in West Berlin, and fined his brother $3,400, also to be paid to the home.

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Cultures clash as Japanese join automakers

Osamu Itoh, with daughter Urara, 15, center, and wife Mariko, stow groceries in their car after a shopping trip at a Bloomington, Ill., supermarket. They are still trying to adjust to American ways after Itoh tranferred here to work at the Diamond-Star Motors Corp. in Illinois.

EDITOR'S NOTE: When two giant automakers, Chrysler and Mitsubishi, decided to pool their talents and resources for a joint venture, a clash between Japanese and American cultures was sure to follow. For one thing, there are some big differences in the work ethic, not to mention language. Employees of the Diamond-Star plant in Illinois are slowly learning to understand each other, but it hasn't between easy.

By BILL VOGRIN

NORMAL, Ill. (AP) — Normal is a misnomer for the dozens of Japanese who traveled halfway around the globe to go to work in an automobile plant in the heart of Illinois corn country.

This college town of 38,000 in central Illinois has slowly developed an international flavor since Diamond-Star Motors Corp., a joint venture of Chrysler Motors Corp. and Mitsubishi Motors Corp., forced an integration of cultures not easily mixed.

The experience of Osamu and Mariko Itoh and their teen-age daughter, Urara, over the past 18 months is a good example.

Itoh, 43, got a management job at Diamond-Star and a rare chance for his wife and daughter to experience life in America. But they discovered massive adjustments were needed before they could enjoy their new surroundings.

"Last year was very awful for us," Mrs. Itoh says. "Our daughter is 15 years old and is in the ninth grade. It's a very difficult age and she's needed a long time to adjust. At first, she didn't understand English so she wasn't able to make any friends in junior high."

THE SITUATION EASED, thanks to intense studying at home and a stint at summer camp in Wisconsin which helped break the language barrier and introduce Urara to sailing, horseback riding and wind-surfing.

The Itohs' experience is common among Japanese workers transfered by Mitsubishi.

Mitsubishi has transfered about 50 employees to management positions at Diamond-Star for periods ranging from three to five years. Two hundred technicians have made the 6,700-mile trek, rotating in for six-month assignments training their American counterparts in the assembly plant, with its 470 robots, designed by Mitsubishi.

The plant also utilizes many Japanese management techniques, such as group discussions on quality. About 100 Americans also went to Japan to study plant operations there and bring back insights into the Japanese work ethic.

Mitsubishi and Chrysler are co-owners of Diamond-Star. The plant makes cars that will be divided between the two companies and marketed by them under different names.

THE PLANT FORMALLY opened on Nov. 10 and unveiled its first model, a two-door, turbo-charged coupe that Chrysler chairman Lee Iaccoca and Mitubishi chairman Toyoo Tate took a ride in. It will be called the Plymouth Laser and the Mitsubishi Eclipse. Next summer, the plant will produce a four-wheel drive version of the Laser called the Talon for Chrysler's Eagle division.

The plant will employ 2,900 and produce 240,000 cars annually when it reaches full production, expected next fall.

But language, innocent hand gestures and work attitudes all represent barriers that Japanese workers must overcome, along with obvious changes in palate, social habits and entertainment.

That has required adjustments by both Japanese and Americans, starting at the top.

"On a one-on-one basis at the human level, there have not been any problems," says G. Glenn Gardner, Diamond-Star chairman. "There has not been any prejudice or anything like that. But the language barrier has been an absolute nightmare. It's been 10 times worse than I ever imagined."

"And things like body language are so much different. For three years now, I've been working with Japanese executives and I'm just now catching on to Japanese body language."

Gardner cited his recent memo exchange with Diamond-Star president Yoichi Nakane.

"We exchanged letters on the same subject three times before we reached an understanding. I couldn't get my point across because of a word here or a word there. It's tough sometimes."

Often, it's less difficult on the assembly line because Japanese technicians can simply demonstrate for American trainees and don't have to rely on words as much.

"At first, we had a little trouble communicating," says Barb Gardner, 44, a paint shop employee who has 21 years experience on assembly lines and operating heavy machinery. She is no relation to the Diamond-Star chairman.

"When we were first hired, they taught us to talk plain English — to talk direct — and use hand gestures. They even taught us some basic Japanese, like 'good morning' and 'good afternoon.' They also taught us some Japanese history and Japanese culture."

TO HELP AMERICANS better understand their new Japanese colleagues, a group of three Japanese — an industrialist, an educator and a journalist — started a two-week speaking tour of the nation in Normal and the neighboring city of Bloomington.

While the Japanese are complimentary of their American hosts, there are complaints, centering on entertainment and food, especially a lack of fresh fish and other staples of their diet.

"I like America," Mrs. Itoh says. "I never get homesick. But I'm not satisfied with the shopping. In Tokyo, I can get anything I want. Here, I can't get everything, especially Japanese food and fashionable clothes."

Itoh marvels at the size of American-grown vegetables, but doesn't understand the popularity of hamburgers and fast food. He follows U.S. politics but wonders, "Can you tell a Democrat from a Republican?."

"The United States is super, other than its fast food," Itoh says. "When I brought my daughter home from three weeks at summer camp with no Japanese food, I promised her a trip to the best sushi restaurant in Chicago. She said, 'No, Daddy, I want a hamburger and a Coke.'"

Loneliness can be a problem for people like Katsuhiko Kawasoe, 51, a Diamond-Star executive whose wife and children remained in Japan.

"Sure I miss them," Kawasoe says. "But for the time being, there are many things to do at work and I play a lot of golf. It's completely different kind of golf course here. It's so flat, and it's much cheaper than in Japan."

The Japanese find the American educational system much less demanding than their own. They worry their children will fall behind upon returning home.

TO SHORE UP perceived weaknesses in the American system, the state has been spending $120,000 a year since 1986 to pay for a special school at Illinois State University, operated by the Rev. Nobukaza Tanaka, 45.

Every Saturday, 73 Japanese in grades one through nine are tutored in Japanese language and culture, mathematics, and social studies.

"We focus on the Japanese language because we're afraid the students might forget their Japanese writing, reading and speaking skills," Tanaka says. "After three years in the United States, quite a large number of young people struggle with the language when they return to Japan."

Diamond-Star also hired Todd Imahori, 32, an assistant professor of communications at Illinois State, to train both its Japanese and American workers.

Japanese workers are schooled on body language, told to avoid crossing their arms during conversations and avoid certain hand gestures considered offensive in America.

American workers are taught how to understand English spoken with a heavy Japanese accent, to interpret common Japanese gestures and the different Japanese work ethic.

Imahori teaches the Japanese workers about American work habits and attitudes, which are geared toward individual achievement and reward rather than the group-oriented goals common in Japan.

"In Japan, if a worker gets behind he voluntarily stays late to catch up. Here, workers go home at 5 p.m. whether the work is done or not," he says. "Then there are the family concerns of American workers, which must be taken into consideration, and holidays. Religious holidays do not exist in Japan."

BESIDES INSTITUTIONAL HELP provided by schools and the company, intergration into American life has occurred naturally with the opening of Kiku, a sushi restaurant, and The Oriental Mart.

The mart specializes in food for Asians and natives of the Pacific Islands: spices, canned goods, hugh sacks of rice, frozen fish, vegetables and all sorts of imported delicacies.

It was opened in April by four Filipino women who came to the area to work as quality-control inspectors at a local power plant construction project in the 1970s. They stayed in the twin-cities area, Bloomington-Normal, when the job was finished and became naturalized Americans.

"There was a need for an Oriental store in the twin cities and we were having a hard time finding jobs so we opened the store," says Laurita Walaskay, one of the owners.

There are other signs the two cultural opposites are starting to mix. The end of each tour of duty by a Japanese technician prompts a party at a local bar with their American co-workers.

"We hate to see them go," Mrs. Gardner says. "We all get along. There's a mutual respect. And we go out and drink beer together. I enjoy them and I'm looking forward to training in Japan."

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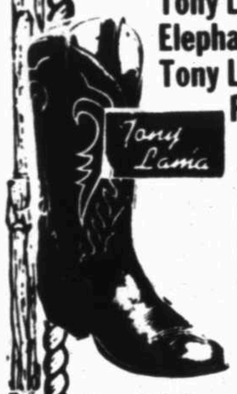

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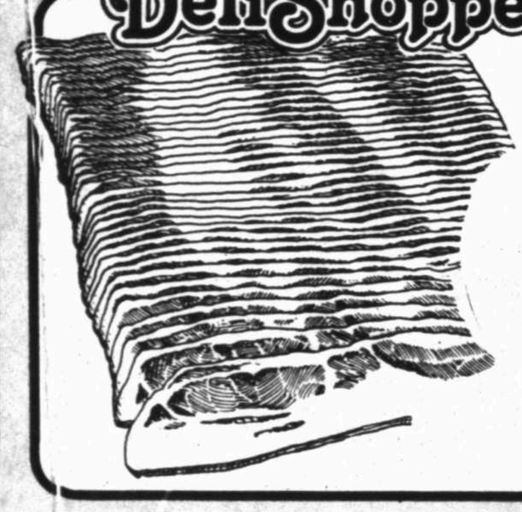

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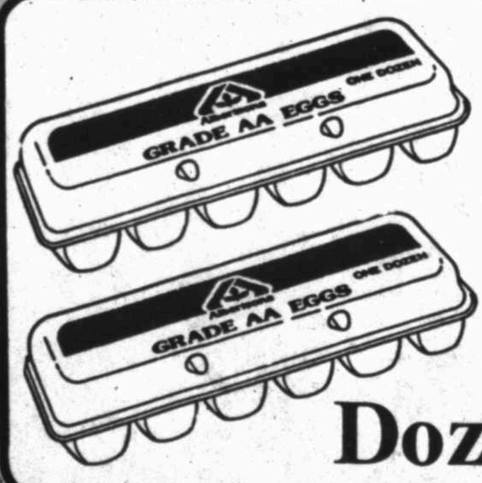

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High school pupil hopes to tread in footsteps of Shakespeare

By MARGARET DORNBUSCH

WEST COLUMBIA, Texas (AP) — Neil Simon move over, Andy Sims is on his way.

An 18-year-old senior at Columbia High School, Sims has written and is directing a one-act play that will be performed at the high school theater.

"Haunted," a romantic comedy about a girl and her ghostly former fiance, was written for a cast of five men and four women.

The play centers around a group of people trying to perform a play, Sims said. Leading man Damon Osgood is attracted to leading lady Natalie. But Natalie's dead fiance, now a ghost, doesn't want Damon and Nancy to get together.

Sims, who always has wanted to be a writer, said the 30-minute play is his most ambitious effort. "I've written short stories and poetry, but this is my biggest work so far."

Though the play was written in just two weeks for a Texas Educators Theater Association competition, Sims said he has had the plot in mind ever since he returned from a workshop at Sam Houston State University, where he played a ghost in a one-act play.

Cast members have been receptive to his work, the Brazoria resident said. "Most like the play. They're also helping me a lot."

Because he is both writer and director, Sims can explain how each character was created. And now that cast members are becoming more familiar with the characters, each helps revise the part, telling Sims whether or not that particular character would say a particular line or do some kind of action.

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Andy Sims, 18, a senior at Columbia High School, has written and is directing a one-act play that will be performed at the high school theater.

When he is finished with the play, Sims said he may try to get it published, although a playwright he met this summer told him being published is not as important as being performed.

Theater arts teacher Peggy Mungerson said in her 21 years in the classroom, this is the first time a student wrote seriously and carried it this far.

"He is very bright, very creative," she said. "Since he was my only fourth-year acting student, we thought this would be a good project for him to work on."

The two had discussed allowing Sims to direct a play last spring. After the play was completed, both thought "Haunted" would be a good piece with which to make his directorial debut.

The play will be staged at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Columbia High School theater.

Sims is interested in continuing his theater work after high school. He hopes to attend Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos, which has an outstanding theater arts program, he said.

High school yearbooks for 1986 finally arrive

ENID, Okla. (AP) — Chisholm High School officials don't know who to blame: the publisher, the postal service or school officials, but yearbooks for the class of 1986 arrived a little late.

The school received them Tuesday.

Some of the students who ordered and paid $20 for their yearbooks are now juniors in college, said school Superintendent Alan Livingston.

"It's been a fiasco," Livingston said.

School officials mailed material for the yearbook to Taylor Publishing Co., of Dallas, four separate times, Livingston said. Some material sent by certified mail was received. Other material, sent uncertified, was not and had to be redone.

"Every time we'd get a notice the material didn't make it, I'd get out my Kleenex box and cry a little," Livingston said.

Each time the yearbook material was lost, publishing company executives searched their warehouses but never found it.

"Was the U.S. mail service that poor, to lose it four times? I don't think so," Livingston said.

That leaves Taylor Publishing. Livingston is willing to let them off the hook too.

"Do I think we dropped the ball and messed up? That I don't know," Livingston said.

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Woman lures family home for Christmas

By SHELLY EMLING

REFUGIO, Texas (AP) — For the first time in more than a decade, Deb Bauer will celebrate Christmas with her entire family.

The 31-year-old Refugio native has spent weeks mailing invitations to family member statewide to come home for the holidays, and the replies have been positive. Her five brothers, one sister, 19 cousins and their children all will converge on the town of 3,890 in two weeks.

Bauer is her own best example of an idea she had last summer for a weeklong campaign in Refugio dubbed "Home for Christmas."

Faced with a population decline of 1,000 in the past two years, Bauer and the Refugio Chamber of Commerce are pulling out all the stops in an effort to rekindle interest in the county and entice former residents to return for a second look.

The campaign drive is characterized by a full calendar of holiday events for residents and visitors the week before Christmas.

Residents here say they are proud of their historical community and aren't afraid to show it off.

The Spanish built their last mission in Texas at Refugio in 1795 in an attempt to Christianize the Karankawa, a feared Indian tribe they believed to be cannibalistic. The mission was called "La Mission de Nuestra Senora del Refuge" — the Mission of Our Lady of Refuge.

Joe Cavanaugh, director of the Refugio County Museum, said the city boasts a wide selection of historic buildings, many of which date from the late 1860s to the turn of the century.

A tour of eight such historical homes will kick off the "Home for Christmas" campaign at 1 p.m. Dec. 18.

Stops on the tour, being organized by the Refugio County Historical Society, include the historic Our Lady of Refuge Church and homes featuring antique collections and displays of homemade Christmas ornaments.

Tickets for the tour are $10 each and can be purchased only on the day of the tour. Tickets will go on sale at the church at noon.

A tour of the homes two years ago drew 250 people.

"It may take awhile to get something started here, but once you do, everyone in the town really rallies together to get something accomplished," Bauer said.

Refugio's residents are determined to put gloomy statistics behind them — including the decline in population and a higher-than-state-average unemployment rate.

Last summer the Refugio County Industrial Foundation was reactivated after a 10-year lapse.

Members of the foundation have asked economists at Texas A&M University in College Station to survey the county to determine its strengths and weaknesses.

Mayor Olan McBroom said Refugio traditionally has been held together by high school football and is hoping the "Home for Christmas" campaign reiterates the city's other good points, such as a strong feeling of family.

"Football is No. 1 in this town," McBroom said. "It's the one thing that really unites everyone and gets everyone excited."

The Refugio Bobcats were one point shy of a Class 2A state championship last year and reached the semifinals this year.

Bauer, who returned to Refugio to practice law after attending St. Mary's University in San Antonio, fondly remembers when her family would gather each Christmas Eve at her grandparent's house for a Mexican luncheon, complete with tamales and enchiladas — a Bauer tradition.

"I remember it was always a big deal for us to go to bed for a few hours and then have to wake up, get all dressed up and go to midnight Mass," she said. "Although Christmases aren't the same anymore, it's still the best time of the year.

"Things aren't going to improve in Refugio unless we ourselves do something about it," Bauer said.

"Home for Christmas will remind us what we have to offer here," she said. "We tend to forget when we live here and take it all for granted."

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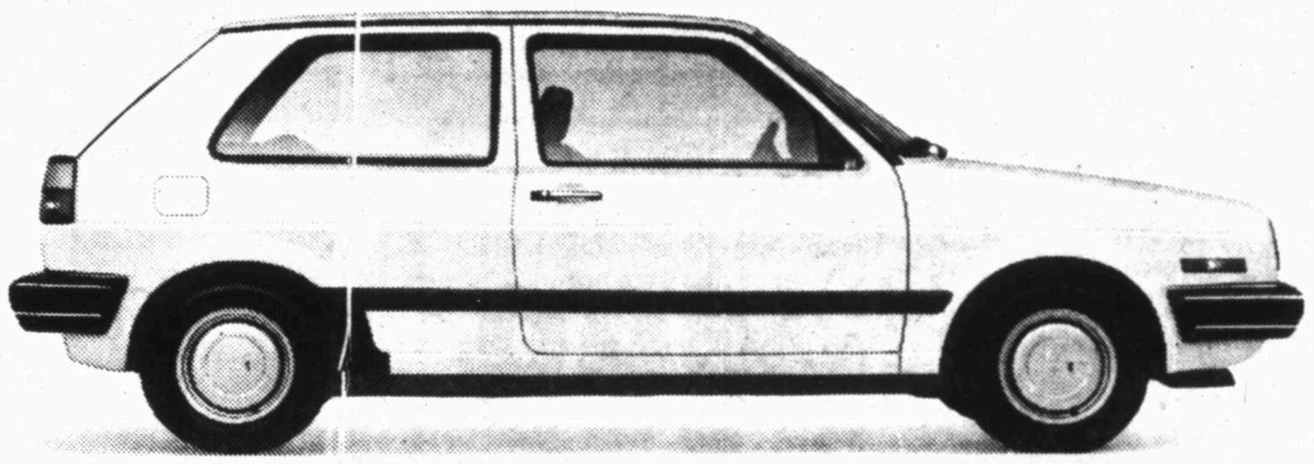

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Girl wants to thank man who played Santa Claus

RICHARDSON (AP) — A 9-year-old girl would like to find a man who acted like Santa Claus but looked "like Superman" so she could thank him for making a Christmas wish come true.

Judy Darr was shopping with her parents last Sunday at Zale's at Valley View Mall in Dallas when a crystal teddy bear caught her eye. It cost $30.

The girl told her father if she saved $7 more, she'd have enough for the bear. The family continued shopping, and a few minutes later "a gentleman came up and dropped a box in front of me," Judy wrote in a letter to the Dallas Times Herald.

"He tapped me on the shoulder and said, 'Merry Christmas.' We looked up, and he was gone. We opened the box, and there was a beautiful crystal teddy bear," she wrote.

"We were startled and looked around for him. We could not find him. Now I have the teddy bear on my TV stand. Every time I look at it or think of it, I wish I could thank him. I hope he will read this and know I wish him a Merry Christmas."

Patricia Bohn, the girl's mother, said her daughter described the man as looking "like Superman before he was Superman, which I guess means like Clark Kent."

"It's experiences like this that renew our faith in people, that they are good and kind," Mrs. Bohn said.

"This man made a little girl very happy, and she wants to grow up and be just like that. I wish we could thank him."

Eye exam set for inauguration day

CONCORD, N.H. (AP) — A state Motor Vehicles Division computer, showing no deference for politicians, scheduled Gov.-elect Judd Gregg for an eye exam for his license renewal on inauguration day.

"I think it would be fair to say we've got a scheduling conflict here," said Gregg's spokesman, Brian Grip.

The division expects to change the appointment.

"I'm sure they will be more than happy to change it for him to a time that is more convenient," a motor vehicles official said.

Gregg is to be sworn in at the Statehouse at noon on Jan. 5. His eye exam appointment is in Peterborough, more than an hour away, at 1 p.m.

PUBLIC MEETINGS

TODAY

Palmer Drug Abuse Program, Parents/Relatives of Drug Abusers, 11 a.m., First Baptist Church, Room 258, 685-3836.

Evening recreational and leisure time activities for persons with mental retardation, 682-9771.

Parents Without Partners, 685-0804 or 682-9396.

Overeaters Anonymous, noon, 408 South G. Call 699-0008, 684-8726, 756-2769 or 689-7299 for information.

Open duplicate bridge. Allison Bridge Center, 7:30 p.m., Call 682-4461 for information.

Overeaters Anonymous, 7-8 p.m., Glenwood Psychiatric Center (at Terminal), "Speaker" meeting.

West Texas Singles, 8:30pm, American Legion, "Moon Riders," info. 1-366-0836.

SUNDAY

West Coast Swing Dance Club — lessons and dancing 2-5pm at Eagles Club. For more info. 683-6995.

Greater Permian Basin Duplicate Bridge and Novice Duplicate Bridge, 1:30 p.m., Helon Y. Allison Bridge Center.

Afternoon recreational and leisure time activities for persons with mental retardation, 682-9771 for information.

Tall City Road Riders, breakfast 9 a.m., Warfield Truckstop. For information, call 682-9669 or 687-5313.

West Texas Aquarium Society, 7:00 p.m. at Rich Air at Midland International Airport. For more information call Ken Ellis at 689-8376.

CODA Freedom Group of Co-Dependent Anonymous, 8 p.m., Green House at 307 N. 'G' Street, open discussion. Info. 682-7130

Overeaters Anonymous, 4-5 p.m., Big Book Study, 408 S."G" St., Info. 563-5109.

Support Groups at Clearview: AA, 11 a.m., closed; 6:30 p.m., open; ALANON, 11 a.m., open, 6:30 p.m., open. For more info. 697-5200.

MONDAY

Narcotics Anonymous, 8 p.m., Hope Lutheran Church.

Adult Children of Alcoholics, 8 p.m., St. Nicholas Episcopal Church, 2900 Princeton St. For information, call 694-8856, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. weekdays or 684-3848 weeknights and weekends.

Palmer Drug Abuse Program, Older Group (Ages 17 and up), 7:30 p.m., First United Methodist Church, 685-3645.

Rebekah Lodge No. 91, 8 p.m., 610 E. Florida St.

Midland (Downtown) Kiwanis Club, noon, Midland Center.

East Side Lions Club, 7:30 p.m., El Rancho Grande.

Greater Optimist Club, 7:30 p.m., Midland Dayton Tire.

Wall Street Toastmasters Club, 5:30 p.m., Rodeway Inn, 685-1790.

Permian Basin Chapter of S.P.E.B.S.Q.S.A., (Barbershop Chorus), 7:00 p.m., Our Savior's Lutheran Church, 3309 Neely, John Stone, 687-6271.

Singles Bible Study, Inter-Denominational, First Baptist Church, 7 p.m.

Midland Chapter, American Association of Retired Persons, 6:30 p.m., Senior Citizens Center.

Midland Camera Club, 7:30 p.m., Planetarium

Midland Assembly No. 193, Order of the Rainbow for Girls, 7 p.m., Masonic Temple.

Bulimia Support Group, 7:30 p.m. For more information, call 683-0375 or 699-5010.

D.A.V. Chapter 58 and auxiliary meets at VFW Post 4149 meeting hall, 6:30 p.m. For information, call 682-3562.

Tall City Republican Women's Club, 7 p.m., Holiday Inn, Country Villa.

CODA Freedom Group of Co-Dependent Anonymous, 7:00 p.m., Green House at 307 N. 'G' Street, womens group discussion. Info. 682-7130

Midland Genealogical Society Volunteers are available 7-9 p.m. every Monday evening at the Midland County Library, to help beginning genealogists.

Overeaters Anonymous, "Step Study," 7:30-8:30 p.m., 408 S. "G" St., Info 563-5109

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West Texas Singles, Eagles dance lessions, 7:30pm. Info. 1-366-0836.

Midland Senior Center, 2500 Delano, 9:00, billiards; 9:30, exercise; 10:00, kitchenette, games; 11:30, lunch; 12:30, art class w/C.Cornelius; 1:00, games; 6:30, AARP.

TUESDAY

Time-Outers, 7pm. Speakers and discussion on problems of parenting. Call 685-1282 for info.

Headliners Toastmasters, 12-1:15 pm, Reporter-Telegram conference room, open to public. For more info. call Chip McCarver 682-5311, ext. 170.

Support Group For Battered Women, 7:30 pm. Info. 683-1300, 563-0800

Palmer Drug Abuse Program, Younger Group (Ages 12-16), 7:30 p.m., First Baptist Church, Room 251, 685-3836.

Tuesday Duplicate Bridge Club, 12:30 p.m., Helon Y. Allison Bridge Center.

Texas T.O.P.S. Morning Chapter, 9 a.m., Grace Presbyterian Church.

Morning Lions Club, 6:45 a.m., Carrows Restaurant, 2201 W. Wall.

Pop-Up Toastmasters, 6:30 a.m., Rodeway Inn, 694-1447.

55-Plus Dance Club, 7:30 p.m., Tall City VFW Post No. 7208.

Midland West Rotary Club, noon, Holiday Inn Country Villa.

Optimist Club, noon, Ramada Hotel, 3100 W. Wall.

T.O.P.S. No. TX 898, 4 p.m., Grace Presbyterian Church.

Optimist Club of Midland, noon, Best Western Motel Restaurant.

Tall Town Toasters, 7 p.m., Colonial Room, Rodeway Inn, 687-3551 or 683-1859.

Norman Read Chapter No. 1010, OES, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple.

American Legion Auxiliary of Woods W. Lynch Post No. 19, 8 p.m., American Legion Hall.

Midland A&M Club, noon, Sans Souci Club.

Permian Basin Solar Society, 7:30 p.m., Plaza Cafe, Odessa.

Midland Road Runners Club, 7 p.m., Student Center, Midland College.

Tall City Chapter, Your Homemakers of Texas, 7 p.m., Room 116, Midland High School, 682-7367.

Golden Park Independent Retirement Community, 3100 W. Kansas. 699-0914. Senior Citizens Brunch, 10:30 a.m.

Narcotics Anonymous, St. Paul's Methodist Church, 4501 Thomason. 8 p.m.

Novice duplicate bridge. Allison Bridge Center, 7:30 p.m. Call 682-4461 for information.

Adult Children of Alcoholics, 7:30 p.m., Clearview

Young People's A.A. 7 p.m., 307 North G (behind Holy Trinity Episcopal Church.) Call 686-9298 for information.

Permian Basin Road Runners Club, fun run at 6:30 p.m. at the Par Course at Wadley and A Streets. Following the run, the club holds its monthly meeting. Call 694-4271 or 694-2882 for more information.

Overeaters Anonymous, 12 noon, 408 S. "G" St., Info. 563-5109.

Support Group Meetings at Clearview: ACA (Adult Children of Alcoholics), 7:30 p.m., open. For more info. 697-5200.

West Texas Singles, $1 movie night, 7pm. Meet at Model Shop beside Grandview Cinema. Info. 1-366-0836.

Midland Senior Center, 2500 Delano, 9:00, billiards, ceramics, exercise; 9:30, shuffleboard, 9:30-12:00, Blood Pressure Day; 10:00, games; 11:30, lunch; 1:00, games, bridge.

WEDNESDAY

Permian Basin Duplicate Bridge and Novice Duplicate Bridge, 7:30 p.m., Helon Y. Allison Bridge Center.

Midland Downtown Lions Club, noon, Midland Center.

MCC Women's Golf Association, 9 a.m., club.

West Side Optimist Club, noon, Granada Club, Wall Street.

Ladies Auxiliary to Tall City VFW Post No. 7208, 8 p.m., VFW Hall.

Modern Study Club, 1:30 p.m., Midland Woman's Club.

Texas State Guard Headquarters Fourth MP Group, 8 p.m., Texas National Guard Armory.

Collegiate Wrestling Club, all ages, no charge. For more information, call Larry Wollschlager at 685-0531.

Midland Hispanic Chamber of Commerce Women's Department monthly meeting, 5:30 p.m., call Celia Morales, Chairwoman for more information, 683-2194.

CODA Freedom Group of Co-Dependent Anonymous, 8:30 p.m., Green House at 307 N. 'G' Street, mens group discussion. Info. 682-7130

Fraternal Order of Eagles Permain Aerie #2982 meets every Wednesday, 8 p.m. at the Aerie Home, behind Rogers Ford, W.Hwy.80 service road on Brinson Lane.

Midland Genealogical Society Volunteers are available 1-4 p.m. every Wed. afternoon, Mid. Public Library, to help beginning genealogists.

Overeaters Anonymous, 7-8 a.m., 408 S. "G" St., Info. 563-5109

Businessmen & Womens Bible Studies, 11:30 am and 12 noon, Clay-Desta Towers West, 10 Desta Dr., Rm.LL100. For info. call S. Spencer 683-1370, P. Ramsey 683-5610, J. Brown 687-3511 or 682-3914.

Downtown Businesswomens Bible Study, 11:30 am and 12 noon, 312 E. Illinois, Su. 6. For info call E. Hunter 682-4780, B. Isaacs 682-6598, P. Ramsey 683-5610.

West Texas Singles, Christmas caroling, 7:30pm, meet at 3800 Englewood 4-Season Nursing Home. Info. 1-366-0836.

Midland Senior Center, 2500 Delano, 9:00, billiards, ceramics; 9:30, exercise; 10:00, singing, quilting; 11:30, Christmas Dinner; 1:00, games, bridge.

THURSDAY

Southside Lions Club 7:30 am, Fairmont Park Lanes, 5320 N.Loop 250. For info. 694-0903 evenings.

Texas State Guard 4th MP Group Headquarters, 7:30 p.m. second and fourth Thurs., Texas Nat'l Guard Armory.

Company D, 403rd BN, 4th MP GP, Texas State Guard. 7:30 pm every Thurs., Texas Nat'l Guard Armory.

Hogan Park Women's Golf Association, Hogan Park Golf Course

Kiwanis Club of Midland Village, noon, Granada Club.

Westside Lions Club, noon, Westside Lions Club Den.

Rotary Club of Midland, 11:55 a.m., Chamber of Commerce.

Permian Toastmasters, noon, Permian Basin Graduate Center.

Palmer Drug Abuse Program, Parents/ Relatives of Drug Abusers, Room 258; Younger Group (Ages 12-16), Room 251, 7:30 p.m. both groups, First Baptist Church.

RHCC Women's Golf Association, 9 a.m., Club.

Civil Air Patrol, 7 p.m., Army Reserve Center, Midland Regional Air Terminal, 685-3384.

Midland Palette Club, 7 p.m., 907 W. Wadley, 682-4979.

WINDOW ON WEST TEXAS

PUBLIC MEETINGS

North Side Lions Club, 7:30 a.m., Ranchland Hills Country Club 699-4484.

Midland Chess Club, 7:00 p.m., Midland High Youth Center, 689-7940.

Parents Without Partners, 7:30 p.m., Unitarian Universalist Church.

Young Homemakers of Texas, Midland County, 7 p.m., Lee High School Home Ec Room. Call 697-6353 for information.

Golden Park Retirement Center, Bingo for Senior Citizens, 3 p.m., 3100 W. Kansas.

Take Off Pounds Sensibly (T.O.P.S.), Texas No. 1139, 6:30 p.m., 1007 Austin St. 694-7273.

Narcotics Anonymous, St. Paul's Methodist Church. 8 p.m.

CODA Freedom Group of Co-Dependent Anonymous, 6:30 p.m., Green House at 307 N. 'G' Street, open discussion. Info. 682-7130

Overeaters Anonymous, "Eating Disorder Book Study," 12 noon, 7:30-8:30 p.m., 408 S. "G" St., info. 563-5109.

Support Group Meetings Held at Clearview: NA, 8 p.m., closed. For more info. 697-5200.

West Texas Singles, Johnny's BBQ, 2201 Kermit Hwy. 7pm. Info. 1-366-0836.

Midland Senior Center, 2500 Delano, 9:00, billiards; 9:30, dancing; 10:00, games, No Lunch Today; 12:00, center closes.

FRIDAY

Palmer Drug Abuse Program, Older Group (Ages 17 and up), 10 p.m., First United Methodist Church, 685-3645

Southside Lions Club, noon, Southside Lions Club Building.

Midland Jaycees, noon, Midland Center, 683-7330

Evening recreational and leisure time activities for people with mental retardation, 682-9771.

Midland Woman's Club Shoppers Luncheon, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Open to the public.

Tall City Road Riders, dinner ride, 7 p.m., leaving from Texas American Bank. For information, call 682-9669 or 687-5313.

Support Group Meetings at Clearview: AA, 8 p.m., closed; ALANON 8 p.m., open. For info. call 697-5200.

West Texas Singles, 7pm Imperial Gardens, Midland. Info. 1-366-0836.

Midland Senior Center closed.

SPECIAL EVENTS

MIDLAND COLLEGE — Dance instructor Brenday May with some of the other area dance teachers will present "Rhythms From Life" at the Allison Fine Arts Building Auditorium tonight at 8 p.m. Price for the recital is $4. Call 682-4111 for reservations.

CHURCH OF RELIGIOUS SCIENCE — Singles of the area are invited as special guests for a New Year's Even celebration and banquet, 8pm Saturday, Dec.31. Mexican food, music, singing, games and dancing. The world-wide special prayer service starts at 6am. The cost of the evening's dinner and festivities is $6 per person. Reserations are to be made by Dec. 24. Info. Merrilyn Walker 684-8448, 682-9495 or Kathi Young 68a4-4230.

PAINT DAUBERS ARTS & CRAFTS GUILD — gift boutique at the north end of Midland Park Mall through the end of Dec. The public is cordially invited. The products of 31 Midland artists are displayed.

MIDLAND SENIOR CENTER — Annual Christmas Dinner for Midlanders 55+, 11:30 Dec. 21. To make reservations, call 699-5023 by noon Dec. 19.

SPORTS

WEST TEXAS SPORT DIVERS ASSOC. — Second Thursday of each month at 7pm. Trips, introductory scuba. Divers and non-divers welcome. Call 68S-CUBA or 1-362-2763.

ADULT SOCCER — The Permian Basin Soccer Assoc. offers soccer all year long. Our winter indoor league will soon be forming. All skill levels are represented, from beginner up. Persons interested in any of our leagues, Co-ed, men's, women's, indoor or outdoor, please call and leave your name, address and phone number on the answering machine 697-0509.

MIDLAND/ODESSA RUGBY — Football Club now practicing. All are welcome. For more info., all Jeff, 687-0998 or Bob, 689-8391.

EAGLES NEST PARACHUTE CLUB — A skydiving club with up-to-date equipment. Instructors licensed by the U.S. Parachute Association. Located 15 miles south of Midland on FM 1787. Call 563-2063 or 697-1863 for more info.

WESTEX SKYSPORTS INNOVATIVE PARACHUTE CLUB — Advanced parachute techniques & U.S. Parachute Assoc. group member. First jump course available with USPA licensed instructors. Drop zone located at Stanton Municpal Airport. For more info., call 683-JUMP, 367-JUMP

AEROBATIC AND SPORT Flying Club — For beginners and advanced aerobatic students. Call 563-4409 for info.

MIDLAND PARKS AND RECREATION

Table Tennis, 7-10 p.m., Mon., Free Volleyball, 7-10 pm Tue.

Free Basketball, 7-10 pm Thurs.

Fitness Fun, 1:30-3:30 Mon-Wed., 10-11 Fri. First session Sept. through Dec.; second session Jan. through May. $25 fee for each.

Parks & Rec. Gym, 300 Baldwin Sept. through May

MIDLAND MASTERS SWIM TEAM for adults. Coach: Scott Tuttle. Triathlon training and competition offered. Mabee Memorial Swim Center, evenings or mornings. Call 684-7755 or 689-9647 for info.

CITY OF MIDLAND SWIM TEAM — conducting tryouts each Mon.-Fri. before 5 p.m. by appointment. Children should be able to swim a minimum of 25 yards to qualify. Lessons are available for those not able to qualify. Call 684-7755.

GOLDEN PARK INDEPENDENT RETIREMENT COMMUNITY — WALKING PATH, open 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Tues. and Fri. for people 55 and above. Call 699-0914 for details. Free.

FIELD HOCKEY — open to the community. 2 p.m. Sunday, Fannin Elementary, beginners welcome. Instruction and equipment furnished.

KENPO KARATE — Central YMCA, classes Tues. and Thurs. Beginners through Advanced, 9 years and up, 6:30 - 9. $25. non-members. Curtis Abernathy, 683-8152 or 685-6649.

DATES TO REMEMBER

MIDLAND HEALTH DEPARTMENT
501 Andrews Hwy.
683-4281, Ext. 423

Monday, 8-11 a.m. and 1-4 p.m.: Personal Health Service including childhood immunizations of DPT, oral polio, measles, mumps and rubella.

Monday through Friday, 8-10 a.m. and 1-3 p.m.: Examination and treatment for venereal disease; HIV testing and counseling.

Monday through Friday, 8-8:30 a.m. and 1-1:30 p.m.: Environmental health services. Information and inspection on restaurant and septic tanks.

Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to noon and 1-5 p.m.: Restaurant inspections.

Monday through Wednesday, 8 a.m. to noon and 1-3 p.m.: Laboratory analysis of public/private water samples. Located 501 Andrews Highway, 685-7370.

MIDLAND COMMUNITY-THEATRE — "Squabbles," a comedy suitable for the entire family will be presented in the Davis Theatre through today. This is the last membership show of the season, Next year's membership may be used for this show.

ODESSA COLLEGE — Auditions for OC's production of "Pirates of Penzance" set for 7 pm Dec. 18-19 at Stage II in Deaderick Hall. Roles for five male and five female actors with a large chorus of pirates and police. Anyone interested is encouraged to audition. For more info. call 1-335-6616 or 335-6618.

DISPLAYS & EXHIBITS

NITA STEWART HALEY Memorial Library — 1805 W. Indiana, Collections and programs on Texas and Southwestern history. Open to the public from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Mon.-Fri.

Z. TAYLOR BROWN-SARAH DORSEY Medallion Home — Call 682-2931 for tour appointments, 213 N. Weatherford. House owned, restored and maintained by the Midland County Historical Society.

MIDLAND COUNTY HISTORICAL MUSEUM — Open 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Mon.-Thurs. and 9 a.m.- 12 noon and 1-4 p.m., Sat. in the basement of the Midland County Library, 301 W. Missouri.

THE MARIAN BLAKEMORE PLANETARIUM — presents "Season of Light" at 2 p.m. and 3:30 p.m. Sunday, and 7:30 p.m. Tuesday and Wednesday. Located in Haley Park. Open to public at no charge.

MIDLAND COUNTY LIBRARY — Hours are 9 a.m.-9 p.m. Mon.-Thurs. and 9 a.m.-6 p.m. Fri. and Sat. Located at 301 W. Missouri. Summer hours: 9 a.m.-9 p.m. Mon., 9 a.m.-6 p.m., Tues.-Sat. Centennial Branch Midland Park Mall hours: 10 a.m.-9 p.m. Mon.-Thurs., 10 a.m.-7 p.m. Fri. and Sat., 1-5 p.m., Sun.

McCORMICK GALLERY — Hours: 8 a.m.-10 p.m., Mon.-Thurs.; 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Fri.; 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sat.; 1-5 p.m., Sun.

MUSEUM OF THE SOUTHWEST — Located at 1705 West Missouri, open, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Tue.-Sat. and 2-5 p.m., Sun.

Saturday, Children's Christmas Celebration, 10-2pm

Video Tuesday, 12 noon, 2 and 4 pm, "Voyages: Journeys of the Magi."

The Sonia and Kaye Marvins Portrait collection, through Dec. 29.

What Rudolph Knows, The Christmas Exhibition, Dec. 9-Dec.29.

The Museum will be closed Dec.23-26.

DOWNTOWN LIONS FIRE TRUCK MUSEUM — Central Fire Station, 1500 W. Wall. Open daily from 9 am-9 p.m. Display of 1917 and 1928 American LaFrance fire trucks, pictures of early day firemen, and other interesting memorabilia.

EOS BIRD REHABILITATION CENTER — 3306 West Golf Course Road. Midge Erskine, director - 694-8001. The center cares for sick, injured and young wildlife.

SIBLEY ENVIRONMENTAL LEARNING CENTER — Hogan Park. Operated by the Midland Soil and Water Conservation District. Dick Hagelstein, 684-6827.

ART INSTITUTE OF THE PERMIAN BASIN — Lee Chesney, Prints (including The Gettysbury Suite) will be on display through Nov. 6. A printmaker whose work moves in a spiral fashion, towards the ultimate masterpiece. For more info. call Letha Hooper, 368-7222.

SEMINARS

STRAIGHT — A family-oriented treatment program for drug-using young people and their families. Counseling and referral services offered to families in crisis situations. Office hours are from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. For more info. call 687-4673.

Explorer hopes to raise chests of colonial tea

BOSTON (AP) — Exactly 215 years after revolutionary patriots dumped 342 chests of tea into Boston Harbor to protest colonial tyranny, an explorer launched an effort to retrieve them.

Barry Clifford, a salvage entrepreneur who located the first pirate ship in the New World four years ago, stood on the docks of Boston Harbor in below-freezing temperatures Friday, gesturing across a channel as divers prepared to jump into the icy waters.

"It was a cold night, the winds were coming from the northwest and the tide was coming in," said Clifford, referring to the evening of Dec. 16, 1773, when 30 patriots, angered over King George III's three-penny tax on a pound of tea, raided three ships and dumped the tea overboard.

Clifford hopes to bring back about 40 or 50 of the wooden chests and place them in a museum with some of the $40 million in artifacts he found on the wreck of the pirate ship Whydah in 1984.

He is not bothered by criticism that he may be disturbing historical sites or the skepticism voiced by museum officials about whether the tea chests are still intact after two centuries underwater.

"We've left this alone for more than 200 years," Clifford said. "Boston Harbor is one of the greatest archaeological resources we have. We've already gotten letters from schoolchildren around the country. It's good when something like this focuses attention on a historical event."

Though the actual site where the tea was dumped, Griffin's Wharf, now lies 150 yards inland under a Boston Edison substation, Clifford said he believes tides would have moved the chests into the Fort Point area. He said most of the crates were simple wooden boxes except for about 50 that were of an ornate Chinese design.

Using a chartered lobster boat, Clifford and a crew of five motored to the middle of Fort Point Channel, an area of the harbor located between downtown and South Boston.

Three divers wearing dry suits and thermal underwear prepared to dive 35 feet into the water searching for signs of the crates. Clifford also directed electronic searches of the area using sidescan sonar and side-bottom profiling machines.

Clifford said he got the idea to look for the Tea Party chests from an unlikely source: President-elect George Bush.

"I was driving along one day listening to George Bush talk about the pollution in Boston Harbor," said Clifford. "But it came to me all of a sudden how we should go look for the chests. No one has ever looked at Boston Harbor before."

Friday's search was the first step in what Clifford said could be a project that takes years. Though Clifford has informal permission from state officials to scan areas of the harbor, he has been turned down in his bid for exclusive rights to survey a nautical square mile.

This month the state Board of Archaeological Resources told Clifford that he must first retrieve artifacts from the site that are at least 100 years old. Clifford plans to go before the board again after locating artifacts and hopes to apply again for a permit giving him exclusive rights to search the area.

NORTHWESTERN BAPTIST CHURCH

AN OLD FASHIONED CHRISTMAS

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The Adult & Children's Choirs
December 18 11:00 A.M.

9:45 AM Bible Study
11:00 AM Morning Worship
6:00 PM Church Training

7:00 PM Evening Worship
A Southern Baptist Church

Located at 3901 Mockingbird Lane
Between Midland Drive and Midkiff Road.

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Church Calendar

Seventh Day Adventist
3114 Travis St.
Eddie Card, Pastor
9:30 a.m.: Sabbath School
11:00 a.m.: Worship service
7:30 p.m.: Weds. prayer mtg.

Ebenezer Seventh Day Adventist
410 S. Calhoun
Junior Walter, pastor
9:30 a.m.: Sabbath school
11:00 a.m.: Service
6:30 p.m.: AYS

The New Covenant Worship and Praise Center
4001 W. Illinois
Ron Moore, Pastor
Services: Thursday at 7:30 p.m., Sunday at 10:30 a.m. and 7 p.m.

APOSTOLIC

First Apostolic
710 S. Baird
Rev. Lowell Cessna, Pastor
10:00 a.m.: Morning worship
10:30 a.m.: Bible study
m7:00 p.m.: Evangelic service

Iglesia Apostolica De La Ge En Cristo Jesus
2309 S. Ft. Worth St.
Rev. Valentin B. Torres, Pastor
10:00 a.m.: Sunday school
6:00 p.m.: Evangelic service

New Bethany
511 S. Stonewall St.
E.B. Roberts, Pastor
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship
6:00 p.m.: Young people's meeting
7:45 p.m.: Evening worship

ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Calvary Assembly of God
908 S. Johnston St.
Rev. Gayle Reeves, Pastor
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship
7:00 p.m.: Evening worship

First Assembly of God
100 W. Wadley
Rev. Raymond Schaeffer, Pastor
9:30 a.m.: Sunday school
10:30 a.m.: Morning worship
6:00 p.m.: Evening worship

Temple Jerusalem
De Las Asambleas De Dios
1113 S. Belmont St.
Rev. Manuel Hernandez, Pastor
10:00 a.m.: Morning worship
6:00 p.m.: Evening worship

Triunfo de la Cruz
907 S. Terrell St.
Rev. Jose Sepulveda, Pastor
10:00 a.m.: Morning Worship
6:00 p.m.: Evening Worship
7:30 p.m.: Wed. Service

BAPTIST — FUNDAMENTAL

Bethel Baptist
4001 W. Illinois
Dr. R.S. Day, Pastor
10:00 a.m.: Sunday school
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship
6:45 p.m.: Evening worship
7:30 p.m.: Weds. service

BAPTIST — INDEPENDENT

Cuthbert Avenue
3308 Cuthbert
694-0675
Bob Reese, Pastor
Ray Stringer, Evangelist
10:00 a.m.: Sunday school
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship
6:00 p.m.: Bible study
7:30 p.m.: Wed. prayer meeting

Kelview Heights
Off N. Big Spring at Scharbauer
Frank Johnson, pastor
9:00 a.m.: Preaching service
9:00 a.m.: Sunday school
10:15 a.m.: Preaching service
10:15 a.m.: Sunday school
6:30 p.m.: Sunday evening
7:00 p.m.: Wed. service

Midland Baptist Temple
3001 N. A Street
Rev. Verle Gunter
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship
6:00 p.m.: training course
7:00 p.m.: Evening worship

Parklea Baptist
2906 Franklin St.
Rev. Terry Chapman, Pastor
9:30 a.m.: Single vision
10:00 a.m.: Sunday school
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship
6:30 p.m.: Evening worship
7:30 p.m.: Wed. service

Temple Baptist
4301 Thomason Dr.
Rev. Darrel Martin
10:00 a.m.: Sunday school
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship
6:30 p.m.: Evening worship
7:30 p.m.: Weds. Service

BAPTIST — MISSIONARY

Antioch Baptist
1600 E. Golf Course Rd.
D.F. Johnson, Pastor
8:30 a.m.: Teacher's meeting.
9:30 a.m.: Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship.
8:00 p.m.: Training Union.

Bethel Baptist
410 S. Calhoun
Rev. Billy R. Ashley, Pastor
10:30 a.m.: Sun. morn. worship
7:00 p.m.: Sun. even. worship
7:30 p.m.: Wed. even. worship

Tall City Baptist Church — ABA
3500 Anetta Drive
W.R. Simpson, Pastor
10:00 a.m.: Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship.
6:00 p.m.: Baptist training course.
7:00 p.m.: Evening worship.

Community First Missionary Baptist
409 W. Pine Ave.
Dr. O.L. Taylor, Pastor
9:30 a.m.: Sunday school
10:45 a.m.: Morning worship
4:45 p.m.: BTU
6:00 p.m.: Evening worship

Dellwood Baptist
West Ohio & Midkiff Sts.
Mike Vestal, Pastor
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school
10:55 a.m.: Morning worship
6:00 p.m.: Bible study
7:00 p.m.: Evening worship
7:30 p.m.: Wed. service

Greater Mt. Zion Missionary Baptist Church
310 S. Fairgrounds Rd.
685-4118 or 687-6104
Rev. M.A. Brown, pastor
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship
7:00 p.m.: Evening worship

Macedonia Baptist
201 S. Carver St.
Rev. O.J. Archie, Pastor
9:30 a.m.: Sunday school.
10:45 a.m.: Morning worship.
4:45 p.m.: Training Union.
6:00 p.m.: Evening worship.

Mt. Calvary Baptist
303 E. Shandon St.
Rev. Robert E. Latham
9:30 a.m.: Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship.
5:00 p.m.: Training service.
6:00 p.m.: Evening worship.

BAPTIST — OTHERS

Galilee Missionary
Fairgrounds Road
Rev. G.B. Williams, Pastor
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship.
7:00 p.m.: Evening worship.

Goodwill Baptist
1400 S. Main Street
Rev. C.D. Joiner, Pastor
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship
6:30 p.m.: Evening worship

Grace Baptist
(Missionary Baptist)
2101 S. Fort Worth St.
Rev. J.G. Rose, Pastor
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship.
7:00 p.m.: Evening worship.

Greater New Hope
2400 E. New York St.
Rev. Joseph Williams, Pastor
9:30 a.m.: Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship.
5:00 p.m.: Baptist Training Union.
6:00 p.m.: Evening worship.

Greater Ideal Baptist
411 S. Tyler
Rev. Norris Harris, I, pastor
9:30 a.m.: Sunday school
10:45 a.m.: Morning worship
6:00 p.m.: Training union
7:00 p.m.: Evening worship

South on Rankin Highway to Sandy Acres Drive (Five Blocks West)
Rev. James L. Garrett, Pastor
9:55 a.m.: Sunday school.
10:50 a.m.: Morning worship.
7:30 p.m.: Evening worship.

Mt. Rose Baptist
211 N. Tyler
William Palmer, Pastor
9:30 a.m.: Sunday school
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship
6:00 p.m.: BTU
6:00 p.m.: Evening worship

New Jerusalem
1801 N. Carver St.
Rev. John F. Campbell, Pastor
9:15 a.m.: Sunday school.
10:45 a.m.: Morning worship.
5:30 p.m.: Training Union.
6:30 p.m.: Evening worship.

People's Protestant Missionary Baptist
1201 E. Spruce St.
Rev. L.L. Martin, Pastor
9:30 a.m.: Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship.
6:00 p.m.: Evening worship.

Primitive Baptist
411 W. Shandon St.
Elder J.E. Barrington, Pastor
10:30 a.m.: Morning worship.
6:30 p.m.: Evening worship.

BAPTIST — SOUTHERN

Mt. Carmel Baptist Church
1308 East Pecan Ave.
John Mitchel, Pastor
Study 683-7151 Church 683-6833
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school
11:15 a.m.: Morning worship
6:00 p.m.: Church training
7:00 p.m.: Evening worship
8:00 p.m.: Tuesday WMU
7:00 p.m.: Wed. Prayer Service
7:30 p.m.: Wed. Choir rehearsal
7:30 p.m.: Thurs. teachers mtg

Alamo Heights
1305 Midland Dr.
Dr. John S. Rasco, Interim Pastor
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship
6:00 p.m.: Training union
7:00 p.m.: Evening worship

Bellview Baptist
1701 N. Big Spring St.
Rev. G.A. Magee, Pastor
9:30 a.m.: Sunday school.
10:50 a.m.: Morning worship.
5:30 p.m.: Training Union.
6:30 p.m.: Evening worship.

Calvary Baptist
1001 S. Main Str.
Jim Ray Brown, Pastor
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship
6:00 p.m.: Training Union
7:00 p.m.: Evening Worship

Cotton Flat Baptist
Rankin Highway
Rev. Ross Payne, Pastor
10:00 a.m.: Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship.
6:00 p.m.: Training Union.
7:00 p.m.: Evening worship.

Crestview Baptist Church
3300 Thomas St.
Dr. Rex Horne, Jr.
8:30 a.m.: Worship Service
9:30 a.m.: Sunday School
10:50 a.m.: Worship Service
6:00 p.m.: Training Union
7:00 p.m.: Evening Worship

Emmanuel Baptist
1800 E. Cherry Lane
Rev. Pablo Garcia
8:45 a.m.: Radio program KJBC.
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship.
6:00 p.m.: Evening worship.
8:00 p.m.: Wed. prayer meeting.

Fannin' Terrace
2800 Mogford Dr.
Rev. Ben Walker, Pastor
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship
6:00 p.m.: Church training
6:00 p.m.: Evening worship
7:15 p.m.: Wednesday Prayer

First Baptist
2104 W. Louisiana St.
Dr. Daniel G. Vestal, Pastor
8:30 a.m.: Morning worship.
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship.
5:45 p.m.: Church training program.
7:00 p.m.: Evening worship.

Genesis
306 N. Weatherford
Oscar Bejil, Pastor
9:00 a.m.: Spanish speaking service.
10:00 a.m.: English/Spanish Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.: English speaking service.
6:30 p.m.: Brotherhood and WMU.
7:00 p.m.: Wednesday, Prayer and Bible study.

Getsemani Baptist
Calvary Baptist
1001 S. Main
Rev. Jorge Herrera
11:00 a.m.: Sunday school
12:00 p.m.: Worship
5:30 p.m.: Evening worship
7:30 p.m.: Wed. worship

Greenwood Baptist
On Cloverdale Road next to Greenwood School
Rev. Wayman Swopes, pastor
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship.
5:00 p.m.: Youth choir.
6:00 p.m.: GA, RA and Mission Friends.
7:00 p.m.: Evening worship and adult choir rehearsal.
8:00 p.m.: Prayer meeting.

Iglesia Bautista Betel
1311 W. Florida
Rev. Ismael Villa, pastor
Sunday:
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school
11:00 a.m.: Worship service
5:00 p.m.: Church training
6:00 p.m.: Worship service
Wednesday:
7:00 p.m.: WMU & Brotherhood
8:00 p.m.: Bible study & prayer
For more information, call 682-1404.

Northeast Baptist Church
1 mi. north of East Hwy 80 on FM 1130 North
Dave Sammons, Pastor
9:45 a.m.: Bible Study
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship
6:30 p.m.: Evening Worship
7:00 p.m.: Wed. Prayer Meeting

Northwestern Baptist
Mockingbird Lane
(Between Midkiff Road and Midland Drive)
James Aldridge, Pastor
9:45 a.m.: Bible study.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship.
6:00 p.m.: Church training.
7:00 p.m.: Evening worship.

Primera Iglesia Bautista Mexicana
503 N. Tyler St.
Rev. Axel Chavez, Pastor
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship.
6:45 p.m.: Training Union.
7:45 p.m.: Evening worship.

Ranchland Heights
Two miles south on Tower Rd.
D.G. "Rocky" Denton, pastor
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship
6:00 p.m.: Training Union
7:00 p.m.: Evening worship

South Memorial
1700 W. Carter St.
Rev. J.W. Stovall, Pastor
8:15 a.m.: Radio program.
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school.
10:55 a.m.: Morning worship.
5:30 p.m.: Training Union.
6:30 p.m.: Evening worship.

Templo Bautista La Hermosa
Off Sandy Acres Road on Hollums Road
Rev. Pedro Estrada
684-4326, 684-5688
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship
6:00 p.m.: Evening worship
7:00 p.m.: Tues. prayer
7:00 p.m.: Weds. service

Travis Baptist
1000 E. 61st St.
Roy R. Roach, Pastor
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship.
6:00 p.m.: Training Union.
7:00 p.m.: Evening worship.

Valley View Baptist
Bro. Robert Frazier, pastor
Two mi. south Hwy. 158E to FM 1213
10:15 a.m.: Sunday school
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship
6:00 p.m.: Training Union
7:00 p.m.: Evening worship
8:30 p.m.: Weds. prayer

West Kentucky Baptist Chapel
1507 W. Kentucky St.
Bob Porterfield, Pastor
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school.
10:55 a.m.: Church service.
7:00 p.m.: Evening service.

Wilshire Park Baptist
801 Bentwood St.
William Penland, Pastor
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship
6:45 p.m.: Church training
7:00 p.m.: Evening worship

BIBLE CHURCH

Community Bible Church
4404 Comanche
Corner of Midland Drive
Rev. Richard L. Saum, Pastor
9:30 a.m.: Sunday school
10:45 a.m.: Morning worship
6:30 p.m.: Evening worship
10:00 a.m.: Thurs. Ladies Bible study
7:00 p.m.: Wed. Prayer meeting

Grace Chapel
La Quinta Meeting Rooms
694-3413
Frank Dennison, Teaching Elder
11:00 a.m.: Worship service

Midland Bible Church
2800 North A
9:15 a.m.: Sunday school
10:30 a.m.: Worship service
9:00 a.m.: Wed. Ladies Bible Study

CATHOLIC

Our Lady of Guadalupe
1001 N. Tyler St.
Rev. Domingo Estrada, O.M.I. Pastor
Rev. Michael Slattery, O.M.I., Asst. Pastor
Sunday Masses: 8, 10, and 12:00 Noon
Weekday Masses: Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, 7:00 p.m., Spanish; Tuesday, Friday 7:00 p.m.
Saturday Mass: 5 p.m., Spanish
Saturday Confession: 3:00-4:30 p.m.

St. Ann's Catholic
204 North "M" St.
Rev. Fred Nawarskes, Pastor
Sis. Regina Decker, CDP
Pastorial Associate
Sunday Masses: 9 a.m., 10:30 a.m. and 12 noon
Weekday Mass: 8 a.m.
Saturday Masses: 5:30 p.m.
Saturday Confessions: 3:30-5:00 p.m. and 6:30-7:00 p.m.

St. Stephens Catholic Church
4601 Neely Avenue
Rev. Robert M. Kelly
Saturday Mass: 6:00 p.m.
Sunday Masses: 8:00 a.m., 10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m.

CHRISTIAN

Christian Church of Midland
2606 Neely St.
Robert E. Blazek, Minister
Bobby C. Duncan, Associate Minister
9:45 a.m.: Bible classes.
10:45 a.m.: Morning worship.
7:00 p.m.: Family worship hour.
7:00 p.m.: Wed.: Bible study.

CHRISTIAN — DISCIPLES OF CHRIST

First Christian
1301 W. Louisiana
Dr. Ray Bristol, Sr., Minister
Suzie Anderson, Youth Director
Brenda Morris, Educ. Director
Anthony F. Lackland, Organist/Choirmaster
8:30 a.m.: Worship, chapel
9:30 a.m.: Church, school
10:45 a.m.: Worship, sanctuary
5:30 p.m.: Youth groups

Memorial Christian
1001 Andrews Hwy.
Clark Ford, Senior Minister
Gary Groves, Associate Minister
9:30 a.m.: Sunday school
10:50 a.m.: Morning worship
5:00 p.m.: Youth group
6:00 p.m.: Vespers

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

First Church of Christ, Scientist
1001 W. Tennessee St.
10:30 a.m.: Sunday school
10:30 a.m.: Worship service
7:30 p.m.: Wed. service
Reading room — 201 W. Wall:
10 a.m.-4 p.m., Mon.-Fri.
10 a.m.-noon, Sat.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Permian Church of Christ
2909 W. Front St.
10:30 a.m.: Morning worship
6:30 p.m.: Evening worship
For information, call 697-7616

North Midland Drive Church of Christ
6208 N. Midland
Richard Trull, Minister
9:30 a.m.: Bible school
10:30 a.m.: Worship
6:30 p.m.: Evening worship
7:30 p.m.: Wed. worship

Church of Christ
North A and Tennessee Streets
Colquitt Nash, Minister
9:30 a.m.: Bible classes.
10:30 a.m.: Morning worship.
6:00 p.m.: Evening worship.

Church of Christ
110 W. Pennsylvania St.
10:30 a.m.: Morning worship.
6:00 p.m.: Evening worship.
7:30 p.m.: Wed., worship.

Church of Christ
1701 Hughes St.
10:30 a.m.: Morning worship.
6:00 p.m.: Evening worship.

Church of Christ
400 W. Dormard St.
10:30 a.m.: Morning worship.
7:30 p.m.: Evening worship.

Church of Christ
(Spanish speaking)
1301 Cherry Ln. (NE of city)
Fernando Prado, minister
10:00 a.m.: Bible classes
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship
6:00 p.m.: Evening worship

Church of Christ
Corner Cuthbert and Austin Streets
Roger M. Hendricks, Minister
9:45 a.m.: Bible study.
10:40 a.m.: Morning worship.
6:30 a.m.: Evening worship.

Church of Christ
3800 W. Golf Course Rd.
Douglas F. Parson, Minister
9:00 a.m.: Morning worship
10:00 a.m.: Bible Study
6:00 p.m.: Evening worship

Church of Christ Eastside
611 S. Webster
Howard Adams, Minister
9:45 a.m.: Sunday School
11:00 a.m.: Worship

Fairmont Park Church of Christ
3813 N. Midland Drive
Ralph A. Gates, Minister
9:00 a.m.: Bible study.
10:00 a.m.: Worship service.
6:30 p.m.: Worship service.
7:30 p.m.: Wed., service.

Church of Christ
101 N. Lee
L.H. Alexander, Minister
Gene Morris, Asst. Minister
9:30 a.m.: Bible study
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship
5:30 p.m.: Bible study
6:30 p.m.: Evening worship
7:30 p.m.: Wed. Bible class

Church of Christ, Main Street
Corner of N. Main and Parker
Alfred Johnson, Minister
10:30 a.m.: Morning worship
6:00 p.m.: Evening Worship

Church of Christ, North Side
1511 N. Ft. Worth
Dan Johnson, Minister
Collier McKenzie, Assistan Minister
9:00 a.m.: Bible Study
10:00 a.m.: Morning worship
6:00 p.m.: Evening worship

Church of Christ, Spanish
Orchard and Loma Vista Streets
Benigno Tarango and Israel Patino, Ministers
10:00 a.m.: Sunday morning worship.
6:00 p.m.: Evening worship.
7:00 p.m.: Wed. worship.

Church of Christ Westside
4410 W. Illinois St.
Don Mitchell, Charles Taylor, Bobby Clark, Ministers
9:00 a.m.: Sunday school and Bible study
10:00 a.m.: Morning worship
6:30 p.m.: Evening worship

Greenwood Church of Christ
Clyde Smith, Minister
1½ miles west of Greenwood School on Cloverdale Road
9:30 a.m.: Bible study.
10:30 a.m.: Worship.
6:00 p.m.: Worsip.
7:30 p.m.: Wed. Bible study.

Midland Church of Christ
3416 Thomason
10:00 a.m.: Sun. bibly study
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship
6:00 p.m.: Evening worship
7:00 p.m.: Wed. bible study
For more information call 694-3482.

CHURCH OF GOD

Alexander Temple Church of God in Christ
200 N. Tyler St.
Rev. C.S. Johnson, Pastor
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school.
11:30 a.m.: Morning worship.
6:30 p.m.: Youth hour.
8:00 p.m.: Evening worship.

Church of God
5300 Thomason Drive
Rev. M.R. Thomason
10:00 a.m.: Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship.
7:00 p.m.: Evening worship.

Church of God of Prophecy
5301 W. Thomason Drive
Rev. John Miller, Pastor
10:00 a.m.: Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship.
7:00 p.m.: Evangelistic services.

Church of God of the Seventh Day
610 S. Marshall
Joe V. Romero, Pastor
10:00 a.m.: Sabbath school
4:00 p.m.: Evening service
687-0660

Church of God of Union Assembly, Inc.
1221 W. Hicks St.
Mack Pratt and Stoney Kleer, Pastors
10:30 a.m.: Morning worship
7:00 p.m.: Evening worship

Faith Temple Church of God in Christ
1601 N. Terrell St.
Rev. W.C. Kenan, Pastor
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school.
11:30 a.m.: Morning worship.
6:30 p.m.: Youth hour.
8:00 p.m.: Evening worship.

Free Church of God in Christ in Jesus Name
907 S. Terrell St.
8:00 p.m.: Evening service.

Lighthouse Church of God in Christ
506 W. Fairgrounds Road
Rev. Amos Taylor, Pastor
11:00 a.m.: Sunday school.
12:30 p.m.: Morning worship.
6:00 p.m.: Youth hour.
8:00 p.m.: Evening worship.

Wayside Mission Church of God in Christ
1311 Cherry Lane
Elder Kenneth Weatherspoon, Pastor
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship
6:30 p.m.: Youth hour.
8:00 p.m.: Evening worship.

Greater White's Chapel Church of God In Christ
Elder Roy Colvin, Pastor
Eld. F. Tryon, Associate Minister
CARE CENTER OUTREACH
Eld. Charles Hunter
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school
11:15 a.m.: Morning worship
6:30 p.m.: YPWW
7:45 p.m.: Evening worship
7:30 p.m.: Weds. prayer

Worldwide Church of God
Burton-Noel Center at Midland Air Terminal
Dean Blackwell, Pastor
3:00 p.m.: Sat., worship service.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

First Church of The Nazarene
1208 W. Wall
682-5624
Harold L. Quarles, pastor
Gerald Meighen, Min. of Music
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school
10:50 a.m.: Morning worship
6:00 p.m.: Gospel hour
7:00 p.m.: Weds. prayer and praise

Permian Basin Church of the Nazarene
424 Neely
Richard Olson, Pastor
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school
10:50 a.m.: Worship service
6:00 p.m.: Evening Worship

AMERICAN EPISCOPAL

American Episcopal Church of St. Paul
3800 Bluebird Lane (Good Shepherd Lutheran Church)
The Rev. Charles E. Hageman, Celebrant, 694-5438
Service as ordained by the 1928 Book of Common Prayer.
8:00 p.m.: Sunday worship

EPISCOPAL

The Episcopal Church of Holy Trinity
1412 W. Illinois
683-4207
8:00 a.m.: Holy Eucharist
9:00 a.m.: Holy Eucharist
11:00 a.m.: Holy Eucharist with Morning Prayer
5:15 p.m.: Holy Eucharist

St. Nicholas' Episcopal Church
2900 Princeton
Rev. Jon S. Stanley, Rector
Rev. John W. Setzer, Jr., Assoc. Rector
Rev. Brenda M. Carpenter, Deacon
Rev. Pamela W. Dunbar, Deacon
8:00 a.m.: Holy Eucharist I
9:10 a.m.: Sunday School
10:30 a.m.: Holy Eucharist II
7:00 p.m.: Holy Eucharist II

FOURSQUARE GOSPEL

Living Way Four-Square Church
415 W. Alto St.
Weldon Miller, Pastor
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school
10:40 a.m.: Worship service
6:00 p.m.: Evening worship
7:14 p.m.: Wednesday services

That's what makes saucers exciting—no telling where you'll land! No steering . . . no brakes . . . no telling which way you'll turn or how fast you'll go.

Swirling may be exciting on a snow-laden hill. It's something else again on the rugged slopes of life. So many parents who want the very best for their children live with the gnawing fear of how the future may unfold.

Your place of worship offers sound answers to our fears. Religious training provides steering in human life. Moral principles become the necessary brakes. And for the continuing uphill climb which beckons and challenges youthful souls, faith unlocks the resources of spiritual power.

- Sunday *John 15:1-17*
- Monday *John 15:18-27*
- Tuesday *1 John 2:1-17*
- Wednesday *1 John 2:18-29*
- Thursday *1 John 3:1-10*
- Friday *1 John 3:11-24*
- Saturday *1 John 4:7-21*

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FREE METHODIST

Free Methodist
4712 Shadylane St.
Rev. Lawrence Houston, pastor
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship
6:00 p.m.: Evening worship

Iglesia Methodista Libre
411 S. Terrell St.
Rev. Jesse Valles
10:00 a.m.: Sunday school
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship
5:30 p.m.: Evening worship
7:30 p.m.: Prayer meeting

FRIENDS

Midland Friends (Quaker)
John D. Savage, clerk
682-9355

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES

Kingdom Hall
506 E. Parker St.
Fairview Congregation
10:00 a.m.: Public talk.
11:00 a.m.: Watchtower study.
Westpark Congregation
1406 Westcliff Dr.
10:00 a.m.: Public talk.
11:00 a.m.: Watchtower Study.
Spanish Congregation
1406 Westcliff Dr.
2:00 p.m.: Public talk.
3:00 p.m.: Watchtower study.
Chaparral Congregation
1406 Westcliff Dr.
5:00 p.m.: Public talk.
6:00 p.m.: Watchtower study.

JEWISH

Temple Beth El
1601 N. Grandview, Odessa
Rabbi Tracy G. Kilrs
Sabbath services, 8:15 p.m. Friday
Religious school, 9:45 a.m. Sunday

LUTHERAN

Holy Cross Lutheran Mission — Missouri Synod
5200 W. Illinois
694-3916 or 695-1066
Rev. John Rickert, pastor
9:30 a.m.: Sunday school
11:00 a.m.: Worship service
7:00 p.m.: Home Bible study
Wednesday nights, Salteens
Dial-a-Devotion: 684-0965

Good Shepherd Evangelical Lutheran
(Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod)
3800 Bluebird Lane
694-3002
David Krenke, Pastor
9:30 a.m.: Sunday school.
10:45 a.m.: Church service.

GRACE EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
3000 W. Golf Course
Rev. Ray E. Johanson, Pastor
9:10 a.m.: Sunday school (all ages)
10:30 a.m.: Sunday worship
6:00 p.m.: Lutheran Youth Fellowship
7:15 p.m.: Wednesday Doctrine Class
2nd & 4th Sundays
(nursery provided)

Hope Lutheran
2003 North A Street
Jonathan Holmer, Pastor
8:30 a.m.: Sunday Worship
9:20 a.m.: Sunday Church School
10:30 a.m.: Morning Worship
6:30 p.m.: Wed. Bible Study

Midland Lutheran
2706 W. Michigan St.
Marvin Koenig, Pastor
Charles Meyer, Pastor
8:30 a.m.: Morning worship.
9:45 a.m.: Children's Sunday school and music; and adult Bible class.
11:00 a.m.: Worship service.

Our Savior's Lutheran
3300 Neely (at Midkiff)
James R. Otternees, Pastor
Gordon Estenson, Pastor
David Herman, Pastor
9:15 a.m.: Sunday school
10:00 a.m.: KOSA TV program
10:30 a.m.: Worship service
7:30 p.m.: Bible study
7:30 p.m.: Wed. bible study

METHODIST

Asbury United Methodist
106 W. Dakota
Jim Teeter, pastor
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship
6:00 p.m.: Youth fellowship
6:00 p.m.: Evening worship

El Calvario Iglesia
1209 Garden Lane
Rev. Michael Dobbs
10:00 a.m.: Church school.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship.
6:00 p.m.: Evening worship.
7:00 p.m.: Wednesday worship.

First United
300 N. Main
Dr. Russell C. Parchman, Pastor
Dr. Bill Weir, Associate Pastor
9:20 a.m.: Sunday school
10:35 a.m.: Service
6:00 p.m.: UMYF
5:15 p.m.: Wednesday night live

Great St. Luke AME
(African Methodist Episcopal)
401 S. Adams
S.V. Ferguson, Minister
9:00 a.m.: Sunday school
10:30 a.m.: Morning worship
5:30 p.m.: Fellowship
m7:00 p.m.: Evening worship

Greenwood United
7909 Hwy. 307
Rev. Dave Odom, Pastor
9:00 a.m.: Early service
10:00 a.m.: Sunday school
11:00 a.m.: Late service
5:00 p.m.: Youth

Hollowell United
400 S. Marshall St.
Rev. Hadley R. Edwards
9:30 a.m.: Church school
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship
8:00 p.m.: Wed., Bible study

St. Luke's United
3011 W. Kansas
Jarrell Sharp, Senior Pastor
Bert W. Bostic, Minister Program/Music
John N. Wilson, Pastor of Discipleship
8:30 a.m.: Worship service
9:30 a.m.: Church school
10:50 a.m.: Worship service
6:00 p.m.: U. M. Youth
6:00 p.m.: Wed. Fellowship

St. Mark's United Methodist
1701 N. Main St.
Earl E. Bell, Pastor
9:30 a.m.: Sunday school
10:45 a.m.: Worship Service
4:00 p.m.: Youth Choirchimes
6:00 p.m.: U.M. Youth
7:00 p.m.: Wed. Adult Handbell
8:00 p.m.: Chancel Choir

St. Paul C.M.E.
(Christian Methodist Episcopal)
409 S. Lee Street
Rev. Clara M. Reed
682-0010
9:30 a.m.: Sunday school
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship
5:00 p.m.: CYF
6:30 p.m.: Evening worship

St. Paul United Methodist
4501 Thomason Dr.
Dr. Tom Thomson, Pastor
8:00 a.m.: Morning worship
9:30 a.m.: Morning worship
9:30 a.m.: Sunday school
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship
11:00 a.m.: Sunday school
5:30 p.m.: Jr.- Sr. High Fellowship

MISSIONARY ALLIANCE

Christian Missionary Alliance
315 North Midland Drive
Happy Day Donuts Area
Eddie Wilmon
3:00 to 5:00 p.m Sun. afternoon
689-6923

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints
4805 Gateway
First Ward
Max Jensen, Bishop
11:00 a.m.: Sacrament mtg.
12:20 p.m.: Sunday school
1:00 p.m.: Priesthood/Rel. Soc.
Second Ward
Newell K. Rigtrup, Bishop
9:00 a.m.: Sacrament mtg.
10:20 a.m.: Sunday school
11:00 a.m.: Priesthood/Rel. Soc.
2101 Tarleton
Third Ward
John Johnson, Bishop
9:00 a.m: Sacrament mtg.
10:20 a.m.: Sunday school
11:00 a.m.: Priesthood/Rel. Soc.
Llano Branch
Pres. Alocer
11:00 a.m.: Sacrament mtg.
12:20 p.m.: Sunday school
1:00 p.m.: Priesthood/Rel. Soc.

INTER—DENOMINATIONAL

Christian Life Center
Kansas Ave. at Andrews Hwy.
Greg Hammond
9:30 a.m.: Sunday School
10:30 a.m.: Worship
6:00 p.m.: Caring fellowship
m7:00 p.m.: Thurs. Bible study

Golden Park Community Church
3100 W. Kansas Rev. Raymond E. Ellard
11:00 a.m.: Golden Hour
699-0914 church 697-6011

Holy Trinity Community Church
1807 S. Main
683-6606
The Rev. Glenn E. Hammett, Pastor
10:30 a.m.: Sunday Worship with Holy Communion
Baptisms, weddings and other sacraments by appointment.

Cornerstone Christian Fellowship
1610 W. Wall
Richard Spencer, Pastor
10:00 a.m.: Bible Study
11:00 a.m.: Service
7:00 p.m.: Service
7:00 p.m.: Tuesday Home Bible Church

Dayspring Christian Center
Charismatic
100 W. Oak St.
10:30 a.m.: Morning worship.
7:00 p.m.: Evening worship.
7:30 p.m.: Wednesday service.

Midland Christian Fellowship
2301 W. Indiana (across from Dennis the Menace Park)
Dan Schiel, Pastor
9:30 a.m.: Sunday School
10:30 a.m.: Worship
10:30 a.m.: Children's church
7:00 p.m.: Worship
12:00 p.m.: Men's luncheon
7:00 p.m.: Wed. prayer meeting

Mt. Hebron Church of Tomorrow, Inc.
1722 E. Maple St.
Rev. Helen R. Hoarne, Founder
10:00 a.m.: Church school.
11:00 a.m.: Deliverance service.
8:00 a.m.: Regular church hour.

New Testament Bible Church
710 Colorado St.
C.O. Martin, Pastor
10:45 a.m.: Morning service.

Petroplex Covenant Church
409 W. Pine
682-2190
John Moreland, Pastor
9:30 a.m.: Sunday meeting

Word of Life
Family Worship Center
3838 W. Wall
Russ Austin, Pastor
687-0337
10:00 a.m.: Worship Service
7:00 p.m.: Wednesday Service

EASTERN ORTHODOX

Holy Annunciation Orthodox Mission
St. Stephens Catholic Church
For information, call Helen Norton
682-1007 or 683-0462

OTHERS

Baha'i Faith
3912 Roosevelt
For information about study classes, contact: The Baha'is of Midland
697-4903 or 689-0271

St. Ann's Spiritual Church
1700 E. Wiley
Corner of Tilden and Wiley
Mother Scott Williams, Pastor
10:00 a.m.: Sunday school
11:00 a.m.: Sunday service
7:30 p.m.: Sun., Tue., Thu.
Spiritual Counseling
2306 E. Calif.
684-5026

Salvation Army
3500 Park Lane
697-7262 or 683-3614
Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Harwell
Lt. Josue Saldivar
10:00 a.m.: Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.: Holiness meeting.
11:00 a.m.: Junior Soldiers.
5:30 p.m.: Corps Cadets.
6:30 p.m.: Salvation meeting.

PENTECOSTAL—CHURCH OF GOD OF AMERICA

Temple Roca de Salacion Dios Pentecostes
612 S. Camp
Rev. E. Valdez, Pastor
7:00 p.m.: Martes.
7:00 p.m.: Jueves.
Domingo:
10:00 a.m.: Escuela Dominical.
5:00 p.m.: Culto Evangelistico.

PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS

Lighthouse Pentecostal
200 N. Lincoln St.
Elder L.J. Stanford
10:00 a.m.: Sunday school.
12:00 noon: Morning worship.
6:30 p.m.: Mission service.
8:00 p.m.: Evangelistic service.

PRESBYTERIAN (USA)

Trinity Presbyterian
2600 W. Louisiana Ave.
Dr. A.J. Moreau, Jr., Pastor
9:30 a.m.: Church school
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship

Grace Presbyterian
2601 N. Garfield
Hawley L. Wolfe, Pastor
9:30 a.m.: Church school
11:00 a.m.: Service

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Candles, carols among holiday highlights

RELIGION

From Staff Reports

Midland churches will celebrate Christmas and the days leading up to the annual holiday with services as varied as the congregations themselves. Among the speical events are:

St. Luke's Methodist

St. Luke's United Methodist Church's Chancel Choir, accompanied by members of the Midland-Odessa Symphony, will present the Christmas Oratorio by Camille Saint Saens and the "Christmas Cantata" by Daniel Pinkham at 5 p.m. Sunday in the church's sanctuary, 3011 W. Kansas Ave.

Saint Saens was one of the most highly honored French musicians of the late nineteenth century. He received the Legion of Honor in 1868, was elected to the French Institute in 1881 and was given an honorary doctorate by Cambridge in 1893. A man of great energies, Saint Saens was engaged in many musical activities. He was a noted concert pianist, teacher, conductor as well as a writer of musical compositions, treatises and editor of the music of the old French masters.

The "Christmas Cantata" by Daniel Pinkham is score for Brass Choir, Organ an Chorus and written in three movements. The first movement is the Shepherds story, the second the mystery of the Virgin birth and the third the "Gloria" with a psalm text interspersed as verse between the chorus.

The program is under the direction of Bert W. Bostic, minister of program/music for St. Luke's. The Rev. Jarrell H. Sharp, senior minster, invites the public to attend.

The congregation will celebrate Christmas Eve with two worship services.

The first service will be at 5 p.m. The format for this service will be carol singing, sharing of the Christmas story, solo music and a Christmas Eve message delivered by Sharp.

The 11 p.m. worship service will be Holy Communion. It will end with a traditional candle lighting bringing in Christmas Day.

The youth of St. Luke will be lighting more than 1,000 luminaries, which will surround the church, for the 11 p.m. service.

"This custom, which is native to the Southwest, will be a reminder to those coming to worship that we who walk in darkness are seeking the light which the Christ child brings," says a release from St. Luke's.

Sharp invites the public to attend the services.

Christian Faith Center

Pastors Don and Paulette Caywood of Odessa Christian Faith Center, 8860 N. Andrews Highway, are pleased to announce that singer songwriters Steve and Cheryl Ingram will be ministering in the 6 p.m. Sunday service.

The two are ordained ministers who operate in the office of the Psalmist.

"They allow, as David did, the 'Songs of the Lord' to flow through their music and their lives," says a release from Odessa CFC.

"As they play and sing with the anointing, salvation, healing and deliverance occurs. Their vision of spiritual and musical excellence is now being reproduced in others all over the world."

The two have ministered around the United States and overseas in Scotland, England, Iceland, and Sweden and are ministers in music for Kenneth Copeland Ministries.

"Steve and Cheryl believe that on the wings of Music ... Praise ... and Worship ... the Body will be prepared to usher in the coming of the Lord Jesus Christ," the release says.

A nursery will be provided.

The public is invited to attend.

Trinity Presbyterian

The adult and youth choirs of Trinity Presbyterian Church will present "Christmas in Word and Song" during the morning worship service Sunday.

The program is a telling of the Christmas story in a "lessons and carols" format. The musical material will range from Mendelssohn's "There Shall be a Star" and Handel's "Halleluia Chorus" to a delightful folk-type melody of Dan Schutte, "Wake From Your Sleep." The arrangement of this melody was done by Tim Ryan, a former resident of the Permian Basin, and is performed with his permission.

The Adult Choir of Trinity is a totally volunteer group of 45 voices. It is open without audition to anyone who would like to learn to "make a joyful noise".

Trinity Presbyterian Church is located on Lousiana at Andrews Highway. The Rev. Al Moreau is pastor. Jane Clancy Debenport serves as director of music. Stephen E. Spain is organist.

The public is invited to attend this musical worship service.

First United Methodist

First United Methodist Church is hosting a full calendar of Christmas events.

On Wednesday, the ministry of music will present the third program in its 1988 series of Lunch Hour Concerts for Advent and Christmas from 12:05 to 12:35 p.m. in the sanctuary of the church, Main Street at Ohio Avenue in downtown Midland.

Presenting the program will be Bert Bostic, bass, and Debby Vester, keyboard. The concert is open to the public and there is no admission charge.

Bostic, a graduate of Marshall University in West Virginia, is director of music and program at Midland's St. Luke's United Methodist Church. He has been involved in several Midland Community Theatre productions and for several years has been the director of the Northwest Texas Conference youth choir, Spirit Wind. Bostic and his wife, Heather, are the parents of one daughter, Kara.

Mrs. Vester, the accompanist, is a graduate of California State University at Northridge. She is organist at St. Luke's and a member of the West Texas Chapter of the American Guild of Organists. She and her husband, Roger, have two children.

A soup and salad lunch is available in the basement Recreation Hall of the church for a nominal fee one-half hour before and after this concert. These programs are especially designed for downtown workers. Child care is available.

For more information, contact the music office of the church at 682-3701.

At 5:30 p.m. Sunday, the church will hold its annual Service of Carols and candles in the church sanctuary.

All of the church's singing choirs will be leading in the service. In addition, all children in attendance will be invited to the chancel area to sing.

Each person attending will be given a candle and will join in the candlelight ceremony at the close of the service.

The hour-long service is especially designed for families and young children are invited to attend. Child care will be available for infants and toddlers.

The message will be delivered by First UMC's senior pastor.

A special event also is planned for Christmas Eve.

Sharon Graham, a native Midlander and the daughter of Floyd and Betty Graham of Midland, will sing in a Communion service at 10 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 24.

Miss Graham, a graduate of Texas Tech University and the Manhattan School of Music, presented her debut recital at Lincoln Center for the Performing Arts in New York City on Dec. 7 with the New York Chamber Ensemble. In October, she had a leading role with the Seattle Opera.

In the summer of 1989, she will appear in two productions with the Santa Fe Opera Company.

The public is invited to attend both services.

First Presbyterian

The annual 'Round the Table Carol Sing will be held in the fellowship hall of First Presbyterian Church, 800 W. Texas Ave., at 6 p.m. Sunday.

Established as an informal time of feasting and merry-making, folks gather as one family to sing the many carols and hymns of the season, listen to a reading of the Christmas Story, enjoy varied skits and presentations, and of course await the arrival of Santa Claus.

Dinner is at 6 p.m. with the program beginning at 7 p.m.

Tickets are required for the dinner, with only limited availability. Cost is $5 for adults and $3 for children 12 and under.

Tickets may be purchased at the Church office by noon today.

Child care is available for children under the age of two.

Kelview Heights Baptist

The Adult Choir of Kelview Heights Baptist Church presents a Christmas musical at 9:00 and 10:15 a.m. Sunday.

The musical, "Home for Christmas", is a touching letter of a young woman's warm and treasured memories. It is also an "experience of love" — a very deep and extraordinary love shared between those in a very ordinary family.

"Most of all, "Home for Christmas" is a promise — a promise of peace and of that ultimate home destination where we will spend the most glorious Christmas of all," says a release from the church.

Kelview's pastor, the Rev. Frank Johnson, invites the public to experience this moving musical in celebration of the Christmas season.

Nurseries are provided.

Calvary Baptist

Calvary Baptist Church, Southern Baptist Convention, 1001 South Main St., announces a special Christmas music and drama celebration Sunday.

Noted gospel soloist J. Rick Brown will be featured in the 11:00 a.m. worship service. Then, at 7:00 p.m. Sunday, the young people will present a Christmas drama entitled "Journey to Bethlehem."

A Christmas Open House at the parsonage, 1500 South Mineola, will be held from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. Sunday.

For more information, call the church office at 682-8392. The public is invited to attend.

Alamo Heights Baptist

The Sanctuary Choir of Alamo Heights Baptist Church will present the Christmas musical "Cradle the King with Praise" at 7 p.m. Sunday.

Narrator will be the Rev. John S. Rasco, pastor of the church. Soloists include Donna Dennis, Carla Stringer, Rhett Jackson, Rick King, Ralph Nail and David Kirby, music minister at Alamo.

An all-church fellowship will follow the service.

Rasco and the members of the church invite the public to this special service at the church, 1305 N. Midland Drive.

A nursery will be provided.

Midland Lutheran

Midland Lutheran Church, 2705 West Michigan Ave., is holding its annual Sunday School Christmas program at 6:30 p.m. Sunday.

The program, "Carolers Proclaim the Christmas Story" is being directed by Julie Newton, Pat Krueger and Mary Len Stanton will also participate.

A fellowship hour will follow the program. For more information about this and other programs of Midland Lutheran Church, call the Rev. Marvin Koenig or the Rev. Charles Meyer, 694-1373.

First Nazarene

The Sanctuary Choir of the First Church of the Nazarene will present a choral celebration for Christmas at 10:45 a.m. Sunday.

The piece, "The Glory of the Lord" by Tom Fettke, will be directed by Dave Fowler, music director.

The church's pastor, Harold L. Quarles, and the congregation invite the public to attend. The church is located at 1208 W. Wall Ave.

First Baptist

First Baptist Church will be presenting its living nativity scene Tuesday through Thursday from 7 to 8 p.m.

The live nativity will be staged outside on the west side of the church, which is located at the corner of Garfield Street and Louisiana Avenue.

The public is invited to come see the live nativity.

'Blue Christmas' common phenomenon

By GEORGE W. CORNELL
AP Religion Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — The time has come for those strangely ironic symptoms that seem inappropriate to the season, but the Rev. Lee Fullerton offers some reassurance: Those "holiday blues" are really quite common.

As noted in pastoral and psychiatric counselling, the melancholy oddly descends most widely in the presumably happiest periods, especially the weeks from Thanksgiving to Christmas.

"It's when you're supposed to feel good and be happy," said Fullerton, an Atlanta pastor who has worked extensively in the mental health field. "But a lot of people don't feel that way."

There's a simple system for helping ward off that despondency, he said — talking about it with relatives, friends or fellow church members, or getting them to open up about it.

"You can't just pull people out of it," he said. "But it can help to encourage them to talk about it, to let them know that most people have such feelings once in a while."

As a costless Christmas present to others, he suggested in a telephone interview: "Pay a little more attention to people."

Fullerton, 39, pastor of Atlanta's Steward Avenue United Methodist Church and formerly a pastoral counselor at the Georgia Mental Health Institute, has written some pre-Christmas advice on the subject for fellow clergy.

It was distributed by the urban mission arm of the denomination's North Georgia conference.

Fullerton cited two main factors that bring on the slump in mood: The holiday reality often doesn't match the popularized image, and the pace of activities all around appear abnormally accelerated and burdensome.

"Everything seems speeded up, the merchandising going into a frenzy, people getting behind in their shopping and having to fight crowds and traffic to do anything," he said. "It zaps their energy and their enjoyment, too."

More basically for many, the problem is shattered expectations, he said.

"They've grown up thinking Christmas should be a big family gathering, with gifts and everybody around and food on the table. But that's often not the way things are."

In many cases, the contrast is acute for single people, for one-parent families, for the homeless and other poor that "don't have enough money to get the one gift a child has wanted all year."

For these and others in similar circumstances, the typically portrayed images of Christmas simply don't live up to the reality and "it's as if something had died," Fullerton said.

"It shows on them. They feel guilty. They blame themselves. They're a lot harder on themselves in judgment than God would ever be. By such harsh judgments, emotionally and physically, we're ruining our health."

In the pamphlet for clergy, Fullerton said "the church has the unique opportunity" to do two special things: to "proclaim the holiday season as a time for thanksgiving, expectation and celebration," and to "minister to those who do not feel thankful, expectant or celebrative."

He said seasonal depression also can bring related illnesses such as ulcers and headaches, and also result in family disputes and violence. "When people feel helpless and hopeless, the tendency to lash out is greater. Law enforcement and victims' assistance officers receive more requests for services" than at any other time of year.

Although Christmas blues are quite common, he said many people suppress them because "they feel guilty or ahsamed," but a sensitive pastor can spot those seeming listless, disinterested or restless and offer comfort.

He suggested pastors build sermons on cases of biblical characters who endured despair, or inviting psychiatrists or hospital chaplains to address church groups on anxiety and depression.

Help people to see the holiday blues as "normal," he advised, encouraging them to share their troubles with others. He said pastors are not immune to the problem in this busy season, and tells them:

"Be aware of your own limitations."

Fullerton said the holiday slump usually starts out as a kind of "low grade depression," and a little help can stop it from "getting even deeper down the line.

"A lot of deep-seated problems start like this, as a seasonal problem, but those who stay in it get worse and worse and end up very depressed." The results, he added, can be serious, such as heavy drinking or suicidal impulses.

But why this inconsistent mixture of sadness creeping into a time of joy?

"I see it as strangely consistent in the Christian faith," he said. "At Christmas, there's an element of being down in the pit, and God comes to you there.

"You couldn't accept it any other way, and the situation seems you would never get out, but God comes in."

Paris pastor chosen for missions post

DALLAS — James H. Semple of Paris, Texas, was elected director of the Texas Baptist State Missions Commission and a new building was dedicated when the 193-member Baptist General Convention of Texas Executive Board met here this December.

Semple, pastor of First Baptist Church, Paris, since 1963, will succeed D. L. Lowrie, who has resigned to become executive director of the Tennessee Baptist Convention. As commission director, he will oversee the work of the convention's evangelism, missions, church services and Sunday School divisions.

Born in Tifton, Ga., and reared in Miami, Fla., Semple is a graduate of Stetson University, Deland, Fla., and holds two earned degrees from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Ft. Worth.

Previous pastorates include churches in Ocala, Fla., and in Wise County, Mineral Wells, Ft. Worth and Plano.

He has written numerous articles for religious publications and is the author of a book, "On Wings of Eagles," published in 1968.

Semple has served Southern Baptists and Texas Baptists in many capacities, including service on the BGCT Executive Board, the State Missions Commission and the Southern Baptist Convention Executive Committee.

Currently, he is on the Board of Directors of the "Baptist Standard" weekly news journal and is chairman of the steering committee for "Share Jesus Now," a statewide personal evangelism program for February and March, 1989, during which 89,000 trained Christian witnesses will share the gospel with one million non-Christian Texans.

Semple and his wife, Betty, have six children.

Professor testifies at Curran trial

WASHINGTON (AP) — Faculty members at Catholic University have the right to academic freedom, a law professor testified Friday at the trial of the Rev. Charles E. Curran, who sued the university for breach of contract when it no longer would let him teach theology.

Monsignor Frederick McManus, a Catholic University canon law professor and the principal author of the Canonical Statutes, said the chancellor of the university, Cardinal James A. Hickey, played an "honorific" role at the school and did not have the authority to decide who should or should not teach there.

Curran's lawyers, arguing the case before Superior Court Judge Frederick H. Weisberg, were trying to refute Hickey's testimony on Thursday that he, as a representative of the Vatican, had the right to suspend Curran.

Curran sued the university after it revoked his right to teach theology on the grounds that his writings were at odds with the church. Curran, 54, had refused an offer to teach ethics outside of the university's religious department. He had taught at the school for 22 years.

Hickey, archbishop of Washington, said he merely was enforcing the highest order of the church to suspend Curran after the Vatican revoked his right to teach Roman Catholic theology.

The university claims Curran must obey the revocation of his mission to teach.

Jury convicts creator of church

PEORIA, Ill. (AP) — A federal jury this week convicted a man and woman of bilking thousands of lonely men nationwide out of $4.5 million with false stories of a garden paradise inhabited by nude "love angels."

The jury deliberated 13 hours before convicting Donald S. Lowry, 59, of Bettendorf, Iowa, and Pamala St. Charles, 25, of Moline, of mail fraud, conspiracy and money-laundering in their Church of Love sex-fantasy scheme.

Prosecutors said Lowry, a former English teacher who founded the Church of Love in 1965, and Ms. St. Charles sent lonely old men nude photos and letters from fictional "love angels" living in a paradise called Chonda-Za.

In exchange, Lowry and Ms. St. Charles solicited membership fees, contributions and "love offerings" for the angels' supposed needs, including garden seeds, winter coats and sewing machines.

About 31,000 men nationwide contributed money to the Church of Love.

Lowry solicited models to pose nude for the photographs.

"I still feel what we did was right and that's what's important," Ms. St. Charles said. "People just continue to misunderstand us."

Lowry said he had no regrets and vowed to continue his fantasy letter business from behind bars.

"We made a lot of people happy," he said. "That's all that matters."

Prosecutors called the pair "con artists, liars and manipulators." Assistant U.S. Attorneys K. Tate Chambers and Darilynn Knauss accused them of preying on men "sick with the illness of loneliness."

Defense attorney William G. Schick of Moline said his clients conducted a "legitimate business that helped a lot of people." He described Lowry and Ms. St. Charles as "dream merchants" and the letters as "healthy fantasies."

Lowry faces up to 125 years in prison and $5.2 million in fines. Ms. St. Charles faces 65 years in prison and $2.2 million in fines. Sentencing was scheduled for April 7.

Lowry used contributions to pay himself a huge salary, buy a fleet of expensive cars and pay for sexual favors from some of the models, the government said.

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Volunteers of America's sidewalk Santas were treated to an annual first-day breakfast at Ben Benson's restaurant in New York City where they also got a bell ringing lession from 3-year-old Marisa Damiano of Lodi, N.J.

Indian bones traced to 3000 B.C. emerge at site

PATTERSON, N.Y. (NYT) — A condominium development will be built, now that archeologists have finished excavating a startling find, the remains of an Indian transit camp dating from at least 3000 B.C.

The site, the Rosebud Property, an 81.5-acre tract in this Putnam County community, contains the Hayt Mansion, a mid-19th century estate. Last spring, during a state-mandated cultural survey, archeologists unearthed pottery fragments, animal bones and projectile points like arrowheads.

Radiocarbon-dating tests, which are still under way, placed the artifacts from the Late Archaic, about 2000 B.C., to the Late Woodland, about the time Europeans had their first contact with the Indians, in the early 1600s. Analyses of the points indicate the camp existed as early as 3000 B.C.

Dr. John Hotopp of Louis Berger & Associates of East Orange, N.J., the firm conducting the research, said the find indicated the existence of a seasonal camp, for the Indians to follow herds of migrating animals. Hotopp said the find was a surprise because it is believed to be the first in this inland region. Similar discoveries have been made closer to the Hudson River since the 1800s.

"These people were primarily hunter-gatherers," Hotopp said. "They were adept at short-term exploitation of a marshland environment, using it for hunting and fishing and related activities such as tool resharpening. Our research indicates that the site was in use on a continuing basis for thousands of years."

The property is owned by Hartz Associates of New York. A condominium development with 303 units, a recreation center and a sewage plant was delayed pending the research. A vice president and general counsel of Hartz, Louis Maggiotto, said construction would probably begin in the spring.

A similar find at another development site nearby is also being analyzed by Berger. Hotopp said Putnam was largely unexplored archeologically and could yield other discoveries.

The prehistoric materials include fire-cracked rock, indicating the existence of hearths. Hotopp said that early Indians used the area while in transit and that later peoples set up temporary camps, as shown by the discovery of pottery and ceramics.

Drug-sniffing dog means big business

OMPANO BEACH, Fla. (AP) — The boy was up to no good and his parents knew it.

He was staying out late and skipping school. Strangers were coming up to his bedroom window at 2 a.m. But he swore he wasn't dealing drugs. The parents needed proof to set him straight and they didn't want him to get arrested.

They called in Corky, an eager yellow Labrador with a remarkably effective nose.

"The dog found a quarter-ounce of coke in gram bags in a slit under his rug," said Gene Panella, who trained 2-year-old Corky to locate even minute amounts of marijuana, cocaine and heroin at $250 a sniff.

Panella, owner of K9 of Broward, has found a lucrative new angle on South Florida's ever-present drug trade — working for private citizens who want their property to be drug-free — but has also raised the ire of civil libertarians.

"In the past four months, he's been nearly every other day on a search," said Panella, who claims Corky has found drugs in 32 of 33 homes.

"Families and corporations are mostly interested in getting help for people on drugs, rather than arresting them. All I'm doing is finding the evidence to confront them with."

Panella primarily breeds and trains guard dogs, but he decided to branch out after boat owners began calling him for help from the U.S. Coast Guard's "zero tolerance" policy of confiscating boats found with minimal amounts of drugs on board.

One was the owner of the 135-foot luxury yacht Corky searched in Fort Lauderdale.

"When we got to the crew's quarters the dog just went bananas," Panella said. "The owner fired the crew on the spot. He just dropped them off on the dock."

West Texan carves a future

BIG SPRING (AP) — Bob Traylor lived the American dream at one time.

He was married, had three children, and was employed. Today Bob is divorced, his youngest daughter is dead, he suffers from emphysema, and he relies on a retirement plan to pay his bills.

However, with all his setbacks, Bob has remained optimistic about his future, including his future as an artist.

Just before his illness was diagnosed 12 years ago, he began carving wood "just to pass the time."

A former Civil Service employee, Bob was forced into medical retirement, giving him the opportunity to further his wood carving abilities.

But Bob is allergic to most woods. Bass wood is the only wood that doesn't irritate his condition. He attributes his illness to work conditions and smoking.

He distinctly remembers his first piece of art work. "It was as a family coat of arms with a double eagle."

Without formal training, he learned his craft by trial and error and through suggestions from friends. "People kept saying 'why don't you try this or try that,'" he said.

The tools of his trade include wood chisels, mallets, and knives. After experimenting with steel from Switzerland, Germany, Italy and America, he found Swiss steel to be the best. "I try to buy American products — but the Swiss make the best for what I need."

Bothered by the West Texas dust, and linked to an oxygen tank 90 percent of the time, Bob works in his home. His ideas — inspired from pictures, newspapers, and magazines — are created in pencil before he begins to carve.

His home, which resembles an art museum, is filled with his works.

Archways are decorated by chip carving. "The wood chips from the entire archway wouldn't fill this — it's just little chips," he explained as he cupped his hand. Chip carving, a tedious and time-consuming method of carving, creates a Spanish effect.

Hallways are adorned with many family coats of arms; cabinets and furniture are carved with several designs, including red-tailed falcons. Several statues decorate the living area.

Although he has several intricate Indian and horse carvings to his credit, he admits the red-tailed falcon is his favorite.

He has spent up to 80 hours on one project. "You don't mind when it comes out good," he said.

He is looking forward to teaching basic wood carving to students at Howard College next year.

"It's amazing to watch (the students') faces (as they create)," he said with a smile.

Bob, who will be 70 in July, has slowed down on his carving because of pain from shingles. "It feels like a 2-inch pipe in my chest with barbed wire wrapped around it — and someone twisting it. I've been shot and cut — but I've never had anything that hurt me like (shingles)," he said.

Bob believes no matter what has happened in the past, you have to go on, adding, "Why not be happy?"

"Whenever I'm keyed up, tense, or upset, I sit down and carve — and I forget everything."

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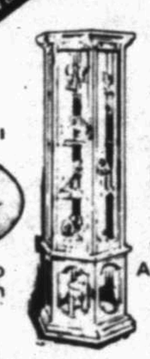

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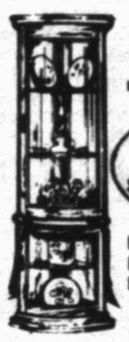

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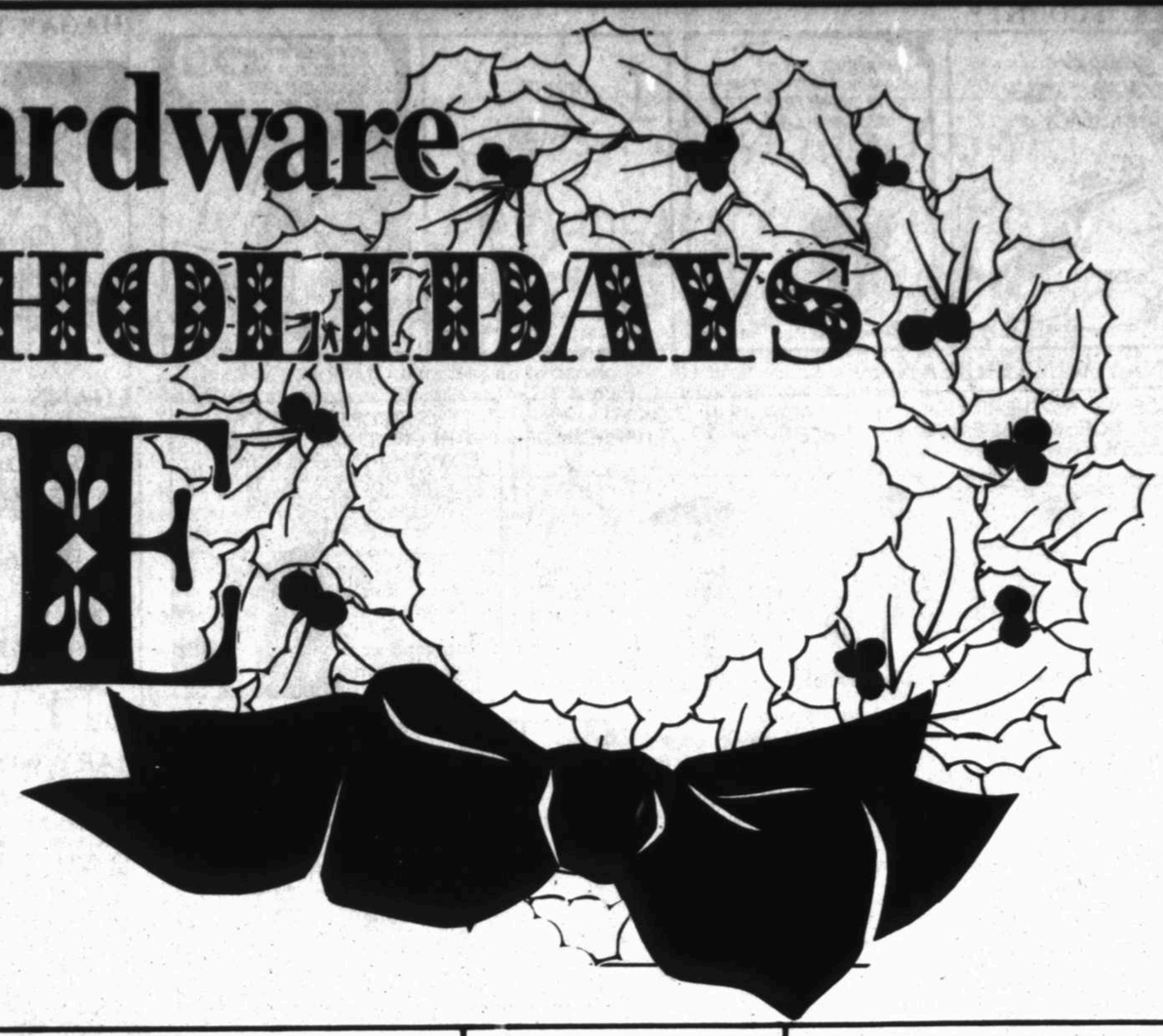

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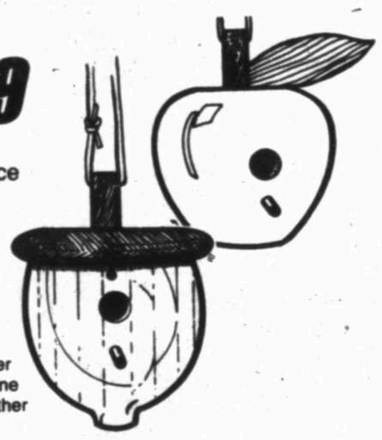

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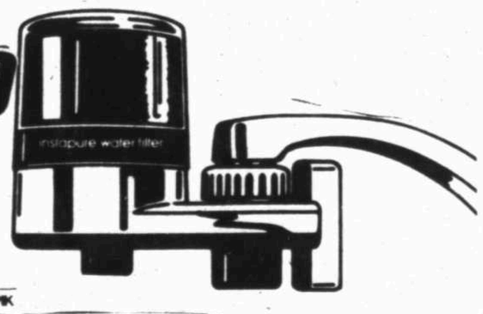

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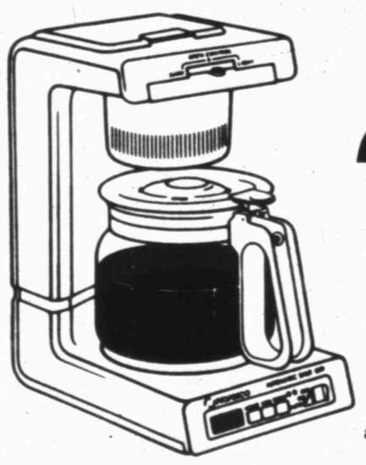

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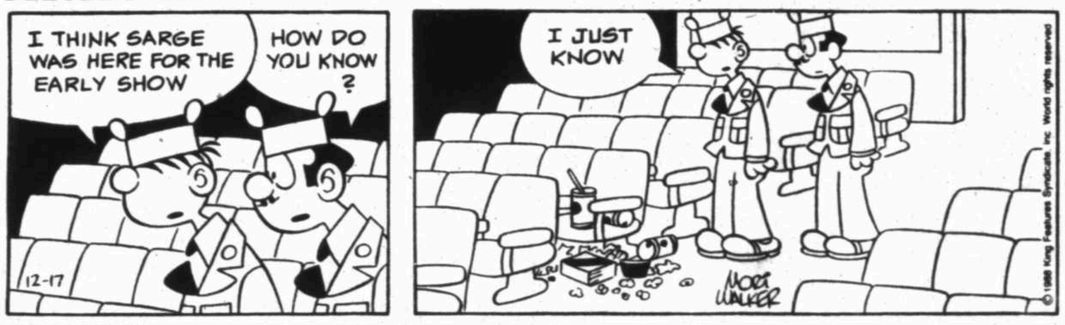

JEANE DIXON'S your horoscope

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SUNDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1988

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: The wandering minstrel finally comes home to applause and wholehearted encouragement. Think twice about changing jobs or expanding a business. Be guarded in voicing your political opinions, but aggressively pursue public goals. Salt more of your income away for a rainy day or a child's education. Where you live may be getting to you. Consider a change of neighborhood.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: pitcher Jim Clancy, director Steven Spielberg, writer Abe Burrows, artist Paul Klee, actress Betty Grable, writer Saki, Clippers coach Gene Shue.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Let the heat die down from one romance before becoming involved in another. Use today to catch up on your reading and letter-writing. A little emotional confusion may confound you. Take stock of your feelings.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Keep health up to par by eating more nutritious meals. Self-restraint will not be easy with the Christmas holidays just ahead. A good time for travel, especially to a warmer climate.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Avoid making an impulsive decision about a relationship. Do what you can to enhance the quality of your home life. Small acts of consideration count more than ever. Show your tender side.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): You are relieved to be going to a favorite spot for Christmas. Travel as soon as possible. Check out a choice piece of property you have been coveting. Look beyond the surface.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Be careful what you put in writing. Your word should be sufficient. Although a football game appeals to some, it will be an irritant to others. A past love still lingers in your thoughts.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Stop falling for every sob story you hear. Sarcasm could get you into trouble with a loved one; watch what you say. Make amends to someone who feels slighted.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Others are counting on you; do not let them down. Squelch an urge to gossip. Do not jump to conclusions until all the facts are known. Romance is chancy. Better wait.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Nervous energy helps you accomplish miracles. Follow through on special plans. Helping people in need will benefit you as well. You will be ready to relax and rest at home tonight.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Emotional thinking spells trouble now. Meditation helps reduce tension. Welcome a second chance at romance. Do not let the opportunity of a lifetime slip through your fingers. You feel an urge to call parents.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Relationships with members of the opposite sex go smoothly now. You can strengthen old bonds or forge important new ones. Make a special effort to be discreet; the neighbors are talking!

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): An enlightening discussion whets your intellectual appetite. Self-control helps you avoid unpleasant confrontations when emotions run high. Romance needs careful nurturing. Show your sentimental side. Plan special outings and dinners with mate.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Avoid all forms of excess today. Discard impractical ideas. A young person seeks your advice; give it without sounding preachy. Romance deserves a fair chance.

PEANUTS

SHOE

GOREN BRIDGE

BY CHARLES GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF

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WEEKLY BRIDGE QUIZ

Q.1—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠AQ973 ♡AQ85 ◇AQ65 ♣Void
Partner opens the bidding with one club. What do you respond?

Q.2—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠AQ973 ♡AQ85 ◇AQ65 ♣Void
The bidding has proceeded:

North	East	South	West
1 ♣	Pass	1 ♠	Pass
1 NT	Pass	?	

What do you bid now?

Q.3—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠AQ973 ♡AQ85 ◇AQ65 ♣Void
The bidding has proceeded:

North	East	South	West
1 ♣	Pass	1 ♠	Pass
2 ♣	Pass	?	

What do you bid now?

Q.4—Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠AJ93 ♡85 ◇AQJ63 ♣72
The bidding has proceeded:

North	East	South	West
1 ♣	Pass	1 ◇	Pass
1 ♡	Pass	1 ♠	Pass
2 ♣	Pass	?	

What do you bid now?

Q.5—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠954 ♡AJ74 ◇AQ1076 ♣8
Partner opens the bidding with one no trump. What do you respond?

Q.6—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠954 ♡AJ74 ◇AQ1076 ♣8
The bidding has proceeded:

North	East	South	West
1 NT	Pass	2 ♣	Pass
2 ◇	Pass	?	

What do you bid now?
Look for answers on Monday.

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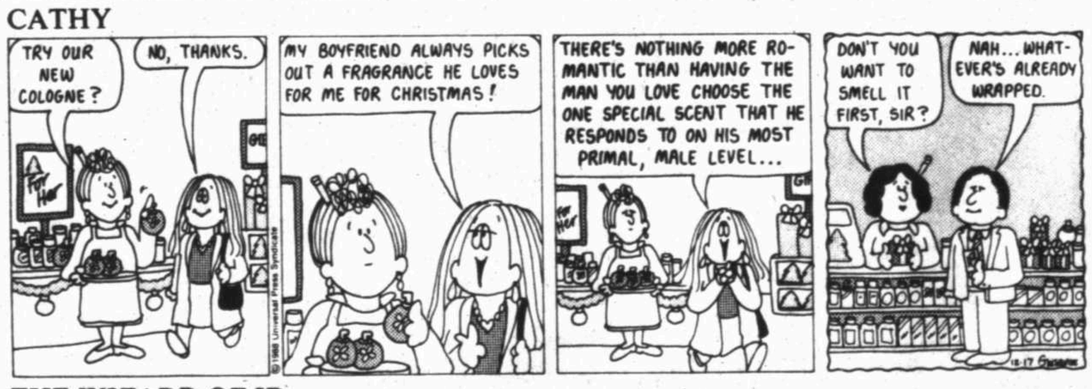

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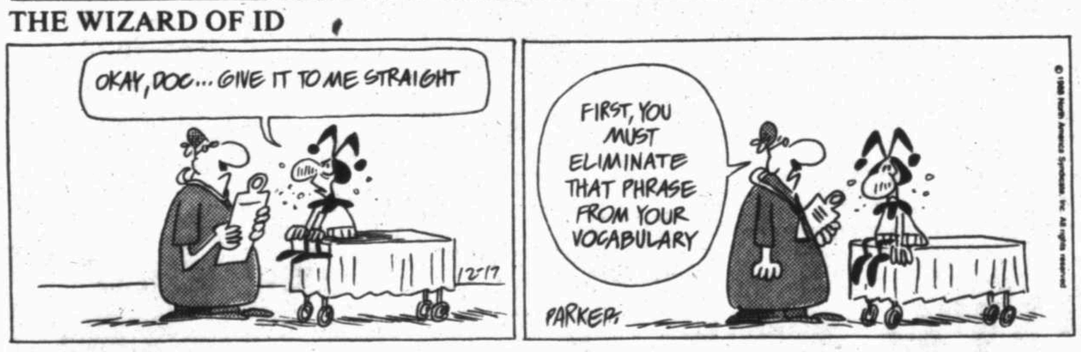

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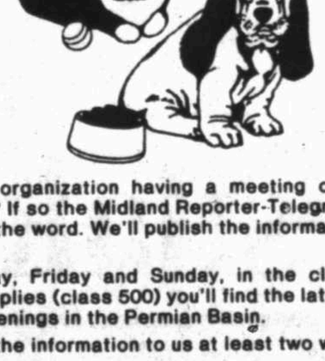

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"HOW MUCH WOOD WOULD A WOODCHUCK CHUCK IF A WOODCHUCK COULD CHUCK WOOD?"

THAT DAILY PUZZLER SCRAM-LETS® WORD GAME

Edited by CLAY R. POLLAN

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

NUGFLE

UPDOR

KOBER

AMANIC

An overweight man stood at the candy counter for a very long time. "May I help you?" asked the clerk. "No," sighed the man. "I'm just ——."

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

2 PRINT NUMBERED LETTERS IN SQUARES

3 UNSCRAMBLE LETTERS FOR ANSWER

SCRAM-LETS ANSWERS

Engulf — Proud — Broke — Maniac — DROOLING

An overweight man stood at the candy counter for a very long time. "May I help you?" asked the clerk. "No," sighed the man. "I'm just DROOLING."

BLONDIE

FAMILY CIRCUS

"We shouldn't have thrown our tree away last year."

DOONESBURY

PEOPLE

'Santa Claus is Coming to Town' lyricist to be honored by hometown

COVINGTON, Ky. (AP) — James Lamont "Haven" Gillespie, who wrote the lyrics for "Santa Claus is Comin' To Town," will no longer be without honor in his hometown.

City officials unveiling a historical marker Thursday at Goebel Park said there was no better time than Christmas to honor Gillespie on the 100th anniversary of his birth. He was born Feb. 6, 1888, in the northern Kentucky city and died in Las Vegas on March 14, 1975.

Gillespie, author of some 1,000 songs, wrote the lyrics to his most famous song on the back of an envelope in 1933 and collaborated with J. Fred Coots on the music. Eddie Cantor made it famous when he sang it on his radio program in 1934.

City Commissioner Irvin Callery said Thursday he became interested in 1984 in having the city recognize the songwriter "because I couldn't find anything to honor him," Callery said.

Callery said Gillespie's famous Christmas song has "brought joy to millions of people. Anyone who hears it remembers childhood."

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Monroe

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Bill Monroe, the "father of bluegrass music," will be named an honorary member of the Sonneck Society on April 8.

The mandolin player will be honored at a banquet at the society's annual meeting in Nashville, said Buddy Lee Attractions, Monroe's booking agency.

The non-profit Sonneck Society is dedicated to the encouragement and study of music. Monroe, 77, has performed on the Grand Ole Opry for 50 years. His best known song is "Blue Moon of Kentucky."

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Selleck

Mack

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Actor Tom Selleck's wife, Jillie Mack, gave birth Friday to an 8-pound, 7-ounce girl, a publicist said.

The baby born at 4:25 a.m. will be named Hannah Margaret Mack Selleck, said Esme Chandlee. The 29-year-old mother and baby were fine.

Hannah is the first child for the couple, who were married in August 1987.

Selleck, 43, starred in the "Magnum, P.I." television show and the recent motion picture "Three Men and a Baby."

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ROCKFORD, Ill. (AP) — If President-elect George Bush has some free time, he is welcome to revel in his victory over Masachusetts Gov. Michael Dukakis at the home of a third-grader in northern Illinois.

"I would like him to come to my house and rub it in to my dad that he won and Dukakis lost," said Patrick Yanez.

Patrick and the other students in Nancy Sandberg's class at Gregory School in Rockford, 75 miles northwest of Chicago, did not forget their own agendas in essays providing advice to the next president.

"I would like him to force my parents to buy me a horse," said Kari Morgan.

Kristina Bernard wrote, "I want Mr. Bush to help my grandma because she is in River Bluff Nursing Home. She had a stroke and I felt sorry for her. I want her to get better."

But she had other plans for two siblings.

"I would really like it if he would take my 20-year-old brother and my 18-year-old sister away. I will really like him if he does this."

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NEW YORK (AP) — Former Miss America Bess Myerson's case "is not a soap opera, it's a crime," a federal prosecutor told jurors Friday.

It's "a scheme involving fraud, corruption and obstruction of justice," Assistant U.S. Attorney Stuart Abrams said during closing arguments of the 11-week-old divorce conspiracy trial.

Miss Myerson, 64, who was Miss America 1945 and once the city's cultural affairs commissioner, is accused of trying to influence a judge's rulings in the divorce of her lover, Carl "Andy" Capasso, by giving a city job to the judge's daughter.

Miss Myerson's attorney, Frederick Hartz, derided the prosecution case as "a soap opera, not a criminal trial" during his closing arguments, which started late Thursday and ended Friday morning.

Prosecutors contend former state Supreme Court Justice Hortense Gabel slashed Capasso's weekly temporary support payments to his estranged wife after Miss Myerson gave the $19,000-a-year job to the judge's daughter, Sukhreet Gabel, in August 1983.

Miss Myerson, Capasso, 43, and Mrs. Gabel, 76, are all charged with plotting to fix the divorce and then cover up the scheme.

In addition, Miss Myerson is charged with obstruction of justice. She faces a maximum 30 years in prison if convicted on all counts. Her two co-defendants face up to 25 years if convicted.

None of the defendants testified.

U.S. District Judge John F. Keenan said he would turn the case over to the jury Monday afternoon. The jurors will be sequestered.

Earlier Friday, Hafetz attacked the prosecution's case, calling it "total hogwash" and "a house of sand."

Most of the government's case was based on circumstantial evidence because there was no eyewitness to the alleged bribe plot or tape recording of it.

The main prosecution witness, Sukhreet Gabel, testified that after a grand jury began an investigation in 1986, Miss Myerson urged her "to keep your mouth shut" because "you could be dangerous."

But on cross-examination, Ms. Gabel admitted her trial testimony differed from what she had told investigators and the grand jury on several occasions and conceded her recollection of the facts might change again months from now.

Hafetz, who got Ms. Gabel to admit that electroshock treatments for depression had left her memory like "Swiss cheese," told the jury that "she's a walking definition of reasonable doubt."

To convict on any of the charges, jurors must find the government proved its case beyond a reasonable doubt.

Hafetz conceded that Miss Myerson had written a deceptive letter to Mayor Edward I. Koch in 1983 after a newspaper reported Ms. Gabel's hiring while her mother was handling the Capasso divorce.

But his client, Hafetz said, was "exercising a form of political damage control, trying to mitigate an embarrassing situation."

That's not a crime, said the defense lawyer, unless prosecutors proved Miss Myerson was trying to cheat the city.

Evening TV Schedule

SATURDAY DECEMBER 17, 1988

	KMID (2) Md/Od CABLE 3	KOSA (7) Odessa CABLE 8	KTPX (9) Odessa CABLE 9	KPEJ (24) Md/Od CABLE 14	FAM Family CABLE 4	WTBS Atlanta CABLE 7	SIN (32) Spanish CABLE 10	WGN Chicago CABLE 11	ESPN Sports CABLE 12	KOCV (38) Odessa CABLE 13	HSE Sports CABLE 20
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6:00	News	Hee Haw	USA Today	Telethon	Rin Tin Tin	tling	Sabado Gi-	She's Sheriff	SportsCenter	Lawrence	"
6:30	Wheel-Fortune	"	"	"	Crossbow	"	gante	Benson	NCAA Final 4	Welk	"
7:00	Murphy's Law	Dirty Dancing	Bob Hope Spe-	"	Movie: "Ore-	Movie: "The	"	Movie: "Lilies	Basketball:	WonderWorks:	"
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9:00	"	West 57th	Hunter	Telethon Con-	Remington	"	"	News	College Foot-	Peter, Paul	"
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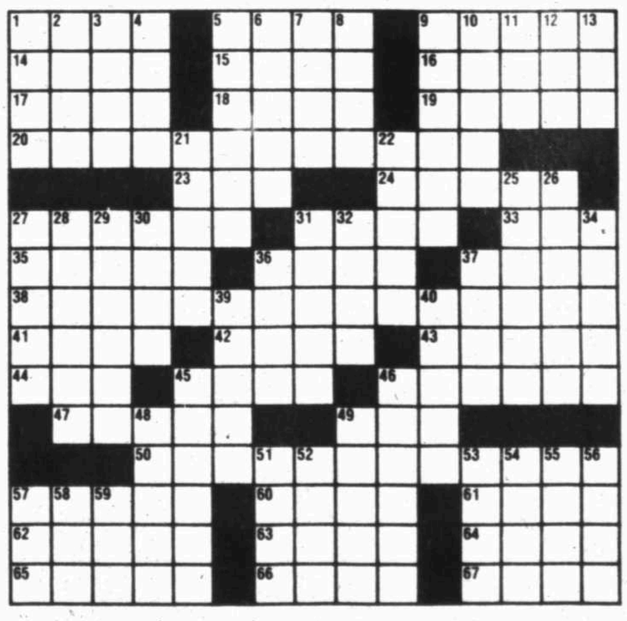

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Traveling Wilburys recording a happy accident that works

By DAVID BAUDER

ALBANY, N.Y. (AP) — The true legend of the Traveling Wilburys began when George Har..., er, Nelson Wilbury needed to record an extra song at short notice and invited two of his dinner companions to lend their voices.

Nine days and 10 songs later, the result was one of those happy accidents that proves there's more to the music business than accountants and estates.

You won't find the names George Harrison, Bob Dylan, Roy Orbison, Tom Petty and Jeff Lynne on "Volume One," the debut album by the oddly-named Traveling Wilburys. But the dark glasses and pseudonyms can't hide those familiar talents. Orbison died at the age of 52 on Dec. 6 of a heart attack.

"We definitely didn't want to treat this like a supergroup," said Petty, or Charles T. Wilbury Jr. "I don't even like the term all that much. But we were aware that it would be viewed as such. We look at the Wilburys as a completely other persona as ourselves."

Harrison mentioned to Lynne and Orbison over dinner last spring that he needed a new B-side for a 12-inch single release. The other two said they'd help him put together a song.

The former Beatle had to retrieve his guitar, which he'd left at Petty's California house during a visit a few days earlier, Petty said. The lead Heartbreaker was also asked to join in on the record.

Since all the nearby studios were booked, the three amigos had to impose on another friend who had recording facilities in his house. Dylan said he'd be glad to offer his assistance.

"We all sat around the grass at Bob's house and wrote this song called 'Handle With Care' and recorded it that night," Petty recalled. "When it was all done it sounded really good."

Much too good, they thought, for a B-side. So they kept on writing and recording.

"It was a very innocent thing, really," Petty said. "We were just kind of enjoying it and we were deep into it before we realized almost what we were doing."

That spontaneity, and a lot of humor, comes through on the record. "Volume One" sounds like a group of friends, albeit extremely talented friends, enjoying themselves together. All five trade lead and backing vocals and strum guitars.

The results are a cross between Harrison's early '70s solo work and the electronic flourishes Lynne brought to the Electric Light Orchestra. Orbison's "Not Alone Any More" is in the vein he's mined for a quarter-century and the three songs Dylan dominates are some of his best work in years.

The song "Dirty World" pokes fun at Prince with a series of sexual double-entendres and the wickedly funny "Tweeter and the Monkey Man" is littered with Bruce Springsteen references.

The record was a true collaboration, Petty said. On "Tweeter," for instance, he and Dylan spoke lyrics into a tape recorder then edited them into a story. Other Wilburys added the chorus, he said.

Credit a non-rocker, Prince Charles of Great Britain, with the name Traveling Wilburys, Petty said.

Harrison and Lynne performed at the Prince's Trust concert last year and were complimented by the host following the show, he said. The prince said the two should form a band, and when they asked for a name, he suggested the Traveling Wilburys, Petty said.

The quintet quickly adopted the persona. Harrison is identified throughout as Nelson Wilbury, Lynne is Otis Wilbury, Orbison is Lefty Wilbury and Dylan's called Lucky.

The whimsical liner notes explain that "the original Wilburys were a stationary people who, realizing that their civilization could not stand still forever, began to go for short walks."

The offbeat sense of humor seemed to take the pressure off the participants and lent the album a certain mystique, said Paul Grein, author of the Chartbeat column in Billboard magazine. It's working — the album debuted on the charts at No. 57 and shot to No. 23 in its second week, he said.

"It's destined to be a very big hit," Grein said.

The Wilbury monikers also took some pressure off the businessmen, since Harrison, Dylan, Petty and Orbison are all contracted to different record companies. There are more than just joking reasons why all the names were left off the album jacket.

Petty said the Wilburys have been approached to do a tour, and though no one's said no, they haven't all said yes, either.

Ringing in the season

Bell-ringing sidewalk Santas working for the Volunteers of America hit the streets of New York City recently for their Christmas fund-raising.

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Hackman likes having variety of roles to play

By CHARLES FLEMING
Hearst News and Feature Service

LOS ANGELES — Gene Hackman has been busy lately. This fall alone he is appearing in five films, all different movies, all different roles.

"It's tough for me to turn down the kinds of pictures I'm being offered," he says. "You jump at the variety."

Already, he's had a romantic lead in Woody Allen's drama, "Another Woman"; a romantic lead in a comedy, "Full Moon in Blue Water"; played a reluctant soldier in a war picture, "Bat 21," and a boxing coach in "Split Decision."

That's plenty of parts for an actor turning 58 next month, who — since Warren Beatty tagged him in 1967 for "Bonnie and Clyde" — has been working plenty hard for a long while.

He's also just opened in a very different, very tough film, as a good ole boy FBI agent in "Mississippi Burning."

"It was no walk in the park," he says. "I was weeks getting over this film, the stress of it."

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That's partly British director Alan Parker's fault.

"He's a difficult guy, and a tough director," Hackman says. He adds, quickly, "But good directors are. They're driven. They're insistent."

It's also partly the fault of the material.

"Some roles have their own organic life," he says. "Others are harder to get inside. It's harder to make them blossom. You question. 'Could I have been better? Did I leave something out?' Once you commit yourself, you're trying, always trying, to make it just that much better."

Trying, at times, pays off. Hackman specifically mentions some of his earliest work as his best. Although he received an Academy Award for his 1971 performance in "The French Connection," he speaks of "Scarecrow" (1973) and "The Conversation" (1974).

"I loved those parts," he says. "I don't know why. They were both small pictures, but neither worked commercially. So, for a while, I did anything that was offered to me."

Hackman specifically doesn't mention less compelling appearances in films like "The Poseidon Adventure," "Lucky Lady" or "Superman."

But neither does he carp. "I'm enjoying myself now," he says. "I have a little more strength. I can get parts that I like better."

"Mississippi Burning," and Hackman's Agent Anderson is one he liked a lot.

It's a very quiet performance, understated and smooth as bonded bourbon. His Anderson is sort of slow, sort of Southern laid-back — sort of like Hackman himself, who was born in Southern California but raised in southern Illinois.

Anderson and the unrepentant racists he grew up with, and now has to investigate, are people Hackman knows.

"You know," he says quietly, "you just go back to your roots. I was a young actor in New York, in 1964" — the year of "Mississippi Burning" — "and I remember this stuff."

"Keeping it contained, the restraint, was difficult," he says. "This character could rail against the rednecks, but that wouldn't be right. By holding back, it feels more powerful."

Firms give new life to funeral parlors

PEORIA, Ill. (AP) — Businesses are increasingly setting up shop in funeral parlors in an undertaking that gives new life to the structures.

Attorney Don Harmening, who has an office on the first floor of a 19th-century home that for 54 years was the Boland Mortuary, said it's "more relaxing for me and my clients."

He and others are moving into majestic Peoria homes that were funeral parlors in the early 1900s in former residential neighborhoods that have since been swallowed by the expanding downtown business district.

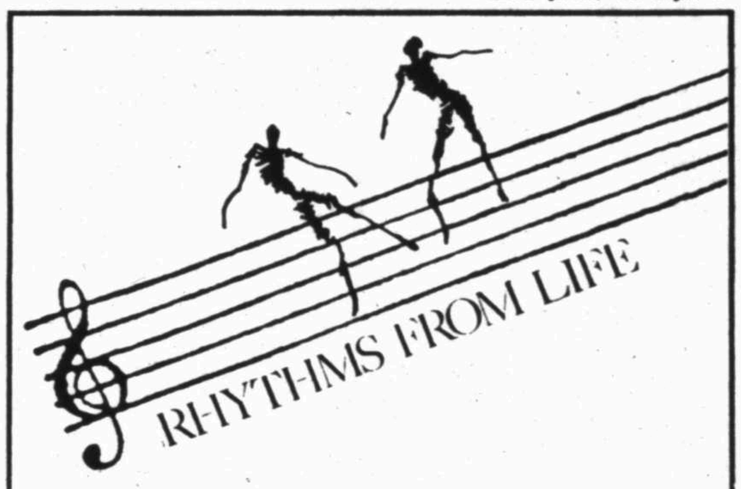
The large, 1870-era structure that includes Harmening's office easily accommodates several businesses, including an insurance company and a secretarial service.

Harmening has 14-foot ceilings, a marble-topped fireplace and carved mahogany around him. He said it's much easier to relax there than in the space he rented in a modern office tower.

"I got a lot more room for the money," the attorney said.

"The spaciousness and graciousness of this environment is just right for inspiring the kind of work we do," said Marjorie Klise, president of a video business that operates out of another one-time funeral parlor.

A couple blocks away is the former Wright & Salmon Mortuary, which now houses the Peoria Community Correctional Center, including a barracks-like dormitory and recreation room.



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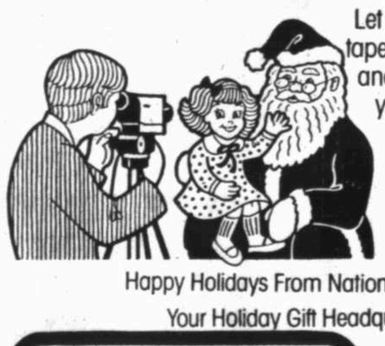
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African spirit cults beginning to rival Christianity in Brazil

EDITOR'S NOTE: African voodoo rituals blend with Roman Catholicism and Jimmy Swaggart-style Pentacostalism in Brazil. Officials estimate that 90 million of Brazil's 144 million people practice some form of spiritism, but many of them list their "official" religion as Catholic.

By PETER MUELLO

RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil (AP) — In a packed meeting hall on Rio's poor North Side, a Pentecostal preacher screams the names of African voodoo gods as scores of "possessed" followers surge forward to be exorcized.

At a nearby Roman Catholic church, a priest says Mass as the congregation sways to the throbbing beat of the "atabaques," the traditional wooden drums used in Candomble spirit rituals.

Persecuted for years, Afro-Brazilian spirit cults such as Candomble, Umbanda and Macumba today are regarded as serious rivals to Christianity in Brazil, the world's largest Roman Catholic country.

Catholics and Protestants are striving to win converts among the tens of millions of spirit worshipers.

"We want to intensify the religious dialogue with our brothers in Candomble and Umbanda. We have more things in common than divergencies," says the Rev. Antonio Aparecido da Silva, a leader of the Catholic Church's Association of Black Pastoral Agents.

ON PAPER, Roman Catholicism is by far Brazil's dominant religion, brought by Portuguese settlers 400 years ago.

But millions also follow cults descended from Yoruba and Bantu religions originally practiced by African slaves. Over the centuries, the cults picked up elements of Roman Catholicism, native Indian faiths, European witchcraft and Kardec spiritism and became uniquely Brazilian.

The Christian Research Institute in Sao Paulo estimates that 90 million of Brazil's 144 million people practice some form of spiritism, although many still give their "official" religion as Roman Catholic.

"Brazilians have multiple religious loyalties simultaneously," says Paul Carden, director of the institute. "They go to Seicho-no-Ie (a Buddhist sect) on Wednesday, an Umbanda ritual on Friday and Mass on Sunday. The option depends on the need of the moment."

Since 1970, the number of Brazilian Catholics has dropped from 92 percent of the population to 85 percent. Meanwhile, the number of Protestants — and especially Pentecostals — has tripled to nearly 15 percent.

"Roman Catholicism is a baptizing-marrying-and-burying religion, but not relied on for everyday needs," Carden says. "The two major options today are Afro-Brazilian spirit religions and Pentecostal Protestantism. They are making the most converts at this time."

The Universal Church of the Kingdom of God, Brazil's fastest-growing Pentecostal church, says that more than 90 percent of its members are former spirit worshipers.

Jose Paiva de Oliveira is president of Brazil's Candomble and Umbanda Federation, which claims 50 million members. He is revered as a "babalao alaba," which he says is "like the Pope" of Afro-Brazilian religions.

MILLIONS BELIEVE Pai Paiva (Father Paiva) can predict the future, talk to the dead and cure the ill with herbs or by reading "buzios," or sacred seashells. He often participates in the ritual sacrificing of goats, sheep and chickens to the African gods.

Those who follow his counsel include top-ranking government officials including, it is said, President Jose Sarney.

"If I wasn't right most of the time, I wouldn't have credibility," he says. "Sixty percent of government officials come to me...The senator who wants to be minister, the colonel who wants to be general. Of course the top brass don't come personally. They send underlings."

The religious rivalry grew in the 1970s, when a population boom and Brazil's "economic miracle" brought a flood of migrants from the countryside to urban slums.

"People leave their little hometown, go to the big city and, poof, their identity is gone, they're floating," Carden says. "They've got to establish roots, have a role, a community. Pentecostalism and Afro-Brazilian religions provide it."

The Pentecostals also got a boost from television and the popular programs of U.S. evangelists such as Jimmy Swaggart and Rex Humbard. Today, dozens of U.S.-based Protestant churches operate in Brazil.

But the big success story is a Brazilian sect, The Universal Church of the Kingdom of God. Founded in 1977 with 30 members, today it has more than 600 churches in Brazil, two in New York and one in New Jersey, with a daily attendance of some 500,000. The church also runs a publishing house, two radio stations and a morning TV program.

BISHOP EDIR Macedo Bezerra, the church's founder and leader, directs his message straight at spirit worshipers.

"Ogum, show yourself. Exu, I summon you. Then you're going to BURN in the name of Jesus," he screams, invoking the African spirit gods at a weekly exorcism ceremony at the church's headquarters in Rio's Abolicao district.

Scores in the audience swoon as they "receive" the spirits. Ushers guide them forward to the stage, where Macedo Bezerra calls on the Holy Spirit to expel the entities.

Gradually the "possessed" parishioners recover with a shudder and are helped back to their seats.

"Spiritists are more sincere than evangelists or Catholics," says Macedo Bezerra, a former spirit worshiper himself. "We have the greatest compassion for them. But we must show them they're on the wrong road and rip the devil out of their bodies."

However, some Pentecostal followers have been accused of trying to convert disbelievers by force.

Oju Oba, an African-culture group in Rio that assists spirit centers, says it receives almost daily complaints of aggression by Pentacostalists.

"ONE SPIRIT center was stoned. In another, a girl was sequestered by Pentecostalists and preached to for three days," says Jairo Pereira de Jesus, a member of Oju Oba.

Candomble followers say the main problem is a misunderstanding about Exu, a deity symbolized by a phallus and iron spikes and often equated with the devil.

"The idea of heaven and hell doesn't exist in African religions. Exu is the dynamic principle, vitality, fertility, transformation," says Gesia de Oliveira, a member of Oju Oba and a Candomble practitioner.

The Brazilian Catholic Church has given up trying to repress spirit cults. Instead, some priests want to "Africanize" the Catholic ritual to compete with the cults.

"Candomble has a great fraternal element. Catholics go to Mass and remain anonymous. It's not a meeting of brothers," says the Rev. Felix Neefjes, a Dutch-born priest in the Ecumenism and Religious Dialogue sector of the Brazilian Bishops Conference. "The Church has to ask itself if it's corresponding to the people's needs."

Da Silva, a doctor of theology and dean of the Theological School for the archdiocese of Sao Paulo, heads a clerical campaign to bring together Catholicism and African religions.

In some Masses, samba music is played on atabaques, agogos and other African instruments. Sometimes the altar is removed and flowers and fruit offerings placed on a cloth laid on the floor, African-style.

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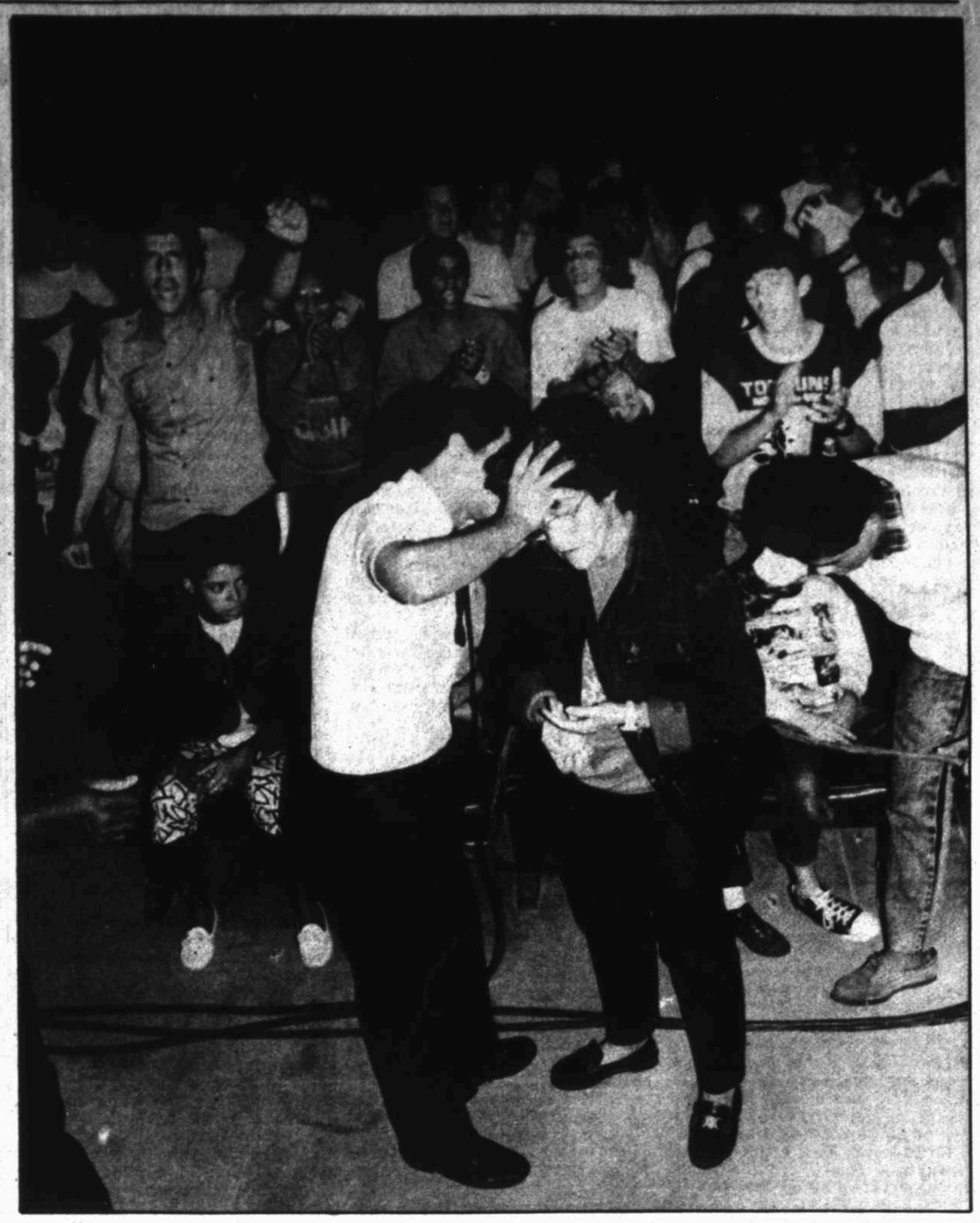

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An usher helps with an exorcism rite at the Universal Church of the Kingdom of God, a pentecostal Protestant church in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

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Napoleon's dream on road to becoming reality

By MARCUS ELIASON

SHAKESPEARE CLIFF, England (AP) — A colossal tunneling machine is boring beneath the English Channel from the white cliffs of Dover, pursuing a dream born in Napoleon's time that is coming true at last.

Another is digging from the French coast in what the tunnel builders call the largest civil engineering project now under way in the world.

The 31-mile tunnel, 24 miles of it underwater, will cut the London-Paris journey from six hours to three, as fast as a scheduled airline.

It will enable freight to travel on one train instead of being shifted to trucks for a cross-channel ferry trip subject to weather and shipping strikes.

Tunneling speed at the Dover end is less than 15 feet an hour and the machine boring from the geologically more complex French end moves even slower, which is why the tunnel will not open until 1993.

For continental Europeans, accustomed to long-distance rail travel, the tunnel is but a small spur on a vast network stretching to Moscow and beyond.

For the British, the change wrought by what many call the "chunnel" will be enormous. Some wonder whether Britain will be ready for it.

"People still question whether the tunnel will be complete in May 1993 and that's ridiculous," says Kathy Watson, co-author of a book on the project. "They're still arguing about whether it will introduce rabies into this country, or let in terrorists."

"They discuss it in terms of their being an island race, with a channel that has kept out invaders," she said in an interview.

State-owned British Rail will not commit itself to building a high-speed link from London to the tunnel in time to make the three-hour journey a reality in 1993. It intends instead to improve existing tracks.

Eurotunnel, the Anglo-French consortium that will own the tunnel, is urging British Rail to speed its plans. Critics say the tangle of commuter lines in southeast England, so obsolete that trains can be delayed by a sudden fall of autumn leaves, will delay tunnel traffic.

The consortium forecasts 16.5 million passengers in 1993 but the railroad says that figure will not be reached before 1998.

Arriving channel trains will terminate at Waterloo station in south London, at a large customs and immigration terminal. Critics say this will waste time and Britain should follow the continental practice of handling such matters on the train during the journey.

British stations, bridges and tunnels are not built for the tall loads commonly carried across the channel. That means many loads will have to be repacked or transferred to trucks unless the facilities are rebuilt.

The grandiose project has been on and off the drawing boards for more than 200 years.

Napoleon wanted to bore a tunnel in 1802 but Britain's generals warned him off. Digging began in 1882 but was halted by British fears of French invasion through the tunnel.

Britain's entry into the European Economic Community engendered a spirit of unity and the digging began again in 1974, but two years later a new British government shelved the project.

With trade barriers among the 12 EEC countries set to fall in 1992, Colin Kirkland, technical director of Eurotunnel's on the British side, says the tunnel will be completed this time.

He says the entire cost of 5.2 billion pound ($8.8 billion) project is privately financed and cancellation would cost the governments "enormous penalties" to shareholders.

Also, the governments signed a tunnel treaty in February 1986 and both would have to agree to cancellation.

"There's no way that politicians will cancel this project," Kirkland said in an interview. "It's quite difficult to get one government to agree. To get two is bloody nigh impossible."

Money's power to move the tunnel forward was demonstrated in August, when drilling fell behind schedule.

Eurotunnel ordered a management shakeup and threatened Trans-Manche Link, the consortium of 10 British and French engineering companies building the tunnel, with penalties of $25 million if the diggers did not pass the three-mile mark by Nov. 1.

From a a rate of 380 feet a week, the pace quickly accelerated and recently achieved a week's record of 480 feet, Kirkland said. The timetable calls for 650 feet a week and Kirkland is confident of reaching it.

The tunnel, 80-130 feet below the seabed, was 2 miles into the channel from this end Oct. 9, the most recent measurement available, and the French had progressed about 1,300 feet. Digging began last December.

At its peak, the project will employ about 11,000 workers and 11 tunneling machines.

Construction of the two one-way train tunnels begins this month. A smaller service tunnel running between them now is being dug.

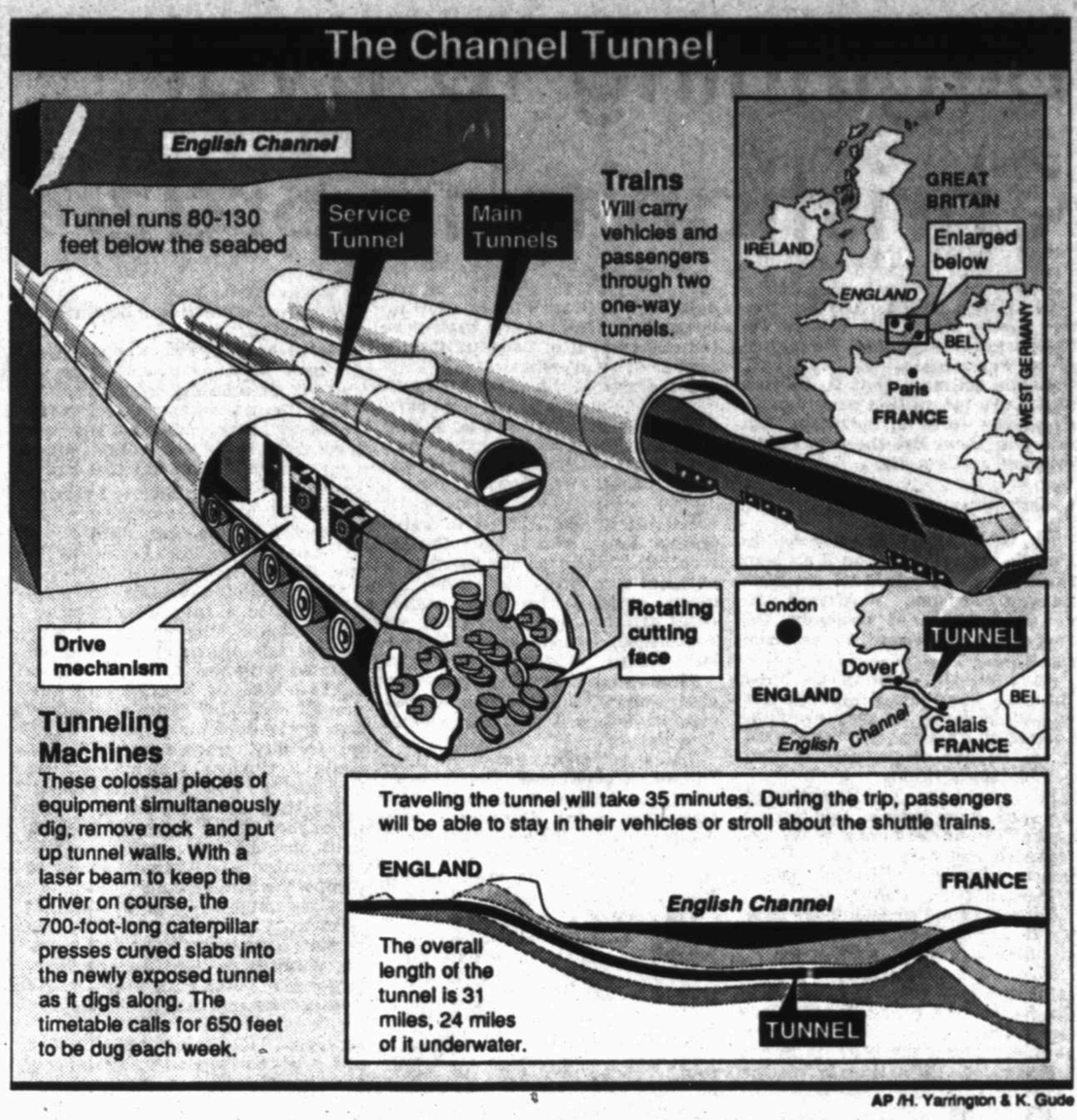
Tunneling machines simultaneously dig, remove rock and put up tunnel walls. With a laser beam to keep the driver on course, the 700-foot-long behemoth creeps along, pressing curved slabs of Scottish granite and pulverized ash into the newly exposed tunnel wall.

In an emergency like flooding, the cylindrical head of the machine can expand to become a cork, blocking off the water and spraying concrete into the cavity to seal the leak. Once the all-clear is given, the two-story-high rotating blade with its tungsten teeth resumes chewing ahead.

Because the machines are too large to be removed, when the digging is complete they will be rolled aside and walled in.

The tunnels are to be completed in 1991, then the railroad tracks will be laid. Eurotunnel will run shuttle trains once every three minutes at peak times between terminals near Folkestone and Calais, and British Rail and the Frenh state railroad will operate trains from London and Paris.

Cars and trucks will drive onto the shuttle trains and be able to stay in their vehicles or stroll about during the 35-minute tunnel passage.



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Official says AIDS in Baja started in U.S.

Copley News Service

IXTAPA, Mexico — A senior health official from Baja California (Norte) has recently indicated that the deadly AIDS virus now troubling the state appeared to have largely originated on the U.S. side of the border.

Dr. Diego Fernandez de Castro, of the Baja California Department of Health, told an international AIDS conference that 80 percent of the state's early cases of the disease were among Mexicans who had lived in California.

"Eighty percent of the known cases (12 of the 15) during the first three years (from 1984, in Baja California Norte) had previously lived in the state of California," Fernandez de Castro told delegates at the First International Symposium on Education and Information against AIDS in this Pacific resort.

Of those cases, 79 percent were confirmed in Tijuana, 17 percent in Mexicali and four in Tecate, he added.

Fernandez de Castro said the total number of reported AIDS cases in Baja California Norte at present was 49, compared with almost 12,000 in the neighboring U.S. state.

Of those in Baja, 80 percent were in Tijuana, while on the northern side of the border, 37 percent of known cases were in Los Angeles county and 49 percent of California's total cases were spread among the counties of Los Angeles, Riverside, San Diego, Orange and Imperial, he stated.

The Mexican official noted that the disease had first been detected in California in 1981 and in Baja California three years later. But he presented no evidence, other than the above figures, to support the theory that the disease had reached the Mexican state from the U.S. side.

In a speech to part of the 60-nation conference, he did not address the question of whether AIDS might have reached California from the Mexican side, even though it was first noted north of the border.

Fernandez de Castro said the ratio of AIDS cases among homosexual or bisexual people was roughly the same on both sides of the border. The major difference between California and Baja was that a "worrying" 8 percent of cases on the Mexican side were traced to blood transfusions, compared with 2.5 percent on the U.S. side.

The Baja Californian official did not go into detail on the theme but another speaker, Dr Antonio Marin-Lopez of the Mexican Red Cross, explained that private blood banks in Mexico, banned since last year, had been careless and often run by non-medical personnel seeking pure profit.

Health authorities were strongly recommending the system of "auto-transfusion," donating one's own blood for future transfusions.

CULTS

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"AFRICAN CULTURE is our common mother," da Silva says. "To Africans, the earth is the altar of God, Olorum. The black Catholic is rediscovering this."

Da Silva concedes that some bishops "are upset" at the changes.

"They know only the Roman way, the European way," he says. "But this is a new vitality. It is the Latin American church renewed."

Some believe the Roman Catholic Church has become too accommodating since the Second Vatican Council of 1962-65.

"The Church is afraid of losing people," says Carden of the Christian Research Institute. "It can't catechize them, so it wants to make them feel at home and not leave the Church. It's a very serious compromise. They're talking about African gods and anti-biblical things."

Many spirit worshipers just wish Christians would leave them alone.

Mae Meninazinha de Oxum, or "Mother Little Girl of Oxum," is a Candomble priestess in Sao Joao de Meriti, a poor city north of Rio. Recently she literally had to bar her door to prevent Pentecostalists from invading.

"They cursed us and said we would burn in hell," she says. "They're fanatics. We respect all religions, but we are not respected."

Mae Beata de Iemanja, a priestess at the Yle Omi Oju Aro Candomble center in the nearby Sao Mateus district, also has battled police and preachers to preserve her religion.

"I WAS baptized a Catholic, but today, knowing what I do of the religion of the orixas, I wouldn't do it," says the 57-year-old priestess, dressed in the traditional white lace dress, turban and colored ritual necklaces of Candomble. "Nature is our religion. Nature purifies, blesses, does everything. It has force.

"When Olorum made the world, he made a place for everything he created. So why fight? We are all children of Olorum."

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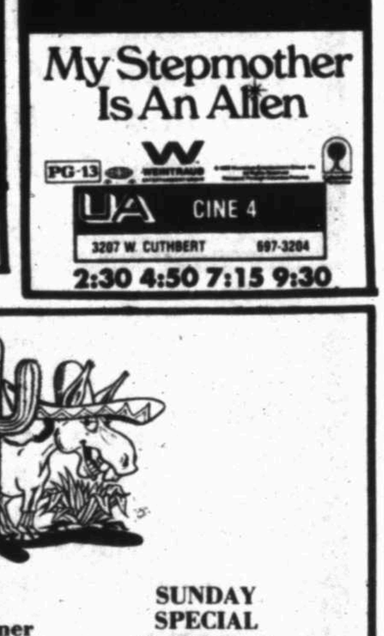

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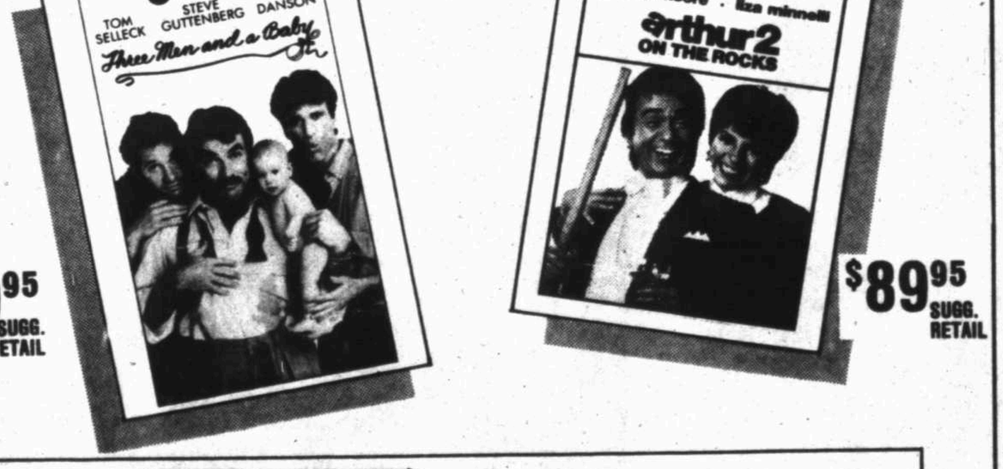

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Study of ethics enjoys resurgence

By CASSANDRA BURRELL

PITTSBURGH (AP) — A year after a leaking gasoline line caused his car to explode, 25-year-old Donald Cowart remained so severely burned that he would die without long and painful treatment. Cowart asked to be allowed to die.

Question: Should the hospital grant his request?

The increasing frequency of questions like this has led to a national resurgence in the study of ethics, according to Preston K. Covey, director of Carnegie Mellon University's Center for the Advancement of Applied Ethics, which opened in June.

Ethicists say the number of such centers has been increasing in the last decade, especially at medical schools.

"If your medical school or center doesn't have a serious program to address the ethical as well as the scientific, you are kind of behind the times," said Bruce Jennings, associate for policy studies at New York's Hastings Center, perhaps the oldest ethics research institute, founded in 1969.

"I would say there has been a change in attitudes since the 1950s and 1960s when philosophers felt the study of ethics was not very interesting," he said. "Now it's one of the most vital areas in academic philosophy."

Carnegie Mellon decided to open an ethics center because, like many other universities, "we felt that a new priority should be given to ethics and values," Covey said. "Instead of just caring about them, we should start doing something about them."

The university expects its center will help students and professionals deal with a wide range of ethical issues, including insider trading, influence peddling, managing AIDS in the workplace, sexual harassment, South African divestment, whistleblowing, fetal tissue research, abortion, organ transplants and affirmative action, Covey said.

A Carnegie Mellon videodisc telling the story of Cowart's 1973 accident and subsequent medical care, called "The Right to Die," is used to guide businessmen, government officials and health care professionals through the complexities of moral questions that didn't exist 20 years ago, Covey said.

At certain points in the story, the videodisc is stopped to allow seminar participants to debate the ethical issues and make their own decisions about what should have been done.

Cowart was not allowed to die, and today he is remarried and a practicing attorney in Texas, Covey said.

The Kennedy Institute of Ethics at Georgetown University in Waectacular science fiction-like news stories about new medical techniques and capabilities have helped glamorize ethics, said Albert Jonsen, who heads the University of Washington School of Medicine's new department of Medical History and Ethics.

"The first heart transplant was done in the late 1960s and that captured the attention of everyone," Jonsen said. "Every one was asking, 'Is that right? Taking the heart out of one person and putting it in another?' The media played that up in a big way and got a big response."

The reaction also enlivened debate among philosophers, scientists and doctors, he said.

"The reactions to that within medicine was to say, 'This is fantastic technology — what's its best use? It may have adverse consequences,'" Jonsen said.

"In medicine you're supposed to benefit your patients. That's the first rule. The ethical question we are asking is can this ... benefit my patient?"

The University of Pittsburgh's Center for Medical Ethics, which opened in February 1987, was formed after administrators and faculty began reflecting on medical cases that grabbed the public's attention, said center director Alan Meisel.

"One day in 1984, I picked up the paper and found a front-page story on Baby Faye, the little girl who received a baboon's heart at Loma Linda University Medical Center in California. I reflected about that every day for a week, and I thought of similar stories," Meisel said.

"Finally, we said that this is an important topic and we should do something about it."

Kidney dialysis and organ transplantation sparked ethical debates in the 1970s, said LeRoy Walters, director for the Kennedy Institute's biomedical ethics center.

"Today the new developments are in genetics and reproduction," he said. "Also, with the emphasis on the civil rights movement and the women's movement, more patients have been demanding more information from doctors about themselves, about their conditions, and there has been more emphasis on the patient's right to determine what treatment he or she should have."

The University of Minnesota's year-old Center for Biomedical Ethics also was formed after medical school administrators, students and doctors agreed more attention should be paid to ethics, said center director Arthur Caplan.

"You need new ethical norms at a time of rapid change," Caplan said.

Although only a few weeks old, the Carnegie Mellon center already has been busy conducting seminars for the Edison Electric Institute, the Pittsburgh office of the Internal Revenue Service, the federal Department of Agriculture and a number of other groups and agencies.

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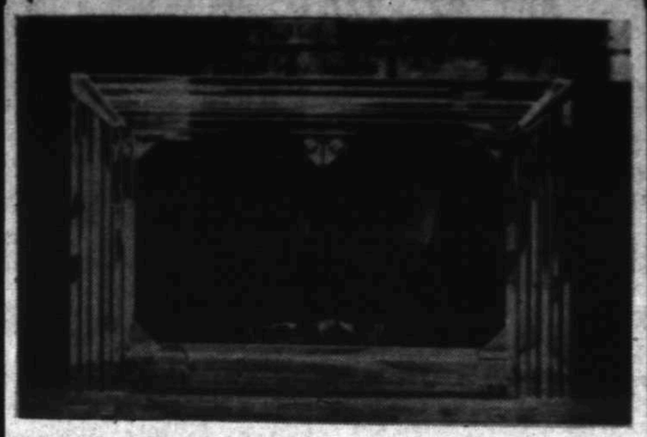

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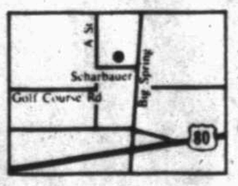

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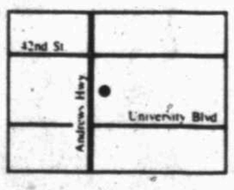

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New health legislation concerns many seniors

By RONNIE LYNCH

The passage of the Medicare Catastrophic Coverage Act into law–effective January 1, 1989–has prompted concern on the part of senior citizens across the nation.

The intent of the new law is to fill in the gaps between Medicare physician and hospital coverage. The increased benefits provided to Medicare beneficiaries include coverage for unlimited hospital stays, expanded skilled nursing facility coverage, additional payments for outpatient prescription drugs and spousal impoverishment protection.

The reason for the growing concern among the elderly is that the new coverage will be financed, in part, through supplemental premiums paid by senior citizens based on their income tax liability.

Under the new law all Medicare beneficiaries will pay an added 15 percent surtax on each $150 of federal income taxes owed up to a ceiling of $800 per person, or $1,600 per couple. This surtax will increase each year to a maximum of 28 percent by 1993, with a ceiling of $1,050 per person ($2,100 per couple).

Due to the standard deductions and personal exemptions, senior citizens filing jointly with an adjusted gross income of less than $10,000 will incur no federal tax liabilities. Therefore, they will pay no surtax on this income.

While the new legislation imposes a surtax on the elderly investor, there are several investment strategies that can reduce its bite. Investment experts agree that a shift from taxable to tax-exempt investments can, in some cases, do the job.

Specifically, they recommend consideration of tax-free municipal bonds, tax-free mutual funds, tax-free unit trusts, tax-deferred annuities and certain direct investments as viable options.

However, before investors arbitrarily switch their investments from higher-yielding taxable investments to tax-exempt categories, they should examine the interest rate spread between the two, as well as applicable federal and state effective tax rates.

A good rule of thumb for a married couple–who are both Medicare beneficiaries–to bear in mind is that they can realize the added benefit of reducing the surtax if state and federal tax rates make it appropriate to invest in municipals, and their taxable income can be lowered to fall within a window of $30,000 to $50,000.

If this couple's taxable income falls below the $30,000 general income range, they may lose more in after-tax interest income than they'll save in the surtax reduction because they may have fallen into the lower, 15 percent tax bracket.

On the other hand, if this same couple has a taxable income of more than $50,000, they may be above the $1,600 surtax ceiling and, therefore, may not realize additional surtax savings. In 1993 this upper limit will be reduced to $40,000.

For those senior citizens filing individual tax returns in 1989, this optimum "window" of taxable income is between $17,850 and $27,000. In 1993 this upper limit will fall to $21,000.

Ronnie Lynch is a financial consultant with Shearson Lehman Hutton in Midland.

The Christmas stocking program for the patients of We Care Home Health agency is in its fourth year. With some of the stockings are, from left, Cynthia Dominquez, Allene Brown and Shirley Mangum.

Holiday idea gives cheer

From Staff Reports

Many of the Permian Basin's mature ill and disabled citizens will enjoy some extra holiday cheer this year, thanks to the generosity of a group of local health care professionals.

Nurses, support staff and administrators at We Care Home Health Agency spread goodwill to their patients through the firm's annual Christmas stocking deliveries.

Thirty employees donated their time and talents to the project, which this year is expected to benefit 125 patients. The team began this year's efforts in early November, working after business hours to complete the stockings for pre-Christmas delivery.

Each stocking is constructed by hand and colorfully decorated with sequins and glitter. In a sense, every stocking is a one-of-a-kind, since so many individuals are involved in the creativity. No stocking is complete without being stuffed with apples, oranges, candy, nuts and the festive touch of a candy cane.

"We look forward to this project each year," said Jean Cooper, a physical therapist. "We get excited and just get carried away. The originality of each stocking reflects our joy. Our wish is that all of our patients enjoy Christmas."

Employees who interact with the patients frequently are also committed to other goodwill errands and projects throughout the year, added Mrs. Cooper. Like the Christmas stockings, this display of interest is done on the health care employees' personal time, she concluded.

Prime Time Calendar

December 18 - December 24

CASA DE AMIGOS

In keeping with the overall purpose of Casa de Amigos, a multitude of services are provided for the needs of the elderly in their Senior Citizen Program. Casa de Amigos is located at 1101 E. Garden Lane. Call 682-9701 for more information on services provided. These programs and activities include:

Monday: Billiards, 9 a.m., Exercise, 10 a.m.; Ceramics, 10:30 a.m.

Tuesday: Billiards, 9 a.m., Painting, 10:00 a.m.; Bingo, 12:15 p.m.

Wednesday: Billiards, 9 a.m., Christmas Dinner, 10:00 p.m., Sock Contest, 10:30 p.m.

Thursday: Billiards, 9 a.m., Hand building; gift exchange, 10:00 a.m.

Friday: Billiards, 9 a.m., Exercise, 10:00 a.m.; Bingo, noon.

MIDLAND COLLEGE

Although the college officially closed yesterday for the holidays, one last event is going on this evening. A dance program, "Rhythm from Life" is being presented at 8 p.m. in the Allison Fine Arts Building auditorium. Midland College dance instructor Brenda May and several other dance instructors and students have prepared dance numbers in contemporary, jazz and classical styles. Admission is $4 per person and you can make reservations by calling 682-4111.

Don't forget to come out to the campus during the holidays to see the Christmas lights on the carillon tower and some of the buildings. The carillon plays Christmas music at 12 noon, 4 p.m. and 8:20 p.m.

MIDLAND SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER

The Midland Senior Citizens Center is located at 2500 Delano Ave.

Monday: Billiards, 9 a.m.; Exercise, 9:30 a.m.; Tablegames and Kitchenette, 10 a.m.; Lunch, 11:30 a.m.; Art Class with Carol Cornelius, 12:30 p.m.; Table Games, 1:00 p.m.

Tuesday: Billiards, 9 a.m.; Ceramics, 9 a.m.; Exercise, 9 a.m.; Shuffleboard, 9:30 a.m.; Blood Pressure Day, 9:30 a.m. to noon; Lunch, 11:30 a.m.; Table Games, 1 p.m.; Bridge, 1 p.m.

Wednesday: Billiards, 9 a.m.; Ceramics, 9 a.m.; Exercise, 9:30 a.m.; Quilting, 10 a.m.; Singing, 10 a.m.; Christmas Dinner, 11:30 a.m.; Table Games, 1 p.m.; Bridge, 1 p.m.

Thursday: Billiards, 9 a.m.; Exercise 9:30 a.m.; Dancing, 9:30 a.m.; Table Games, 10 a.m.; NO LUNCH TODAY; center closes at noon.

Friday: Center closed.

YMCA

The Midland YMCA's have many activities scheduled weekly for Prime Time adults. For more information regarding the activities and classes available call the Central YMCA, 800 N. Big Spring, at 682-2551; Alamo YMCA, 901 N. Midland Drive, 694-2528; Northeast YMCA, 2301 Butternut, 682-8469; Town West YMCA, 1012 Andrews Highway, 694-6821.

Sunday: YMCA First Annual Jingle Bell Jog. Two-mile Senior's Walk at 3:15 p.m. For more information, contact Brent Finlay at 682-2551.

CENTRAL YMCA:

Monday, Wednesday, Friday: Low Impact Aerobics, 8 a.m., 9 a.m., 5:30 p.m.; YMCARDIAC (YCT) Therapy, 7 a.m., call for an appointment before beginning class.

Tuesday, Thursday: Y's Way to a Healthy Back, 9 a.m.; Specialized Strength Training for Seniors, call for an appointment.

ALAMO YMCA:

Monday, Wednesday, Friday: Arthritis Water Class, 1 p.m., 2 p.m.

Tuesday, Thursday, Friday: Aqua Aerobics, 10 a.m.

Water Rehab Therapy, call for an appointment.

TOWN WEST YMCA:

Monday, Wednesday, Friday: Prime Time Water Aerobics, 9 a.m.; No-Impact Aerobics, 10 a.m.

Tuesday, Thursday: Prime Time Water Aerobics, 9:30 a.m., 10 a.m.

Biking for Fitness and Nautilus Weight Training for Prime Time adults is offered Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. until 4 p.m.

HILLCREST MANOR

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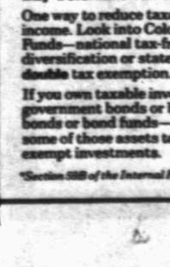

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LaRouche convicted of tax fraud

ALEXANDRIA, Va. (AP) — A federal jury Friday convicted political maverick Lyndon H. LaRouche Jr. of 13 counts of tax and mail fraud conspiracy for cheating federal tax collectors as well as his supporters whose loans were never repaid.

After less than two days of deliberations, the jury of eight women and four men also convicted six LaRouche associates of mail fraud and conspiracy in the case of $30 million in defaulted loans.

Chief U.S. District Judge Albert V. Bryan Jr. set sentencing for Jan. 27.

Larouche, a perennial independent presidential candidate, faces a maximum penalty of 65 years in prison and fines totaling $3.25 million.

The other six face lesser penalties for their roles on the mail fraud and conspiracy charges.

The six are William Wertz, who was LaRouche's chief fund-raiser; Edward Spannaus, his legal coordinator, and fund-raisers Michael Billington, Dennis Small, Paul Greenberg and Joyce Rubinstein.

LaRouche, 66, and the six aides were charged with mail fraud and conspiracy for allegedly raising more than $30 million in loans from supporters without any intention of repaying them.

All seven defendants were convicted of all 48 counts in the indictment returned on Oct. 14 by a federal grand jury.

LaRouche, who did not testify in his own defense, stood rigidly facing the jury with his arms crossed in front of him as a clerk recited the guilty verdict on all 13 counts against him. Afterward, he sat down without a word or gesture. Ms. Rubinstein broke into tears and fell into the arms of a friend after she left the courtroom.

Defense attorneys said they planned to appeal the convictions.

Government prosecutor John Markham said he did not regard the verdict as a victory.

"I consider this an obvious conclusion to a long pattern of false statements to trusting senior citizens," he said. "Their dreams for their retirement are gone. It's a sad case."

In addition to the charges connected with the loans, LaRouche was accused of conspiracy to defraud the Internal Revenue Service by having all his personal expenses paid by various corporations he controls, and claiming he had no taxable income.

Government prosecutors said LaRouche has not filed federal income tax returns for any year since 1978 and that he conspired to conceal the expenses that were paid on his behalf.

A separate criminal case involving LaRouche and 18 of his followers is rescheduled for retrial in U.S. District Court in Boston starting Feb. 27.

In that case, LaRouche is charged with conspiring to obstruct justice in connection with allegedly unauthorized use of credit cards to raise $1 million for his 1984 presidential campaign.

During 15 days of testimony in federal court in Alexandria, a parade of prosecution witnesses testified that they had loaned hundreds of thousands of dollars to the LaRouche organization but got little if any of their money back.

One lender was Elizabeth Sexton of Suffield, Conn., who said she was never repaid the $112,800 she loaned to a LaRouche organization to help finance an anti-drug book. Ms. Sexton said that when "the barrel ran dry" in her personal funds, a persistent LaRouche fund-raiser persuaded her to try to obtain a bank loan so she could lend more money.

Some of the most damaging testimony from a government witness was given by Charles Tate, who told jurors that Wertz told his fundraising staff that "there was no such thing as a loan."

Tate, a former security aide who quit the LaRouche staff in 1984, quoted Wertz as ordering his staff to try to have the loans converted to contributions and, if that were unsuccessful, not repay them unless there was a "political downside" or a threatened lawsuit.

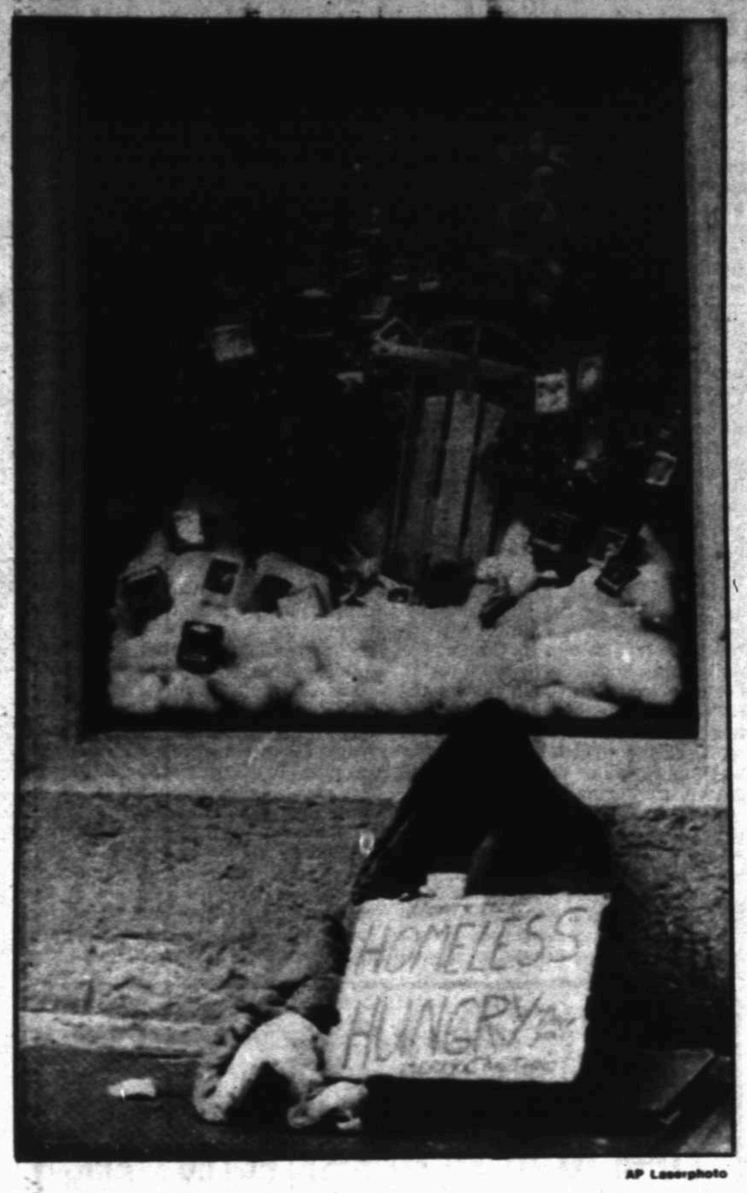
Christian Curtis, a former LaRouche fund-raiser, said his superiors told him: "If you're talking to a little old lady who says she's going to lose her house, get the money. If you're talking to an unemployed worker, get the money. These people are immoral, anyway."

Curtis said LaRouche staffers called "pigs or swine" those supporters who complained that their loans were not being repaid as promised.

Ms. Sexton said her fundraising contact assured her that her money was safer with the LaRouche organization than were her bank because "the banks are our enemies."

But Wayne Hintz, a former LaRouche finance officer, and LaRouche aide Franklin Harrison Bell both disputed government contentions that there was a policy not to repay the loans.

Defense lawyers told the jurors there was no intent to defraud the lenders.



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Begging for help

A homeless man, bundled against the cold, solicits money on New York's Fifth Avenue in front of a fashionable shop, the window of which displays high-priced goods.

Homeless huddle underground after 'city' demolished

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Homeless people seeking shelter from freezing temperatures gathered Friday in a subway concourse a day after city workers demolished a "cardboard city" that about 75 street people had built there.

The city crews Thursday morning removed the boxes, mattresses, blankets, crates and makeshift furniture that some of the homeless had brought to the cavernous underground passageway above one of the city's subway lines.

Mayor W. Wilson Goode told a news conference that the action was only a cleanup, not an eviction.

"We intend to clean up every day," Goode said Thursday. "We will not forcibly remove the persons who are there."

One homeless man, Charles Twiggs, 59, said he didn't blame police officers who asked the homeless, most of them men, to leave to allow sanitation workers to clean the area.

"That's their duty, that's their job," said Twiggs.

Several of the homeless blamed the media in part for the cleanup because of extensive coverage of their communal living in the concourse.

Workers for the Philadelphia Committee for the Homeless arrived Thursday night to bring food for the returning homeless.

Several members of a Philadelphia church prayed in a circle with about eight homeless men, and workers from city-funded shelters stopped by to gather the few who were willing to go with them.

Police said they would not prevent people from returning to the concourse, which the homeless have used for shelter for a decade.

Terry Ryan, 19, had assembled one of the most elaborate cardboard homes, using wire and two metal poles to combine several smaller boxes into a 7-by-14-foot shelter, with plastic sheets to cut down drafts.

By Thursday morning, the shelter was disassembled.

"The (police) captain came to my door and asked me to tell everyone to get out," Ryan said. "I had three beds, a table and chair, heat, had running water."

Ryan, who said he has been homeless for more than a year, said he lived at the Broad Street subway concourse for the past 2½ months with five friends in his "condo."

Other homeless people said they were permitted to take what belongings they could carry when the cleanup began.

Police Capt. Lawrence Norton said the homeless left the concourse on their own Thursday morning. "We've had no problems," he said.

Police had planned to evict the homeless officially from the concourse. A police spokeswoman, Cpl. Theresa Young, said she did not know why the decision was changed.

Fumbling bank robber at large

PALM HARBOR, Fla. (AP) — He drops wads of cash and even lets his handgun slip at times, but the robber federal agents dub "Fumbles" remains free after committing as many as 30 bank heists in Florida in four years.

The latest robbery occurred Wednesday, when a tall man in a baseball cap, cotton gloves and sunglasses stuck up the Beneficial Savings Bank.

The 6-foot-2-inch robber left quickly with an undisclosed amount of money, and once again nobody knows whether the getaway was on foot or by car.

"He appears to stay outside and wait until it's rather quiet," Dunedin police Detective John Brown said Thursday. His department suspects the man in two bank heists this year.

"I don't think anybody that robs a bank can do it without being caught," Tampa FBI spokesman Larry Curtin said. "But he's been successful for over three years. I don't know why."

The bandit dons the cap, sunglasses and gloves. Then, armed with a handgun, he walks inside and heads straight to a teller's window. He demands money and grabs whatever he can.

He doesn't bother to make employees remove money from vaults because that is time consuming, detectives say. There have been no reports of injuries in the robberies, according to the FBI.

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Area's crime rate so high that mail carriers escorted

ATLANTA (AP) — Crime is so ferocious at the Bankhead Courts housing project that mail carriers are protected by police escort, the telephone company cut service calls to one day a week and a city official warns of anarchy.

Residents ignore an anonymous police hot line to report drug activity and say they are too afraid to attend meetings of the tenants association.

"People who live out here don't get together and try to work out something," said Hattie Scales, president of the Bankhead Courts Tenants Association. "We can't do much at all, but they can come to us and let us know."

She said Friday that "a very few" of the 1,703 residents who live in the project's wood-and-brick townhouses are active in the tenants group. A meeting Tuesday had to be called off for lack of participation.

"It was at night and nobody would come out," Mrs. Scales said. "I can't blame them for not coming out at night, but we haven't had a meeting because they don't come out."

Postal officials suspended service to the project for one day after shots were fired near a letter carrier Dec. 10. City officials criticized the move, and service to the 500-unit complex resumed Wednesday under police escort.

Southern Bell, saying it feared for the safety of its employees, scaled back service in Bankhead Courts, as well as to three other complexes in the city. Telephone installation and repair work is limited to Monday mornings, except for emergencies, and workers will enter the projects only in groups.

"We've had folks flash guns and pull knives on our installers, and threaten to use explosives on our vans," said Southern Bell spokesman Doug Kendig.

Gene Parker, another Southern Bell spokesman, said the safeguards are temporary, and company officials were meeting with police and city officials in an effort to strike a compromise.

Mayor Andrew Young condemned the decision as "another attempt to make poor people pay for the cutbacks in services."

Atlanta Housing Authority spokeswoman Cynthia Hoke said in a statement that the authority was "outraged" by the phone service cutback, effective about two weeks ago.

"We will not stand idly by and allow others to alienate our communities," Ms. Hoke said. "AHA leadership will employ all means necessary, including legal actions, to ensure the delivery of utility and governmental services to citizens who happen to live in public housing."

City Council President Marvin Arrington, who warned residents to take more responsibility, said Southern Bell's action was "exactly the point I was making" about conditions at the project.

"Can you imagine if services are terminated, what would happen? It (Bankhead Courts housing project) would become an enclave unto itself, and I don't want to see that happen. If there is anarchy, if there is no control and no respect for police officers, the foundation of that community gives way. We need to go in...and say, 'Hold on. We're trying to help you live a better quality of life.'"

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The service restrictions were the latest setbacks at Bankhead Courts, which sits in a wooded area of northwest Atlanta next to an industrial park. Police say the project has been prone to violent incidents and drug-related crimes for most of its 19 years.

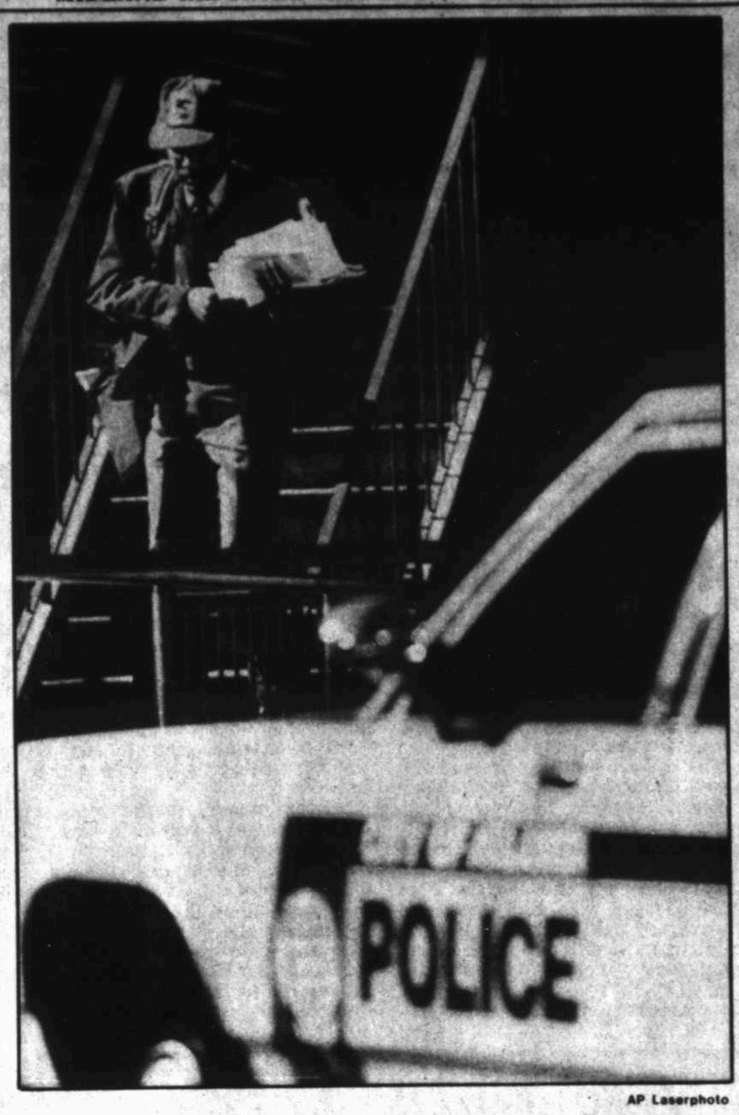
On Nov. 3, a 24-year-old woman who journeyed into the complex with friends was killed when a drug dealer, fearing undercover police officers, opened fire on her car as it approached with its headlights off.

Two days later, four police officers were injured during several scuffles that erupted during a drug sweep. Twelve residents of the complex were arrested on drug charges.

A Nov. 10 raid by 37 officers led to 27 arrests — nine on drug charges and 18 for traffic violations and other charges.

"We have to change this system around," Mrs. Scales said. "That's about the only way. If we don't get something decent going, we can't expect nothing but the bottom."

In an incident at a Chicago housing project Monday, paramedics responding to an emergency call from the mother of an asthmatic child refused to enter the building after they said they were pelted with rocks and eggs.



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U.S. Postal Service mailman Oscar Daniel delivers mail in the Bankhead Courts housing project in Atlanta in Friday under the watchful eye of a police escort. Mail delivery in the project was temporarily suspended last Saturday when a postman was caught near a drug shootout.

Benefit estimate forms not returned, says Social Security head

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Social Security commissioner said Friday she'd like every worker to have a personalized statement of future retirement benefits but many people have failed to provide information needed to make the estimates.

Despite a clamor for the request forms last summer when the new service became available, several million people who got the forms have not yet filled them out, Dorcas R. Hardy said.

"More than 6 million people have asked us for the statement. But only 35 percent of them have sent it back to us," she said.

The agency was flooded with phone calls when it began offering the Personal Earnings and Benefit Estimate Statement in August. Many people encountered busy signals or long waits when they did get through.

But Hardy said those bottlenecks are a thing of the past. She said anyone can call a toll-free number — 1-800-234-5772 — to request the form or make other Social Security inquiries.

There are operators to answer the calls at various Social Security centers from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. local time on weekdays. Those who call after working hours or on weekends will get an answering machine.

"We're ready, willing and able to provide them now," said Hardy. "I would really like to have everybody have a PEBES in their stocking."

Once the form is mailed back, it takes the agency three weeks to crank out the estimates of future monthly retirement benefits, as well as how much the worker and his family would get now if he or she became disabled or died. The retirement benefits are expressed in terms of today's dollars.

The agency also provides a year-by-year list of how much people earned and how much they paid in Social Security taxes.

Hardy said the personalized benefit statements were "clearly a major breakthrough this year."

They help people detect whether their employers reported their earnings to Social Security correctly. Social Security generally does not correct mistakes more than 3¼ years old, so the government recommends that all workers check their records every three years.

Hardy also believes that if workers get a better idea of what to expect from Social Security, they will start saving more.

Hardy said she would like to see people depend less on Social Security and the government for retirement income. Currently, more than half the elderly rely on Social Security as their main source of income.

In other matters, Hardy said she and the Department of Health and Human Services were unable to get a proposal to eliminate Social Security's earnings test included in President Reagan's fiscal 1990 budget.

The earnings test reduces benefits of beneficiaries under age 70 who earn more than certain amounts. The thresholds this year are $8,400 for those ages 65-69 and $6,120 for those under 65; in 1989 they are $8,880 and $6,480 respectively.

Armenians can call U.S. collect

MORRIS TOWNSHIP, N.J. (AP) — Armenians can now make collect phone calls to the United States for the first time, under an agreement reached between the American Telephone & Telegraph Co. and Soviet authorities.

In a statement Thursday, the company said the agreement covers only the Armenian Republic, which has spent the past 10 days digging out from a devastating earthquake.

"This is the first agreement of its kind between AT&T and the Soviet Union, and marks a dramatic lessening of restrictions for Soviet citizens seeking to call the United States," the company said.

The volume of calls to and from the Soviet Union rose to eight times the normal level following the Dec. 7 quake, said Rick Matthews, spokesman for Morris Township-based AT&T International.

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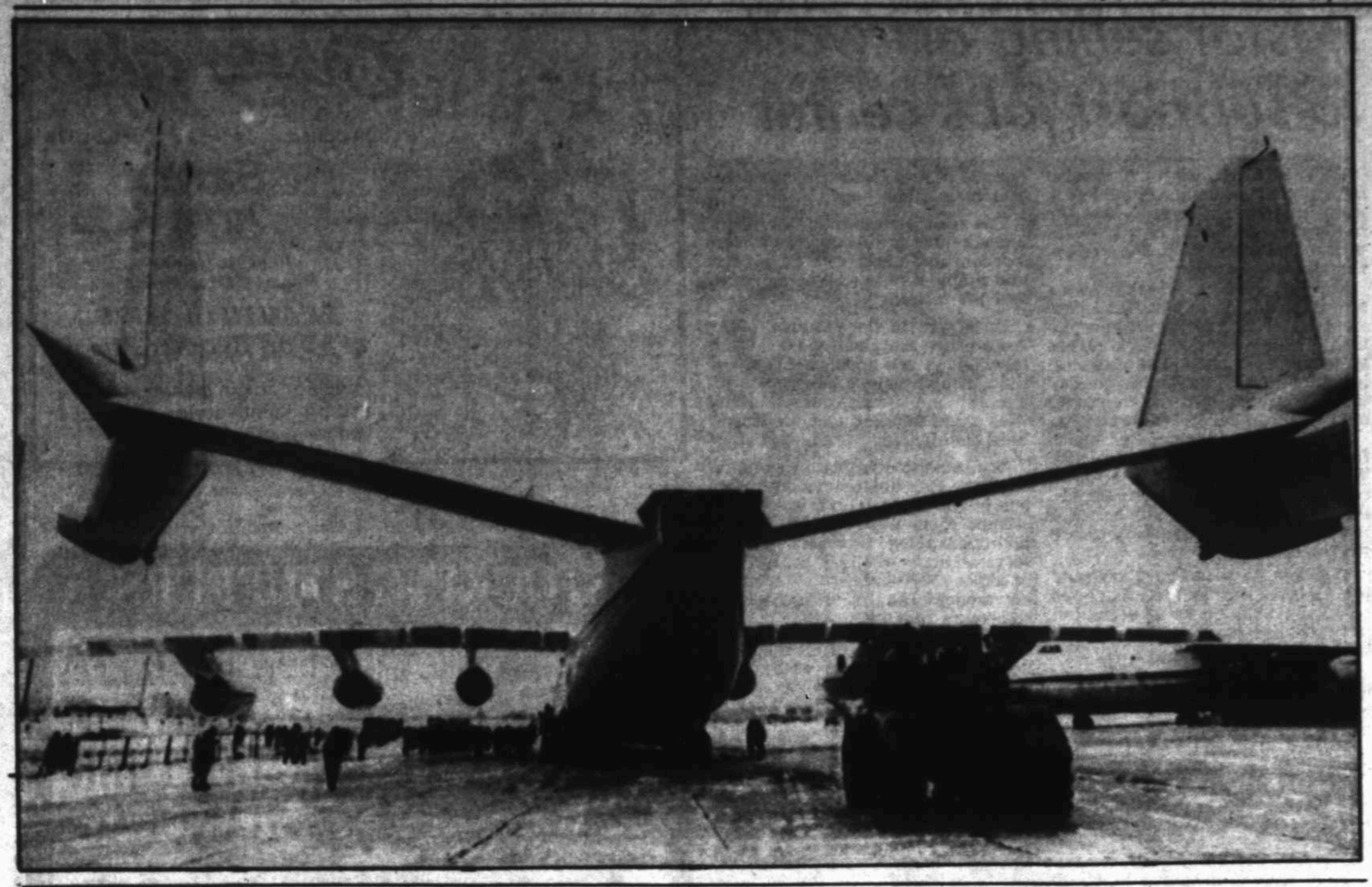

New aircraft

The first Soviet AN-225 transport plane, called the world's largest aircraft by its builders, was rolled out Nov. 30 in Kiev, where it was built. The 600-ton aircraft, with six jet engines and a distinctive tail assembly, can fly wioth a payload of up to 250 tons at around 500 mph. The Soviets will use it to fly the "Buran" space shuttle back to its launch site after landings. Large segments of the booster rockets may also be transported.

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Minister quits over salmonella scare

LONDON (AP) — Edwina Currie, a controversial deputy health minister rated the best-known politician in Britain after Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher, resigned Friday in a national crisis over a salmonella scare.

Mrs. Currie, 42, caused the furor Dec. 3 when she said most British eggs were tainted with salmonella, a bacteria that causes food poisoning that in rare cases is fatal.

The government launched a $925,000 advertising campaign Friday to try to make Britons buy eggs again and announced plans to bail out producers by spending millions more to buy unsold eggs piling up at farms and warehouses.

Earlier Friday, egg producers filed multimillion-dollar damage claims against Mrs. Currie.

"I think in all the circumstances it (resignation) is the best course," Mrs. Currie said in a letter to Mrs. Thatcher after a private meeting at the prime minister's 10 Downing St. residence.

Mrs. Thatcher, who provided some defense for Mrs. Currie as the uproar over the egg scare built through two weeks, said she accepted the resignation "with great personal sadness."

"We shall miss the great energy and enthusiasm you have brought to all your work," she said in a reply letter.

But it remained uncertain just how risky Britain's eggs are.

Mrs. Thatcher, who in one parliamentary exchange last week announced she'd had an egg for breakfast, reported Thursday that 49 outbreaks of salmonella from eggs had affected 49,000 people.

Appearing to back Mrs. Currie, she acknowledged that many other cases probably went unreported.

Producers say egg consumption, normally 200 million a week or four per person, has slumped by as much as 60 percent since Mrs. Currie's warning.

Mrs. Currie was the most headline-grabbing member of the Conservative government.

Since being elected to Parliament five years ago, she has become noted for down-to-earth, colorfully phrased advice on health care, eating habits and life styles.

This year, Mrs. Currie advised retirees to mortgage their homes to pay for private health care and told the old to don "woolly night-caps" to ward off winter cold.

A poll in September in the respected weekly Economist showed Mrs. Currie's face was the most instantly recognizable in the government after Mrs. Thatcher's.

Egg producers expressed delight at Mrs. Currie's resignation. The opposition Labor Party said she'd been fired and deserved it, but added she'd be missed.

Government ads in national newspapers Friday said the incidence of salmonella is "very small." But the advertisements also advised against uncooked eggs in homemade mayonnaise and Yuletide eggnog, and it prescribed hard-boiled eggs for the sick, elderly, infants or expectant mothers.

"This woman with her outrageous statement has caused us tremendous damage," said John Coles, managing director of Thames Valley Eggs Ltd., the first producer to institute legal proceedings against Mrs. Currie. "We have lost tens of millions of pounds."

But he said the government's advertising campaign would help "in no way" because it mentions the salmonella risk.

Mrs. Currie, born and raised in a working-class family in the northwest England port of Liverpool, is a right-wing Conservative in the Thatcher mold.

But unlike Mrs. Thatcher, she discusses her views frankly on everything from politics, health and sex to her personal life, including her two daughters and the refusal of her Orthodox Jewish father ever to see her again after she married a gentile.

Protesters demand more for workers

MADRID, Spain (AP) — Thousands of festive demonstrators marched through Madrid on Friday night to demand a greater share of Spain's economic prosperity for union workers, the unemployed and the elderly.

No incidents were reported as 40,000 cheering people crowded into Puerta del Sol square for the march called by the the largest union, the Socialist General Workers Union, and the communist-dominated Workers Commissions.

The same demands were the basis of a general strike called by the unions on Wednesday that closed the nation's businesses and public transportation.

News reports said many other marchers had not yet reached the square considered the geographical center of Spain.

The marchers and the unions want Prime Minister Felipe Gonzalez's Socialist government to share the fruits of an economic boom Spain is enjoying.

Antonio Gutierrez, secretary-general of the communist-led union, told state television the march was "the finishing touch on the most important lesson in democracy the Spanish people have given for some time."

Gonzalez called the general strike Wednesday, the first in Spain in 54 years, "a tough political blow" to his 8-year-old government and repeated his offer to talk with union and business leaders. Both unions rejected the invitation unless the government first meets five basic demands.

These include broadening unemployment insurance to include up to 48 percent of Spain's 2.7 million jobless and boosting the smallest retirement pensions to the monthly minimum wage of $400.

Spain's 5 percent annual growth rate is the highest in Western Europe and the country's banks quadrupled their profits this year.

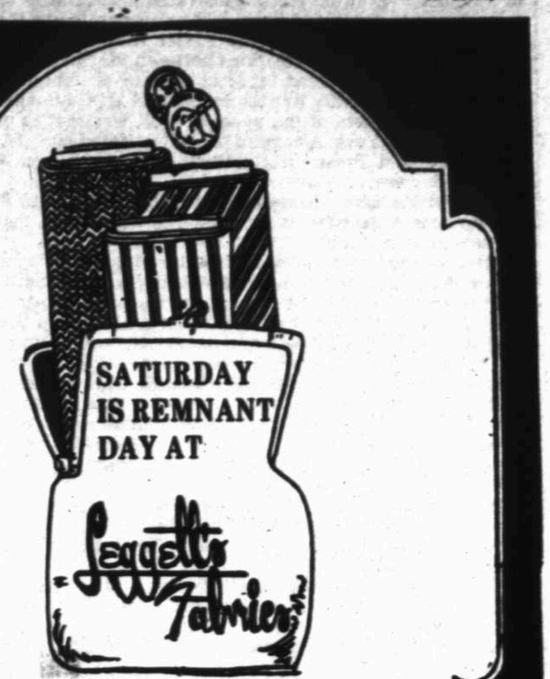
But it retains Europe's highest unemployment rate of 18.7 percent.

Union leaders and rank-and-file say it was their agreement to moderate wages that made the boom possible. They have threatened more strikes if their demands are not met.

State railroad engineers plan to strike Sunday, while the union representing maintenance technicians of the national airline Iberia said they would stay away from work on Dec. 23, 26, 30 and Jan. 2, 5 and 9.

After the strike, 53 percent of the Spaniards polled by the country's leading daily, El Pais, said they believe Gonzalez should make concessions to the unions for the sake of social peace.

On Jan. 1, Spain assumes the six-month rotating presidency of the European Economic Community for the first time since it joined the 12-member trading bloc in 1986. Socialist leaders claim the labor agitation is an embarrassment on the eve of the historic occasion.



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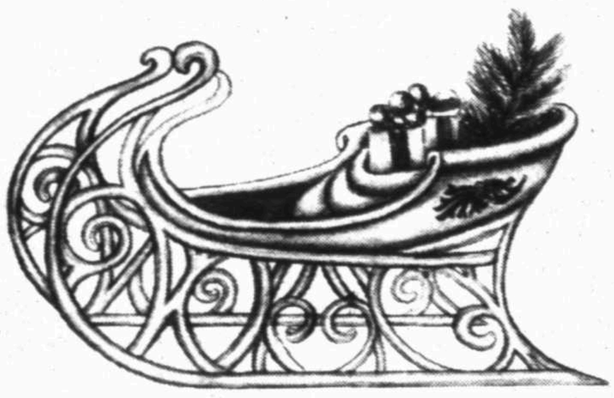
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Anti-Zionist group will be disbanded, according to letter

WASHINGTON (AP) — American Jewish leaders say the co-chairman of a Soviet committee which generated anti-Israel propaganda has told them the state-sponsored panel will be dismantled by the end of the year.

The decision to disband the Soviet Anti-Zionist Committee reflects recent improvement in relations between the Soviet Union and Israel, as well as better treatment of Jews wishing to emigrate.

A letter purportedly written by Samuel Zivs, a Soviet lawyer who was one of the founders of the panel in 1983, was sent to prominent Jewish leaders in New York. A copy of the letter, dated Nov. 14, was obtained by The Associated Press on condition that the people to whom it was addressed were not identified.

A Soviet Embassy spokesman, Boris Malakhov, said Friday he did not know about a decision to disband the committee, "although I do not exclude it is possible."

After saying the panel would be terminated, Zivs added that he was "sincerely committed and excited about" working with the Jewish community in the United States and in his own country.

Jewish leaders from the United States had urged that the committee be disbanded, saying it was anti-Semitic as well as anti-Zionist. Zivs said in the letter that the panel's activities "were never intended to be, contrary to how they have unfortunately been perceived, anti-Semitic."

The committee, composed of Jews with close links to the government, was formed in a bid to dissuade Jewish dissidents from seeking permits to leave their country for Israel and to discredit their attempts in the eyes of the West. It is headed by David Dragunsky, a retired three-star general.

At a news conference in June 1983, eight committee leaders said Zionism is a "racist ideology" akin to the anti-Semitic dogma espoused by Nazi leader Adolf Hitler. Zionism is an ideology which supports Israel as a homeland for the Jews.

The committee also announced that emigration levels would remain at their low ebb because most Jews who had wanted to leave had already done so. The number of exit visas had been dropping progressively from an all-time high of 51,320 reached in 1979, hitting a record low of less than 1,000 in 1986.

With the advent of a more liberal and open policy instituted by Soviet President Mikhail S. Gorbachev, emigration has again risen to 16,572 through November, nearly doubling the 1987 figures.

Pastor selling art work to support jobs center

PITTSBURGH (AP) — A Russian Orthodox priest with only $40 left to keep his jobs center open says the hard times are forcing him to sell his prized possessions, two 19th-century French lithographs.

The Rev. John DaeCheck, who operates the non-profit New Times Service Center in nearby Glassport to help unemployed steel workers, has an overdue telephone bill of several hundred dollars, and he has already tapped businesses in the depressed Monongahela Valley for donations.

To raise money, he placed classified ads in Pittsburgh newspapers Wednesday and Thursday offering two works by French artists Honore Daumier and Jacques Villone for a total of $500. He estimates they are worth $500 to $1,500 each.

"I have to do what I have to do and if I look stupid doing it, that's too bad. I've had these for 20 years, but to keep the place going, I'd sell them," he said.

DaeCheck, 42, received 10 such lithographs as gifts when he was a businessman nearly 20 years ago; the two are all that remain.

"Slowly and surely through my life, whenever a financial crunch came up, I would sell one," he said. "I'm terrible at asking for money. It kind of tears something out of you to have to do that."

DaeCheck, assistant pastor of a small independent church in Washington, Pa., founded the center seven months ago with $800 of his own money and a monthly $50 stipend from his church. Job-seekers are asked, but not required, to make a $2 donation for job leads and a $5 donation for resume help.

The agency, staffed by volunteers, has provided about 900 laid-off steel workers and others with a free, fast and simple way to find employment and job training.

On a wall in the cramped storefront office are about 1,000 job listings, which are updated daily. Volunteers also help job-seekers with resumes and career counseling and steer them to other agencies if they need clothing, food or a place to live.

"I wanted to do something to help alleviate the unemployment problem in our area," DaeCheck said. "It seemed there were so many people taking advantage of others with job services, many of which charge fees of $60 or $80. What if you don't have any money? That $60 or $80 could be someone's rent money."

Dennis Saputo, 34, of Lincoln, said he turned to the center when other agencies failed to help. The agency recently found training for him in asbestos abatement and volunteers helped him fill out a resume.

"I've been on public assistance and have gone through their programs and, quite frankly, they're a joke. They go through the motions to help you, but they really don't help," said Saputo.

"This place here makes you feel good. They will do everything they can to help you get going. It's the best program I've ever dealt with, and I've dealt with enough to know."

38 MIAs' remains sent back to U.S.

HONOLULU (AP) — Thirty-eight sets of remains believed to be those of U.S. servicemen killed during the Vietnam War were returned to U.S. soil Friday, 13 years after the war ended.

The repatriation was the seventh and largest since the Vietnamese government agreed in August 1987 to help the United States recover the remains of its lost soldiers. Since then, 172 sets of remains returned by Vietnam have been identified as Americans.

The remains of two others have been recovered from China, and 26 other sets of remains were recovered and identified from Laos, the military said.

Thirty-eight metal caskets were unloaded from the C-141 Army transport plane under drizzly skies at Hickam Air Force Base. Draped with American flags, the caskets passed honor and color guards as military personnel carried them to waiting buses for transfer to the Army's Central Identification Laboratory. About 50 people, mostly base employees, attended the solemn, 1½-hour ceremony.

At the lab, forensic experts will try to determine if the remains are those of any of the 1,747 Americans listed as missing in action in Vietnam.

Currently, 2,383 Americans are listed as MIA: 1,747 in Vietnam, 547 in Laos, 83 in Cambodia, and six in China.

Hanoi officials released the remains to U.S. officials Thursday. They also turned over dog tags, military identification cards and other information that might help identify the bodies, said Maj. Dan Trout of the U.S. Pacific Command.

Military officials said they did not know how long it would take to identify the remains and refused to release the details of their recovery.

"It's absolutely unpredictable, and we won't release any identity until it's an absolute positive one," said Trout. "We don't release specific information about the recovery sites or what exactly was found in deference to the families (of missing servicemen). We don't want them to have to speculate."

The previous largest turnover of suspected MIA remains involved 27 sets handed over April 6.

In addition to turning over the latest remains, the Vietnamese also gave information on 12 other missing Americans, Trout said. "The level of cooperation from the Vietnamese has been very good."

He said Vietnamese and American technical experts would meet in Hanoi Monday through Wednesday to review work and discuss future joint projects.

Meanwhile, other officials were investigating reports that some Americans were still prisoners in Southeast Asia, the major said.

"A lot of reports of Americans still alive come from refugees in the area," he said. "We don't have any evidence...but we don't rule that out as a possibility."

About 58,000 Americans died during the Vietnam War. U.S. involvement extended from March 1965 to the signing of the Paris Peace accords in January 1973.

Ship decommissioned

MIDDLETOWN, R.I. (AP) — The Navy has decommissioned its last Hull Class destroyer, signaling the end of the "all-gun" ships that attacked with artillery power rather than missiles.

"I share with you a sense of history, as the last Navy gunslinger is holstered," Capt. John F. Brunelli said at Thursday's ceremony for the Edson at the Naval Education and Training Center.

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Man's fortune couldn't buy happiness

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Robert Wilke parlayed $500 and frugality into a quarter-million-dollar estate, but after eight decades of tending his finances' growth, his harvest is heartache. At age 103, his yield is unhappiness.

A family feud has grown up over who should handle his money and how his estate should be divided. As a result, the courts have declared him incompetent and placed him and his personal wealth under guardianships.

Advocates for the elderly say proposed reforms in Pennsylvania's guardianship law might have spared him anguish and indignities in old age, including three medical examinations and the loss of many of his rights.

ON THE one side are Wilke and his two sons, Robert, 60, and William, 54. On the other side are his two daughters, Frances McAleer, 62, and Sylvia Eaborn, 50, who successfully petitioned a judge to declare him incompetent and to appoint guardians to make his personal and financial decisions.

It was in the midst of the incompetency hearings last April that Wilke's wife of 63 years, Amelia, died at age 89, and his mourning for her mixes with bitterness toward his daughters, with whom he no longer speaks.

"Both daughters wanted to take everything over that I worked all my life for," Wilke contends, even though an audit found no impropriety when Mrs. McAleer was handling his day-to-day finances.

"I can't even spend my money after saving it," complains Wilke, who started work at age 15 for a dollar-and-a-half a week. "When you think you got money, you ain't got nothin.' "

HE NEVER earned more than $4,200 a year in 57 years of work as a machinist and maintenance engineer. He retired at age 72.

He started saving when he was 29 by putting $500 from his share of the family house, sold upon his father's death, into five banks.

Shopping for bargains and rarely traveling, Wilke saved and saved. His will provided that each of his children would receive one-fourth of the accumulated wealth.

After he and his wife entered a nursing home, he asked his elder daughter in late 1986 to help with his bill-paying and other accounts and gave her legal authority under a power of attorney.

STILL, HE continued to monitor his finances, and at one point their figures conflicted. Father accused daughter of being unable to explain how $20,000 was spent.

Last October, Wilke transferred his power of attorney to his sons. He also changed his will to make the sons executors instead of the daughters.

"I cried the whole day," Mrs. McAleer testified. "My heart was broken that my father would do this to me without telling me."

Mrs. McAleer and her sister filed the incompetency petition 2½ weeks later, and an Orphans Court judge declared Wilke incompetent on June 1, naming the Pittsburgh National Bank as his financial guardian and a lawyer as his personal guardian.

The incompetency petition upset Wilke so much that he rewrote his will in March. Now, the daughters are to receive 10 percent each, the sons 40 percent each.

THE DAUGHTERS declined to be interviewed, but their lawyer, Geoffrey P. Wozman, said they apparently "wanted protection" after Mrs. McAleer was accused.

"I don't think they particularly thought the sons were going to take his money. They didn't think the sons were the proper people to take care of it. They didn't think they were either. No matter who controls the money, someone is going to complain they're not doing something right," Wozman said.

Explaining why the guardianship was sought, the lawyer said the old man was not "rational in terms of financial affairs."

A psychiatrist testifying for the daughters said Wilke was incompetent "due to the infirmities of old age." Another psychiatrist testified for the sons that while Wilke needed help managing his finances, he found no evidence of incompetency. A third psychiatrist, appointed by the court, examined Wilke seven weeks after he was declared incompetent and concluded that he is "suffering from some mild cognitive impairment."

WHEN THE guardianship was declared, Wilke lost the right to vote, to make decisions about his own health care and to travel without approval from his guardian.

AP Laserphoto

Robert Wilke, 103, seated, poses with his son William, 54, in William's home in Green Tree, Pa. A family feud has grown up over who should handle the elder Wilke's money and how his estate should be divided. On one side are Wilke and his two sons. On the other side are his two daughters, who successfully petitioned a judge to declare him incompetent and to appoint guardians to make his personal and financial decisions.

Against his wishes, he was initially ordered back into a nursing home. Later, the judge allowed him to continue to live with son William in suburban Green Tree, where he had moved after his wife's death. The elder Wilke is permitted to keep his monthly $537 Social Security check and his $210 pension check for expenses and for spending money.

"I think the Wilke case provides an example of flaws in our current state law," said Dr. Linda M. Rhodes, secretary of the Pennsylvania Department of Aging.

Among proposed legal changes now before the Legislature is a provision to authorize limited guardianships for people who are only "partially incapacitated," as two doctors found Wilke to be.

Uprising aside, campaign advertises joys of Gaza

JERUSALEM (AP) — As the army struggles daily to put down the Palestinian uprising, a government-financed advertising campaign is inviting Israelis to settle in the heart of territory caught up in the revolt.

Commercials with catchy jingles appear regularly on Israeli television urging viewers to "come enjoy the quality of life" in the occupied Gaza Strip, where 2,500 Jews live in 15 settlements that are surrounded by more than 650,000 Palestinians.

"This isn't a place people usually come to visit," said Datya Herskovitz, a settlement coordinator for the Gush Katif region in southern Gaza. "We're just offering to show people what's really happening here."

The upbeat advertising campaign, which features cheerful theme music and children playing soccer in tidy neighborhoods, portrays the settler enclaves as wholesome places to raise a family. "Live in a young effervescent community," says one newspaper ad.

The ads don't mention the year-old uprising, which has claimed the lives of more than 300 Palestinians and 11 Israelis.

"We're not trying to ignore reality," Ms. Herskovitz said in an interview. "We just want people to take a different look at Gaza."

The 25-mile-long stretch of desert has been a focal point of anti-Israeli violence since the uprising began in Gaza's refugee camps last December.

Jewish settlers have demanded more protection from Israel's army against Arab stone-throwers. Thirty-one civilians in Gaza have been wounded in stone-throwing attacks since the start of the uprising.

Ms. Herskovitz said the long-term goal of the $50,000 promotional drive is to help boost the territory's outnumbered Jewish population from 3,000 to 30,000 during the next 10 years.

The ads, placed by the government and private agencies, are part of an annual campaign to increase settlement in the occupied land, with this year's effort focused on Gaza.

Some backers of the ad campaign admit it isn't easy to sell the idea of moving to Gaza during the uprising.

Eli Kubasi, a spokesman for the World Zionist Organization, said settlement leaders who hope for a Jewish population boom in Gaza during the uprising have "set their expectations too high."

"Things were easier before the intefadeh," Kubasi said, using the Arabic word for uprising. "Now people think twice about whether they want to live there."

Dedi Zucker, a leader of the left-wing Citizens Rights Movement, said encouraging more settlers could undermine future efforts to exchange portions of the occupied territories for a peace agreement with Israel's Arab enemies.

The United States also has called the 130 settlements in the occupied West Bank and Gaza Strip obstacles to peace.

The settlements in the West Bank, some almost commuter suburbs, are far more popular than those in Gaza, which are far from Israel's main population centers.

Israel captured the West Bank from Jordan and the Gaza Strip from Egypt during the 1967 Middle East war. Prior to the war, Palestinians fleeing Israel flocked to Gaza's overcrowded refugee camps.

The Israeli government built the first settlements in southern Gaza in 1967 as a buffer against the Egyptian border and ongoing Palestinian attacks. Other enclaves and a beach resort for settlers have been put up since.

Few settlements have been built in the past four years because the left-leaning Labor Party and right-wing Likud bloc, which make up the current joint government, disagree on settlement policies and were unwilling to provide funds.

Zucker said the ad campaign was "totally unrealistic" and a waste of government funding that could be put to better use within Israel's pre-1967 borders.

"It's difficult to understand why anyone would want to live in the middle of all that craziness," Zucker said in an interview. "I guess we'll have to wait to see how many lunatics there are."

But Ms. Herskovitz, the settlement coordinator, said the Gaza settlements would grow despite the uprising.

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50 LEGAL NOTICES

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FOR SALE - two one ton trucks - 1986 Chev, cab & chassis, 350 V/8, 4 speed transmission, air, 100,000+ miles - - - Minimum bid - 2000.00.
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These vehicles may be inspected at Cap Rock's yard, West Hwy 80, Stanton, Texas between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday thru Friday. Contact Roger Fleckenstein or Sam Prough.
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December 10, 11, 17 - 20, 1988

105 HAPPY ADS

★ RENT-A-SANTA! Guest appearances by Santa and his Elf for your parties! 684-3945!

110 LODGE NOTICES

Keystone Chapter & Council R.A.M. & R.S.M. 1st Tuesday of month, 7:30 p.m. Midland Commandery #84 1st Thursday of month, 7:30 p.m. Practice Wednesday nights 7:30 p.m.

Acacia Masonic Lodge #1414. 1000 Upland. Stated Meetings 2nd & 4th Tuesday, 7:30 pm. December 13th, 6:30 pm Christmas Party and dessert supper. 7:30 pm official visit D.D.G.M. Visiting masons and family welcome. Ron Yeager, W.M. J.H. Beaty, Secretary

Midland Lodge 623 AF & AM, 1600 W. Wall, 682-3292. Regular stated meetings, 2nd and 4th Thurs., 7:30 pm. Thurs., Dec. 15th, Masons to honor Eastern Star & Beauceants, 6:30 pm. Thursday, Dec. 22nd, stated meeting 7:30 pm. Official visit of D.D.G.M. Tom Vannaman. W.M. R.G. Kiker, Secy.

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110 LODGE NOTICES

The Midland Shrine Club, 2019 Trade Drive. Regular stated meeting third Thursday each month - December 15th. Hospitality 6:30 pm. Catered dinner 7 pm. Business meeting 8pm. All nobles and their ladies invited.
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115 ANNOUNCEMENTS

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120 PUBLIC NOTICES

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210 General Help Wanted

212Professional Help Wanted

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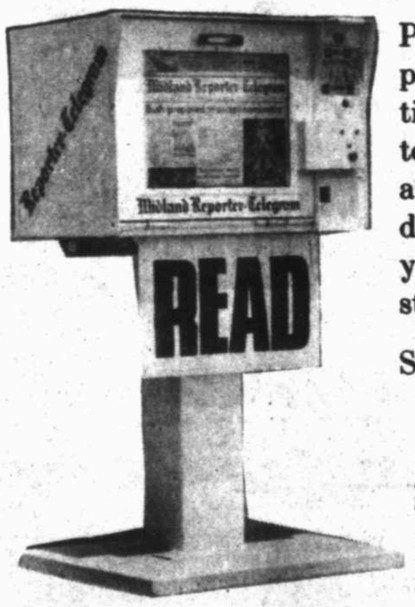

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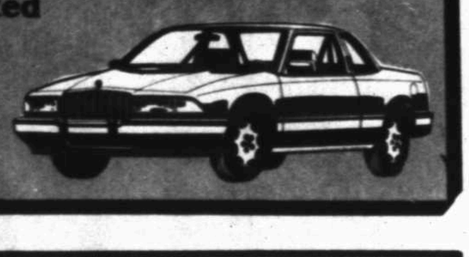

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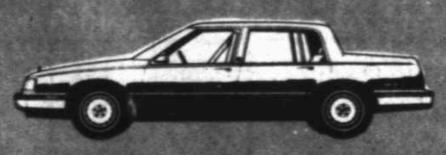

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340 Motorcycles

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345 Campers and Trailers

ELDORADO cab over camper, air condition. $600. 699-6897 after 6 PM.

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Saturday 9 - 5
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Baby bed, wedding dress, bedroom suite, coffee table, end table, lamps, ceramics, paintings, woodwork and kitchen items.
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380 Auto Services

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MOVING Sale. Saturday Only, 9am-4pm. Household goods, antiques, etc. Everything must go. 2102 N. Pecos.

MULTI-FAMILY. Furniture, toys, clothes, stereo, tools, computer keyboard, miscellaneous. Saturday 9 - 4. 4519 Verasilles.

GARAGE SALE Saturday 9am
Good Christmas toys, nearly new girls dresses and clothes. Boys dress suit. An "I Love You Bracelet", 14K gold 1/5 ct. diamonds paid $400, take $150. Worn one time, original box. Will make good gift.
King size bedding with springs, sheets, curtains. Twin bed frame and headboard.
4721 Bowie

GARAGE Sale: Miscellaneous, household goods, clothes, 8 - 5 Saturday Only. 2816 Moss.

★ 4005 CRESTRIDGE ★
Saturday Only! 9am - 1pm
MULTI-FAMILY
TV, couch, twin stroller, porta-crib, car seat, bicycle, toys, kitchen items, rabbit cage; clothing - baby, child, adult.

GIGANTIC PRE-CHRISTMAS GARAGE SALE
816 SRUCE
(corner of Neely and Spruce)
•Ladies extra nice clothes, (size 16-18 pant sets), •children's clothes, •ski clothes, •boots, •shoes, •85 yards excellent brown carpet, •highchair, •rowing machine (new), •toys, •Barbie Dolls, •Christmas decorations, •electric lawnmower, •computer monitor, •bikes, •antique Singer sewing machine, •lots of miscellaneous.

GARAGE Sale: 9am - 3pm Saturday only! Clothing, fencing post, lots of miscellaneous. 1906 Culver.

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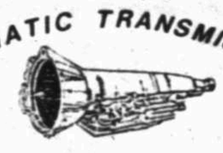

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Automatic & air, blue on blue. Only...	Loaded, leather interior, V8 engine. Only...	Loaded, Complete with moon roof.	Low miles, super clean.	Good work truck!	Full power and air conditioning. Only...	Automatic transmission and air conditioning.	A 2-tone with all of the luxury extras Only...	Clean and ready to go at Only...	A GL 4-door with automatic & air for Only...
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CRAFT and Garage Sale: Nice gift and Christmas crafts. Toys; Fisher-Price, HotMan, etc. Linens, kitchen gadgets, etc. Weather permitting. No Early Sales. 1500 McDonald, Saturday only, 9 - 5.

NEW Christmas shop open. Lots of good bargains. Open Dec. 9 - 24, 10 - 5:30 PM. TRADE Village Flea Market. 2905 Rankin Hwy.

405 Garage/Yard Sales

OVER 100 Dolls and Teddy Bears, miscellaneous Christmas items. Trade Village Flea Market, 2905 Rankin Hwy, room 7 and 8. Open Friday thru Sunday. 10-6.

BOB'S Trading Post. 906 S. Garfield. Clothes - bikes - typewriters - jogging suits - winter jackets - etc. 687-2717.

MITCHELL'S New and Used Furniture, appliances, antiques, bedding, tools, building materials, brass, bird baths, statues and table sets. Buy, sell and trade. 3100 Front Street, 694-5701.

405 Garage/Yard Sales

STEREO systems starting at $39.95. Good selection of new - used CD players, 8-tracks, cassette decks, turntables, receivers, amps, speakers. Pioneer, Sansui, Sherwood, more. Sound Ideas. 3410 Thomason. 697-3642.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

TREES, trees, trees!! Come and cut your own living Christmas tree or select beautiful pine trees for your landscape. All sizes. Call 682-6561 or 682-9266.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

MAKE your gift special! Select fine Texas Wines by St. Lawrence Winery. Contact your local wine retailer. Garden City. 915-354-2354.

2 - CASIO Electronic Cash Registers, with 30 preset keys. Four months old. 366-6850.

NEW men's 18 karat and stainless Rolex watch for sale. Call 694-5734 after 6 PM.

GREENTREE Country Club Resident Membership. Call after 6 pm or before 10 am. 699-6012.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

ONCE In A Lifetime Deal. Must sacrifice jewelry by December 23rd. Work 697-3157, home 699-0911.

QUALITY Used appliances. Washers, dryer, refrigerators. Completely rebuilt. 30 day warranty. $75 and up. 682-8977.

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New 1988 T-Bird Sale

1988 T-BIRD LX WAS $17,349 NOW $15,088
Oxford White, 3.8 V6 Automatic Overdrive, Wire Wheels, AM/FM Cassette, tilt, cruise, power seats-Stk. #80520

1988 T-BIRD LX WAS $17,947 NOW $15,588
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1988 T-BIRD LX WAS $17,739 NOW $15,588
Black, 5.0L V8 Automatic Overdrive, tilt, cruise, power seats, AM/FM Cassette-Stk. #80507

1988 T-BIRD LX WAS $17,532 NOW $15,288
Medium Sandlewood, 3.8 V6 Automatic Overdrive, wire wheels, tilt, cruise, power seats, clearcoat paint, AM/FM Cassette-Stk. #80444

1988 T-BIRD SPORT WAS $18,141 NOW $15,788
Oxford White, 5.0L V8 Automatic Overdrive, cast aluminum wheels, power seats, cruise, tilt, AM/FM Cassette, leather seats-Stk. #80413

1988 T-BIRD SPORT WAS $17,909 NOW $15,588
Silver Clearcoat Metallic, 5.0L V8, Automatic Overdrive, cruise, power seats, windows, and locks, tilt, AM/FM Cassette-Stk #80403

1988 T-BIRD LX WAS $17,922 NOW $15,588
Dark Cinnabar Clearcoat, split seats, 5.0L V8 Automatic Overdrive, AM/FM Cassette, power windows and locks, cruise, tilt-Stk. #80377

1988 T-BIRD LX WAS $17,996 NOW $15,688
Black, 5.0L V8, Automatic Overdrive, power seats, windows and locks, cast aluminum wheels, AM/FM Cassette-Stk. #80341

1988 T-BIRD LX WAS $18,594 NOW $16,188
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410 Miscellaneous Sales

CEMETERY Lots for Sale. 2 lots in the most beautiful area of Rest Haven in Midland, Texas, Section C, located near a large, restful, shade tree. Asking ½ price. Louisiana (318) 743-6582.

RENO tickets. Leave January 12th, return early January 15th. $109 Round trip. 682-1144.

LADIES'S diamond ring. 2.14kt., appraised $13,000, will sacrifice. Evenings, 694-8568.

ALL KINDS of antiques. 1960 Thunderbird, old gas pump. 563-1568.

ROLEX Oyster watch. $1,895. Water resistant. Perfect condition with original box, papers, etc. Call 697-5709.

SINGLE Resthaven Lot. Section C, next to duck pond. Sells for $1,000. Asking $650. Call 682-8822, ask for Alice, 8 - 5 Monday - Friday.

AMERICAN Airline tickets, from Midland on 21st to Dallas, from Dallas to Tampa, Florida; return on December 30th to Midland though Dallas. 687-4091 after 6 PM.

HOMEMADE Bar or just top. $100. Wood/ glass top of china cabinet. $50. Central heat/ air unit, $75. 685-1293.

LOVELY crocheted afghans, $35 - $45. Several framed prints, $50 - $150. Call 684-5096.

JUST in time for Christmas. Adult or older child, two story Colonial dollhouse. New condition. Less than half the original price. 683-8353.

MOTOROLLA Two-way radio. 2 Mobile phones and base station. Call 699-0511.

LADIES Left Handed Golf Clubs, $50. Crocheted Bedspread $150. Fostoria, American pattern cake stand $150. Call 683-3182.

ADMIRAL 19" color TV; nursery crib set; Jayride car seat; infant seat. Call 683-0836

CHRISTMAS Yard Art. Hand painted, durable plywood with weather resistant finish. Easy storing from year to year. Various styles and sizes, Reasonably priced. 697-7156.

HOME-BUILT wood heat stoves. Efficient and attractive. Ideal for shop, cabin or home. Will deliver. 686-0967 evenings, weekends.

5' NATURAL rustic Redwood coffee table $85. Murray #2006, 3.5 hp, 22" cut lawnmower $50. 699-1155.

FOR SALE, 1949 Ford F-1, 98% complete. 1985 Honda Shadow, 500 CC, wrecked front end. 16' tandem trailer, new bed. Call 683-6456 after 5.

GREENTREE Country Club voting membership for sale. Call 694-2164.

27 CARAT Smoky Topaz in beautiful mounting. Appraised $900, Selling $225. Blonde mink, full pelts, worn couple of times; Cost $1600 will take $700; May consider trade on something of equal value. 682-0115.

MENS Rolex Datejust, stainless and gold. Good condition. $1,300. 683-7440 days or 694-1476 evenings.

IDEAL Christmas gifts, wood crafts and etc., 503 West Florida, Open 10 - 6. Call 685-0171.

FOR Sale: Men's Rolex watch. Perpetual Datejust. Perfect Christmas gift for your boyfriend or husband. Interested parties call and submit bid to Robert Holton at 694-9639. Beneficial Texas.

GOOD used clean carpet. Over 200 yards. Call 694-4516.

ROUND Trip ticket from Midland to Las Vegas January 11th, returning January 15th. 699-4260 evenings.

POOL Table for sale. Good condition, regulation size. $200. Contact Robert at 682-0138.

FORMAL wedding dress and veil. Candlelight satin with Alencon lace. Size 9/10. Asking $500. 694-4071.

BLACK broadtail coat, mink trim. Excellent condition. Size, medium, ¾ length. $200. 684-4107.

BICYCLES: 2 English 27" 10-speeds. Light weight, different frame sizes. Exceptional. $100 Each. 683-6487.

GOOD used saddle. $225. will include blanket and bridle. 685-5010 home, 687-0001 office.

32" GLASS Storm Door, $35. 40 Gallon propane hot water heater, $25. Reynolds flute, $35. 682-6024.

SMITH-CORONA electric typewriter with case. Great for student or personal use. Call 682-9557.

CORE Lamps - Two blue anhydrite core lamps. 3" Diameter - one 12" - one 13" long. 694-5549.

ROUND Trip Southwest Airlines ticket. Depart December 30th return January 2, 1989, $40. Call 694-2736

FULL Length natural Mink Coat. Excellent condition, $2,800 cash; Send replies: BOX815 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

ONE Way Ticket to Dallas, December 22nd. leaving Midland at 9:15am. $20. 685-3828 leave message

★ CUSTOM MADE TOY BOXES ★ ★★★ CALL 687-3309 ★★★

410 Miscellaneous Sales

WAFFLE Iron never used, value $40; $20. Electric space heater, value $18; $12. Ceramic table lamp, $25. 682-2241.

NEW White flame stitch sofa from Knorrs, 2 glass end tables, 3 area rugs, 12 place setting Fitz-Floyd china, lamps, pictures. Full Length White Mink, Full Length Leather with Fur Collar, Reversible fur jacket (all size 12). 682-0686.

FOR SALE by the FDIC, Greentree Country Club Membership. Call Rhonda 685-6407 or Pat 685-6527.

JUST IN TIME FOR CHRISTMAS!

Computer desk $85. Mans 10-speed Schwinn bike $60. Samsonite luggage $30. Wooden bar stools $25 each. Childs white 5 drawer dresser $60. Stereo with cassette player $55. Floor lamp $15. Lamp $10. Girls double bed comforter with matching sheets $50. Decorator pillows (12) $35. Car top luggage carrier $25. Movie projector screen $20. CALL 683-2080.

FOR sale: baby swing, chair/ bed, Graco quiet ride, brand new, $40. Call Becky, 563-2319.

415 Miscellaneous Wanted

WANTED: Structural tubing 2⅜", 2⅞", 3", 3½". Drill pipe 4½", 5½" or larger. Call 687-3755.

WANT to buy set of office furniture. Executive and Secretarial. Must be good quality. Reasonable. Need to buy by year end. Call 694-6636, Ask for Helen.

WANTED: Ethan Allen 5 piece Game set with leather chairs in excellent condition. 1-652-8226.

420 Good Things To Eat

PAL'S Pecan Processing Plant. We crack and shell pecans. Highway 158 and Zinnia in Gardendale. 366-6144.

SEAFOOD FOR ALL YOUR PARTY NEEDS. KING CRAB, SHRIMP, LOBSTERS, CRAB MEAT, OYSTERS, AND MUCH MORE. CAPTAIN FRANK'S SEAFOOD, 1528 OLIVER, 682-3883.

PAPER Shell pecans. This year's crop. $1.00 per pound. Call 694-5282.

PECANS, Burkets, $1.25 pound. Western, $1.00 pound. Shelled, $3.50 pound. 4505 Princeton. 694-2309.

FRESH pecans. Three varieties. Try before you buy. Whole, cracked and shelled. Competitive prices. 682-5955.

GARDENDALE Pecan Processing now open in our new location. Three blocks south of Highway 158 on Hollyhock in Gardendale. Fresh crop of Pecans just in. Shelling facilities ready. We also have electric nutcrackers. 366-9793.

CHRISTMAS Baking with sugar free recipes is easy and delicious. Learn how by contacting us! 684-4025.

PAPER shell pecans, 75¢. Still in hull. Call 684-6707 or come by 1108 W. Washington.

PECANS - Papershell, Fresh! Just in time for Christmas baking! 90¢ per pound. 697-0413 after 5.

PECANS, unshelled $1.00 a pound. Also shelled pecans for sale. Davis Pecan Orchard, 684-9744.

430 Household Goods

USED washers and dryers for sale. Also buy non-working washers and dryers. Call 694-5350.

WE buy used furniture and appliances. Also sell used furniture and appliances. Monday - Thursday 682-9395. Come by Midland Flea Market Space 3 & 4 Friday - Sunday.

TOP prices paid for clean, quality used furniture. W. R.'s. 4404 West Illinois, Midland. 697-4847. Buy, sell and trade.

USED washers, dryers, stoves, refrigerators and TVs. Guaranteed. $75 and up. Call Gary at 686-8702.

BILL'S New & Used Furniture. Need Baby Furniture & Item's. 1211 South Big Spring 687-5966.

WE need good used furniture and we pay extra. Call Jake's New And Used for estimate. 1409 N. Big Spring. 683-3443.

GOOD SELECTION
...of used refrigerators, side by side, top and bottom freezers, used washer, dryers, and ranges completely reconditioned and guaranteed for 6 months. We buy working and non-working appliances. We make service calls.
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687-1224

RECONDTIONED appliances for sale. Washers, dryers, stoves, refrigerators, miscellaneous. Call 687-6383.

USED carpeting: 43 yards at $3.00 per yard. Gold tones; Light fixtures, suitable for dining room, living room or entry. Call 697-4557.

LIKE new Simmons sofa sleeper and matching chair, earthtone floral. $350. Call 563-8108.

CONTEMPORARY white table with four matching bentwood chairs, $160. Couch, off-white with navy, grey and mauve floral design, $180. 684-9814.

FOR Sale: Approximately 130 square yards, light gold carpet. Call 694-3588 after 5pm.

BUNKBEDS, dresser, mirror, desk and hutch. Complete set in excellent condition. Please Call 697-3829.

430 Household Goods

FOR Sale: Two twin size captains beds with two drawers underneath. Very good condition. Earthtone sofa and brown chair with ottoman, also good condition. 697-7115.

RCA 25" COLOR Console TV with remote, 4 years old, $400. Bentwood Rocker, $35. 694-9974.

KINGSIZE hideaway sofa sleeper. Excellent condition. $300 or best offer. 694-1584 evenings and weekends.

REFRIGERATOR 17 cubic foot, Kenmore frost free, excellent condition, $300. Sears garage door opener, $70. Muskin 24'x4' swimming pool, brand new pump and filter, $400. 689-6528.

EIGHT piece girl's white furniture from Sears. Good condition. $200. Call 697-2514 after 5 PM.

FRIGIDAIRE heavy duty washer/ dryer. Both good working condition. New house; no room! $250. 686-9224.

NEW daybed complete with pop-up trundle unit and new matresses. $275. Call 697-5798.

19 CUBIC foot Sears refrigerator, $150. Central heat gas furnace, $50. Call 694-0208.

CANOPY Baby bed with matching chest. Made by Bassett. In new condition. $200. 683-5836.

17.7 CUBIC foot, Whirlpool refrigerator, ice-maker. Only 4 years old. Asking $300. 694-6035.

CORE Lamps - Two blue anhydrite core lamps. 3" Diameter - one 12" - one 13" long. 694-5549.

WHIRLPOOL refrigerator, 14.2 cubic feet, frost-free. Very good conditon. $75. 689-8352.

WHITE Queen size headboard, $30; Queen-size waterbed, $120. Call 689-7011.

440 Firewood

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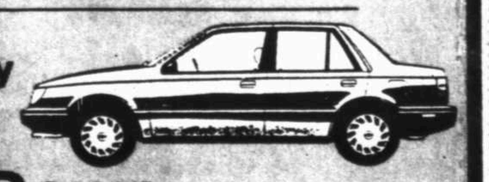

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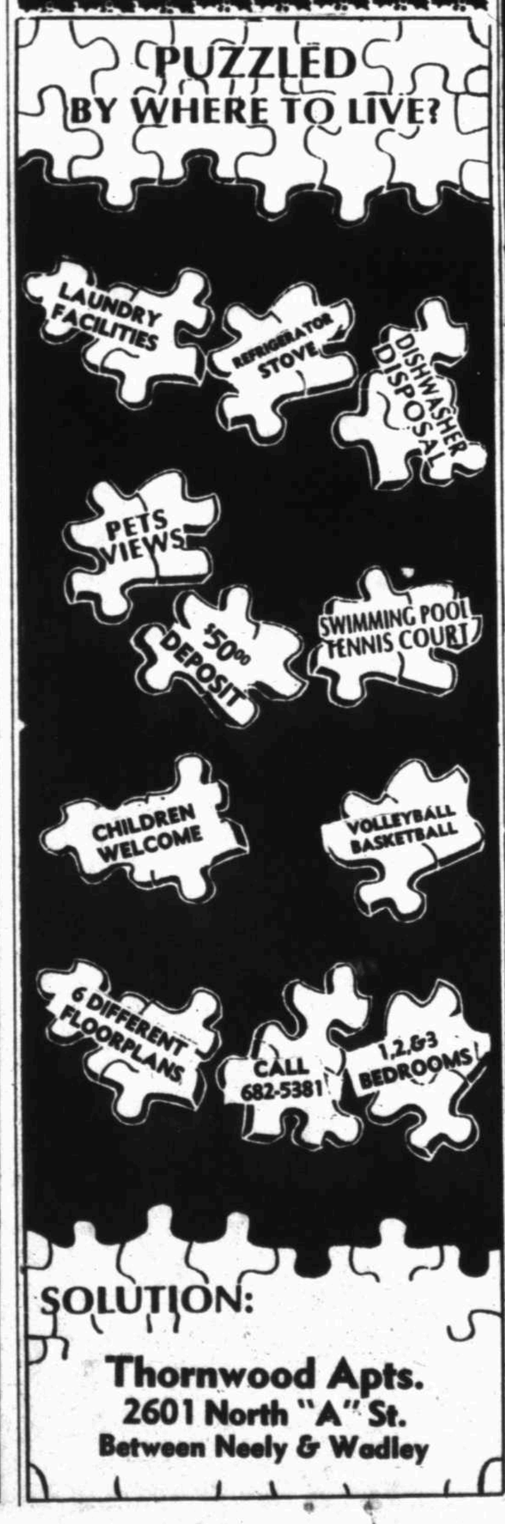

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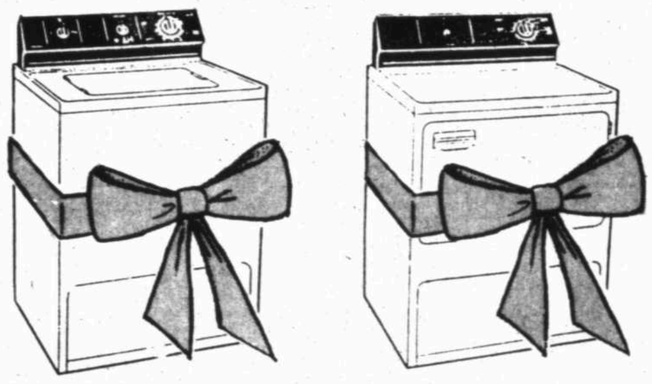

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