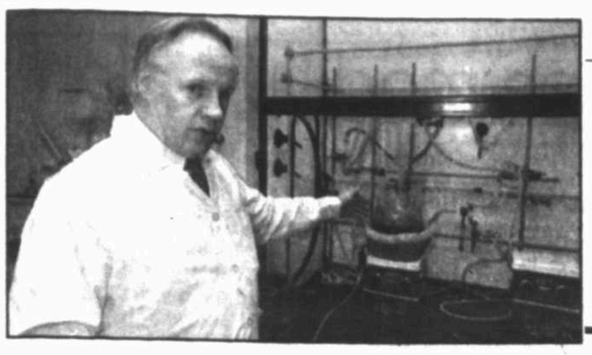

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$1 million in grants

Professor announces funding to help refine his patented process for chemically converting plant matter into liquid fuels./**1B**

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Beating Young

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NEWS WATCH

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A homeless man clutches to a Ventura County, Calif., firefighter as he is plucked from the raging Ventura River on Tuesday./5A

'This is one of the worst floods I have ever seen. First we had that terrible fire and now the land won't stop sliding. It's like Victoria Falls was coming through here.'

— Rod Steiger, who lives in Malibu, Calif.

Custody battle

AUSTIN — A 2-year-old girl is at the center of a custody battle spanning two continents. Jasmine Chapman's father, 35-year-old Marcus Chapman of Austin, says she belongs with him. Her Scottish mother, Sarah Dodds, wants the girl to live with her in Scotland./**1B**

Royal love

Just months after Prince Charles admitted being unfaithful, Camilla Parker Bowles said Tuesday she is getting a divorce, sparking speculation he may one day wed the reputed love of his life. But even if Charles, 46, weren't still married to Princess Diana, a happy ending seems remote. However much they revel in scandal, Britons appear unready for a prince's mistress as their future queen.

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MISD drops modified plan; unitary-status flap flares

By Myra Lee Salcedo
Staff Writer

The subject of unitary status, which has divided the Midland school board along racial lines for months, proved a volatile issue among citizens as well Tuesday.

On Tuesday night the school board split 5-2 to seek unitary status while dropping a modified plan.

Earlier in the day, several callers to the Reporter-Telegram — none of whom identified themselves — said they expected that minority members of the school board would be asked to resign in Tuesday night's executive session. Other callers said that if the minority members were asked to resign it would set off citywide protests and picketing.

Midland school-board president Jackie Hamilton, obviously distressed over the rumors, said, "Rumors have been flying all over the city. But the board did not come together to ask James Fuller and Adela Marmolejo to resign. We have not asked for either one of their resignations."

Fuller and Ms. Marmolejo consistently have voted against seeking unitary status and have been the lone voters in favor of bringing discussions on the subject before the public, rather than keeping the issue under wraps in closed executive sessions.

Attorneys for the school district, as well as attorneys from the U.S. Justice Department, have tried to keep the process of seeking unitary status away from public discussion.

On Sept. 14, when the members of the Justice Department toured local campuses, MISD attorney Charles Tighe said that reporting on the visit could put the school district "in an adversarial position with the community."

Despite opposition from citizens at a May 24 meeting, the board voted 5-2 (with Fuller and Ms. Marmolejo oppos-

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City Council vote boots 'Bird Lady'

Brian Adamcik/Reporter-Telegram

Jad Davis, attorney for Dennis and Vanessa Baker, spoke Tuesday in opposition to allowing the Erskines continue operating the Eos Refuge Center.

■ 5-2 vote denies Erskines a special use permit, putting wildlife refuge out of business.

By Michael Kashgarian
Staff Writer

Wildlife rehabilitation efforts at the home of Midge Erskine — affectionately known as the "Bird Lady" to some — were shot down by decree of the City Council Tuesday.

The Eos Refuge Center, operated by Mrs. Erskine and her husband, Woody, at their 3306 W. Golf Course Road home, must cease operations after 24 years.

"It's a great loss to West Texas and the city," Mrs. Erskine said.

The Erskines failed to be granted a special use permit, as required by a city code amendment passed in October.

The permit request failed 5-2 with council members Jose Cuevas and Claudia Egan against. State law requires a three-fourths approval when more than 20 percent property ownership within a 200-foot radius opposes such an ordinance. There was more than 36 percent opposition with about 13 percent attributed to the primary complainant.

The council decision is final and "enforcement follows," according to Assistant City Manager Glen Hackler.

Ms. Egan said she viewed the controversy as a "land use issue" and that a wildlife rehabilitation center at the location within the city was inappropriate.

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Brian Adamcik/Reporter-Telegram

Janet and David Lofquist discipline their children, Julie and Matt, by taking away their allowances and earmarking it for charity.

Family earmarks lost allowances for charity

By Tonie Miller-Uzzel
Staff Writer

When Matthew and Julia Lofquist break a household rule they already know what their punishment is — a portion of their allowance.

But, it isn't so bad.

It's never more than a quarter at a time and the best part about it is that at the end of the year the money goes to charity.

The idea was created a few years ago by the youths' parents, Janet and David Lofquist.

"There are different levels of punishment for different things," Mrs. Lofquist explained.

"We stress obedience, but sometimes it's really hard for them, especially at this age," she said.

Matthew is 11 and Julia is 12.

Please see **LOST**/2A

Mexico's stock fall deepens crisis

N.Y. Times News Service

MEXICO CITY — Mexico's stock market plunged Tuesday in what analysts called a "major collapse" that deepened the country's economic crisis despite billions of dollars in a U.S.-engineered bailout.

In a volatile day of trading, the market nosedived in its worst single-day fall since 1987, then recovered somewhat to close 6.26 percent lower. The selling spree jolted U.S. investors and other Latin American markets.

U.S. investors, who have suffered punishing losses since the economic crisis began last month, own about 25 percent of all Mexican stocks and 80 percent of Tesobonos, Mexican treasury bonds.

"This is a major collapse," said Sergio Sarmiento, a financial columnist. "It's as bad as it can get. The repercussions could be a real bankruptcy of the Mexican economy."

"It's really a meltdown," said a senior financial analyst for a Mexican firm traded on the Bolsa, the Mexican stock market.

Tuesday's fall came after Monday's tumble of 6.65 percent. The two-day selling binge was the worst since the global crash on Oct. 19,

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Traders work on the floor of the Mexican Stock Exchange Tuesday. Mexican financial markets plunged for the second straight day.

AP Laserphoto

Foul, poll respondents say of Chung's CBS interview tactics

Staff Report

Cityline Community Pulse

Just between you and me . . . callers who participated in this week's Community Pulse Poll were decidedly against Connie Chung's actions when interviewing Kathleen Gingrich, mother of newly elected Speaker of the House Newt Gingrich.

In the interview, which aired Thursday on CBS, Chung asked Mrs. Gingrich if she could tell her what her son had said about first lady Hillary Clinton. Ms. Chung told Mrs. Gingrich that the response — that Hillary Clinton was "a bitch" — would be "just between you and me."

Of the 1,017 callers who voted in the poll, 79 percent, or 813 of the respondents, felt Ms. Chung overstepped the bounds of fair journalism and acted in an unethical manner. The remaining 204 sided not so much in Ms. Chung's favor, but thought that Mrs. Gingrich should have shared in the blame.

Ms. Chung's actions were called everything from "a cheap shot" to "trickery" to "just another example of the liberal media."

"This is one more example that reinforces the fact that there's very little trust and integrity left in this world," one anonymous caller said. "CBS did a terrible thing in airing the report."

"Connie Chung is very unethical," Al Moore said. "Just ask any 5-year old."

"This is another case of why the public distrusts the news media," another caller said. "Connie Chung deliberately and knowingly worked her way into Mrs. Gingrich's confidence then used that against her."

A female caller said, "'Just between you and me' means I'm not going to tell anyone else, not I'm going to tell the whole world."

As decidedly against Ms. Chung's actions as callers were, there were others who had other choice comments:

"Whatever political stance a person holds, there's a three-way blame here," Charlotte Wright said. "To Newt, for saying such a nasty thing simply because (Mrs. Clinton) is so much smart-

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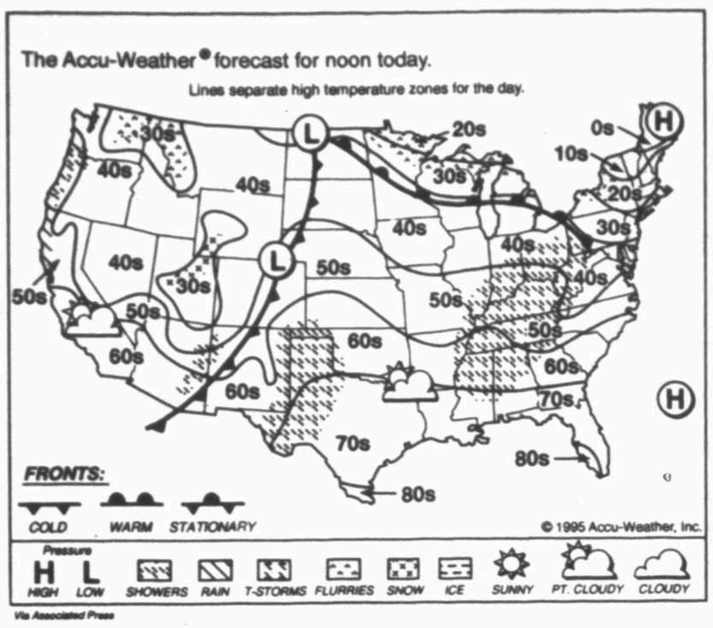
WEATHER WATCH



Via Associated Press

Mid-70s to hold under clouds

Staff Report

Today's forecast calls for cloudy skies with a high in the mid-70s and southwest winds at 15-20 mph. Tonight should be cloudy with a low in the mid-40s, according to the National Weather Service in Midland.

Thursday should be partly cloudy with a high near 70.

After an overnight low of 35, Tuesday's high reached 74, compared to the record high for that date of 76 set in 1935. The record low was five set in 1962.

STATE

Strong southerly winds combined with clear skies Tuesday, resulting in temperatures well over normal in Texas, including a high of 79 at Dallas-Fort Worth, the highest reading ever recorded for the date.

It broke the old record of 78 degrees for Jan. 10, set in 1916.

Abilene tied its record high of 77 for the date, set in 1935.

Other areas across North Texas were also near record high temperatures, especially in the western areas.

The National Weather Service said the strong winds were the result of a tight pressure gradient caused by an area of low pressure to the north. Winds across North Texas were southwesterly between 15 and 25 miles an hour.

The southerly winds continued to bring abundant low-level moisture across South Texas, resulting in a slow decrease in cloud cover over the region. Mid-afternoon readings ranged from 70 at Del Rio to 83 at McAllen.

In West Texas, temperatures warmed into the 60s and 70s, ranging as high as 83 at Sanderson along the Rio Grande. Across North Texas, readings varied from 71 at Wichita Falls to 80 at Mineral Wells.

Highs today are expected to again be mostly in the 60s and 70s across the state.

Some fog is anticipated in early morning in portions of South Texas.

NATION

Heavy rain moved into Southern California on Tuesday, slopping mud into basements and overflowing rivers, and heavy snow fell in the Great Lakes region.

More than six inches of rain fell between midnight and 2 p.m. CST in Santa Barbara and Ventura counties, causing mudslides, closing roads and forcing evacuations in those areas and in Los Angeles County.

To the north, storms continued to lash out at Northern California, flooding riverside communities, cutting off major highways and crushing two people beneath falling trees.

Rain was expected to continue in California through the week.

Heavy snow fell in California's Sierra Nevada, with 8 to 15 inches of new snow overnight. Two feet of snow fell over 24 hours in the Mammoth and June Lakes areas of California.

Snow was also reported around the Great Lakes region, with eight inches of new snow at Lutsen Ski Resort in Minnesota. Grand Marais, Minn., had six to eight inches at midday. Duluth, Minn., had five inches.

Freezing drizzle and rain hit southwestern Minnesota and northwestern Iowa.

Freezing rain made highways slippery in the valleys of northwestern Montana.

The Associated Press contributed to this report.

Midland statistics

FORECAST:

Today: cloudy, high in the mid-70s, southwest winds at 15-20 mph.
Tonight: cloudy, low in the mid-40s.
Thursday: partly cloudy, high near 70.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

Yesterday's High	74 degrees
Overnight Low	35 degrees
Sunset today	6:03 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:50 a.m.
Precipitation:	
Last 24 hours	00.00 inches
This month to date	00.28 inches
Year to date	00.28 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

6 p.m.	32	6 a.m.	42
7 p.m.	59	7 a.m.	38
8 p.m.	54	8 a.m.	35
9 p.m.	53	9 a.m.	44
10 p.m.	49	10 a.m.	55
11 p.m.	49	11 a.m.	63
midnight	50	noon	67
1 a.m.	48	1 p.m.	71
2 a.m.	48	2 p.m.	72
3 a.m.	48	3 p.m.	69
4 a.m.	47	4 p.m.	71
5 a.m.	43	5 p.m.	72
		6 p.m.	67

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Alpine	75	48	
Amarillo	68	32	
Austin	75	60	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	75	59	
Bryan-College Station	77	59	
Corpus Christi	77	66	
Dallas	78	52	
El Paso	65	34	
Fort Worth	79	53	
Galveston	72	62	
Houston	79	63	
Laredo	79	64	
Lubbock	74	39	
Marfa	70	31	
San Angelo	79	46	
San Antonio	75	64	
Victoria	78	66	
Waco	79	58	
Wink	76	30	

Border forecasts

New Mexico — Today, becoming mostly cloudy with a chance of showers central and west. Increasing cloudiness with a slight chance of showers east. Breezy to windy east and south. Highs 40s to near 60 mountains and northwest with upper 50s to mid-70s lower elevations east and south. Tonight, cloudiness and the chance of showers decreasing. Lows mid-teens to mid-30s mountains and northwest with 30s to low 40s lower elevations east and south. Thursday and Thursday night, a slight chance of showers mountains and northwest, partly cloudy otherwise. Highs mid-30s to low 50s mountains and northwest with upper 40s to mid-60s lower elevations east and south. Lows teens to mid-30s mountains and northwest with mostly 30s lower elevations east and south. Friday through Sunday, a slight chance of showers extreme northwest. Snow showers possible higher mountains, dry elsewhere through the period. Daytime temperatures above seasonal averages. Lows upper teens to lower 30s mountains and northwest with 30s to near 40 lower elevations east and south. Highs 40s and 50s mountains and northwest with middle 60s to near 70 lower elevations east and south.

Oklahoma — Today, partly to mostly cloudy. Highs lower 60s to lower 70s. Tonight, mostly cloudy. Lows mostly in the 40s. Thursday, chance of showers southern half. Partly cloudy northern half. Highs upper 50s to upper 60s. Extended forecast, Friday, a chance for showers southeast, dry other areas. Lows 35 to 45. Highs middle 50s to middle 60s. Saturday, dry. Lows in the 30s. Highs in the 50s. Sunday, dry. Lows in the 30s. Highs in upper 50s to upper 60s.

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albuquerque	57	31		cdy
Atlanta	62	40		cdy
Atlantic City	38	21		m
Baltimore	34	28		cdy
Boston	28	19		m
Chicago	29	16	.11	m
Cleveland	27	16	.01	m
Denver	66	33		cdy
Detroit	26	17		m
Flagstaff	50	24		sn
Indianapolis	39	25		m
Kansas City	41	26		cdy
Las Vegas	53	46	.12	cdy
Los Angeles	58	57	2.66	cdy
Louisville	55	29		m
Memphis	64	40		m
Milwaukee	31	19	.06	m
Nashville	61	30		m
New Orleans	72	46		cdy
New York City	33	26		m
Oklahoma City	57	37		cdy
Orlando	71	43		cdy
Philadelphia	35	25		m
Phoenix	70	49		m
Portland,Ore.	53	41	.29	m
Reno	46	39	1.06	cdy
Sacramento	62	53	m	m
St Louis	35	31		cdy
San Francisco	61	54	1.32	m
Seattle	52	46	.40	m
Shreveport	74	57		cdy
Spokane	48	36	.35	cdy
Topeka	37	25		cdy
Tulsa	68	37		cdy
Wichita	46	31		cdy

Area forecasts

West Texas: Permian Basin, upper Trans-Pecos — Today, mostly cloudy. Highs in the mid-70s. Tonight, mostly cloudy. Lows in the mid-40s. Thursday, becoming partly cloudy. Highs near 70. Thursday night, fair. Lows in the upper 30s to lower 40s. Friday and Saturday, partly cloudy. Lows in the upper 30s to lower 40s. Highs in the mid- to upper 60s. Sunday, partly cloudy. Lows in the upper 30s to lower 40s. Highs 70-75. Concho Valley, edwards Plateau — Today, mostly cloudy. Highs near 80. Tonight, mostly cloudy. Lows in the lower 50s. Thursday, becoming partly cloudy. Highs in the lower 70s. Thursday night, fair. Lows in the mid- to upper 40s. Friday and Saturday, partly cloudy. Lows in the lower to mid-40s. Highs in the upper 60s to lower 70s. Sunday, partly cloudy. Lows in the mid-40s to near 50. Highs in the lower to mid-70s.

Pick 3 Texas

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

9-9-2

ISSUE: School board drops modified plan

(From 1A)

ing) to seek unitary status. The status would free the district from a federal court-ordered plan of desegregation.

At a July 29 hearing, Federal Judge Royal Ferguson told school officials they must outline a long-range plan that would ensure schools remained desegregated. Some board members worked with the Justice Department and developed a modified desegregation plan.

However, according to Fuller, one component of the modified plan was that grades one through six would be integrated.

After the board met in executive session with attorneys Tuesday night, school-board trustee Dianne Anderson made a motion that the board "seek unitary status and drop entertaining a modified plan."

Fuller said the board reached an impasse because of divided opinions over integrating grades one through six.

"This is a dilemma because the same people who initiated this scenario (of seeking unitary status and a modified plan) are now seeking to do away with the modified plan," he said.

"My understanding is that the Justice Department will come up with a modified plan of their own if we can't. If we need to go to court, let's go," Alma Marshall said.

When Mrs. Hamilton queried Viola Coleman — one of the orignal intervenors on the lawsuit with Ms. Marshall — on her thoughts on the issue, Ms. Coleman said, "I have not seen the modified plan you are rejecting. But if we are going to change the cluster system I want total integration."

"This is the reason I have asked to make this issue public," Fuller said. " . . . We are handicapping the people in my district and Ms. Marmolejo's district when they have not seen the plan."

The board then voted 5-2 (with Fuller and Ms. Marmolejo opposing) to seek unitary status while dropping the modified plan.

Outside the board meeting, citizens rallied behind Fuller and Ms. Marmolejo, saying their elected officials spoke for them, and they were angry about rumors to send the board members packing.

"The only way we would want to get rid of James Fuller is if he voted for unitary status," Ruby Morris said. "We promise the other districts we won't try to elect their representatives and they won't elect ours."

African Americans and Hispanics attending the meeting feared the board intends to seek unitary status without an integration plan.

"We know what the intent is," Ms. Marshall said. "This is not a plantation and we are not field hands. We did not choose to seek unitary status and now the people who did are trying to get out from under what they started."

"If in fact the community has reached unitary status, then why is integrating grades one through six an issue?" Fuller said.

"The judge said there must be a plan. The Justice Department said there must be a plan, but now the school board thinks they are going to seek unitary status without one," said Fuller's wife, Robbyne Hocker Fuller.

Several citizens said keeping the issue "behind closed doors" is causing the rumor mill to escalate and create community dissension.

During the meeting, when queried about how much unitary status legal proceedings were costing the district and taxpayers, a school official said that figure was not available.

Where the district is now in the process, and what the new motion means in that process, was not announced.

In other action, school board trustees honored Midland and Lee bands for their constant superior ratings and invitations to perform in events such as the Rosebowl Parade and presidential inaugurations.

The board agreed to meet in a Saturday retreat to discuss violence in the schools. The retreat is set for 8:30-11:30 a.m. Jan. 28, but may go longer into the afternoon. The public may attend and observe the discussion, but public comment usually isn't taken. The retreat affords the board an opportunity to meet with MISD staff and discuss problems and solutions concerning the schools.

Trustees agreed to move the March 14 board meeting — scheduled during spring break — to March 7.

BOOTS: Council vote grounds 'Bird Lady'

(From 1A)

Cuevas echoed similar sentiments. "I have from the beginning of this thought rehabilitation has no place among single family (residences) . . . It's not the work I'm against but where the operations take place," he said.

The council members who favored the rehabilitation site did so after stringent guidelines — stricter than what the Erskines had wanted — were proposed by council member Bill Morrow.

The vote was taken after each side — led by attorneys — made their arguments to the council. About 80 people attended the public hearing at the Midland Center.

The legality of the operation was put before the city after property adjacent to the Erskines was purchased in 1991.

In August 1992, property owners Dennis and Vanessa Baker filed a lawsuit against the Erskines and complained to the city concerning zoning and health code violations. A counter-lawsuit was filed in the fall of 1994.

The council first considered the issue at a public hearing in March 1994. The council granted a one-year conditional and renewable bird sanctuary status for the Erskine property, but said, essentially, that the Erskines must relocate rehabilitation efforts or get proper zoning.

Proponents of the rehabilitation center have argued that the operations, federally and state licensed, are a vital contribution to the community and do not threaten the general public.

Opponents maintained the property was a health, safety and fire hazard due to massive overgrowth, residence to birds and rodents, and diseased and injured birds and animals brought on the property.

Mrs. Erskine claims the rehabilitation services were sanctioned by the city and exempt by city code; the Bakers' attorney claims the Erskines have been in violation without enforcement for years.

Mrs. Erskine and her attorney, Gregg Owens, said a decision has not been made what action, if any, would be taken now.

The Bakers' attorney, Jad Davis, said his clients prevailed by following the procedure set down by the city, and no decision has been made whether the lawsuit — originally filed as a boundary dispute and later broadened — would be amended.

FOUL: Most see ethical breach, poll says

(From 1A)

er than he is; his mom, because she has watched her son in politics long enough to know you can't trust anyone, and to CBS and Connie Chung for airing the segment. Now let's forget the whole thing."

An anonymous female caller said, "Mrs. Gingrich's son has been in power in the popular spotlight for a long time. The TV cameras were going, the lights were on. I suspect the woman (Mrs. Gingrich) was just taking advantage of the situation to get in a little ladylike dig. All three women will greatly benefit from this little flap. Connie Chung got a huge dose of free publicity. Hillary Clinton got an opportunity to be very gracious in responding in public, and Mrs. Gingrich will be a hero not only to her Republican Women's Club, but she will also be invited to speak to Republican Women's Clubs throughout the country. It worked for everybody, didn't it?"

A male caller who said he works in the media relations field said, "One thing I do when I teach others about the media is that there's no such thing as 'off the record' when you're talking to the media. Anything you say is subject to be aired or put in print, so Mrs. Gingrich should've known better."

A handful of people put the blame on Newt Gingrich, including Betty Cawley. "He should have never said this in the position he's in. He should've known better."

Another anonymous caller said: "I'd like to find out what Newt Gingrich called his mother after she aired his darkest secrets."

Gary Tate said that not only do CBS and Ms. Chung owe Gingrich and his mother an apology, but "an apology is due for Hillary Clinton and Mr. Clinton. That is inexcusable."

"The news media will do anything to create a story," another male caller said. "They try to create them instead of report them and that's one of the reasons why the general public has lost all trust in the media."

"The outcome of your poll will probably be that Chung and CBS overstepped their bounds," a female caller said. "If it had been Dan Rather, a male correspondent, doing the interview then I think the opinion would be the opposite, that it would be OK and that people need to know."

And while most do think it was Ms. Chung and CBS who overstepped their bounds, there was this: "Mrs. Gingrich overstepped her boundaries with her son. She should have kept his confidence."

LOST: Unearned allowances go to charity

(From 1A)

The kind of infractions warranting a "fine" includes wasting. For example, if the air conditioning or heat is on in the house and the children go outside leaving the door open, that would cost them a quarter.

Mrs. Lofquist said the children get a warning first; if they have to be told a second or third time they have to pay up.

"It's just not a good use of resources," she said. "They also pay a fine if they're not nice to each other."

She said the fines vary from five cents to 25 cents depending upon the rule broken.

"At that age they like to have money, so it is very effective," their mother said.

"We try to do what works. For certain things they lose privileges and for others they pay the fines.

"Usually, they know it is for disobedience and they know ahead of time, so it is a lot easier on me to tell them to 'go get a quarter' than to yell," Mrs. Lofquist said.

The fines are collected all year long. Then in December the children select a charity to donate the money to, Mrs. Lofquist said.

She said she saves appeals made throughout the year by the various charitable agencies and then presents them to the children at the end of the year so they can make their decision.

In 1994, the fines totaled $10. The money was donated to the American Cancer Society's Tree of Life in memory of their grandfather, Franklyn Ward, who died of leukemia in August 1993.

"They didn't have to pay much because they're pretty good kids," she pointed out.

Julia said she doesn't mind paying the fines — most of the time.

"For most stuff, it's fair and we feel like it pays off in the end . . . If we've got to do that then there is something good coming out of it instead of punishment," she said.

Her brother agreed, indicating he would rather pay out of his allowance and have it go to charity than to "get in trouble."

"What a great way to discipline children while benefiting organizations serving the community. More parents ought to consider this as an option," said the chairwoman for the American Cancer Society's Tree of Life.

CRISIS: Mexico's stock market nosedives

(From 1A)

1987, and reflected a mounting loss of confidence in President Ernesto Zedillo's one-month-old administration.

The plunge came in the fallout of a 40 percent devaluation of the peso, the Mexican currency. The peso started its fall on Dec. 20, and since then foreign investors, mostly from the United States, have pulled out of the market to cut their losses.

After rallying slightly on Monday, the peso weakened to 5.75 against the dollar, compared to 5.4 Monday.

In an effort to prop up the beleaguered Mexican currency and restore investor confidence, the United States has organized an $18 billion international assistance package. At Mexico's request, the U.S. Federal Reserve Monday sold dollars and bought pesos to bolster the currency.

The Mexican government dipped into the U.S. loan to buy pesos on Monday.

Zedillo also announced new austerity measures, including a freeze on government spending. They followed a package of austerity measures enacted last week, including a cap on salary increases.

"There are firm economic bases which . . . will permit the Mexican economy to be one of the most dynamic in the world," Zedillo said Tuesday in one of many government statements aimed at shoring up confidence.

But in a crisis that turns on foreign capital, investors don't seem reassured. "There are no buyers," Sarmiento said.

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Yeltsin seeks political boost; 48-hour cease-fire collapses

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MOSCOW — With its ground troops tightening their grip on the besieged city of Grozny, Russia Tuesday sought a 48-hour cease-fire, but it collapsed only hours after it was declared.

The reprieve to battle-weary combatants in Grozny, the Chechen capital, was scant. But the politically battered Russian president, Boris N. Yeltsin, seized on the cease-fire declaration to try to win back some of the international and domestic support that has drained away during the brutal month-old Russian military operation.

Even as Russian troops exchanged fire with Chechen rebels in the center of Grozny, Oleg Lobov, the secretary of Yeltsin's security council, told reporters in Moscow that the Russian proposal, which included an offer of amnesty to Chechens who laid down their arms, was a "historic moment" and "generous offer" to allow the rebels to "come to their senses" before a final Russian offensive.

Yeltsin, whose reputation was tarnished dramatically after he sent troops to restore Russian rule in the oil-rich, mostly Muslim republic, was working hard Tuesday to appeal to critics at home and abroad, painting the short-lived cease-fire as Russia's effort to give peace a chance.

In Moscow, representatives of the Organization of Security and Cooperation in Europe said that the Russian foreign minister, Andrei V. Kosyrev, had told them that Russia would allow a fact-finding delegation from the 52-member security organization to visit Chechnya soon.

The Russian government also said it would begin an independent inquiry into whether the armed forces had continued to bomb civilian targets even after Yeltsin had ordered a halt in the air strikes. Russian air raids on Grozny, which have killed hundreds of civilians and destroyed apartment houses and schools, horrified Russians and eventually prompted the United States and other countries to criticize Moscow's actions.

Grim greetings, sniper fire line Grozny palace

Editor's note: A prize for both sides, the Soviet-style building in the center of ravaged Grozny known as the presidential palace has been the focus of fighting for control of the Chechen capital. Defiant Chechen fighters have held tenaciously to the symbol of their independence despite being badly outmanned by the Russian army. On Tuesday, three Associated Press staffers, including Moscow Bureau Chief Barry Renfrew, entered the palace during a lull in the shelling. They escaped by cramming into an armored personnel carrier taking dead from the building.

By Barry Renfrew
Associated Press

GROZNY, Russia — Dozens of exhausted young Chechen fighters line the dark corridor, cradling their weapons and staring hollowly at bullet-pocked walls as Russian artillery shells thunder into the building.

A few Chechen snipers take aim from shattered windows on the upper floors. Every few minutes they fire off a few bullets, then duck away to other windows, looking for new targets.

The once-grand marble and granite presidential palace stands in the middle of a sprawling square of concrete that has been reduced to a wasteland of gaping holes left by exploding shells, the resultant rubble and twisted tanks destroyed in the battle for Grozny — which resumed Tuesday after a cease-fire collapsed within hours.

The isolated and exposed palace, the uppermost of its nine floors shot and burned away, is a symbol of the Chechen fight for independence from Russia. It was once the seat of government, and Chechen President Dzhokhar Dudayev holed up in a basement bunker for a time.

So Russian forces have singled out the building for special attention, attempting to demolish the palace and extinguish the Chechen cause.

"The firing never stops," says Urech, a swarthy young fighter with a row of hand grenades hanging from his belt. A captured green Russian steel helmet several sizes too large wobbles on his head.

"What can we do?" he says with a shrug as the building shudders from the impact of another Russian shell.

Dozens of heavily armed Chechen fighters taking shelter in the ravaged palace insist there is no chance of peace or compromise. "We can only fight the Russians or die," vows one young fighter embracing a machine gun.

Chechen fighters positioned at the windows peer through iron grills fashioned in the shape of the old Soviet hammer and sickle. Before the Soviet Union collapsed, the building was the regional Communist Party headquarters.

The corridors on the lower floors are pocked from floor to ceiling with bullet holes. Russian and Chechen fighters have battled from room to room, but each time the Chechens have managed to drive the attackers out.

Most of the palace defenders are men in their early 20s or younger. They are clothed in anything from bits of old Russian army uniforms to jeans and colorful windbreakers decorated with soccer team badges. Grenades, rocket warheads and daggers dangle from their belts, and some wear bandoliers of bullets across their chests.

The bloated bodies of Russian soldiers killed in the fighting are scattered around the palace. Several lie contorted on the ground, their faces twisted in hideous grimaces.

Killed Chechens are buried by their comrades within hours, as required by their Islamic faith. The Russian dead are left unburied in a traditional sign of contempt for a hated enemy.

Bodies of dead Chechens wrapped in white shrouds are carried from the palace and loaded onto vehicles during Tuesday's brief cease-fire. The lull gives the Chechens a chance to summon new volunteers and evacuate the dead and wounded. They claim to have Russian POWs still in the basement.

But the truce collapses within several hours with both sides violating the temporary cease-fire. As fighting resumes, Russian artillery shells slam into the palace, again the center of the savage fighting for the city's heart.

6 die in Chiapas as tension builds

CHICOMUSELO, Mexico (AP) — Six people, including a police chief and his deputy, were killed Tuesday after some 300 peasants stormed the town hall in this remote Chiapas village, police said.

Police chief Hernan Sepulveda Fernandez was shot three times in the back, while deputy Moises Ramirez Ramos was hacked to death by machete-wielding protesters after both were taken hostage before dawn.

During a day marked alternately by confrontations and attempts at negotiations, four others, including two peasant protesters and a bystander, also were killed, said police spokesman Pedro Cordoba Escobar.

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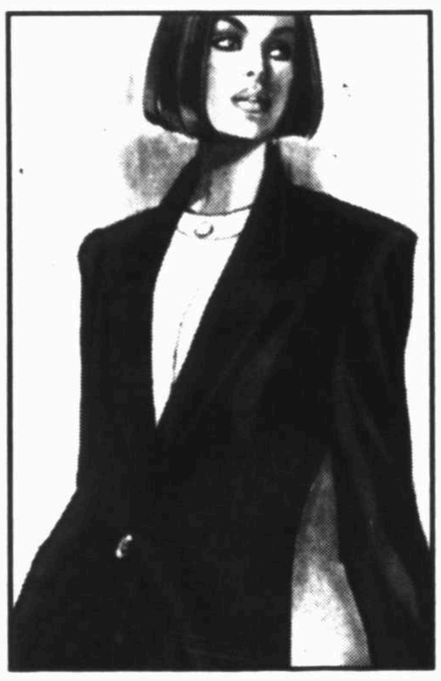
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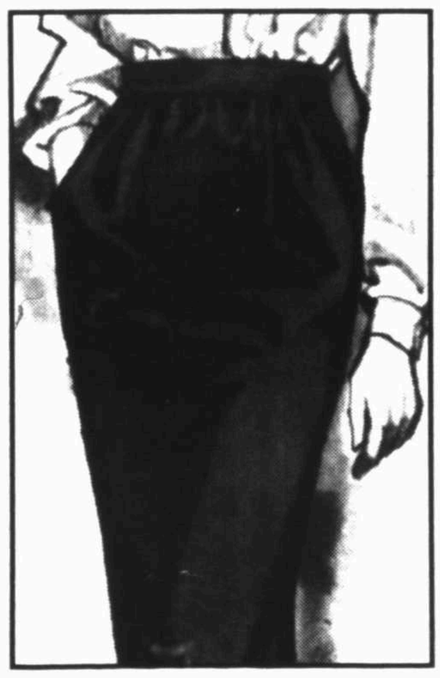
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TOKYO — Grabbing the last five apples from the counter, Yaeko Murase turned away disappointed from the empty carton that a few moments earlier had sparkled with red and golden American apples. The succulent Japanese fruit on the next display didn't even get a glance.

"I wanted to buy the red ones, but they ran out," said Mrs. Murase, 58, a retired restaurateur who used to offer Japanese apples as dessert. "I wanted to buy 20 American apples."

Japanese shoppers formed lines around the fruit sections of supermarkets Tuesday as the first batches of American apples were swept off the shelves when they went on sale across the country. Twenty-four years after Japan nominally opened up its apple market to imports, American produce finally reached consumers this week, earning good reviews for taste but especially for price.

In the land of the $6 apple, coddled from bud to grocery store, the mass-produced American variety are a bargain even when they end up costing 80 cents or more apiece.

■ Pope sets to leave on long pilgrimage

ROME — Defying signs of bodily weakness and ill health, Pope John Paul II plans to embark on Wednesday on his longest pilgrimage in three years, an 11-day, 20,880-mile pilgrimage to Asia and Australia that seems more than ever to raise the question: what drives him to such gruelling odysseys?

The journey to the Philippines, Papua New Guinea, Australia and Sri Lanka will be the 63d foreign tour the pope has undertaken since he assumed the papacy in 1978. It will also be the most arduous since a 10-day tour of Brazil in 1991 and the first since mounting signs of infirmity — including two bouts of surgery — forced him to cancel a visit to the United States scheduled for last October.

■ Peace Corps to assist refugee problem

The Peace Corps and the International Rescue Committee, a leading private relief agency, are joining forces to work with refugees and displaced people worldwide, leaders of the two organizations said this week.

The collaboration signals a new direction for both groups and for the first time puts the volunteers of the Peace Corps, an agency of the United States Government, under the direction of another organization.

The unusual partnership also reflects the rapidly changing character of the world's most urgent needs, as dozens of small conflicts uproot millions of people and create civilian emergencies on a scale not seen since the last world war.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.

Settlers launch West Bank expansion campaign

ELKANA, West Bank (AP) — Jewish settlers launched an expansion campaign Tuesday in the occupied West Bank, facing off against the army and Palestinian demonstrators in a fight that threatens to further disrupt peace talks.

In Jerusalem, Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin said that Israel wants to keep key areas of the West Bank in addition to Jerusalem as part of any final agreement with the Palestinians.

Tractors started leveling about seven acres of land near Elkana in the northern West Bank for what settlers said would be a new neighborhood, although it is about a mile from Elkana.

"This is municipal territory and our goal is to fence it off and remove what the Arabs have planted," said Nissan Shlomiansky, head of Elkana regional council.

"This is a sign of things to come. ... In any place where the Arabs want to take our land, we will do such things in order to show our ownership," he said.

Up to 300 settlers gathered at the site, spreading wire along land and waving Israeli flags. A member of an Arab family standing among olive trees on the disputed hilltop yelled, "Get off my land!"

Several hundred Arabs gathered on the surrounding hills and when about 15 tried to approach the construction area, the army blocked the way and detained three.

Tuesday night, Israel's West Bank military government said the work was illegal and ordered the settlers to remove the heavy machinery.

"They are working on land not allocated to the settlement," said Maj. Elise Shazar, a spokeswoman for the military government. "We are enforcing the law. We told them they are not allowed to work there."

Elsewhere in the West Bank, Israeli soldiers thwarted a pre-dawn attempt by hundreds of Jewish settlers to establish a settlement at the site of last week's ambush in which Palestinian militants killed the daughter of a prominent rabbi.

Fourteen who refused to leave were detained, and the trailer they brought to live in was pushed into a ditch, the army said.

Nabil Abu Irdeineh, spokesman for PLO leader Yasser Arafat, said any attempt to expand settlements or confiscate land would undermine peace talks.

Noting that Peres told Arafat in a meeting Monday that settlements would not be expanded, he said: "The government of Israel officially committed itself to stand against any expansion of settlements."

Arafat met Tuesday with Egyptian President Hosni Mubarak in Cairo, and talks focused on the settlement issue, Egyptian Foreign Minister Amr Moussa said. Arafat did not speak to reporters.

Rabin, touring Jerusalem with right-wing Likud Mayor Ehud Olmert, told high school students at one stop that Israel would not return all of the land captured in the 1967 Middle East War.

"I never supported and wouldn't support a withdrawal to the 1967 lines," Rabin said at the Seligsburg High School, located in a neighborhood of Jerusalem built on land captured from Jordan in 1967.

Responding to question from a 17-year-old student, Rabin said Israel's first priority was to keep all of Jerusalem and that for security reasons Israel had to retain key areas of the West Bank such as the Jordan Valley and the Gush Etzion bloc of settlements.

U.S. makes case to U.N. for keeping sanctions on Iraq

UNITED NATIONS (AP) — U.S. Ambassador Madeleine Albright showed the U.N. Security Council satellite photos Tuesday that she said proved Iraq has not complied with U.N. demands to return military equipment stolen during the Gulf War.

The increasingly divided council is preparing to review its crushing economic sanctions against Iraq on Thursday.

France and Russia, Iraq's major trading partners before the Gulf War, have been pushing the council to recognize Baghdad's limited cooperation with weapons inspectors as a step toward a easing of sanctions.

The United States and Britain have taken a harder line, with Washington demanding that Iraq show compliance with all relevant U.N. resolutions before sanctions are eased.

The sanctions, including an oil embargo, were imposed after Iraq invaded Kuwait in August 1990. U.N. resolutions call for lifting the oil embargo, but not the full trade sanctions, after a weapons monitoring system is working and Iraq has eliminated its weapons of mass destruction.

Albright said the Iraqis have 9,000 pieces of military equipment stolen from Kuwait, including missiles, rockets and armored personnel carriers, and about 7,000 pieces of stolen non-military equipment.

Rolf Ekeus, chairman of a U.N. weapons inspection team, told the council Tuesday that the program monitoring Iraq's weapons of mass destruction is "going forward nicely" but that Iraq must be more cooperative in providing information on past weapons programs.

British ambassador David Hannay said the council still needs information on Iraqi chemical warfare and ballistic missile systems.

"Clearly this is going to pose some very hard questions" for Iraqi Deputy Prime Minister Tariq Aziz, he said. Aziz is visiting the United Nations this week to lobby for sanctions to be eased.

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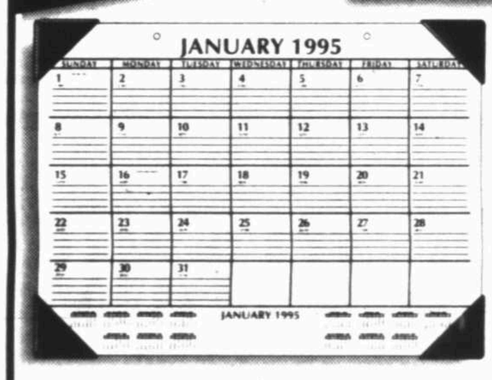

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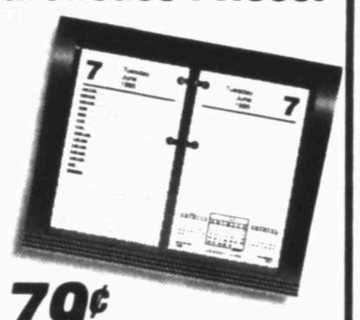

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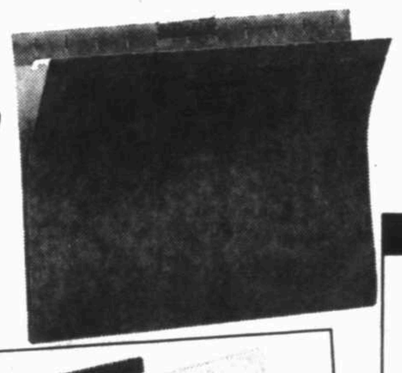

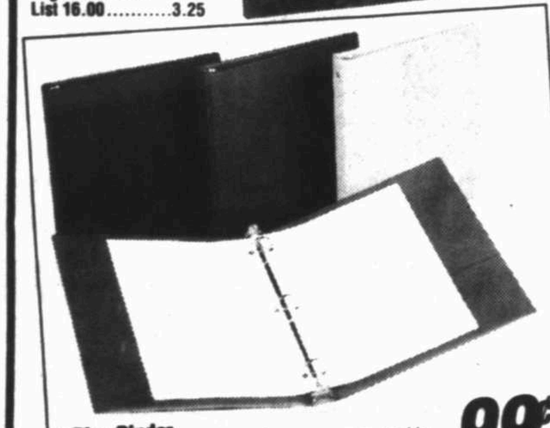

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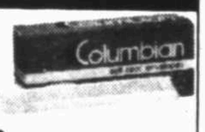

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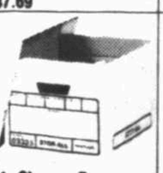

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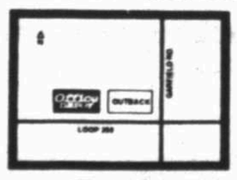

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Rain batters California, forces evacuation of 5,000 residents

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The worst rainfall in nearly a decade continued its deadly assault across the state Tuesday, forcing the evacuation of 5,000 residents in Sacramento County and sending waves of mud into Southern California homes. At least six deaths were blamed on the storm.

Five thousand residents of Rio Linda, 15 miles north of Sacramento, were ordered evacuated when Dry Creek, a tributary of the American River, spilled over its banks. Hundreds of people were sent to shelters in elementary schools and churches.

"Water is almost to the top of street signs in some locations," said sheriff's spokeswoman Sharon Telles.

Gov. Pete Wilson declared states of emergency in 18 counties after a week of Pacific storms that dumped the most rainfall on the state since 1986, when tens of thousands of people were driven from their homes in widespread flooding.

Army National Guard Chinook helicopters plucked residents out of hard-hit Guerneville, about 60 miles north of San Francisco, as the Russian River crested at 17 feet above flood stage.

Brothers Brian and Dave Ridley were on one of the first flights out, both of them cold and hungry.

"Our house is gone," Dave said. "I've been inside my truck for three days."

At least six deaths were blamed on the storm over the past two days, five in Northern California and one in southwestern Oregon.

In Southern California, a body was found in the raging Ventura River but it wasn't immediately known if it was that of a homeless man reported missing.

Nearly 200,000 utility customers were reported to be without power across the state, and repairs were often difficult.

"A lot of times they're under water, and mudslides and landslides are blocking the way," said Diana Gapuz of Pacific Gas & Electric Co.

In Southern California, at least 33 people were pulled from the Ventura and Santa Clara rivers, some by helicopter; three were hospitalized for hypothermia, authorities said.

Many of those rescued were residents of homeless encampments along the river bed. They had been warned on Monday to move to higher ground, but few listened.

"I was coming close to dying," said George Struck, draped in a blanket and shaking violently after he was pulled from the water. "I felt it. I felt it."

In Santa Barbara, 43 residents of a convalescent home were evacuated to a hospital as runoff waters invaded their home before dawn, said police Sgt. Brian Abbott.

In the Hollywood Hills, an elderly couple were sleeping when a wall of mud and a tree hit their home.

"The tree came right into the bedroom, hit them in the bed," said Bob Grebb, whose 71-year-old father, Harry, and 72-year-old mother, Arnella, were in good condition at a hospital.

"It sealed shut the door to the bedroom that leads into the hallway, and I couldn't get to them."

The rainfall turned Los Angeles' morning and evening commutes into even more of a nightmare, flooding intersections and littering freeways with fender-bender accidents, spinouts and overturned vehicles.

Ninety miles of railroad track between Los Angeles and San Luis Obispo were submerged, forcing cancellation of Amtrak service.

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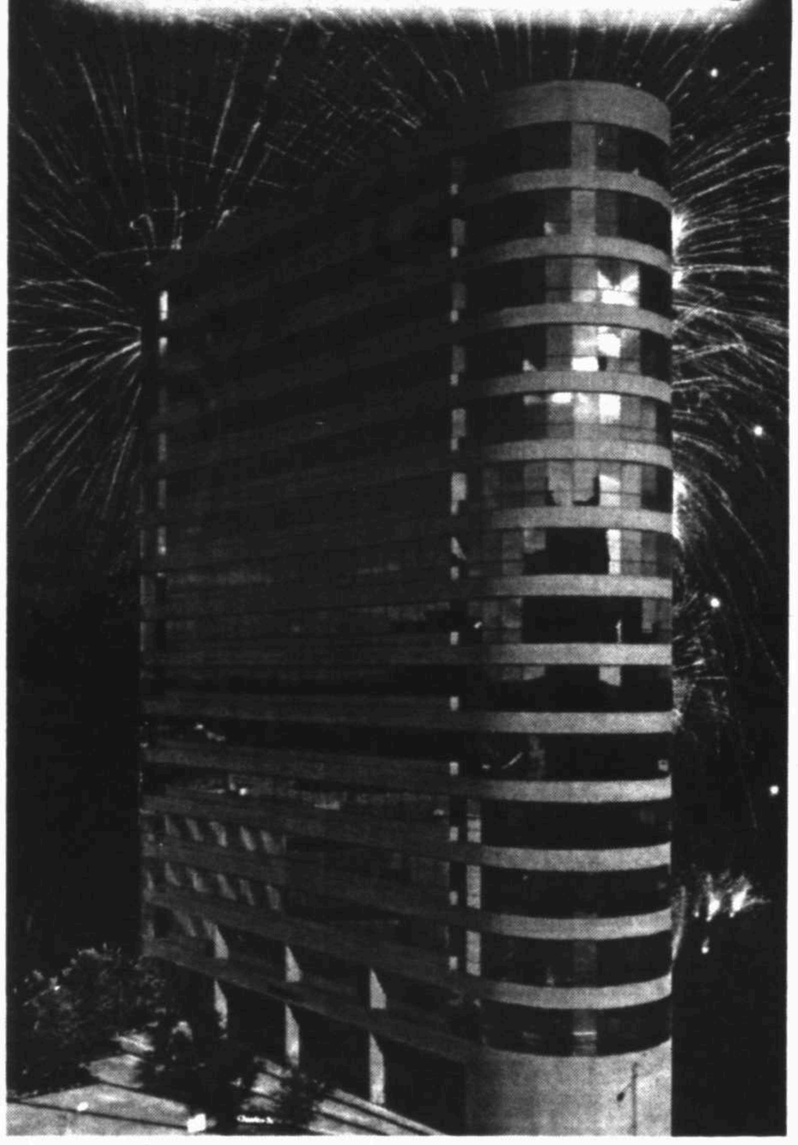

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Emissions notice was fringe benefit

It was like a breath of fresh air when Midland and Odessa received word from the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission (TNRCC) recently that this area is to be exempt from a tailpipe-emissions testing mandate. We really can breathe easier!

All levity aside though, the very fact that the air in the Midland and Odessa area is free of pollutants being experienced in other, more populous regions of the state is one of the reasons living in the wide, open spaces of West Texas is so downright enjoyable.

Now it's true that residents of this area won't get to avoid the requirement to show proof of residency when they apply for motor-vehicle registration. That proof can be in the form of a voter registration card, driver's license, utility or telephone bill, property tax statement or receipt, school tuition receipt or valid proof of liability insurance. But local residents can avoid the cost of the vehicle testing, which is expected to range from $15 up to $23.

Of course, the vehicle testing is to identify cars and trucks on Texas roadways that are contributing to the air pollution problem — and hopefully to correct the problems or remove those vehicles from the roads. In that way, it should help to ensure that in the future the air over the Lone Star State does not become more polluted and that the state's residents and visitors can enjoy the wide, open spaces in Texas without hacking and coughing because of fumes filling the air.

We in this part of Texas are largely isolated from the air pollution problems being encountered in Dallas, Houston and other major cities in the state. But we like it that way — and we don't want to have to put up with the pollution of modern Texas.

Agencies promoting retirement in Midland, take note. This just might be another "positive" to add to the many that already exist.

JACK ANDERSON

Chechnya is end of Russian empire

WASHINGTON — Just as the Soviet empire began to crumble with the Baltic state uprisings in 1991, the end of a unified Russian empire may have started with the invasion of Chechnya.

Anderson

At the least, the Russian repression of the rebellious republic will create an increase in domestic terrorism in Moscow and other parts of Russia by Chechen nationalists.

At its worst, the events may have lit the fuse to a powder keg of ethnic nationalism throughout the Russian republic, which could ultimately see the breakup of today's Russia into a patchwork quilt of autonomous states and regions.

The invasion also probably marked the beginning of the end for President Boris Yeltsin's hopes of re-election in 1996.

In the view of one longtime Central Intelligence Agency analyst, the Russian suppression of Chechnya was, perhaps, inevitable. "It was just the Russians being Russians again... at Christmastime," this analyst said. "Once, they invaded Afghanistan at Christmas. Later, they declared martial law in Poland at Christmas. And now they crush a pesky flea — Chechnya — with a carnival hammer at Christmastime."

The biggest unanswered question in the bloody affair — which has now claimed the lives of hundreds of Chechens and Russian soldiers — is why Yeltsin bothered to invade when he did. It's been four years since the tiny region of 1.3-million first declared its independence.

CIA analysts believe Yeltsin is being pushed by Russian nationalist advisers who thought it was high time he showed a conservative streak. According to a recent classified CIA report on the situation, these advisers are led by Maj. Gen. Alexander Korzhakov, a close Yeltsin aide since 1985. He is currently the head of the presidential security service. Korzhakov and his militarist cronies are urging Yeltsin to invoke emergency powers to quell not only the Chechen revolt but any other potential revolts it may spark.

The liberals who remain in Yeltsin's inner circle consider these right-wingers to be saboteurs of Yeltsin's best intentions. They believe that prolonging the increasingly unpopular conflict will only erode what political base he has left among the reformers he came to power with. The liberals are frustrated by the increased attention being lavished on conservative hard-liners, while his most important allies on political and economic reform have become increasingly isolated.

Yegor Gaidar, former acting prime minister and a leading reform figure, has publicly predicted that the Chechen conflict will destroy not only democratic reforms but economic reforms as well, due to the military resources needed for a long deployment in Chechnya.

In the meantime, Yeltsin has become paralyzed with the idea that Russia may go the way of the Soviet Union. "It is no secret that the country is gripped by a feeling of anxiety about the integrity of the Russian state," Yeltsin said after retaining his seat in an April 1993 referendum. Nearly two years later, that anxiety is threatening to turn into panic among Yeltsin and his advisers.

By invading Chechnya when he did, rather than continuing to ignore its claims of independence, Yeltsin was responding to advisers who believed the only way to stop the growing secessionist tide within Russia was to crush the rebellion. In fact, the opposite is true. Yeltsin may have opened a Pandora's box of ethnic nationalism that may only be closed by a return to the authoritarianism that characterized the Soviet Union.

"The Chechens will fight on with a guerrilla war in the Caucasus and with terrorism in Russian cities," says Paul Goble, a former analyst with the State Department and CIA. "Yeltsin, or at least some in his entourage, may even welcome such attacks because they would justify a more repressive approach throughout Russia, but his cure for these challenges is likely to be worse than the disease."

In a census conducted in 1989, Soviet officials identified more than 400 separate ethnic groups aside from native Russians. Since the breakup of the Soviet Union, the various ethnic regions in the Russian Federation have already become less enamored with Russian rule.

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ANOTHER VIEW

It's time to negotiate nuclear deal with Iran

Iran may add an atomic bomb to its arsenal within the next decade, perhaps within five years, American and Israeli officials warn. Before it is too late to head off that dangerous development, Washington needs to reconsider how to deal with Tehran on this issue.

The U.S. has sought to contain Iran, along with next-door rival Iraq. This policy of dual containment has in practice meant dual isolation, trying to minimize all contact and commerce, not only by Americans but also by other countries. That policy is apparently failing to keep Iran from getting what it needs to build a bomb.

However distasteful the regime in Tehran may be, if the principal U.S. goal is a non-nuclear Iran, Washington would be better off trying to strike a bargain like the one it made with North Korea. Israel, which has maintained quiet contacts with Tehran, may know of a suitable go-between.

Shunning Iran may appeal to those who have bitter memories of Tehran's humiliating mistreatment of American diplomats, but it aggravates Iranian paranoia, and adds motivation to build the bomb. It also impedes efforts to halt Iranian bomb-making by limiting diplomacy, and by trying to stop all other countries' commerce with Iran instead of focusing on trade in bomb-building technology.

Germany, India, and France resent American accusations of appeasement for continuing their commerce with Iran but have gone along with American efforts to halt trade in bomb and missile technology. Pakistan, China, and North Korea oppose the economic embargo in principle and have been only too pleased to fill the void. Technology has also seeped out of leaky Russia, Ukraine, and other former Soviet republics. Getting these countries to curb all nuclear-usable trade will be easier if it is not seen as part of a total embargo. Meanwhile, Washington is right to sustain a total ban on U.S. trade with Iran.

The outlines of a potential nuclear deal start with Iran's dismay over efforts to deny it nuclear reactors, which it is entitled to receive under the Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty. It has won some third-world support in advance of a review conference this spring on extending the treaty.

Iran may be amenable to the approach the U.S. took to North Korea. That means permitting delivery of the nuclear reactors Iran has bought from Germany, China, Russia, and other countries. In return, Iran would have to go well beyond the requirements of the non-proliferation treaty by forgoing the reprocessing of spent nuclear fuel that turns it into bomb-making plutonium and accepting more intrusive monitoring of all its nuclear sites.

Nuclear diplomacy with Iran will be difficult. Unlike North Korea, which had been trying to open ties to the U.S., Iran's government is still under the sway of fundamentalist militants who are prepared to use every means, including terrorism, to spread their version of an Islamic revolution. Isolating Iran, however, may be strengthening the militants.

The time has not yet come for the U.S. to re-establish full commerce and contact with Iran. But isolation is not stopping Iran from building a bomb. A diplomatic nuclear deal is worth a try.

— The New York Times

WILLIAM SAFIRE

China tops Russia with its fear, instability

WASHINGTON — Which great power is more unstable — China or Russia? The quick answer, of course, is Russia. The elected leader, Boris Yeltsin, is besieged in Moscow after his bloody siege of Grozny, capital of the Connecticut-sized breakaway republic of Chechnya.

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Russian television showed vivid pictures of the bombing of that city even as it showed Yeltsin saying it wasn't so; then the cameras showed Yeltsin upbraiding his defense minister for making him look like a liar.

As Helmut Kohl telephoned to tell him that world opinion frowns on the savage method his Russia Federation is using to preserve its borders, Bill Clinton wrote a "Dear Boris" letter reaffirming support of Federation unity but stressing how "distressed" he is at civilian deaths and suggesting mediation by an organization of 53 nations.

What's Yeltsin to do? The Chechens are dead serious about secession. If Russia lets Chechnya go, other Caucasian dominoes will fall and Moscow will be denied the Caspian oil it needs to rule a hundred nationalities across 11 time zones.

He tried negotiation, which was met by a declaration of independence; he tried an internal coup, which flopped; now he's trying force, which is bringing world obloquy on his head because the Chechens are fiercely fighting for their homeland and the Russian army has no heart for a lengthy guerrilla battle, especially after its loss in Afghanistan.

All that — added to Yeltsin's personal punchiness and isolation — is why Russia appears unstable. We tend to equate the future of democracy with the future of Yeltsin, who is on his last legs.

But consider the political miracle taking place in Moscow. An unpopular and unjust war is being denounced in the parliament, with reformer Grigory Yavlinsky openly calling for Yeltsin's resignation. The military is publicly divided between conscience-stricken warriors and hard-line incompetents. Free speech is spilling out all over.

The newspapers, after centuries of czarist and Communist docility, are crusading: a picture of Defense Minister Pavel Grachev is captioned "the most talentless commander in Russia." And the television crews are bringing home the horror of the war just as American cameramen did in Vietnam, with similar impact on Russian public opinion.

This is wonderful. The world should be proud of the Russian people, who should be prouder of themselves for exercising their new-found freedom to debate a great issue.

Contrast that democratic turmoil to the facade of "stability" in China. With the death of Deng Xiaoping imminent, the leadership is cracking down on dissidents.

By jailing its leading independent thinkers, the regime in Beijing reveals its inherent weakness. The new imprisonment of the courageous Wei Jingsheng, China's Sakharov, was the tip-off that the leadership fears a popular uprising, this time led by angry workers rather than idealistic students. As Deng sinks, the number of panicky arrests rises.

This demonstrates again that succession in a Communist state is a ruthless wrestle for power within an impenetrable clique. It mocks the assurances of China's Western apologists that a market economy leads to political freedom.

In a litchi nutshell, here's the play:

Yang Shangkun, an old army leader whose powerful family was neutralized by Deng, is close to Adm. Liu Huaqing, the nation's top military leader. They may challenge Deng's proteges, party boss Jiang Zemin and Prime Minister Li Peng, by backing economic chief, Zhu Rongji, or promoting a next-generation politician, Hu Jintao, or by backing Qiao Shi, the former national security adviser and now chairman of the rubber-stamp People's Congress, hereinafter known as "China's Newt Gingrich."

What do 1.2 billion Chinese have to say about all this? Zilch.

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ART BUCHWALD

Congressman is reluctant to stay in Beltway

The Capital Beltway is not only a highway to accommodate bumper-to-bumper traffic, it has also become a metaphor for what is wrong with the country.

Every politician running for office blames our troubles on the people "inside the Beltway." Almost everyone who won a national election this year campaigned against the Washington insiders who had no idea what "real" Americans wanted.

Buchwald

But now the day of reckoning is here. The elected who have come to Washington must sit inside the Beltway and write the laws of the nation.

I was driving along near Exit 33 when I came across an incredible scene. Two federal marshals were holding a handcuffed man by his arms, trying to shove him into an unmarked sedan.

"What's up, officer?" I inquired.

One of the marshals said, "This is a newly elected congressman and he refuses to go inside the Beltway."

The congressman was blubbering. "Please don't make me go in there. They'll eat me alive. I'll burn in hell. They'll plunge daggers in my back." He tried to run, but the marshals held him tight.

"It's not that bad," I told him. "Some people live very comfortably inside the Beltway. We have electricity and telephones and even indoor plumbing."

The man was completely distraught. "I campaigned against those inside the Beltway — the bureaucrats and the big spenders who don't give a hoot about the little man. If I go in there now, they'll tar and feather me."

"People inside the Beltway don't hold grudges except against the Washington Redskins. I doubt if anyone remembers what you said about us during your election campaign."

He tried to escape again. "I'm going home to be with normal folks, and I'll vote from there," the man said.

"You can't do that. The Constitution states clearly that a congressman must cast his ballot inside the Beltway for any legislation to become the law of the land. I've seen people like you come to this town afraid of their own shadow and in less than six months they're driving around Washington as if they owned it."

The congressman said, "If I go inside, will I be blamed for the deficit?"

"Of course not. Hillary Clinton is solely responsible for that, and Chelsea is to blame for all the money being wasted on our military cost overruns. If your middle-class constituents won't buy that, you can always offer them a tax cut."

The federal marshal said, "Come on, sir. They're waiting for you to make a quorum."

The congressman got into the vehicle reluctantly.

"If I'm going to take my seat in Congress, I want an air bag to go with it."

Art Buchwald's column is distributed by the Los Angeles Times Syndicate.

The Nation

■ Pro-, anti-smoking forces enter petition battle

WASHINGTON — The tobacco industry aimed a pre-emptive strike at the new Congress Tuesday by displaying 1.1 million petitions opposing Food and Drug Administration regulation of tobacco products.

At the same time, the industry released a poll indicating Americans rank cigarette regulation seventh in a list of eight priorities for Congress — between passing a school prayer law and settling the baseball strike.

Reforming Congress, overhauling welfare and reducing taxes were 1-2-3.

The anti-tobacco side of the debate readied its own petitions for release at a news conference Wednesday and said the smoking industry's tactics "should be dismissed . . . as an attempt to mislead the public, misstate fact." The petitions were signed by more than 250,000 people, the Coalition on Smoking or Health said.

The Tobacco Institute, which represents the industry, piled boxes of petitions in front of a panel of speakers at a news conference. It hired polling firms to survey 1,000 adult Americans and they said their margin of error was plus or minus 3.1 percent.

■ Woman survives 250-foot leap from bridge

NEW YORK — A woman distraught over a broken relationship survived a 250-foot leap Tuesday from the Verrazano-Narrows Bridge connecting Brooklyn and Staten Island.

The woman broke free of a policeman trying desperately to save her before she plunged into New York Bay. She was hospitalized in critical condition but stable condition after surgery. She suffered a broken leg, internal injuries and hypothermia in the fall, said Lutheran Medical Center spokesman Robert Walsh.

Police said Connie Mercure, 29, told them she was distraught over a relationship that ended before the holidays.

"She wanted everybody to leave her alone and let her jump," Sgt. Thomas Sullivan said.

Police closed the bridge's mile-long upper deck to traffic Tuesday morning, and negotiators tried to talk her out of jumping. She asked to speak with her parents in Michigan and a former boyfriend.

■ Lawyers seek to limit domestic violence evidence

LOS ANGELES — O.J. Simpson's lawyers have hinted they will argue that wife beaters aren't necessarily wife killers in an effort to limit the amount of domestic violence evidence put before jurors in his murder trial.

In a hearing that begins today, prosecutors are expected to ask to introduce a host of potentially explosive evidence, including Simpson's no-contest plea to a spousal battery charge and Nicole Brown Simpson's dramatic 911 call for police help.

The result is expected to be such a torrid revelation of details about Simpson's life that his jury was ordered sequestered before the hearing begins.

Court papers relating to the hearing remain under seal, but the defense has suggested in previous statements it adheres to a common legal theory that abuse evidence would amount to little more than usually inadmissible character evidence.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.

Some GOP freshmen shy away from 'contract'

WASHINGTON (AP) — House Republicans, led by Speaker Newt Gingrich, may appear to be a well-oiled army, marching to fulfill the party's "Contract With America." But some members of the Grand Old Party are determinedly out of step.

Freshman Rep. Jim Bunn's fears that the GOP proposals on welfare could encourage teen-age abortions made him one of the few House Republicans who wouldn't go along with his brethren.

"I did not sign the 'contract' because of the provision that calls for cutting off support for teen-age mothers," Bunn, R-Ore., an outspoken abortion opponent, said in an interview. "As an individual who is pro-life, I feel you have a responsibility to help people with a crisis pregnancy."

The "Contract With America," on which the Republican Party campaigned to an historic victory in November, promises House votes on 10 proposals including a constitutional amendment to balance the federal budget, sharp limits on welfare benefits, a line-item veto, and term limits for lawmakers. Many GOP candidates made the document — orchestrated by Gingrich, R-Ga. — the centerpiece of their campaigns.

But freshmen Reps. Ray LaHood, R-Ill., and Sam Brownback, R-Kan., two other non-signers, expressed concerns that the federal deficit would widen if Congress increased defense spending while cutting the capital gains tax rate and providing a $500-per-child tax credit.

"In the 80s, we gave everybody tax cuts, which was marvelous," said LaHood, who won the seat vacated by retiring House Minority Leader Bob Michel, R-Ill. "It stimulated the economy. But we increased our defense (spending) dramatically and we're running huge deficits now.

"I just think the American people are pretty smart and they recognize that we simply don't have the money at this point to be writing them a check," LaHood said.

Incumbent Reps. Don Young, R-Alaska, Lincoln Diaz-Balart, R-Fla., and Illeana Ros-Lehtinen, R-Fla., also opted against signing the "contract." Ros-Lehtinen and Diaz-Balart both objected to a provision that would take welfare and other benefits from non-citizens, including legal permanent residents. Both represent districts with large Cuban-American populations.

Young, a House member since 1973, didn't sign because he had some reservations about its welfare reform and term limits provisions, said spokesman Steven Hansen.

But most of the attention has been placed on the newcomers.

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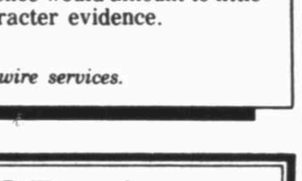

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Experts aside, many mothers believe in spanking children

CHICAGO (AP) — Despite experts' advice, a lot of mothers believe spanking is a good way to discipline young children, a survey found.

"Mothers spank fairly frequently — they both believe in it and do it often," said Dr. Rebecca R. S. Socolar, the lead researcher and a clinical assistant professor of pediatrics at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill School of Medicine.

Forty-two percent of the 204 mothers surveyed had spanked their young children in the week before the survey, the authors reported in the January issue of the journal Pediatrics. All of the children were younger than 4.

Mothers believed more strongly in spanking for dangerous misbehavior — such as getting too close to a hot iron — than for annoying antics — such as splashing water from the bathtub onto the floor, the survey found.

Overall, mothers were more likely to spank if they had believed it appropriate to respond to misbehavior with yelling or ridicule, Socolar said.

Inner-city mothers were more likely to spank than well-to-do suburban mothers, for unknown reasons, she said.

"Mothers who had been spanked as a child both spanked more frequently and believed more strongly in spanking," Socolar said in a telephone interview Monday.

She said mothers were chosen because mothers almost exclusively accompanied their children at the offices where the survey was conducted.

The survey was small because money were limited, and Socolar called for more research in a larger population.

She could not say whether the New York women were representative but said the frequency of spanking in the survey was similar to that in larger national studies.

Previous studies have shown that spanking can promote aggressive behavior, hamper development of moral reasoning, reduce self-esteem and make children depressed, the researchers said.

But it is unclear whether spanking itself is the culprit or whether a hostile attitude underlying spanking might be the harmful factor, Socolar said.

"What we don't know is whether a positive approach and spanking and explaining" the reason for the punishment would do harm, Socolar said.

Plan to reduce national parkland gains steam

By Joel Connelly
Hearst News Service

America's national park system treasures can be saved only by shutting the gates on parks and historical sites that "do not belong in the national park system," says the new chairman of a key House public lands subcommittee.

"Park closure is not an effort to take something away from the public, but is an effort to save lean federal budgets and look to other creative means of management," Rep. James Hansen, R-Utah, recently wrote in a letter to advocates of private property rights.

Hansen said creating a "Park Closure Commission" patterned after the military's base closure commission would be one way to target parks for elimination.

The congressman, who chairs the subcommittee overseeing national parks, says areas cut out of the park system could be turned back to state or local governments, with local historical societies taking over closed historic sites.

The idea of reversing growth of the 368-unit park system has sent shivers through environmentalists and some lawmakers.

"They don't care a whit for jewels in the park system. It's just part of an effort to dismantle public lands in the West," said Rep. Peter DeFazio, D-Ore.

"National parks aren't military bases," added Dale Crane, Northwest representative of the National Parks and Conservation Association.

But the idea may find receptive ears among the ascendant Republicans in Congress.

"I think that's something that should be looked at," said Rep. Doc Hastings, R-Wash. "In the northern part of my district, the park service has gone at odds in several areas against private property rights.

"And so to the extent we're talking about exploring that, I think it's very valid," added Hastings. "It's something I'd be willing to explore."

Rep. Jack Metcalf, R-Wash., who is "pretty defensive" about national parks, says Hansen's idea of letting states and localities manage parklands needs close examination.

"I think there'll be a lot of consideration of turning various responsibilities for federal lands back to states," he said.

Rep. George Nethercutt, R-Wash., said: "Everybody is searching for ways to downsize, to economize. Transferring to other ownership, maybe there is a way to do that."

Hastings and Metcalf serve with Hansen on the House Resources Committee. Nethercutt sits on the interior appropriations subcommittee, which oversees the Park Service budget.

In his letter to "Wise Use" activists, who oppose alleged "lockups" of federal lands, Hansen said the National Park Service spends $900 million each year on visitor services, while collecting $100 million in fees.

"Thus, on an annual basis, national park visitors are subsidized by about $800 million," Hansen wrote.

"Certainly we cannot expect our national parks to pay their own way, but we can expect a better return from the parks and that our tax dollars are spent on only the most deserving of areas."

The 1980 Alaska Lands Act more than doubled the size of America's parklands by setting more than 23 million acres of land as national parks, preserves and monuments.

Last fall, the 103rd Congress created two new national parks and a national preserve in California. Death Valley National Park, upgraded from a monument, surpassed Yellowstone as the largest national park in the 48 contiguous United States.

In the Northwest, the National Park Service manages an eclectic mix of natural, historical and recreational lands. The best-known parts of its domain are mountain wildlands of Mount Rainier, North Cascades, Olympic and Crater Lake national parks. It also operates a network of national historic sites, campgrounds and recreation areas.

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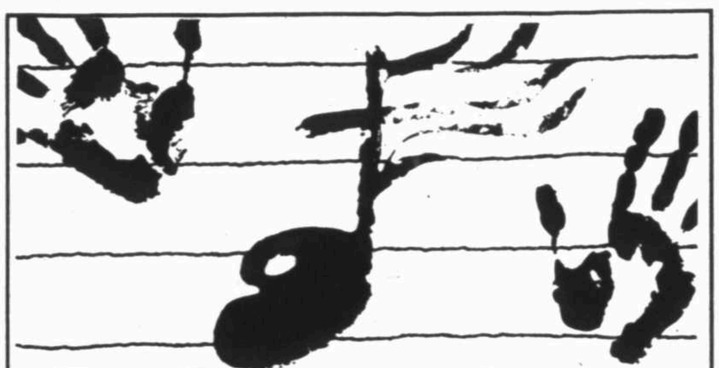

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DAY WATCH

Male fashion show

The Midland Hispanic Chamber of Commerce is to present "A Fiesta of Stars," an all-male fashion show beginning 6:30 p.m. Jan. 28 at Midland Center. Tickets are $25 a person; proceeds go toward the chamber's scholarship fund. Music for the event is to be presented by Southern Xplosion.

Alumni rehearsals

Lee High School's Alumni Choir is to begin rehearsals 7:30 p.m. Thursday at LHS' choir room. All alumni are invited to attend.

Locker room attack

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TODAY'S AGENDA

Listings for meetings of Alcoholics Anonymous, Alanon, Palmer Drug Abuse Program, Codependents Anonymous, Narcotics Anonymous and Adult Children of Alcoholics can now be heard on **CITYLINE.** Call **560-2400** and enter category **1860** for complete information.

Permian Basin Small Business Association, 7 a.m., 405 N. Marienfeld, third floor conference room.

Gamblers Anonymous, 4601 Neely Ave. Room 6, 7:30 p.m., 24-hour hotline 567-7916.

Midland Articulators Chapter of International Training in Communication, 4400 N. Big Spring St. 689-7875 or 682-8820.

Tall City Toastmasters Club, 11:30 a.m., Permian Basin Graduate Center, 688-3193 (Bob Clohessey).

Singles Group, First United Methodist Church, 6:30 p.m., parlor.

ARCO Articulators, 11:30 a.m., ARCO Building, 688-5760.

Uptown Chapter of Business & Professinal Women, luncheon program, Petroleum Club, 683-3000.

Midland Rape Crisis support for incest survivors, 11:30 a.m., call 682-7273 for confidential location.

Company D, 403rd MP BN, Company D, Texas State Guard 7:30 p.m. Texas National Guard Armory.

Midland Apartment Association, board of directors, noon, Clusters club room.

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

Midland Quilters Guild, 1 p.m., Golf Course Road Church of Christ, Room 100, 694-2604.

Midland Health & Welfare Association, noon, Salvation Army, 300 S. Baird St.

Downtown Lions Club, noon, Midland Center.

Midland Country Club Womens Golf Association, 9 a.m.

West Side Optimist Club, noon, Granada Club, Wall Street.

Eagles Permian Aerie #2982, 8 p.m., Brinson Lane.

Midland Genealogical Society Volunteers available 1-4 p.m., Midland County Library.

Daybreak Rotary Club, 7 a.m., Ranchland Hills Country Club, 683-3000.

SAA — Reflections, 560-5240. The meetings are closed.

Duplicate bridge, 7 p.m., Allison Bridge Center, 682-4461.

Officials tout Crime Stoppers' effectiveness

By Ed Todd
Staff Writer

Crime Stoppers' positive effects in its war on crime through arrests and convictions — which are initiated by anonymous telephone calls — have been hailed by Midland County Commissioners.

"Crime Stoppers International and Crime Stoppers of Midland, Inc., have greatly contributed to the well-being and quality of life enjoyed by much of the world, as well as by our community," according to the commissioners' resolution.

January is Crime Stoppers-awareness month.

Since its inception in 1984, Crime Stoppers of Midland has led to more than 1,500 arrests on cases ranging from homicides to illicit drug transactions.

Statewide during that 10-year period, Texas Crime Stoppers has solved more than 86,460 felony cases and has been responsible for more than 67,530 convictions. Internationally, Crime Stoppers — founded in 1981 — has been responsible for solving 430,000 criminal cases.

The conviction rate of crimes solved through Crime Stoppers is 97 percent.

"It has been real effective here," said Sgt. Terry Lowe of the Sheriff's Department, Crime Stoppers' coordinator.

"For the past three years, we have been awarded — from the governor's office — plaques for the most cases cleared" in Texas among communities in the 50,000-to-100,000 population range.

That range includes Odessa, San Angelo, Wichita Falls and Galveston.

Lowe credits Crime Stoppers' effectiveness to the anonymous telephone callers who contact the organization to report tips on crimes.

Area print and broadcast news organizations publicize Crime Stoppers' telephone number, 694-8477 (TIPS) in an effort to solve crimes and apprehend fugitives.

"The anonymous caller is protected by law," Lowe said.

Crime Stoppers acts as a clearing house of information on crimes and forwards that information to pertinent law-enforcement agencies — such as the Midland County Sheriff's Department, Midland Police Department, Texas Department of Public Safety and its Texas Rangers and narcotics agents, and the federal Drug Enforcement Administration, said Lowe, who coordinates between the Crime Stoppers' board of directors and law-enforcement agencies.

"Crime Stoppers is an outstanding organization," said Midland County Judge Jeff Norwood. "(It) provides a needed service to the community. The volunteers and the staff do a tremendous job. The organization is highly respected for its effectiveness."

Sheriff Gary Painter, who said Crime Stoppers gets involved in attacking "every phase of criminal activi-

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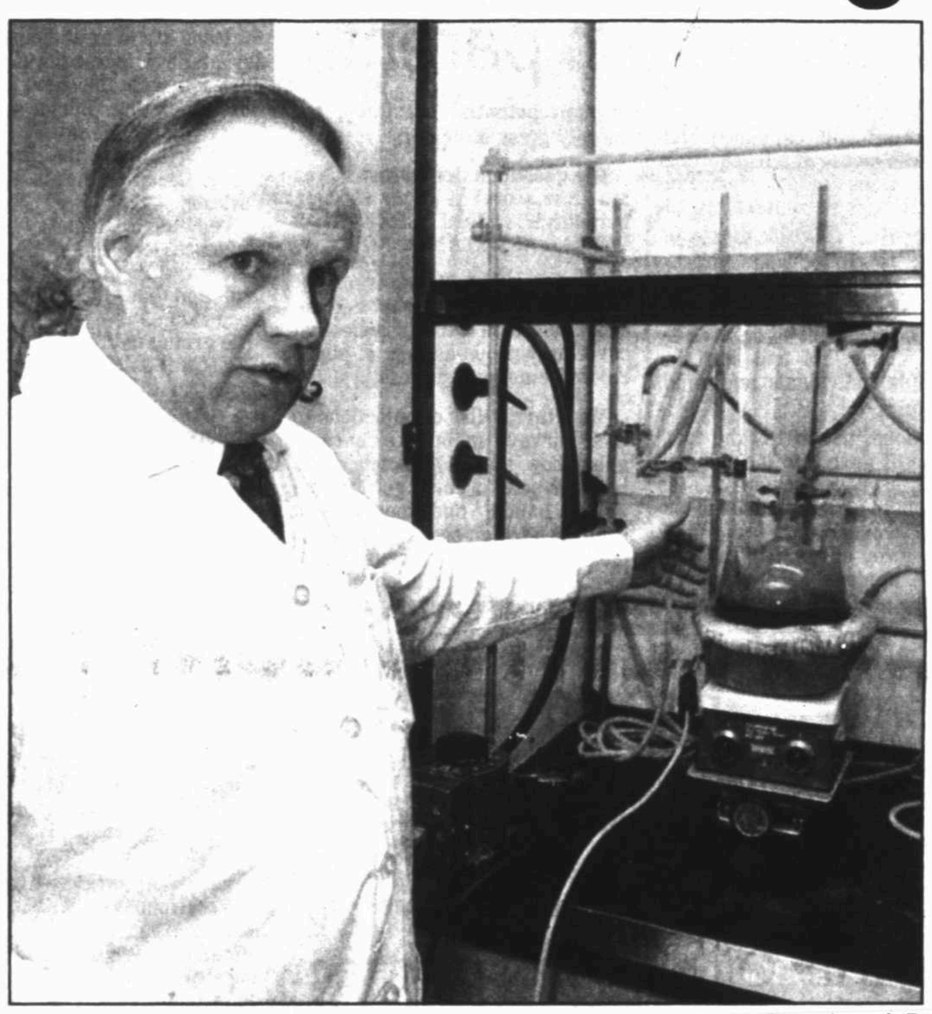
Professor receives $1 million in grants



■ Money to help refine process for chemically converting plant matter into liquid fuels.

By Gary Shanks
Staff Writer

ODESSA — Doomsayers predicting the end of the internal combustion engine might have a long wait because of a new process being perfected by a chemistry professor at the University of Texas of the Permian Basin.

On Tuesday, J. Michael Robinson, Ph.D., announced $1 million worth of grants to the university to help refine his patented process for chemically converting plant matter into liquid fuels.

The plant matter can be anything from wood chips and grass clippings to waste paper and seaweed to provide a renewable source for what is now only available from fossil sources, he said.

Robinson is an Ashbel Smith professor and chairman of the UTPB Department of Science and Mathematics.

The U.S. Department of Energy is supplying $910,000 for a three-year experiment to determine the cost-effectiveness of producing gasoline, diesel, oils and other petroleum-like products through Robinson's process.

"It kind of scares me in a way," Robinson said, jokingly. "We've got the grant and now we've got a lot of work to do," he said.

Another $75,000 grant comes from the National Renewable Energy Laboratories; $25,000 comes from the R.E. Welch Foundation of Houston.

The Welch Foundation has been supplying money to the project for eight years now and Robinson credits their contributions for allowing him to discover the process.

"It's been a good year," Robinson said. "It's nice to have support from several agencies," he said.

In addition, the DOE has supplied another $40,000 in equipment for the venture, he said.

In these days of reduced funding of scientific research, it is very unusual for universities to get grants of this magnitude, said Warren Gardner, vice-president of academic affairs for UTPB. Even for the university's large Austin campus, this would be a very large grant, he said.

During the grant process, DOE officials spoke with UTPB administrators to ascertain if the administration backed the chemistry professor's research project, which will require a lot of manpower from other

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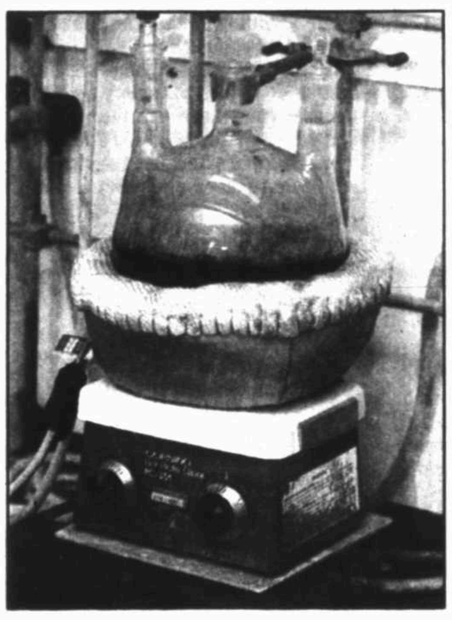

J. Michael Robinson, a chemistry professor at the University of Texas of the Permian Basin, shows one of the final reactions in his patented process for making petroleum-like fuels from waste materials. The fuels can be seen in a layer atop boiling water in the flask.

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Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram

Joan Earles, a member of the band booster club, outfits Midland High School band student Mark Vester for his new uniform for Tuesday's gubernatorial parade in Austin.

Midland County boasts 15 band, choir honorees

By Myra Lee Salcedo
Staff Writer

Midland band and choir performances were music to Judges' ears at the recent All-State Band and Choir competition. Of 31 area students awarded the All-State ranking, about half (15) came from Midland County alone.

Lee High School boasts 9 All-State Band members and 1 alternate, and 3 All-State Choir members. Midland and Greenwood high schools each had one student named to the All-State band. Odessa High School has four All-State honorees and Permian High School has two, as does Andrews High School.

"We are so proud of our kids," said LHS Band Director Randy Storie, who attributed their success to "lots of hard work and excellent private teachers."

Storie noted that the students managed to excel with All-State competition pieces even while preparing music for George W. Bush's

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Pilot loses power of his single-engine plane, lands safely at Midland airport

Staff Report

ECTOR COUNTY — A Midland man was not injured Tuesday after he was forced to land his aircraft when the engine stalled.

Department of Public Safety officials said Bart Bosdyk was bringing his Beechcraft single-engine aircraft into Midland International Airport about 7:35 a.m. Tuesday when he lost power. Bosdyk reportedly tried to switch power from the right wing tank — which was out of fuel — to the left wing tank, but failed. The engine stalled, forcing Bosdyk to land the aircraft about 14 miles west of Odessa.

DPS officials said the aircraft hit a sign as it landed, damaging the left wing.

The incident was the second in the area in two days involving problems with airplane engines.

An American Eagle had to return to the airport Monday shortly after its 7:05 a.m. takeoff because crew members had to shut off the plane's right engine, according to airline officials.

The Saab 340-B aircraft, headed for Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport, landed safely at about 7:25 a.m. Passengers were rerouted to other flights or rescheduled to later American Eagle flights, officials said.

The Saab 340 planes replaced ATR planes at the airport several weeks ago, due to a mandate issued Dec. 9 by the Federal Aviation Administration in the wake of a fatal crash of an American Eagle ATR on Oct. 31 in Indiana that was blamed on ice forming on the wings.

The FAA stated that ATR planes had to be grounded whenever icy conditions are present.

Mother, father, grandparents fight for custody of 2-year-old

AUSTIN (AP) — A 2-year-old girl is at the center of a custody battle spanning two continents.

Jasmine Chapman's father, 35-year-old Marcus Chapman of Austin, says she belongs with him. Her Scottish mother, Sarah Dodds, wants the girl to live with her in Scotland.

Ms. Dodds was arraigned Monday on a charge of interfering with a court order giving temporary custody of Jasmine to her paternal grandparents in East Texas.

"Jasmine is Scottish. It seems such a shame to leave her in a land that is not hers," Ms. Dodds, 30, said.

She admits taking her daughter to San Diego in November in violation of the custody order, the Austin American-Statesman reported Tuesday.

William Powers, a lawyer for Chapman's parents, said, "I think they (the grandparents) feel that Sarah Dodds was not able to provide a safe and stable environment for Jasmine."

Ms. Dodds and Chapman met more than two years ago as workers on an offshore oil drilling rig in the North Sea and began living together. Jasmine was born in an Aberdeen hospital in 1992.

Later, Ms. Dodds and Chapman moved to Austin, where their relationship began to deteriorate. Ms. Dodds left in 1993, taking Jasmine to England to live with Ms. Dodds' father.

But Chapman's parents, Jimmy and Lawilda Chapman of Woodville, initiated court action to gain custody of the child. A British court ordered Ms. Dodds to return Jasmine to Texas for custody hearings.

In November, state District Judge Jeanne Meurer in Austin awarded temporary custody of Jasmine to her Texas grandparents.

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faculty and staff, Gardner said.

This assurance was wholeheartedly given, Gardner said.

Not only is the project a matter of some prestige for the campus and the department, but UTPB President Charles Sorber has a history of supporting all the campus' researchers, Gardner said.

The process centers around the simple sugar molecule known as sorbitol, which is primarily composed of a ring of six carbon atoms.

Robinson has devised a process to chemically break down plant matter and transform its complex organic molecules into sorbitol molecules.

The second half of the process transforms the sorbitol molecules into simple chains of carbon atoms surrounded by hydrogen atoms — forming compounds known as hydrocarbons.

Members of the family of hydrocarbons include the mixtures of compounds commonly known as gasoline, kerosene, diesel and various heavier fuel oils.

The hydrocarbon fuels formed by Robinson's process, however, will be purer than those refined from petroleum, he said.

What the average person knows as gasoline is a mixture of 287 chemicals. Whereas, gasoline from Robinson's process will have about 12 and will be a more predictable mixture than gasoline made from petroluem. It will allow engines to be more highly tuned and will reduce the chance of vapor lock in hot weather, he said.

Changing the end product from a very light gasoline product to motor oil and all products in between is done simply by changing variables in the process, he said.

Robinson said his process is more efficient than the process of fermenting grain into alcohol, which loses a third of the grain's carbon in the form of carbon dioxide gas.

"This process is 100 percent carbon efficient," he said.

In addition, Robinson's process uses waste materials instead of more expensive products to produce fuel. And because it does not use irreplaceable fossil sources, the process could provide fuel for "as long as we have sunshine to grow trees and other biomass," he said.

Gasoline from Robinson's process has a minimum octane rating of 93 and a maximum of more than 120, he said.

Presently, it appears this process of making fuel will be slightly more expensive — per gallon of fuel produced — than is gasoline from petroleum refineries.

With petroleum being a limited resource, however, it is only a matter of time until the price for gasoline at the pump rises high enough to make full-scale commercial implementation of the process a lucrative endeavor, he explained.

Robinson and UTPB staff members will — over the course of three years — be determining exactly how economically fuels can be made with this process.

HONOR: Judges award 15 Midland County students

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gubernatorial inauguration.

The band director said LHS students have also been invited to perform in a clinic at the Texas Music Educators Convention Feb. 8-11 in San Antonio.

LHS has made achieving All-State status an annual tradition. "We have a lot of great players this year," Storie said. "We have had some students named to the All-State Band — the least number being 7 — in the past 15 years," the band director said.

Lee High School All-State Band honorees are Susan Robinson, flute; Lisa Oetting, B-flat clarinet; Jennifer Baer, B-flat clarinet; Cindy Fryer, alto clarinet; Tara Bidwell, contra-bass clarinet; Eric Blake, oboe; KyleSchwamkrug, trombone; Taylor Callaway, tenor saxophone; Wesley Korner, percussion; and Cindy Abshire, French horn, alternate. Midland High School All-State Band member is Jorge Montes, baritone.

Greenwood honoree is Amy Kendrick, horn.

All-State Choir members, all from LHS, are Elizabeth Conn, Soprano I; Kimberly Holleman, alto II; and Jeffrey Larson, tenor II.

Odessa High School All-State students are Wendy Dickman, piccolo; Ginger Wiscombe, flute; Carol Armendariz; and Victor Lujan, trombone. OHS student named to the All-State Choir was Jack Sigmon, bass II.

Permian High School All-State Band Students are Jessica Ochoa, and Brandon Sparks, tuba. PHS All-State Choir honorees are April Lollar, soprano II; James Franklin, tenor II; and Lance Stucks, bass II.

Other All-State Band members are Xochitl Talamantes, b-flat clarinet, Monahans High School; Danny Cadra, cornet, Andrews High School; and Daniel Miguel, tuba, AHS.

Other All-State Choir members are Donna Bates, alto I, AHS; Anna Castenada, tenor I, Big Spring High School, and James Mills, bass I, Fort Stockton High School.

School survey draws objections from parents

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — A survey asking high school students about sex, religion and their parents' drug and alcohol habits has some parents steamed over what they say is an invasion of privacy.

Home economics students at Churchill High School were given an eight-page survey last week called a "personal distress profile." Students filled out the questionnaire, tallied their scores and signed their names.

Some parents weren't pleased.

"They're sticking their nose where it doesn't belong," parent Nancy Harris said in Tuesday's San Antonio Express-News.

Another parent, who requested anonymity, became aware of the 78-question survey after her child sought help in pronouncing "tranquilizer," pointing to the question: "Do either of your parents take prescription medications for stress, such as tranquilizers?"

Asked the irate parent: "What right do they have to know if some mother is on Prozac?"

Other questions that upset the parent were:

"Are you currently, or have you been, sexually active?"

"Are you routinely involved in a religious or spiritual activity or group?"

Five points were scored for a "yes" answer to the religion question.

"Where's the separation of church and state?" the parent asked, adding, "What shocked me more was that counted against you."

The parent is seeking advice from the American Civil Liberties Union.

School officials explained Monday it was a case of a teacher mistakenly using school counseling material "out of context" in the classroom.

North East School District spokesman Victor Garcia said the survey was from an out-of-use reference book meant to be used by trained counselors and staff for counseling individuals and small groups.

"A teacher not part of the counseling staff gave it to the students for their own self-review. It was not meant to be returned to the teacher," Garcia said.

The survey offers help in translating a student's score and explains the profile is not a scientific method for examining stress or burnout potential or status, but merely gives indicators.

The questionnaire warns: "Over 320 (test score) — Your risk for burnout is critical. SEEK INDIVIDUAL ASSISTANCE NOW."

Garcia said stress management is included in the school's home economics food course, an elective covering various aspects of physical and emotional fitness.

Ms. Harris' list of objections to the survey included concerns about how the information would be used, fear it could get into the wrong hands, bad messages it could send high-scoring students, lack of follow-up by qualified personnel, possible violation of civil rights and exclusion of parental input.

School district investigates locker-room attack

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — The beating of a Madison High School freshman may have resulted from a dispute rather than a hazing ritual, school district officials say.

But whatever the motivation, the consequences for those involved in the locker room attack on Cleofas Soto IV could be severe, said North East School District superintendent Richard Middleton.

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"What is becoming apparent is that we may not have a case of hazing but rather some other situation," Middleton said in Tuesday's San Antonio Express-News.

"If that's the case we still have a serious situation. Now the question is whether this was an all-out organized assault by one or other individuals against him or whether this is a dispute between two individuals," the superintendent said.

Students who are found to have taken part in the attack on Soto face suspension or expulsion regardless of what may have motivated them, Middleton said.

But whether the incident was part of a hazing ritual will play a large role in any possible decision to fire any school employees, Middleton said.

Fifteen students were interviewed Monday by school authorities and additional interviews were scheduled Tuesday. It has not been revealed whether any Madison employees were aware of the incident.

"It would not be fair to say that until that was totally verified. This is a very, very important point," Middleton said.

The superintendent commended Madison High School principal Ruben Whitney and football coach Jim Streety for their roles in the ongoing investigation.

AWARE: Officials tout program

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ty that you can imagine," said he and his department "believe in Crime Stoppers 100 percent.

"It is extremely effective. It is something I don't know how we ever did without," he said. "It involves citizens in taking care of their own community."

Like Lowe, Painter said citizens who are aware of crimes "call Crime Stoppers so that they can remain anonymous.

"That has been a very special feature of Crime Stoppers and its success. And there are many citizens who will get involved and call Crime Stoppers because they know they can remain anonymous and not have fear of retaliations," he said.

FIGHT: 2-year-old is center of battle

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Ms. Dodds told the newspaper that during a custody visit on Thanksgiving Day, she took Jasmine and flew to San Diego in violation of the custody order.

"I could tell Jasmine was depressed. She kept saying, 'Sorry, mommy,' and she seemed to blame herself. I said, 'That's it. I'm not going to see this child destroyed,'" Ms. Dodds said.

Ms. Dodds said she and the girl stayed in several hotels until San Diego police arrested her Dec. 19. The Chapmans took Jasmine back to their home, and Ms. Dodds was jailed. She planned to ask for a reduction in her $100,000 bond so she could get out of jail.

"I want custody of Jasmine. If I can't get that, then I want my mother to have custody," Ms. Dodds said.

Marcus Chapman also is seeking custody of the child. If he does not win custody, he and his parents want Jasmine to stay with Jimmy and Lawilda Chapman, Powers said.

If convicted of interfering with custody of a child, Ms. Dodds faces up to two years in jail and a maximum fine of $10,000.

POLICE REPORTS

Monday

Theft: Bruce Hoover reported the spare tires were taken off a company truck at 709 Dellwood St. It was reported at 6:07 p.m.

Tuesday

Robbery: The 7-Eleven convenience store, 4601 N. A St., reported a subject entered the store and took an undetermined amount of cash and cigarettes. It was reported at 4:17 a.m. The subject was described as a Hispanic male with a mustache, stocky build, wearing a black, hooded sweatshirt. No weapon was displayed.

Anyone having information concerning these incidents should contact the Police Department at 685-7108 or Crime Stoppers at 694-TIPS.

DEATHS

Nina Yater

STANTON — Services for Nina Gertrude Yater, 96, of Stanton are to be at 10 a.m. Friday at First Baptist Church in Stanton with the Rev. J.B. Shewmake officiating. Burial will follow at Evergreen Cemetery in Stanton under the direction of Gilbreath Funeral Home.

Mrs. Yater died Tuesday at a Stanton hospital.

She was born Oct. 16, 1898, in Scurry County. She moved to Stanton from Westbrook 74 years ago.

She married John Milton Yater Jr. on Aug. 17, 1919, in Colorado City.

She was a member of First Baptist Church in Stanton. She was a homemaker.

She was preceded in death by her husband, John Yater, on Jan. 16, 1973.

Survivors include three sons, J.M. Yater III, Travis M. Yater and Carrol D. Yater, all of Stanton; thre sisters, Myrtle Stewart of Stanton, Opal Blocker and Bess Blocker of Hobbs, N.M.; two brothers, Irvin Myrick and Roland Myrick, both of Stanton; seven grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to Evergreen Cemetery, Box 1087, Stanton, 79782, or Martin County Historical Museum, Box 929, Stanton, 79782.

John Reed

BURLESON — Services for former Midlander John E. Reed of Burleson are to be at 2 p.m. Thursday at First Methodist Church in Burleson with the Rev. J. Allen Goss officiating. Burial will be in Laurel Land Memorial Park in Fort Worth under the direction of Laurel Land Funeral Home of Burleson.

Reed died Monday at his residence.

He was born July 8, 1946, in Midland and had lived in Burleson since 1973.

He graduated from the University of Texas at Arlington. He served in the U.S. Army during the Vietnam War. He was a technical buyer for EBT Inc.

He was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Burleson.

Survivors include his wife, Gloria Reed of Burleson; two sons, James Reed and Jason Reed, both of Burleson; his parents, James and Sarah Reed of Midland; a brother, Howard Reed of Midland; a sister, Jackie Rainey of Midland; four nieces and five nephews.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society or to St. Joseph Hospice in Fort Worth.

Mary Gibbons

Graveside services for Mary Patton Gibbons of Midland are to be at 2 p.m. Thursday in Whitt Cemetery in Whitt with Lloyd Morrow officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Gibbons died Sunday at her residence.

She was born Feb. 21, 1924, in Whitt and was reared and educated in Waco. She attended business college in Amarillo.

She married Alfred M. Gibbons in September 1947 in Amarillo.

She moved to Midland in November 1991.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Alfred Gibbons, in November 1991; a son, Tom DeWayne Gibbons, in 1993; and a brother, Elza Patton, in 1993.

Survivors include a son, David Gibbons in Dallas; three brothers, Carney Patton of Pauls Valley, Okla., J.D. Patton of Tucson, Ariz., and Charlie Patton of Thatcher, Ariz.; four sisters, Maudie Miller of Amarillo, Loretta Layton of Safford, Ariz., Lettie Minear of Denton, and Goldie Glascock of Midland; five grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Edwardo Tucker

ODESSA — Services for Edwardo S. Tucker of Odessa are to be at 10 a.m. Thursday at St. Joseph Catholic Church. Burial will be in Rosehill Cemetery under the direction of Martinez Funeral Home.

Tucker died Monday at an Odessa hospital.

He was born Feb. 10, 1918, in Terlingua. He moved to Odessa 12 years ago from Alpine.

He married Felisitas Lara Luna in 1945. He retired from the Texas Highway Department in December 1982.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, Carol Bara.

Survivors include his wife, Felisitas Tucker of Odessa; five sons, Eddie Tucker Jr. and Albino Tucker Bara, both of Midland, Alfredo Tucker of Superior, Ariz., Sammy Tucker and James Bentley Tucker, both of Odessa; six daughters, Enriqueta Acosta and Wanda Arredondo, both of Odessa, Adelaida Madrid of Haines, Fla., Betty Tucker of Midland, Rhonda Bara of Superior, Ariz., and Arlene Swinney of Mesa, Ariz.; a brother, George Tucker of Midland; and a sister, Catalina Chavaria of Alpine.

Lorraine Dimney

Services for Lorraine "Rene" Dimney of Midland are to be at 1 p.m. today at St. Stephen's Catholic Church with the Rev. John Waldron officiating. Burial will follow at Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Dimney died Sunday at her residence.

Pallbearers are to be Bill Chandler, Elmo Weyel, Coke Tilley, Earl Masdon, John "Bill" Lupardus and Charles Herring.

Honorary pallbearers are to be Don Sparks, William Beach, Byron Tuck, Dr. Gregory Bartha and Dan Bailey.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Midland, P.O. Box 2621, Midland, 79702.

Kevin Burkett

SNYDER — Services for Kevin Burkett, 27, of Midland were Tuesday at First Baptist Church with the Rev. Miller Robinson officiating. Burial was in Snyder Cemetery under the direction of Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home.

Burkett died Saturday at a Waco hospital.

He was born oct. 15, 1967, in Odessa.

Survivors include his parents, David and Karen Burkett of Midland; a sister, Kami Scheller of Waco; and his grandparents, Kenith and Sarah McGraw of Midland.

Josephine Hewtty

STANTON — Services for Josephine Hewtty, 40, of Tarzan are pending with Gilbreath Funeral Home in Stanton.

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Texas Legislature opens '95 session

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas lawmakers opened their 1995 session Tuesday with the re-election of House Speaker Pete Laney, who promised hearings on ways to televise future sessions so all Texans could watch.

Laney, D-Hale Center, also vowed that the Texas Legislature will outperform Congress, which saw dozens of Democratic incumbents lose their jobs in the 1994 general election.

"We have done a better job here in Austin. And we will continue to do it better," said Laney, a veteran lawmaker who touted "non-partisan action rather than partisan gridlock."

While Laney was unanimously chosen by House lawmakers to lead them for a second term, the Senate convened across the newly renovated Capitol under Democratic Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock.

Sen. Carlos Truan, D-Corpus Christi, became the first Hispanic to assume the role of Senate dean by virtue of his 19 years in the chamber. The dean, the senior senator, handles procedural motions and other administrative matters before the Senate.

Sen. Gonzalo Barrientos, D-Austin, was elected Senate president pro tem, making him third in line of succession to the governor.

Outgoing Democratic Gov. Ann Richards visited both chambers for the opening-day ceremonies in House and Senate chambers packed with the families and friends of lawmakers being sworn in.

Both Bullock and Laney stressed bipartisanship as they prepare for Republican Gov.-elect George W. Bush to take office next week.

"There is a can-do attitude in the air, in all of government right now," Bullock said. "There is a spirit of cooperation and congeniality. It's more than I have ever seen before."

Laney said that in the House, "I see no Democrats, no Republicans. I see 150 representatives of the people of Texas."

According to Laney's office, the 21-member freshman class in the 150-member House is the smallest ever. The 31-member Senate has five new members. Republicans gained one seat in each chamber, which remain majority Democratic.

In a fresh innovation announced earlier by Bullock and Laney, Texans now can use their personal computers to track legislation.

Laney said he also wants hearings on ways to broadcast future House sessions "so that all Texans can watch the proceedings and committee hearings of the House."

"I want the people of Texas to be a part of this process more than ever before," Laney said. "Believing in democracy means believing the people are going to be right more often than they are going to be wrong."

Laney noted that lawmakers have 139 more days to tackle the tough issues, such as a vow to write a government budget without new taxes; education reform; the possibility that the Texas Supreme Court will for a fourth time require public school finance reform; and criminal justice.

Regarding juvenile crime, Laney drew applause when he said, "Maybe we should hold some parents responsible for the action of their kids."

Later, the speaker told reporters he didn't have specific legislation in mind.

But he said there currently are laws on the books to hold parents monetarily responsible for property damage by their children, and that perhaps more enforcement is needed.

Laney was lauded by Republican and Democratic lawmakers for House rule changes during his first term that were aimed at promoting a fair and open process.

He said his goal remains to "remove obstacles that prevent anyone from contributing their ideas and their talents."

Proposed budget gives boost to education

AUSTIN (AP) — The Legislature's chief budget writers Tuesday unveiled a $77.7 billion spending plan, calling it good news for taxpayers and education.

Sen. John Montford and Rep. Rob Junell said the new budget would make education the state's top priority for new money and increase education spending by about $2 billion.

"This budget puts the emphasis where it rightfully belongs — on our children's futures," said Montford, D-Lubbock, who chairs the Senate Finance Committee.

Montford said the proposal, to be the starting point for the House and Senate to draft a final 1996-97 budget, recommends about a $1 billion boost in state spending on prisons and public safety.

It would allot an additional $800 million to increased nursing home and Medicaid caseloads, and about $800 million would go to settle up payments lawmakers deferred in the past.

Junell, D-San Angelo, chairs the House Appropriations Committee. He said the proposal includes a state government hiring freeze and a number of cost-cutting recommendations from state Comptroller John Sharp.

In keeping with the promises of Gov.-elect George W. Bush, Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock and House Speaker Pete Laney, D-Hale Center, the $77.7 billion budget would require no additional taxes, the lawmakers said.

"I think taxpayers are going to be happy, because there's not going to be an increase in tax. I think some people in the bureaucracy are going to be unhappy because we're making government more efficient. We're going to have better government for less money," Junell said.

Montford said the budget isn't lavish but would balance and cover critical needs.

"I rarely get a request for less money. I certainly haven't had any requests to raise taxes. So we're going to make it work," Montford said.

The proposal is up about 4.1 percent from the current spending estimates of about $74.6 billion.

According to the Legislative Budget Board, $44.2 billion of the 1996-97 total will come from the state's general revenue fund, which includes the sales and corporate franchise taxes. Another $23.1 billion is from the federal government. The remaining $10.4 billion from other sources.

The proposal calls for the state to boost spending on public schools by nearly $2 billion, which would include $170 million to help school districts with construction needs.

Recommended state spending on public safety would rise by about $1 billion, with nearly three-fourths of that needed to open and operate 78,000 new state prison beds. Another $100 million would go for construction of 1,024 new beds for juvenile offenders.

Montford and Junell said the plan will provide an increase in benefits to many retired teachers. For teachers who retired in the 1960s, benefits will jump from $500 to more than $1,000 per month, Junell said.

"This is some that we're quite pleased with. We think it's something that's long overdue for retired teachers," Junell said.

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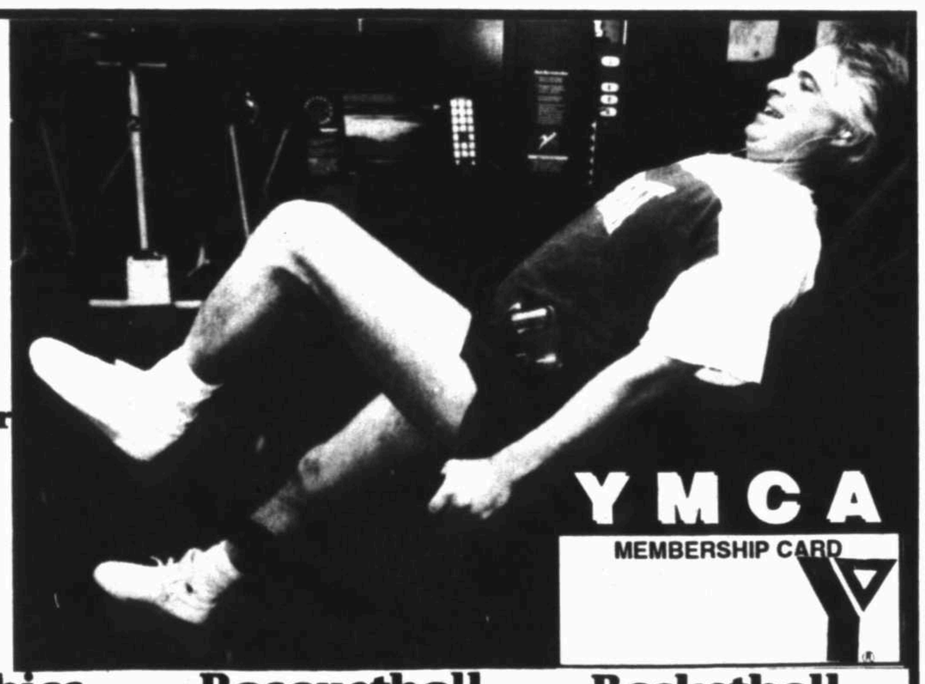

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Family illustrates, echoes tragedy of Chechnya in miniature

By Steven Erlanger
N.Y. Times News Service

KHAMBI-IRZI, Russia — On New Year's Eve, when the Russians made their first vain attempt to storm Grozny, Usman Magomadov, 25, took his father's shift at the family's grain warehouse in the Chechen capital.

It was badly hit in the Russian bombing, and he drove the 15 miles to the family home here through the shelling and strafing to tell his father.

The patriarch of the family, Akhmed Magomadov, 56, insisted on seeing the damage for himself. He and Usman, the youngest of his three sons, left in a dark red Lada and never returned.

Just as the grandfather of the family disappeared under Stalin's rule and was presumed executed, two more Magomadovs have disappeared in this latest clash with Russian power.

In the family, writ small, there is the whole Chechen tragedy, of a proud, fiery and troublesome people who, as Akhmed Magomadov's eldest son, Mogamed, says, "always seem to be in Moscow's way."

Akhmed Magomadov was deported to northern Kazakhstan with nearly the entire Chechen people in 1944, spending 13 years in internal exile. Usman served in Central Asia with the same Russian army that is now destroying Grozny.

The family — two remaining sons and six daughters, plus other members of the clan — is doing all it can to find the two men. But there is no word, no destroyed dark red Lada on the road and no information from the Russian interior ministry troops, who are said to be arresting young Chechen men in Grozny and detaining them outside the city, where they cannot join the grinding urban warfare that this struggle has become.

Most of the Magomadovs, including the ones who live and work in Moscow, have gathered here in this village of 8,000 or so, where people estimate population by the number of family courtyards and the smoke from Grozny's burning houses and offices is a steady, rising plume in the middle distance.

The lowing of cattle in the muddy field behind the large house that Akhmed Magomadov built is broken by the steady chopping whir of Russian helicopters and whine of military jets.

"You become expert in strange things," says Jambul Israilov, Akhmed Magomadov's nephew. "It's an SU-25," he said, as one Russian jet passed over. "The MIGs have more of a whistling sound."

The children learn fastest, he said. "The kids learn to sleep with their heads under the pillow against the planes."

Some family members thought the father and son might have taken refuge in properties the family owned in Grozny.

Israilov managed to get near enough to the house on Thursday to see that it was still standing, though all the windows were blown out.

"But on the corner was a tank and an armored personnel carrier," he said, "and I couldn't get closer."

He waited, he said, to see if his uncle and cousin were there. "Unfortunately, they were not," he said, wiping a broad hand across his face to try to hide his expression before staring out the window at the steady plume of smoke from Grozny.

The warehouse is on the Karpinski mound, the heights in western Grozny that overlook the central square, and which are now occupied by Russian rocket launchers, tanks and artillery pieces that are shelling the presidential palace.

While the men discuss what they will do, the women stay out of sight in this family that is so rigidly traditional that younger men will not sit in the presence of an older man.

The two eldest sons, Mogamed, 32, and Ibrahim, 28, are back from their banking careers in Moscow for the family crisis.

Mogamed, an accountant, worked for the tax authorities in Chechnya for a time. He said that bribe-taking was enforced from above, from the government of the Chechen leader, Dzhokhar Dudayev.

'We won't leave our family's blood unavenged. We will find someone responsible. We cannot shed innocent blood, but those who come here with weapons are on our list.'

— Mogamed Magomadov

"When Dudayev came, you had to get a good bribe and pay your bosses," he said. "Almost nothing went to the state. It was the only way to keep your job."

So he left and went into business for himself, first at an oil transport company, then at a bank. The opportunities are many, the two men say.

"Here money lies on the road," Mogamed said. Many Chechens make good incomes from cheating the state, he said, describing a scheme to buy outdated savings bank checks for half their value in Grozny and then cash them at small banks in Russia that had not yet been informed that the checks were invalid, paying the banks a 10 percent commission.

Except the state? "Well, the state has always deceived us," he said.

It is this legendary joyful cunning that ordinary Russians admire and fear in the Chechens and other groups in the Caucasus region.

And Dudayev's government has taken the cleverness to illegal extremes, the Russians say, by stealing oil from the pipeline moving through Chechnya and selling it, defrauding banks, counterfeiting rubles and selling drugs and arms.

Mogamed Magomadov and the rest of his family are not admirers of Dudayev, and in fact despise him for all the trouble and destruction he and the Russian president, Boris Yeltsin, have managed to bring down on Chechen heads.

"Really, the Chechens are very divided," Israilov said. "No one unites around Dudayev. The nation united around itself, against the outside enemy." He paused, then added: "There has never been a man we could believe in except Mohammed. If we didn't stick to Islam, we couldn't survive."

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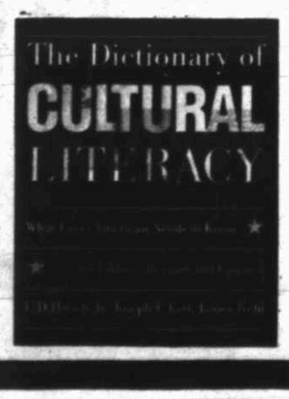

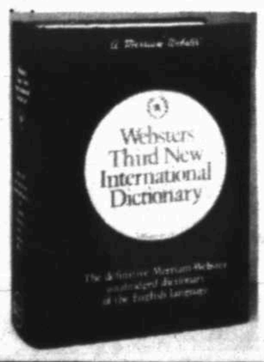

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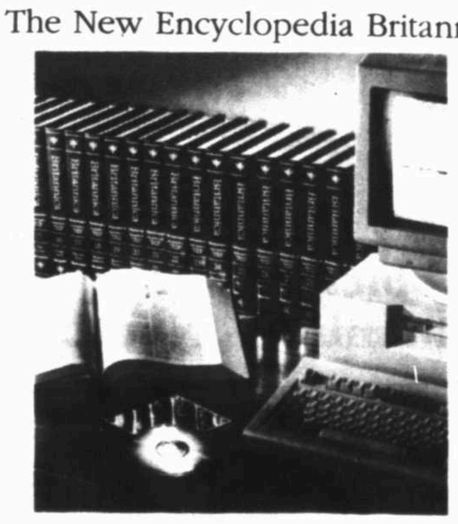

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A different Richard Daley reigns in Chicago

By Mike Robinson
Associated Press

CHICAGO — His name is Richard Daley and he's mayor of Chicago. But unlike his father, he's not The Boss.

As he runs for a second full term, the new Mayor Daley relies on television ads rather than the army of precinct captains that gave his father undisputed power. While the elder Daley railed against the news media and ordered police to shoot rioters, his son can be plodding and bland.

One local newspaper columnist even compares the mayor to Forrest Gump.

"His chief accomplishment in office," says political consultant Don Rose, "is simply to be Daley."

Yet Daley, 52, is a good bet to win another four years in City Hall, though he faces vigorous challenges both in the Feb. 28 Democratic primary and the April 4 general election.

Daley's secret? He has adapted to the changed political landscape of a city far different than the one in which his father came to power 40 years ago.

Gone is most of the patronage power that helped the first Mayor Daley cement the allegiance of neighborhood political bosses by providing — or withholding — government jobs for friends, relatives and political cronies.

Gone, too, are many of the white, blue-collar voters for whom the elder Daley's plain-spoken, law-and-order style and his promise of a city that works was inducement enough to punch a straight Democratic ticket.

In their place are growing, politically active minority communities (more than half of city residents are black, Hispanic or Asian-American), and increasing numbers of affluent professionals unlikely to be swayed by the election-eve sales pitch of a Democratic precinct captain bearing the gift of an extra garbage can. (Daley himself moved last year from his father's Irish immigrant neighborhood to a yuppie enclave of townhouses with mid-six-figures price tags.)

Racial division, however, is a constant in Chicago politics. Daley's black critics, many of them nostalgic for the reign a decade ago of Harold Washington, the city's first black mayor, say Daley has done little to erase a legacy of bleak housing projects, rampant crime and a school dropout rate topping 40 percent.

"Daley had his political plantation and it's no different with young Daley," says black community activist Lu Palmer. "There certainly is not a Machine as we once knew it, not the kind of Machine that Daley Senior had, but in my view, there remains a machine more subtle, less visible."

Both of Daley's principal opponents this year are black. Joseph Gardner, a former Washington aide who now is a local sewer commissioner, is challenging Daley in the Democratic primary. Gardner hopes to mobilize the coalition of blacks and reform-minded whites that powered Washington's mayoral victories.

Former state Attorney General Roland Burris, the first black elected to major statewide office in Illinois, is a Democrat running against Daley as an independent in the general election. He had hoped to run as a Democrat, but is avoiding a head-on clash with Gardner that would risk splitting the black vote. All the same, Burris is expected to be the stronger of the two challengers.

Male smokers face impotency risk, study says

N.Y. Times News Service

Men who smoke cigarettes are 50 percent more likely than nonsmokers to become impotent before the age of 50, according to a newly published survey of nearly 4,500 American veterans of the Vietnam War.

Among men who were smokers at the time of the telephone interview survey in 1985 and 1986, 3.7 percent reported being impotent, whereas only 2.2 percent of those who never smoked and 2 percent of former smokers said they were impotent. The researchers, headed by Dr. David M. Mannino of the National Center for Environmental Health in Atlanta, reported in a recent issue of The American Journal of Epidemiology that after they had adjusted their data for other factors that could cause impotence, they found that "current smokers had 50 percent more reported impotence than nonsmokers." The researchers took into account potential influences on sexual potency like alcohol and drug abuse, hormonal factors, psychiatric illness, blood vessel disease and marital status.

The survey revealed no link between the incidence of impotence and the number of years the men had smoked or the number of cigarettes they smoked each day. This suggests that smoking per se has an immediate deleterious effect on potency, prompting the researchers to suggest that men who seek assistance for sexual dysfunction be questioned about their smoking behavior.

"This association between smoking and impotence should provide clinicians with yet another opportunity to encourage patients, especially men with impotence, to stop smoking," the researchers concluded.

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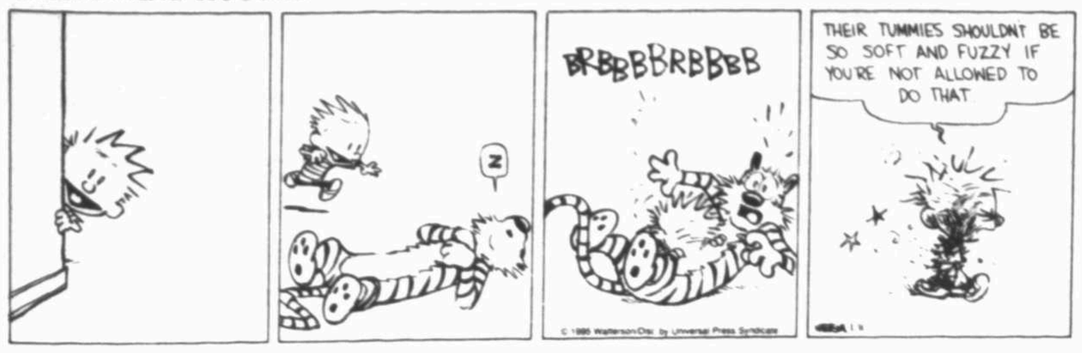

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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 11, 1995

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: A project begun last month could bear fruit soon. You enter a period of self-discovery. All types of partnerships enjoy favorable influences this year. Together, you and a loyal ally can overcome almost any odds. September will bring new financial stability. Plan a romantic winter getaway.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: singer Naomi Judd, "Hart to Hart" actor Lionel Stander, basketball player Darryl Dawkins, Olympic swimmer Tracy Caulkins.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Do not change your methods unless you are certain that new ones will work better. Further study is needed. Be careful not to forget your ideals in a mad dash for material gain. Guard your reputation.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Be wary of those who offer something for nothing. They could have a secret financial angle. Shun methods that have not yet been tested. Romance could turn into a guessing game tonight. Go slowly.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Your obvious intelligence impresses influential people. Higher-ups appreciate your sensible, down-to-earth approach to business. Perhaps you can come up with a new game plan. Be constant and moderate in your tastes.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Look for a place where you can work without fear of interruption. Continue to keep a close watch on where your money is going. Your personality is as big an asset as your creative talents!

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Do not ignore the suggestions of your companions; they could save you money. Resist the urge to splurge on something you cannot afford. Seek satisfaction elsewhere. Group endeavors enjoy favorable influences. Join your friends.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Allies are eager to follow your lead; set them an excellent example. The value of a longtime friendship cannot be overestimated. Be cautious about taking your co-workers' well-intentioned advice; they could be wrong.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Buckle down to work. Swifter career progress is possible. Iron out any differences over how the household should be run. Otherwise, frequent spate will disrupt domestic harmony. An intimate relationship needs nurturing. Be attentive.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Keep up your valiant efforts even if obstacles spring up in your path. Circumstances beyond your control may put someone else in the driver's seat. Be patient. Your turn will come. Pursue romance after hours.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Curb a tendency to behave unconventionally. You cannot afford to take risks with your professional reputation. Put family interests ahead of your personal desires. Loved ones are counting on you to do the right thing.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Turn out better-than-average work now and higher-ups will be impressed. Your many kindnesses to close friends and family members will bring tangible rewards. Carefully study all housing and real estate opportunities.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Throw a veil over your business operations to prevent others from interfering. Financial gains can be made if you contact top people directly. Romance moves into the spotlight this evening. Show your sentimental side.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Work hand-in-glove with those who share your views. Key alliances are important for financial success. Do not permit any confrontations that could harm a vital business or personal relationship. Soft-pedal minor disagreements.

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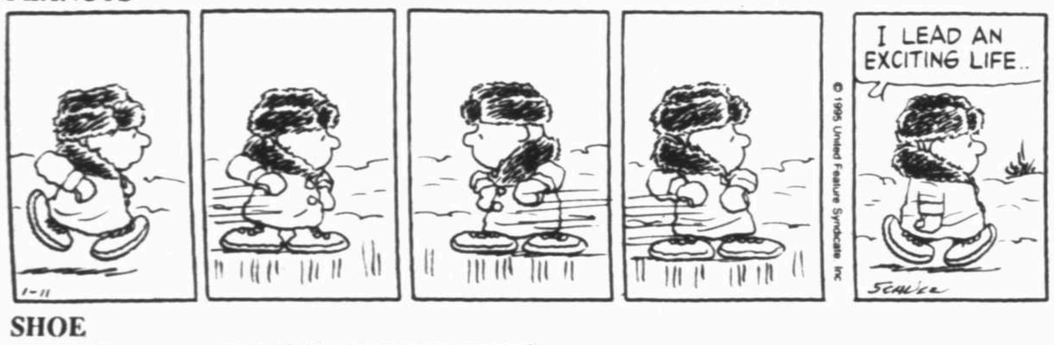

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East-West vulnerable. South deals.

NORTH
♠ J 8 2
♡ K 10 9
◇ Q 8
♣ K Q J 4 3

WEST
♠ 9
♡ Q J 7 6 4 2
◇ J 10 9 7 6 2
♣ Void

EAST
♠ 6 5
♡ 8 5
◇ A 5 4 3
♣ 9 8 6 5 2

SOUTH
♠ A K Q 10 7 4 3
♡ A 3
◇ K
♣ A 10 7

The bidding:

SOUTH	WEST	NORTH	EAST
2♣	2♡	3♣	Pass
3♠	Pass	4♡	Pass
4NT	Pass	5♣	Pass
6♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: Nine of ◇

Lead-directing doubles are a fact of life. Once in a while, though, they allow your opponents to wriggle out to a spot where they cannot be touched. This hand is from a match between the United States and Pakistan.

The auction shown is from the room where Pakistan sat North-South. North's cue-bid of four hearts showed a control in that suit and agreed spades as trumps, and North-South settled in the small slam when Blackwood revealed that an ace was missing.

West elected to lead the nine of diamonds in an effort to convey a distinct lack of interest in that suit. East won the ace and had no trouble finding the club shift. West's ruff resulted in a one-trick set.

In the other room the United States, too, were in six spades for a brief moment. Here, however, as a result of a special control-showing response to South's two-club opening bid, North was to declare. As a result, West doubled for a club lead. North-South had a gadget for just such a situation. South redoubled to show doubt about the contract, and North judged well to correct to six no trump.

That became the final contract. Declarer had an anxious moment when East chose the ace of diamonds as the opening lead but, when the king appeared in dummy, all was well.

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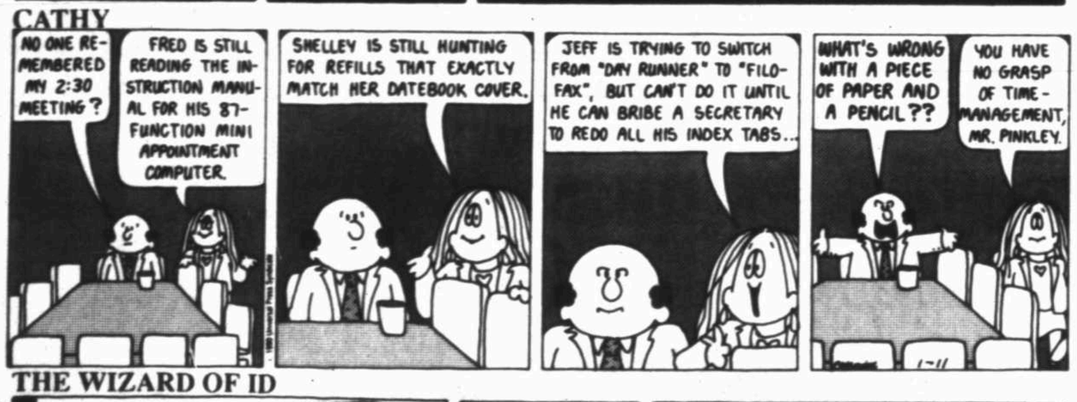

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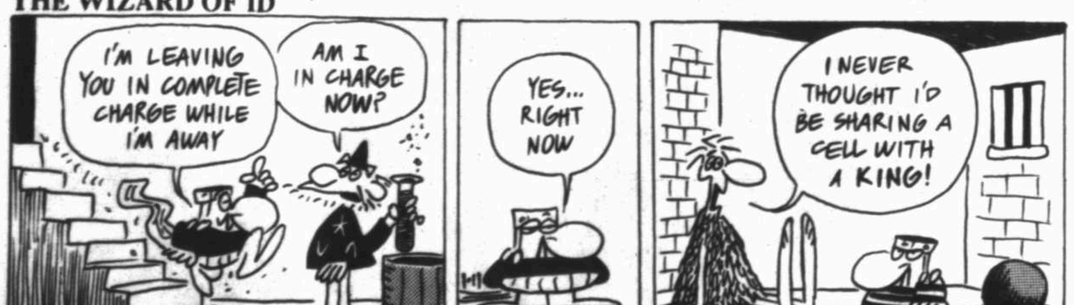

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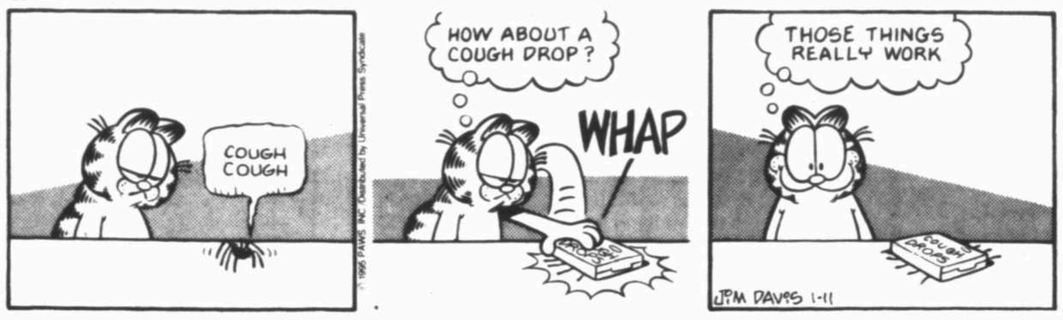

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TODAY'S TV SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY PRIME TIME — January 11, 1995 — For complete information check movie listings.

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(3) KMID	2	3	News 661	Wheel of Fortune	Sister, Sister 7968	All-American Girl	Roseanne 9256		Ellen 1091	PrimeTime Live 5527	News 66121	Cheers 82169	Roseanne 4546	Nightline 47633
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(8) KWES	9	9	News 8053	Coach 2633	The Cosby Mysteries 45188		Dateline NBC 21508		Law & Order: Guardian 34072		News 7301492	The Tonight Show (10:35) 6156072		Paid Programming
(12) KMLM	42	12	Prime Time Praise 626492			C.A. Dollar	M. Murillo	Van Impe	Praise the Lord 80879				J. Savelle	Duplantis
(13) KOCV	36	13	MacNeil/Lehrer NewsHour 802411		Scientific American Frontiers 550411		What Can We Do About Violence? A Bill Moyers Special (Part 2 of 2) 570275				To Be Announced 847459			
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(3) CNBC		8	Mutual Fund	Money Tonight	Cal Thomas	Equal Time	Rivera Live 4183169		Charles Grodin 4196633		Real Personal	Equal Time	Rivera Live 2685121	
(10) WGN		10	Love Connection	The Jeffersons	Wayans Brothers	Unhappily Ever ...	Muscle 557985		News: Sanders, Payne 537121		Night Court	Simon & Simon 821492		Torn Curtain
(11) WTBS		11	Who's the Boss?	Who's the Boss?	Kung Fu: The Movie ('86) ** (David Carradine, Martin Landau) 338411				Walking Tall (R, '73) ** (Joe Don Baker, Elizabeth Hartman) 8013985					Movie (11:20)
(18) BRAV		18	Leningrad ... (5:30)		Brideshead Revisited		South Bank Show		Max Headroom 540695		That Kind of Woman ('59) *** 831459			
(20) BET		20	Happen.	Out All ...	Roc	Comicview	Video Soul				Roc	Jazz Central		
(23) FAM		23	The Waltons: The Premonition 611121		Evening Shade	Evening Shade	Rescue 911 254850		The 700 Club 274614		Father Dowling Mysteries 277701		Black Stallion	Big Brother Jake
(30) CNN		35	Moneyline	Crossfire	PrimeNews	Route '95	Larry King Live		World News		Sports	Moneyline	Newsnight	Showbiz
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(37) USA		37	Wings 392459	Wings 376411	Murder, She Wrote 734411		Cocktail (R, '88) ** (Tom Cruise, Bryan Brown) 754276				Super Dave	Wings 368527	Quantum Leap (Part 1 of 2) 332237	
(39) FX		38	Hart to Hart 2053850		Scrutiny	Home ...	Dynasty 9193072		In Color	In Color	Sound fX 9183695		Batman	Back Chat
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(51) COM		51	Soap 2427091	Kids in the Hall	Speed Zone! (PG, '89) + (John Candy, Donna Dixon) 7730256				Politically Incorrect	Whose Line Is It?	Kids in the Hall	Best Sat. Night	Monty Python	Kids in the Hall
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(16) TNN		16	Skyline	C'try News	Celebrity Shoot		Music City Tonight 253817			Club Dance 357053	C'try News		Celebrity Shoot	
(17) TNT		17	In the Heat of the Night		Sorcerer (PG, '77) *** (Roy Scheider, Bruno Cremer) 86666966				To Live and Die in L.A. (9:35) (R, '85) ** (William L. Petersen,					
(21) TMC		21	Mermaids (5:55) (PG-13, '90) ** (Cher, Winona Ryder) 4080061				For Love or Money (PG, '93) ** (Michael J. Fox, Gabrielle Anwar) 8995578				Manhattan Murder Mystery (9:50) (PG, '93) *** (Woody Allen, Diane Keaton) 2563891			
(22) MAX		22	Hog Wild (9:30) (PG, '80) + 533666		La Scorta ('93) *** (Claudio Amendola, Enrico Lo Verso) 970411				Enemy Gold (R, '94) + (Bruce Penhall, Mark Barriere) 8414661		Demolition Man (10:35) (R, '93) ** (Sylvester Stallone) 43626072			
(29) VC1		29	Clifford (5) 9920860		Surviving the Game (R, '94) ** (Ice-T) 8333411				Sexual Outlaws (R, '94) + 1923985				Surviving the Game	
(30) HC		30	No Escape (R, '94) ** (Ray Liotta) 1910411				The Passion Within Her (R, '94) 1922256				No Escape (R, '94) ** (Ray Liotta) 1914527			
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An impending divorce provides grist for British royal rumor mill

LONDON — Just months after **Prince Charles** admitted being unfaithful, his reputed lover **Camilla Parker Bowles** said Tuesday she is getting a divorce, sparking speculation they may one day marry.

Camilla Parker Bowles says she is getting a divorce.

But even if Charles, 46, weren't still married to **Princess Diana**, a happy ending seems remote. However much they revel in scandal, Britons appear unready for a prince's mistress as their future queen.

The Sun newspaper reported in Wednesday's editions that Charles has told friends he will not marry the woman said to be the love of his life.

"The prince does not believe there is any prospect of a marriage to Camilla," the London tabloid quoted an unnamed source as saying. "He fully understands that public opinion would be against him and his principal aim is to become king."

Mrs. Parker Bowles, 47, and her husband, Brigadier **Andrew Parker Bowles**, 55, vanished from their mansion in Wiltshire, near Charles' country home, before releasing a statement saying their 21-year marriage was over.

"Throughout our marriage we have always tended to follow rather different interests, but in recent years we have led completely separate lives," the statement released by their lawyers said.

All that is left in common, it added, were their children, **Tom**, 20, and **Laura**, 16, and a "lasting friendship."

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NASHVILLE, Tenn. — Country singer **Tracy Lawrence's** wife is recovering from facial surgery after a glass-covered fireplace exploded.

Frances Lawrence, 25, had a miscarriage two weeks after the Dec. 27 accident at her father's Cortez, Colo., home. Chunks of glass cut her face, and she needed 70 stitches, said a Lawrence spokesman, **Larry Bowes**.

"Somehow pressure built up in there while the glass was closed," Bowes said. "The shatterproof glass breaks off in large chunks. Tracy was upstairs at the time, and he said chunks of glass were imbedded in a wall 60 feet away from the fireplace."

Mrs. Lawrence had the stitches removed Thursday and is recovering well, Bowes said.

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LOS ANGELES — The talent agency representing **Mickey Rooney** claims he owes more than $500,000 in unpaid commissions.

Ruth Webb Enterprises Inc. said in a lawsuit filed Monday that Rooney failed to pay the agency its 10 percent cut for helping him land roles in five productions from 1987 to 1994, including "The Will Rogers Follies" and the British production of "Sugar Babies."

Rooney did not immediately return calls to his office or publicist Monday night.

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NASHVILLE, Tenn. — **Michelle Lee** is going undercover as country star **Dottie West** in a TV movie.

Michelle Lee will play country star Dottie West.

"I hope they know it's me. Some of the people who have seen it say, 'It's not you in the movie.' It just doesn't even look like me," she told the Country Music Association's Close Up magazine.

Lee, who costarred in the series "Knot's Landing," wears tight-fitting stage attire with long, red hair.

The CBS movie, "The Double Life of Dottie West," will be broadcast Jan. 22.

West, who sang duets with **Kenny Rogers**, died after a car accident in 1991.

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TOPEKA, Kan. — **Jesse** the lame-duck first cat isn't giving up her office without a struggle.

Former Gov. **Joan Finney** and her family moved out of the official residence over the weekend, and the new governor, **Bill Graves**, and his family moved in. But Jesse, the Finneys' timid calico, stayed put. She could be heard meowing over the weekend but couldn't be caught.

On Monday, the Graveses heard the cat and trapped it in the attic. But Jesse bolted on Tuesday when Mrs. Finney tried to put her in a carrier.

The house, Cedar Crest, was crowded with visitors attending receptions in honor of the new governor, and Mrs. Finney said the cat may be scared by the noise.

"Our No. 1 goal now is finding the cat again, without unduly scaring her, and delivering her to the Finneys," said **Mike Matson**, Graves' press secretary.

The Graveses' two dogs will take up residence at Cedar Crest. Graves and his wife, **Linda**, have not decided whether their own two cats will move in, too.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.

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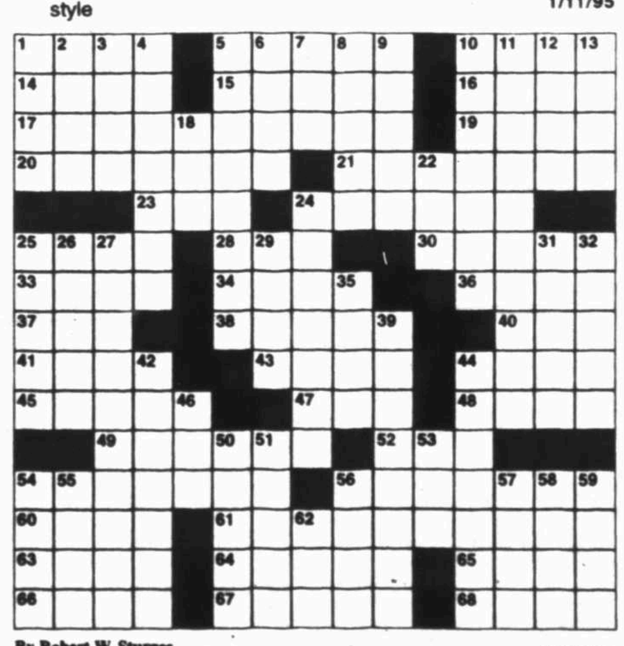

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Simple strategies tangle quickly for Republicans in schedule-free Senate

By Nita Lelyveld
Associated Press

■ News analysis

WASHINGTON — The strategy was supposed to be simple: new Republican majorities would sweep into the House and Senate and triumphantly send their first bill to President Clinton by the end of Week One.

The symbolic effect of the bill's passage would be great: After a bruising previous two years in which major legislation, including health and lobbying reform, was irretrievably bogged down, bills would suddenly be passing.

Not to mention the fact that the Congressional Accountability Act would boost Americans' battered faith in their government by making Congress abide by the very workplace, safety and anti-discrimination laws it has imposed on the nation's other employers.

Clinton would sign it, but would have to share credit for its enactment with the Republicans.

The plan was perfect — except it overlooked life in the Senate.

The Senate, after all, is a schedule-free zone, regardless of which party ostensibly controls it.

Keep in mind that with all the talk of the Republican revolution, action in the House can quickly turn to stalemate in the Senate.

The Senate acts when it's good and ready — that's part of its deliberative way — and only very rarely works in a concerted, organized fashion. A bill usually is passed only after its opponents have tried and failed at every parliamentary tactic they can dream up to derail, or at least delay, it.

Without limits on debate except by special agreement, without requirements that amendments attached to legislation be germane to the subject of the bill, anything can happen, and often does.

In the House, Republicans marched lock step with their new leader, Speaker Newt Gingrich of Georgia. When Gingrich said "Vote," they did — and the accountability bill passed smoothly on their first legislative day.

But in the Senate, Democrats used their minority prerogatives, as Republicans previously had; to quickly block an instantaneous GOP victory. They did it by tacking amendment after amendment to the bill.

Democratic Sens. Tom Harkin of Iowa and Joseph Lieberman of Connecticut first tried to push their own reform measure — a proposal to decrease the power of the filibuster. They argued that the arcane Senate rules permitting delaying tactics by the minority were being abused.

Republicans wanted to prove their reformist zeal in the first Senate vote of the new session. Democrats wanted to wrest away their momentum.

So in a scenario dripping with irony, as lawmakers argued back and forth about whether a filibuster was a delaying tactic or a useful legislative option, the hours ticked away.

Wednesday night turned into Thursday morning before the proposal to limit filibusters was defeated and the Senate could go back to business as usual.

But even Day Two of Republican rule in the Senate failed to produce passage of the accountability act. Democrats again offered amendments — this time related to lobbying reform.

And they were still offering amendments on everything from striking tire workers to lawmakers' frequent-flyer miles when the first week of the new Senate mercifully ground to a halt.

"The bill they passed the other night after 20 minutes' debate by a vote of 429-0, we're still debating in the United States Senate after all day yesterday and all day today," groused Senate Majority Leader Bob Dole, comparing the Senate action to that of the House.

He said it would take until today to get final passage.

"That will make it difficult for us to . . . keep up on every bill," Dole said, with his usual deadpan understatement.

Astronomers expound new theory of supernovae explosion causes

TUCSON, Ariz. (AP) — Aided by supercomputer calculations, astronomers are finally solving the puzzle of what causes supernovae, powerful exploding stars that create the elements which make life possible.

Astronomers have been stymied for decades in explaining what makes very large stars explode at the end of their lifetime. The process was simply too complex for chalkboard formulae.

But new supercomputers, capable of running millions of calculations a second, have enabled astronomers to create mathematical models that explain the microsecond-long changes that occur as a star 10 times the size of the sun suddenly goes supernovae.

"For the first time, we think we know how the explosion happens," said Alex Filippenko of the University of California, Berkeley.

In presentations Monday to the national meeting of the American Astronomical Association, teams of astronomers showed computer-driven graphics of the processes happening inside a supernovae.

In the past, astronomers concentrated on the collapsing core of the star and depicted the resulting outrush of superheated gasses in only one dimension. The calculations failed to explain the phenomena.

With the computer calculations, the astronomers cranked in convection and two-dimensional action within the explosion and found that filaments of cold gas streamed back toward the star's core, became superheated, and then exploded outward. All within a fractional second.

Supernovae originate from stars eight to 10 times the size of the sun. After shining for millions of years, the star's nuclear fuel is exhausted and there is not enough outflowing heat to keep the star's mass suspended above the core. The star collapses inward and the core, about the size of the sun, shrinks within seconds to about 20 miles. Temperatures soar to billions of degrees and neutrinos, a type of subatomic particle, erupt outward.

Gas in the shell, streaming inward because of the collapse, is heated by the neutrinos and then erupts outward, rather like bubbles rising from water being heated on a stove.

Within a fraction of a second, the gas is heated to a point that it explodes, blowing off the outer layers of the star.

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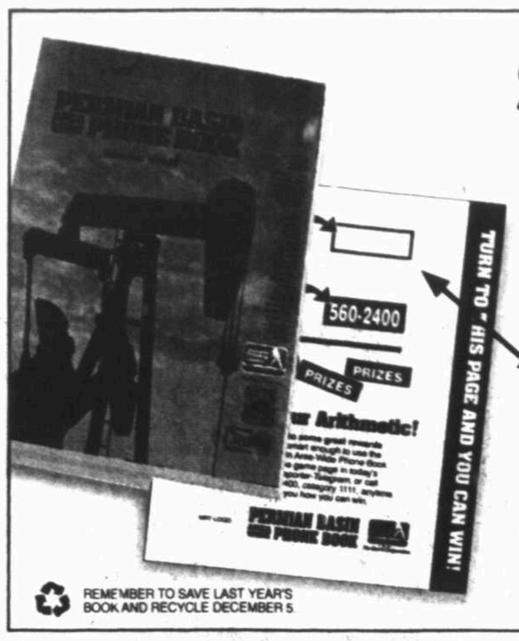

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NHL owners make 'final, final, final, final, final offer'

By Mike Nadel
AP Sports Writer

NEW YORK — The NHL lockout has come down to one last offer from the league. Take it or leave it. Season or no season. The owners said Tuesday night it's all up to the players.

"This is the final, final, final, final, final offer," Boston Bruins president Harry Sinden said.

"We've given (NHL commissioner) Gary Bettman a mandate to do the deal on our guidelines," Edmonton Oilers owner Peter Pocklington said.

"We have sent back an offer that's final," Los Angeles Kings general manager Sam McMaster said. Reminded that management has said that before and then relented, he said: "This one means final."

The proposal, which passed 19-7, contained more restrictions on free agency than the plan the owners rejected 14-12 at the end of a contentious conference call a few hours earlier. The offer that the Board of Governors sent to the players also is without the $300,000 per team retroactive pay that had been included in the unsuccessful measure.

If the players Wednesday turn down the final offer, owners say they are prepared to make the NHL the first major professional sports league to lose an entire season to a labor dispute.

The 102-day lockout would turn into a complete washout.

"Nobody likes an ultimatum, but

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WEDNESDAY SPORTS WATCH

TV, Radio Sports

(Subject to Change)

COLLEGE BASKETBALL — Georgia Tech at North Carolina, 6 p.m., ESPN.

Miami at St. John's, 8 p.m., ESPN.

NBA — Los Angeles Clippers at Dallas Mavericks, 7:30 p.m., HSE.

Texas Scores

NBA — San Antonio Spurs 108, L.A. Clippers 97.

SWC BASKETBALL — Men: TCU 102, Texas 98.

Women: Rice 88, Houston 87.

Texas 89, TCU 49.

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Top 25 Results

No. 1 Massachusetts 81, St. Bonaventure 76.

No. 7 Kentucky 83, No. 15 Florida 67.

No. 9 Maryland 70, Florida State 57.

No. 10 Georgetown 80, Seton Hall 68.

Basketball
4-5A Boys

	W	L	Dist. W	Dist. L	Overall W	Overall L
Midland Lee	3	1			9	12
Midland High	2	1			16	4
Abilene Cooper	2	1			15	8
San Angelo	2	1			12	8
Abilene High	2	1			7	13
Odessa Permian	1	2			8	12
Odessa High	0	4			10	12

Monday's Results

Midland High 118, Lamesa 94; Abilene Cooper 105, Odessa High 54;

Tuesday's Results

Midland Lee 71, San Angelo Central 67 (2 OT), Abilene High 93, Permian 89 (OT).

Friday's Games

Odessa Permian at Midland Lee, Chaparral Center; Midland High at Odessa High; Abilene Cooper at San Angelo; Abilene High is open. All games at 8 p.m.

4-5A Girls

Team	W	L	Dist. W	Dist. L	Overall W	Overall L
Midland High	4	1			17	3
Midland Lee	4	1			13	7
Abilene High	4	2			16	6
Odessa Permian	3	2			15	6
Odessa High	3	2			12	10
Abilene Cooper	0	5			5	13
San Angelo	0	5			5	15

Tuesday's Results

Midland Lee 73, San Angelo Central 51; Abilene High 68, Odessa Permian 64; Odessa High 58, Abilene Cooper 36. **Midland High was open.**

Friday's Games

Odessa Permian vs. Midland Lee, Chaparral Center, 6:15 p.m.; Midland High at Odessa High, 6:15 p.m.; San Angelo Central at Abilene Cooper, 8 p.m. Abilene High is open.

JUCO Top 20

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. (AP) — The top 20 teams in the National Junior College Athletic Association Division I men's basketball poll with first place votes in parentheses, records through Jan. 9 and total points:

	Record	Pts
1. Wabash Valley, Ill. (7)	10-0	102
2. Seward County, Kan. (5)	18-0	99
3. Odessa College (2)	**16-1**	**90**
4. Spartanburg, S.C. (1)	13-1	81
5. Sullivan, Ky. (1)	14-1	75
6. Southern Idaho	17-1	62
7. Southern Union, Ala.	12-1	57
8. St. Petersburg, Fla.	15-1	48
9. Hutchinson, Kan.	16-1	41
10. Three Rivers, Mo.	14-2	35
11. Barton County, Kan.	18-1	33
12. Jones County, Miss.	15-1	32
13. Eastern Arizona	16-0	27
14. Southeastern, Iowa	13-1	25
15. Cincinnati Tech	13-1	21
16. Daytona Beach, Fla.	16-2	19
17. Westark, Ark.	12-2	17
18. Genesee, N.Y.	12-0	13
19. Fashion Institute, N.Y.	11-0	12
20. New Mexico JC	**16-2**	**10**
(tie) Western Nebraska	14-3	10

Rocks dial-a-player

DENVER — The Colorado Rockies, faced with the possibility of beginning the season with replacement players, have established a hotline for replacement candidates.

Candidates can make their best sales pitch to a voicemail system if they call the team's downtown headquarters.

To date, the Rockies have received nearly three dozen inquiries from ex-major leaguers, minor leaguers and college players, even some whose prime dates back 20 years, and some softball players.

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Lee holds 4-5A first after 2OTs

■ The Rebels own first place, but not before a wild double overtime win over San Angelo.

By Terry Williamson
Sports Editor

Shane McCulloch nailed two NBA treys in the last four seconds of regulation play and Mark Holly scored 11 points in two overtime periods as Midland Lee's Rebels scratched and clawed their way into sole possession of first place in the District 4-5A basketball race with a 71-67 win over the upstart San Angelo Central Bobcats at Chaparral Center Tuesday night.

But life at the top of the heap is rough going. San Angelo, a surprise early leader in the league race with a 2-0 start, now resides in a big scramble for second place with Midland High, Abilene High and Abilene Cooper at 2-1.

Getting to the top for 3-1 Lee, however, is just a case of producing three-point miracles quicker than a magician, winning a clock controversy and wading through two overtimes with just plain hard work. Life isn't easy in this league.

Without McCulloch, Lee would never have seen overtime. He hit a three-point shot with 4.35 seconds left to close the gap to 50-49, but San Angelo's Micah Eckeberger hit two free throws with 3.18 seconds left for a 52-49 Bobcat lead.

Lee inbounded the ball and called time out, but the clock didn't stop. Referees asked that three seconds be put on the clock. However, the clock was set to three minutes instead of three seconds and Lee got the ball to McCulloch, who launched a one footed, off-balance NBA 20-foot range net ripper to tie the score. The clock incorrectly showed 2:56 to play.

"I didn't feel any pressure on that three-point shot in the fourth quarter because there wasn't time to think," McCulloch said. "The ball came to me, I took a dribble and let it go. All I know is that it looked like it was going to go in when it left my hand. I don't usually shoot off balance like that, but I do want the ball when the game is on the line. It was set up for the ball to come to either me or Holly."

But Bobcat coach Alan Gillespie didn't like the result.

"When that happened, we should have been allowed to

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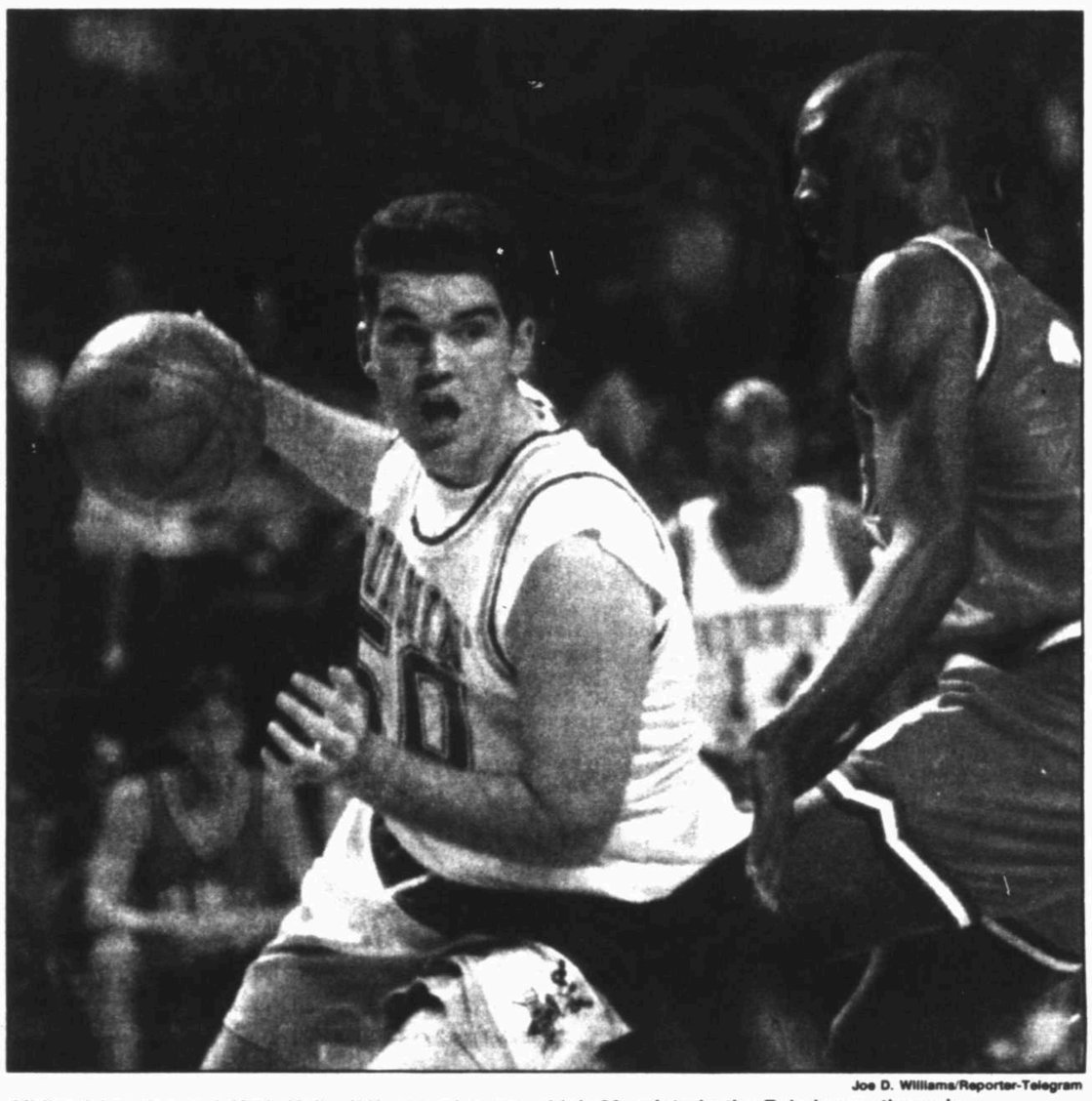

Joe D. Williams/Reporter-Telegram

Midland Lee forward Mark Holly (50) scored a team-high 20 points in the Rebels overtime win.

Dallas tries for leg up on 49ers

■ Dallas pulls out everything but chicken soup in effort to get ready for San Francisco by Sunday.

By Denne H. Freeman
AP Sports Writer

IRVING — Ice. Heat. Electric stimulation.

The trainers will be trying it all this week on the most famous left hamstring in the NFL.

Emmitt Smith was wearing electrodes dangling off his left leg as he walked Monday. The Cowboys are trying to cure a finicky left hamstring in one week. The procedure for such an injury usually takes four to six weeks.

"We'll do the best we can," trainer Kevin O'Neill said. "These things are tricky."

There wasn't much swelling in the hamstring on Monday, which was good news for Smith and the Cowboys.

The Dallas Cowboys have lost three games in the last two years when Smith wasn't in the lineup, and none was as important as this year's showdown in San Francisco on Sunday for the NFC title.

Smith underwent round-the-clock treatment on Monday for a "twinge" he felt in his left hamstring during Sunday's 35-9 playoff romp over the Green Bay Packers.

"I feel fine," Smith said after the game. "It was just a little grabbing sensation in the muscle."

He wasn't talking about it much at Valley Ranch on Monday, walking around with the electrodes attached to his leg.

Coach Barry Switzer said Smith told him the leg was "so-so."

Switzer said "there's not much swelling in the leg. But I'm not optimistic. I told the team we're going to win with or

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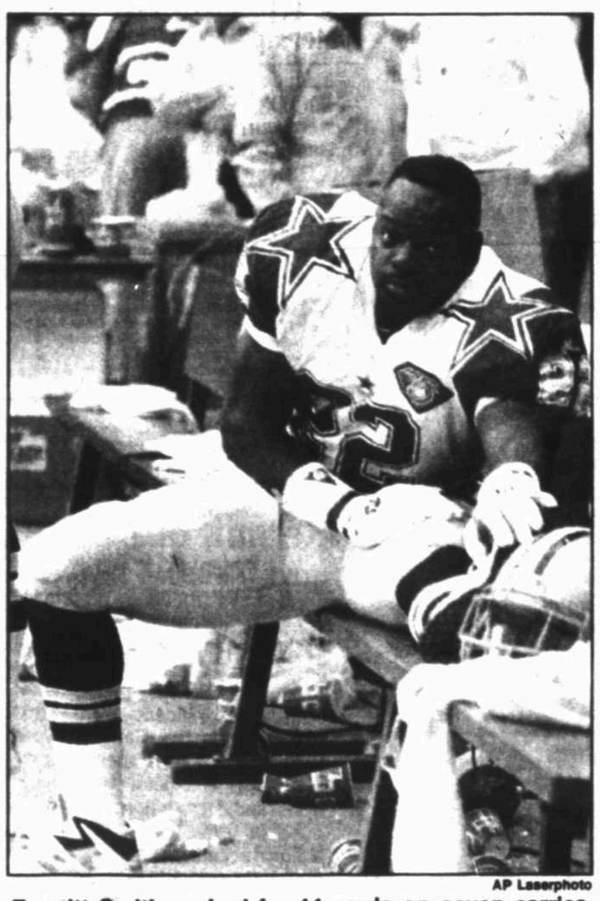

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Emmitt Smith rushed for 44 yards on seven carries and one touchdown before reaggrevating the left hamstring during the Cowboys' 35-9 win over Green Bay. He is listed as uncertain for Sunday's NFC championship against San Francisco.

Zampese downplays Rams rumor

Associated Press

ANAHEIM, Calif. — Ernie Zampese reportedly is in line to become coach of the Los Angeles Rams, a hiring that would make him the third prominent Dallas Cowboys assistant to take a head coaching job in the last two years.

Zampese

However, the Cowboys and Rams said Tuesday there's no truth to the broadcast reports that Zampese has had contact with the Rams about succeeding Chuck Knox, who was fired Monday.

"I've had no contact from the Rams and I would remind everyone of the tampering rules," Cowboys owner Jerry Jones said in Irving, Texas.

"There's an NFL rule you can't talk to a coach on another team until their season is completed," said Rick Smith, director of public relations for the Rams.

The Cowboys, the two-time defending Super Bowl champions, face the San Francisco 49ers on Sunday at Candlestick Park for the NFC championship.

Knox, 62, was fired after three years

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Lady Chaps try to rebound from conference-opening loss

By Bill Petitt
Staff Writer

Midland College freshman point guard Amber Follis must have thought that she had transfered to Texas A&M during the semester break.

Follis and her Midland College Lady Chap teammates participated in their first midnight yell practice following Monday's 87-74 loss to Frank Phillips at the Chap Center.

It was midnight, it was practice and Midland College coach Ron Jones was yelling.

Jones called the inpromptu gathering after his team turned in one of their worst performances of the season.

"I think we realized that were not mentally prepared," said Follis, who had six points and a team-high five assists. "I think the practices have brought us together."

"We have had two good workouts since then," said Jones who ended the late night practice at 12:30 a.m. and then returned to the court at 2 p.m. "I think the game got their attention and I got their attention.

"So many times I talk about the big picture, not focusing on one game, but we are focusing on (Odessa College)."

'We have had two good workouts since then... I think the game got their attention and I got their attention.'

— Ron Jones
Midland College women's coach

Midland hit just 34.2 percent from the field and 10-of-40 three-pointers in the FPC game and trailed by as many as 29 points in the second half.

The Lady Chaps had trouble getting the ball to their leading scorer, center JoAnna Kailahi, during the Frank Phillips game. She attempted two field goals in the first half before finishing the game with a team-high 14 points along with guard Roslynn Dunn. Shannon Jordan scored 13 points and Rashunda Jarmon added 12.

Thursday's game is big for both teams after Odessa College was upset by Western Texas College 69-60 Monday night in Snyder.

"It makes the game very, very important for both programs," said Jones. "The team that wins has a breath of life while the loser will have a tough time."

Midland College could be without freshman Stacie Johnson who has been nagged by an apparent stress fracture in one foot.

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4-5A: McCulloch, Holly rally Rebs

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play over the entire three seconds with the clock right," said Gillespie.

But the basket was allowed and the teams fought through two overtimes with Holly the major difference with 11 of his 20 points in that span of time.

"Coach (Jon) House has always taught us that you have to turn it up a notch when a game gets like this one. We just did what we had to do," Holly said. "It was a little frantic out there, but when you are a little scared, you come out even more."

Reserve Trell Stewart iced the win with 15 seconds left in the second overtime with a free throw, giving Lee the four-point margin.

"I knew I had to make that first free throw, but I also knew we were going to win the game, so that helped me a lot," Stewart said of the icer.

The game was no award winner until the fourth period. Lee held a meager 23-19 lead at the half in what looked like a junior high outing. The Bobcats stayed in the game as quarterback turned post B.J. Townsend scored 14 of the 19 points in the first half. He ended the game with a game high 23 points and 14 rebounds.

McCulloch had 17 points and Dushawn Hicks added 15. Jacob Russell came off the bench for five points in the second overtime to help Lee seal first place. The Bobcats also got 19 points from Joey Nunez and 14 from Eckeberger.

"This is what I like about these kids," House said. "Early in the year, we were finding a way to lose these games, and now we're finding a way to win them. McColloch's hit those shots before and Holly is our go-to guy when it gets tough. But Russell and Stewart came in to give us a huge lift in the overtimes."

And then House added, "I think one team is in first place in 4-5A, and I think that it's that football school."

In junior varsity action, Lee defeated San Angelo 79-54 as Amron Washington, 21; Matt Johnson, 13; Matt Meyer, 11; and John Norman, 10, all hit in double figures. The Lee JV is 13-8 for the season and 4-0 in district play.

The Lee sophomores, now 12-6 and 3-1, beat San Angelo 62-58 and Bryan Cramer, Sergio Muchaca and Cory Pertile all had 12 points.

Midland Lee 71, San Angelo 67 2OT

San Angelo (12-8, 2-1): Micha Eckebuger, 3-8 7-8 14; Marty Lopez, 1-4 4-4 6; Josh Lowe, 0-0 0-0 0; Justin Grissen, 0-0 0-0 0; Elliot Bowman, 2-4 0-0 5; B.J. Townsend, 11-21 1-3 23; Joey Nunez, 6-13 7-10 19; Kris Pope, 0-1 0-0 0. **Totals: 23-61 19-25 67.**

Midland Lee (8-12, 3-1): Jerry Stanford, 0-0 0-0 0; Jacob Russell, 2-3 0-0 5; Alex Strambler, 1-2 1-1 3; Trell Stewart, 1-2 4-8 6; Israel Boyd, 2-3 0-0 4; Shane McCulloch, 6-11 0-2 17; Mike Rhoads, 0-3 0-0 0; Craig Sawyer, 0-2 1-2 1; Dushawn Hicks, 6-14 0-0 15; Mark Holly, 7-13 3-4 20; John Purves, 0-4 0-0 0. **Totals: 25-57 9-17 71.**

Score by quarters:

San Angelo	8	11	12	21	5	10—67
Midland Lee	13	10	4	25	5	14—71

Three-Point Goals: SA 2-110 (Eckeberger 1-3, Lopez 0-2, Bowman 1-3, Townsend 0-1, Nunez 0-1, Pope 0-1); Lee 12-23 (Russell 1-1, McCulloch 5-7, Rhoads 0-1, Sawyer 0-1, Hicks 3-6, Holly 3-7). **Total Fouls:** SA 17, Lee 18. **Fouled Out:** Lee, Rhoads; SA, Eckeberger. **Rebounds:** SA 33 (Townsend 14, Nunez 9), Lee 32 (Holly 6, Hicks 5, McCulloch 5). **Turnovers:** SA 18, Lee 23.

Tape player figures into Jordan case

LUMBERTON, N.C. (AP) — A tape player figured prominently Tuesday during a hearing on a motion to throw out a statement made to police by one defendant in the James Jordan murder case.

Larry Demery's interrogation by several officers was taped for about two hours early on Aug. 15, 1993. During that time, Demery stuck to his story that he didn't see Jordan's red Lexus until after it was stolen.

When the tape was shut off by detective agent Don Smith, who said the recorder appeared to make Demery nervous, Demery changed his story and said he participated in plans to steal the car but that co-defendant Daniel Andre Green had shot Jordan, father of NBA great Michael Jordan.

"It's subtle," said defense attorney Hugh Rogers, who contends that officer applied illegal pressure on Demery.

In Fayetteville, one of four people charged with stripping James Jordan's car after his murder pleaded guilty and was sentenced to probation.

Terrellis Marnicus Teasley was the last of the four to face the charges. The others pleaded guilty in March and June. Authorities have said the four were not involved in Jordan's death.

Demery, 19, and Green, 20, are charged with capital murder, armed robbery and conspiracy to commit armed robbery in the July 22, 1993, slaying.

A reference to "the needle" — referring to execution by lethal injection for capital crimes — was an example of the abusive techniques, Rogers contended during an interview. The motion isn't expected to be argued until Wednesday.

"He was subtly manipulating him into giving a statement by the implication of harsher punishment if he did not make a statement and lighter punishment if he came clean," Rogers said.

The tape didn't reveal any overt threats or promises of lighter treatment being made by detectives, who repeatedly told Demery they thought he was lying to protect Green. Smith told Demery he would be charged with first-degree murder regardless of what he said but that Green was blaming Demery for the shooting.

Smith also told Demery that homicide detectives "work for God."

Detectives learned the identity of Green and Demery from men arrested near Fayetteville for stripping the Lexus. Smith said detectives tracked the movements of the pair by checking records of Jordan's car phone, which the defendants used to make between 50 and 75 calls.

NHL: Players review proposal today

(From 1C)

we've had ultimatums before," Chicago Blackhawks player representative Jeremy Roenick said. "They say it's their last one. We have to treat it like that and see what happens."

Roenick also said the NHL Players Association wouldn't deal with the proposal until today.

"Everybody is tired," he said late Tuesday. "Everybody is going home and going to sleep and we'll pick it up in the morning."

Free agency was by far the most contentious issue in the round-the-clock talks that Bettman and NHLPA head Bob Goodenow started Monday morning.

The negotiators raced against a league-imposed noon Tuesday deadline for canceling the season. But that deadline came and went with the season still alive — barely.

Now it remains to be seen if the owners have made an offer the players can stomach.

Under terms of the 6-year contract, players would have the right to become unrestricted free agents at age 32 in the first three years and at 31 in the last three. Because owners have the right to reopen the agreement after the 1997-98 season, there might be only one year in which 31-year-olds have complete freedom.

Sinden doesn't have much sympathy.

"We started out ... knowing full well that we needed a salary cap," he said. "We changed the cap to a tax and we didn't get that, either."

The owners' payroll tax came off the table last week after Goodenow repeatedly said the NHLPA would never accept it.

In the proposal the owners rejected Tuesday, players would have become unrestricted free agents at 32 in the first year and at 31 in the last five. Players went into the week hoping to land free agency at 30.

"It's disappointing that we offered 32 in the first year and 31 in the next five and they didn't accept it," said Bob Corkum, player rep of the Anaheim Mighty Ducks. "It seems that they're stuck on 32."

Hartford Whalers GM Jim Rutherford agreed that the Board of Governors was "splitting hairs."

"And this isn't the time to do that," he said. "The main issue is the age of free agency."

Other key components of the contract the owners rejected were carried over into the one they approved:

—Three salary arbitration walkaways over each two-year period for players receiving awards of at least $550,000.

—$850,000 salary cap for first-round draft picks, increasing annually.

—Draft for 19-year-olds, with 18-year-olds having the option to get in.

While the owners used their second Tuesday conference call to beat up on the players, they used their first to beat up on Bettman and each other.

Voices raised and tempers flared and Bettman often was put in the position of defending the first proposal.

Employees from teams around the league noted that several owners seemed "intense," "agitated" or "uptight" during the call.

"It was a very passionate conference call," Bruins assistant GM Mike O'Connell said. "Strong feelings were expressed on both sides. It was an eye-opener for myself."

Andy Moog of the Dallas Stars, a member of the NHLPA bargaining team, was dismayed by the result — the narrow rejection of a far more favorable plan for the players.

"We narrowed the issues down to one specific area," he said, referring to free agency. "To find it was rejected by such a close margin was disappointing."

JUCO standout dies after shooting

BALTIMORE (AP) — A Pfeiffer College basketball player on his way to watch a Georgetown game last weekend was shot and killed during an argument at a stoplight and a friend was critically wounded.

David Brown, 23, of Pfeiffer College in North Carolina had transferred from Baltimore Community College, where he was among the nation's top junior college guards.

Brown and three friends were on their way to watch Georgetown play at USAir Arena in Landover, Md., last Saturday. Around 1:15 p.m., they apparently exchanged words with two men in a dark blue four-door sedan with North Carolina plates who drove up next to their tan 1985 Chevrolet Spectrum, police said.

The argument started when one of the men asked if another was looking at him, police reports said.

"It was just words at first," said homicide Det. Carolyn Gillespie.

Then, one of the men in the blue car fired four to five times, killing Brown.

LOCAL SPORTS

Lee girls move into first place

SAN ANGELO — Krissy Woodard scored 14 of her game-high 20 points as the Midland Lee girls overcame first half sluggishness to pull away from San Angelo Central 73-51 in District 4-5A basketball action here Tuesday night.

With the win and an Abilene High win over Odessa Permian (68-64) put the Lady Rebels in a tie for first place in the league standings with idle Midland High. Lee improved to 13-7 overall and 4-1 in league play to equal its cross town rival Midland High (17-3, 4-1). Abilene improved to 4-2 with the win and is a half-game back of the leaders. Permian and Odessa High, which defeated Cooper Tuesday, are a full game back at 3-2 each.

"Krissy dominated again," said Lady Rebel coach Elise Kail. "She was seven-of-seven in the first half. We were kind of sluggish in the first half but it was the road trip."

The Lady Rebels close their current road streak and will play six straight district games at home.

Lee's Claire Wright hit three three-point goals on her way to 17 points while teammate Jamie Rhoads hit for 14.

It was also a Lee sweep as the junior varsity topped Central 36-30 and the sophomores won 41-39.

Lee hosts Permian at 6:15 p.m. at Chaparral Center as part of a double header with the girls beginning at 6:15 p.m.

Midland Lee 73, San Angelo Central 51

Midland Lee (13-7, 4-1): Tiffany Rodgers 0 0-0 0; Farrah Fisher 0 0-0 0; Claire Wright 3 8-9 17; Michelle Benson 2 6-8 10; Jamie Rhoads 6 1-3 14; Colleen McCarty 1 0-0 2; Lisa Chapman 1 0-2 2; Krissy Woodard 10 0-0 20; Nisha Washington 1 7-9 8; **Totals 24 21-31 73.**

San Angelo (5-15, 0-5): Erin Argo 1 0-0 3; Jana Caussey 0 0-0 0; Heather Boyd 1 0-0 2; Jamie Arrott 2 0-0 6; Kristi Anderson 0 0-0 0; Tonya Holtz 1 0-0 2; Stacy Moore 5 1-2 11; Patrina Pearson 5 2-2 12; Lisa Ocker 0 0-1 0; Heather Helterbran 0 2-2 2; Imani Dunbar 2 9-14 13; **Totals 17 14-21 51.**

Score by quarters:

Midland Lee	16	13	22	21—73
San Angelo	9	10	14	18—51

Three-point goals: Lee 4-12 (Wright 3-10, Rhoads 1-1), San Angelo 3-16 (Argo 1-2, Caussey 0-3, Arrott 2-6, Holtz 0-1, Dunbar 0-4, Ocker 0-1). **Rebounds:** Lee 35 (Woodard 8), Central 41 (Pearson 10). **Turnovers:** Lee 9, Central 13. **Total Fouls:** Lee 14, San Angelo 25. **Fouled out:** Pearson, Dunbar. **Technical Fouls:** none.

Mustangs run past Trinity

John Koss scored 23 points while Patrick Hughes put in 22 as Midland Christian ran away with Trinity 104-27 in TAPPS District 1A boys basketball action at the Trinity gym Tuesday night.

Brad Glasscock led Trinity with eight points while Kirk Whitehead had 7.

MC improved to 8-6 overall and 1-0 in league play while Trinity fell to 0-1. Trinity hosts Abilene Christian Saturday while MC travels to San Angelo Cornerstone Christian Thursday at 6:30 p.m.

Midland Christian 104, Trinity 27

Midland Christian (8-6): Dwaine Moore 0 1-2 1, Cody Howard 3 2-3 8, Colby Lee 3 1-1 7, Joey Johnson 6 0-1 12, Jerod Womack 4 0-0 8, Alex Awiry 1 0-0 2, Josh Brannon 3 0-0 6, John Koss 10 3-4 23, Patrick Hughes 9 4-5 22, Jerod Zahn 4 3-5 11, Chris Patteson 1 0-0 2, Geoff Chinn 1 0-0 2. **Totals: 45 14-21 104.**

Trinity (n/a): Kirk Whitehead 3 0-0 7, Chris Timko 2 0-0 5, Ron O'Neal 1 1-2 3, Paul Benson 1 0-2 2, Matt Dickman 1 0-0 2, Jay Leonard 0 0-2 0, Brad Glasscock 3 1-3 8. **Totals: 11 2-9 27.**

Score by quarters:

MCHS	29	23	33	19—104
Trinity	4	5	8	10— 27

Three-point goals: Trinity 3 (Whitehead, Timko and Glasscock 1 each). **Total Fouls:** MCHS 11, Trinity 19. **Fouled out:** none. **Technical Fouls:** none.

Greenwood girls top Kermit, 50-27

GREENWOOD — JoAnne Pallanez scored 17 points as the Greenwood girls ran away from Kermit in District 8-3A basketball action here Tuesday night.

The Rangerette defense limited Kermit to 12 points in the first three quarters as Greenwood (10-11) improved its league record to 2-0. Kermit (3-12) fell to 0-2. The Yellowjackets were led in scoring by Shanna Paehl with 13.

Greenwood travels to Sonora Friday for a 7:30 contest.

Greenwood 50, Kermit 27

Kermit (3-12, 0-2): Robin Trammell 4, Ariel Carrasco 2, Marci Parks 2, Irma Cobos 4, Shanna Paehl 13, Pacy O'Donnell 2, **Totals 13 1-7 27.**

Greenwood (10-11, 2-0): Lupita Guebara 2, Cassie Henkel 7, Rhonda Mebane 2, JoAnne Pallanez 17, Crystal Walker 4, Carmie Pierce 4, Candice Newman 10, Kristen Bishop 4, **Totals 17 15-25 50.**

Score by quarters:

Kermit	4	4	4	15—27
Greenwood	10	12	13	15—50

Three-point goals: Greenwood 1 (Pallanez). **Total Fouls:** Kermit 23, Greenwood 16. **Fouled out:** none. **Technical Fouls:** none.

Greenwood takes Kermit, 65-62

GREENWOOD — The Greenwood boys made it a clean sweep by defeating the Kermit Yellowjackets 65-62 here Tuesday night. James Settles led the Rangers with 22 points and teammate Vincent Serbantez put in 18 as the Rangers won their District 8-3A opener.

Kermit was lead by Chase Mills and Devalon Bryant who put in 20 each for the Yellowjackets.

Greenwood will travel to Sonora Friday to take on the Broncos at 7:30 p.m.

Greenwood 65, Kermit 62

Kermit(7-11, 0-1): Chase Mills, 7 5-5 20; Jeff Duncan, 0 1-2 1; Bradley Heiser, 4 0-0 8; Mark Heredia, 2 0-2 5; Kyle Phillips, 2 0-0 4; Corky McLean, 2 0-1 4, Devalon Bryant, 7 6-9 20 **Totals 24 12-19 62.**

Greenwood (10-10, 1-0): Josh Jones, 1 0-1 2; Vincent Serbantez, 7 4-5 18; Edward Kennepohl, 3 0-2 6; James Settles, 6 9-10 22; Daniel Harris, 4 3-7 11; Brandon Hunnicut, 0 6-8 6. **Totals 21 22-33 65.**

Score by quarters:

Kermit	16	7	17	22—62
Greenwood	16	6	20	23—65

Three-point goals: Kermit 2 (Mills, McLean), Greenwood 1 (Settles). **Total Fouls:** Kermit 26, Greenwood 19. **Fouled out:** Kermit (Mills, Phillips). **Technical Fouls:** Kermit.

MC girls pass by Trinity

Lacey Hamilton scored 21 points to lead Midland Christian past Trinity 65-24 in girls basketball action Tuesday night.

The Lady Mustangs' defense held Trinity to single digits in the first two quarters as they took a 29-10 lead at halftime.

Trinity, which was led in scoring by T. Seltzer and J. Clay with five points each, fell to 4-3 for the season and 0-1 in TAPPS District 1A play. April Fuller and Hendi Hutton each scored 11 points to push Midland Christian to 4-11, 1-0.

The Mustangs host Grandfalls at 6:30 p.m. on Friday.

Midland Christian 65, Trinity 24

Midland Christian (4-11, 1-0): April Fuller, 5 1-3 11; Amber Branum, 1 2-2 5; Rhiannon Patton, 0 1-2 1; Hendi Hutton, 3 5-7 11; Estela Nunez, 3 0-0 6; Kati Renfro, 0 1-5 1; Amy Ridell, 1 2-3 4; Amanda Miller, 2 0-0 4; Lacey Hamilton, 8 4-6 21; Sarah Parker, 0 1-2 1; **Totals 23 17-30 65.**

Trinity (4-3, 0-1): L. Wilson, 1 0-0 2; T. Seltzer, 2 0-0 5; S. Fing, 0 0-0 0; T. Mendoza, 1 2-5 4; J. Clay, 2 1-3 5; L. Crump, 1 0-2 2; S. Stasney, 1 0-0 2; S. Gifford, 2 0-5 4. **Totals 10 3-15 24.**

Score by quarters:

Midland Christian	15	14	17	19—65
Trinity	5	5	7	7—24

Three-point goals: MC 2 (Brannon, Hamilton), Trinity 1 (Seltzer).**Total Fouls:** MC 13, Trinity 22. **Fouled Out:** Wilson, Gifford. **Fouled out:** none. **Technical Fouls:** none.

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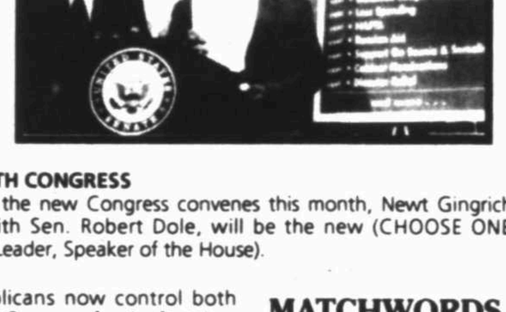

THE 104TH CONGRESS

1) When the new Congress convenes this month, Newt Gingrich, shown above with Sen. Robert Dole, will be the new (CHOOSE ONE: House Minority Leader, Speaker of the House).

2) Republicans now control both houses of Congress for the first time since ..?.., when Dwight D. Eisenhower was president.
a-1950 b-1954 c-1958

3) In the House of Representatives, there are now 230 Republicans and ..?.. Democrats.
a-204 b-205 c-206

4) In the Senate, the Republican's net gain of ..?.. seats gives them 53 — a majority.
a-five b-seven c-nine

5) TRUE OR FALSE: Only half of the 435 members of the House of Representatives were up for re-election this year.

MATCHWORDS

(2 points for each correct match)

1-incumbent	a-modification
2-amendment	b-cataclysm
3-impose	c-change
4-reform	d-officeholder
5-upheaval	e-implement

NEW MEMBERS

(5 points for each correct answer)

1) George Nethercutt of Washington defeated ..?.., thereby becoming the first person since 1862 to defeat a sitting Speaker of the House of Representatives.

2) Steve Stockman ousted 21-term Congressman Jack Brooks to become the new representative from the 9th Congressional District in the state of ..?..

3) Olympia Snowe won the Senate seat in Maine that was vacated when Senate Majority Leader ..?.. announced he would not run for re-election.

4) The only African American among the new House Republicans is ..?.., a star for the Oklahoma Sooners football team in the early 1980s.

5) A new representative from the state of California is ..?.. who, along with Cher, formed one of the more popular entertainment duos of the 1960s and '70s.

NEWSNAME

(15 points for correct answer or answers)

I am a Congressman from Texas, and with the Republicans in power, I will now be the House Majority Leader. Who am I?

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NEWSNAME: Rep. Dick Armey
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ST. BONAVENTURE (6-7)
Shelton 3-4 4-5 10, Vanterpool 8-16 6-11 25, Quackenbush 5-14 0-0 11, McNeill 4-10 4-5 12, Nelson-Richards 3-11 2-4 9, Satalin 0-0 0-0 0, Palmer 2-7 0-0 4, Moses 0-0 0-0 0, McFarland 0-0 0-0 0, Singleton 0-0 0-0 0, Spellman 2-3 1-3 5, Lumsdon 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 27-65 17-26 76.

Halftime—St. Bonaventure 35, Massachusetts 33. Regulation—St. Bonaventure 69, Massachusetts 69. 3-Point goals—Massachusetts 6-13 (Padilla 3-4, Williams 2-7, Travieso 1-1, Kellogg 0-1), St. Bonaventure 5-22 (Vanterpool 3-6, Quackenbush 1-6, Nelson-Richards 1-6, McNeill 0-4). Fouled out—Padilla, Shelton, Spellman. Rebounds—Massachusetts 42 (Camby 10), St. Bonaventure 44 (Shelton 12). Assists—Massachusetts 14 (Williams, Kellogg Roe 3), St. Bonaventure 12 (McNeill 6). Total fouls—Massachusetts 24, St. Bonaventure 24. A—6,000.

No. 7 Kentucky 83, No. 15 Florida 67

KENTUCKY (83)
Rhodes 6-8 4-7 17, Prickett 4-6 0-0 9, Pope 3-6 2-4 9, Sheppard 5-8 0-0 11, Delk 6-10 2-2 17, McCarty 2-5 0-0 4, Epps 0-0 0-0 0, Walker 5-9 3-3 13, Riddick 0-2 0-1 0, Edwards 1-1 0-0 2, Padgett 0-1 1-2 1. Totals 32-56 12-19 83.
FLORIDA (67)
Mickens 2-7 0-0 4, DeClercq 1-4 7-10 9, Hill 4-10 2-2 10, G. Williams 2-6 4-6 9, Cross 4-11 11-12 21, Anderson 1-4 0-0 2, Dyrkolbotn 1-1 0-0 2, D. Williams 1-4 0-0 2, L. Williams 1-1 1-2 3, Thompson 1-4 2-4 4, Griffiths 0-0 0-0 0, Maddox 0-0 1-2 1, Bates 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 18-62 26-38 67.

Halftime—Kentucky 41, Florida 29. 3-point goals—Kentucky 12-19 (Rhodes 4-7, Walker 3-3, Delk 2-2, Pope 2-4, Padgett 1-2, Riddick 0-1), Florida 3-12 (Cross 2-5, G.Williams 1-2, D.Williams 0-1, Mickens 0-1, DeClercq 0-1, Hill 0-2). Fouled out—Sheppard. Rebounds—Kentucky 33 (Pope, Delk 7), Florida 35 (DeClercq, Hill 6). Assists—Kentucky 17 (Prickett 5), Florida 8 (D.Williams 3). Total fouls—Kentucky 25, Florida 18. A—11,902.

No.9 Maryland 70, Florida State 57

MARYLAND (12-3) Hipp 4-11 5-7 14, Simpkins 1-4 4-4 6, Rhodes 7-12 2-4 16, Booth 1-8 3-6 5, Smith 5-10 8-11 18, Jasikevicius 1-4 0-0 3, Lucas 0-5 0-2 0, Elliott 1-2 1-2 3, Bristol 2-4 1-2 5. Totals 22-60 24-38 70.
FLORIDA ST. (8-5)
Sura 5-17 2-2 13, Greer 2-7 0-0 5, Collins 8-23 0-0 18, Luchman 1-3 1-4 3, Louis 3-11 2-2 8, Curry 1-6 1-2 4, Reid 0-2 0-0 0, Carroll 2-5 2-2 6, Wooden 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 22-75 8-12 57.

Halftime—Maryland 31, Florida St. 28. 3-Point goals—Maryland 2-10 (Jasikevicius 1-2, Hipp 1-3, Simpkins 0-1, Rhodes 0-1, Booth 0-1, Lucas 0-1, Bristol 0-1), Florida St. 5-34 (Collins 2-11, Greer 1-4, Curry 1-5, Sura 1-11, Carroll 0-3). Fouled out—Louis. Rebounds—Maryland 46 (Smith 18), Florida St. 41 (Sura 11). Assists—Maryland 8 (Hipp, Simpkins, Rhodes 2), Florida St. 5 (Sura 5). Total fouls—Maryland 18, Florida St. 25. A—5,232.

No. 10 Georgetown 80, Seton Hall 68

GEORGETOWN (10-1): J.Williams 2-5 5-7 9, Harrington 4-5 1-2 9, Reid 4-7 2-4 10, Iverson 4-8 8-14 17, Jacques 3-9 2-2 9, Myles 4-6 0-0 12, Church 3-7 0-0 8, Aw 2-2 0-0 4, Dia 1-2 0-0 2, Millen 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 27-52 18-29 80.
SETON HALL (10-4): Griffin 3-8 3-3 9, D.Williams 4-14 0-0 9, Ingraham 2-6 0-2 4, Hurley 3-12 2-4 9, Brown 4-6 0-0 11, Tuck 0-0 0-0 0, Sanders 2-7 9-10 14, Leahy 1-3 0-0 3, Kaba 3-6 3-4 9. Totals 22-62 17-23 68.

Halftime—Georgetown 37, Seton Hall 35. 3-Point goals—Georgetown 8-17 (Myles 4-4, Church 2-5, Iverson 1-3, Jacques 1-5), Seton Hall 7-17 (Brown 3-5, Sanders 1-2, Leahy 1-2, Hurley 1-4, D.Williams 1-4). Fouled out—D.Williams. Rebounds—Georgetown 32 (J.Williams 7), Seton Hall 40 (D.Williams 10). Assists—Georgetown 13 (Iverson 6), Seton Hall 13 (Hurley, Griffin 3). Total fouls—Georgetown 19, Seton Hall 21. Technicals—Seton Hall coach Blaney, Hurley. A—11,541.

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TCU 102, Texas 98

TEXAS (7-3): Wingfield 5-7 1-2 11, Freeman 4-10 2-2 10, McIver 2-4 0-0 4, Anderson 9-19 5-6 25, Rencher 11-25 7-9 30, Perryman 3-6 2-2 10, Penders 1-2 0-0 3, Dixon 1-1 1-2 3, Gilmore 0-1 0-0 0, Simpson 0-0 2-6 2. Totals 36-75 20-29 98.
TEXAS CHRISTIAN (9-4): Thoele 4-10 1-4 11, Waits 7-10 2-2 16, Thomas 8-12 7-9 23, Jacobs 10-14 2-2 26, Bragg 2-8 2-2 6, Turner 4-6 4-6 13, Jeans 0-0 0-0 0, Davis 0-0 1-2 1, Richards 2-2 2-2 6. Totals 37-62 21-29 102.

Halftime—TCU 55, Texas 50. 3-Point goals—Texas 6-18 (Freeman 0-1, Anderson 2-7, Rencher 1-3, Perryman 2-5, Penders 1-2), TCU 7-15 (Thoele 2-5, Jacobs 4-7, Bragg 0-2, Turner 1-1). Fouled out—Waits. Rebounds—Texas 29 (Simpson 7), TCU 44 (Waits, Thomas 13). Assists—Texas 15 (Anderson, Rencher 7), TCU 20 (Jacobs 7). Total fouls—Texas 21, TCU 22. Technicals—TCU bench. A—7,166.

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EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Orlando	26	7	.788	—
New York	19	12	.613	6
Boston	13	19	.406	12½
New Jersey	13	23	.361	14½
Miami	10	21	.323	15
Philadelphia	10	21	.323	15
Washington	7	25	.219	18½

Central Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Cleveland	21	11	.656	—
Charlotte	20	12	.625	1
Indiana	19	12	.613	1½
Chicago	17	15	.531	4
Atlanta	15	19	.441	7
Detroit	10	20	.333	10
Milwaukee	10	22	.313	11

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Midwest Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Utah	22	10	.688	—
Houston	20	10	.667	1
San Antonio	19	10	.655	1½
Denver	16	15	.516	5½
Dallas	14	15	.483	6½
Minnesota	6	25	.194	15½

Pacific Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Phoenix	25	7	.781	—
Seattle	21	9	.700	3
L.A. Lakers	20	10	.667	4
Sacramento	18	13	.581	6½
Portland	17	14	.548	7½
Golden State	10	19	.345	13½
L.A. Clippers	5	27	.156	20

Tuesday's Games
Late Game Not Included
Atlanta 99, Washington 96
Charlotte 116, Cleveland 108, OT
Detroit 98, New Jersey 84
New York 117, Indiana 105
Sacramento 98, Minnesota 85
Chicago 109, Orlando 77
San Antonio 108, L.A. Clippers 97
Seattle at Golden State (n)

Wednesday's Games
Indiana at Boston, 6:30 p.m.
Chicago at Philadelphia, 6:30 p.m.
Detroit at Orlando, 6:30 p.m.
Minnesota at Charlotte, 6:30 p.m.
Sacramento at Milwaukee, 7:30 p.m.
L.A. Clippers at Dallas, 7:30 p.m.
Miami at Houston, 7:30 p.m.
Denver at Utah, 8 p.m.
Golden State at Portland, 9 p.m.
Phoenix at L.A. Lakers, 9:30 p.m.

Knicks 117, Pacers 105

INDIANA (105)
D.Davis 5-8 1-2 11, McKey 5-8 2-2 13, Smits 6-12 2-3 14, Jackson 3-5 0-0 9, Miller 10-16 6-7 28, Thompson 1-2 0-0 2, Fleming 2-3 2-4 6, Ferrell 3-4 0-0 6, Scott 4-5 6-6 14, Mitchell 0-0 0-0 0, Workman 1-2 0-0 2. Totals 40-65 19-24 105.
NEW YORK (117)
Smith 8-9 3-3 19, M.Williams 2-3 0-0 4, Ewing 9-21 0-0 19, Harper 7-9 0-0 16, Starks 10-16 3-4 31, Mason 7-9 3-5 17, H.Davis 2-4 0-1 4, Bonner 2-4 3-3 7, Anthony 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 47-76 12-16 117.

Indiana	**26 25 28 26—105**
New York	**29 26 33 29—117**

3-Point goals—Indiana 6-9 (Jackson 3-4, Miller 2-3, McKey 1-2), New York 11-17 (Starks 8-11, Harper 2-3, Ewing 1-1, H.Davis 0-1, Anthony 0-1). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Indiana 35 (Smits 9), New York 28 (Ewing 9). Assists—Indiana 26 (Workman 8), New York 32 (Harper 13). Total fouls—Indiana 25, New York 24. Technicals—Miller, Indiana illegal defense 2, Smith, New York illegal defense. A—19,763.

Kings 98, Wolves 85

SACRAMENTO (98)
Grant 8-13 2-5 18, Williams 6-15 4-5 17, Polynice 3-8 3-3 10, Richmond 6-18 2-2 16, Webb 4-7 4-4 12, Abdelnaby 3-3 0-0 6, Simmons 1-4 3-4 5, M.Smith 0-2 5-8 5, Hurley 2-3 2-2 7, Causwell 0-1 2-2 2. Totals 33-74 27-35 98.
MINNESOTA (85)
Durham 4-10 5-6 13, Laettner 7-20 12-14 26, Rooks 5-10 4-8 14, Garland 1-5 1-1 3, Rider 5-15 6-6 17, King 1-3 0-2 2, Marshall 4-10 0-0 8, C.Smith 1-2 0-0 2, Foster 0-2 0-0 0. Totals 28-77 28-37 85.

Sacramento	**21 26 28 23—98**
Minnesota	**22 24 19 20—85**

3-Point goals—Sacramento 5-9 (Richmond 2-4, Hurley 1-1, Polynice 1-1, Williams 1-3), Minnesota 1-19 (Rider 1-9, Garland 0-2, Marshall 0-2, Durham 0-3, Laettner 0-3). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Sacramento 59 (Polynice 15), Minnesota 48 (Laettner 10). Assists—Sacramento 21 (Hurley, Richmond, Williams 5), Minnesota 17 (Garland 6). Total fouls—Sacramento 25, Minnesota 22. Technicals—Webb, Garland, Foster, Sacramento illegal defense 2, Minnesota illegal defense 3. Flagrant foul—M.Smith. A—13,017.

Hawks 99, Bullets 96

ATLANTA (99)
Long 2-7 3-4 7, Norman 5-10 0-0 12, Lang 2-6 0-0 4, Augmon 3-6 4-5 10, Blaylock 9-17 1-2 22, Ehlo 9-15 1-4 21, Smith 6-13 6-6 21, Koncak 1-1 0-0 2, Anderson 0-2 0-0 0, Corbin 0-2 0-0 0. Totals 37-79 15-21 99.
WASHINGTON (96)
Cheaney 10-19 2-4 25, Howard 6-16 2-6 14, Muresan 7-13 5-6 19, Chapman 3-8 4-4 11, Skiles 5-12 3-5 14, McIlvaine 2-4 0-0 4, Butler 3-6 0-0 6, Tucker 0-2 0-0 0, Walker 0-3 1-2 1, Overton 0-2 2-2 2. Totals 36-85 19-29 96.

Atlanta	**32 19 21 27—99**
Washington	**28 29 11 28—96**

3-Point goals—Atlanta 10-19 (Smith 3-5, Blaylock 3-6, Norman 2-4, Ehlo 2-3, Corbin 0-1), Washington 5-10 (Cheaney 3-5, Chapman 1-2, Skiles 1-2, Butler 0-1). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Atlanta 53 (Norman 9), Washington 54 (Muresan 12). Assists—Atlanta 18 (Blaylock 8), Washington 16 (Chapman 5). Total fouls—Atlanta 24, Washington 20. Technical—Lang. A—12,345.

Hornets 116, Cavaliers 108

CHARLOTTE (116)
Burrell 5-11 2-3 14, Johnson 8-16 7-7 24, Mourning 11-21 3-3 25, Hawkins 4-8 7-7 17, Bogues 6-9 4-4 16, Parish 0-2 1-2 1, Sutton 3-4 1-1 8, Curry 4-6 1-1 11, Wolf 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 41-77 26-28 116.
CLEVELAND (108)
Mills 7-15 0-0 16, Hill 10-17 3-4 23, Williams 8-14 0-0 16, Phills 2-5 5-6 9, Brandon 8-15 3-3 22, Campbell 5-8 5-5 15, Cage 0-1 0-0 0, Colter 1-4 0-0 3, Dreiling 0-0 0-0 0, Ferry 2-3 0-0 4, Battie 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 43-83 16-18 108.

Charlotte	**26 27 35 14 14—116**
Cleveland	**25 28 29 20 6—108**

3-Point goals—Charlotte 8-18 (Burrell 2-4, Hawkins 2-4, Curry 2-4, Johnson 1-2, Sutton 1-2, Mourning 0-1, Bogues 0-1), Cleveland 6-15 (Brandon 3-6, Mills 2-6, Colter 1-2, Campbell 0-1). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Charlotte 38 (Johnson, Mourning 9), Cleveland 42 (Hill 12). Assists—Charlotte 24 (Bogues 7), Cleveland 29 (Brandon 13). Total fouls—Charlotte 19, Cleveland 26. Technicals—Cleveland coach Fratello. A—20,562.

Pistons 98, Nets 84

NEW JERSEY (84): Brown 6-12 1-1 13, Coleman 7-15 7-10 23, Benjamin 5-14 4-5 14, Anderson 3-8 2-3 8, Walters 0-3 0-0 0, Floyd 5-11 0-0 10, Childs 1-3 1-2 3, Williams 2-5 0-2 4, Gilliam 0-2 7-10 7, Mahorn 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 30-74 22-33 84.
DETROIT (98): Addison 8-11 0-1 16, Mills 5-12 0-0 10, Leckner 1-5 1-2 3, Dumars 15-26 2-3 32, Knight 3-9 0-0 6, Newbill 0-2 0-0 0, Curley 3-4 0-0 6, Dawkins 4-6 3-3 12, Houston 4-10 4-4 13, Peplowski 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 43-85 10-13 98.

New Jersey	**21 23 24 16—84**
Detroit	**26 27 20 25—98**

3-Point goals—New Jersey 2-11 (Coleman 2-5, Childs 0-1, Brown 0-1, Floyd 0-4), Detroit 2-11 (Dawkins 1-1, Houston 1-4, Mills 0-2, Dumars 0-4). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—New Jersey 56 (Coleman 12), Detroit 44 (Mills 15). Assists—New Jersey 20 (Anderson 9), Detroit 21 (Knight, Dawkins 6). Total fouls—New Jersey 19, Detroit 22. Flagrant foul—Peplowski. A—14,256.

Bulls 109, Magic 77

ORLANDO (77)
Anderson 3-13 3-3 10, Grant 4-7 2-4 10, O'Neal 5-12 7-14 17, Hardaway 1-5 6-7 8, Shaw 2-6 0-0 4, Rollins 0-0 0-0 0, Scott 3-15 4-6 11, Bowie 2-5 3-3 7, Avent 3-10 1-1 7, Turner 1-4 0-0 3, Thompson 0-2 0-0 0. Totals 24-79 26-38 77.
CHICAGO (109)
Pippen 9-20 5-6 26, Kukoc 7-13 2-4 19, Perdue 3-4 2-2 8, Harper 3-9 4-6 10, Armstrong 8-14 2-2 22, Blount 3-5 0-0 6, Myers 3-6 0-0 6, Wennington 2-5 1-2 5, Kerr 1-3 0-0 2, Longley 0-1 1-2 1, Buechler 0-2 0-0 0, Simpkins 2-2 0-0 4. Totals 41-84 17-24 109.

Orlando	**15 31 13 18— 77**
Chicago	**35 24 30 20—109**

3-Point goals—Orlando 3-12 (Turner 1-1, Anderson 1-3, Scott 1-5, Shaw 0-1, Hardaway 0-2), Chicago 10-21 (Armstrong 4-7, Pippen 3-5, Kukoc 3-6, Kerr 0-1, Harper 0-2). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Orlando 58 (O'Neal 12), Chicago 59 (Pippen 10). Assists—Orlando 15 (Hardaway 5), Chicago 33 (Pippen 11). Total fouls—Orlando 19, Chicago 26. Technicals—Grant, Pippen, Perdue, Chicago illegal defense 4. A—22,529.

Spurs 108, Clippers 97

L.A. CLIPPERS (97)
Murray 7-13 3-5 19, Vaught 7-15 3-3 17, Outlaw 3-6 5-10 11, Richardson 5-15 2-4 14, Dehere 9-17 3-4 22, Massenburg 2-6 2-2 6, Grant 1-1 0-0 2, Piatkowski 2-6 0-0 5, Ellis 0-0 0-0 0, Woods 0-1 1-2 1. Totals 36-80 19-30 97.
SAN ANTONIO (108)
Reid 1-2 1-2 3, Elliott 2-6 0-0 4, Robinson 11-22 11-12 33, Johnson 2-8 5-10 9, Del Negro 7-12 1-2 18, Person 8-17 0-0 16, Rodman 4-6 2-3 10, Rivers 4-7 0-0 10, Cummings 1-4 3-4 5. Totals 40-84 23-33 108.

L.A. Clippers	**37 13 31 16— 97**
San Antonio	**26 28 25 29—108**

3-Point goals—Los Angeles 6-17 (Murray 2-3, Richardson 2-6, Piatkowski 1-3, Vaught 0-1, Woods 0-1), San Antonio 5-11 (Del Negro 3-3, Rivers 2-4, Person 0-4). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Los Angeles 45 (Vaught 15), San Antonio 64 (Rodman 21). Assists—Los Angeles 27 (Richardson 7), San Antonio 26 (Johnson 13). Total fouls—Los Angeles 26, San Antonio 21. Technical—San Antonio illegal defense. A—15,729.

NBA Leaders

NEW YORK (AP) — The NBA individual scoring, field goal percentage, rebounding and assist leaders through Jan. 9:

Scoring

	G	FG	FT	Pts	Avg
O'Neal, Orl	32	380	193	953	29.8
Robnsn, SA	28	262	258	782	27.9
Olajuwn, Hou	29	304	179	787	27.1
Jackson, Dal	29	289	185	785	27.1
Mashbrn, Dal	29	262	169	737	25.4
Malone, Ut	32	310	173	800	25.0
Drexler, Prt	28	228	140	659	23.5
Richmnd Sac	30	250	139	694	23.1
Rice, Mia	31	264	103	716	23.1
Sprwll, GS	28	225	146	636	22.7
Hardwy, Orl	31	249	159	696	22.5
Ceblls, LAL	28	249	106	623	22.3
Wilkins, Bos	28	221	122	612	21.9
Robnsn, Prt	31	242	125	669	21.6
Pippen, Chi	30	236	121	639	21.3
Ewing, NY	29	237	136	611	21.1
Rider, Minn	29	216	128	605	20.9
Payton, Sea	30	245	103	616	20.5
Hrdwy, GS	29	199	105	574	19.8
Millr, Ind	30	187	140	593	19.8

Field Goal Percentage

	FG	FGA	Pct
Gatling, GS	122	179	.682
O'Neal, Orl	380	640	.594
Grant, Orl	158	270	.585
Polynice, Sac	138	237	.582
Hornack, Ut	207	358	.578
D Davis, Ind	149	262	.569
Thorpe, Hou	125	222	.563
Hill, Clev	148	265	.558
Robnsn, SA	262	470	.557
Perry, Pho	128	230	.557

Rebounding

	G	Off	Def	Tot	Avg
Mutmbo, Den	31	111	275	386	12.5
Hill, Clev	29	129	214	343	11.8
Willis, Mia	29	106	233	339	11.7
Robinson, SA	28	72	254	326	11.6
Olajwn, Hou	29	68	265	333	11.5
Dudley, Port	31	129	201	330	10.6
Jones, Dal	29	120	187	307	10.6
Kemp, Sea	30	115	199	314	10.5
O'Neal, Orl	32	115	217	332	10.4
Davis, Ind	30	113	197	310	10.3

Assists

	G	No	Avg
Stockton, Ut	32	396	12.4
Anderson, NJ	32	349	10.9
Strckind, Port	21	189	9.0
Hardwy, GS	29	260	9.0
Richrdsn, LAC	31	267	8.6
Bogues, Char	30	256	8.5
Kidd, Dal	29	238	8.2
Johnson, SA	28	227	8.1
Van Exl, LAL	29	233	8.0
Pack, Den	30	238	7.9

ATP Money

The Associated Press
The leading money winners on the ATP Tour through Jan. 8:

1. Stefan Edberg	$106,500
2. Magnus Larsson	$72,100
3. Jim Courier	$54,500
4. Jan Siemerink	$30,330
5. Henri Leconte	$29,750
6. Michael Stich	$29,200
7. Arnaud Boetsch	$25,300
8. Patrick Rafter	$20,300
9. Andrei Olhovskiy	$19,175
10. Mark Woodforde	$18,750
11. Guy Forget	$17,840
12. Javier Sanchez	$17,705
(tie) Karim Alami	$17,705
14. Markus Zoecke	$17,155
15. Richard Krajicek	$15,000
16. Jacco Eltingh	$13,750
(tie) Olivier Delaitre	$13,750
(tie) Paul Haarhuis	$13,750
19. Jonas Bjorkman	$10,640
(tie) Filip Dewulf	$10,640
21. Patrick McEnroe	$10,575
(tie) Jeff Tarango	$10,575
23. Karsten Braasch	$10,090
(tie) Oliver Gross	$10,090
(tie) Younes el Aynaoui	$10,090
(tie) Shuzo Matsuoka	$10,090
(tie) Adrian Voinea	$10,090
28. Yevgeny Kafelnikov	$9,350
(tie) Byron Black	$9,350
30. Henrik Holm	$8,850
31. Thomas Enqvist	$8,800
(tie) Hendrik Dreekman	$8,800

WTA Money

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (AP) — The Women's Tennis Association money leaders through Jan. 8:

1. Sabine Hack	$26,820
2. Irina Spirlea	$16,125
3. Maria Strandlund	$7,300
4. Yayuk Basuki	$7,050
5. Claudia Porwik	$5,925
6. Nana Miyagi	$4,000
7. Shi-Ting Wang	$3,470
(tie) Tina Krizan	$3,470
9. Jana Nejedly	$3,150
10. Laurence Courtois	$2,635
(tie) Nancy Feber	$2,635
12. Florencia Labat	$2,150
(tie) Dominique Monami	$2,150
14. Karin Kschwendt	$1,723
(tie) Ei Iida	$1,723
(tie) Julie Steven	$1,723
(tie) Mercedes Paz	$1,723
18. Stephanie Rottier	$1,550
19. Maria Lindstrom	$1,450
20. Petra Kamstra	$1,400
(tie) Romana Tedjakusuma	$1,400
(tie) Rika Hiraki	$1,400
(tie) Catalina Cristea	$1,400
24. Tamarine Tanasugarn	$1,120
(tie) Ludmila Varmuzova	$1,120
26. Maaike Koutstaal	$1,035
(tie) Hiromi Nagano	$1,035
28. Noelle van Lottum	$973
(tie) Maja Zivec-Skulj	$973
(tie) Kristina Brandi	$973
(tie) Anne Miller	$973
32. Marzia Grossi	$800

New Zealand

AUCKLAND, New Zealand (AP) — Results Tuesday of the $328,000 New Zealand Open (seedings in parentheses):
Singles
First Round
Jeremy Bates, Britain, def. Brian Dunn, Brandon, Fla., 7-5, 0-1 (retired).
Chuck Adams (5), Pacific Palisades, Calif., def. Scott Clark, New Zealand, 6-2, 6-2.
Carl-Uwe Steeb, Germany, def. Jonas Bjorkman (7), Sweden, 0-6, 6-1, 7-5.
Alexander Volkov (2), Russia, def. James Greenhaigh, New Zealand, 6-4, 6-4.
Javier Sanchez (4), Spain, def. Byron Black, Zimbabwe, 7-6 (11-9), 6-2.
Brett Steven, New Zealand, def. Ben Ellwood, Australia, 7-6 (7-2), 7-6 (7-5).
Alex O'Brien, Amarillo, Texas, def. James Sekulov, Australia, 7-6 (9-7), 6-4.
Vince Spadea, Boca Raton, Fla., def. Henrik Holm, Sweden, 7-6 (7-4), 6-3.
Cedric Pioline (8), France, def. Bryan Shelton, Atlanta, 6-0, 6-4.
Steven Downs, New Zealand, def. Fabrice Santoro (6), France, 6-2, 4-6, 6-1.

Tasmanian

HOBART, Australia (AP) — Results Tuesday of the $107,500 Tasmanian Open (seedings in parentheses):
Singles
First Round
Nicole Arendt, Gainesville, Fla., def. Maria Vento, Venezuela, 6-3, 7-6 (7-5).
Li Fang, China, def. Alexia Decaume-Balleret, France, 6-2, 6-3.
Jolene Watanabe, La Puenta, Calif., def. Petra Schwarz-Ritter, Austria, 6-1, 6-0.
Kyoko Nagatsuka, Japan, def. Irina Spirlea (7), Romania, 6-3, 6-1.
Patricia Hy-Boulais, Canada, def. Anne Miller, Midland, Mich., 6-4, 6-2.
Meike Babel, Germany, def. Larisa Neiland (6), Latvia, 7-6 (7-5), 6-1.
Tami Whitlinger-Jones, Henderson, Nev., def. Silvia Farina, Italy, 7-6 (7-1), 6-2.
Yone Kamio, Japan, def. Rachel McQuillan, Australia, 6-3, 6-3.
Chanda Rubin (2), Lafayette, La., def. Audra Keller, Memphis, Tenn., 7-6 (7-1), 6-2.

Indonesian

JAKARTA, Indonesia (AP) — Results Tuesday of the $328,000 Indonesian Open (seedings in parantheses):
Singles
First Round
Guillaume Raoux, France, def. Leander Paes, India, 6-2, 6-2.
Gerard Solves, France, def. Alexander Mronz, Germany, 6-4, 2-1 (retired).
Paul Haarhuis (2), Netherlands, def. Younes El Aynaoui, Morocco, 6-3, 6-2.
Mark Petchey, Britain, def. Hiracham Arazi, Morocco, 6-1, 6-3.
Markus Zoecke (4), Germany, def. Benny Wijaya, Indonesia, 6-1, 6-2.
Radomir Vasek, Czech Republic, def. Karim Alami (6), Morocco, 6-1, 6-4.
Xavier Daufresne, Belgium, def. Andrei Olhovskiy (8), Russia, 6-3, 7-5.
Stefano Pescosolido, Italy, def. Lars Johnsson, Sweden, 6-0, 7-5.
Ronald Agenor, Haiti, def. Filip de Wulf, Netherlands, 7-5, 6-1.

New S. Wales

SYDNEY, Australia (AP) — Results Tuesday of the $650,000 New South Wales Open at White City (seedings in parentheses):
Men
Singles
First Round
Todd Woodbridge, Australia, def. Joern Renzenbrink, Germany, 6-3, 6-2.
Renzo Furlan, Italy, def. Petr Korda (5), Czech Republic, 2-6, 6-3, 6-2.
Mark Woodforde, Australia, def. Daniel Vacek, Czech Republic, 6-2, 6-2.
Karel Novacek (8), Czech Republic, def. Louis Gloria, Orange, Conn., 6-7 (5-7), 6-4, 7-6 (7-5).
Richard Fromberg, Australia, def. Marc Rosset (1), Switzerland, 6-4, 6-4.
Richard Krajicek (4), Netherlands, def. Horst Skoff, Austria, 6-3, 6-1.
Patrick McEnroe, Cove Neck, N.Y., def. Karsten Braasch, Germany, 6-7 (5-7), 7-6 (9-7), 6-2.
Andrei Medvedev (2), Ukraine, def. Richey Reneberg, Houston, 6-4, 6-3.
Olivier Delaitre, France, def. Karol Kucera, Slovakia, 7-6 (7-4), 6-3.
Women
Singles
First Round
Martina Hingis, Switzerland, def. Meredith McGrath, Midland, Mich., 3-6, 6-2, 6-4.
Angelica Gavaldon, Mexico, def. Amanda Coetzer (7), South Africa, 5-7, 6-2, 7-5.
Shaun Stafford, Gainesville, Fla., def. Clare Wood, Britain, 7-5, 6-4.
Ludmila Richterova, Czech Republic, def. Petra Begerow, Germany, 4-2 (retired).
Naoko Sawamatsu, Japan, def. Debbie Graham, Tampa, Fla., 7-6 (7-1), 6-4.
Second Round
Kimiko Date (3), Japan, def. Mana Endo, Japan, 6-4, 6-1.

Transactions

Monday's Sports Transactions
The Associated Press

BASEBALL
National League
MONTREAL EXPOS—Signed Jerry Manuel, third base coach, for the 1995 season. Announced that Luis Pujols, first base coach, will not be retained. Signed Barry Manuel, pitcher, and Guillermo Velasquez, first baseman, to minor-league contracts.

BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association
BOSTON CELTICS—Activated Dino Radja, forward, from the injured list. Placed Acie Earl, center, on the injured list.
LOS ANGELES LAKERS—Placed Sedale Threatt, guard, on the injured list.
PORTLAND TRAIL BLAZERS—Placed Steve Henson, guard, on the injured list. Activated Aaron McKie, guard, from the injured list.
SACRAMENTO KINGS—Waived Trevor Wilson, forward.
SEATTLE SUPERSONICS—Fined Kendall Gill, guard, for failing to show up for practice due to a missed flight from Chicago.

NCAA-II Poll

OVERLAND PARK, Kan. (AP) — The top 20 teams in the men's NCAA Division II basketball poll with first-place votes in parentheses, records through Jan. 8, total points and previous ranking:

	Record	Pts	Pvs
1. Indiana, Pa. (8)	12-0	160	1
2. Virginia Union	10-0	152	2
3. Alabama A&M	4-1	140	3
4. Mo. Western State	12-0	138	4
5. Phil. Textile	8-0	128

Rockets void of all-star acclaim

By Eddie Sefco
A.P. Sports Writer

HOUSTON — For years, the NBA champion has been assured certain amenities, one of which has been a large entourage at the All-Star Game.

But the Houston Rockets probably will be exceptions to that rule. Rare exceptions, in fact.

Each year since 1971, the All-Star Game has had at least two representatives from the reigning NBA champion. In 1991, Detroit's Isiah Thomas was voted to the team but was injured and could not play, leaving Joe Dumars as the Pistons' lone representative. But the Pistons are in the record books as having had two All-Stars that season.

In the past 24 years, the champion of the previous season has placed two players in the All-Star Game nine times, three players on 14 occasions and four players once (Boston in the 1974-75 game).

The Rockets? Well, Hakeem Olajuwon is a sure thing when it comes to the All-Star Game. Barring unforeseen problems, Olajuwon will be at his usual spot, starting for the Western Conference.

But even after an NBA championship season, it looks as if he'll be the only Rocket at the midseason extravaganza Feb. 12 in Phoenix.

The only Rockets besides Olajuwon with a remote chance to be All-Stars are Otis Thorpe, Vernon Maxwell and Robert Horry. It would take an exceptional hot streak by any of these players before the All-Star break begins one month from today for them to make it.

"You can make a case for all those guys," coach Rudy Tomjanovich said. "Otis was playing very, very solid before he was injured. Vernon does a lot of things for us. And Robert is the sort of all-around player who doesn't get a lot of big numbers because he's so unselfish."

Nevertheless, each player figures he is a longshot to make the team.

Thorpe probably was the best prospect until he was injured Dec. 23. He hasn't played since, putting a dent in his chances. Before the injury, he was playing perhaps his best basketball since being an All-Star in the 1989-90 season. Thorpe has averaged 14.9 points and 10.7 rebounds but has played in only 20 of 30 games this season.

Last season, Chicago's Horace Grant made the Eastern Conference All-Star team after the Bulls' third consecutive championship. He averaged 15 points and 11 rebounds last season.

"I wasn't really concerned about that (being an All-Star)," Thorpe said. "But it's too bad it (the injury) happened when it did, because I was starting to feel pretty good about things."

Horry has been more consistent this season, but his averages of 11.4 points, 6.4 rebounds and 3.8 assists are not overwhelming.

"I'm too far behind in the voting," Horry said. "I doubt if we'll have anybody but Hakeem. But we should have at least two.

"If you talk about how much a player does to help his team win, then Max definitely should be on it. But they always go by the scoring average, and that's not fair.

"If they'd look at defense, how he's played when the game's on the line, then Max would make it all the way. But they don't go by that.

"They say his attitude hurts him, but (the Suns' Charles) Barkley's attitude doesn't hurt him. It's not right."

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But that's the way it is, or will be.

Maxwell is conceding defeat.

"All they ever look at is scoring average and that basically is it," he said. "I don't think they look at stuff like turnaround plays, where you take a disadvantage and turn it into an advantage, or at big plays when the game is on the line.

"And not too many defenders make the All-Star team, either."

Maxwell averages 14.6 points and 4.5 assists, but his contributions go beyond numbers. He has made numerous game-turning plays over the past two seasons, including an improbable 3-pointer against Golden State two weeks ago to win the game.

The Rockets realize there is an abundance of players in the Western Conference who have better numbers than any of the Rockets besides Olajuwon. But, the fact that Chicago had Scottie Pippin, B.J. Armstrong and Grant in last season's game after three titles in a row suggests the Rockets should expect a second player to be included.

There is a chance Olajuwon might be the only Rocket involved during the entire All-Star Weekend.

Last season, the Rockets had Olajuwon as the starter for the West, but their only other participant was Sam Cassell, who played in the inaugural Schick Rookie All-Star Game.

This year, the Rockets might not even get that much recognition, although Tim Breaux has an outside shot at making the rookie game.

No. 1 U. Mass escapes with overtime victory

Associated Press

OLEAN, N.Y. — Top-ranked Massachusetts survived a scare Tuesday night, scoring 10 of the last 11 points in overtime to escape with an 81-76 victory over St. Bonaventure.

Marcus Camby scored 7 of his 28 points in overtime. Massachusetts (9-1, 1-0 Atlantic-10) rallied from a 75-71 deficit in the final 2:24 of the extra session.

David Vanterpool scored 25 for St. Bonaventure (6-7, 0-3). His desperation 3-pointer with 5.2 seconds remaining in regulation tied it at 69 and forced the overtime.

The Minutemen won for the first time ever as the nation's No. 1 team, and won their eighth straight overall.

No. 7 Kentucky 83, No. 15 Florida 67

GAINESVILLE, Fla. — Tony Delk and Rodrick Rhodes each scored 17 points as seventh-ranked Kentucky used a balanced attack to beat No. 15 Florida.

The victory was the third straight Southeastern Conference blowout for the Wildcats (9-2, 3-0 SEC), who led by 12 at halftime and broke open the game with a 23-7 run at the start of the second half.

Once again, Florida (7-4, 1-2) was hurt by poor shooting (34.6 percent). Dan Cross, the SEC's second-leading scorer, led the Gators with 21 points but didn't get much help.

No. 9 Maryland 70, Florida St. 57

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. — Joe Smith had 18 points and 18 rebounds to lead ninth-ranked Maryland over Florida State.

The Terrapins (12-3, 2-1 Atlantic Coast Conference) scored the first eight points of the second half to move into a 39-28 lead. Florida State could get no closer than four points at 48-44 on a dunk by James Collins.

Maryland won despite having 14 shots blocked in the game — nine by Florida State freshman Corey Louis. Collins scored 18 points for the Seminoles (6-5, 0-3 ACC).

No. 10 Georgetown 80, Seton Hall 68

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J.

■ Top 25 Roundup

— Freshman guard Allen Iverson scored 13 of his 15 points in the second half and No. 10 Georgetown played two decidedly different halves in its victory over Seton Hall.

The Hoyas (10-1, 4-0 Big East) won their 10th straight game with long-range shooting in the first half and inside power in the second.

Seton Hall (10-4, 1-3) was able to stay close until the final four minutes when Iverson, tied as the conference's second-leading scorer at 21.3 per game, scored six of Georgetown's final 13 points, including its only 3-pointer of the second half.

(women)

No. 9 Virginia 78, Duke 62

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va. — Wendy Palmer scored 19 points Tuesday night to lead six players in double figures as No. 9 Virginia beat Duke in the Atlantic Coast Conference.

The Blue Devils (12-2, 3-1 ACC) trailed throughout the game and got no closer than 10 points in the second half.

Virginia (11-2, 4-0) led 45-33 at halftime.

Charleata Beale had 14 points, Monick Foote 12, Amy Lofstedt 11 and Tora Suber 10 for Virginia. Jenny Boucek added 10 points and seven assists, while Palmer grabbed six rebounds.

Kira Orr led Duke with 17 points and six assists. Carey Kauffman added 12 points and seven rebounds and Alison Day had nine rebounds.

(women)

No. 11 Alabama 84, Illinois 47

TUSCALOOSA, Ala. — Neisa Johnson had 24 points and No. 11 Alabama outscored Illinois by 31 points in the second half to pull away for a rout.

The Crimson Tide (12-2) led only 46-40 at halftime but thoroughly dominated the final 20 minutes.

(women)

No. 16 George Washington 55, St. Joseph's 53

PHILADELPHIA — Debbie Hemery made a 10-foot jump shot with 4.7 seconds left, giving No. 16 George Washington a victory over St. Joseph's in Atlantic-10 women's basketball.

Spurs stay hot with win over Clippers, 108-97

Associated Press

SAN ANTONIO — David Robinson scored 33 points and grabbed 11 rebounds Tuesday night to lead the San Antonio Spurs to a 108-97 victory over the Los Angeles Clippers.

The Spurs trailed for most of the game before moving ahead for good midway through the final period when Robinson scored six consecutive points.

The 7-foot-1 center strained a muscle in his lower back while scoring a rebound basket and left the game with 2:59 left, being helped to the sidelines by two teammates.

Vinny Del Negro had 18 points, Chuck Person 16 and Dennis Rodman 10 points and 21 rebounds for the Spurs, who won their fifth straight game. The Spurs have won 12 of 13 games since Rodman returned to their roster on Dec. 10.

Terry Dehere led Los Angeles with 22 points and Lamond Murray added 19. The Clippers have lost five consecutive games and 11 of their last 14.

■ NBA Roundup

Bulls 109, Magic 77

CHICAGO — Scottie Pippen had 26 points, 11 assists and 10 rebounds as Chicago defeated Orlando, snapping the Magic's four-game winning streak.

The 77 points by Orlando, the highest-scoring team in the NBA with a 114 point average, was a season low. The defeat was only Orlando's second in its last 11 games and fifth in its last 25. Overall, Orlando (26-7) is still the winningest team in the NBA.

Hornets 116, Cavaliers 108, OT

CLEVELAND — Scott Burrell's 3-pointer with one minute left in overtime was the backbreaker as Charlotte beat Cleveland, setting a franchise record with its sixth straight win.

Alonzo Mourning scored 25 points and Larry Johnson 24 for the Hornets, who won for the first time in 15 road games against Cleveland. Houston is now the only NBA city in which the Hornets have never won.

Mark Price, the Cavs' leading scorer, missed his second straight game because of a sprained right foot.

Kings 98, Timberwolves 85

MINNEPOLIS — Bobby Hurley sparked an 11-0 second-half run with five points and three assists as Sacramento defeated Minnesota.

It was Sacramento's third straight victory and their fifth in six games. It improved the Kings to 18-13, their best record after 31 games since 1982-83.

Knicks 117, Pacers 105

NEW YORK — John Starks tied a team record with eight 3-pointers and his 31 points eclipsed an equally strong performance from Indiana's Reggie Miller as New York stretched its winning streak to seven.

Pistons 98, Nets 84

AUBURN HILLS, Mich. — Joe Dumars scored 32 points and Detroit snapped its eight-game losing streak with a victory over New Jersey.

The Pistons dressed just 10 players, one more than in their previous game but still two less than normal. Five of their top eight scorers missed the game.

The defeat, New Jersey's fourth straight, was the Nets' eighth in nine game.

Hawks 99, Bullets 96

LANDOVER, Md. — Craig Ehlo scored 12 of his 21 points in the fourth quarter, including the go-ahead basket with 1:38 left, as the Atlanta Hawks handed Washington its ninth straight loss.

Horned Frogs outrun 'Horns, 102-98

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — Jeff Jacobs scored 26 points, including an 8-foot jumper in the final minute that helped Texas Christian pull away from Texas 102-98 and make Billy Tubbs a winner in his first Southwest Conference game Tuesday night.

The Horned Frogs (9-4, 1-0) led 55-50 at halftime and the game was tight throughout the second half until TCU used an 8-0 run to go ahead 87-79 with 7:21 to play.

The Longhorns (7-3, 0-1) fought to within 96-95 behind a 10-2 run that included four baskets by Terrence Rencher, who led Texas with 30 points.

Then Jacobs hit his clutch shot and TCU made 4 of 5 free throws in the last minute to seal the victory.

Kurt Thomas also starred for the Horned Frogs, scoring 23 points and grabbing 13 rebounds. He had five blocked shots, including one with 12 seconds left.

Byron Waits also had 13 board for TCU, which outrebounded UT 44-29.

Roderick Anderson had 25 points for the Longhorns, who were just outside the Top 25 in the latest Associated Press poll.

Although Tubbs was coaching his first SWC game, he had a 7-1 record against the Longhorns when he was at Oklahoma.

"Both teams ran the ball well, but we have an inside game and Texas doesn't," Tubbs said. "It was when Texas made us run our offense in the second half that we started to get into trouble."

Texas coach Tom Penders said the Longhorns just couldn't stop Jacobs, who doubled his average of 13.2 points per game.

"I thought he dominated us offensively unlike any point guard we've played this year," Penders said. "The kid was on fire."

Rencher was impressed by the Horned Frogs' hustle.

"They did all the intangibles, like diving for loose balls and knocking down open shots," he said. "I don't know if they played better than we expected."

Thomas came into the game ranked second in the NCAA in scoring at 28.5 points per game and No. 1 in rebounding at 13.9.

(women)

Texas 89, Texas Christian 49

AUSTIN — Freshman center Angela Jackson scored 20 points and had five blocks, helping Texas get off to a good start in Southwest Conference play with a victory.

Thanks in part to Jackson's presence in the middle, the Lady Longhorns (5-6, 1-0 SWC) limited the Horned Frogs to 33.3 percent shooting while themselves hitting 46.8 percent from the field.

Amber Hasenmyer scored 18 for Texas, Amie Smith had 11 and Erica Routt added 10.

Freshman Leah Garcia led TCU (1-10, 0-1) with 13 points. Sherri Worlow had 11 points and 10 rebounds and Stacy Price grabbed 11 rebounds.

Fromberg upsets top-seed

SYDNEY, Australia (AP) — Richard Fromberg upset top-seeded Marc Rosset of Switzerland 6-4, 6-4 Tuesday to join Australian Davis Cup teammates Todd Woodbridge and Mark Woodforde in the second round of the New South Wales Open.

"If I can keep playing like this I've got a great chance to do well," Fromberg said of the Australian Open, which begins Jan. 16 in Melbourne.

Rosset underwent finger surgery last month.

"The first match of the season is not easy for me," Rosset said. "The weather is so different to Europe."

Woodbridge beat Joern Renzenbrink of Germany 6-3, 6-2 and Woodforde defeated Daniel Vacek of the Czech Republic 6-2, 6-2.

Second-seeded Andrei Medvedev of Ukraine, fourth-seeded Richard Krajicek of the Netherlands and eighth-seeded Karel Novacek of the Czech Republic also advanced, while fifth-seeded Petr Korda of the Czech Republic was eliminated.

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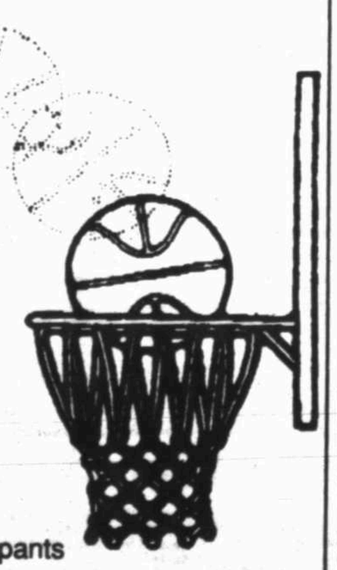

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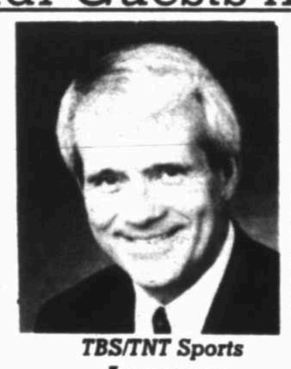

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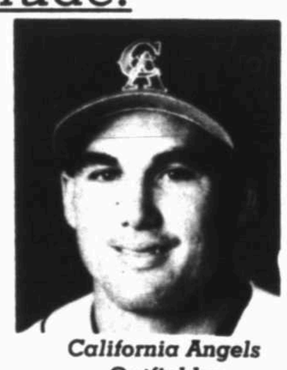

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BUSINESS WATCH

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- Previous Close $17.40
- One Year Ago $14.67

POSTED PRICE
- Today $15.75
- Previous Week $15.75
- One Year Ago $13.00

Prices dip

NEW YORK — Heating oil prices dropped sharply for a second day Tuesday as weather forecasters continued to predict mild weather for the Northeast through late next week.

Trading was light as dealers waited for weekly inventory figures that were released by the American Petroleum Institute after the market closed.

West Texas Intermediate for delivery in February finished at $17.37 per 42-gallon barrel, down 3 cents.

Warmer-than-normal weather forecasted for the Upper Midwest helped natural gas prices to a 1.5 cent drop. Natural gas settled at $1.439 per 1,000 cubic feet on the Nymex.

After the market closed Tuesday, the petroleum institute said refineries increased their production last week to 95.9 percent of capacity from 95 percent a week earlier.

Supplies of crude oil, gasoline and distillates dropped slightly. Crude stocks fell 271,000 barrels to 329.28 million, gasoline supplies dropped 905,000 barrels to 211.08 million and distillate inventories fell 381,000 to 143.31 million.

Dollar mixed

NEW YORK — The Canadian dollar fell to a nine-year low against the U.S. dollar on Tuesday, despite an increase in short-term interest rates by the Bank of Canada and the central bank's intervention to support the currency.

The American dollar, meanwhile, was mixed against other major currencies, declining vs. the German mark and advancing slightly against the Japanese yen in relatively quiet trading as the market took stock of Monday's dollar plunge.

In late New York trading, the Canadian dollar was quoted at.70.88 U.S. cents, down from 70.99 cents late Monday and the lowest level since March 1986.

In other late New York trading, the dollar was quoted at 100.08 yen, up from 99.93 late Monday, and at 1.5328 marks, down from 1.5373.

Other late dollar rates in New York, compared with late Monday: 1.2815 Swiss francs, down from 1.2853; 5.2940 French francs, down from 5.3135; and 1,626 Italian lire, up from 1,620.

The British pound was quoted at $1.5617, down from $1.5635.

Stocks rise

NEW YORK — Stocks ended modestly higher Tuesday as late in the session traders sold shares amid concern about upcoming inflation data. That came despite a report showing only moderate wholesale price increases in December.

The Dow average rose 5.39 points to 3,866.74.

The Nasdaq index was the day's best performer among market barometers, rising 4.43 to 756.52.

The NYSE's composite index rose 0.12 to 251.70.

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'94 wholesale inflation in check

■ Performance will be difficult to repeat if economy keeps soring, unemployment remains low, analysts say.

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Wholesale inflation was held in check in 1994 for the fourth straight year, a performance analysts said will be difficult to repeat if the economy keeps soaring and unemployment remains low.

The Labor Department said Tuesday that its Producer Price Index rose a modest 1.7 percent last year, compared to a 0.2 percent advance in 1993.

Declining energy costs helped offset a weather-related spike in food prices to end last year on a positive note — a 0.2 percent increase for the PPI in December. The gauge measures price pressures before they reach the consumer.

"There was acceleration in 1994, and we expect to see more of it," said economist Donald Ratajczak of Georgia State University in Atlanta. "The level of inflation is in a range we consider tolerable. The direction is upward, gradually not dramatically."

The Consumer Price Index to be announced Wednesday is expected to provide similar good news, showing a rise of under 3 percent for 1994.

But analysts cautioned that the Federal Reserve will have to keep ratcheting interest rates higher to restrain the economy and keep inflation under control.

Despite six increases in short-term interest rates by the Fed last year, consumers are still on a spending spree that probably propelled economic growth to above 4 percent for 1994. That expansion rate is considered far too rapid by most analysts to keep inflation at bay.

"At some point this has to explode," said economist Astrid Adolfson of MCM Moneywatch in New York City. "We've sort of defied gravity."

The Federal Reserve is likely to boost interest rates at least another half percentage point at the end of the month, analysts said.

"Right now, the game plan is move in late January and see its effect. If we're still growing fast, the Fed will move again," Ratajczak said.

Some believe the central bank already has gone too far.

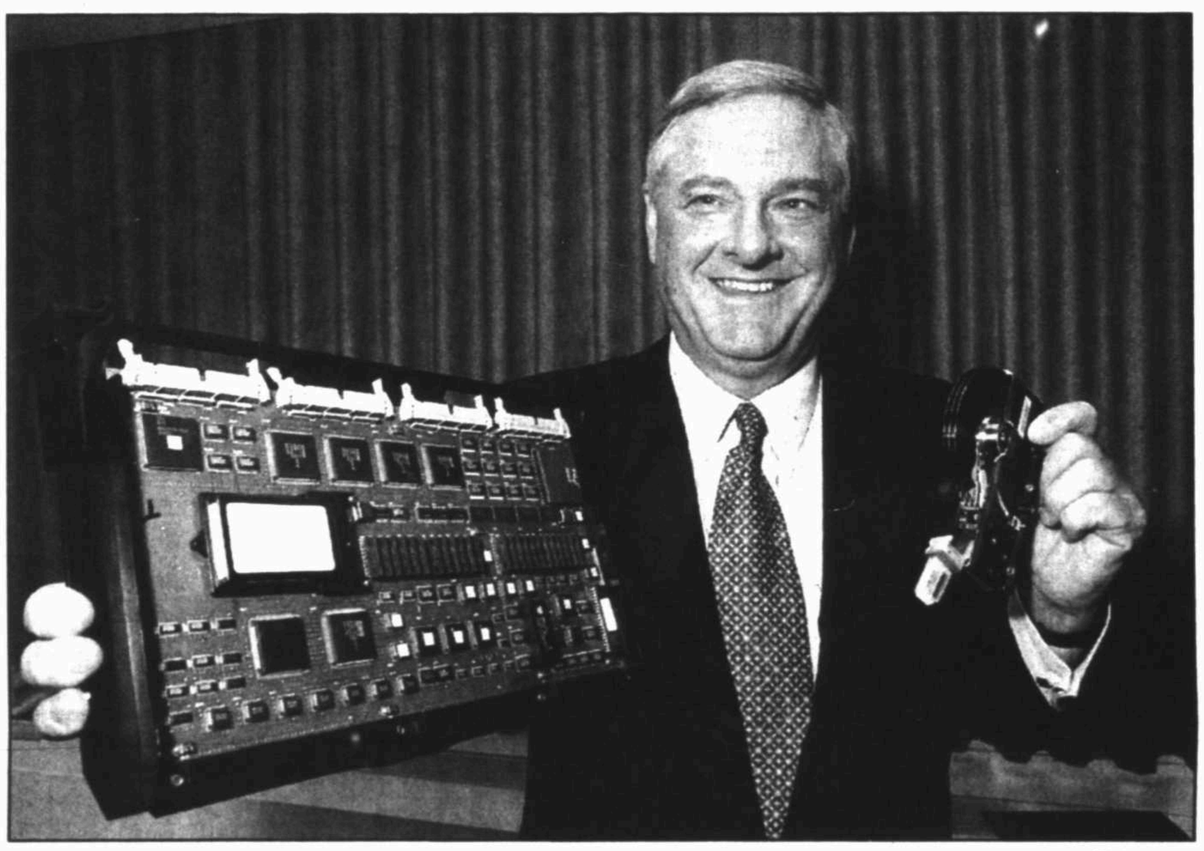
"Inflation continues to be more moderate than the Federal Reserve's attitude toward it," said Ron Schreibman of the National Association of Wholesaler Distributors.

House Minority Leader Richard A. Gephardt, D-Mo., said, "I wish some of the Fed officials who think the economy is too strong would come back to my district in St. Louis, and meet some of the families and workers who are barely making ends meet." Another rate increase "could cause needless economic distress for millions of workers."

The stock market rose after Tuesday's inflation report. But the Dow Jones industrial average, up as much as 30 points at one point, closed only about five points higher.

December's 0.2 increase in the PPI, matching analysts' expectations, followed a 0.5 percent rise in November and a 0.5 percent decline in October.

Excluding more-volatile food and energy prices, the index rose 0.2 percent in December compared with 0.1 percent the previous month.



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Group together

IBM Senior Vice President John M. Thompson displays new components from the company's AS/400 line of mini computers in New York, Tuesday. IBM announced a consolidation of its divisions Monday, saying it will group its software businesses together and eliminate the barrier between international and domestic marketing.

Museum director Rowland resigns

Staff Report

The board of the Petroleum Museum announced Tuesday that Ed Rowland, Executive Director of the Museum, had resigned to pursue other professional interests.

Jane Phares, interim director, said that during his 16 years at the Museum, Rowland had helped to establish it both as an educational and community asset. Phares will serve as interim director until such time as the museum board is able to begin a search. In the role of program director at the museum, Phares was responsible for all education, outreach and special programs and exhibits for the Petroleum Museum.

This year will mark the 20th anniversary of the non-profit Petroleum Museum, which was founded to improve public understanding of oil and gas industry.

Noted economist to speak at PBPA

Staff Report

Dr. Ray Perryman, noted Texas economist, will be the featured speaker Thursday, 11:30 a.m. at the regular monthly meeting of the Permian Basin Petroleum Association at the Petroleum Club of Midland.

He will speak in place of State Sen. Teel Bivens, who canceled to attend this week's legislative session.

Often called the most quoted man in Texas, Perryman holds a Ph.D in economics from Rice University and publishes the Perryman Report and Texas Economic Forecast of statewide economic activity. He will present his views and analysis of a number of topics including the election of George W. Bush and his possible influence upon state oil and gas incentives; electronic food stamp distribution; trucking deregulation; and the November 1994 elections.

Cited as a "world-class scholar" the Waco economist pioneered the concept of using timely and reliable economic information for strategic planning, and has been cited for his work by the U.S. Congress and Texas Legislature.

City's second Denny's restaurant to open doors Thursday

Midland's second Denny's Restaurant will open its doors Thursday morning at 7 a.m. The restaurant is located at 2308 N. Loop 250 West, between Talbot's and the Outback Steakhouse.

Grand opening specials include the Grand Slam breakfast for $1.99 from 5 a.m. to 10 p.m. and a prime rib dinner for $7.99 from 4 to 10 p.m.

General Manager Sunnie Montgomery, who transferred to Midland to manage the restaurant, said it will be open 24 hours a day and offer the traditional Denny's menu — breakfast, lunch, dinner and late night. The new restaurant will seat 145 and also offers carry-out service.

It has a staff of 80, 75 percent of whom are employed full-time, Montgomery said.

Owner of Midland's newest Denny's is Denwest Corp. of Scottsdale, Ariz., the largest Denny's franchiser nationally. Denwest currently has 80 restaurants and Montgomery said the company plans to open another 20 within the next four months.

Montgomery and an assistant manager, Debbie Freshower, who transferred to Midland from Huntsville, said they have been very impressed with Midland's friendliness.

BUSINESS SCENE

Midland True Value moves to new location

By Mella McEwen

Settled into its new location is **MIDLAND TRUE VALUE,** now located on the north side of San Miguel Square, Midkiff Road and Wadley Avenue, and a block north of its old location.

McEwen

Bill Gressett, who owns the store with his brother David, said the new location — former home of Doug's Baby Store and some additional space, is 25 percent larger than the old location.

This, he said, has allowed him to add new inventory, "and, as time goes on, we'll have the space to add quite a bit more." The new space already has allowed him to add a full-service rental department, renting everything from party supplies to trenching machines

But, he said, the store's main business is "your basic hardware store-type items, plumbing and electrical goods, paint and tools."

Hours are 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday through Saturday and 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday.

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Delora Kirby, well known in Midland for more than three decades, is closing Red Door Antiques in Odessa.

The popular shop, specializing in estate jewelry, original paintings and other are, sterling silver and a wide variety of both primitive and formal antiques, including furniture, is expected to close by the end of February. Kirby also conducted frequent estate sales in both Midland and Odessa as well as throughout the Southwest.

The history of Red Door Antiques began in the mid-1940s when the Kirbys were traveling through Odessa and their car broke down. After working in jewelry stores for 10 years, she became interested in the antiques business, and the result was a store well-known throughout West Texas and with clients scattered throughout the country. Kirby's business grew to the point that she was buying antiques throughout the United States and Europe.

She will continue conducting estate sales, appraisals and to do consulting.

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Midlander Raymond Meek has opened **MEEK'S TAE KWON DO** at 4313 W. Illinois Ave.

Meek's Tae Kwon Do Corp. offers classes for all ages, from children to adults. Class times are from noon to 1 p.m. Monday through Friday and from 6 to 7:30 p.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Meek, who has been doing the martial art for 21 years, will teach both traditional and sport tae kwon do. A former teacher at Lee's Tae Kwon Do, he left to open his own school. He is a fourth-degree black belt and hopes to qualify for his master's this year.

Other teachers include Lee Blair, a third-degree black belt, David Lopez, a second-degree black belt, and assistant teachers Rusty Hill and Matt Mullen, both first-degree black belts.

Rates vary, depending on length of the contract and number of family members. There is a one-time membership fee, and uniforms can be bought at the school or furnished by the student.

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Midland-based **RED OAK REALTY** has purchased the Southwest Plaza shopping center in San Angelo. The 198,368-square-foot center is located at Knickerbocker Road and Sunset Drive and anchored by Food Basket, U.A. Southwest Cinema and Hastings.

Red Oak is a wholly owned subsidiary of Southwest Royalties Inc. and acquired Plaza Oaks and the Woodhill Building in Midland and the Town & Country Shopping Center in Odessa last year.

Neill McClung, president of Red Oak, said, "Red Oak will continue to invest in income producing commercial properties with unique locations in their respective communities. We target smaller markets in the Southwest that are experiencing population growth and retail absorption."

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Perry Anderson, a 20-year veteran of the Dairy Queen system, has been elected to serve a three-year term on the Texas Dairy Queen Operators' Council Board of Directors. He will represent Dairy Queen operators in the Midland, Odessa and El Paso areas. Perry and hs brother Larry currently own and operate eight Dairy Queen stores in Odessa, Pecos, Monahans and Kermit.

Mella McEwen is a business/oil writer for the Reporter-Telegram.

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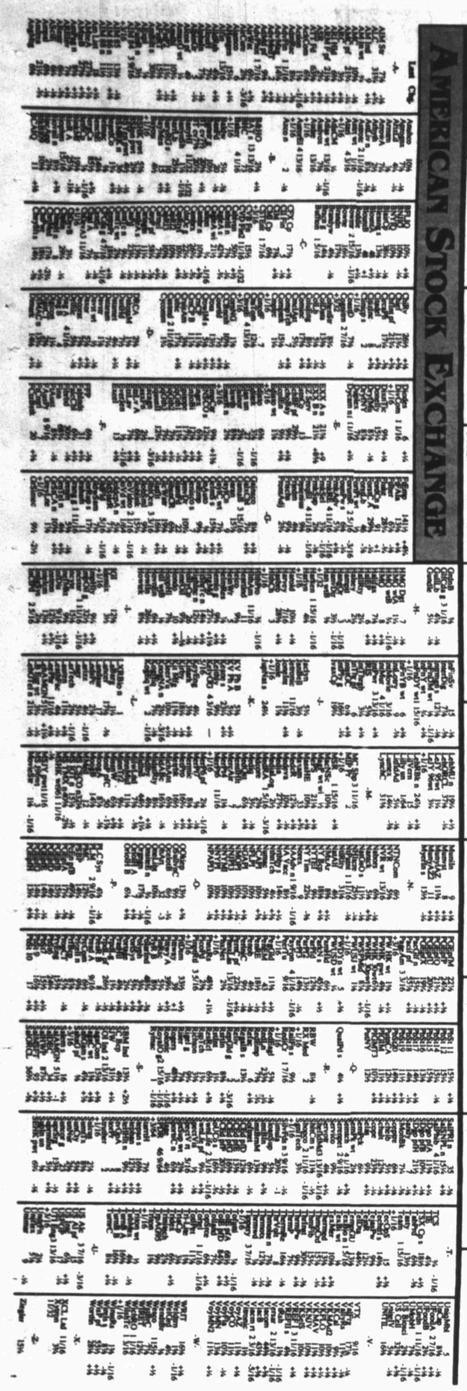

MUTUAL FUNDS

	Buy	Sell	Chg.
NAAL Mutual:			
Bond p	9.28	9.74	+.01
CaGr p	14.01	14.71	+.05
MuBd p	10.17	10.68	+.03
SmCoSt	10.24	10.75	+.11
Util p	8.97	9.42	—.03
AARP Invst:			
BalSt&B	14.35	N.L.	
CaGr	30.14	N.L.	+.08
GiniM	14.56	N.L.	+.03
GthInc	31.74	N.L.	—.10
HQ Bd	14.93	N.L.	+.03
TxFBd	16.60	N.L.	+.03
ABT Funds:			
Emrg p	13.60	14.28	+.16
FL HI	9.64	10.12	+.04
FL TF	10.40	10.92	+.04
GthIn p	10.23	10.74	+.01
UtilIn p	10.50	11.02	—.04
AHA Funds:			
Balan	11.30	N.L.	+.02
Full	9.26	N.L.	+.02
Lim	9.91	N.L.	+.01
AIM Funds:			
Agrsv p	28.38	30.03	+.29
Chart p	8.20	8.68	+.05
Const p	17.25	18.25	+.20
GovSc p	9.00	9.45	+.02
Grth p	10.39	10.99	+.11
HYGd A p	8.95	9.40	+.01
HYGdB t	8.94	8.94	+.01
Inco p	7.16	7.52	—.01
IntlE p	11.79	12.48	—.07
LimM p	9.79	9.89	
MuB p	7.80	8.19	+.01
Sumit	9.01		+.11
TF Int	10.40	10.51	+.01
Util p	11.79	12.48	—.01
ValuB t	21.35	21.35	+.16
Valu p	21.37	22.61	+.16
Weing p	15.29	16.18	+.16
AMF Funds:			
AdjMtg	9.72	N.L.	
IntMtg	9.22	N.L.	+.01
ShUS Gv	10.32	N.L.	+.01
US GvMt	10.11	N.L.	+.02
ARK Funds:			
CapGr	9.43	N.L.	—.03
GrInc	9.47	N.L.	—.05
Income	9.27	N.L.	
AVESTA:			
Income	15.43	15.43	+.04
AcomIn	14.77	14.77	—.10
AcornF	12.09	12.09	—.01
AdvCBal p	9.99	N.L.	+.02
AdvCRet p	9.21	N.L.	+.03
Advest Advant:			
Govt p	8.73	8.73	+.02
Gwth p	15.64	15.64	+.03
HY Bd p	8.27	8.27	—.01
Inco p	11.55	11.55	
Aetna Select:			
Aetna	10.35	N.L.	+.02
GrwInco	10.89	N.L.	+.02
Alger Funds:			
Grwth t	20.25	20.25	+.17
SmCap t	22.17	22.17	+.14
Alliance Cap:			
Alian p	5.75	6.01	+.03
Balan p	12.94	13.51	+.01
BondA p	10.96	11.45	—.35
CpBB p	10.95	10.95	—.35
CpBC p	10.95	10.95	—.36
GIDGB p	6.42	6.42	—.63
GlbSA p	8.85	9.24	+.02
GovtA p	7.51	7.84	+.01
GovtB p	7.51	7.51	+.01
GovtC p	7.51	7.51	+.02
GrInc p	2.12	2.21	—.01
GwthC	20.53	20.53	+.09
GthF p	24.27	25.35	+.09
GwthB t	20.52	20.52	+.08
GrIncB p	2.12	2.12	
InBldC	9.18	9.18	—.02
InMA p	9.04	9.44	+.05
InsMB	9.04	9.04	+.05
IntlA p	16.02	16.73	—.10
MrtgA p	8.11	8.47	+.01
MrtgB p	8.12	8.12	+.02
MrtgC p	8.12	8.12	+.02
MtgTA p	9.42	9.84	
MtgTB p	9.43	9.43	
MtgTC p	9.43	9.43	
MMSA p	6.89	7.20	—.15
MMSB t	6.90	6.90	—.14
MCAA p	9.30	9.71	+.06
MCAB p	9.30	9.30	+.06
MCAC p	9.30	9.30	+.06
MIICAA p	11.87	12.40	+.09
MIINB p	9.35	9.35	+.03
MNYA p	8.70	9.09	+.04
MNYB p	8.70	8.70	+.04
NMuA p	9.35	9.77	+.03
NMuC p	9.35	9.35	+.03
NEur p	12.78	13.35	+.06
NAGvA p	5.67	5.92	—.42
NAGB p	5.68	5.68	—.41
NAGvC p	5.67	5.67	—.42
PGthB p	10.85	10.85	+.05
QuurA p	17.96	18.76	+.07
ST Mla p	7.56	7.90	—.14
ST Mlb t	7.56	7.56	—.14
Tech p	30.45	31.80	+.50
WldIn p	1.69	1.69	—.03
WldPrB p	9.53	9.53	—.15
AmSouth Funds:			
Balanc	11.24	11.77	+.01
Bond	10.09	10.40	+.02
Equity	14.16	14.83	
LadMat	9.91	10.22	+.01
RegEq	16.69	17.48	+.06
Ambassador Fnd:			
Balncd	9.62	9.62	+.05
Bond	9.04	9.04	+.02
EstCoGr	15.34	15.34	+.06
Grwth	12.50	12.50	+.20
IdxStk	11.71	N.L.	+.02
IntBond	9.08	9.08	+.01
IntlStk	12.31	12.31	—.10
SCoGr	13.49	N.L.	—.01
Ambassador Inv:			
EstCoGr	15.32	15.32	+.06
Grwth	12.46	12.46	+.19
IncBd	9.64	9.64	+.01
IntBond	9.09	N.L.	+.02
IntlStk	12.29	12.29	—.10
TFBd	9.78	9.78	+.04
TFIntBd	9.90	9.90	+.03
Amcore Vintage:			
Equity	10.47	N.L.	+.01
FxInco	9.44	N.L.	+.02
Amer AAdvant Instl:			
Balan	11.56	N.L.	
LtdTr	9.62	N.L.	
Amer Capital:			
CmstA p	12.52	13.28	
CpBdA p	6.38	6.70	+.02
EGA p	23.19	24.60	+.20
EGB t	22.62	22.62	+.20
EmA p	11.40	12.10	+.06
EmB t	11.35	11.35	+.06
EqInc A p	5.18	5.50	
EqIncB t	5.18	5.18	+.01
FMgA p	11.92	12.19	+.01
GIEqA p	10.93	11.60	
GIEqB t	10.70	N.L.	
GlOv p	7.88	8.27	+.01
GlOvB t	7.92	N.L.	+.01
GvScA p	9.63	10.11	+.04
GvScB t	9.64	9.64	+.03
GvTIA p	7.99	8.39	+.02
GvTIB t	8.00	8.00	+.03
GrInA p	11.44	12.14	+.01
HarbA p	13.32	14.13	+.03
HarbB t	13.27	13.27	+.02
HiYldA p	5.85	6.14	
HiYldB t	5.86	5.86	
MuBA p	9.63	10.11	+.02
PaceA p	9.80	10.40	+.04
TEHA p	10.60	11.13	+.02
TEHB t	10.59	10.59	+.01
TxEIA p	10.73	11.27	+.02
American Funds:			
A Bal p	12.05	12.79	
Amcp p	11.80	12.52	+.08
AMutl p	20.23	21.46	+.01
Bond p	12.63	13.26	
CapIB p	31.61	33.54	—.02
CapW p	15.00	15.75	—.01
CapWG p	17.32	18.38	—.07
Eupac p	20.62	21.88	—.18
FdInv p	17.62	18.69	+.04
Govt p	12.68	13.31	+.02
Gwth p	25.85	27.43	+.14
HI Tr p	13.02	13.67	
Inco p	13.18	13.98	
IntBd p	12.91	13.55	+.02
ICA p	17.79	18.88	+.02
LTEBp	13.61	14.29	+.01
NEco p	13.62	14.45	—.05
N Per p	14.31	15.18	—.04
SmCp p	21.11	22.40	—.05
TxEx p	11.14	11.70	+.01
TECA p	14.66	15.39	+.03
TEMd p	14.38	15.10	+.02
TEVA p	14.84	15.58	+.03
Wsh p	16.95	17.98	+.01
A GthFd	7.27	7.71	+.02
A Hertig	.87	N.L.	
Ameer Natl Funds:			
Grth	3.84	4.07	
Inco	19.01	20.17	—.01
API Gr pf	11.14	N.L.	+.02
Am Perform:			
Equity	10.15	10.57	+.02
IntBd	9.90	10.21	+.02
AmUtdFd	19.70	N.L.	+.02
Amway	6.92	7.13	+.05
Analyt	11.14	N.L.	
Aquila Funds:			
AZ TF	9.87	10.28	+.04
CO TF	9.87	10.28	+.03
HI TF	10.68	11.13	+.04
KY TF	10.01	10.43	+.03
OR TF	9.96	10.38	+.03
ArielApp p	19.33	N.L.	+.04
ArielGro p	26.57	N.L.	—.02
Atlas Funds:			
CaMunA	10.36	10.68	+.02
GvtScA	9.54	9.84	+.03
GrolncA	13.41	13.82	+.03
NaMunA	10.44	10.76	+.01
BB&T Funds:			
GrolncT	10.76	N.L.	—.02
IntGovT	9.17	N.L.	+.02
BEA Funds:			
EMIdE	16.93	16.93	—.82
IntlEq	16.89	16.89	—.20
ShDurCh	4.89	N.L.	
StgFx p	14.11	14.11	—.29
USCPxIn	13.98	13.98	—.01
BNY Hamilton:			
EqInc	10.74	11.07	+.05
IntGovt	9.10	9.38	+.03
NY TE	9.61	9.91	+.01
BT:			
InstAstM	9.43	N.L.	+.01
InstEqIx	10.50	N.L.	+.02
InvEqIx	10.42	N.L.	+.02
InvIntEq	13.10	N.L.	—.10
Babson Group:			
Bond L	1.46	N.L.	
Enetp	15.09	N.L.	+.02
Gwth	11.98	N.L.	
Intl	15.07	N.L.	—.11
UMB B	10.45	N.L.	+.01
UMB St	15.06	N.L.	—.02
Value	25.18	N.L.	+.01
BallardBiehl&Kaiser:			
Diversa	11.60	N.L.	
IntlEq	5.61	N.L.	—.02
IntlFf	7.81	N.L.	+.02
Baird Funds:			
AdjInc	8.80	9.10	
BICbip p	18.89	20.04	+.05
CapDv p	22.45	23.82	+.15
BaronA	22.10	N.L.	+.11
Bartlett Funds:			
BasVl	14.17	N.L.	—.01
FixedI	9.45	N.L.	+.01
Vl Intl	11.36	N.L.	—.07
BayFunds Instl:			
ST Yield	9.13	N.L.	+.01
Bond	9.41	N.L.	+.01
Equity	10.55	N.L.	+.02

Benchmark Funds:			
BondA		N.L.	
DivGrA		N.L.	
EqIdxA	10.57	N.L.	+.02
PacGrA		N.L.	
IntlGrA	9.65	N.L.	—.06
ShtDur	9.97	N.L.	
SIBdA		N.L.	
SmCoIA	10.38	N.L.	+.03
Benham Group:			
AdjGov	9.26	N.L.	+.01
CaTFI	10.43	N.L.	+.01
CatFin	9.27	N.L.	+.02
CaTFS	9.89	N.L.	—.01
CatIH	8.57	N.L.	+.03
CatFL	10.27	N.L.	+.03
EqGro	11.56	N.L.	+.04
EurBd	10.40	N.L.	+.02
GNMA	9.92	N.L.	+.04
GoldIn	10.62	N.L.	+.20
IncGro	13.99	N.L.	+.04
NITFI	10.21	N.L.	+.01
NITFL	10.74	N.L.	+.01
Tg1995	95.51	N.L.	+.05
Tg2000	66.64	N.L.	+.15
Tg2005	46.13	N.L.	+.30
Tg2010	33.05	N.L.	+.14
Tg2015	24.19	N.L.	+.09
Tg2020	16.35	N.L.	+.07
TNote	9.77	N.L.	+.02
UtilIn	8.76	N.L.	—.03
Berger Group:			
100 p	15.55	N.L.	+.05
101 p	10.57	N.L.	—.02
SmCoG p	2.77	N.L.	
Bernstein Fds:			
GvSh	12.17	N.L.	+.01
ShtDur	12.15	N.L.	+.01
IntDur	12.40	N.L.	+.02
Ca Mu	12.78	N.L.	+.03
DivMu	12.78	N.L.	+.02
NYMu	12.76	N.L.	+.03
IntlVal	15.29	N.L.	
BerwynFd	17.83	N.L.	+.09
BerwynInc	10.83	N.L.	+.03
Biltmore Funds:			
Balncd	9.78	10.24	
Equity	10.14	10.62	—.02
EqIndx	10.37	10.86	+.01
FixedIn	9.01	9.43	+.03
QuantEq	9.70	10.16	+.01
STFixIn	9.59	10.04	+.01
SCMuni	10.18	10.66	+.02
Blanchard Funds:			
FlexInc	4.54	N.L.	
GlGr p	9.30	N.L.	—.02
PrcM p	6.58	N.L.	+.12
ST Gl	1.66	N.L.	—.02
Brndyw	23.49	N.L.	+.24
Brinson Funds:			
Global	10.33	N.L.	
NUSEqt	9.55	N.L.	+.01
Bull & Bear Gp:			
SpEq p	19.25	N.L.	+.13
Burnhm p	19.30	19.90	+.03
C&SRlty	31.81	N.L.	—.12
CGM Funds:			
CapDv	21.32	N.L.	—.06
Mutl	25.18	N.L.	—.03
California Trust:			
CalInc	11.36	N.L.	+.08
Calvert Group:			
GlobEq	15.58	16.36	—.18
Inco	15.51	16.11	+.04
Social p	27.87	29.26	+.09
SocBd	15.21	15.80	+.04
SocEq	17.73	18.61	—.10
TxF Lt	10.61	10.83	
TxF Lg	15.91	16.53	+.03
TxF VT	15.40	16.00	+.02
Cambridge Fds:			
GvInB t	12.41	12.41	
MuInB t	14.05	14.05	+.03
Capstone Group:			
Grwth	12.50	13.12	+.06
GvtInc	4.74	N.L.	
Cardinal Family:			
Fund	11.36	12.09	
GvtOblg	7.81	8.18	+.02
Centura Funds:			
EqGrvC	9.62	N.L.	+.01
FedSInC	9.70	N.L.	+.01
Cnt Shs	22.00	N.L.	+.03
ChesGrth	14.12	14.56	+.16
Chestnt	145.73	N.L.	+.88
Clipper	46.49	N.L.	—.05
Colonial Funds:			
CalTE A	6.72	7.06	+.04
ConTE A	6.93	7.28	+.03
FedSA	9.85	10.34	+.03
FundA	7.36	7.81	+.01
GrthA p	12.17	12.91	+.05
HiYldA	6.31	6.62	+.01
IncoA p	5.95	6.25	+.01
IntGrA	9.42	9.99	—.08
MATxA t	7.22	7.58	+.04
NY TE A	6.52	6.85	+.02
OhTE A	6.80	7.14	+.03
StrtInA	6.49	6.81	—.01
TxEA p	12.53	13.15	+.05
TxInsA p	7.64	8.02	+.03
USGrA	11.27	11.96	+.02
USGvA	6.25	6.56	+.02
UtilA p	11.76	12.35	
CATEB t	6.72	6.72	+.04
CTTEB t	6.93	6.93	+.03
FedSB t	9.85	9.85	+.03
FundB t	7.36	7.36	+.01
GlEqB	11.02	11.02	—.04
GwthB t	12.13	12.13	+.05
HYMB t	9.45	9.45	+.01
HYSecB t	6.31	6.31	+.01
IntGrB	9.34	9.34	—.08
MATxB t	7.22	7.22	+.04
OHTxB t	6.80	6.80	+.03
StrtInB t	6.49	6.49	—.01
TxExB t	12.53	12.53	+.05
TEInsB t	7.64	7.64	+.03
USGvB t	11.20	11.20	+.02
USGvB t	6.25	6.25	+.02
UtilB t	11.76	11.76	
Columbia Funds:			
Balance	17.32	N.L.	+.05
ComStk	15.19	N.L.	+.04
Fixed	12.16	N.L.	+.02
Grth	24.83	N.L.	+.01
IndStk	12.11	N.L.	—.02
Muni	11.53	N.L.	+.03
Specl	18.56	N.L.	+.06
Common Sense:			
Govt	9.92	10.64	+.03
Grwth	13.72	14.99	+.05
GrInc	13.61	14.87	+.01
MunB	12.83	13.47	+.02
Compass Capital:			
EqInc	11.38	11.82	—.05
PxdIn	9.80	10.18	+.02
Grwth	10.75	11.17	+.03
IntlFl	10.12	10.51	+.01
NJ Mun	10.55	10.96	+.04
StkInt	9.98	10.37	+.01
Composite Group:			
BdStkA p	11.17	11.70	—.01
GwthA p	11.90	12.46	—.02
InFdA p	8.30	8.65	+.02
NW50A p	14.22	14.89	—.01
TxExA p	7.15	7.45	+.01
USGvA p	9.65	10.05	+.03
Conestoga Funds:			
Equity	13.64	13.92	
Conn Mutual:			
Govt	9.78	10.19	+.03
Grwth	14.28	15.03	+.04
Income	9.13	9.32	+.01
TotRet	13.47	14.18	+.03
CG Cap Mkt Fds:			
InterFx	7.68	N.L.	+.02
IntlEq	9.70	N.L.	
IntlFx	8.04	N.L.	
LgGrw	9.75	N.L.	+.06
LgVal	8.60	N.L.	
LTBnd	7.64	N.L.	+.01
MtgBkd	7.45	N.L.	+.02
Mutl	7.64	N.L.	+.04
SmGrw	13.41	N.L.	+.14
SmVal	8.32	N.L.	+.03
Copley	19.90	N.L.	+.04
CoreFunds:			
BalanA	9.87	N.L.	+.03
EqIdx	20.23	N.L.	+.04
GrEqA	9.43	N.L.	+.05
IntBdA	9.49	N.L.	+.01
IntlGrA	11.64	N.L.	—.05
Crabbe Huson:			
AstAll p	12.30	N.L.	+.03
Equity p	15.93	N.L.	+.03
Special	13.46	N.L.	+.02
CrestFunds:			
BondTr	9.15	N.L.	+.02
SIBdTr	9.48	N.L.	+.01
SpEqTr	10.19	N.L.	—.02
ValueTr	10.25	N.L.	+.01
CuRd Adj	9.82	N.L.	
DG Investor:			
Equity	10.79	11.01	+.04
GvtInc	9.22	9.41	+.02
LTGvt	9.52	9.71	+.01
Dean Witter:			
AmVl t	21.19	21.19	+.12
CalTF t	11.90	11.90	+.02
CapGr t	11.93	11.93	+.04
Convt t	10.10	10.10	
DevGr t	17.33	17.33	+.22
DivGr t	29.41	29.41	—.06
Divin t	9.27	9.27	+.01
Euro t	11.83	11.83	+.05
Glbl t	8.55	8.55	—.02
GlbDiv t	10.81	10.81	+.03
GlobUt t	9.75	9.75	—.03
FedSec t	8.71	8.71	+.02
HthSc t	10.23	10.23	+.03
Hilnc p	9.66	9.66	+.01
HiYld	6.41	6.78	
IntSm t	8.84	8.84	
Intmd t	9.18	9.18	+.01
LadMun	9.06	9.06	+.01
MuAZ t	9.68	10.08	+.02
MuCA t	9.62	10.02	+.03
MUFL t	9.92	10.33	+.02
MUNJ t	9.77	10.18	+.03
MtPA t	9.86	10.27	+.02
NYTF t	10.87	10.87	+.03
NtlRs t	10.55	10.55	—.01
PacGr t	17.49	17.49	—.17
PrcM t	9.66	9.66	+.15
Premr p	8.55	8.81	
SelMu p	11.38	11.38	+.02
Mngd t	10.35	10.35	
ST US p	9.68	9.68	+.01
Strat t	13.81	13.81	+.02
TaxEx	11.06	11.52	+.02
USGvt t	8.41	8.41	+.02
Util	12.32	12.32	—.01
ValAd t	19.85	19.85	+.02
WWIn	8.33	8.33	—.01
WldW t	16.12	16.12	—.12
TC Bal p	8.78	8.78	—.04
TCCor t	11.49	11.49	—.02
TC Inc	9.73	9.73	
TCLat t	8.73	8.73	—.80
TCNor p	7.83	7.83	—.01
TCSCp t	9.50	9.50	+.08
Del Grp Instl:			
DlchI	6.04	6.04	
Delaware Group:			
TrendA p	11.73	12.45	+.05
ValueA p	18.68	19.82	—.06
DelcpA p	22.75	24.14	+.08
DecInA p	15.34	16.28	—.01
DeTRA p	12.06	12.80	
DelawA p	17.18	18.23	
IntEqA p	11.27	11.96	+.02
DelchA p	6.04	6.34	
USGvA p	7.65	8.03	+.01
TreasA p	9.00	9.28	+.02
TxUSA p	11.60	12.18	+.02
TxInsA p	10.67	11.20	+.02
TxPnA p	7.97	8.37	+.02
Dimensional Fds:			
IntlVal	9.91	N.L.	—.01
US Lg	13.81	N.L.	+.01
US Sml	8.61	N.L.	+.02
US 6-10	10.31	N.L.	+.02
Japan	24.51	N.L.	+.04
UKing	22.93	N.L.	+.02
Cont	14.59	N.L.	—.01

Flxd	100.04	N.L.	+.06
GlBd	97.26	N.L.	+.02
Govt	97.31	N.L.	+.07
IntGv	102.05	N.L.	+.21
IntlHBM	11.27	N.L.	—.01
LCapInt	11.60	N.L.	—.01
PacRim	14.98	N.L.	—.07
USLgVal	10.24	N.L.	—.01
USSmVal	11.34	N.L.	+.01
Dodge&Cox:			
Balan	45.56	N.L.	+.07
Inco	10.76	N.L.	+.02
Stock	54.55	N.L.	+.10
Dreyfus:			
A Bond	13.27	N.L.	+.04
Aprec p	15.06	N.L.	—.03
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GrInc	15.71	N.L.	+.02
GthOp	8.27	N.L.	+.04
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ShIGv	10.54	N.L.	+.01
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ShInT p	12.71	N.L.	+.01
SpGr p	14.49	N.L.	—.10
Thrd C	6.55	N.L.	+.01
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UST Lng	13.25	N.L.	+.02
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Dreyfus Consucnt:			
CapVIA	10.96	11.48	+.03
CapVB t	10.81	N.L.	+.03
PStgA p	8.80	9.21	+.02
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Dreyfus Premier:			
BalncdR	9.81	N.L.	+.02
CAMA	11.98	12.54	+.03
CTMA t	11.31	11.84	+.02
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FLMA	13.90	14.55	+.03
GlbInA	14.75	N.L.	—.02
GlbInB t	14.65	14.65	—.02
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NYMB t	13.40	13.40	+.04
OHMA	12.20	12.77	+.02
PAMA	15.35	16.07	+.03
PAMB t	15.34	15.34	+.02
TXMA	19.68	20.61	+.03
VAMA	15.26	15.98	+.03
Dreyfus Strategic:			
GlGr p	32.64	33.86	—.08
Grwth p	39.09	40.30	—.11
Inco p	12.81	13.21	
Inv A	18.64	19.52	—.01
DuffPfEnR	9.94	N.L.	
Dupree Mutual:			
KYTF	7.07	N.L.	+.01
KYSM	5.15	N.L.	
EBI Funds:			
Equity p	56.17	N.L.	+.01
Flex p	50.88	N.L.	+.11
Multifx p	38.92	38.92	+.04
Eaton V Classic:			
Govt p	8.99	8.99	+.02
Eaton V Marathon:			
CALtd t	9.65	9.65	+.03
FLLtd t	9.80	9.80	+.03
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MATxF t	9.65	9.65	+.05
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MOTxF t	9.69	9.69	+.06
NJTxF t	9.86	9.86	+.03
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NatlMu t	9.11	9.11	+.02
NCTXF t	9.45	9.45	+.05
OHTxF t	9.75	9.75	+.05
ORTxF t	9.54	9.54	+.04
PATxF t	9.72	9.72	+.04
STStrs t	7.90	7.90	—.12
SCTxF t	9.41	9.41	+.04
TNTxF t	9.42	9.42	+.05
VATxF t	9.62	9.62	+.05
Eaton V Traditional:			
EVStk	10.82	11.36	+.02
Grwth p	6.96	7.31	+.03
InBost p	7.66	8.04	
MunBd	9.31	9.77	+.04
SpEqt p	6.91	7.25	+.04
TradGv	10.43	10.95	+.02
TradIn p	6.79	7.13	
TrdTot p	7.61	7.99	—.01
EclipsEq	11.82	N.L.	+.01
Emerald Funds:			
EqInst	10.83	N.L.	+.06
FLTxEA	10.20	10.68	+.05
GvtBd	9.56	N.L.	+.03
SmCpEq	9.83	N.L.	+.02
USGovI	9.73	N.L.	+.03
EmpBld	16.75	N.L.	+.04
Endow	15.78	N.L.	+.02
Enterprise Group:			
CapA p	28.69	30.12	+.32
GvSec p	10.62	11.15	+.03
Grwth p	7.75	8.14	+.07
GrInc p	16.50	17.32	+.07
Evergreen Funds:			
Evgrn	12.15	N.L.	+.02
Found	12.33	N.L.	+.01
GloRe	11.73	N.L.	—.13
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Heavy rains make for sloppy track in 'Frisco

By Tom Friend
N.Y. Times News Service

SANTA CLARA, Calif. — There is mud outside their locker room and mud in their eye, flung by Dallas. The San Francisco 49ers dealt with the elements Monday — some real, some imagined by Nate Newton — and they were not the least bit distracted.

While the Cowboys were verbally abusing them halfway across the country, the 49ers were more concerned about their own swamp. It has rained here incessantly for eight days, and the immediate forecast is for more of the same. With their practice field practically turned to quicksand, Coach George Seifert has decided to ship the team to Phoenix.

"It's just overwhelming," Seifert said. "The storms are supposed to be stacked up."

They will leave Tuesday night, practice at the Cardinals' facility for two days, and hope the rain dies in San Francisco by Friday. Seifert first considered Los Angeles, but the storms have settled in there, too.

"A couple guys talked about Las Vegas, but, uh, talk about distractions, that was out, too," the coach said.

So, it was Arizona, and the organization did not even need a go-ahead from Cardinals Coach Buddy Ryan.

"It's my understanding he's out looking for horses," Seifert said. "He raises horses, you know."

By altering their routine, however, there are built-in risks. The 49ers may have the home field advantage for Sunday's conference championship game, but suddenly not the home practice advantage.

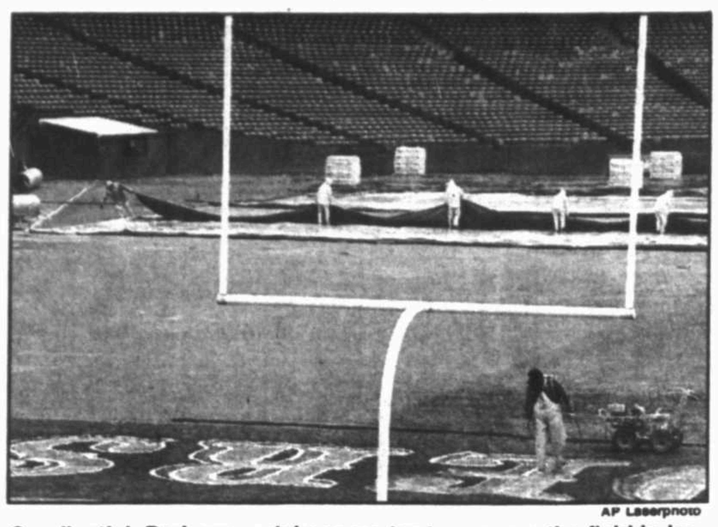
Seifert, aware that players hate to pack their bags, polled the team Monday for their approval, and, at first, met some resistance.

"George asked for our opinion, and I said, "Disastrous, horrible,' " said center Bart Oates, the former Giant. "But I was thinking what we went through in New York, when we were in Phoenix for nine straight days once. But then he said 48 hours and we're out of there. I said fine.

"I mean, Jim Mora once told us in the USFL, "I don't care if you play in Russia one day and Germany the next, you've still got play.' I'll second that."

Practice Monday lasted all of 45 minutes, before the 49ers were chased inside by a downpour. They wore red parkas, they ran out of towels trying to dry the football, and Seifert simply waved them all in.

"Noah's Ark just turned left on Tasman Boulevard," tight end Brent Jones said, referring to a street adjacent to their practice facility. "Probably better that we're skipping town. I mean, every time you turn on the TV, you won't have to see the Dallas Cowboys guaranteeing their next thing. Nobody cares about the game in Arizona."



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Candlestick Park groundskeepers try to prepare the field in between downpours.

Dallas certainly has cornered the markets on guarantees. First, Michael Irvin promised another Super Bowl trip, and now people such as Newton and safety James Washington are promising quarterback Steve Young will take a fall Sunday.

For instance, a 49er staffer Monday distributed quotes attributed to Cowboy guard Newton, who scolded the Chicago Bears for not burying Young last Saturday.

"I saw that hit Alonzo Spellman put on Young," Newton said. "Tell him if he's going to take the guy out of bounds, take him all the way out. Tell Spellman he didn't follow through. You've got to follow through."

That was either a warning, or a threat, but it did nothing to alter the intricate 49er game plan. It would not be Dallas week, or two weeks into January, without inflammatory comments, and Monday was simply the starting gun.

"Everybody's after the quarterback, that's nothing new," Young said Monday. "You've just got to protect yourself."

Certainly, a late hit on Young Saturday, courtesy of Chicago safety Shaun Gayle, has the Cowboys thinking about a copycat crime. But, asked Monday if Young will now think twice about scrambling, Seifert said: "That's part of Steve's game. I'm not going to tell him, 'I don't want you to run at all this ball game, because they said they were going to tackle you.' "

This sort of verbal abuse from the Cowboys is nothing new — "That's how Dallas prepares themselves," Seifert said Monday — but neither is Young's scrambling. In the last three 49er-Cowboys matchups, Young has darted for 131 yards and 3 touchdowns, and Dallas has not knocked him unconscious yet.

Meanwhile, Candlestick Park is not a swamp yet — otherwise league groundskeeper George Toma would be here already. Toma spoke on the telephone today to the 49ers lead grounds man, Bill Buckley, and found no need to fly out with his grass seed.

"No one ever hears about me except for a week every year," Buckley said.

He is, according to Seifert, the man of the hour, and his job lately has been simply to stand outside with his palm upward. If it stops raining for a second, he uncovers a portion of the field and pokes air holes in it — so it dries more quickly. But if it rains again, the tarp goes back on in an instant.

"I cover it, uncover it, cover it," Buckley said. "I may do that five times a day, and I might be here to midnight every evening. The pressure's on. If I get any sleep at all, it's amazing. I had black hair two weeks ago, and now it's all white."

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DALLAS: Trainer moves in with Smith

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without him."

The Cowboys might not know until the 3 p.m. kickoff whether Smith will be able to play on a soggy and slick Candlestick Park field that took a pounding on Saturday when the 49ers beat the Chicago Bears.

A trainer will be staying with Smith all week trying to calm down the hamstring muscle that first acted up Nov. 19 against New Orleans. He was out three weeks, but couldn't get past the first quarter against the Packers.

He scored a touchdown on a 5-yard run and had 7 carries for 44 yards before he went down on an 8-yard run.

"It doesn't feel as bad as it did against New Orleans, and I'll be out there (in San Francisco)," Smith said.

The swampy state of Candlestick Park could tug at Smith's hamstring and give him instant trouble on his first play from scrimmage.

"I'm not sure how a hamstring reacts in the mud. I don't know whether it would hurt him or not," Switzer said.

The Cowboys are beat up after the Packers game. Oddsmakers quickly installed the 49ers as seven-point favorites with Smith listed as questionable.

"It's the most banged up we've been all year," Switzer said. "It couldn't have come at a worse time, either."

Offensive linemen Mark Tuinei, Nate Newton, and Larry Allen limped off the field against the Packers.

"Emmitt should practice late in the week, and we'll find out what's going on," Switzer said. "Maybe he can go five plays or maybe the whole game. Who knows? We'll have Blair Thomas ready to go."

Reports have Vermiel waivering on Philly

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Former coach Dick Vermeil reportedly broke off negotiations Tuesday with Philadelphia Eagles owner Jeffrey Lurie for the dual job of coach and general manager.

"The bottom line is I don't know," Eagles spokesman Ron Howard said Tuesday night of the television reports. "I am neither confirming nor denying ... I'm hoping to hear something."

KYW-TV, an NBC affiliate, quoted unidentified sources who said Vermeil had chosen to remain a television commentator with ABC. The report quoted sources who said Vermeil wanted more money than Lurie was offering.

WPVI-TV, the ABC affiliate in Philadelphia, said the negotiations had "hit a snag."

The Eagles have been courting Vermeil since Lurie fired Rich Kotite as coach Dec. 26. Vermeil coached Philadelphia from 1976 to 1982 and guided them to the 1981 Super Bowl.

ZAMPESE: Coach denies Rams move

(From 1C)

on the job and with one year remaining on his contract. The Rams were 15-33 under Knox including 4-12 this past season.

Zampese, 58, is in his first season as the Cowboys' offensive coordinator after spending seven years in a similar capacity with the Rams. Before that, he was an assistant for the San Diego Chargers from 1979-86.

Smith said the "rumor" that Zampese would succeed Knox was first reported by KMOX in St. Louis, later by ESPN, and on Tuesday by CNN.

The NFL rule on tampering was prompted by the hiring of Cowboys defensive coordinator Dave Wannstedt by the Chicago Bears as their head coach two years ago — before the Cowboys played the Buffalo Bills in the Super Bowl.

Following last year's Super Bowl between the Cowboys and Bills, the Washington Redskins hired Cowboys offensive coordinator Norv Turner as their head coach. Zampese was hired to succeed Turner.

The NFL recently fined the expansion Carolina Cougars and stripped them of a couple of draft choices for contacting Pittsburgh Steelers defensive coordinator Dom Capers about their head coaching job. The Steelers were also fined for allowing the contact. The Steelers meet the San Diego Chargers on Sunday in the AFC Championship Game.

Rams president John Shaw said Monday after announcing that Knox had been fired that he hadn't given any thought to a replacement.

"It will probably be more like a month before we make such a decision," Shaw said.

Shaw dismissed reports that he is considering Zampese, Wisconsin coach Barry Alvarez and Minnesota Vikings coach Dennis Green.

"All totally untrue," Shaw said. "I have focused on no one at this time."

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Tomato deficiency

It's hard to believe some people are deficient in a chemical found in tomatoes. Or that it could make much difference in their lives.

But it's true. A new report from the University of Kentucky notes that older people (over age 75) with low blood levels of lycopene just don't function as well.

Lycopene is virtually a synonym for tomatoes, since tomatoes are the richest food source of lycopene, an antioxidant that helps protect cells from damage by renegade chemicals called free radicals. The only other food high in lycopene is watermelon.

In the study of 88 elderly women, those with low blood levels of lycopene were less able to perform "self-care tasks," such as walking, bathing, dressing, feeding and toileting. In fact, women with low lycopene were about four times more apt to require assistance in tasks as those with above-average lycopene.

Researcher David Snowdon, Ph.D., says low levels of lycopene over many years may allow free radicals to damage joints and muscles and even brain cells, leading to a decline in general overall physical and mental functions. Whether the problem stems from a diet low in lycopene or a difficulty absorbing it is unknown.

B-12 vs. arthritis

Here is encouraging news for the 50 million Americans who suffer from osteoarthritis. That's the type arthritis that comes with age and accounts for the knobby joints in older people.

First-time evidence shows that high doses of B vitamins — B-12 and folate — may relieve joint tenderness from osteoarthritis of the hands as well as or better than the typical prescribed medication — non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs (NSAID).

In the double-blind study, Margaret Flynn, Ph.D,. and colleagues at the University of Missouri-Columbia School of Medicine substituted B vitamins for osteoarthritis patients' usual drugs for two months.

Results: Those taking both 6,400 micrograms of folate plus 20 micrograms of vitamin B-12 had fewer tender joints than when they were taking the NSAIDs. Further, improvement in their hand grips equaled that from NSAIDs.

The important thing, says Dr. Flynn, is that vitamins, unlike NSAIDs, have no side effects and are less expensive. She advises those with painful osteoarthritis to consult their physicians, since such high doses must be prescribed by a doctor.

Marvelous mushroom

You might do yourself a favor by trying to work some shiitake mushrooms into your diet. The big, meaty, brown mushroom contains a chemical called lentinan that has anti-viral, anti-cancer and immune-stimulating powers.

This compound, discovered by an American scientist in 1960, is being extensively tested in Japan to treat patients with cancer. In a recent study, researchers at Narita Red Cross Hospital in Japan found that lentinan prolonged the life of patients with stomach cancer. Interestingly, the shiitake chemical boosted blood levels of albumin in about half the cases.

This feat in itself may be lifesaving. Recent research suggests that longevity is closely tied to high levels of albumin in the blood.

Lentinan also, Japanese studies show, boosts overall immune defenses against disease and prolongs life in humans with breast and colon cancer. In animals, lentinan has direct anti-cancer activity, sometimes causing complete disappearance of tumors.

Eating shiitake may help fend off flu and cold viruses, say some experts. Shiitake are sold dried or fresh in many American markets.

What's new?

After diabetes, thyroid disease is the most common glandular disorder. According to information from the January issue of Reader's Digest, at least 10 million Americans are being treated for thyroid conditions — usually an underactive or overactive gland.

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By Dr. Victor H. Frankel
Associated Press

Orthopedic surgeons today can replace diseased hips and other joints, and repair nonhealing fractures and congenital deformities in children. They can save the limbs of cancer patients who once would have undergone amputation — and even bring people with congenital growth disorders up to near-normal height.

The achievements of orthopedic reconstruction are made possible by a number of technological advances, chief among them is a remarkable device developed by a Russian surgeon, the late Dr. Gavriel Ilizarov, which has been widely adopted in the United States and other countries.

The Ilizarov apparatus is a circular device that is placed around the fracture or non-union area with multiple wires that are placed in a bone and kept under constant tension.

The graduated distraction of the bone achieved by the device stimulates the natural healing process for bone and surrounding tissue in a way that conventional orthopedic devices do not.

It has made possible the repair of nonhealing fractures that defied other methods, the lengthening of limbs in persons with one arm or leg significantly shorter than the other, and operations that increase the height of people with a congenital growth disorder.

There also have been continual advances in other major fields of orthopedic reconstruction.

For example, many of the 200,000 hip-replacement operations performed each year in the United States now use implants that form a natural union with the surrounding bone, so that cement is no longer needed in young patients. Cement-free implants may usually last longer, with fewer complications.

It's now commonplace to implant artificial knees, finger joints, shoulders and ankles for patients with disabling rheumatoid arthritis or traumatic accidents.

In repairing congenital defects, pediatric orthopedic surgeons now are operating on younger children than ever before. It's common for an operation to be done on a child under 1 year of age to repair a dislocated hip or clubfoot, or to replace a bone that was missing at birth.

In cancer patients, the arrival of newer, more effective means of chemotherapy after surgery has helped to save many limbs that once would have been amputated. Chemotherapy reduces the risk of cancer recurrence, so less tissue has to be removed. A section of cancerous bone that is surgically removed now can be replaced by a graft or a metallic implant.

Perhaps the most remarkable of recent achievements in orthopedics is the ability to increase the height of people with a congenital growth disorder.

This is accomplished by multiple applications of the technique used to lengthen an arm or leg that is significantly shorter because of a congenital defect or an accident. It is an effort that can take several years — and one that would not be possible without the device that Dr. Ilizarov invented.

Dr. Victor H. Frankel is professor of orthopedics at New York University School of Medicine and president of The Hospital for Joint Diseases Orthopaedic Institute.

Pet owners demand quality care for pets

By Kathryn Crawford

SEATTLE (AP) — The patient lay sedated as the $2 million MRI machine in a hospital radiology lab scanned his head, looking for evidence of a brain tumor.

The patient was a cocker spaniel puppy.

People are becoming increasingly willing to spend big bucks on medical treatment for their pets, and are demanding the same care available to humans, said Dr. Kim Nicholas, a veterinarian who has referred two animal patients for MRI, or magnetic resonance imaging, in the last six months.

An MRI scan can cost $600 to $800 for a dog, said radiologist Dr. Charles Root of Animal Medical Imaging of Redmond. Although his service specializes in animals, when expensive machines like MRI are needed he uses facilities built for humans.

The scan revealed the puppy had a treatable inner-ear infection, not a tumor. The MRI machine was covered with blankets and towels for the dog's examination and was sanitized later.

Dogs also can receive such "people medicine" treatment as hip replacements, bone grafts, ultrasounds tests and laser surgery, said Nicholas, president of the Washington State Veterinary Medical Association.

"People expect the best, and there's a lot at stake for them emotionally," said Charlie Powell, a spokesman for the College of Veterinary Medicine at Washington State University in Pullman.

Jo-Anne and Marty Modance of Seattle weren't about to let their 8-year-old English bulldog die after he developed kidney problems. Peaches got a kidney transplant this fall from Rex, their 6-year-old Labrador retriever.

It was worth it to the Modances — who describe themselves as middle-income — to spend more than $10,000 on Peaches' medical bills and $630 a month for medication.

"Pure love and devotion" were the reason, Marty Modance said. "I was not going to have a vet come over and tell me to put my precious dog to sleep. I'm going to do what I want to do."

He added: "The precious little thing is so dependent on us. It's brutal, but we've committed ourselves to the long haul. We're loyal."

That attitude, and the expense, might outrage some people.

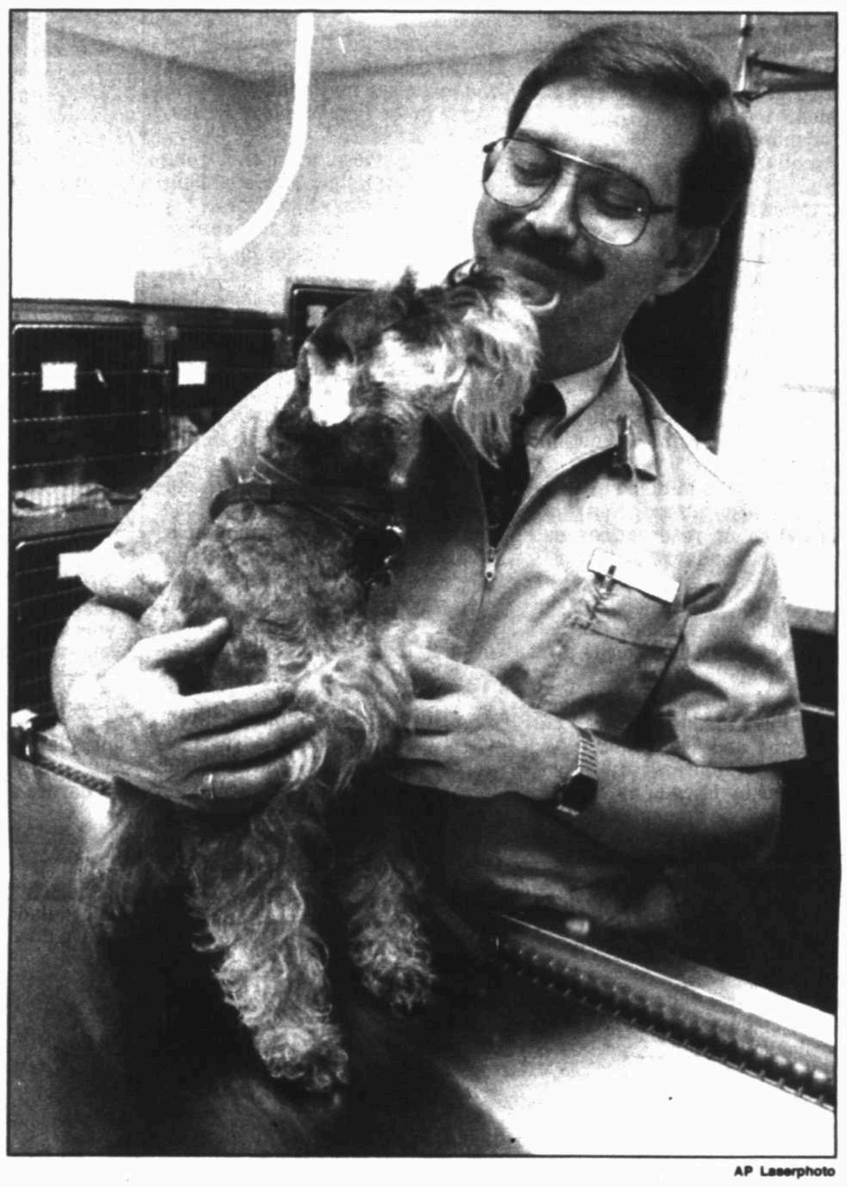
But Nicholas said, "People decide how they choose to spend their money and what's important to them." After all, he said, "You don't see people protesting Magnolia Hi-Fi if someone walks out with a $10,000 stereo system."

According to the Commerce Department, 34.6 million American households, or nearly 37 percent, own dogs. And 29.2 million households have cats.

People are becoming more attached to their pets and willing to do what it takes to care for them, veterinarians say.

"We find it is becoming more socially acceptable for someone who lost an animal to outwardly grieve as much as if they had lost a human relative or friend," Root said.

"You hear less and less, 'Quit your crying and go get another dog or cat.'"



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Dr. Kim Nicholas, president of the Washington State University Medical Association, gets a kiss from his parent's 3-year-old schnauzer, Gretchen, in his Renton, Wash., office. Nicholas has performed two MRI's on people's pets in the last six months, and says pet owners are becoming increasingly willing to spend big bucks on medical care for their pets.

CDC Sentinels on front line spot flu cases

By A.J. Hostetler

LAWRENCEVILLE, Ga. (AP) — During a busy and rainy Friday afternoon, Dr. Jonathan Mittelman picks up the telephone to report the number of flu cases he has seen this week — none.

Mittelman is one of about 150 physicians around the country volunteering to help the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention track the spread of influenza this year.

His contribution may be small, but it's important, said Lee Schmeltz, director of the CDC's U.S. Influenza Surveillance system.

"We get advance warning from the physicians," she said. "In a lot of years, they're first with the news of major epidemics."

Doctors in the CDC's Sentinel Physicians Surveillance network volunteer their time in exchange for a subscription to the CDC's Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report, which normally costs $85 a year, and regular contact with federal health officials.

Each week from October through mid-May, they notify the CDC of the number and ages of patients with flu-like illness.

"It's so easy," Mittelman said of the automated dialing system. "You just input the numbers and you're off and running."

The information from doctors beats by about a week the data the CDC gets from its laboratories and state and city health departments on which flu strains are striking and the number of deaths they cause.

"By putting these different components together, we get a reasonably good picture of what's happening nationwide," said virologist Nancy Cox, chief of the CDC's Influenza Branch.

COX AND HER colleagues at the CDC examine the weekly reports called or mailed in by family physicians like Mittelman and Dr. Patricia Kellner, who teaches at Case Western Reserve University's medical school in addition to running her own small practice in Ohio.

"Influenza is entertaining," said Kellner, who has been a flu sentinel for about four seasons. "It marks the season, just like birds returning in the spring.

"It's fun to tell somebody about it, and the CDC likes to listen," she said.

Kellner said she hasn't seen any flu among her patients so far this season. A bad flu season means that she sees three or four patients a week battling the fever, achy muscles, sore throat and headache typical of the flu.

Mittelman said he's seen few cases of the flu in his suburban Atlanta office. He is hoping for a mild season, particularly after last year's deadly — and early — epidemic.

"Last year, it seemed like everybody got together for (Thanksgiving) turkey and stuffing and the flu. This year, we'll see everyone sharing (Christmas) presents and the flu," he predicted.

For the week ending Dec. 17, the latest period for which statistics were available, the CDC said only three states reported widespread flu cases and 18 states reported sporadic activity. That leaves more than half the country without much flu at all.

Cox noted that New York state apparently has been harder hit with the flu

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Hotline offers nutrition tips

Staff Report

An unhealthy diet is one of the leading causes of death in the United States, according to a recent report in the "Journal of the American Medical Association." That's why many people who want to eat for better health are turning to the American Institute for Cancer Research for advice.

AICR's toll-free Nutrition Hotline — 1-800-843-8114 — provides answers to nutrition questions from Registered Dietitians at no charge. The hotline operates weekdays, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Callers' questions are taken by AICR staff; the Institute's dietitians then research the topic and return the call within 48 hours.

Questions range from family nutrition, such as "How much milk should children drink?" to concerns about get-

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Studies at universities have linked soup with a decrease in calorie consumption. People who ate soup as a first course at a meal consumed fewer calories on average at that meal than those who did not eat soup.

Exercise eases back pain

By Ira Dreyfuss

WASHINGTON (AP) — Getting off your back and starting to exercise is a good treatment for ordinary low back pain, experts say.

Even if the exercise hurts a bit, it may still help, according to new guidelines developed for the U.S. Public Health Service's Agency for Health Care Policy and Research.

The recommendations from doctors, physical therapists and nurses are meant to cover most cases of low back pain. But the guidelines have limitations. They apply to adults whose problems have restricted their physical activity for less than three months.

They do not apply to people under 18, those whose problems last longer than three months, and those with specific conditions, labeled "red flags," such as fractures, tumors, infection or severe nerve disorders.

The panel members focused on avoiding costly and unnecessary diagnostic tests and surgery. Nine of 10 patients with acute low back pain recover on their own within a month, they said.

Staying in bed is bad, the panel said. Bed rest of more than four days can weaken a person's muscles and endurance and "is not recommended for treating acute low back problems," it said.

Nor does bed rest ease the pain, the panel said. A study by member Richard Deyo, an internist at the University of Washington, found people who stayed in bed for seven days had no less pain than those who stayed in bed for two, and the two-day group got back to work sooner.

The panel found research to support the idea that gradually increased exercise — done in moderation — is good.

Although various forms of exercise seem to help, there is no agreement on

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CLER Ministries, a non-profit organization, will present its 12-session, Biblically-based human sexuality course for high school students beginning the week of Jan. 22 and ending in March. These classes will be presented weekly from 6:30-8:30 p.m. Each class will have 20 pre-registered students.

Classes on Sundays will be at St. Luke's United Methodist Church, 3011 W. Kansas. On Mondays, classes will be at First United Methodist Church, 305 N. Baird. Wednesdays, classes will be at Trinity Presbyterian Church, 2800 W. Louisiana.

These classes have been sponsored annually since 1986 by Midland Association of Churches (MAC). Cost is $65 per student.

MAC also funds a class for low-income students 6:30-8:30 p.m. Wednesdays at Casa de Amigos.

Parent orientation will be 7-8:30 p.m. Jan. 18 at Trinity Presbyterian Church. Linda Goddard, founder and president of CLER Ministries, will conduct the session.

For more information or to register call 697-5078...

...AMERICAN LUNG Association's Tips and Tales, support group for allergy, asthma and emphysema, will meet 1:30 p.m. Jan. 19 in an allergy-safe place. For more information call 682-4229...

...NEWCOMERS' CLUB will meet for luncheon 11 a.m. Jan. 19 at Dos Compadres. Cats Meow will present a program on antique dolls.

Anyone new to Midland or Odessa is invited to attend. For more information or reservations call 563-4113 by Monday...

...JUNIOR WOMEN'S Association of Midland will host its 1995 Style Show and Luncheon 11 a.m. Jan. 23 at Midland Center.

Proceeds will benefit Memorial Hospital and Medical Center Pediatric Fund and The Clinic of the Community Children's Ministry.

Fashions by Escada by Margaretha Ley will be presented by Robbie Casey's. Lunch will be catered by Murray and the Frenchman.

Tickets are $40 per person. For more information call 687-6871...

...UNITED DAUGHTERS of the Confederacy will meet 10 a.m. Jan. 26 at Haley Library. Frances Stapp will present a program on genealogical aids in Haley Library...

...ALLISON CANCER Center, 2200 W. Illinois, will present Bosom Buddies 7 p.m. Tuesday at the center. Experts will speak on "Choosing the Right Prothesis." All breast cancer patients are invited to attend...

...MEALS ON Wheels needs volunteer drivers to deliver noon meals, Monday through Friday, to low income, homebound elderly and disabled persons.

Delivery takes about one hour, one day per week. All interested persons call 689-6693...

...MASTER GARDENER orientation meeting will be 10 a.m. today at Ector County Extension Office, 1010 E. 8th Street in Odessa. For more information call 335-3071 or 687-1351...

...YUCCA GARDEN Club will host the luncheon meeting of Midland Woman's Club planned for Jan. 19 at the clubhouse in Hogan Park. Social time will be 11:30 a.m. with lunch served at noon.

Jane George will present a musical, "As Time Goes By." Mrs. George, a Midland resident since 1987, is a volunteer in area nursing homes and retirement homes. She and her husband are employed with Holiday Retired Corporation. She also has appeared in a television commercial for MOHRE...

...AMERICAN ASSOCIATION of Retired Persons, Midland chapter #256, will meet for covered dish supper 6:30 p.m. Monday at Midland Senior Center. Members are asked to bring canned goods for the Food Bank.

Hal Kempf, Midland attorney, will present a program on estate planning, living wills and durable power of attorney. All interested persons aged 50 and older are invited to attend. For more information call 682-0315 or 683-2463...

...MIDLAND NEED To Read will sponsor a training session for volunteer tutors Jan. 17 and 19 at Midland College. The program is an adult literacy organization providing one-on-one tutoring for adults with low level reading skills. For more information about becoming a volunteer, coontact Patti Groce at Midland College at 685-4572...

EXERCISE: Too much rest is harmful

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which form is best, Deyo commented in the report.

The key is to be active, said occupational therapist Richard K. Schwartz of San Antonio, a panel member. For many people, this may be simply continuing normal activities, he said.

Exercise may have special benefit for people who would ordinarily work out, because it's their favored normal activity, he said.

Low-stress aerobics can keep muscle strength and endurance from declining in the first month after symptoms start, the report said.

These activities, such as walking or swimming, later can help a patient improve, it said.

The exercise should keep no more pressure on the back than a person would have sitting up at the edge of the bed, said Dr. Stanley J. Bigos of the University of Washington, the panel's chairman.

A few weeks of this can help a patient prepare to strengthen the back muscles, the orthopedic surgeon said.

Specific exercises for the trunk, especially the paired erector spinae muscles that parallel the spinal column, can help, although the exercises may make the pain worse in the first couple of weeks, the report said.

Keeping those muscles strong can ward off fatigue and help them support the back, Bigos said.

Machines designed to exercise the back seem no better than floor exercises, the report said. The panel cited one study to show this.

The report found no adequately documented benefit to stretching. "The reality is that we didn't have any data that showed it speeded recovery, and we had some pretty good indirect data that it slowed recovery," Bigos said.

Although exercisers are supposed to stretch before working out, they should keep their backs straight and concentrate their stretches on their legs, Bigos said.

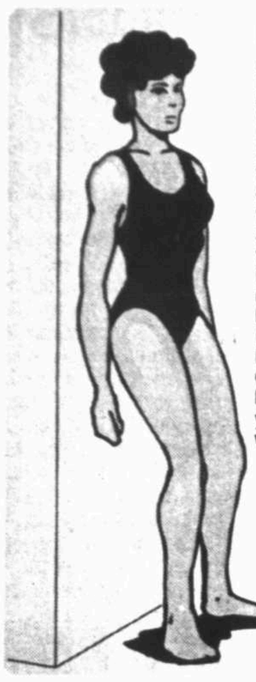
However, a separate expert thinks stretching makes sense even if there's little research to support it.

"Intuitively, it makes sense," said Dr. Curtis W. Slipman, director of the Spine Center at the University of Pennsylvania Medical Center in Philadelphia.

When muscles tighten, they can pull harder against bone, whether it's in the back or somewhere else, he said. Patients improve when they stretch, he said.

An ounce of prevention . . .

Keeping your back flexible can help prevent back pain, whether you never have had a problem or have a history of flare-ups. The following are examples of typical excercises recommended by doctors and physical therapists. Check with your own doctor to make sure these are suitable for you. If you experience discomfort, see your physician; it could indicate a problem.

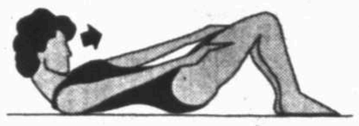


Pelvic tilt

Stand with your shoulders, back and buttocks against a wall. Place your feet shoulder-width apart with your heels about eight inches from the wall. Bend your knees slightly. Now tighten your buttocks and pull in your stomach. Try to make the small of your back touch the wall. Hold for a count of six. Relax, then repeat. Once you've got the hang of it, try flattening your back without the wall to help you.

Arm and leg raises

Lie face-down on a mat, with two pillows under your abdomen. Keep your arms at your sides. With your knee straight, lift one leg off the floor until it's even with the level of the pillows. Hold for six seconds. Lower that leg and repeat with the other leg. Next extend your left arm straight overhead and lift it. Simultaneously lift your right leg, keeping your knee straight, until it is level with the pillows. Hold for six seconds. Alternate arms and legs.



Side-to-side sit-ups

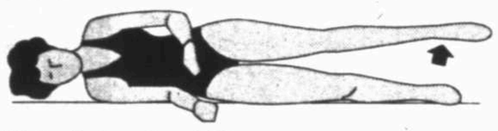
Lie on your back with your knees bent and your feet on the floor. Touch your chin to your chest, stretch your arms forward and slowly curl up, reaching toward your right knee. Hold for six seconds, then reach for your left knee.

Curls

Lie on your back and bend both knees. Begin to exhale slowly while lifting first your head, then your shoulders off the floor. With your arms outstretched, hold this position for six seconds.

Butt-tucks

Lie on your back with your knees bent and feet flat. Lift your buttocks off the floor while keeping your shoulders firm against the floor. Hold for five seconds, then slowly return to the floor.

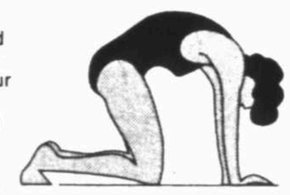


Side-lying leg lifts

Lie on your right side, your bottom leg slightly bent, your top leg straight. Slowly lift your top leg, keeping kneecap facing forward and body straight.

Cat pose

Get on your hands and knees, with your lower back relaxed. Drop your head, pull in your stomach muscles, and make your back as rounded as possible. Hold it for six seconds.



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ting enough vitamins and minerals, for example, "What foods are good sources of iron?"

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CDC: Cases are counted

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than other states, adding, however, that the holidays may have delayed physicians' reports of the illness.

"This season has been a bit quieter than the past few seasons — so far," Cox said. "We could get more in January and February," the flu's traditional high point.

Schmeltz said the 12-year-old program generally draws more rural doctors, who appreciate the contact with CDC colleagues, but doctors in urban area are increasingly volunteering their time. Some sentinels are near retirement, while others are recently out of medical school.

Cox said the volunteer effort is a good way of evaluating the annual flu epidemic.

A more formal method of surveillance would be too expensive for a disease that strikes as much as 20 percent of the U.S. population and contributes to the deaths of about 20,000 people each year, she said.

The CDC recommends that people at high risk for influenza be vaccinated.

High-risk people include those 65 and older, nursing home residents, children with asthma, and adults and children with chronic disorders. Those in doubt about their risk should consult a doctor.

The vaccine available in the United States this year includes protection against type A-Texas, A-Shangdong and B-Panama.

Laboratories have already confirmed cases of Type A-Shangdong, which is the most deadly of the strains expected this season. Both strains of flu have been diagnosed, but Type A cases are running "a bit" ahead of Type B, Cox said.

The flu sentinel program operates separately from the CDC's Sentinel Surveillance Network, which relies on the states' health officials to report cases of 49 diseases.

Notifiable diseases, such as tuberculosis, mumps and polio, are those the CDC wants to track regularly and frequently.

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DEAR ABBY

Senior patrons humiliated by shops' patronizing clerks

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I am writing on behalf of many senior citizens who do their shopping accompanied by a younger companion. Invariably the salesperson will direct his or her inquiries to the younger person, making such comments as, "What is she looking for today?" Or, "What size does he wear?"

Van Buren

Elderly people find these comments irritating and humiliating. Even if infirm in body, most senior citizens can answer any questions themselves. This applies to physically challenged people, too — especially the wheelchair-bound.

Please enlighten salespeople that our senior citizens deserve to be addressed directly, and with dignity. The sale may depend upon it. — CALIFORNIA READER

DEAR READER: Thank you for giving me the opportunity to remind my readers once more that this is an important part of being a first-class salesperson. Food servers should also follow this rule.

DEAR ABBY: My sentiments about child safety leashes echo those expressed in some letters you published this last fall.

Knowing that people who put their children on leashes are frequently criticized, I make it a point to compliment anybody I see who has a child on a leash. I have seen many at Disneyland. In fact, Disneyland sells wrist leashes.

Abby, not only are children safer when they are on leashes, they are more comfortable than they'd be with their arms held above their heads — especially if the adult is holding the child's hand very tightly.

However, I prefer harnesses to wrist leads because a child can learn to undo a wrist lead. Another advantage is that harnesses have side straps that can be fastened to buggies, market carts and restaurant high chairs. Also, if a child becomes used to a harness as soon as he can sit up, he will not fight it as a toddler.

As for strangers who are critical of putting leashes on children, just remember — if that child who was killed in Liverpool, England, had been on a leash, he would be alive today.

Leashes on small children are imperative for their safety and comfort. And to those who think it's demeaning to lead a child around like a dog, I say, "Better a live dog than a dead child." — JUANITA MATASSA, SANTA ANA, CALIF.

DEAR JUANITA: I say, "Amen."

DEAR ABBY: My husband and I recently moved into town from the country.

Our problem is our neighbors. They see no reason to pull their window shades down when they are in their bedroom or bathroom. Abby, we are not window peepers, but it's difficult to avoid seeing what's going on in their apartment.

Is there any rule in Abby's book of manners that deals with this problem? — RELUCTANT PEEPERS

DEAR PEEPERS: Be good neighbors and inform the people across the way that they should keep their shades drawn.

A New York reader who lives on the 35th floor of a high-rise apartment confessed that on one occasion he had used a pair of binoculars to look into the bedroom window of the apartment directly across from him.

Imagine his surprise when he saw a man looking at him through a pair of binoculars!

DEAR ABBY: My future husband and I are having a disagreement. He has asked me to sell all the jewelry I received from former boyfriends. (I was engaged to two of them.)

I think I should be able to keep the pieces I especially like. I returned both engagement rings, but kept some 18-karat gold bracelets and a strand of pearls.

Abby, these pieces have no sentimental value, but I don't want to sell them. Neither do I want to lie to my fiance, because that is no way to start a marriage.

To me, the most important piece of jewelry is the wedding ring I'll be wearing, but I'd like to keep the bracelets and pearls.

What would you do? — PENNSYLVANIA BRIDE

DEAR BRIDE: Since your future husband is opposed to your wearing jewelry given to you by previous boyfriends, if I were you, I'd sell them to keep the peace. He should be more important to you than jewelry.

DEAR ABBY: You were too hasty in your warning about tattooed eyeliner. I have received several copies of your column from clients who have had MRIs done following permanent eyeliner, eyebrow and lip tattoos with absolutely no ill effects. When done correctly, these procedures have proven to be a safe alternative to traditional cosmetic makeup. I believe your response should have been: Get another opinion. — KATHLEEN CIAMPI, PROFESSIONAL DERMAGRAPHICS, MOUNT PROSPECT, ILL.

DEAR KATHLEEN: I sought a second opinion. According to Dr. Livia Solti-Bohman, president-elect of the Los Angeles Radiological Society: "Much depends upon the location of the metal particles in the body and the size of the particles.

"There can be two problems for people with tattoos who enter magnetic fields: There have been reports of redness and edema in the tattooed eyelids of patients, which indicate irritation during the MRI. The other concern is whether the metal particles will interfere with the accuracy or clarity of the pictures."

Patients should be able to give informed consent, and in order to do so, they should be aware that there could be a problem, however minor. Thank you for writing. I stand by my answer.

DEAR ABBY: One small favor. Please pass this along to your readers: If your children cannot answer the telephone properly, please do not allow them to answer the telephone at all.

There are few things more annoying than making a call and having a child answer, "Hello! ... Who is this?" Or, worse yet, "What do you want?"

If you want your child to ask who is calling, there are more polite ways to ask other than, "Who is this?" The frustration is then compounded by the child screaming out the name of the caller directly into the telephone!

I am not a solicitor; I am usually returning the call or responding to a request, but not a day goes by without being subjected to these types of rude responses. Thank you. — HAD IT IN WENATCHEE

DEAR HAD IT: Here's your letter. I hope it inspires parents to teach their children to answer the telephone properly.

And on those occasions when a child does answer properly, please compliment the child.

Abby shares more of her favorite, easy-to-prepare recipes. To order, send a business-size, self-addressed envelope, plus check or money order for $3.95 ($4.50 in Canada) to: Dear Abby, More Favorite Recipes, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054-0447.

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CONSUMING INTERESTS

Chicken rings found to miss the mark

By Linda Anderson

Have you notice how many products aimed at children are being stocked in supermarkets these days? Makes me wonder if we're not raising a country full of picky eaters.

Anderson

One of these products is called Chicken Ring Things (from Pilgrim's Pride). I'm sure you can tell by the name that the product is "breaded ring-shaped" chicken breast patties. The cartoon characters on the box (named Pride and Joey) saying "Hey Kids! The best way to eat chicken since the drumstick" are supposed to appeal to young consumers, I'm sure.

OK, I'll bite — literally. I bought a box of Chicken Ring Things for my young consumers and me to try, even though I don't like cartoon characters trying to sell me food.

A 9.25-ounce box of the product, containing about 12 chicken rings, costs $2.89. That's about as much as many single-serving frozen dinners cost.

Besides the Pilgrim-dressed chicken and the skating boarding chicken decorating the box, the only other label advertising I could find claims "Caution! Consumption by adults may cause immaturity!"

Nutrition information is a little more revealing. According to the nutrition label, one serving of the chicken rings consists of four ring-shaped patties and contains 270 calories (160 of them from fat), 60 mg cholesterol, 530 mg sodium and 14 grams of protein. The label also says the product is "Not a significant source of dietary fiber, sugars, vitamin A and vitamin C."

Well, I never really expected to get a lot of vitamin C from chicken, but that's an *awful* lot of fat in each serving.

We went ahead and tried the chicken rings anyway, and discovered that if that's what manufacturers think appeals to children, they may be very wrong. My young tester wasn't impressed at all.

When I tasted the chicken rings, I discovered why. They seem to be too much coating and not enough chicken. Granted, we cooked them in a microwave oven, which always seems to make chicken more soggy than it needs to be, so maybe the chicken rings would be crispier if baked in a conventional oven.

But even then they would still have too much coating and not enough chicken.

I'm glad we tried them — I had never seen circular chicken patties before — but I really doubt that we'll buy some again.

Price listed is from a local supermarket. Prices at other locations may vary.

Linda Anderson is a Reporter-Telegram *staff writer.*

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8, 10am, Noon, 2, 4, 6, 8, 10pm, Mid, 2, 4am (6am on 1/14 & 1/15)

Channel 40
Sunday, January 8
NAKED GUN 33 1/3: THE FINAL INSULT Leslie Nielsen Non-stop Lunacy PG-13
5:30, 7, 8:30, 10, 11:30am, 1, 2:30, 4, 5:30, 7, 8:30, 10, 11:30 pm, 1, 2:30am
Monday 1-9 - Sunday 1-15
CITY SLICKERS II: THE LEGEND OF CURLY'S GOLD Billy Crystal 24 karat laughs. PG-13
5, 7, 9, 11am, 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11pm, 1, 3am

Channel 29
SUNDAY, JANUARY 8
Beverly Hills Cop III R 5, 7, 9, 11am, 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11pm, 1, 3am
MONDAY, JANUARY 9
Sexual Outlaws R 9am, 1, 9pm, 1am
Beverly Hills Cop III R 11am, 3, 7, 11pm, 3am
Surviving The Game R 5pm
TUESDAY, JANUARY 10
Surviving The Game R 9am
Sexual Outlaws R 11am, 7, 11pm, 3am
Beverly Hills Cop III R 1, 5, 9pm, 1am
Clifford PG 3pm
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 11
Beverly Hills Cop III R 9am, 3pm
Surviving The Game R 11am, 7, 11pm, 3am
Sexual Outlaws R 1, 9pm, 1am
Clifford PG 5pm
THURSDAY, JANUARY 12
Beverly Hills Cop III R 9, 11am, 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11pm, 1, 3am
FRIDAY, JANUARY 13
I Love Trouble PG 9, 11am, 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11pm, 1, 3am
SATURDAY, JANUARY 14
Beverly Hills Cop III R 5, 9am, 5pm, 1am
Sexual Outlaws R 7, 11am, 3am
I Love Trouble PG 1pm
Surviving The Game R 3pm

Channel 30
SUNDAY, JANUARY 8
Above The Rim R 8am, Noon, 8pm, 4am
Ghoulies IV R 8am, 2pm
Aroused R 10am, 6pm
The Cowboy Way PG-13 4pm, Mid
MONDAY, JANUARY 9
The Passion Within Her R 10am, 4pm, Mid
Secret Games Unrated Noon, 8pm, 4am
No Escape R 2, 6pm
TUESDAY, JANUARY 10
Secret Games Unrated 10am, 6pm, 2am
No Escape R Noon, 8pm, 4am
The Passion Within Her R 2, 10pm
The Cowboy Way PG-13 4pm, Mid
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 11
No Escape R 10am, 6, 10pm, 2am
The Passion Within Her R Noon8pm, 4am
The Cowboy Way PG-13 2pm
Secret Games Unrated 4pm, Mid
THURSDAY, JANUARY 12
The Passion Within Her R 10am, 6pm, 2am
The Cowboy Way PG-13 Noon, 8pm, 4am
Secret Games Unrated 2, 10pm
No Escape R 4pm, Mid
FRIDAY, JANUARY 13
The Cowboy Way PG-13 10am
Secret Games Unrated Noon, 8pm, 4am
No Escape R 2, 6pm
The Passion Within Her R 4pm, Mid
SATURDAY, JANUARY 14
The Passion Within Her R 6am, Noon, 8pm, 4am
The Cowboy Way PG-13 8am, 4pm, Mid
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Sealed Bid(s) will be received until 3:00 P.M., January 25, 1995, to be opened at 3:00 P.M. in the office of the City Secretary, City Hall, 300, N. Loraine, Midland, Texas for the following Bid(s):

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50 tons of Gypsum, 20 tons of Fairway Blend Fertilizer and 50 ton of Hi Calcium Line for the Hogan Park Golf Course.

Information for Bidders, Proposals Forms, Specifications and General Conditions for bidding may be obtained from the office of the Purchasing Agent, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas.

Purchasing Division
City of Midland, Texas

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Labor, material, equipment and supervision necessary to furnish and install 9 overhead doors at the new Garage Facility for the Facilities & Fleet management Dept.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The annual return of the Redfern Foundation is available for inspection, upon request, during normal business hours at the address noted below. The request must be made within 180 days after publication of the notice.

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January 11, 1995

110 Lodge Notices

Midland Masonic Lodge #623
1600 W. Wall
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682-3292.
H.B.Walker, Jr., W.M.
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Midland Shrine Club, 2019 Trade Dr. 682-5509.
Reg. mtng. 3rd Thurs. each mo. Hosp. 6:30 pm, dinner 7 pm. Bus. mtng. 8 pm.
Gary Anderson, Pres.
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110 Lodge Notices

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James Hammit, W.M.
Bob Ellwood, Secty.

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Leonard Wood, W.M.
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IF your pet is lost, please check with MIDLAND ANIMAL CONTROL (on Fairground Road) every three days.

LOST: Beagle, broken hearted girl's. Female, black with brown face, white feet and tale. Red braid collar. Answers to "Prissy". Reward. 685-0859.

LOST: Miniature Silver Schnauzer Reward. 1-5-95, vicinity of Emerson Elementary. Please call 697-8327.

FOUND: female Chocolate Lab on S. Midkiff Road. Days 685-4515, after 6 pm 686-7938.

FOUND: Tan Dachshund mix female on Garden City Highway. 689-8042.

LOST: 6 month old smoky long haired kitten with purple collar and bell. Vicinity Golf Course and Garfield. 694-1856.

FOUND: Bird dog. Call to identify. 699-0950, leave message.

REWARD lost dogs. 1 Male black Lab mix with tags, 2 years old. 1 Lab Hound mix brown & black, female, 1 year. Lost at S. Garfield & Carter. 570-7363.

FOUND: Pit Bull or Bull Dog puppy? Near Gardendale. Call to identify. 699-6820.

LOST: January 2nd. Neutered black and white male cat. Red collar with tags in area of W. Pine. Please call 684-7407. Reward.

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CADILLAC 1986 Fleetwood Brougham. Wifes car, 52,000 miles, absolutely nice! 5.0 V8. $6,500 firm. 686-0335.

CADILLAC 1989 Brougham Sedan De Ville. Low mileage. $10,500. 9 am- 4 pm. 683-8435.

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CHEVROLET 1978 Monte Carlo. Good paint, 33,168 miles. Runs good. $2,000. 683-3768.

CHEVROLET 1989 Corvette. Red hatchback. 46K miles, by non smoking lady owner. $15,500. 699-6576.

CHEVROLET 1993 Caprice, LS, Deep green, gray leather, Must sell. $14,200. 689-7411

DODGE 1994 Shadow (3 to choose) Program car, 4 door. $8,999 plus T.T. & L. 697-3115.

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FORD 1984 Mustang. Blue, needs engine work. Suzuki 125 dirt bike. 697-1723.

FORD 1987 Escort GT. 5 speed, excellent condition. 53,000 Miles. Minor hood-& grill damage. $2,500. Days 686-3507 or evenings 570-9046.

FORD 1987 Taurus LX. White station wagon, 3.0, tan saddle leather. Every extra. 105,000 hwy. miles. Extra clean. $4,250 or best offer. 687-2275 days, 685-3593 evenings.

FORD 1989 Escort GT. 74K miles, good condition. $4,300. 689-7253.

FORD 1991 Mustang LX. Black, 5.0, 5 speed, loaded, Flow Masters, Super Chip, 355 gears. $9,700. 570-8600.

FORD 1991 Tempo. 85K highway miles. Runs and looks excellent. $4,800. 687-4017.

FORD 1992 Explorer. Red, 4 door, 5 speed. Perfect condition. 54,000 miles. $16,300. 570-7852.

FORD 1993 Taurus. Power options, program, #90568. $12,997+TT&L 697-3115.

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FORD 1994 Crown Victoria. Power options, program, #90644 $16,997+tt&l 697-3115

FORD 1994 Tempo/ Mercury Topaz. Power options, program car. $9,997+TT&L. 697-3115.

Friendly Pontiac Chrysler Plymouth Sales & Service 3705 W. Wall 684-7101 or 563-1543

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OLDSMOBILE 1984 Toronado-One owner, always maintained. Excellent condition, nice car. $3,500. 687-3721.

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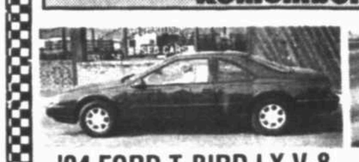
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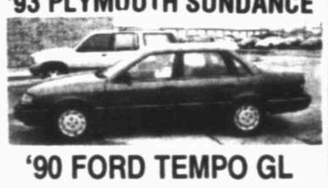
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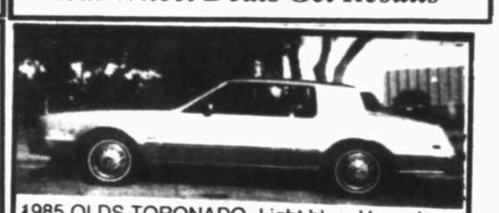
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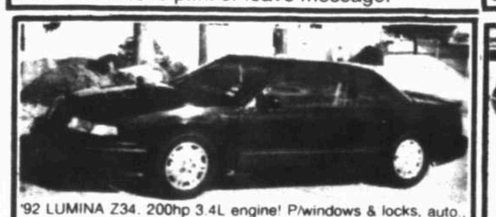
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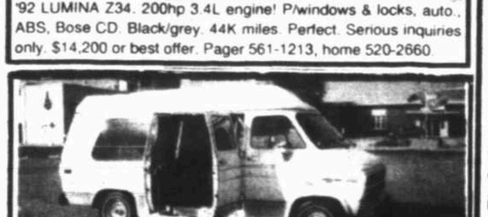
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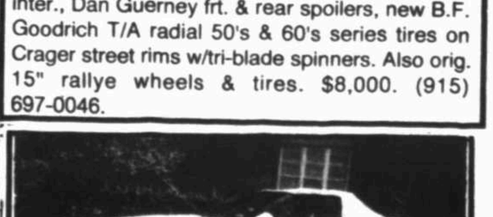
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310 General Help Wanted

MAINTENANCE person for motel. Room cleaners, night manager also needed. Must live on property. 520–3000.

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OPTICIAN/ Optometric Assistant. Experience a plus but will train the right person. Full Time. Apply in person at TSO, Midland Park Mall.

PINOCCHIO'S PIZZA

now hiring for cooks and cashiers. Apply in person at 3303 N. Midkiff Road.

PIPE Inspectors/ operators- Rapidly expanding, Houston-based energy service company is seeking applicants for full-time positions for pipe inspectors and operators with non-destructive testing experience, in the Midland/ Odessa area. Enthusiastic, qualified individuals wishing to pursue this position should send resume, or letter stating experience/ work history, and where you can be reached to: Box H- 1, C/O The Midland Reporter- Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, TX 79702.

310 General Help Wanted

PORTER- Part- time, needed for large apartment complex. Apply in person Courtyard Apartments, 2300 N. "A" Street.

PRIMARY Home Care Attendants needed to provide personal health care and home management tasks for clients in the Midland and surrounding areas. Flexible hours. Hiring immediately. Please call 1-800-669-2291 for application and information.

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RESTAURANT- Now hiring Waitstaff. Established restaurant needs skilled Waitstaff willing to work hard for the best tips in town. Apply in person at The Bar, 606 W. Missouri, between 8 -10 am & 2- 4 pm. No phone calls.

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RESTAURANT - Cashier and Wait Person wanted please at Sakura Restaurant, 1501 N. Big Spring.

RESTAURANT
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RESTAURANT Midland Country Club is looking for experienced waitstaff and busser to work fine dining days and nights. Apply in person between 2 & 4 Tuesday thru Saturday. 6102 N. Highway 349.

RESTAURANT- Professional Waitstaff must be experienced in fine dining. Above Minimum Wage. Apply in person, No Phone Calls Please! Wednesday only between 2- 4.

RESTAURANT- Wendy's has immediate openings for Host, Hostess. Apply in person: 4412 N. Loop 250, Midland, Texas 797107.

PARTS puller for salvage yard. Light mechanic work. 5 1/2 day work week. 570-9322.

RESTAURNT- Burger King now hiring. All shifts available. References required. Apply 4805 N. Midkiff.

MUDLOGGER/ Geologist. Send resume to: P.O. Box 61373, Midland, TX 79711-1373.

SERVICE Agent needed must be at least 21 years of age, good driving record. past pre employment drug screening. good starting pay and company benefits. Apply in person to Advantage Rent-A-Car Midland Int'l Airport. Monday thru Friday 8- 5.

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TEACHER- KinderCare Learning Center is accepting applications for a part time care giver working with 2 year olds. Apply Monday through Friday between 9-11 am at 4303 W. Illinois.

TEACHERS- First Presbyterian Child Development Center seeks teacher assistants part time. Tuesdays & Thursdays. Call 699-7533, 683-7782 or 683–0851.

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CHILD CARE part time, afternoon hours. 2:00-6:00 weekdays. Must be 21 with good driving record. School age kids. Apply in person at Alamo Y.M.C.A. . 901 N. Midland Drive.

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CERTIFIED NURSING AIDE
All shifts. Must be dedicated to long term care.
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LVN II 7 - 3 shift
Adolescent unit

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Human Resources
Big Spring State Hospital
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336 Adult Care Providers

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341 Child Care Providers

MOTHER of three year old will babysit nights and Saturdays. Call after 3 pm. 687–0684.

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REGISTERED Quality Child Care. 15 months- 4 years, lunch and snacks provided. 7:30 am-5:30 pm, Monday- Friday. Please call 697–5226. References upon request.

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316 Sales Help Wanted

$$SALES$$
We urgently need a vibrant, enthusiastic sales person for inside sales in Midland. Must have a strong sales background with a proven success record. $7 per hr. to start. Possible Temp-Perm. Bring resume with verifiable references to Lana ASAP! No fee.
TEMPORARY RESOURCES
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- Proven sales record
- Strong leadership skills

Send resume to:
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Compensation commensurate with experience. Sick leave, vacation (up to 3 weeks), retirement plan and paid holidays. Call: 685–0003 for an appointment.
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AUTOMOTIVE Technician needed: Midland's largest and best equipped independent garage is looking for experienced auto and light truck technician. Prefer A.S.E. certification with experience on both import and domestic vehicles. Salary is based on commission. Open Monday through Friday 7:00 am - 6 pm. Excellent working conditions, benefits and paid vacation. Come by Wall Street Automotive, 3404 West Wall Street. See Jimmy or Mitch. No phone applications accepted.

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410 Miscellaneous Sales

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COLLECTOR- do you collect U.S. Proof cards, Maxi cards, 1st day covers, Duck stamps, Turkey stamps, Olympic coins, U.S. Coins, Russian Communist hand- painted plates? I have complete collections for sale. If you are interested in any or all, you need to call (915) 694–3408 after 1 pm.

MINK & leather jacket, size 14. $550. 684–6119.

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Established non-profit organization seeking self-starter, detail oriented RN for clinical marketing position. Must possess excellent written and oral communication skills. Ability to handle multiple tasks and flexibility necessary. EOE. Salary DOE. Send resume to Hospice of the Southwest, Inc., P.O. Box 14710, Odessa, TX 79768 Attn: Eleanor Gilbert. Application deadline January 18, 1995.

OFFICE MANAGER/PATIENT CARE COORDINATOR

RN for full-time office manager/patient care coordinator position in our Big Spring office. We are seeking a professional and assertive individual to plan, direct, and evaluate total nursing care for Hospice patients. Must relate effectively with patient, family, and other Hospice staff to ensure comprehensive care. Will participate in education, maintenance of records, and upgrading of policies, procedures, and skills of personnel. EOE. Salary DOE. Benefits. Send resume to Hospice of the Southwest, Inc., Box 14710, Odessa, TX 79768 Attn: Christy Long. Application deadline January 18, 1995.

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Advertise your services in our Who's Who for Service "Tax Preparation" Section. This is a special section that publishes every day - for 90 days - between January 16 & April 15. Call Tami at 687-8816. She will give you information on how you can reach potential customers **for as little as $1.31 Per Day!** Call Today!

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Physical Therapist

Healthcare Centers of Texas, Inc. is seeking a dedicated and creative PT to join our dynamic team of rehabilitation professionals in the Western part of Texas. As our Physical Therapist, you will assist in the development of our rehabilitation programs, as well as provide direct care to our long-term care residents.

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Fax: 214-641-2044
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312 Professional Help Wanted | 312 Professional Help Wanted

ASSISTANT to oil and gas manager. Relocation required. To assist oil and gas accountant. Must have experience in coding invoices, government and state reports, and auditing JIB invoices. Detailed job description will be furnished upon request to serious applicants. Salary DOE. Please send resume and salary requirements to: Joseph Bernard Gould 430 South 3rd Street, Las Vegas, Nevada, 89101.

COMMERCIAL ASS'T BLDG ENGINEER
2-5 Years experience. Full benefit package. Send resume to: W-09 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram. P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

Computer Technician
with PC Hardware/Software/Network installation and maintenance experience as well as AIX/RS6000 Systems Administration experience is desired by an innovative home health agency with office in several Permian Basin locations. Extensive knowledge of WordPerfect and Lotus a plus. Excellent benefits and salary D.O.E. E.O.E. Send resume and salary requirements to:

Nurses Unlimited, Inc.
Attn: Human Resources
P.O. Box 4534
Odessa TX 79760

CPA- needed immediately, in-house. Send resume and salary history to: Box G-15, C/O The Midland Reporter- Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

DOCTORS OFFICE. Part time insurance clerk and full time receptionist. Salary D. O. E. Apply to: Box N-7, c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P. O. Box 1650, Midland Texas 79702.

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HOME PARENTS
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Cal Farley's Boys Ranch
Personnel Director
P.O. Box 1890
Amarillo, TX 79174-0001

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LEAD MAINTENANCE
Positions available. A/ C certified, experienced preferred. Send Job history and salary requirements to Box 12744, Odessa, TX 79768 or contact Ken at 550-9988. Salary DOE. EOE.

Loan Review, Credit Department Manager position available at strong independent local bank. Applicant must have a minimum of five years of loan review, loan documentation and credit analysis experience. P.C. skills required. Send resume and salary history to Personnel, P.O. Box 2254, Midland, Texas 79702.

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Two years experience in long term care preferred.
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- Scheduling
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Full time position with benefit package.
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CERTIFIED NURSING ASSISTANT
2 Positions available 10 - 6. Shift differential. Starting pay $5.35 for Certified Aides.
Apply in person:
Rockwood Manor
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BUSY Clinic wants LVN Full-time. Experience required. Send resume to: W-07 c/ o the Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

DENTAL ASSISTANT
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P.O. Box 1650
Midland Texas 79702.

DENTAL RECEPTIONIST Must have dental/ medical office experience, computers skills helpful. Please mail resumes to: W-08 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702

MEDICAL- New Doctor's Office in Crane, Texas has immediate openings for the following positions:

OFFICE MANAGER
Billing experience preferred.

LVN
Experience preferred, but not required

Salary commensurate with experience. Please send resume with salary history and requirements to:
Crane Memorial Hospital
Attn: Jerry Varnado
Administrator
1310 S. Alford
Crane, Texas 79731 EOE

NURSING ASSISTANT. Full and part-time opening for Certified Nursing Assistant in 60 bed Long Term Care Facility. Choice of wage packets. Come fill out application at Parks Good Samaritan Village, 7801 San Machell Drive, Odessa. Will consider LVN to do aide work if interested.

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Midland

687-8807 - - - - - - Tonya Brandon

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IMMEDIATE opening for a Licensed Physical Therapy Assistant. Excellent salary and benefits. For more information call The Permian Basin Rehabilitation Center, 620 N. Alleghaney, Odessa, Texas 79761, 915-332-8244.

RECEPTIONIST- Full time position for experienced medical receptionist filing, typing, insurance verification. Heavy phones. Send resume to: F-06 c/ o the Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

REGISTERED Medical Technologist for 45 physician clinic. experience preferred. Full time with excellent benefits. Send resume to Angelo Clinic Association, P.O. Box 22000, San Angelo, Tx 76902. Attn: Personnel or call 1-800-530-4143.

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RNs & LVNs for Home Health Care. Medicare/ Medicaid visits. Midland/ Odessa area. Interim Health Care 550–0777.

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Positions are available for experience performers in natural gas gatherings and processing operations.

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Gathering Company
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Durango, CO. 81301

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Detail oriented individual with WordPerfect, Lotus, MS Word, and general clerical skills needed for immediate assignment. Environmental background a plus. Call 683–5677 today.
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Where can you find
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But ads don't tell the whole story, people do.
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HERBALIFE Independent distributor, Call Jolene 697–1610.

GREENHOUSES- custom built on site Gothic 12' x 8'.6" starting at $525. Call Vic 580–6601.

HOLIDAY SHOPPERS! Christmas tree, misc., appliances guaranteed, dining sets/ china cabinets, couches, barstools, piano. 570–4851.

100 GALLON aquarium, stand, lights and filters. $400. Call 684–5118.

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LIQUIDATING. Antique and classic cars, jukebox, mechanic tools, work table, Failing drilling rig, 1948 Ford Pickup, shop building with overhead crane, office building, 2 acres fenced. Located on West County Road South of I-20, just past Two Rivers Construction, Odessa.

COWBOY FANS 8 x 10 color prints of your favorite cowboy. $7.50 each. or 5 for $25. (214) 424–5191

★ HUGE!! Winter clearance Ladies sizes 2 thru 50. BJ's Consignment, Village Shopping Center Wall & Andrews Hwy.

CHILDS wooden fort, wedding dress, size 10, men's and ladies 10 speed bikes, Nintendo system with 5 games. 689–0133.

SLEEPER sofa and loveseat. Exeter. Light blue and mauve in color. Like new. $250 and $150. Blue La-Z-Boy rocker recliner. $100. Brother Wordprocesser. $250. 682–6090.

HIGH CHAIR, small childs car seat, playpen, stroller, size 7 1/2 narrow womens dress shoes. Call 699–0809.

2 WHEEL trailer $165. Royal electric typewriter $15, Kenmore gas dryer $50. Call 684–8581.

STURDY hardwood fort and swingset, $100. 686–7379.

HEAVY Duty combination Bar - B- Q pit, indirect fire box and direct cooking. $375. 699–5551.

CHILD Play house, new, reduced to $350. Dog houses, new, $35-$45. Bookcases, new, $35. 563-0452.

HEAVY duty metal shelving for sale. 6 units, 36 w x 85 h x 18 d. 14 units 42 w x 87 h x 18 d. $25 per unit. Cash and carry. Call Ronnie 683–4481, M- F 8- 5.

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413 Jewelry

14K wedding bands, diamond rings and other fine jewelry at wholesale prices. Call for appointment and free catalog. Leave message, 694–4300.

GOING through divorce. Don't want ex-wife to have it. Wanting to sell Ladies solid gold diamond bezel Rolex watch. Asking $3,500. Please call 550–7063 or 560-1286, beeper

415 Miscellaneous Wanted

SOUTHWEST Company Club tickets or other airline mileage awards wanted. Will pay top dollar. (915) 687–5039.

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420 Good Things To Eat

WE Buy Pecans! Gardendale Pecan Processing. Shelling and pecan sales, thrashing poles, burlap bags, crackers, bakers tools, honey butter. Open Monday-Saturday 9-12 & 1-6. FM554 in Gardendale. (915) 366–9793.

430 Household Goods

SOUTHWEST couch and love seat. Very good condition. $200. 570-4702.

BEAUTIFUL custom ordered, blue sectional couch. Includes recliner & full sized bed, $1,100. 697–6604.

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KING size waterbed with 12 drawer under dresser. Complete with liner, mattress, heater, front and side rails, sheets & pillow cases. Very good condition. Asking $150.

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430 Household Goods

APPLIANCES reconditioned with 6 month plus warranty. Wood & Son Appliances. 2811 W. Wall 699–1224.

440 Firewood

TEXAS FIREWOOD. Seasoned oak and pinon. Come by 3004 Front Street or call (915) 689–2231.

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GOOD seasoned firewood; oak or mesquite. Call Larry Tucker, (915) 689–7151.

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APPLE II E computer, with software and various programs. First $50. 697–4017.

CALCOMP "E" size plotter mnemonics, 48'x60' digitizer. Call 682–4559, Gary or Kit 8- 5, Monday- Friday.

EVEREX Laser Printer needs drum. $200. 683-5033.

COMPUTER system with printer, Multimedia, sound card, speakers. DOS Windows, education software, word processing, games. Great for student! After 6 pm, 520–9420.

495 For Free

CHOW MIX, female dog, 8 months old. Not good with kids. Call 570-1570.

FREE: AKC Registered big, black male Chow. Loves to play. Older kids or adults only. 570–8965.

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FREE to good home part Cow Dog. 683–5629.

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RHODESIAN Ridgebacks. 3 Males. 6 weeks- Jan 15. With paper. $300. Serious inquires only. 524–2340.

18' x 12' x 6' DOG run with top plus 1/2 top sun screen. Excelent condition. American Fence made. Paid $1,500 sell for $500 firm. Days 685-0878, evenings 699-4243.

Samantha...tricolored Basset Hound mix, long chubby body, spayed female. Daisy...sm. spayed female, gray / white Terrier. Lady Di...spayed female blonde Cock-a-poo, longhair. Opal...longhaired spayed female, Russian Blue mix cat steel gray with peach markings. Sheeba...petite spayed female, solid black cat, longhaired. Free to good home: adorable, small, loving, white Spitz mix, blind but adapts very well. These plus many more animals are up for adoption at the Big Spring Humane Society. $45 dogs/puppies, $35 cats/kittens. Includes spay/neuter, vaccinations, leuk. test, rabies shot. 267–7832

WHITE mute swans. Call 687-2728.

GERMAN Shepherd puppies. $100. 570–1046 after 4 pm.

AKC Yorkshire Terrier puppy. Very tiny, ready for new home. 915-758–6441.

AKC TRICOLORED Sheltie, with champion bloodline for Stud service. Pedigree available for inspection. 689–0173.

SIAMESE and Oriental Indoor companion kittens. Dilute colors, vaccinated, wormed. $50 - $100. 697–2046, afternoons.

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CORGI Puppies, ready to go. $300, 530–2803.

WEIMARANER Hybrids. Both parents excellent hunters. Puppies ready January 18th. $75 firm. Call 685–5032

YOU can train your dog better than anyone else can. Call PBOTC classes start January 18th. 570-HEEL.

AKC Dalmatian puppy. Male. 5 Weeks old. $150. 688-1080 days, 694-4961 after 4.

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Boer Goat Seminar.
Feild day production sale.
Free catalog.
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SPECIAL Horse and Saddle Auction. Big Spring Texas Livestock Auction. Saturday, January 14th, 1 pm. Selling abundance of new and used saddles and misc. and horses of all types. Everybody welcome to buy, sell or visit. Lance Folsom Auctioneer #8148, 1-800-221-9060 anytime.

2 HAY Shows- blue ribbon winning coastal Bermuda. Horse quality, square bales. $4.50 each delivered/ stacked, 500 minimum. 512-461-3266.

520 Store, Shop & Cafe Equipment

3 WOODEN Sliding door display cases with glass shelves, style, character for jewelry, accessories. 694–1602.

540 Building Materials

FOR SALE: 30 Hwy. concrete-barrier, 20 ft. long, located in Odessa Texas. Contact Rudy Renda at 817-430-0998.

540 Building Materials

USED fence material 6 x 8 wood sections. 5' 6" x 8' and other fence materials. 682–5157.

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WE move, buy, sell and rent portable buildings.
MORCAN
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560 Machinery & Tools

HONDA EB5000X Generator, 120V/ 240V, $2,695 value, asking $1,895 or best offer. 520–7919.

1976 200 AMP Lincoln welder, starter and alternator- no leads. Good clean machine! $1,995. 687–6790.

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570 Oil Field Equipment & Supplies

FOR SALE: oil field electric motors. Rebuilt/ guarantee from 5 horsepower 1,200-1,800 RPM. 685-0636, 559-4167,682-1546.

FOR SALE: Structural rods and pipe of all sizes at bargain prices. Call 682–1546.

600 Rooms for Rent

FURNISHED bedroom. Private entrance & bath. Kitchen and laundry privledges. Cable. $200 per month. 694–8393.

AVAILABLE weekly rate room. All bills paid. Cable TV and phone. Royal Inn, 3601 W. Wall, 694–8821.

604 Want to Rent

BY FEBRUARY 1, 1995! Driller & 2 Derrickmen in oilfield. Looking for 3 bedroom, 2 bath with garage or carport in Midland or surrounding 5 miles. $400-$600 Range. Call between 8- 5. 520–3868.

605 Apartments Furnished

STUDIOS. 1 & 2 Bedrooms Available. Deposit required. Lexington Hotel, 1003 S. Midkiff, 697-3155.

REDUCED Rates. Spacious 1 or 2 bedrooms now available. All utilities paid. Refrigerated air. Swimming pool. Laundry. Carports. Imperial Apartments, 405 Sunset, 694-9978.

LARGE Efficiency. Hospital, Downtown area. Washer, Dryer, Cable, Carport. All Bills Paid. Deposit Required. 682–7468.

DUPLEX- small 1 bedroom. Bills paid. Central heat and air, cable TV. 686–8692.

NICE quiet bedroom furnished apartment for rent. Available January 15. All bills paid, cable furnished. 684–4935, leave message.

ALL Utilities Paid! 1 & 2 bedroom apartments. Deposit required. 501 W. Louisiana. Call 685-0911 or 683–5161.

610 Apartments Unfurnished

SPECIAL! 1 Bedroom apartments starting at $169. Call Trellis at 697–0177.

1 BEDROOM apartment for rent. Stove & refrigerator furnished with central heat. $250 per month, bills paid. 687–6388. Adobe Wells Trading Post, 4613 Rankin Hwy.

CRESTLAWN Apartments- One bedroom $200; Two Bedroom $225 with water paid. 601- A Watson. 683–2535.

THORNWOOD APTS. New Management Holiday Special, $99 Move In. 1, 2 and 3 bedrooms, Stop by and have coffee. You'll have to see to appreciate what we have to offer. 2601 North A. - 682-5381.

ALL bills paid. 1 and 2 bedroom apartment homes, excellent location. $305- $385. Abby Court, 694-2549.

1 BEDROOM, 1 bath in Old Midland. $300 per month, all bills paid. Call 683–9243.

$99 MOVE -IN with appr. app. efficiency 1 and 2 bedroom rehabed, basic cable & covered parking. The Arches 694-2466.

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★ LA FONDA APARTMENTS★ 500 N. Colorado Street. A Great downtown location! 1 Bedroom apartments. $235/ month. These large, clean, comfortable apartments have complete kitchens, are newly remodeled and have lots of closet space. This is a quiet location; assigned covered parking & laundry room for tenant use. Come by the Office, apartment A-1 (N. side) or call 686–7100, no application fee required.

610 Apartments Unfurnished

SUTTON PLACE King size apartments. 2 1/2 bath, 2 bedroom townhouse. 1457 sq. ft. Wood burning fireplace, assigned covered parking. Open Monday-Friday, Saturday and Sunday PM, 682–2423.

PRINGLE Management- Now Leasing 2 bedroom, 2 bath apartments at 5 convenient locations. Please Call 550–5969.

CANYON CREEK

Now Leasing: One & Two bedrooms, starting at $199. $100 off first months rent. Senior Citizens discount. 699–7246.

ANDALUSIAN Apartments now leasing 2 bedroom apartments. Featuring serene living. Starting at $350 plus deposit. Free cable, laundry, covered parking. Call 694-4001 or 520-0118.

PATIO Townhouses. 1710 North A. Two bedrooms- private patio, covered parking. One bedrooms available. 682-4783.

FREE microwave with 6 month lease on 1 bedroom, 1 bath. $350 monthly, all utilities paid, early pay discount. Very private. Old Midland area. 683-9243.

★ WINDSOR PLACE. Park- like setting, peaceful, clean. Studio- 3 bedrooms, $165- $450. Call for availability! (915) 694–6696.

FROM PIANO KEYS TO HOUSE KEYS

CLASSIFIED HAS IT ALL 682-6222

610 Apartments Unfurnished

2 Bedroom, 1 bath duplex. Electric stove, washer/ dryer connections, fenced yard. $290 monthly. Water paid. 694-5121.

3 BEDROOM, 2 bath available now. 3603 Sinclair. $750 per month with first and last month rent in advance. 697-3496.

3 Bedroom, 2 bath in museum area overlooking park. Beautifully redone with new paint and carpet. $775 Monthly. Call Wayne Robinson, Penny Willhite & Associates 683-0883 or 570-7508.

2 BEDROOM, fenced backyard, double garage. $285/ $100 deposit. 686–8107, 683-2522.

3 Bedroom, kitchen, living room, 1 bath. $220 monthly. $100 deposit. 686–8067.

2 BEDROOM, west Midland. Fenced, clean, washer/ dryer connections. $325 monthly. HUD accepted. 684–5632.

SPACIOUS 2 story duplex. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, fireplace, appliances, fenced yard, water paid. $600, $400 deposit. 4245 Siesta. 694-6542.

4601 Lanham #11. 4 Bedroom townhouse for $750 monthly. $375 deposit. 3102 Tealwood 2 Bedroom townhouse. $650 monthly. $325 deposit. ERA Carriage Company. 684-5881.

SMALL 2 bdrm utility duplex. Appliances, carport, air/ heat. $250 - $150 deposit. 570-0861, 694–0870.

NICE 3 Bedroom, 2 bath, 2 garage, 1316 E Pine. $500 monthly. Agent 694–9853.

★ LOVELY 3 bedroom, 2 baths, living area, carpeted, appliances, patio, garage. Pauline Turney, Realtor. 694–7987

NORTH SIDE Duplex, 2 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage. $625 per month. Call 697-9808 between 10- 5:30.

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Lanier & Co.

1200 W. KENTUCKY

Clean 2 bedroom, 1 bath with carport. $350/ month, deposit $250.

682–1144

3107 W. OHIO. 2- bedroom cottage. New paint and carpet. Central heat and air. Water, gas and yard care paid. No pets. $450/ month. 694–9663.

3323 W. Ohio; 3 bedroom, 2 bath. $475 per month. Call 520-4935.

SEVERAL nice homes and townhomes, $150- $950 monthly. office $650. Jeannie Printz, Agent 699-5636.

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WINDMILL PARK APARTMENTS

New Hours: Mon.-Fri. 8:30-5:30 Sat. 10:00 - 3:00

$75

1st Mos. Rent 1 Bd.
(C Floor Plan)

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625 Houses Unfurnished

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FOR LEASE 607 Spraberry- 2 bdrm., 1 bath, $250 deposit, $350 monthly; **509 N. D. St.**- 3 bdrm., 2 bath, $550 deposit, $550 monthly; **EXECUTIVE HOME- 4000 CRESTRIDGE** (new carpet, paint, formica) 4 bdrm., 3.5 bath, $1,400 deposit, $1,400 monthly. Call **DENE KELLY REALTORS** 687-0595.

ELEGANT 2 bedroom, 2 bath, duplex in Wydewood Estates. Beautiful updated color schemes. Large master bedroom with sitting area. Fireplace, double garage. Contact Tammy Edwards 520-7719. Available January 15. $695.

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4 BEDROOM, 3 bath home in North Midland. $990 monthly, $900 deposit. Call Lee Culver, owner/ agent 559-6508 or evenings 697-8388.

3 BEDROOM homes. 310 S. Dewberry, 314 Thornridge, 1 year lease minimum. $525 and $575 monthly. $400 Deposit. No inside pets. 699–7368.

RENTALS
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625 Houses Unfurnished

COMFORTABLE 3 bedroom, 2 bath, double garage. 2,000 sq. ft.! Near Fannin/ Midland Christian. $690. Bill, 687-1114.

207 ACKLEN. Redecorated 3 bedrooms with 1 1/2 bath. Double carport, refrigerated air. $475 monthly plus deposit. References required. 694–7876.

4302 THORNBERY. Immediate. $850. Beautiful all new interior. Gorgeous paneled great room. Special! 699–4461.

✔ 1910 W KENTUCKY. 2 bedroom, 1 bath. Fireplace, fenced, laundry room, separate work shop, no garage. Complete renovation inside. No pets. 699-4142.

4412 Stanolind. 3 Bedroom, 2 bath, 1 car garage. $600 Per month. Call 520-4935.

COUNTRY Home 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 bath, fireplace. Deposit and references required. 684–4640.

NEWLY Carpeted & painted, 1600 sq. ft. 3 bedroom, or option of 4th. Deposit $575, $575 monthly. Lease agreement for 1 year with option to buy. $2,000 Security Deposit would go to purchase of home after 1 year. 699–5814.

LUXURY DUPLEX. 3 Bedroom, 2 bath, fireplace, microwave, double garage- automatic, fenced, sprinklered. 694–2957

✔ 3108 W. FRANKLIN. 3 bedrooms, 1 bath, fenced, no garage. No pets. 699-4142.

NEWLY Constructed luxury duplex for lease in Odessa. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 garage plus upstairs attic storage. 4623 Lemonwood. $1,395 monthly. $ 800 deposit. 1 year lease. Contact Cindy Brown, Realty Unlimited, Owner/ Agent. 550–5309 or 362-5887.

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1111B North Carrizo. 2 Bedroom, 1 bath duplex- carport. No inside pets. $400. $400 deposit. 685–3380.

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Large (2400 sq. ft.) immaculate, 2 bedroom, 2 bath. Sunken living room, fireplace, wet bar, separate dining room, shutters, stove, dishwasher, 3 car garage. $1,100 monthly $600 deposit.
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2 Bedroom studio, Bills paid. 600 Liddon. No pets. No children. No washer, dryer. 699–7232.

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3 Bedroom, 2 bath furnished with appliances including washer and dryer. Carpeted. Covered porch. Also, small 3 bedroom, furnished. Greenwood District. 684–5920.

655 Mobile Homes Unfurnished

2 BEDROOM, 1 bath, fenced yard, covered porch. All appliances furnished. $275 a month plus deposit. Call 687–6324.

2 BEDROOM, 2 Bath, appliances. Airline Mobile Home Park $350 monthly. 694–2534.

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ONE Room Office, $70. Two room office $120. MEC Building. Call Beverly Vaughan 686-2008.

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RETAIL/ Office.Various sizes. Fairmont Park Shopping Center. 3323 N. Midland Drive, B & J Plaza, 206 N. Midkiff. Call 683-8681. Owner managed.

665 Business/Property Office Space Rentals

RETAIL Space For Lease- 2400 sq. ft., 3000 sq. ft., & 6000 sq. ft. Reasonable rates & terms. Call 915-235-8290.

242 SPRING PARK DRIVE; 5 offices, reception, kitchen, bathroom, front parking, warehouse available. Agent 684-7788.

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667 Commercial Property

701 S. MARIENFELD. Just remodeled. Good for restaurant, bakery , day care or office. 694-8642.

670 Warehouse & Storage Rental

TERMINAL- office/ warehouse, 4.5 acres/ rail access with truck wash. 689-0442

WAREHOUSE with office, restroom. 800 to 2,000 sq. ft. Midkiff Business Center, Midkiff and Industrial. 683-8681.

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30 x 100 Warehouse with yard for rent or sale. Off Midkiff street on Warehouse Road. 697–7115 or 520-8030.

675 Recreational & Resort Rental

3 BEDROOM, 2 bath, fully furnished home. Available for nightly or weekly rental in Ruidoso, New Mexico. (505) 257–5742.

RUIDOSO: 3 bedroom- 2 bath and 2 bedroom- 2 bath. Very nice, completely furnished. 2 night minimum. 697-1337.

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